

## NO REASON FOR IT.

## You Are Shown the Way Out.

There can be no just reason why any reader of this will continue to suffer the tortures of an aching back, the annoyance of urinary disorders, the dangers of serious kidney ills when relief is so near at hand and the most positive proof given that these ills can be cured. The following is convincing proof:

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"I rested poorly and on arising in the morning was tired and devoid of ambition. As time passed, my condition became worse and it would be hard to fully describe the misery I endured. I spent many dollars for doctors' treatment and I also tried remedies of every kind but to no avail until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills. This preparation restored me to good health, after visits to hot springs and treatment of every other kind had failed. I do not hesitate to tell of my experience and I trust that my statement will be the means of helping



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## YANKEE PLAYERS TALLEST.

Eleven Members of New York Americans Are Over Six Feet in Height. The New York American league baseball team will go through the season of 1912 with the highest average in one respect at least—of any big league club. It will include more tall players than any other team.

As Manager Wolverton figures it, there are eleven men in the Yankee squad who stand over six feet in height. The giants of the squad and their heights are: Shears, 6.4; McConnell, 6.3; Sweeney, 6.2; Knight, 6.2; Vaughn, 6.2; Caldwell, 6.1; Appleby, 6.1; Stump, 6.1; Clarke, 6; Upham, 6; Williams, 6.

## On Broadway.

Oh, every night  
On the way that is white  
The length and the breadth of that street  
How many a lobster is there to be eaten!  
And likewise, I've seen  
From what I have seen  
And have heard in the patois of that lively street,  
How many a lobster goes there, too, to eat!  
—New York Sun.

## INSURGENTS STOOD IN WAY OF REFORM

## They Did Not Help Taft When Progressive Laws Were Proposed.

Extremists in his own party could criticize President Taft's administration with better grace if they had done anything to make the work of the president and his associates more effective by helping to pass legislation for the common good. Instead, their attitude was one of obstruction.

President Taft was strongly for substantial tariff reductions when his first congress met. He wanted to go down to a \$2 duty on paper and Chairman Payne voted for this figure rather than cause a split. The president consulted Senator La Follette as to the amount of duty needed on paper and he thought \$2 was too low for immediate application and wanted a sliding scale of duties from a higher rate. As it was, a compromise was effected on \$3.75.

Gifford Pinchot prides himself on being both Progressive and Insurgent; yet when President Taft wanted free lumber, Gifford Pinchot threw his influence into the scale for the retention of a \$2 duty on lumber. Instead of backing the effort to put it on the free list. The best the president could get was a \$1 duty.

## Insurgents Block Railroad Bill.

President Taft was seriously hindered in getting the railroad bill through by the Insurgents, who excluded some useful limitations upon the railway companies. President Taft recommended that no railroad be allowed to acquire stock of a competing company. He recommended also, in accordance with the Republican platform, and Mr. Roosevelt's frequent recommendation, that competing railroads be permitted to make thirty-day agreements as to the rates they would charge between common points, from which either party could recede at will.

The Insurgents insisted on throwing out both these features. "Although my proposals were progressive," said President Taft, "I accepted a half loaf rather than no bread, and signed the bill."

There was another interference with the president's railroad programme by the Insurgents. He wanted to have the companies prohibited from issuing securities without the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission. This the Insurgents, with the aid of the Democrats, finally defeated.

## Postal Savings Bank Attacked.

The postal savings bank was a measure for the benefit of the whole people, offering as it did an absolutely safe custodian for savings. But the senate Insurgents did their best to tack on an amendment that would have left the president no escape from a veto. They wanted to "take down" the deposits in the neighborhoods where they were made, forbidding the government to remove the money except in an emergency of war. The president regarded this as intolerable because it would have greatly interfered with its ability promptly to meet its obligations. It was only beaten by mustering votes of the regulars and then it was a close shave.

"In spite of such handicaps," said President Taft, "I did secure tariff reductions on a number of items, including several raw materials. I induced Aldrich to cut down his amended cotton schedule about 10 per cent. I made a like attempt with wool, but it wouldn't work in either house. I got hides on the free list, and a lower duty on coal, iron ore, and scrap iron. If the Payne bill had passed the senate in the shape in which it passed the house, there would have been little serious censure of it in the country at large."

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## CAPRON MAY JOIN PIRATES.

Minnesota Football Star Offered Contract to Sign by Barney Dreyfuss.

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## NEXT BIG REHEARSAL SET FOR THIS EVENING.

## Principals and Chorus Are Preparing Difficult Roles.

Principals are as busy as they can be under Organizer Sanberg preparing for "The Isle of Mystery," which is to be presented by the Moose lodge March 17 and 18. These principals include many of the best home talent stars of the city and the same classification can be given the membership of the chorus which is to back up the principals. The next big rehearsal for principals and chorus occurs this evening at Honan hall when it is requested by the promoters that all members of the caste be present.

"The Isle of Mystery" is the snappiest, best, most catchy production that has ever been given in La Grande" said a man yesterday who is familiar with home theatricals and who has studied this place. "It certainly is fine, and everyone that attends will get satisfaction."

## NOTICE.

All parties constructing or repairing buildings after March 1st, 1912, must have a building permit for same, in accordance with Ordinance No. 555, Series 1912.

R. L. LINCOLN, Chairman Com.  
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## MARKET REPORTS

Local quotations today:  
Butter—Fancy creamery 40 cents 1 lb. roll; 2 lb. roll, 80c.  
Ranch butter, 65c and 70c 2 lb. roll.  
Ranch eggs—30c.  
Vegetables and Miscellaneous.  
Potatoes—Per cwt. \$1.50

Sweet potatoes—11lb. 25c.  
Spinach—10c lb.  
Rhubarb—2 lbs. 35c.  
Hot house green onions—5c bunch.  
Onions—\$2.25 per cwt.  
Cabbage—3c.

Celery—Per bunch 15c, two for 25c.  
Sugar—Cane, cash price, \$7.10; 30 days' time, \$7.50 per cwt., beet sugar, cash price, \$6.90; 30 days' time, \$7.30.  
Beans—White, 2 1-3c; Lima, 10 cents.

Fruits.  
Home grown apples—\$1.00 to \$1.50 per box. Grade establishes price.  
Cranberries—20 cents per quart.  
Bananas—40c per doz.  
Oranges 40c to 50c.

Feed and Grain.  
Alfalfa Hay—\$13.00 (retail).  
Timothy—\$16.00.  
Grain Hay—\$13.00.  
Snowdrift Flour, Sack \$1.35.  
Bluestem—\$1.35.  
Patent—\$1.25.

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