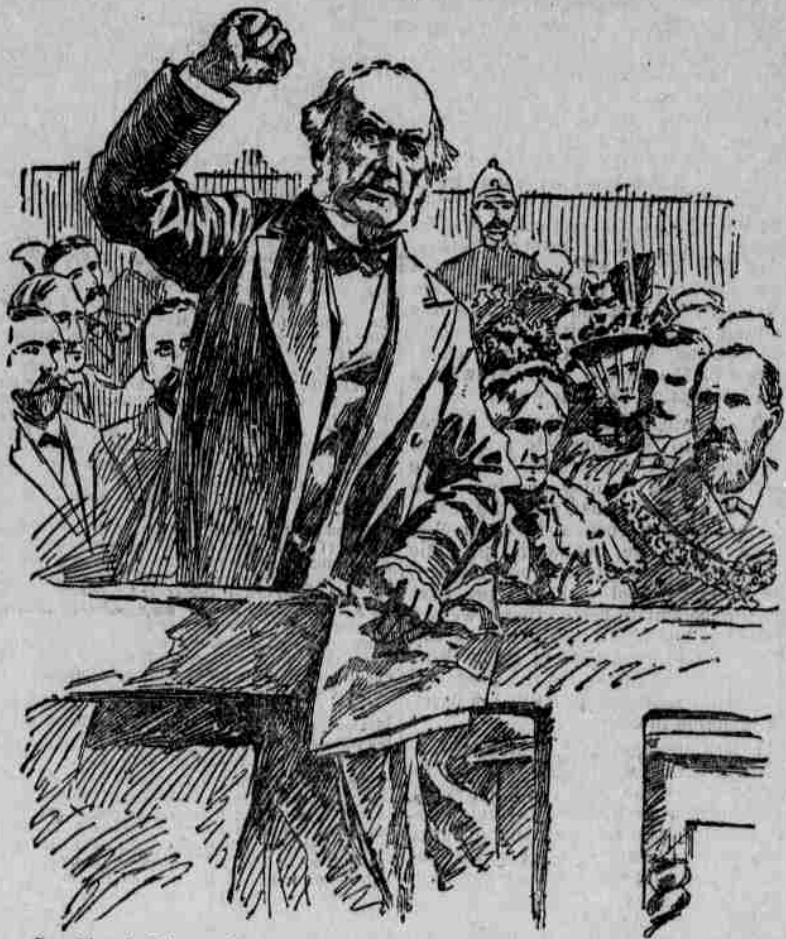


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THE SIXTH MASSACHUSETTS.

Famous Regiment's Second March Through Baltimore.

Times change and men change with them. This truth is recalled by the reception accorded the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment in Baltimore while on its way to the encampment in Falls Church, Va., to aid in crushing Spain.

The commander, Edward P. Jones, scented an uprising in January, 1861, and had his companies, chiefly from Boston, ready weeks before the firing on Fort Sumter.



SECOND MARCH OF 6TH MASSACHUSETTS THROUGH BALTIMORE.

seal of war. The New Yorkers gave the troops an uproarious welcome. As soon as it was learned they were to go through Baltimore the people of that city became very indignant and proposed to forcibly prevent it.

The troops arrived in the hostile city in a crowded station filled with angry men who hurled execrations at the arriving soldiery. Finding this did not provoke a quarrel, as the Sixth emerged into the street a fusillade was begun, and soon the air was filled with flying missiles hurled at the invaders.

The assault embittered the Baltimoreans and led to a general arming of the men and boys, who threatened to massacre any Northern troops that should attempt the march through their city.

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The order was secured and Washington, for some time after, was reached by Northern regiments going around by way of Annapolis and avoiding Baltimore.

Long ago Boston and Baltimore made up for this scrimmage and have been the best friends since, and it was at the request of the Marylanders that the Sixth Regiment, equipped for service against a foreign foe, be invited to tread the streets where her march was so rudely disturbed thirty-seven years ago.

When the regiment arrived there it met with a magnificent welcome. For four hours thousands hung around the Mount Royal station awaiting the soldiers. When they did arrive 20,000 people were massed in the square and a great shout went up as the Boston boys left the train.

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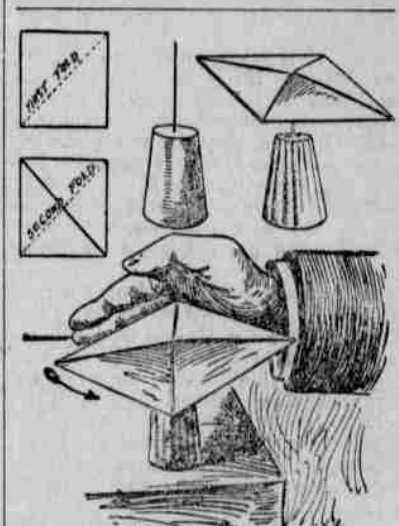
MRS. MILES.

the army." Mrs. Miles has not lost much of that charm that made her the goddess of every young fellow from West Point in her young days in California. She was Mary Sherman before her marriage.

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Whirligig that Has Baffled Scientists of International Repute.

Fold a piece of paper as shown in the cut and balance it on a needle forced into a cork. If you place your open right hand by the side of the apparatus, with the palm as near to the paper as can be without actually touching it, and with the fingers slightly curved inward, the vane, after one or two preliminary wriggles, will begin to revolve slowly from right to left.



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"Don't you know what's the matter? Bill Smith had to quit drinking," replied the second citizen.

"Did the doctors tell him he had to quit?" asked the first citizen.

"No. Thirty years ago, and up to the last year, Bill Smith could get drunk and roll in the soft mud anywhere west of King's highway; but recently granitoid sidewalks were put down in his locality, and Smith went home drunk five nights in succession, and each night he had a new bump the size of a hen's egg on his head.

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