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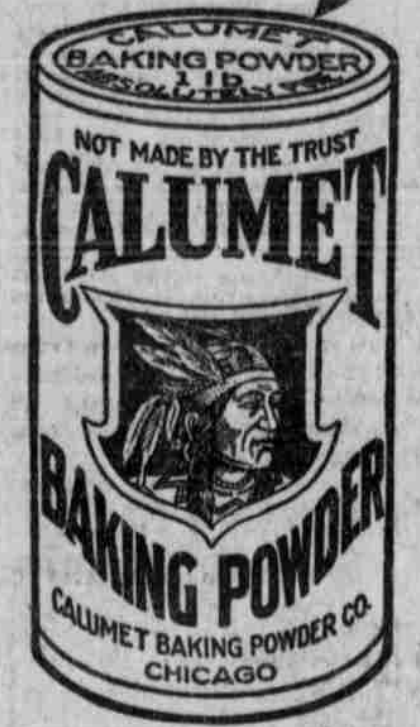
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### BABY'S GIFT FROM HIS PAPA

Inheritance for Which Mother Did Not Seem to Be in Any Great Degree Thankful.

Richard Harding Davis, at a football game in Philadelphia, praised the voices of the young undergraduates shouting their weird college yells.

"It makes me think of a Locust street bride," said Mr. Davis, smiling. "She turned to her husband one night at dinner and remarked:

"My dear, the first time I saw you was at Franklin Field. Your head was thrown back, your mouth wide open and your face was very red—you were yelling your college yell."

"Yes, I remember," said the young man.

"And I noticed," she continued, "what a remarkable voice you had."

"Yes, you spoke of it at the time," said he. "But what makes you think of it now?"

"Oh, nothing," said the bride. "Only I wish the baby hadn't inherited it. That's all."

On the Senators.

The wit of Bishop Seth Ward amuses Nashville frequently.

Bishop Ward, in company with two senators, came forth from a Nashville reception the other day and entered a motor car.

"Ah, bishop," said one of his companions, "you are not like your master. He was content to ride an ass."

"Yes, and so should I be," Bishop Ward answered, "but there's no such animal to be got nowadays. They make them all senators."

Get Out of the Habit.

"I see you have got a young man stenographer?"

"Yes."

"Don't you think a pretty girl stenographer adds a great deal to the attractiveness of an office?"

"I suppose she does," but I can't dictate to a woman somehow. I s'pose it's because I have been married so long."

Somehow the average mother doesn't think she is doing her duty unless she spoils her children.

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## NEEDS WAR SINEWS

Young Turk Party Seeking Cash in This Country.

Only by an Appeal to Arms Against Greece Can Party Maintain Itself, and It Needs the Money to Prosecute War.

New York.—Sir Ernest Cassel arrived in New York recently on a mission of such grave importance that its issue will be watched not merely with interest, but with anxiety, in every capital of the Old World. It is a mission to the great money kings of New York, on the outcome of which depends the question of the peace of Europe. Upon their shoulders will rest the principal burden of responsibility in the matter.

Turkey is bent upon war with Greece. The new regime at Constantinople is being forced to embark upon this struggle, in order to protect itself from overthrow by revolution. The war with Greece is vital to its existence. For it is only by an appeal to arms, against a foreign foe, that the Young Turk party, which has been in control of affairs on the shores of the Bosphorus ever since the deposition of Sultan Abdul Hamid, can unite under one flag all the various discordant elements of the Ottoman empire, each one of which is either in full insurrection against the Sublime Porte, or else on the verge of rebellion.

But the Turks cannot embark upon a war against Greece without money. The latter they do not possess. For Ottoman finances are in a more parlous state today than during the reign of Sultan Abdul Hamid. In fact, the treasury at Stamboul is empty, and nowadays military operations are impossible without money.

Turkey has no war treasure. It has frittered away the funds which it managed to recover from the ex-Sultan, having nothing to show in return but a couple of second-hand armored cruisers which Germany sold last summer to the Porte for cash down.

Moreover, the vast majority of the people of the Ottoman empire seem to have become imbued with the conviction that the downfall of Abdul Hamid, the revival of the constitution and the inauguration of forms of



The Imperial Ottoman Bank.

government which "popular," relieved them of all further obligation to pay taxes and they refuse to pay any at all.

Heretofore, whenever Turkey has stood in need of money it has usually been able to obtain it through the Imperial Ottoman Bank at Constantinople from the French money market. But the Young Turk party found the Imperial Ottoman Bank blocking their way in every direction, and it was in order to escape from the domination of the concern in question that they induced Sir Ernest Cassel to found the National Bank of Turkey at Constantinople.

Now Sir Ernest, unsuccessful in borrowing in Europe the \$50,000,000 the Young Turk party wants as a war fund, is trying to get it in this country.

### THE CONFEDERACY'S SECRET

Trusted to Negro by President Jefferson Davis and Will Never Be Known.

Richmond, Va.—During the closing days of the civil war, when the prospective collapse of the confederate government became a certainty, Jefferson Davis, president of the southern states, summoned his bodyguard and personal servant, James H. Jones, a negro, at the southern capital in Richmond, and said:

"James, I hereby hand you, solemnly and sacredly, the seal of the Confederate States of America. The southern government is about to fall. This seal, which we must and do hold sacred and undefinable, must be secreted where no man in future shall profane it by public gaze and examination. I hereby charge you with this seal's disappearance. Hide it, and let no man know where it is. Tell not even me. And let the secret die with you."

Jones, an intelligent and faithful negro, accepted the task. And to this day he has fulfilled it with sacred fidelity. The seal, an enormous silver affair, which had been made in England and imported through the federal blockade of the south, he secreted today, as an employee of the stationery room of the United States senate and seventy-five years old, he tells the story, with this detail. But to no farther point of narrative can he be induced to go. The secret will die with him.

# NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS

## American Gibraltar in Manila Bay



WASHINGTON.—About two years hence if passengers on steamers entering Manila harbor and passing between the several small islands that guard the principal port of the Philippines should inquire with indifferent interest as to the name and use of a small dun-colored rock, hardly discernible any distance away and looking much like an irregular shaped houseboat floating on the ocean, they will be told that they are looking at El Fraile Island. Perhaps, also, they will be told that the little island, scarce two hundred feet square, is the most diabolically effective fortification of its size in the world.

For eighteen months army engineers have been directing the work of fortifying what is intended as the backbone or keystone of the strong defenses in Manila harbor. They have resorted to a plan suggested by a young engineer officer after their superiors had thrown up their hands in despair at the prospect of attempting to fortify the rock which showed its head above the water for so small an area. It involves the leveling of the island almost to the surface of the sea and erecting a structure in the form of a battleship deck stripped for action. The artificial fortifying will be of steel and cement.

The defenses of Manila bay entrance present the most picturesque as well as the most complete set of fortifications Uncle Sam possesses. Stretching across the mouth of the harbor are a series of islands. The largest of these islands and the one which will be used as a base of supplies for the others is Corregidor, from which the first hostile gun was directed against Admiral Dewey's fleet in 1898. On Corregidor the army is installing a 24 company post. Warehouses of a capacity to contain supplies for a whole year for 20,000 men have been built. This island is considered impregnable from the sea side.

But the most interesting of all the islands is the El Fraile, at present a tiny rock rising in a pinnacle 180 feet above the bay. The shape of the island will, as stated, be changed by means of steel and concrete walls which will extend below the water line, to resemble the hull of a battleship. No section of the island ground will be exposed to fire. It will be surrounded and covered over by steel and concrete walls, about fifty feet thick on the sides and almost solid steel on the top. On the surface of this "deck" two turrets will be placed, each turret containing two 14-inch guns. Besides the four large guns, four six-inch rapid-fire rifles will be placed in embrasures at the seaward end, and like batteries of small guns will be placed at other points of advantage. Quarters will be provided for only a sufficient number of men to work the guns and machinery. The cost of this powerful little fortress, the most dangerous fort of its size on earth, will be \$3,000,000, guns, walls, turrets and all.

### Treasury Building Is Overcrowded



When the small army of architects and artisans has finished the work now in progress on the United States treasury building, the beautiful old structure will show the first material change since 1869. Architecturally it still will represent a pagan temple, indicating, many folk say, the American people's worship of money. But visitors to the nation's capital who have not seen the treasury in 40 years will find some changes for efficiency and economy.

The nucleus of the present building, located where President Jackson, irritated by the procrastination of congress in choosing a site, put his hickory stick down with a thump and exclaimed, "Put 'er there, on that spot," will remain unchanged, but the double-stone staircase leading up to the colonnade on the Fifteenth street side has been torn away. Architects said it spoiled the beauty of that side of the

building, plans for which were drawn by William T. Elliott, a surveyor, who came to Washington in 1813. The 30 granite monoliths, each of which cost \$5,500 and weighs 30 tons, now stand in an unbroken row. They are said to be the finest example of their kind of the stonemason's art. It required ten men, working 60 days, to produce each of them, and a solid train of 30 flat cars brought them to Washington from the quarries in Massachusetts.

To make more space inside the building all the files of letters and documents will be stored in the old coal vaults under the lawn on the Pennsylvania avenue side, and new coal vaults are being built on the side opposite the White House.

The completed building, as it stands, represents three stages of construction. The nucleus, located by Jackson, was finished in 1842. The south wing was finished in 1864. The north wing, finished in 1869, is on the side of the old state department building.

The long colonnade of brown stone, erected in 1864, deteriorated in the southern climate and was replaced by the present granite monoliths a little more than a year ago.

### Big Job to Fill the Supreme Bench



Democrat, appointed from Illinois, has died, and Justice Moody, a Republican, of Massachusetts, has resigned because of ill-health, and President Taft will have to fill these two vacancies.

In addition to judicial fitness, politics and geographical qualifications must be considered. Moreover, the president is brought face to face with a task which will be of tremendous importance to the United States for the next generation. With political beliefs changing over night and greater zeal in governmental supervision being urged by the dominant party, the court which President Taft must reconstruct will pass on all the changes in the organic laws of the United States which may be made by congress.

The problem will not be solved for the public until after congress meets, as it has been definitely announced at the White House that no judicial appointments would be sent to the senate until the Monday following the reconvening of congress.

### Society Soldier Out at Fort Myer



ALBERT J. MYER, the American army's gentleman soldier, is no longer wearing the uniform of an enlisted man. He has left Fort Myer, the army reservation named for his illustrious grandfather, and has gone back to Boston.

Not only was the passing of the dandy soldier sudden and unexpected, but the manner of his going sensational. Mr. Myer, who was a corporal in the signal corps, has been in the guardhouse since August. A recent verdict of a court-martial which tried him sentenced Corporal Myer to be reduced to the ranks, to be confined at hard labor for three months and to forfeit \$50 of his pay.

The court-martial was a little slow and Myer escaped its imprisonment penalty, having been discharged in

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