

Throat Paralysis.

(From the Courier-Herald, Saginaw, Mich.)

It was publicly talked all over Clare County for some time before the Courier-Herald sent a reporter to Dover to investigate the Coulter matter. He finally went, and we publish to-day his report. The Coulter are prominent people, though Mrs. C. in response to the question whether she objected to being interviewed, said, "Certainly not." Her story follows: "About 14 years ago we decided to take up our abode in Dover and everything went along smoothly for seven years, business progressed and being of a saving temperament we accumulated quite an amount. Our family increased as the years rolled by and we now have 5 children, but sickness made its way into our household, and doctors' bills flooded upon us, until we had nothing left but our home and land. Everything went to satisfy the claims of physicians. "About three years ago I had a miserable feeling at the back of my ears, my right hand became paralyzed and the paralysis extended to my arm and throat, and would affect my head and eyes. Sometimes for days I would lose my sight, my face was deformed, lifeless as it were, my nose was drawn to one side and I presented a pitiable appearance and never expecting to regain my natural facial expressions. I employed the best physicians that could be procured, expending thousands of dollars for their services, but could not obtain relief. At last, they stated my case was beyond the reach of medical skill and it would be but a short time until the end would come. In connection with receiving the attendance of physicians I have tried every medicine known to the apothecary but never received any relief until Dr. Williams' Pink Pills came to my assistance. Before I had taken half of the first box the deformity in my face had left me, and before four boxes had been consumed the paralysis had disappeared entirely and much to my surprise I felt like a new woman. I have not taken any medicine since last spring just about a year ago and my trouble has not appeared since. I owe my health, my life to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"A short time since my little boy John was afflicted with St. Vitus' dance. He could not walk across the room without assistance, in fact he would fall all over himself, but after taking a few boxes of Pink Pills, St. Vitus' dance left him, and no trace of it is left. These Pills are worth their weight in gold. You may say in this connection that I am willing at any time to make affidavit to the truth of these statements, and further, I will answer any communication concerning my case. Pink Pills contain all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are for sale by all druggists, or may be had by mail from Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for 50 cents per box, or six boxes for \$2.50.

Gen. Grant and the Circus-Horse.

The following is an extract from a curious Japanese life of Gen. Grant: "A year and a half later a circus rider entered his village. Desiring to see the show, Gurando Kuen, on his father's arm, entered the place. Pointing to the horse, he insisted on riding it himself. His father consequently asked the circus rider to let his boy ride. Gurando Kuen, showing in his face perfect satisfaction, rode on the neck of the horse and appeared as if he was persuading the horse to go. One day, when he was older, he was playing ball by his own house, and he accidentally broke a glass window of his neighbor. Having regretted what he had done, he made up his mind, and went into the neighbor's house and excused himself to the lord of the house, saying: "I accidentally broke the window of thy honorable house. I have no word to excuse myself. The only thing I can do is to my father tell, a new glass window buy, this loss repay. Please excuse." This house lord, having been much pleased with this child's unusual thoughtfulness, without any condition excused his sin. Indeed, Gurando Kuen's heavenly nature is like a servant which has its own nature when it is but one inch long.

Galvanized Steel Wire Fencing.

The most extensive and complete plant for the manufacture of wire fencing in the United States is the De Kalb Fence Company, located at De Kalb, Ill. For years prior to 1890 barbed wire was extensively used for fencing, but those using it often lost in fine stock, more than its cost and to avoid danger to man or beast there was need of, and a demand for, a barbed fence.

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And everyone needing fencing of any kind will consult their own interests by sending to the De Kalb Fence Co., 121 High Street, De Kalb, Ill., for their 44 page catalogue and prices. The reader is also directed to their advertisement in this paper.

The highest knowledge can be nothing more than the shortest and clearest road to truth.

Cultivation to the mind is as necessary as food to the body.

A man who will wear made over ties will let his wife cut his hair for him. It is impossible to make your conduct perfect, but it is easy to make it better than it has been.

Don't make a nasty mess by blowing your brains out. If you want to kill yourself, drink lots of ice water. People who can't afford them say that incubator hatched spring chickens don't have the natural flavor.

Nothing pleases a farmer better than to bring an owl or a fox to town, and have all the town fellows look at it.

A woman without tact is one who when a man goes to her for comfort shows that she wants comfort herself.

GRAND OLD PARTY.

LIVING TRUTHS OF REPUBLICAN POLICY.

Protection to American Industries Through the Restoration of the McKinley Bill the Issue—Silver is Secondary.

(Kansas City Journal.)

It has come to be a common thing to hear the tariff spoken of as a dead issue. Democrats generally recognize the fact that their party has made such a miserable failure of its efforts at reform that they would gladly see the subject relegated to the rear until their folly is forgotten. But it is still a live subject and one that will have to be given attention by congress, and it will be present in the coming national campaign, no matter who may be the candidates of the respective parties. In a recent number of the American Economist there is given the opinions of 101 senators and representatives in congress, and of a large number of the editors of prominent newspapers in all parts of the country, all of whom believe in the necessity for tariff revision along the line of protection to American industries. There are letters from three congressmen from Kentucky who declare themselves to be protectionists, and they are joined by three from Tennessee, four from Missouri, one from Texas, two from West Virginia and a senator from Delaware. Of the newspaper opinions there are letters from the west and south quite as pronounced in favor of the protection idea as any from New England. If anybody can read these letters and still hold to the belief that the miserable failure made by the last congress to better the condition of the country's trade and industries will be allowed to stand unchanged he will read to little purpose. The lesson set by Grover Cleveland and his party has been a dear one, but it was a lesson that will never be forgotten. The people have had time to do a deal of thinking and they have thought to good purpose. If there is any one subject on which the public mind has lingered more than on another it is the destruction of the purchasing power of the wage-earner and the transfer of a great part of the manufacturing industry of the country to foreign shores. The only remedy to be found is in a restoration of the policy of protection. And it will be done.

Too Big a Job.

Mr. Cleveland has undertaken some pretty big jobs in his time, in some of which he has succeeded and in more of which he has failed. His most conspicuous success is the disintegration of the democratic party. His most signal failure is his failure to redeem the promises of the platform on which he was elected. But his last undertaking, the suppression of the silver movement, is the most Herculean attempt he has yet made. It is an effort which is a foreordained failure and only a man of the perceptive enthusiasm which Mr. Cleveland possesses would think of making the effort. Mr. Cleveland wants the democratic national committee to get together and endeavor to stem the advancing tide of free silver sentiment, which has swept over the south and west, nearly inundated the central states and broken on the eastern shores. The entire strength and prestige of the administration will be massed in this effort, which only desperation would suggest and for whose success only fatuity could hope. But we thought that this silver business was "petering out." We have been told by all the shining lights of gold mono-metalism that the sentiment already shows signs of diminution and before convention time comes around it will be safely out of the way, to disturb the dreams of acrobatic politicians no more forever. The fact that the forces of gold are moving heaven and earth to suppress the silver movement is proof that there is a mistake somewhere. It is made by those who believe that the people are not in earnest, desperately in earnest, in their determination to have silver restored to its proper place.—Ex.

The Iron Industry.

The statistics of iron production tell a sad story of the damage inflicted on home industry by the free trade agitation that attended the election of President Cleveland and a free trade tariff congress in 1892, and culminated in the passing of the Gorman bill in 1894.

In 1890 the United States produced 9,202,703 gross tons of pig iron. In 1894 the production fell to 6,657,388 gross tons.

Under protection the production of iron had increased with steady strides until it attained the high figure named in 1890, benefitting the whole country, south as well as north. All this was in accordance with the general development of our industries under which progress was the normal condition. Hence it might have been expected that the production of pig iron would have gone on satisfactorily, and that it would have passed the 10,000,000 tons mark by this time. Instead, the figures quoted show that our furnaces produced 2,545,315 gross tons less in 1894 than they did in 1890.

What did this shrinkage mean? It meant less wages for the workmen; less money for the shopkeeper and farmer; less demand for iron ore and coal. It meant less dividends for the capital invested; smaller inducements to develop iron lands, and a heavy decrease in the general wealth of the country.

In the south, where iron ore is so abundant, these facts, which concern the whole country, should meet with special consideration. The addition of 2,545,315 gross tons to the iron smelted

in the south in 1894 would have made places blossom into prosperity where gaudy poverty prevailed and American workmen, able, honest and industrious, sought employment in vain.

Owning Up.

The free traders are at last coming around to face the situation. As the Express pointed out months ago, the tariff must be revised in order to produce more revenue. If the idea of restoring protective duties is put aside, the only thing left is to reimpose duties on non-competing products, which are now free. The treasury department is said to be considering with much favor a proposition to put a duty on tea. It is argued with beautiful inconsistency that a duty could not raise the price. Only protective duties do that! Furthermore, it is said the duty would greatly improve the quality of the tea sold to Americans. What a blessing duties are, to be sure, provided they do not tend to encourage any American industry! Let the free traders keep right on thinking in that line. It is the logic of the situation from their view point. If they had recognized it at first they would have framed a law which would, at least, not have been the humiliating failure that the Wilson law is proving. But let the free traders not overlook the fact that a duty on tea would be inadequate to meet the enormous deficit that is now piling up. There must be a duty on coffee, too, and a good sized one at that. Let them speak up boldly and say so. It will help greatly the efforts of the republican congress to restore a protective tariff which raises revenue by taxing competing products.—Express, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Price of Wool.

The American farmer will be interested in studying a comparison of the prices paid for his wool in the open market this month and in June of last year. Taking four of the principal grades of domestic wool, the quotations are as follows.

June Prices. Loss 1894. 1895. per Cents. Cents. pound.

Indiana quarter blood unwashed.	17½	16½	1
No. 1 medium unwashed.	16	13	3
Fine unwashed.	14	11½	2½
Fine territory, 70 per cent shrinkage.	10	9	1

It was thought that prices could not fall below the figures of a year ago, when it was hoped that the effect of free trade in wool had been fully anticipated. But the result is even worse than the realization.

Willing to Hear Now.

"The country never heard of Judson Harmon," observed a contemporary. Probably the president never did either, until Olney suggested him in behalf of the corporations. The country is not likely to hear of him in the capacity of a suppresser of trusts.—Ex.

Campbell and Hill.

Ex-Governor Campbell of Ohio admits that he does not understand the silver question. We fear Mr. Campbell has been listening to Senator Hill's elucidations of the subject.—Kansas City Journal.

Bushnell Sure to Win.

Mr. Bushnell, the republican candidate for governor of Ohio, has a boil on his neck. His opponent, however, would cheerfully take the boil if he could also have Bushnell's chances of victory.

The Icicle Secretary.

The country will not get into any international troubles on account of Mr. Olney's impulsive patriotism. There is more of the icicle than the jing about Olney.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE IN CANADA.

Nearly Half of the Members of the Commons Favor It.

A significant vote on woman suffrage occurred last week in the Commons, at Ottawa. It was the first time the question ever came to a vote in that body. On May 8 the Commons member for Assiniboin, Mr. N. F. Davin, moved the following resolution:

"That, in the opinion of this house, the privilege of voting for candidates for membership thereof should be extended to women possessing the qualifications which now entitle men to the electoral franchise.

Dr. Davin, who is one of the most widely read and eloquent men in the house, followed up his motion with a forcible address. The Hon. Mr. Laurier, leader of the opposition, moved in amendment:

"That the question of woman's suffrage is one which, like all other questions concerning suffrage, more properly belongs to provincial legislation.

This squarely challenged a party vote, as the amendment attacked the Dominion franchise. One of the notable features of the debate which followed was the emphatic pronouncement of the leader of the Commons, the Hon. Mr. Foster, in personal favor of the resolution.

The debate was continued at intervals during the intervening weeks, and a division took place on last Thursday. The amendment was lost, by a majority of 54. Mr. Davin's resolution was then voted upon and defeated by 105 to 47.

The woman suffragists of Canada have now the advantage of the recorded vote to work upon in their future efforts to advance the movement. It shows that nearly fifty per cent of the house of commons is in favor of woman suffrage. Mr. Davin proposes to bring in a bill, next session, in favor of the extension of the franchise to women, and expects, in view of the present large vote, that it will meet a favorable reception.

WOMEN IN SCIENCE.

What Some Artists Have Done in That Direction.

In reply to inquiries as to what women have done for science in recent years, the following information has been given:

"Miss Margaret Whiting has painted many living, growing plants with scientific accuracy. Her studies delight the botanist by the unmistakable way that she portrays the facts of growth. The eye of the artist is satisfied with the selection of the beautiful specimens, boldly executed. Women want wall hangings, and Miss Whiting has painted with oil colors on gray linen gay blossoms, on bud-bearing stems, with their own leaves. They are restful, because the spaces left between foliage and flower are graceful. She has learned from the Greeks and the Japanese not to jumble different forms together. Scientific men have a horror generally of the 'pretty' paintings by women. 'We need' the truth. Mere prettiness is no use to us,' they say politely; but they take pains to steer clear of 'feminine fancy work,' as they call the flower pieces that appear at picture galleries. Women too often think that scientific truth cannot be observed without ugliness. Miss Whiting's paintings show that her botanical knowledge has helped her to see the important distinctions in the plant world. Artistic training gives the power of expressing scientific truth gracefully."

"Ah," said an art critic, "I once went through the National Academy of Design with a scientific draughtsman and his half-smothered contempt at the unnatural 'flower pieces' signed by women was both comical and pathetic. The American public loves color, and brilliant painting sells the canvas. This German artist used to help Agassiz, and though he tried not to hurt my feelings as a woman, I saw through his eyes how science regards woman's work in art."

FOR USERS OF "SPECS."

Hints Which Wearers of Eye-Glasses Will Find Valuable.

The "sizzling season" brings to the man who wears glasses, either "pinchers" or "specs," a double burden of woe, and as it is the Recorder's mission to mitigate the sufferings of humanity, no matter in what form it comes, these hints are offered for the benefit of all quadoculars. If you wear spectacles, and they are of steel, the nose-piece will certainly rust and discolor the skin in addition to making it sore. To remedy this have your optician put a tiny bit of cork under the bridge. You will probably take your spectacles off twenty times a day in the next three months to wipe them. Little by little they will get entirely out of focus, but so gradually that you will not know what the matter is when your eyes hurt you. Take your glasses to an optician. They make no charge for the job, and it takes only a minute or two to set them right. Never use camoils skin to cleanse your lenses. A drop or two of ammonia and a clean bit of linen is simplest and best for the purpose. Do not fold your spectacles up. The threads of the little screws thereby become loosened and give great annoyance. If you are going to be at the seaside much, get gold frames. Salt water rusts steel ones in a day or two. Don't use a string or chain if you wear eyeglasses. You will break more lenses by catching your finger in the string and pulling your glasses off than in any other way. Finally, if you want a safe place to keep your glasses at night, and a place where you will be sure to find them in the morning, put them on the floor just about eight inches under the head of the bed. There you cannot knock them off or tread on them, and neither can anybody else.

Fashions in Mourning.

Of late years English mourning, which is by the best dressmakers conceded to be in the best taste, is heavier than before, but is worn a shorter time. A widow will wear her crape, Henrietta cloth, bombazine, and widow's cap for a year. After that time she will assume all black without crape, and discard even this at the end of another year, putting on whatever colors she may fancy. A daughter wears what is known as "crape mourning" for six months, all black for six more, and then if she wishes puts on colors. The same rule applies to a sister, while "complimentary mourning," which is simply all black assumed for a distant relative or a dear friend, is in order for three months.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Dissipating London's Fog.

London Invention: Unless some effort is made, says a contemporary, the climate of London will very soon become so debilitating, depressing and life-endangering that life in it will no longer be worth living. Our smoke and our fogs are our destruction. To get rid of our smoke would be to largely get rid of our fogs. Have we energy enough left in us, it continues, to essay the mighty task, or must we continue to tolerate until we are all suffocated? As a matter of fact, we content "the mighty task" is constantly being "essayed." But it is not enough that the inventor tries to do his share. Our contemporary should try to rouse parochial and corporate bodies to a little more practical enthusiasm on the subject.

Gave It a Fair Chance.

"I hear that your congregation intends to pray for rain," said a man to a member of the Quohosh Methodist church. "Well," was the reply, "we have decided to wait twenty-four hours more before proceeding to extreme measures."

Royal Baking Powder

Highest of all in leavening strength.— Latest U. S. Government Food Report. ABSOLUTELY PURE

The English evangelist, Henry Varley, has recently been holding union services in Oakland, Cal. The entire city has been aroused spiritually. Street preaching was a feature of the work, sometimes as many as forty ministers assisting.

Mayor Pothler, of Woonsocket, R. I., said in his last inaugural address: "The sale of liquors to children who are sent to the saloons by heartless or unfeeling parents is one of the most crying evils—revolting to the finer sensibilities—and should be stamped out."

Does He Chew or Smoke?

If so it is only a question of time when bright eyes grow dim, manly steps lose firmness, and the vigor and vitality so enjoyable now be destroyed forever. Get a book, titled "Don't Learn How to Die Without Physical or Financial Risk, cures the tobacco habit, brings back the vigorous vitality, that will make you loth to die. No-Tobacco sold and guaranteed to cure by Druggists everywhere. Book free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., New York City or Chicago.

The Practical Question.

"I think it is only fair to warn you, Hiram," said the aged politician to his son, a promising young man who had been elected to the legislature and was about to start for the capital of the state to enter upon his duties, "that measures deeply affecting the public welfare will come up for consideration before the body to which you have been elected, and corrupt, designing men will seek to influence your vote. They will try to bribe you, Hiram. They will offer you money. Be on your guard against them, my boy, and remember that the reputation of the family whose name you bear and the honor of the district you represent are at stake."

"I will father," replied the young man, deeply moved. "How—how much will they probably offer me?"—Chicago Tribune.

The Pursuit of Happiness.

When the Declaration of Independence asserted man's right to that it enunciated an immortal truth. The billious sufferer is on the road to happiness when he begins to take Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the most efficacious regulator of the liver in existence. Equally reliable is it in cholera and fever, constipation, dyspepsia, rheumatism, kidney trouble and nervousness. Use it regularly, and not at odd intervals.

The past year has been a prosperous one in the Baptist churches in this country. There has been a gain of 140,433 members, while the increase in the number of ordained ministers is nearly 2,600.

When Traveling.

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all the leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only.

Mrs. Narcissa White Kinney, president of Oregon W. C. T. U., has been invited by the Astoria Ministerial association to occupy each of the city pulpits in rotation in the interests of temperance and other reforms.

J. A. JOHNSON, Medina, N. Y., says: "Hall's Catarrh Cure cured me." Sold by Druggists, 75c.

A man must have at some time told a woman that he is very fond of her before he becomes brave enough to scold her.

If you are asked which is your favorite part of the spring chicken at this early season, be polite, and say the gravy.

We hope that when the girls go to heaven, their robes will not gap in the back, and be a source of continual worry.

RYE, 60 BUSHELS PER ACRE!

Do you know Winter Rye is one of the best paying crops to plant? Well, it is. Big yields are sure when you plant Salzer's Monster Rye. That is the universal verdict! Winter Wheat, from 40 to 60 bushels. Lots of Grasses and Clovers for fall seeding. Catalogue and samples of Rye, Winter Wheat and Crimson clover free if you cut this out and send it to the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis. (W.N.U.)

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RELIGION AND REFORM.

Seventy thousand employes are to be found in the sweat shops of New York City.

There are 38 Endeavor Societies in China, with a membership of 1,069—out of 50,000 Christians in the empire.

From Sitka, Alaska, comes the report of a Christian Endeavor Society in a pastorless church, which takes charge of the Sunday evening service and conducts a weekly prayer meeting in an outlying Indian village.

Make Your Own Bitters! On receipt of 30 cents in U. S. stamps, I will send to any address one package Steketee's Dry Bitters. One package makes one gallon best tonic known. Cures stomach, kidney diseases, and is a great appetizer and blood purifier. Just the medicine needed for spring and summer. 25c at your drug store. Address Geo. G. STEKETEE, Grand Rapids, Mich.

The Pathic Army Temperance Association has within the past twelve months extended its operations to troops serving at home, with results as excellent as in the army in India.

Coe's Cough Balsam is the oldest and best. It will break up a cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

Dr. Norman Kerr, of London, has treated 1,500 cases of alcoholic inebriety, and of these he was able to trace a family history of intoxication in 746 cases.

I could not get along without Piso's Cure for consumption. It always cures.—Mrs. E. C. MORTON, Needham, Mass., Oct. 22, '94.

Lewis Long of Logan county, Ky., is 85 years old, has had five wives and is the father of twenty-eight children.

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Every dollar spent in Parker's Ginger Tonic is well invested. It cures pain and brings better digestion, better strength and better health.

Nova Scotia and British Columbia furnish most of the Canadian coal.

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Maize has been found in the most ancient Peruvian tombs.

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Four-fifths of the sugar plantations in Hawaii are owned by Americans.

If the baby is Cutting Teeth, be sure and use that old and well tried remedy, Mrs. WISLAW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for Children Teething.

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