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Chili and Argentine are almost at war over a disputed boundary of the line fence variety. The line between the two nations is the top ridge of the Cordilleras and relates to but small tracts of almost inaccessible mountain heights entirely valueless for any human purpose.

But as the people of the United States are interested, and as the war with Spain figures in the case, a review of the facts may be timely. The dispute as to the right of ownership in these Andean summits and precipices has been of long duration. At frequent intervals it has appeared to be almost irreconcilable. But from time to time negotiations have been patched up with prospects of a peaceful result.

What was supposed to be a final treaty of arbitration was concluded in 1896. President Cleveland was the arbitrator. It was agreed that if either country was dissatisfied with his award an appeal should be taken to "his aunt" the queen of England. As the trial of arbitration proceeded there were almost open ruptures, and neither nation is satisfied with the award. That part about the queen of the hated British was too much for the Castilians to stomach, and they can't be blamed very much. So neither side has become so exasperated as to appeal the case.

Yet each nation has consequently been constantly prepared for war. It was this state of affairs which prevented Chili from selling the fine armored cruiser O'Higgins to the United States before the outbreak of the war. Chili would not sell the O'Higgins unless Argentine would sell a vessel of equal power, leaving the relative naval strength of the two nations unchanged.

There is a large and powerful Spanish party in Argentine, under the influence of which the government of that country refused to sell any of its vessels to the United States. This broke off the trade with Chili for the O'Higgins. A subsequent rumor that the vessel was to be sold to Spain proved unfounded. It is to be hoped that the two South American republics will not go to war. If the Monroe doctrine is to be maintained it is essential that there should be peace between the nations which claim the shield of its protection.

Chili, which has been a gold country, recently suspended gold payments for thirty days, and the time is likely to be extended. This was for the purpose of preventing gold exports, which usually begin when there is a prospect of war. It is a measure of precaution and warning and may have some such an effect as demonstration of strength by sea or land when negotiations between powerful nations reach an acute stage. In such cases a powerful bluff often produces the best results.

DUDES AND "MOTHER'S BOYS."

If the unfortunate people who gloat over sensational romances can be wooed to read anything else—for instance, true tales of daring deeds—the events of the present war may tend to dispel certain of their illusions and supply them with some new ideals.

These students of ferocious fiction have always imagined heroes as rough in appearance and manner; careless, if not profane, in speech, and not at all strict as to habits. They have appeared to cherish the notion that bravery flourished best when unaccompanied by any other virtue.

It will surprise such persons to learn that, long ago, the hero of Manila was nicknamed by his intimates, "Dandy Dewey." Stranger yet—so, at least, they may think—the young lieutenant who took the Merrimac into Santiago harbor was always proud to be known as a "mother boy." Both of these officers are members of the church, and Hobson was an active worker in the Young Men's Christian Association.

These are facts that may make silly people wonder. But the people who have studied character as expressed in human lives are not surprised that men like Dewey and Hobson were first to gain renown. All experience teaches that, when hoodlums would bluster and run away, the man who rises to an emergency is the quiet, modest, God-fearing gentleman who respects his body and realizes that he has a soul.

Castigation.

"Don't you think this country ought to have extended the olive branch to Spain?" asked the man with queer ideas. "It did," was the prompt answer. The difficulty was that the only way to make any impression was to strip the leaves off it and put it where it would hurt."—Washington Star.

His Experience.

Mrs. Younglove—"Do you think absence really makes the heart grow fonder, Harold?" Mr. Younglove—"I guess it does. At all events, you are about twice as dear to me when you're away at one of those high-priced summer hotels as when you're at home."—Chicago News.

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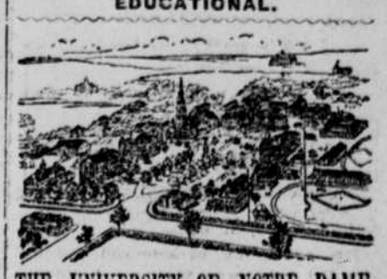

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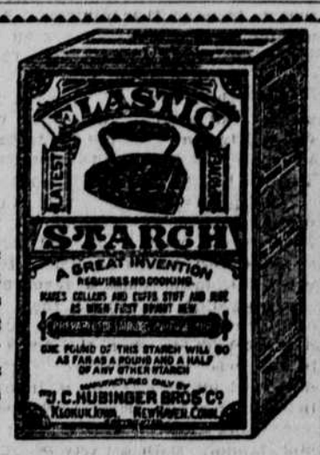

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