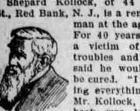
### Active and Bright, Though Almest &

Centenarian. Shepard Kollock, of 44 Wallace St., Red Bank, N. J., is a remarkable man at the age of 98.



For 40 years' he was a victim of kidney troubles and doctors said he would never be cured. "I was trying everything," says Mr. Kollock, "but my back was lame and

weak and every exertion sent a sharp twinge through me. I had to get up several times each night and the kidney secretions contained a heavy sediment. Recently I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, with fine results. They have given me entire relief."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

### Capital Punishment.

According to the World Almanac the following states have abelished capital punishment: Maine, Michi-Wisconsin, Rhode Island and Kansas. It is understood that Kansas has no statute abolishing the death penalty, but no governor will sign a death warrant on account of the precedent of former chief executives. Colorado and Iowa have both restored it after a brief period of abolition. Ohio is now agitating the abolition of the death penalty.

### What Causes Headache.

From October to May, Colds are the most for Aent cause of Headache, Laxative B., no Quinine removes cause. E. W. Grove on box. 25c.

### Still At It.

"Let the galled jade wince," wrote the editor, and the intelligent compositor in the prohibition town set "Let the gallon jug win."-Columbus Ledger.

### That Dry Hacking Cough needs attention. Ask your druggist for Brown's Bronchial Troches, which

vill quickly relieve the cough.

### School Buildings Unsafe.

Inspection of the 360 public and 200 private and parochial school bulldings in Chicago disclosed that about fifty schools were unsafe. Instrucwere given that changes be made immediately.

# Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens thegums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25ca bottle

England's Volcanic Fires.

A burning cliff which recently areused fears of a volcanic explosion at Lyme Regis, England, has called renewed attention to a kind of earth fire, not connected with volcanoes, of which a few earlier examples have been known. This phenomenon was observed nearly twenty years ago in another cliff of shale about three miles from the same spot, and still earlier the smoldering fires in a cliff of dark blue clay on the eastern side Weymouth bay attracted much atof Weymouth say attracted much attention. The primary cause of such outbursts seems to be the oxidation of iron pyrites, which is often abundant in shales and dark clays. The heat generated may become sufficient to set fire to some of the sulphur distilled out yielding speaks and sulphur distilled out yielding speaks and sulphur distilled. tilled out, yielding smoke and sul-phurous fumes and the bitumen of some shales may add other inflam-mable material. A British geologist suggests that pontaneous combus-tion in the latest case has been di-rectly due to the effect on the decomposing pyrites of extreme atmosoheric changes, the heavy rains that that have followed a fairly hot sum-mer, or possibly to the action of the

### Trusts in Germany.

reloped in Germany than in America, but in nearly every branch of indus try syndicates, agreements and conventions or "kartells," as they are termed, are controlling largely the business situation. There is nothing in German law to forbid any agreement among manufacturers or dealers in regard to prices and terms as long is it does not fall within the limits not "contrary to good morals."

### HAPPY OLD AGE Most Likely to Follow Proper Eating.

As old age advances, we require as food to replace waste, and food that will not overtax the digestive orwhile supplying true nourish-

Such an ideal food is found in Grape-Nuts, made of whole wheat and barley by long baking and action of diastase in the barley which changes the starch into sugar.

The phosphates also, placed up under the bran-coat of the wheat, are included in Grape-Nuts, but left out of white flour. They are necessary the building of brain and nerve

"I have used Grape-Nuts," writes an Iowa man, "for 8 years and feel as good and am stronger than I was ten ears ago. I am over 74 years old ad attend to my business every day.

"Among my customers I meet a an every day who is 92 years old d attributes his good health to the of Grape-Nuts and Postum which has used for the last 5 years. He es Grape-Nuts with Postum and s they go fine together.

"For many years before I began to ape-Nuts I could not say that I d life or knew what it was to ple to say 'I am well.' I suffered ly with constipation, now my are as regular as ever in my

never I make extra effort I d on Grape-Nuts food and it ills the bill. I can think and a great deal easier." lere's a Reason." Name given

um Co., Battle Creek, Mich. The Road to Wellville," in

### PROMINENT PEOPLE.

W. W. Astor increased his gift to the Oxford endowment fund to \$100,-000. Rear-Admiral Evans will relinquish

command of the battleship fleet in July. J. P. Morgan headed a syndicate

that purchased a large nitrate field in Chile for \$12,500,000. The Hon. James Cully, son of Vis count Selby, was committed to jail for contempt of court in abducting his

Prince Kuni, special envoy of the Emperor of Japan, arrived at Madrid, to confer on Queen Victoria a decora-tion granted by the Mikado.

General Hugh Cameron, the Kan-sas hermit, has signified his intention of retiring from the woods and spending the remaining years of his life in an automobile.

J. C. S. Beckham, for eight years Governor of Kentucky, announced his permanent and unconditional retirement from politics at a banquet given him by 300 Democrats.

Dr. Jacoby, in an address before the Conference on Congestion, in New York City, said poor ventilation re-sulting from crowded quarters bred and spread tuberculosis.

M. D. Pokotiloff, Russian Minister to China, who was in this country in 1905 to aid in the negotiation of the treaty of Portsmouth, which ended the Russo-Japanese War, died at Pekin.

Brigadier-General Royal Thaxter Frank, U. S. A., retired, died in his home in Washington, D. C., in his seventy-sixth year. He was graduated from the Military Academy in the class of '58.

In a speech to Camp Fire Club of America, Gifford Pinchot, Chief Forester of the Department of Agriculture, declared that a great war is imminent in this country, and that the forest rangers will be scouts. In a speech to Camp Fire Club of

### NEWSY GLEANINGS.

Bourke Cockran was dropped from all Tammany Hall committees

New Zealand and Tasmania hope to see the American battleship fleet.

Japan will enforce regulations restricting the importation of arms into China. The Japanese Government has de-

cided to establish a tobacco monopoly in Korea. Japan is considering a proposition to lease her railways to a foreign

syndicate.

China will pay an indemnity to Japan and retain the arms selzed on board the Tatsu. No member of the Cabinet will at-tend the Republican National Conven-

The Chilean section of the trans-andine tunnel on the Arica and La Paz Railway has been opened.

tion as a delegate.

The Russian Minister of Justice has asked the Duma to vote \$1,000,-000 to enlarge the overcrowded prisons. The news that the American battle-

ship fleet would visit Australia was received with rejoicing at Sydney and Melbourne New York City is suffering from recurrent waves of scarlet fever and

measles, and all the contagious dis-ease hospitals are filled. The return of the American battleship fleet by way of Suez is regarded in Russia as definitely ending the

rumors of serious trouble in the Far Secretary Taft, speaking in Michigan, advocated greater railway regu-lation to prevent Government owner-

ship and the increased centralization of power it would entail. Testifying for the Government, one time employe of the Standard Oil Company declared that the company paid regularly for information concerning the shipments of its rivals.

### HALLS OF CONGRESS.

Mr. Simmons, of North Carolina spoke in support of the ship subsidy

Mr. Bacon, of Georgia, spoke on al leged executive encroachments on the legislative power. Representative Lilley testified be

fore the House committee which is investigating his charges.

The Postoffice Appropriation bill, amplified, the total being increased \$1,225,000, passed the House. Senator Tillman introduced a resolution for an investigation of specula-tive loans and other alleged banking

Senator Lodge urged the passage of the Aldrich currency bill as the best means to prevent a recurrence of

financial disturbances Representative Lilley's attorneys withdrew from the submarine scandal inquiry because they were not per-

mitted to examine witnesses. Representative Hobson, before House investigating committee, said a submarine boat concern's representative had offered him influence in

exchange for support. Mr. Sims, of Tennessee, declared that a reign of terror existed in Washington, and charged that the prevalence of crime was due to the in-efficiency of the police.

It was disclosed that President Roosevelt had a report from United States secret service agents on Wall Street gambling before he announced his intended investigation.

An investigation of the Postoffice Department was called for, charges being made of fraud in the system of weighing mails by which the railroads had robbed the people of \$70,000,000.

The House Committee on Appropriations reported a pension bill which abolishes all agencies in outside cities and consolidates payments in a central distributing agency in Washington.

### GETTING HIS.

"Of course you don't want anything you are not entitled to," said the conscientious man.

"Of course not," answered Senator Sorghum; "but I will incidentally re-I am entitled to."-Washington Star.

## FINANCE AND TRADE REVIEW The

DUN'S WEEKLY SUMMARY.

Trade Reports Show That the Process of Readjustment Will Consume Considerable Time.

New York .- R. G. Dun & Co.'s

weekly review of trade says; Trade reports indicate a little more activity and the percentage of idle machinery decreases, but more reductions in wages and dividends show that the process of readjust-ments will take some time. Weather conditions in all sections facilitate the distribution of seasonable wearing apparel and house furnishings, improving sentiment, yet retailers are not disposed to replenish stocks be yond the business actually in sight.

More business is slowly coming to the steel mills, but expectations of lower prices has postponed many or ders that soon will be placed. Pig fron is extremely quiet, more inquir-ies being noted than last month, but little actual business is placed. Coke ovens increase output slowly, although normal activity waits for similar conditions at iron furnaces. Railway interests are slowly increas-ing purchases of locomotives, cars and other equipment, but this de-partment and other heavy lines of steel are much quieter than the light er forms, such as wire and wire products, tin plate and pipe.

"Building operations have not re-vived as rapidly as we had hoped." "In the textile industry the most significant development is the unanimity with which cotton mills, es-pecially in New England, have announced a 10 per cent reduction in wages to take effect at the end of this month. Jobbers report restricted orders and there is also complaint regading collections. The export trade in cottons lack feature. As to woolens, the slight improvement noted last week, has continued, but trade is still light, and chiefly in colored worsteds.

"Inactivity continues in the New England footwear industry, factories running on short time, as a rule. Many cities report an output of 40 per cent full capacity, and shipments through Boston are about 25 per cent below those of a year age. Leather below those of a year ago. Leather is more active, although some lines are dull, and many tanneries are practically shut down. A firmer feeling in the hide market is not nocompanied by many actual changes in prices, but larger sales have re-duced packers' stocks."

### MARKETS.

### PITTSBURG.

Wheat—No. 2 red.  Rye—No. 2.  Corn—No. 2 yellow, ear.  No. 2 yellow, shelied.  Mixed ear.  Oats—No. 2 white.  No. 3 white.  Flour—Winter patent.  Fancy straight winters.  Hay—No. 1 Timothy.  Clover No. 1.  Feed—No. 1 white mid. ton.  Brown middlings.  Bran, bulk.  Straw—Wheat.  Oat.	97 66 64 68 51 57 4 65 4 65 15 00 15 00 25 50 9 50 9 50	91 67 65 67 65 67 65 67 65 67 65 67 65 67 65 67 65 67 65 67 65 67 67 67 67 67 67 67 67 67 67 67 67 67
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LIVE STOCK.

### Union Stock Yards, Pittsburg. Cattle.

Extra, 1,450 to 1,600 lbs 3 5	00 6 10
Prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs	
Good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs	65 5 73
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President Roosevelt has done well,

thinks the Springfield Republican, to urge that more ample provision be made for members of the life-saving service. Justice and humanity alike call for the care of men in that dangerous employ who may be injured in the line of duty, and for their families in case of death. The perils of the service and the heroism of it are well set forth by the President.

Another attempt has falled to wrest from the sands of the Mexican shore mark that I aways have the best legal talent available to ascertain what I am entitled to."—Washington Star. line the treasure supposed to be ly-

# General Demand

of the Well-Informed of the World has always been for a simple, pleasant and efficient liquid laxative remedy of known value; a laxative which physicians could sanction for family use because its component parts are known to them to be wholesome and truly beneficial in effect, acceptable to the system and gentle, yet

prompt, in action. In supplying that demand with its excellent combination of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, the California Fig Syrup Co. proceeds along ethical lines and relies on the merits of the laxative for its remarkable success.

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Astor Aids Oxford. William Walderf Aster originally promised \$50,000 when the Oxford University endowment fund reached \$500,000; he now promises to give \$100,000 when the fund reaches this amount. The present total of the fund is \$375,000.

Piles Cured in 8 to 14 Days. Pazo Ointment is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

### The Automobile.

No one doubts that the automobile has come to stay. There is every indication that its use will be increasingly great. Its introduction may force changes in methods of road building in the cities. In the meantime, however, if any special devices used in connection with it are shown to be particularly damaging to road surfaces the manufacturers should have their attention called to the need of different mechanism for accom-plishing the purpose for which these devices have been employed.—Chicago Tribune.

### Billion Dellar Grass.

Most remarkable grass of the century. Good for three rousing crops annually.

One Iowa farmer on 100 acres sold \$3,\$00.00 worth of seed and had 300 tons of
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dry soil luxuriator, Victoria Rape, the 20c
a ten green food produces, Silver King
Barley yielding 173 bu. per sere, etc., etc.,
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And if you send lie we will add a pack-age of new farm seed never before seen by you. John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis. A. C. L.

Platitudes. The troubles from which the country is now suffering are due to an assumption that the old platitudes longer apply-that we can violate their teachings and yet escape consequen-If we had nailed to the mast the one sentence, "Ignorance and sus-picion breed distrust and cannot provide remedies," and had intelligently acted in accord therewith, most of the Americans now seeking work would be at work. If during the last two years our public officers had been as zealous not to disturb honest enterprise as to stamp out dishonest practices more smoke today would be coming out of mill chimneys. have been devotees at the altar of half the truth with the usual and inevitable result.-New York Globe.

### DEEP CRACKS FROM ECZEMA

Could Lay Slate-Pencil in One— Hands in Dreadful State—Disease Defied Treatment for 7 Years -Cared by Cuticura.

"I had eczema on my hands for about seven years and during that time I had used several so-called remedies, together with physicians' and druggists' prescriptions. The discase was so bad on my hands that I could lay a slate-pencil in one of the cracks and a rule placed across the hand would not touch the pencil. I kept using remedy after remedy, and while some gave partial relief, none relieved as much as did the first box of Cuticura Ointment I made a purchase of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and my hands were perfectly cured after two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and one cake of Soap were used. V H. Dean, Newark, Del., Mar. 28, 1907."

John Brown's wagon, in which he made many pilgrimages during his crusade against slavery, was burned at Iowa City, Iowa, Thursday.

There is need for Garfield Tea when the skin is sallow, the tongue coated, and when headaches are frequent.

On the eastern coast of Africa there is a body of cavalry mounted on oxen. The beasts are lean creatures and move with surprising agility.

H. H. Green's Sons, of Attunta, Ga., are the only successful Dropay Specialists in the word. See their fiberal offer in netertise-ment in another column of this paper.

Prince Luitpole, Regent of Bava

celebrated his 87th birthday Thursday. Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never fails. At druggists.

Fraudulent vendors of everlasses are overrunning New York, and are being driven there from other states.

DROPSY NEW DISCOVERY

### HAPPIEST MAN ON EARTH

Has No Cares and No Anxiety for

Future Events. Johann Schmid, who lives in a cottage in the village of Suhr, in the canton of Argovie, Switzerland, has had painted across the front of his dwelling in large letters the sentence; "Here lives the happlest man on

earth.

Schmid, who is 55 years of age, said to an interviewer; "I defy you find a happier man than myself. "I defy you to have never worked, never married, never been ill, and have never been anxious for the future. I eat well, drink well, and sleep well, more would you have?"

When in his teens Schmid was left by his father an income of about £1 week and a small piece of land. He built his cottage on the land, and has occupied it ever since.

### Bequest Refused.

The French Academy refused the 20,000 bequeathed to it by Mile it by Mile. Louise H. Leclerc, who died in New York last year, to be used, according to the terms of her will, in "raising" the moral tone of France." The Academy holds the acceptance of this fund would be tantamount to admit-ting the opinion of the testatrix, who regarded her native country as a sink of iniquity.

FITS, St. Vitus'Dance: Nervous Diseases per-manently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nervo-Restorer. \$2 trial bottle and treatise free. Dr. H. R. Kline, Ld., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

### Regeneration by Mandamus.

A Kansas man has brought suit against the pastor of a church at Paola because the parson refused to admit him as a member of his flock Here is an object lesson for religious workers everywhere. If men can get into the church by legal proceedings. why not resort to the injunction and the mandamus to lure the unregenerated from their wayward paths?-Kansas City Star.

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That is Laxative Bromo Quinine. Look
for the signature of E. W. Grove. Used the
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### Instructions Literally Followed.

A traveling salesman died very sud His relatives telegraphed the undertaker to make a wreath, the rib-bon to be extra wide, with the in-scription. "Rest in Peace" on both sides, and (if room) "We Shall Meet in Heaven."

The undertaker was out of town and his new assistant handled the job. It was as startling floral piece which turned up at the funeral. The ribbon was extra wide and bore the inscrip-"Rest in Peace on Both Sides and if There is Room We Shall Meet in Heaven."—Los Angeles Times,

### Pepper Cultivation.

The cultivation of pepper is officially reported to be continually extending in the province of Coorg, where it is said to be gradually replacing coffee in abandoned areas.

STATE OF UNIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, SS.

LUCAS COUNTY,
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aloresaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
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### Self-Judgment. A man cannot speak but he judge

himself. With his will or against his will, he draws his portrait to the eye of his companions by every word. Every opinion reacts on him ters it. It is a thread ball thrown at a mark. Or rather, it is a harpoon thrown at a whale, unwinding, as it flies, a coil of cord in the boat; and if the harpoon is not good, or not well thrown, it will go nigh to cut the steersman in twain or to sink the boat.-Emerson.



How many American women in lonely homes to-day long for this blessing to come into their lives, and to be able to utter these words, but because of some organic derange-ment this happiness is denied them.

Every woman interested in this subject should know that preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by the use of LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S

VEGETABLE COMPOUND Mrs. Maggie Gilmer, of West Union, S. C., writes to Mrs. Pinkham: "I was greatly run-down in health from a weakness peculiar to my sex, when Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetabi-Compound was recommended to me. It not only restored me to perfect health, but to my delight I am a mother."

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