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# EDITORIAL.

A HERO WORSHIPPER. THE Evening Post of N. Y. (Ind.) is never happy unless prone on its wonderful mosale of browns so like by saying if he had not borrowed distance the fiah is scarcely distinthe money (by bond issues in 1896) guishable, there would be none in the Treasury to-day, except the small amount received from Pacific railroads, and that the 50 millions appropriated by Congress for national defense could not have been raised unless borrowed by the sale of bonds. It says the silly boasting about it as a surplus is purely mendacious, and that it is borrowed money left over from Mr. Cleveland's administration, Mr. Cannon, chairman of the committee on appropiations, is declared a falsifier and perverter of the truth, for saying In his speech that the money was in the Treasury without resorting to further taxation. In the midst of all this it says we have one man among us, (Mr. C.) who after having done his duty, and deserved well of the republic, can hear being lied about without a sign of amusement. Why of course, that great and good man is now too busy at Princeton trying to make it easy for young men to obtain all the "liker" they want without extra trouble. He is simply carrying his public philanthropy into details, adding a few more gems to his diadem as it were, while the Post sings the sweet psalm of his life. Shades of Bryant, to what a state have the mighty fallon.

The one member of the People's there. Party National Committee from Inthe people by sinking its individual- hip pocket. ity in the Democraticgparty has Dante made one mistake, H

#### The Fish's Color. It is a familiar fact that fishes can

shange their colors at will; many fishes make remarkable changes. Free swimming fishes most commonly preserve their normal colors. though these fishes can change ; the OFFICE, BROWN'S BUILDING, BROAD ST. fishes that change most are the bottom feeders. For their own pro-

> food, these change their colors to match the bottom they are on, so as to make themselves invisible.

They do this often to a degree that seems extraordinary. In one of the smaller salt water

ish white, a sort of pale ironrust color. The flat fish lying on the gravel at

that is marvelous; they are of a mottled brown, like the color of the gravel, and the smallest of the flat fish is the most wonderful. They are all thin and lie close to one blends with it; and its back is a

#### J. F. Kilgour Wins

In the suit brought by J. F.Kilgour against W. E. Scott and the National Bank of Port Jervis in the Circuit numerous stories as to what Euro-Court for the Southern District of New York' arising ort of transactions connected with the Blue stone business in which Kilgour claimed that amounts alleged to be due by him to the bank were incorrect and the he did not owe the amount char e against him, and that the cash book agreed to be turned over to him i the settlement was not deliveral. for an accunting generally, has been fair to take what action we please decided in favor of Kilgour. All of the legal questions have recently to do it. This is no spreadcagleism, been decided in his favor and the but plain, everyday patriotism, amount of alleged indebtedness of the which is shared by every American bank to him has been sent to a master to compute.

W. S. Bennett. Esq., of N. Y. has been indefatigable in the case and with untiring perseverence labored that special \$50,000,000 emergency in behalf of his client. The result appropriation, President McKinley is a compliment to his skill and ability.

Reflections of a Bachelor. Every man is a bitter pessimist when he has a boil. The average woman thinks there

will be no marrying in heaven because there won't be any bachelors

You can generally tell how much yard, but upon a different class of diana who held that the People's a girl knows by whether she acts cur- work. During the war this was party could do greatest service to ious about what a man carries in his strictly a Navy Yard ; now it is only

## WASHINGTON LETTER. vice that these negotiations be pro-

EPORT OF THE NAVAL COURT. THE PRESIDENT WILL NOT BE INFLUENCED BY STORIES. ACTIVITY IN OUN SHOPS. THE RECIPROCITY TREATY WITH English, these Commissioners are

WASHINGTON, March 21, 1898. There is no cooler man in Washington than President McKinley although his is the greatest individ-

ual responsibility in deciding what action shall be taken upon the report of the Naval Court of Inquiry. That report will probably be receiv tanks at the New York Aquarium week. Opinion differs as to whether ed in a day or two, certainly this there are a number of flat fish. The the report will be at once sent to bottom of the tank is covered with Congress and made public. Senator coarse gravel. The great bulk of Chandler, whose relations with the gravel is composed of pables a brown President are such that his opinion is as good as that of any other man, and his family is unexcelled. It is Scattered in this are pebles of a deep- said : "It is barely possible that the 5.00 er tinge, with now and then one of character of the document may be such as to render it inexpedient to the bottom of the tank insitates its give it out until Congress can be colors in their own backs in a way gradually made aware of its contents. If, for instance, it indicates beyond a doubt the official culpability of the Spaniards in connec tion with the Maine disaster, it would not be wise to place Congress with these two popers you can keep the bottom. The edge of the little in immediate possession of the facts officially, for fear that war would be declared instantaneously, front anatomy before the great Gro- the gravel of the surrounding bot- and without due regard for all the ver. In a late article it fulsomely tom that it appears to be part of it. conditions." One thing is certain, crowds toward the stuffed prophet Even in this clear water, at a little Congress and the public will have the report at the earliest moment it any proprietary medicine 1 have "50 YEARS can be given out without detriment

> to public interest. Another certainty is, that President McKinley will not allow himself to be influenced by any of the Fla. Physicans like Chamberlain's pean nutious may think that he dy because it is a scientific prepara should do, but will not solely in the tion, and because it gives quick relief. interest of the national honor of Get a bottle at Armstrong's drug the U.S., without regard to the store. robable approval or disapproval of AMBRIDISIN STREET is action by any European power

r powers. The Maine was our hip, the Court that made the invesination and report was composed of our Naval officers, and it is our afupon that report, and we are going whose heart is in the right place.

Congress and the country will be furnished an itemized statement showing every cent expended from having directed the preparation of a of a special form of requisition for these funds, which must be signed by the President himself before they can be honored, and the opening of special emergency account in the books of the Treasury.

The gun shop in the Washington Navy Yard reminds old timers of the war time activity in the same

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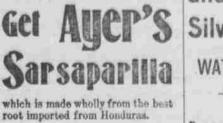
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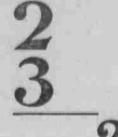
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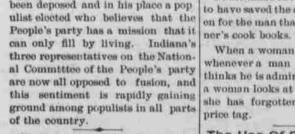
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Foreign manufacturers continue to invest money in manufacturing establishments in the United States, now that they have investigated the Dingley protective tariff law. A new silk mill at South Bethlehem, Pa., another at Patterson, N.J., a dress goods plant at Athenia, N. J., a velveteen mill at Myatic, Conn. and other establishments of this charactar in which foreign capital will give employment to American workmen, are announced as among the business developments since the enactment of the new tariff law, and others are to follow. mosphere.

The Minnesota Populists do uot take kindly to the fusion proposition which a few office holders in Washington cooked up to insure their own re-election. The gentleman who visited them the other day to promote fusion were coldly received, and the committee called a meeting of a State convention for June 15, the chairman in issning the call for the convention giving no approval of fusion, but announcing that it was the sense of the committee that the integrity of the People's party should

Rook, Ark : "I was suffering from the curse that had been effected by concluded to give it a trial and is have the me prompt relief, and I have the rel Merchants in Pfke Co."

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prising paper the Government has recently published is the report for The Use Of Disinfectants. 1897 of Hon. A. P. Greeley, Acting

The constant burdening of the air Commissioner of Patents. A synof a house in which people are living opsis has been printed in some of with all manner of disinfectants, is the newspapers, but, owing perhaps not the thing to do. If a patient is to so much war news, it was so insuffering from a malodorous disease complete as to give very little idea he should, if possible, be placed in a of what this valuable document, room which may be shut off from which will doubtless be translated the rest of the house, and be given and read by thousands abroad, conplenty of fresh air ; while even then tains ; it must be read as a whole to the apartment and everything con- be appreciated. Inventors, patentnected with it should be kept as ees, manufacturers, capitalists, and fresh and sweet as possible. It is publicists, who wish to understand never necessary to keep the sick the greatness of American industry room in such a condition that a well and how indissolubly it is associated person can scarcely broathe the at- with the patent system of the U. S. should read this pamphlet, which Populists, individually and in may be obtained free by addressing conventions all over the country, a request for it to the Commission

are rejecting the fusion proposition or of Patents, Washington, D. C. which chairmen Butler and the other | The three Commissioners appointchairmen with whom he co-oper- ed by the Cuban Cabinet to act with ating for selfish purposes proposed the Spanish Minister in negotiating in their joint addresses two weeks a reciprocity treaty to this country ago. Butler comes to the front were presented to Secretary Shernow with a statement that he is not man to-day, by the Spanish Minister, favoring fusion. but"fair and hon- and later they called on Hon. John orable co-operation " Everybody A. Kasson, who has charge of the knows, however, that he openly interests of this country in all reciworked agains the Populists' tickets procity negotiations. They ex-







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