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Evening Herald

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OUR COUNTRY: First, Last and Forever.

Now that the political campaign is over, a few industrial rallies are in order.

PROGRESSIVE business men advertise in the HERALD. Shall we tell you why?

EVERY New Journal opposes the further recognition of Mr. Bailey, of Texas, as the leader of the Democratic minority in the House.

We shall now watch the contest for the plums that will fall, when the successful candidates for county offices shake the tree, with much complacency. The aforesaid candidates surely have troubles of their own.

As a usual thing newspaper men are not in the business for their health or the fun they get out of it, but one would think so by the large number of people who ask for free "quills." Our Hazleton contemporaries have formed a trust against free advertising and have thus set an example that can be followed with much profit.

BUT six more weeks and the holidays will be here. It seems but a few short days since Christmas was celebrated, yet the calendar will soon register the departure of another year. Christmas, in this region, will be a happy occasion. The collieries having been operated on pretty steady time recently, and the orders for this and the succeeding month calling for the mining of larger quantities of the product, indications are that the holidays will bring enjoyment to more people this time than during several previous years. Business men are everywhere preparing for the holiday trade and they, too, from a financial point of view, will be enabled to derive more enjoyment out of the Christmas tide some weeks hence than they have for the last three seasons. In order to reap the greatest amount of benefit they should place their announcements in the people's favorite paper.

Gains and Losses.

Protection works a double benefit and produces some surprising results. An increase of over \$100,000,000 in exports and a decrease of over \$100,000,000 in imports is the record of our foreign commerce for the nine months ending September 30th, 1898, compared with the corresponding nine months of the preceding year. No corresponding period in any year of the country's history has shown such a record. No other country in the world has ever equalled this record.

The total exports of the nine months ending September 30th, 1898, are practically twice as great as those of the corresponding nine months of 1888, while the imports showed a reduction of 12 1/2 per cent. as compared with 1888, despite the growth of our population in the meantime. The imports of merchandise in the nine months just ended are less than in any corresponding period since 1888, when the consuming capacity of the country was but little more than half what it now is. The gains in all classes of production have been enormous during the past decade. The exports of the product of the mines which for the nine months ending September 30, 1898, are in round numbers \$30,000,000, have increased more than 33 per cent. since 1888. Exports of the productions of the forests, which were \$18,775,141 in the corresponding nine months of 1888, are in the nine months just ended \$30,775,578. Agricultural products, which in nine months of 1888 were \$304,717,302, are in the nine months just ended \$571,294,955.

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OVERWORKED WOMEN.

Letters to Mrs. Pinkham From Women Who Have Been Helped From Sickness to Health.

The ordinary every-day life of most of our women is a ceaseless treadmill of work. How much harder the daily tasks become when some derangement of the female organs makes every movement painful and keeps the nervous system unstrung!

The following letter from Mrs. WALTERS, BANTA, Sparkill, N. Y., tells the story of many women, and shows them how to get relief. "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I cannot thank you enough for all Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. When I wrote to you I had suffered for years with falling-inflammation and ulceration of the womb; my back ached, and I was so much distressed I could scarcely walk. I was a burden to myself and did not care whether I lived or died.

"I have taken five bottles of your medicine and it has done wonders for me as all my friends can testify. I can now do my own work, and do not know how to express my gratitude to you for the good your medicine and advice have done me. I owe my life to Mrs. Pinkham."

Mrs. Pinkham's counsel offered free to all women who need advice about their health. Her address is Lynn, Mass. Mrs. P. H. HIRSCOFF, Kellerton, Iowa, tells here in her own words how Mrs. Pinkham helped her: "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I was in a very bad condition before I wrote to you and began the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did not know what to do. I suffered terribly every month, when on my feet would get such a bearing-down feeling, was very weak, womb was swollen, back ached, appetite was very poor, also had trouble with my head. I have taken several bottles of your Compound and cannot say enough in its favor. It helped more than all the doctors."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; a Woman's Remedy for Woman's Ills

but \$99,842,972, are in the nine months of 1898 \$237,822,045. It thus appears that the manufacturers have in the period 1888-98 enjoyed a larger growth in exports of their productions than any other class of our great producers.

The great gain in the ratio of exports to imports that has taken place in the first three quarters of the current fiscal year under the operation of the Dingley Tariff is apparent in the effects produced upon the general business of the country, and the long strides now making toward prosperity.

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 Bites. This medicine tones up the liver and kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures constipation, headache, fainting spells, sleeplessness and melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bites and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle contains only 30c. a bottle at A. Waseley's drug store.

Lit's Useless Memorial. Pekin, Nov. 16.—Li Hung Chang memorialized the dowager empress, begging to be excused from the appointment to consult with the viceroys of the province of Shantung as to the steps to be taken to prevent any further overflowing of the Yellow river, pleading age and infirmity as his excuse. The dowager empress, while thanking him for his services to the throne, requested the Chinese statesman to proceed to the Yellow river without delay.

AN IMPORTANT DIFFERENCE. To make it apparent to thousands, who think themselves ill, that they are not afflicted with any disease, but that the system simply needs cleansing, is to bring comfort to their hearts, as a positive condition is easily cured by using Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all druggists.

Disgraced Officer's Flight. Lexington, Ky., Nov. 16.—Baron Waldock De la Motte, an Austrian nobleman and a captain of the Seventh volunteer infantry (immunes), is in disgrace and has left for parts unknown. A few days ago he was discharged from his regiment for various offenses, principal among which was refusing to wear the uniform of his regiment, and upon him in his tent Monday night and attached his sword and his uniform. He later secured clothing somewhere and skipped out. Villamil claimed to be a cousin to the late empress of Austria.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

CARLIST UPRISING PREDICTED. Spain Will Probably Have More Trouble Within a Few Weeks. London, Nov. 16.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "A leading Carlist tells me he will be astonished if a formidable rising does not occur in Spain within a month after the peace treaty is signed. The Carlists have abundant supplies of money, and, my informant says, only something very big and unexpected can prevent a rising."

"This appears to agree with the news that Don Carlos has succeeded in raising an important loan in London and in Paris, and that wealthy Carlist families are insuring their property against war risks."

"I questioned a prominent official at the Spanish war office today on the subject, and he told me he was well aware of the Carlist activity, but that the government was even more ready than the Carlists. The bulk of the actual standing army of Spain, he said, is now occupying Aragon, the Basque provinces and North Catalonia. There is a larger number of troops under the colors than the law authorizes in ordinary times, the government having decided that this is necessary to preserve internal order. During the last two months—still according to my informant—the government has greatly increased its war material and has replaced most of the artillery and ammunition sent to the West Indies. My own opinion is, however, that the Spanish people will not tolerate a Carlist rising, because civil war would only complete Spain's ruin."

Itchiness of the skin, horrible plague. Most everybody afflicted in one way or another. Only one safe, never failing cure. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 30 cents.



CHAMBERLAIN'S HOPE

For a Formal Alliance Between John Bull and Uncle Sam.

Manchester, Nov. 16.—At the national Liberal Unionist conference here yesterday Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, made his first public speech since his return from the United States. Mr. Chamberlain, who was much more explicit on the subject of Anglo-French relations than any of his colleagues in the cabinet has said, "It was the hope of every friend of peace that the French withdrawal from Fashoda is indicative of their acceptance of the principle of British control of the whole valley of the Nile, regarding which there cannot be any discussion whatever." Going on to recite a "series of unfriendly acts perpetrated by France in various quarters of the globe during the last ten or fifteen years, he said:

"If better relations are to be established it will be necessary for French politicians to abandon tactics whose object has been to hamper and embarrass British policy even in our own colonies. It is not in our interests to protect. I refer especially to New Foundland, where, despite the fact that the French fishery interests have declined to a comparatively insignificant point the demands of the French have continually increased and their interference with the development of the colony has increased. If the Fashoda incident only serves to disabuse foreign statesmen of the erroneous conception that the British will yield anything to pressure, it will be a blessing in disguise."

After referring to the "thorough and complete sympathy so noticeable between the metropolitan and her colonies," Mr. Chamberlain continued as follows: "What is of equal importance, our American friends have begun to understand us better. The American people know that in the late trouble our hearts went out to them, and they heartily reciprocated our good feelings. I shall not attempt to predict what may follow this better feeling, but I may at least hope that in the future the understanding of which I have spoken may be perfected, and in the face of that understanding we may be able to guarantee peace and civilization to the world."

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous and to do good. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of their great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all the throat troubles are surely cured by it. Call on A. Waseley, Druggist, and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

Reciprocity Negotiations Suspended.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Negotiations on the proposed reciprocity treaty between this government and Great Britain, which were suspended last week, have come to a halt, with no present indication that the treaty will be concluded in the near future. The negotiations had proceeded to an advanced stage last spring, it being hoped that the signature would be appended before Congress adjourned, in order that the senate might have an opportunity to ratify. Since then, however, obstacles have developed, and the negotiations which were so far along have lapsed into a condition of inaction.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative-Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

THE VIDEN STRIKE ENDED.

Striking Union Men Return to Work at the Union Scale.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—The Chicago-Virden Coal company yesterday practically acceded to all demands of the striking miners. The company agrees to pay the union scale of 40 cents for hand work and 50 cents for machine work. The agreement also covers the work of the men employed to take the places of the strikers. Officials of the coal company held a meeting here yesterday with representatives of the miners' unions for the purpose of arranging a settlement of the dispute. The meeting was held in the office of President H. C. Wood of the company, and was attended by Acting President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers of America; President Hunter and Secretary Ryan, of the Illinois Mine Workers' union, and President Clark, of the anti-striker branch state union, in behalf of the miners. President Luckes and Manager Lukins representing the coal company.

Foul-Smelling Catarrh.

Catarrh is one of the most obstinate diseases, and hence the most difficult to get rid of.

There is but one way to cure it. It consists in the blood, and all the sprays, washes and inhalant mixtures in the world can have no permanent effect whatever upon it. Swift's Specific cures Catarrh permanently, for it is the only remedy which can reach the diseased mucous membrane from the blood.

Mr. B. F. McAllister, of Harrodsburg, Ky., had Catarrh for years. He writes: "I could see no improvement whatever though I was constantly treated with sprays and washes, and did not inhale remedies. In fact, I got so bad that each winter I was worse than the year previous. I was brought to my wits' end, and after thinking up over the matter, I saw it was unreasonable to expect to be cured by remedies which only reach the surface. I then decided to try S. S. S., and after a few bottles were used, I noticed a real blood remedy. Continuing the remedy, the disease was forced out of my system. I had a complete cure, and I advise all who have this dreadful disease to abandon their local treatment, which has never done them any good, and take S. S. S., a remedy that can reach the disease and cure it."

To continue the wrong treatment for Catarrh is to continue to suffer. Swift's Specific is a real blood remedy, and cures obstinate, deep-seated diseases, which other remedies have no effect whatever upon. It promptly reaches Catarrh, and never fails to cure even the most aggravated cases.

S. S. S. For Blood. Purely Vegetable, and is the only blood remedy guaranteed to contain no dangerous minerals.

Books mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.

BRUTAL GERMAN OFFICER

Gets Off With Forty Months' Imprisonment For Cowardly Murder.

Strasbourg, Germany, Nov. 16.—The Neuste Nachrichten says that Count Stolberg-Wernigerode, a captain of cavalry, has been cashiered and sentenced to 40 months' imprisonment for fatally stabbing with his sabre a sergeant named Schienhardt in September last.

Schienhardt was superintending the cooking of rations during a bivouac of the Fifteenth Uhlans, near Hagonsau, Alsace, when he received an order to get a load of forage. During his absence the soldiers bungled in handling the above, with the result that the food was spoiled. When Schienhardt returned Count Stolberg-Wernigerode summoned him and abused him, calling him the greatest blackguard and the lowest scoundrel in the regiment. Schienhardt became excited and replied that he did not think he deserved such names, whereupon the Count boxed his ears heavily, throwing him against a wagon. Schienhardt then called out to two of his soldiers, saying: "You saw that I was struck!" Thereupon the count flew into a rage, drew his sabre and stabbed the sergeant twice, first in the leg and then behind the ear. The sergeant took flight and tried to stand at attention, but he dropped unconscious and died in the hospital on the following day. Schienhardt was the son of a workman, and had two brothers in the army. Count Stolberg-Wernigerode was a wife which regiment he had to leave because he assaulted his orderly.

Buckley's Arnica Sal. e.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, scalds, ulcers, and rheum, fever sores, swollen hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or, if not required, it is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 15 cents per box. For sale by A. Waseley.

Austrian Minister Sails For Home.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The Austrian minister, Mr. Von Hengelmüller, and his wife sailed yesterday for home, where the minister will spend a six months' leave. Baron Reill will be Austrian charge d'affaires during the minister's absence. There is little doubt that negotiations now in progress between this country and Austria will lead to the sending of ambassadors instead of ministers between them, and this change, it is expected, may come about before Mr. Von Hengelmüller returns.

Spain's Mine Supply.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The government has renewed and strengthened its determination that the Spanish evacuation of Cuba and the American occupation shall not be deferred beyond Jan. 1 next. This conclusion has been communicated to the Spanish government within the last few days, in answer to an urgent request that the date of evacuation be put off because of the large number of Spanish troops remaining on the island, who, it was represented, could not be moved before Jan. 1.

"Saved Her Life."



MRS. JOHN WALLER, of Jefferson, Wis., than whom none is more highly respected, writes: "I had a severe attack of La Grippe and at the end of four months, in spite of all physicians, friends and good nursing could do, my lungs hurt and nervous system was so completely wrecked, my life was despaired of by my friends giving me up. I could only sleep by the use of opiates. My lungs and heart pained me terribly and my cough was most aggravating. I could not lie in one position but a short time and not on my left side at all. My husband brought me Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure and began taking them. When I had taken a half bottle of each I was much better and continued persistently I took about a dozen bottles and was completely restored to health to the surprise of all."

Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on diseases of the heart and nervous system, 10c. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

A Beautiful Home

Is life's most pleasing comfort. We will give you much comfort for little money. A comfort to-day is our FURNITURE. Public we have been busily engaged in replenishing our stock. We have a new line of dining room furniture, chairs, sofas, couches and settees in large varieties. We are the cheapest dealers.

WINTER IS AT YOUR DOOR

And you may need a stove, range or heater. We have now several carloads in stock, which is the largest in the county. We represent the Buckwalter Stove Company, the largest and oldest established firm in America. We can sell you cheaper than other dealers who buy one and two on an order. A guarantee accompanies every purchase. Money refunded if not satisfactory.

D. & J. SIEGEL, 123 and 131 South Main Street. DRINK CLEARLY'S EXTRA FINE QUALITY GINGER ALE, Superior Sarsaparilla, and Orange Champagne.

A DRAMATIC INCIDENT.

A Lecturer Discovers His Danger and Loses His Life.

It is a scene in the lecture-room of a medical college in New Orleans. The professor is lecturing before an intelligent class of medical students. He is describing the human body, its defects and the danger by which it is surrounded. In order to illustrate it he has fluids from the human body, which he is subjecting to chemical tests.

"Gentlemen," he said, "I have described to you the appearance of the human fluid in a diseased state; I will now show you how the same fluid appears in a healthy state," and he subjected his own to the test. As he held it up to the light for a moment, his hand trembled, he caught his breath, he paled and exclaimed: "Gentlemen, I have just made a most horrible discovery. I myself have Bright's disease of the kidneys."

In less than one year he was dead. The above dramatic and strictly true incident shows the terrible danger and mysterious nature of this modern disease, which may well be called the demon of the present century. It steals into the system like a thief, manifests its presence by the commonest symptoms and fastens itself upon the system before the victim is aware. It is nearly hereditary as consumption, quite as

Advertisement for Sexine Pills, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the medicine's benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for Horse Goods, featuring an illustration of a horse-drawn carriage and text promoting the quality and durability of the products.

Advertisement for Sapolio, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the product as a 'fair face' and a 'fool bargain' for women.

Advertisement for Overcoat Ideas, featuring a portrait of a man and text promoting winter clothing.

Advertisement for L. Refowich, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the clothing store's offerings.

Advertisement for A Contented Woman, featuring a portrait of a woman and text describing the store's offerings.

Advertisement for Orkin's Jewelry Store, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the store's offerings.

Advertisement for D. & J. Siegel, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the store's offerings.