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OUR COUNTRY: First, Last and Forever.

ANTICIPATING the fact that the season was about to close, Admiral Dewey evidently concluded to fatten his batting average by taking the final game of the series.

PREDICTIONS that were made that our pension list had reached high water mark, do not seem to be verified by the statement issued July 30.

The prospects for the passage of the Nicaragua Canal bill at the winter session of Congress are growing bright. It is the prevailing opinion now that the bill will get through, and the feeling is growing pretty strong since we are branching out by acquiring colonies that the United States will have to construct this canal for the benefit of commerce, and as a naval necessity in the event of another war with a foreign foe.

WITH the beginning of the coming month there should open up a season of considerable activity in anthracite coal trade circles, and for the next ninety days there should be more coal disposed of than in any similar period for this year.

THE Merchants' Association of New York has sent to President McKinley a letter saying: "By your kindness, your patience and most exciting and exacting circumstances, your strong apparent determination to do fully and well everything which would help the cause of this country, you have been an inspiration not only to the troops in the field and the men on the ships, but to the citizens who have remained at home watching your course daily."

As exchange tells us that another morning newspaper, Republican in politics, will shortly be established at Pottsville, and will "devote considerable space to literature, biography and the unwritten history of the state."

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Services in All Saints' Protestant Episcopal church, West Oak street, tomorrow: Holy Eucharist at 8 a. m. Morning prayer at 10:30. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Evening prayer at 7 p. m. The rector will officiate.

First Baptist church, corner of West and Oak streets, Rev. D. L. Evans, pastor. Services at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Prayer meeting Monday evenings. Young People's meeting Wednesday evenings. Class meeting Thursday evenings.

Methodist Episcopal church, corner Oak and White streets. Rev. J. T. Swindell, pastor. General class meeting at 8 a. m., led by John Sander. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Dr. J. S. Call, Superintendent. Sermon at 6:30 p. m. Seats free. Everybody welcome.

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SOLDIER LIFE.

Schuykill Boys Marching From Thoroughfare, Va., to Middletown, Pa.

A short but interesting letter which gives the reader a faint idea of soldier life while on the march was received by W. G. Disto today. It was sent out from Thoroughfare, Va., on August 24th, by J. Howell Hughes, formerly of Tol, and who is a member of Co. E, 68th Va.

It reads thus: "Four weeks today we left Falls Church, Va., on what we thought was a practice march. But instead we were continually kept marching for three weeks, enduring all kinds of weather intermingled with many hardships. On some occasions we were compelled to make through streams with the water up to our necks, and sleeping and marching in mud and rain. Besides this we were without food for a period of four days at a time.

"But hunger will be satisfied and in order to keep the men in good humor, we resorted to a variety of amusements. We were the line of march, being the victors. We passed through a great many towns but had no money with which to purchase necessities of life. Our pay day was on the 2nd inst. but the 'bug' was not forthcoming until the 18th inst."

The writer, who is a barber, says he is doing a good business, especially when the "bug" has money. They certainly keep it in circulation. He concludes his letter by stating that their long and tedious march would end yesterday, the 25th inst., when they expected to arrive at Middletown.

President McKinley was expected to be at Middletown today to review the troops. Camp Meade is the center of all interest. Just now, and visitors are flocking there from all parts of the state. Tomorrow a great rally is expected, and it is likely that a large number of relatives and friends of the boys in camp from Schuykill county will visit there tomorrow. The V. & A. Railway will run a special excursion from Pottsville, leaving that place at 8:10 a. m. the fare being \$3.33 round trip.

Think you will? People have learned the lesson of the Little Early Risers, curing constipation and sick headache. They don't gripe. C. H. Hagenbuch.

THE LARGEST ON RECORD.

American Tobacco Company's Advertising Goes to Newspapers.

The American Tobacco Co. is a vast commercial concern, and its recent appropriation of \$750,000, to be spent in newspapers in the advertising of one of its brands—"Little Early Risers"—is worthy of more than a passing comment. To expend this amount of money judiciously is a problem. Its solution is therefore instructive to every merchant and producer who has need of publicity for his business welfare. The detail necessary to the handling of this volume of business demanded the experience and equipment of an advertising agency of the first class. The G. H. Hagenbuch Advertising Agency of New York city was therefore selected, and estimates were prepared to cover the entire country for such medium as were thought to be desirable to bring quick and sure returns.

In this connection it is certainly pardonable for us to call attention to the fact that the HERALD was included in the list. There is a point to be made just here, and it is that if the "foreign" advertiser, having practically unlimited means and exercising a judgment born of years of experience, decides upon a given medium, it is because of the excellence of that particular medium, for the field that it covers. Local advertisers will do well to reflect on this point. It is pregnant with meaning to every one of them.

The American Tobacco Co. has taken the fall season, which was made duller by the field who feared the war as a factor in business, and it has given a colossal order as an indication that, if times are dull, the thing to do is to make them brighter, and the right way to make them brighter is through judicious advertising.

Newspaper advertising is the best way to make good times if you have anything really good to offer, and the way to use newspaper advertising is with genuine space and proper display.

It was P. T. Barnum who said: "If you only invest \$10 capital to begin your business, and want to make money, be sure to spend \$5 in advertising in the newspapers." A feature of this stupendous "order" has been the perfection of this manipulation, due to the arrangements made by the G. H. Hagenbuch Agency.

Scrofula, salt rheum, erysipelas and other distressing eruptive diseases yield quickly and permanently to the cleansing, purifying power of Burdock Blood Bitters.

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DO IT YOURSELF

You can tell just as well as a physician whether your kidneys are diseased. The way to do it is to take a bottle of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, and fill it with urine. If there is a sediment, a powder-like substance at the bottom after standing a day and night, there is something wrong with the kidneys.

Another sure sign of disease is a desire to urinate often, and still another sign is pain in the back. If urine stains linen, there is no doubt that the kidneys are affected.

Any and all diseases of the kidneys, liver, bladder and of the urinary passages, and especially of the kidneys, are cured by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. There is no question about its being the best and surest medicine in the world for such troubles. It quickly relieves and cures inability to hold urine, and people, young or old, who take it are not compelled to get up a number of times during the night. For putting an end to that annoying habit, experienced in getting urine, nothing is so good as Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It corrects the bad effects of whiskey and beer; is pleasant to take, and its sweet taste is so refreshing that all diseases of the kidneys and bladder often require the use of instruments to push the urine out, being the only remedy that is so effective. In such cases, Favorite Remedy should be taken without further delay, or the disease may prove fatal. It is sold for one dollar a bottle at drug stores. It is well worth many times its price.

Samples Free. If you wish to test Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy before buying it, send your name to the Dr. David Kennedy Remedy Corporation, 100 West 11th Street, New York, N. Y., and mention this paper. We will then mail you a sample bottle free, as well as circulars giving full directions and the names of the druggists of the HERALD on whom you can depend for the genuineness of the liberal offer, and all sufferers from kidney troubles should take advantage of it at once.

ANDERSEN PREFERRED. The Condemned Murderer Was Ready For the March to the Gallows. Norfolk, Va., Aug. 27.—John Andersen, who was to have been hanged yesterday for the murder of Olive Pecker, on the high seas in 1897, has been granted another lease of life by Judge Waddill, of the United States district court. Dr. J. Morris and Hugh G. Miller, attorneys of this city, without the knowledge of Andersen, on Thursday applied for a writ of habeas corpus with the object of staying the execution. Morris was originally Andersen's attorney, but on several occasions he refused to appoint him because he represented some of the men accused with Andersen. The contention was that Judge Hughes erred in not allowing Andersen to select his own counsel. Judge Waddill denied the application, but granted the stay until the supreme court is to be heard Oct. 12. Andersen was in his cell with his spiritual advisers, ready to march to the gallows, when some one shouted from the window that the judge had granted a stay. Andersen came down, and expressed regrets that the stay would be delayed. He was taken to court in a carriage, and when the preliminaries had been gone through with returned to his cell.

A Clever Trick. It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has lame back and weak kidneys, malaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medicine tones up the entire system, acts as a stimulant to the liver and kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures all ailments connected with the system, such as indigestion, constipation, sleeplessness and melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c. a bottle at A. Wadley's drug store.

A Spanish Plague. London, Aug. 27.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily Mail says the officers of the 3rd Battalion returned from Santiago de Cuba having refused to accept the Americans of unfulfilling promises made at the time of the capitulation of Santiago. The Americans, they say, forced the Spanish troops to encamp on the Spanish defences of El Caney where hundreds of corpses of the Spanish soldiers were buried. The rains almost earthed the bodies, the stench from which produced an epidemic. The Americans, the Spaniards assert, kept the latter without food, and the officers received the bodies and buried them in their return to the city. Most of the effects of prolonged hunger, fever and the effects of the epidemic, the Spaniards say, were washed out.

Lawton's Sanitary Report. Washington, Aug. 27.—General Lawton, who succeeded to Shafter's command at Santiago, when the latter left for home, sends the following sanitary report for Aug. 26: Total sick, 577; total fever, 468; total new cases, 15; total returned to duty, 6; deaths, 7.

You invite disappointment when you experiment. Dewitt's Little Early Risers are sure constipation and sick headache just as sure as you take them. C. H. Hagenbuch.

ANGERED PARENT'S REVENGE. Had His Son-in-Law Tarred, Feathered and Driven Out of Town. Carrollton, Miss., Aug. 27.—Dr. L. C. Davis came to this city about two years ago as the representative of an Indian-syrup sanitarium. He became acquainted with Miss Maud Hensler, the daughter of Mr. John Hensler, a well known wagon maker of this city. After keeping the girls company for a time the couple disappeared, and on returning reported that they were married. They took up their residence in Alton, where a child was born. Mr. Hensler, discovering that they had not been married, went to Alton and had Davis arrested, and compelled him to marry his daughter.

Since then, Hensler claims, Davis had been extorting money from Hensler by threatening to take his life. Hensler had Davis arrested, but on Davis signing an agreement to leave the city Hensler declined to prosecute, and Davis was released. Instead of leaving he returned to the Hensler residence and Hensler had him again arrested.

Shortly after midnight a mob, supposed to have been led by friends of Hensler, broke into the hall and took Davis out. The prisoner was taken to Hensler's shop, where Hensler and another party beat him with whips and tarred and feathered him. Davis' life was spared on the promise that he would leave the city.

A blessing alike to young and old: Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Nature's specific for dysentery, diarrhoea and summer complaint.

SURGEON STERNBERG'S DENIAL.

He Has Never Objected to Female Nurses For the Soldiers. New York, Aug. 27.—The following letter from Surgeon General George B. Sternberg was received yesterday by Stephen E. Barton, of the Red Cross: "Your letter of Aug. 22 enclosing a letter from Rev. Alexander Kent, has been referred to me. I shall refer it to the chief surgeon at Jacksonville. The closing paragraph of Mr. Kent's letter is to which you call special attention, is as follows: "Reports this morning reveal a startling mortality among the 15th corps in the last 24 hours in the second division alone. Most of those, in my judgment, are due to want of proper nursing. In the first place, the number of nurses is insufficient and their hours are too long. In the second place most of them are not skilled nurses; they are doing things that require in the care of the sick, that only a woman can do. 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