Scrofula Swellings

proach of the holiday season the jew-elry sent to the mints to be sold increases in large proportion compared to the quantity sold in the dull season. Soon after New Year there is usually a heavy installment at the assay offices and mines

Within the past week a pair of gold bracelets, which cost \$50, were sent to the mint bureau here to be sold for the gold in them. Their owner said he could not keep them, as he required the money, and asked Director Preston to dispose of them at whatever value they might bring. The bracelets, on being melted down, were shown to contain \$17 worth of pure metal.

From 1873 down to last year the amount of money paid out by the government for old gold, plate and jewelry has steadily increased. The high-water mark was reached in 1891, when the government paid out for plate and jewelry \$4.035,710. The Philadelphia mint melts nine-tenths of the plate and jewelry presented to the government. Payment is generally made in gold when the jewelry is of that metal.— Ohicago Inter Ocean

Boarding House Keeper—now sorry I feel for those poor Klondike miners this cold weather! Boarder-Madam. there is no need of going so far to place You seem to forget your sympathy. that I occupy one of your hall rooms .-

"I DO MY OWN WORK."

So Says Mrs. Mary Rochiette of Linden, New Jersey, in this Letter to Mrs. Pinkham.

"I was bothered with a flow which would be quite annoying at times, and

at others would almost stop. "I used prescriptions given me by my physician, but the

state 1 of affairs continued. "After a time I was taken with a flooding, that I was obliged to keep my bed. Finally, in despair, I gave up my doc-

taking your medicine, and have certainly been greatly benefited by its use
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pound has indeed been a friend to me. thanks to your wonderful medicine. was as near death I believe as I could be, so weak that my pulse scarcely beat and my heart had almost given out. I could not have stood it one week more I am sure. I never thought I would

I am sure. I never thought I would be sograteful to any medicine. "I shall use my influence with any one suffering as I did, to have them use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

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CONGRESS.

SENATE.

Scrofula Swellings

Health Was Very Poor But Hood's
Sarsaparilla Has Cured Hor.

"My daughter had scrofula swellings on her nock and her health was very poor, she did not obtain lasting benealt from medicines until she began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Three bettles also proved been troubled with scrofula since I have great faith in Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. L. D. Efner, Ruth, N. Y.

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Government's Old Gold Business. Hard times can be pretty well estimated by the amount of gold jewelry, old plate and trinkets, says Director of the Minth Preston, presented to the government mints. During the period of extreme depression the amount of metals purchased by the government reached high figures, but in the past year it has dwindled considerably. At the approach of the holiday season the jewelry sent to the mints to be sold in creases in large proportion compared to eight Democrats, one Silver Republican and one ladependent.

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After disposing of the urgent war deficiency bill, as passed with amendments by the Senate, the House Tuesday adopted the conference report upon the sundry civil bill, so far as it embodied agreements. The House then began voting severally upon the 45 Senate amendments, upon which no agreement had been reached in conference, acting favorably upon three and rejecting the five.

The House passed a bill directing the secretary of war to return to Ohio the flags carried in the civil war by the Twenty-first, Fifty-eighth and Sixtieth regiments of Ohio infantry, and to New York the flag of the One Hundred and Third infantry and the Seventh heavy artillery.

Mr. Gaines (Dem., Tenn.) presented a newspaper criticism upon the agents of the Government who had purchased the Merrimac at an alleged cost of \$150,000 in excess of the boat's cost of construction.

The bill providing for the participation of volunteer soldiers in congressional elections during the war was taken up. Mr. Bailey (Dem., Tex.) and Mr. Williams (Dem., Miss.) raised the question of the Constitutionality of the provision declaring "the requirements of the State laws as to registration shall not apply to the electors."

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The session of the House Wednesday, began and ended with Hawaiian incidents, Mr. Grosvenor (Rep., O.), a leader of the annexationists, figuring. They grew out of the anxiety of those who want early consideration lest the opposition win a victory and effect undue delay, if not the defeat of the resolutions, at this session. Mr. Grosvenor asked unanimous consent to read and have referred to the committee on rules a resolution providing for giving the Hawaiian resolutions precedence-over all other business, except conference reports, until disposed of. Many objections squelched him.

The House Thursday agreed to the conference report on the war revenue bill. The vote was 154 to 107. The report was presented by Mr. Dingley. It includes the acceptance by the House of many Senate amendments, including those-putting taxes on beer, special taxes on proprietary medicines, corporations producing petroleum and sugar, and on tea. The Senate recedes, among other things, from its coinage of the silver seignorage, a substitute providing for the coinage of not less than \$1,500,000 a month.

Mr. Dingley said the great ends which the House had set out to accomplish were the raising of approximately \$175,000,000 from taxation, and from \$400,000,000 to \$600,000,000 from other sources. He said the House conferees made no effort to eliminate the tax on tea, owing to the decisive vote by which the Senate had incorporated it, and because the new crop was just about to arrive, stocks on hand were very low, and the consumption in the country amounted to 100,000,000 pounds annually. Relative to the coinage of silver builion. Mr. Dingley explained that the provision would result ultimately in an increase of circulation outstanding by the amount of the present seigniorage, or about \$42,000,000. The provision was not materially different from the law of 1890.

The feature of Friday's session of the House was the securing of a

TELEGRAMS TERSELY TOLD.

Yellow fever has been reported at Mt. Henry, Miss.

Nine breweries at Cleveland have formed a combination. President McKinley will take no va-cation this summer.

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Tea prices have advanced 1½ cents 2 pound as a result of the senate amendment to the war revenue bill, imposing an import tax.

An Indian at Fort Scott, Kas., has confessed to the murder of Mrs. Laird, for which crime two Indians were burned to death last January.

A German ship arrived at Philadelphia a few days ago from Kingston without her clearance papers. The offense is punishable by a fine of \$5,000, Gen. Douglass, a millionaire, who fought against the north during the civil war, will soon marry Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris, daughter of the great general.

general.

The Alabama Republican state convention passed a resolution asking the president to make Lieut. Hobson captain of the battleship Alabama, now being built.

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good. Berliag Remedy Company, Cheege, Merical, New York.

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TRADE REVIEW.

Helplessness of the Spanish Navy Restores Confidence in the Business World.

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R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade reports as follows for last week: The certainty that the Spanish Atlantic fleet is imprisoned and powerless to do harm has helped to make the tone of markets more confident. Every step of progress during the week, which has looked toward an early termination of the struggle, has been reflected in the market and in lower rates for money. All industries have felt the uplifting influences. In finances the growing anxiety to lend on even long exchange at low rates in place of shipments of gold to this country, begins to accumulate a standing credit. shipments of gold to this country, begins to accumulate a standing credit in favor of the United States. A stronger situation it would be difficult to describe. Men have been buying and selling stocks with some blindness, though the course of events has all the time warranted a higher market. Other countries have yet to pay in some way an enormous balance to the United States on merchandlse transactions, and it will save speculators much trouble and loss to keep the fact in mind.

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Men talk as if wheat had gone down out of sight, but the collapse of May speculation has only made it more evident that the outside world requires nearly, if not quite, all the wheat this country can spare. Last week Atlantic exports, flour included, were 4,206,293 bushels, against 1,634,602 bushels last year, and Pacific exports were 253,213 bushels, against 125,212 bushels last year, and it is close to the end of the season. Over 210,000,000 bushels of wheat have already been exported, and almost 200,000,000 bushels corn, 4,134,800 bushels during the past week, against 1,757,035 bushels last year, and the market is justified in feeling that those who have gone so far beyond all precedent in defying current reports are entitled to pay for it.

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Iron and steel production has declined because several establishments have stopped for repairs. Yet the weekly output June 1, 225.397 tons, against 234,163 May 1, with the unsold stocks which decreased 18,142 tons during the month, indicate a consumption weekly of 233,876 tons, against 228,258 in April, so that the ablest iron journals are in error in saying that the apparent consumption does not keep pace with the production of 1,000,000 tons monthly. Eastern markets are much more embarrassed, as before, while the western are crowded beyond all precedent. But prices are not changing in either section, and the prospect for the manufacture is unsatisfactory, as it would be expected, with the prospects. The woolen manufactures are buying no wool, and the sales at the three chief markets during the past week were only 2,549,300 pounds, against 4,578,750 in 1892. But the demands for goods proves somewhat better in many directions than was expected, and the government requirements have compelled some manufacturers to buy somewhat largely grades of wool which they have not expected to require. The auction sale of carpets, resulting in prices said to average 50 per cent below the list quotations, does not encourage buying, and in carpet wools the market is decidedly tame. In cotton goods there is a stronger tone throughout, with print cloths sustained at the recent advance, but the coming crop is watched with anxiety. It is still somewhat doubtful whether the demand for goods during the past two months has been materially checked by the expectation that the price of goods would decline, and if so, marked advance in prices and increase in demand may be expected.

Fallures for the week have been 203 in the United States, against 262 last year, and 17 in Canada, against 30 last year.

Development of the Transvaal. In 1892 the main trunk line from Cape Town was pushed forward from its then northern terminus to Johannes-burg. The distance from Cape Town to Johannesburg by rail is 1,013 miles, In 1894 the road was completed from Delagoa Bay, a port in Portuguese ter Delagoa Bay, a port in Portugues, ritory on the southeast coast of Africa, to Tohannesburg—a distance of 377

to Johannesburg—a distance of 377 miles. The third road reached Johan nesburg a year later, from Durban, a port in the British colony of Natal, distant 483 miles.
From 23,000 ounces of gold in 1887,

the annual output has risen to 3,000,000 ounces in 1897, giving the Transvasi the second place in the world's gold production. There is no doubt that the present output of the country will rapidly increase; and probably within a few years, notwithstanding the increa ed output of other countries, th Transvaal will rank first as a gold producer.

The town of Johannesburg may be taken as a good index of the wonder ful expansion of the gold-mining indus-try of the district. From a few bute in 1886, it has developed into a town unexcelled, if indeed equaled, in the imposing character of its buildings by any of the enterprising mining towns in Western America. Indeed, Johannes burg has but little of the aspect of ar American mining camp. In its general appearance it reminds an American more of Spokane or Salt Lake City.— John Hays Hammond, in the Engineer ing Magazine.

Tea at \$148 per Pound.

One hundred and forty-three dollars a pound is what Ceylon tea of a certain kind brought at auction in London some time ago. This is stated, says the Buffalo Courier, on the authority of J. H. Grairo, of the Ceylon Import-ing Company, who says planters of Ceylon were as much surprised as you or I or the next person at such fabu-lous price. Owing to certain peculiari-ties a pound of that tea probably represents, approximately, one hundred and forty-three dollars' worth of labor; but the figure it fetched is so extraordinary as to give the tea or the sale absolutely no commercial value whatever. This is particularly so because this tea has no appreciably finer flavor. It is named "the golden tips." The leaves, when only twenty-four hours old, are picked from the top only of tea bushes. They is particularly so because this tea has from the top only of tea bushes. They are very small, not half as big as your finger nail, and extra expert pickers are required to gather them. It can be imagined that three hundred or four hundred people on the plantation must pick over several acres of bushes to get enough green one-day-old tea leaves to make a pound of tea when dried, Ordinary tea is from leaves which are ten days old, and consequently very much larger.

Women in Business.
From the Free Press, Detroit, Mich.
Aprominent business man recently expressed the opinion that there is one thing that will prevent women from completely filling man's place in the business world they can't be depended upon because they are sick too often. This is refuted by Mrs. C. W. Mansfield, a business woman of 58

C. W. Mansfield, a business woman of 58
Farrar St., Detroit, Mich., who says:

"A complication of female atiments kept
me awake nights and wore me out. I could
get no relief from medicine and hope was
slipping away from me. A young lady in
my employ gave me a box of Dr. Williams'
Plnk Pills for Pale People. I took them
and was able to rest at night for the first
time in months. I bought more andtook
them and they cured me as they also cured
several other people to my knowledge. I
think that if you should ask any of the druggists of Detroit, who are the best buyers of
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young women. These pills certainly build
up the nervous system and many a young
woman owes her life to them.

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proper place in life by safe-guarding their health as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale health as Dr. Williams rink rink People. Acting directly on the blood and nerves, invigorating the body, regulating the functions, they restore the strength and health to the exhausted woman when

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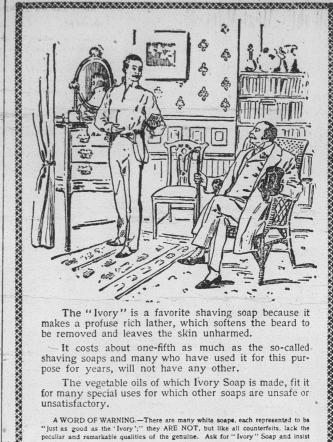
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upon getting it.

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The Russian production of pig from in 1897 amounted to 113,500,000 poods, or a little less than 2,000,000 tons. The existence of the South Russian from ore industry is threatened. Experts state that after 15 or 20 years the deposits now known will be exhausted.

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The presentation of the freedom of a tity or borough in England is now a

Professor Ghoost says that if we reckon the average depth of the ocean at three miles there would be a layer of salt 200 feet thick in their basins should the water of all suddenly evaporate.

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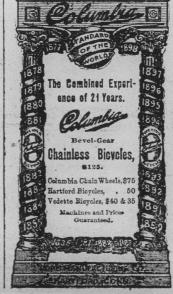
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