

"In these days of all kinds of medicine it is a comfort to know of a remedy which may be used with unquestioned beneficial results. I gladly recommend Peruna as a safe, reliable remedy in cases of catarrh of the stomach, helpful in building up the system worn out with overwork or age.

"Several of my friends who have used Peruna have spoken of it in the highest terms, and I congratulate you on its merits."

Mrs. W. E. Grissom, Henry, Ellis Co., Texas, writes:

"I took Peruna faithfully over two could only reply that on her fidelity months, and the result is a thoroughly he could rest his soul. "Well, then," renovated system and a strong, buoyant replied Saladin, "I will promise on my feeling, to say nothing of a cure of the oath as a soldier that if this man's chronic catarrh. Therefore I shall avail wife will cut off one of her hands and myself of every opportunity to speak of Peruns as a catarrh cure." go to her." By tedious and slow jour-

Mr. Harry M. Stevens, Midland Beach, L. I., New York, proprietor of "The Richmond" Hotel, says of Peruna:

Catarrh is a systemic disease, curable

only by systemic treatment. A remedy

the depressed nerve centers. This is

what Peruna does. Peruna immediately

no rivals. Insist upon having Peruna.

Hartman, on the subject of ca-

Ohio, upon request.

H. M. Stevens.

Hon. W. V. Sullivan, United States "It gives me pleasure to testify to the Senator from Mississippi, in a letter value of Peruna. I have used it for years recently written to Dr. Hartman, from and have found it to be a most excellent Oxford, Miss., says the following of Pe- family remedy. For colds, catarrh and runs as a catarrh remedy : similar fills, it is unsurpassed." Cordially and gratefully,

Senator from

"For some time I have been a sufferer from catarrh in its most incipient stage, so much so that I became alarmed as to my general that cures catarrh must aim directly at health.

"But, hearing of Peruna as a good invigorates the nerve-centers which remedy, I gave it a fair trial and soon give vitality to the mucous membranes. began to improve. Its effects were dis- Then catarrh disappears. Then catarrh tinctly beneficial, removing the annoy- is permanently cured. ing symptoms, and was particularly Peruna cures catarrh wherever logood as a tonic. cated. Peruna is not a guess nor an ex-

"I take pleasure in recommending periment-it is an absolute scientific yourgreat national catarrh cure, Peruna, certainty. Peruna has no substitutesas the best I have ever tried."

Miss Irene Cooper, Assistant Superin- A free book written by Dr. tendent of the Old People's Home, Chicago, Ilis., also has a good word to say for Peruna. In a letter written from tarrh in its different phases and mus Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ifis, she stages, will be sent by The Peruna gives in the following words her experi- Medicine Company, Columbus, the window of the waiting mistress ence with the national catarrh remedy, Peruna:

# THE NEBRASKA INDEPENDENT

His Life For & Hand, Effect of Fear on Wounds. In a little town or village in Glouces-The fear of poison in a incerated tershire there is a church which wound under certain circumstances is contains the mortal remains of one of in itself quite sufficient to give a the old Crusaders. In moldering ef- wounded man tetanue, or lockjaw, figy he is depicted on the tomb, while than which no more horrible complicaby his side in cold eloquence is imaged tion exists. Thus for a long time it the form of his wife. It will be noticed was thought that the natives of the by even the casual observer that the Solomon and other neighboring isfemale image is bereft of one of the lands lately added to the empire used hands, and the story runs that the poisoned arrows and many white men shot by them died in tetanic conval-Crusader, while fighting in the east, was made a prisoner of war and sions, including one very horrible case brought before Saladin, who, before of a commander in the navy who had made a special study of tetanus. executing judgment upon him, asked him if there was any reason why he At length the French governor of

New Caledonia, noticing that the symptoms exhibited were not consistent with the use of any known poison, appointed a medical commission to in-

wife, who would bitterly mourn his quire into the affair, when it was dis-"The love of woman is as a fleeting covered that the arrows of the natives were not poisoned at all, although conbreath," retorted the sultan. "Your structed in such a way that a small wife will forget that you have ever lived: she will love again and marry piece of the bone point almost always another." To this the sad knight remained in the wound. The irritation produced by this prevented the wound from healing quickly, and the mental disturbance produced by fear and perhaps change of climate did the rest. It was discovered at the same time send it to me I will set him free to that the natives of other islands who firmly believed in the poison theory neyings the message came, and she, in seldom suffered much inconvenience all piteousness for him who was her from the arrow wounds, because they lover and her lord, caused her hand to believed that the spells given them by be cut off and sent it to the sultan, their own sorcerers prevented the polwho kept his word and set the Cruson from taking effect.-Pall Mall Gazette.

#### Irascible Von Bulow.

During Hans von Bulow's leader-One day a wonderful bird tapped at ship of the orchestra at Hanover a the window of Mrs. Nansen's-wife of tenor of fame was engaged to play a the famous arctic explorer-home at star role in "Lohengrin," according to Christiania. Instantly the window Das Neue Blatt, and while the singer was opened and in another moment

was rehearsing his part Bulow was forced to go over the same bars a number of times without the new actor beginning to sing. Tired of his wasted efforts, the leader stopped the orchestra and angrily turned to the singer.

"I know that a tenor is proverbially stupid," he said, "but you seem to make an extensive use of this unwritten law."

At another time, while one of his grand intermezzos was being played with great feeling by his musicians, a peculiar noise, hardly perceptible by untrained ears, annoyed the leader for some little time. At first he thought it resembled the flutter of wings, but soon he discovered an elegant lady fanning herself in one of the boxes

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The goods are now on sale in our basement, and you can buy them at from 1 0 to 50 per cent less than regular prices. Remember the lot is a large one but as there is only one piece of a kind, it is important to make early selections.

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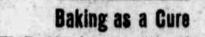
# Miller & Paine,

# O and Thirteenth Streets.

# Politicians in Lincoln

Something in the nature of a grandstand play for the benefit of the better warrants have risen in value from 93 element evidently prompted those in to 101 per cent. When the republicans authority in this city to revoke the licerse of Druggist Riggs. Friends of

funds has instructed the state treas-Women seldom say what they think, urer to pay a premium of one per cent on the other hand, however, they selon all unregistered general fund war- dom think what they say. rants. Under fusion rule the state



were last in office state warrants were W. B. Northrup, writing in the curworth only 93 cents on the dollar, now rent issue of the Strand Magazine,

# November 29, 1900.

Previous to this season we have never sold toys, but we have them now, and this is the way it came about. A large importer had an immense line of samples, in most instances but one of a kind, and rather than repack and reship them he closed them out to us

# ADVANTAGES OF CIVILIZATION

# Mr. John, J. Dayton, Writes to the Meri-

den, Conn., Record on the Ad-

# vantages of Civilization.

Mr. John J. Dayton, writes to the Meriden, Conn., Record on the advantages of civilization as follows: Permit me to say, in pointing out some of the advantages of civilization we should extend an invitation to "Aguinaldo to "come over here and partuke." We should cordially inwite him in these words: "Agui, you do not know what a wanting to become a citizen of this grand country of ours. There is nothing else like it under the sun. You land of churches and 475,000 licensed guns and house of prayer, the millionaires and paupers, the ologians and thieves, libertines and liars, Christians and chain-gangs, politicians and poverty, schools and prisons, scalawags, tramps, virtue and vice. 'A land canned beef of sick cows and old mules and horses, and corpses of people who sat it; where we put a man in jail for a rock pile if he has no job; where we have a congress of 400 men to make laws and a supreme court of nine men Miss Burla Welkie ..... 1,173 to set them aside; where good whisky makes had men and had men meke good whisky; where professors draw their convictions and salaries from the | can candidate for attorney general resame source; where preachers are paid ceived a smaller vote in their own from \$1,600 to \$25,000 a year to dodge | counties than the other candidates on satan and tickle the ears of the wealthy; where business consists in didates irrespective of party received a getting property in any way that will complimentary vote in their own counnot land you in the penitentiary; ties, where expital holds you up and poverty holds you down; where men vote for what they do not want for fear they will get what they want by voting. for it: where women wear false hair and men dock their horses' tails; where men vote for a thing one day and swear about it the other 364 days 1,071 more people voted for treasurer in the year; where politicians are mean enough to make false promises and go back upon those who have worked their very hearts out; where we have prayers on the floor of the national capitol and whisky in the basement; where we spend \$5,009 to bury a congressman and \$10 to put a man away when he is poor; where the government pays the army officer's widow \$5,900 and the poor private who faced the shell \$144 with insinuations that he is a government pauper and a burden because he lives; where to be virtnous is to be lonesome, and to be honest is to be a crank; where we sit on do abroad.-The Burtonian. the safety valve of conscience and pull wide open the throttle of energy; where gold is worshipped and God is used as a waste-tosket for our better thoughts and good resolutions; where we pay \$15 for a dog and 15 cents a doubt to a poor woman for making shirts; where we teach the untutored Indian the way to eternal life and kill

him with had hooze; where we put a

L. O. Jones, prohib..... 4,315 Taylor Flick, mid-road..... 1,095 Theo. Kkaras, socialist ..... 674 Dietrich's plurality ..... 861 Lieutenant Governor-Chas. R. Lawson ..... 4,020 H. G. Reiter..... 1,306 Secretary of State-D. L. Whitney..... 4,077 W. C. Starkey..... 1,408 Marsh's plurality ..... 4.771 Auditor-J. M. Taylor..... 1,543 Weston's plurality ..... 4,098 Treasurer-Absolom Tipton..... 1,373 Steufer's plurality ..... 4,136 Superintendent-Wm. K. Fowler.....115,868 Bartley Blain ..... 3,932 Mrs. T. J. Kellie..... 1,466 Fowler's plurality..... 4,314 Mr. Dietrich, republican candidate for governor, and Mr. Prout, republithe republican ticket. All other can-The total vote cast in the state was 251,998 There were 11,183 persons who did

not vote for any presidential electors. There were 19,017 who did not vote for governor, and 17,946 who did not vote for treasurer, which shows that than for governor.

Only three counties reported that all of the persons voting voted for presidential electors. They were Jefferson, Keith and Merrick.

When a republican tells you what a splendid advance American manufacturers have made in gaining control of foreign markets, just ask him why it is necessary to maintain an exorbitant tariff on the importation of these very articles. And when he can't answer this, tell him that it is in order to enable the trusts to sell their goods. higher in the United States than they



is all you require to get \$1.00 worth of Patent

had been awaiting so anxiously. We boast of human pluck, sagacity and endurance, but this loving little carrier pigeon, in its homeward flight, after an absence of 30 months, accomplished a feat so wonderful that we can only give ourselves up to the amazement and admiration which must overwhelm every one when the marvelous story is told .- Atlanta Constitution.

should not be put to death. To this

the knight replied that he was but

young, and would leave a newly wedded

sader free.-Notes and Queries.

kisses and caresses.

A Wonderful Bird.

she covered the little messenger with

The carrier pigeon had been away

from the cottage 30 long months, but it

had not forgotten the way home. It

brought a note from Nansen, stating

that all was going well with him and

Nansen had fastened a message to

The frail courier darted out into the

blizzardy air. It flew like an arrow

over a thousand miles of frozen waste,

and then sped forward over another

thousand miles of ocean and plains

and forests, and one morning entered

and delivered the message which she

his expedition in the polar region.

the bird and turned it loose.

loss.

Brushing a Berby Hat. Some men will buy two or three will always look rusty and old. Other India: men will buy not more than one a year, and that will never lose its deep

and brilliant gloss. "I'll tell you why it is," said one of the best dressers in town the other

his hat with a stiff bristled whisk, and the other rubs his softly with a piece of woolen cloth. The felt of a hat is such a delicate stuff that a stiff whisk applied to it has pretty much the effect that a currycomb or a rake would have on a suit of clothes. It wears the nap off, exposing the bare gray foundation in short order.

"A piece of woolen cloth, rubbed conforms to the grain, doesn't rub off are raked and scraped with whisks every day."-Philadelphia Record.

An Extraordinary Island. In the bay of Plenty, New Zealand,

is one of the most extraordinary islands in the world. It is called White island and consists mainly of sulphur mixed with gypsum and a few other minerals. Over the island, which is about three miles in circumference and which rises between 800 and 900 feet above the sea, floats continually an immense cloud of vapor attaining an elevation of 10.000 feet. In the center is a boiling lake of acid charged water covering 50 acres and surrounded with blowholes from which steam and sulphurous fumes are emitted with great force and noise. With care a boat can be navigated on the lake. The sulphur

from White island is very pure, but little effort has yet been made to procure it systematically.

Senator Frye of Maine was once offered \$400 to write an article for a leading magazine, but refused, saying the figure was not large enough. "How much would you require?"

asked the editor. "Twenty thousand dollars," answer-

ed the senator, which, of course, put an end to the negotiations. "And, do you know," said Mr. Frye

to a friend afterward, "I couldn't have written the article anyhow."

close by. Bulow kept on with his gestures, fixing his eyes on the offender in a manner which meant reproof. The lady, not heeding this, was suddenly surprised by the leader dropping his gation shows that Mr. Riggs came out stick and turning toward her.

"Madam!" he cried, "if fan you must, please at least keep time with your infernal nuisance."

## Too Much For the Tiger.

A keeper at the Philadelphia zoo told the following interesting story of an that illegally retails liquor in his black derby hats a season, and these encounter he once had with a tiger in

> "With several companions I was on is manifestly unfair to revoke the limy way to visit some native friends in a neighboring village, and as the

jungle paths were the shortest route we made the trip in chairs slung on day. "It is because one man brushes carriers' shoulders. I was about half asleep from the swinging motion when I was pitched out by the native dropping the poles and scampering off. That's how I met my tiger. With a bound he was on me and had taken a monthful of my coat, intending, no doubt, to carry me into the dense undergrowth.

"Fortunately for me I had a big bottle of ammonia in my coat pocket, carover a hat with a circular motion that | ried it for snake bites, you know, and when the brute took the mouthful he the petty thrusts and tyranies of men the nap at all, but keeps it lustrous broke the bottle. The whiff he got and firm and of good color. I buy one made his whiskers curl. and one was \$2.50 hat a year and rub it each enough. He rolled over a couple of morning with a bit of fiannel. I guar- times, gasping and waving his paws, antee that it outlasts three \$5 hats that and then made off as quickly as he appeared. Hurt? No, only a few bruises from the fall, but the close shave took my nerves for some not produce the results in these latter

months."

Cycling In Normandy.

The roads in Normandy are splendid for cycling, the only disadvantage being that the straightness of many main routes hides the beauty of the country, for which reason it is often a good plan, when time is not an object, to pick out the byways on the map. This s the easier because not only are the byways excellently kept, but the name of a French village is plainly written up, and one does not have ridiculous difficulty, as sometimes in England, in finding out where one is. Signposts and milestones are abundant, and the

the spots where you feel sore; grab a decimal system renders them perfectly. root and go to hustling for the fight simple and exact. - "Highways and in 1904.-Oklahoma State Register. Byways In Normandy," by Dearmer.

#### An Impromptu Ring.

A marriage ceremony was performed in Toronto recently, with a substitute for the ring which, though odd and amusing, was appropriate for the occasion. The couple went over from

the American side of the St. Lawrence river, but forgot to take a ring. As there was no ring to be had in the house the resourceful clergyman sent "heathen" who has survived drowning, for his wife's sewing scissors and, with clubbing, and other "civilized" meththe finger clasp, completed the cereods of assassination. The survivors, mony. doubtless, will be lined up by force, if

Drinks and Thirst. It is a mistake to suppose that cold

was brought to bear on the excise board by a few business men who got more than they bargained for in the recent cut rate war. Careful investi-Gothenburg Sun. of the price-cutting contest with fly-

"Turn the rascals out, Mr. Dietrich, ing colors, while several other conevery last one of them," shouts Postcerns were pressed painfully near the master Tim Sedgwick in his York verge of bankruptcy. The question of Daily Times. You bet your life he'll regulating the sale of liquor for medicturn 'em out. Didn't we say he would inal purposes is a difficult one, and to do that very thing and that Joe Bartprevent the violation of the law is ley would be the first rascal to be practically impossible. Every man turned out? Today there is not a man in all Nebraska happier than Joe place of business should be punished. Bartley over the great republican vic-But suppress the evil everywhere. It tory.-Exeter Enterprise.

cense of one man and allow a dozen The election in Hawaii was somemore all the freedom that absence of thing of a surprise to both republipolice surveillance will allow. To cans and democrats. The chief interplead ignorance of this state of afest centred in the vote for delegate to fairs is no excuse. The men in aucongress. The old parties were both thority draw their salaries for keepbeaten by a half-breed native who run ing informed on these subjects. It is independent. The "sons of missiontheir business It seems that eight aries" who expected to fill the offices cases were worked up by the officers are indignant and will contest the eleclast fall. Why was only one prosetion, on the ground that the victor is cuted? During fair week liquor was openly sold at a number of places. Evifirst wife and married a second and dence could have been easily gaththey will seek to prove he did not ered at that time. Favoritism in the wait for the decree of divorce before enforcement of municipal laws is the his second marriage. This novel view baleful curse of modern city governof the marriage question, as applied ment. Nothing can be more annoyto congress, opens a field for speculaing to a reputable business man than tive inquiry. Will the Sulus be barred from congress after McKinley has who take advantage of positions of made a treaty recognizing polygamy? trust in order to play even with some The precedents recently established inrival. Partiality and dishonesty in such matters are direct blows at the liberties of the individual, and cannot be too strongly condemned. Again, the scheme of making an "example"

tion stones of good government; and

nowhere are their violation more ob-

noxious than 'in the small affairs of

Our Exchanges

a mistake."-The Pender Times.

local administration.

Courier.

dicate that one wishing to break into congress should be a little careful about getting married. He can maintain, as some congressmen do, a whole harem of mistresses, or cast them off of someone just before election does as Breckenridge did, without losing prestige, but if he marries them as days that it did when first invented a Roberts did, he will be promptly turned out.-The Dakota Ruralist. half century ago. Justice, fairness, impartiality-these are the founda-

# Try Your Hand

The following embryonal poem is sent to The Independent. Our readers can amuse themselves by filling it out. It is entitled "Four Years More of Mc-

Kinley." Those fellows who told you that the Four years more of McKinley, rebillion" in the Philippines would ····· flops, die out when Bryan was defeated can wobbling. look at the dispatches from the front ..... drops. these days and again tell you, "it was

#### Four years more of Hanna,

..... trusts. Put away the little roorback, salve ..... contracts, ····· "busts."

## Four years more of taxes,

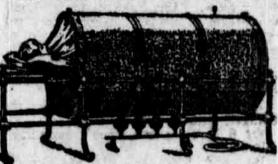
..... strikes, An old German proverb tells us that ..... bank rule, every great war leaves a country with ..... "swipes. three armies-one of invalids, one of mourners and one of idle persons rea-Four years more of humbug, dy to commit crime.-The Pueblo ..... gauds, ..... lying. ..... frauds. On the heels of commercialism as invades China, will follow carloads of Four years more of English. Bibles and missionary tracts, to be ..... Hay, used in an attempt to convert the

..... treaties, ..... fray.

#### Four years more of Sulu,

..... slaves. necessary, and made to abjure the re-..... glory, ligion of their fathers, to the tune of ..... graves.

hey are worth more than a dollar. | says that baking alive is the lates How long will it be until Dietrich and thing the American medical science, his class of men will again reduce the and that there are now four large huvalue of the state warrants?-The man bakeries in operation in this country-one in New York, one in Philadelphia and one in Chicago, and



one in the office of Drs. Searles and Searles in this city, which may be seen in operation at their offices in the Richards block. He points out that the application of hot air is nothing new, and all that is claimed by the modern bakers of persons is the manner in which the heat is applied so that the patient is able to withstand even as high as 400 degrees Fahrenbigamist. He is divorced from a heit, or 188 degrees more than the boiling point of water. The baking cure is becoming very popular and has already been used in 3,000 cases of gout, rheumatism, inflammation and obesity, as well as for relieving all forms of pain. Persons who have been unable to walk for years, because of deforming rheumatism have been cured, and in every instance some relief is given. When the treatment begins and the heat is first turned on the patient experiences no sensation other than a mild warmth. Up to 150 degrees little inconvenience is felt by the patient, but at that point the person becomes very thirsty, and is handed little sips of water every minute or two by the attendant Of the very high temperatures Mr. Northrup thus describes the effect on the patient: At 200 degrees one experiences a dreamy sensation, and from this point up to 280 degrees the baking experience is really quite pleasant. Water boils at 212 degrees Fahrenheit and

yet at 280 Fahr. a human being does not suffer the least inconvenience. This degree of heat-280 degrees Fahr. -is the average applied at most of the Sprague machines. It is endured for upwards of an hour. In certain cases, however, much higher temperatures are required. In some conditions from 350 degrees to 400 degrees Fahr. are necessary. Heat at these high degrees is not so very pleasant. The body seems to be literally roasting. The blood at 350 degrees seems actually to be boiling, and can be felt. to be coursing through the veins at racehorse speed. The heart thumps wildly, or else seems to have disappeared altogether. Bags of ice are constantly applied to the head when these degrees of heat are administered. Sips of ice water are given from time

to time. After the baking the patient feels very weak, but a two hours' sleep brings back the strength and a feeling of freedom from all bodily ills. Any person suffering from gout, rheumatism or other troubles of a simiilar character would find it interesting to call at Drs. Searles and Searles' offices in the Richards block in this city and see this marvelous invention

Put Up the Price.

