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Mrs. Cleveland has pinned a red handkerchief to the flag that waves from her red top home and the people seem to think that it is a sign that the establishment is about to be put up to the highest bidder. Occasionally some posted democrat explains that it is her bandanna.—*Ex.*

An inventive genius at Pocatongo, Ind., grinds cornstarch and prairie grass together and moistens them with water. When this compound is reduced to a pulp he presses it into blocks twelve inches long and four inches thick. When these are thoroughly dried they burn readily, and it is claimed give more heat than the same amount of soft coal.

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Adolph Sutro, the California millionaire, who is preparing to make a present of his handsome property at cliff house to the city of San Francisco, was poor and unknown a few years ago. He conceived the idea of the Sutro tunnel, succeeded in borrowing enough money to interest capitalists in the venture, formed a company with a capital of \$30,000,000, built the tunnel and is now worth several millions.

John Wanamaker's brother has been giving some reminiscences of the boyhood of the great Philadelphia merchant. His first work was done in the clothing store of Barclay Lippincott, where he received a salary of 1.50 a week, all of which he gave to his mother. His dinner, when he had any, consisted of a piece of pie and a glass of milk, costing two cents. Each year his salary increased and at the time he was 20 he had saved \$200.

A WARNING.
The modes of death's approach are various and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from diseases of the throat and lungs than any other. It is probable that everyone without exception, receives vast numbers of tubercle germs into the system and when these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly and is shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the lungs, producing consumption and to the lungs, causing cough. Now all this is dangerous and if allowed to proceed will in time cause death. At the onset you will find a dry cough; allowing a cold to go without attention is dangerous and may lose your life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your throat, lungs or nostrils, obtain a bottle of **Booth's German Syrup**. It will give you immediate relief.

Zach Mulhall, a well-known Texas herder, has started his only son in business at an early age. The son, Logan Mulhall, has reached the mature age of six years and three months, and yet he is the sole owner of 100 head of cattle that bear his brand, a bunch of horses, a Winchester rifle and revolver, made to order, and which he can handle well, and during this Spring he has every day ridden a line of more than three miles around his herd.

Forty years ago Sussman Rothschild and his brother Joseph came to this country from Germany. Sussman went to San Francisco and made a fortune, while Joseph settled in New Haven, Conn. Last week Sussman reached New Haven from California. He had not seen his brother for twenty-three years. But fate stepped in and prevented the meeting, for Joseph Rothschild was buried just one day before his brother arrived at the City of Elms.

BRACE UP.
You are feeling depressed, your appetite is poor, you are bothered with headache, you are slightly nervous, and generally out of sorts, and want to brace up. Brace up, but not with stimulants, spring medicines or bitters, which have for their basis very cheap, bad whiskey, and which stimulate you for an hour, and then leave you in worse condition than before. What you want is an alternative that purifies your blood, start healthy action of Liver and Kidneys, restore your vitality, and give renewed health and strength. Such a medicine you will find in **Electric Bitters** and only 50 cents a bottle at A. F. Streitz's Drug Store.

Professor E. S. Morse has set a price of \$100,000 on his collection of Japanese pottery, said to be the best in the world, not excepting any in Japan. But if Boston wants it she can have it for \$80,000. Professor Morse being willing to throw off the \$20,000 if the collection remains at the Hub. It is said to be a marvel of complete and systematic classification, covering the ground historically from the earliest prehistoric pottery down to the work of living men, by provinces, by makers, by forms, and by types of work.

Speaking of the Australian sheepherder, a recent writer says: As a rule the bushman drinks tea, for he finds this the most wholesome and refreshing drink and the most portable. Of course, on occasions large quantities of whiskey are consumed, but bushmen, as a class, are temperate. The horses on a station are rough looking, but possess great endurance, frequently carry their riders one hundred and twenty and one hundred and forty miles in a day. Men wear riding breeches, top boots, flannel shirts and soft felt hats.

The Commercial Travelers' Protective Association, of the United States, has a membership of over sixteen thousand and is probably the strongest association of the kind in the world. Mr. John H. Stone, their Nat'l Sec'y and Treas., 79 Dearborn St., Chicago, in a letter states that he has been severely troubled at times, for the past twenty years, with cramp and bilious colic which would compel him to take to his bed from three to six days. While in St. Louis at his last annual meeting he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and has since used it with the best results. It is the only remedy he ever found that effected a rapid and complete cure. No one can safely travel without it. Sold by F. H. Longley.

The Democratic press has begun to dance jigs on the Republican platform. They may be amused by their clattering self-made accompaniment, but they cannot shake the platform: its foundations are too firm to be moved by such gymnastics.

The recent visit of Mr. Carl Schurz to Berlin has given the papers occasion to mention the fact that Herr Leddihn, his partner in the heroic deed of his youth, the deliverance of the poet Kinkel from the fortress of Spandau, is now a member of the Municipal Council of Berlin. Herr Leddihn was a baker in Spandau, and it was he who in his wagon hurried Kinkel and Schurz in the direction of the Mecklenburg frontier.

\$25.00 Reward.
The above reward will be paid for any case of rheumatism not benefited by Bellard's Snow Lintment. There is no pain it will not subside, no wound it will not heal. It is the most penetrating liniment known for all pain, for man or beast it stands without parallel. Ladies who have headache should never be without it. Price 50 cents. C. W. Price Agent.

The grasshoppers are reported to be in devastating numbers in southern Indiana, eating everything green. It seems to be a mystery of no mean proportions. Where did they come from? Hitherto the different invasions have been headed from the northwest, and Dakota has been the initial point of their depredations. Probably these 'hoppers are of another nationality.

The farmers are told by the free trade advocates that the protective tariff robs them by increasing the cost of almost everything they have to buy, but they wilfully or ignorantly neglect to state in the same connection that nearly everything that the farmers raise is protected by this same tariff. If it increases the cost the farmers ought to be satisfied, because they invariably sell more than they buy.

Their Business Booming.
Probably no thing has caused a general revival of trade at A. F. Streitz's Drug Store as their giving away to their customers of so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints. Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can test it before buying by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted.

Secretary Endicott has given a large order for army blankets to an English manufacturer whose bid was thirty cents lower than his American competitors. By not paying any duty to itself the government gets the goods slightly below cost in this country. American enterprises and labor are left in the lurch, and the price of the blankets goes out of the country. From this instance the people can learn the results of "free trade." No doubt there are many who will argue that the secretary acted in the best interests of the country. Some how or other the present administration seems to be in love with Great Britain and everything that is English. She may suit Mr. Cleveland and his cabinet, but the people do not endorse such a course.—*Ex.*

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Freddie Gebhardt and Mrs. Lillie Langtry are to be married in September. This is definite and certain. They have long been betrothed, and public rumor has mated them, but Mrs. Langtry will not much before the time mentioned be legally free from her present husband. That has been the only reason that Gebhardt and the beautiful actress have not been wedded long ere this. Her husband refused several offers, made through the law firm of Howe & Hummel, of a portion of her wealth if he would consent to a separation. He declined all these propositions, and took good care that she should not have the only ground valid in the state of New York on which to obtain a divorce. He is now a hotel-keeper at an English seaside resort, and it is five years since he and his wife have met. At length Mrs. Langtry, while in San Francisco last year, acquired real estate there, and made the city her legal residence. That now enables her to put forward a suit for divorce, and this will to a certainty make her a free woman in August. Any hitch in the proceedings will be entirely unexpected, and the couple are advised that none is possible.

A few days ago an entertainment took place at North Bend, the leading feature of which was to be singing and other varieties of music. The *Flail* speaks of the feast of reason as follows: "On Friday afternoon it was learned that the broken winded, ring boned, sway backed, sore nosed republican and prohibition rack of bones Wolfenbarger was to be run in on the crowd under the wing of singers. Disapprobation and disgust knew no bounds." Bro. Wolfenbarger does not seem to be meeting with the hearty encouragement he so richly deserves as he proceeds with his great and glorious work. But an occasional heartfelt tribute like the above will serve to show him that warm and trusting hearts still yearn for him, and that the good people of Nebraska appreciate him for all he is worth. It doesn't cost much of an effort, either.—*Topics.*

An amusing story is told of the Rev. Myron Reed, of Colorado, who two years ago ran as the Democratic Congressional candidate in that state. It seems that during the canvass the reverend gentleman was interrupted in the midst of a public prayer by a man who shouted "Louder!" Reed stopped short, looked at the interrupter and said coolly: "I wasn't addressing you, sir. I was addressing the Almighty." Then he went on with his prayer.

Pretty Women.
All women look attractive when their color and complexion is clear. If your skin is sallow eyes dull, you are bilious, secure a box of Williams' Australian Herb Pills, take as directed, and the feeling of languor will leave you, your eyes brighten, and you are another woman. C. W. Price, Agent.

One is always hearing of men and women who go away from home to have a good time; whereas the proper place for a good time is right in the home. The ways of having them are as many as the sands of the sea; but there is one reliable method for having a "time," and that is to do something to please another member of the family rather than yourself. A little exhibition of unselfish affection, a favor extended, a reasonable indulgence granted may start a train of events which will brighten a whole day and make an evening merry. It involves less trouble and far more fun than a picnic.—*Interior.*

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The present administration seems determined to impair the mail service. A proviso has been injected in the appropriation bill now pending in congress, that the cost of rent, light and heat for any 3rd class post office shall not exceed \$300 per year. As there are many towns and cities in which the items stated cannot be procured for the sum named, the result must be inefficient service and accommodations. This recalls the fact that in 1873 when the democracy obtained control of the house of representatives, they so reduced the appropriations that some of the post offices in the country were entirely without light and fuel, and the Federal courts were without the pecuniary means of transacting their business duties. And then the democracy went before the country with a fare of trumpets and tin horns, proclaiming that they had done in the way of economy. The next year the deficiencies had all to be made up, and the result was an expense to the government in excess of what it would cost to have acted honorably and decently in the first place. Democratic economy is a fraud.

AN EXPLANATION.
What's this "nervous trouble" with which so many now seem to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown—50-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the liver which in performing its functions find that it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, malaria, bilious fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous.

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