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It is now well known among the physicians that the whole constitution gradually undermined and weakened, that the nerves and vital organs are seriously affected by any form of dyspepsia. This is plain, as every organ, every nerve in the body is nourished by the blood, and the blood is replenished from the food digested. If the food is properly digested the blood is pure, the nerves steady, but if supplied from a sour, fermenting, decaying mass, the blood is vitiated, poisoned, and the result is shown in sleeplessness, lack of energy. poor appetite, nervousness. Every trifle s magnified and the dyspeptic sees noth-

ing but the dark side of everything.
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nary merit.

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Suit has been brought by the United States district attorney for Nebraska against the Burlington Road for re-con-veyance of 177,675 acres of land in the northeastern counties of this state. The petition was filed Saturday, February 29, 1896, in great haste, because after fooling around over the matter for fifteen or twenty years past, the time would have expired March 5, 1896, after which date the government would have been without remedy. But on March 2, 1896, two days after the suit was brought. President Cleveland approved an act which passed the senate unanimously, and the house by a more than two-thirds revoked.—Washington Post. and advertisements for this paper. vote, extending the time, within which the government might bring suits of this character for five years. There seems to be no reason why any of the settlers owning or occupying any of this land, purchased from the Burlington Road, need be alarmed, even though a summons may be served on some or all of them, in this case. The act of congress referred to specifically exempts lands which have been sold to bona-fide set tlers and lands which have been granted to railroad compannies in lieu of other lands which they should have received but were unable to secure under the grant The act reads thus: "But no patent to any land held by a bona-fied purchaser shall be vacated or annulled, but the right and title of such purchaser is hereby confirmed." This should be sufficient to quiet the fears of any person owning or occupying lands purchased of the Burlington road, and it seems a perfectly useless expenditure of funds of the Government to serve summons on settlers in the face of such an act of congress. Not only has congress protected every innocent purchaser, but the United States supreme court, years ago, in other cases involving railroad land grants, laid down the rule that whatever may be the situation between the government and a Land Grant company, the rights of the innocent purchaser would be protected and in no wise disturbed.

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W. H. VIVION. Lonoke, Ark. AMERICA'S COMMON ROADS. Statistics Which Show That Cheap High-

ways Are the Most Costly Kind. The total length of the common roads in this country, good, bad and indifferent, is estimated by Gen. Stone of the road bureau of the department of agriculture at something over 1,300,000 miles. The majority of these roads have been opened by common laborers hired by local supervisors and no engineering principles have been observed in their construction. As a result it costs more to keep them in repair than it they were as many finely macadamized

Keeping these poor roads in repair and opening new thoroughfares cost Massachusetts in 1893, outside of cities, \$1,136,944, or \$66.30 per mile; New York, \$2,500,000, or \$30 per mile, and New Jersey, \$778,407.82, or \$43.25 per mile. The total expenditure for roads in that year amounted to about \$20,000,-000. As a greater part of the enormous sum was spent in repairing poorly constructed roads that would need exactly the same attention next year, it is not an exaggeration to say that most of the money was wasted.

Fine roads can be constructed all the way from \$400 to \$500 per mile, according to the nature of the country through which they pass, the cost of crushed stone and other engineering problems. The cost of keeping these roads in repair is infinitely smaller than that required to repair the ordinary dirt roads each winter and spring, when great gulleys and ruts are washed into them by the rains and floods. The secret of the success of the fine roads in France is attributed to the prompt and systematic repairs made at all seasons of the year.-Manufacturer.

Only Beer Is Sold on Ellis Island.

Commissioner General Stump of the immigration bureau has sent a letter to Mr. A. N. Hanna, secretary of the Christian Endeavor Union of Bel Air, Md., in which he replies to the resolutions recently adopted by the union protesting against the continuance of the "six saloons" in operation on Ellis Island and stating that the efforts of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to help immigrants landing there have been antagonized and frustrated by them. In his letter Mr. Stump says that there is no water on Ellis island except cistern water, which becomes brackish; that the "soft" drinks for sale, such as ginger ale, soda, etc., were distasteful to immigrants; that most of them were accustomed to the use of beer and light wines as part of their daily nourishment, and that it was thought that the granting of the privilege of selling beer, if properly guarded, would result beneficially. There are no "saloons" on Ellis island; that no spirituous liquors are allowed to be sold, and beer only under strict regulations. He invites members of the union to visit Ellis island and make an investigation, and if any abuse of the privilege of selling beer is found. or if it be shown that it is prejudicial to the cause of temperance it will be

MLLE. LUCIE FAURE IS PRETTY. Is Decidedly Literary and Not Given to Out-of-Door Sports.

But one picture hangs on the walls of the bedchamber of the president of the French Republic. That one picture is a portrait of his daughter, Mile, Lucie Faure. It is an oil painting, and represents a goodly-looking and attractive young woman. The daughter of M. Felix Faure has not the distinctive all of a noble French dame, yet it would be unfair to say that she betrays in any way her plebeian origin. She is an accomplished pianist, says the London evening, when the Faure family and their friends are assembled in the handsome Louis XVI. drawing-room of the villa. It is even said that she is not | averse to charming the few leisure moments of her father with her musical talent when at home in his private apartments at the Elysee. She is a great reader, and well informed upon the different literary movements in France and abroad. She is a brunette and has all the paternal energetic features. When in Paris, at the Elysee, she takes a walk every morning and a douche bath in an establishment very near to the presidential abode. So far bicycling has not seemed to appeal to her, and walking is her only exercise. She does not even ride on horseback, like her father, who frequently appears moters, however, say there will be a in public on thoroughbreds from his larger number present before the conown stables. During the season, Mile.
Faure is to be seen almost every afternoon in a victoria in the Bots. With her pen, Mile. Lucie Faure made her debut in writing criticisms of the Salon. debut in writing criticisms of the Salon for Havre newspapers. She next wrote the account of her trip to Algeria, which took place when the transatlantic liner, the Isaac Periere, made its first trip from Marsellles to Algiers. A number of celebrities crossed the Mediterranean on that occ sion in the new steamship, and among the ladies present was Mile. Faure, who wrote the book in question from notes taken during the journey and in-Algiers. A limited number of copies of the little volume were printed, so that at the present moment they are rare. At the time the book was mentioned favorably by some of the critics, and considered a meritorious work. It proved that its author bad plenty of imagination, and was not devoid of esprit; on the whole, it was interesting. It is not likely that she will publish anything more for some years to come, though it is probable that she has penned another book. Mile. Lucie Faure's toilets have been described as much as those of any European princess after any society event, and sometimes before. They are, as a rule, simple in design, and come from the work-rooms of the leading Parisian dressmakers.

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CUBAN DEBATE IN SENATE

MINISTER DE LOME'S COMMENT IS SHARPLY RESENTED.

LARGE CROWDS ATTEND.

Senator Teller Would Favor Giving Him His Walking Papers-Senator Lodge Takes Offense at the Conduct of the Spanish Representative in Impugning His Statements in Debate.

WASHINGTON, March 11 .- The Cuban question continues to be a drawing card in the Senate, attracting large crowds. After the journal had been read Mr. Lodge said he had read on Sunday an interview attributed to Senor Depuy de Lome of Spain, in which the minister called in question the accuracy of a statement made by him (Lodge).

Mr. Lodge said that he did not wonder at the extreme sensitiveness of the Spanish people, but he did not think this offered any excuse for the Spanish minister in adopting the course he had. He was the ex-parte representative of Spain. It was well established that debates in the Senate and House were purely domestic matters and it was not proper for a representative of a foreign country to communicate except through the State department. If an American minister in Europe dis-cussed the political affairs there he would be sent home.

Mr.Gray of Delaware said the United States should be unmoved by trouble at Valencia or Madrid. He thought it hardly worth while to stretch senatorial prerogatives and privileges to question a gentleman who had no power to reply in behalf of Spain. Mr. Teller of Colorado said the rule

was unvarying regarding a communi-cation except through the state de-partment. There should be no com-ment by a foreign minister. Twice had foreign ministers been sent home for statements of less importance than this. Mr. Teller then turned to the conditions in Spain. There was a ripple of applause, which the Vice President checked, when Mr. Teller referred to his sympathy with the

"I would be delighted," said he, "to hear that Havana had passed into the hands of the insurgents. I would be delighted to hear that the insurgents had run the Spanish soldiers into the

But, the senator added, while he had this sympathy, yet he felt no irritation over the student ebullitions in Spain. In conclusion, Mr. Teller vig-orously repeated that if the Spanish minister repeated this public utter-ance, the senator would favor giving him his "walking papers." The Amer-ican people would not tolerate any dictation or criticism from foreign representatives accredited here. The Cuban discussion ended, Mr Turple took the floor on the Dupont

Mr. Hoar's resolution providing that the Cuban question go over until April c, went over until to-morrow. Mr. Hoar said he was in poor health and unable to speak on his resolution

IT'S ALL M'KINLEY.

Ohio's Republican Convention Will Be Unanimous for the Ex-Governor.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 1: .- There is a large attendance here for the Republican state convention. The preliminary meetings are more in the nature Times, and ever willing to play in the of McKinley rallies than in the usual contests for places. There is no op-position whatever to General Bushnell, Senator Foraker, Congressman Grosvenor and Mark Hanna for delegates. at-large, as they are known to be the men wanted by McKinley. The leaders say there has been so much talk since the publication of Senator Sherman's book about Ohio Republicans being sincere or solid for any favorite that they want to prove their attitude this year in their indorsement of McKinley.

Would Succeed the Prohibitionist Party. PITTSBURG, Kan., March 1: -The conference to form a new national temperance party was an hour late in assembling this morning, and when it was called to order there were only twenty delegates present. The pro-Bonds," "In Union There Is Strength,"

A Pastor Gives Up His Salary.

CARTHAGE, Mo., March 11. - The Rev. R. K. Maiden, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, begins his third year here by giving up his salary of \$1,200 per year, and he will in the future expect only "such remuneration for his services as his people see fit to give him." Mr. Maiden urged this arrangement on the ground that it was unscriptural for a minister to accept wages. The Rev. Mr. Maiden came here from Indepedence and is well known over the State.

No Hope for Mrs. Maybrick.

LONDON, March 11.-Inquiries made at the United States embassy confirm the report that the secretary of state for the home department, Sir Matthew White Ridley, has refused to reopen the case of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, the American woman imprisoned for life for poisoning her husband.

Waller May Locate at Cedar Rapids. CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, March 1!.-In a letter written by ex-Consul Waller to his sister, Mrs. H. J. Martin of this place, the ex-consul announces his intention of sailing for America in about a month. He will come direct to Cedar Rapids, and may make his future home in this vicinity.

MESSAGE FROM BOOTH.

The Head of the Salvation Army in Lon-

don Cables American Soldiers. London, March 11 .- General Booth of the Salvation army arrived here unexpectedly yesterday. He came over-land from Brindisi in response to urgent appeals from headquarters for his advice regarding the American situation. The general did not go to headquarters, but was closeted with

Bramwell Booth all day.

To-day he cabled a manifesto to neadquarters of the Salvation army in New York.

Bramwell Booth also has a manifesto in to-day's War Cry, in which he says the "fidelity of the American troops is unahaken," and warns the army against the "misrepresentations of the anti-English American press." He also says that the general's heart is "torn and sorely wounded, but he is determined to carry on the government without respect to persons."

Liquor Worth \$145,000 Lost. CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 11 .- Fire was discovered at 8 o'clock this morning in the sub-cellars of the five story warehouse and distillery of Mihalovitch, Fletcher & Co. The entire front part of the structure was totally de-stroyed, with its contents. The loss, fully covered, is estimated at \$145,000 in liquors, \$30,000 on buildings and \$25,000 on machinery. The fire spread so rapidly that the employes, numbering about seventy-five, had great dif-

It Was a Runaway Match.

ficulty in escaping.

BOONVILLE, Mo., March 1) .- Boonville experienced a social sensation at about 5 o'clock last evening, occasioned by the marriage at the Com-mercial hotel of Mr. William W. Ra-venscraft and Miss Dora Nichols, daughter of Milton Nichols of Boone county. Probate Judge Parsons tied the knot in the presence of a few wit-nesses. This morning the married pair left for Springfield, Mo., where they will reside. It was a runaway match.

Dual Murder by a Banker.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., March 11 .- Fidel Tritschler, aged 34 years, banker and alderman, murdered his sleeping wife this morning and then fired two bullets into his own brain. He cannot recover. For more than a week Tritschler had been suffering from in-somnia, and it is thought he committed the murder while temporarily insane. The couple had been married less than six months and, to all appearances, were perfectly happy.

He Got Away With Forty Diamonds.

DENVER, Colo., March 11.-Last evening an unknown man snatched a tray of jewelry, in which were forty diamonds valued at \$5,000, from a show window in Gottesleben's jewelry store on Sixteenth street, and made his escape. He was followed and fired upon by the clerks and several by-standers. The thief returned the fire, slightly wounding George Jalsen. The police are searching for the rob-

Ground Broken for American University. WASHINGTON, March 1:.-Gr was broken yesterday for the first building of the new American univsrsity and five weeks later the corner stone of that building will be laid. Yesterday's exercises were well attended. Methodist Bishop Hurst made the introductory address. Other speakers were President Whitman of Columbia, Postmaster General Wilson and Mr. Gurney of Toronto.

Miss Stratton Will Sue for Damages. FORT Scorr, Kan., March 11.-Miss Maud Stratton, the young school teacher of Vernon county, Mo., who was recently arrested here, charged with disturbing a religious meeting, was acquitted by a jury last evening, and has employed counsel to bring a damage suit for alleged malicious prosecution against the complaining witness.

Rich Hill Quarantined. RICH HILL, Mo., March 11.-Mayor John W. Jamison, has declared quarantine against all persons from cities where small-pox exists, and will place special police at the depots to see that no such persons alight from incoming trains. Nearly 3,000 residents have been vaccinated during the week.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Ambassader Bayard is ill of influenza in London.

Prominent Frenchmen charged with blackmailing Max C. Baudy, are on trial in Paris. Chief Justice Charles Doe of New

Hampshire died suddenly in a railroad station at Dover, N. H. General Booth of the Salvation army

has arrived in London to take action on the American situation. Charles Montgomery, an alleged train robber, was captured in the Osage nation after a battle.

President Cleveland has again inaugurated his tri-weekly reception after a two year's suspension.

Senator Hill of New York is said to desire to lead the New York delegation in the Democratic convention. At Durham, Ga., two miners were

blown to atoms by an explosion of giant powder, and a third will die. John Baetz of Union Hill, N. J., committed suicide because his step-father threatened to cause his arrest. A schoolhouse near Oklahoma City,

in which colored people were holding

a concert, was blown up. No one was Congressman Joy says that he expects to soon introduce a bill for the encouragement of American merchant marine.

C. H. J. Taylor the negro Democratio leader, is said to be organizing the Negro Democrats in the interest of Matthews of Indiana.

The Nicaraguan rebels have protested to the Central American Republies against the action of Honduras in

aiding President Zelnya.

It is understood that the Senate public land committee has decided not

to recommend the passage of the Arizona leasehold billover the president's veto.