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Said a jolly man of 40, of almost aldermanic rotundity, "since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla." What he meant was that this grand digestive tonic had so completely cured all distress and disagreeable dyspeptic symptoms that he lived, ate and slept in comfort. You may be put into this delightful condition if you will take

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America's Greatest Medicine.

Music for Invalids.

Miss Anna Estell Wilson, of New York, has found a decidedly novel occupation. She prepares music for invalids. She says that although the healing power of music is yet only dimly perceived, nevertheless physicians acknowledge that its proper use produces highly beneficial effects. Under the influence of certain kinds of music the nerve cells, if depleted or too relaxed, may be stimulated to more vigorous action. Music of an opposite character will diminish too great nervous activity and tend to produce a condition of peace and restfulness. Several physicians commend Miss Wilson's system. She does not say anything about how many different diseases of the nerves one piano in a flat house is capable of producing in a very short time.

Dear Madam:

Your grocer is authorized to pay you back your money if you don't like *Schilling's Best* baking powder.

No questions asked.

San Francisco JA Schilling & Company

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WAGONS IMPROVED.

The new improved Stoughton wagons stand the racket. Three more car loads are on the way. It pays to have the best. Write for free catalogue. JOHN POOLE, sole agent, foot of Morrison street, Portland, Or.

In fasting feats the sect of Jains, in India, is far ahead of all rivals. Fasts of from 30 to 40 days are very common, and once a year they are said to abstain from food for 75 days.

FITS Permanently Cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. DR. R. H. KLINE, Ld., 931 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The action of castor oil, supposed by some experiments to depend upon a body from the castor seeds supended in the oil, has been found by Meyer to be due to the rinoleic acid of the oil itself.

I know that my life was saved by Piso's Cure for Consumption.—John A. Miller, Au Sable, Michigan, April 21, 1895.

Scarpology is the art of reading character from the shoe soles. According to a Swiss physician, a symmetrically worn heel and sole indicate an energetic, faithful, well-balanced character.

Try Schilling's Best tea and baking powder.

When dead bodies are entered as a cargo on a ship, they are often recorded on the invoices as "statuary" or "natural history specimens," to allay the superstitious fears of the crew.

Dr. Albert C. Peale reports to the government that there are 8,822 known mineral springs in the United States.

AIDED BY MRS. PINKHAM.

Mrs. W. E. Paxton, Youngtown, North Dakota, writes about her struggle to regain health after the birth of her little girl:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—It is with pleasure that I add my testimony to your list, hoping that it may induce others to avail themselves of your valuable medicine.

"After the birth of my little girl, three years ago, my health was very poor. I had leucorrhœa badly, and a terrible bearing-down pain which gradually grew worse, until I could do no work. Also had headache nearly all the time, and dizzy feelings. Menstruations were very profuse, appearing every two weeks.

"I took medicine from a good doctor, but it seemed to do no good. I was becoming alarmed over my condition, when I read your advertisement in a paper. I sent at once for a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and after taking two-thirds of the bottle I felt so much better that I send for two more. After using three bottles I felt as strong and well as any one.

"I think it is the best medicine for female weakness ever advertised, and recommend it to every lady I meet suffering from this trouble."

Maternity is a wonderful experience and many women approach it wholly unprepared. Childbirth under right conditions need not terrify women.

The advice of Mrs. Pinkham is freely offered to all expectant mothers, and her advice is beyond question the most valuable to be obtained. If Mrs. Paxton had written to Mrs. Pinkham before confinement she would have been saved much suffering. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass.

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NEW FOREIGN POLICY

Coming Greatness Discussed by National Conference.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL FAVORED

Judge Grosscup Eloquently Dwells on the Glories of Conquest and Territorial Expansion.

Saratoga, Aug. 22.—The national conference on the foreign policy of the United States opened here today, with an address by Henry Wade Rogers, of Chicago, chairman of the committee on arrangement. Rogers said the conference was called to consider some momentous questions in the history of the republic. He spoke of the war, and returned prayerful thanks for the peace now at hand. While peace has arrived, he said, there were many serious problems to be considered.

He referred to the close friendship between Americans and British, which would promptly lead to international arbitration and finally to universal peace. The speaker spoke favorably of the Nicaragua canal, which he argued should be built and controlled by the United States government. The canal would shorten the distance by water to San Francisco by 12,000 miles. The question of the Nicaragua canal was taken up, and Warner Miller took the platform. He briefly spoke of his persistent advocacy of the canal.

Events of the past three months demanded the immediate construction, and he believed all Americans were now universally in favor of it, as was also all of Europe. He spoke of the numerous surveys made of every proposed route to pierce the isthmus, and said the route by the way of the Nicaragua canal has received great consideration as both feasible and desirable. Mr. Miller referred to several canals that have materially aided in opening up the country.

The Nicaragua canal would alone save us 10,000 miles, and would be a great outlet for those states on the Pacific coast. The continent is gridironed with transcontinental railroads, but these do not alone afford the advantages that could be secured by a canal. It is a question of cheap transportation, and the Nicaragua canal would solve the problem. Within 10 years after the completion of the canal the population of the Pacific states will have increased to 10,000,000. One of the best results of the Spanish-American war is that it will compel the building of the Nicaragua canal.

The annexation problem was taken up at the afternoon session. Carl Schurz, of New York, spoke at length, giving the views of the anti-expansionists, whose cause he advocated. He was opposed by Judge Grosscup, of Chicago, who is an earnest expansionist. Judge Grosscup said in part:

"I am among those who believe that the people of the United States can, without breach of faith to the promises of our past or serious danger to the expectations of our future, hold permanently all or a portion of the territory that has been occupied by our troops during the progress of the war. I am ready to go a step further and assert that the obligations of our duty toward mankind, and especially toward the particular peoples who have been drawn within the sphere of our operations, and toward the future usefulness of ourselves, demand that we should permanently retain so much of these, the captures of war, as are needed to round out the moral purposes for which it was inaugurated, and the greater destiny on which, as a nation, we are about to enter.

"As a people, we, for the first time, look clearly over the empire of the earth. Without the sacrifice of righteousness or honor, but as the ministers of both, the invitation comes to take our share in the opportunities and responsibilities of this wider field. The immediate question, the one that, by its solution, will either bring in or bar out of this larger national sphere, relates to the permanent occupation of our Spanish conquests. The true question is not whether Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines are intrinsically worth the responsibilities incurred by their occupation, but whether their commerce and resources will counterbalance the new dangers that their acquirement would introduce into our political system. For I see behind them, in the horizon toward which we are heading, looming up from the Pacific, mountainous interests and opportunity, against which the outlines of the Philippines are but a mere speck—something more than islands, nothing else than a continent.

"Within Asia lies the interest and the opportunity that, by its largeness, dwarfs every other prospect. I favor the acquisition of Porto Rico, partly because the moral purpose of this war demands that it should not longer be a political plague spot in the otherwise purified Caribbean sea, but chiefly because it is at the gateway to the Caribbean—a sea that when the commerce of Asia is fully developed and the Nicaragua canal opened will, from both a naval and commercial view, become the most important water on the face of the globe. I favored the acquisition of the Philippines, or so much of them as may be needed, solely because in the new career of commercial activity upon which I trust we are about to enter, we need clear across the Pacific a line of naval stations and home ports; stations in every sense our own, carrying under the soil the American title and over it the American flag."

The Spanish armada consisted of 132 ships, 3,165 cannon, 8,766 sailors, 2,088 galley slaves, 21,855 soldiers, 1,855 volunteers.

Negro Private Killed.

Macon, Ga., Aug. 22.—Jim Neely, a negro private in the Twenty-fifth infantry, was shot and killed at Hampton, Ga., last night. He was refused permission to drink at a soda fountain and became abusive. When remonstrated with for swearing in the presence of ladies, he assaulted Mr. Will Henderson with his dagger bayonet. Henderson drew a pistol, but it was knocked from his hand and secured by the negro, who began shooting. A number of citizens joined in the fusillade and Neely received wounds from which he died.

MUSTER-OUT TO BEGIN.

Corbin Will Send From 75,000 to 100,000 Volunteers Home.

New York, Aug. 22.—A special dispatch to the Tribune from Washington says: Adjutant-General Corbin said in an interview that he was going to muster out between 75,000 and 100,000 volunteers as soon as practicable. The selection of the regiments will not be made arbitrarily, but having in mind, first of all, the reports of the regular army officers now with the volunteers. The highest consideration will be given the wishes of governors, as well as of the regiments themselves. The interests of the national government demand the disbandment of troops secured under the second call in certain instances, and in other cases regiments raised under the first call, which have had service and which have been materially reduced in efficiency through sickness, will be the first to go.

It will not be feasible to issue a general order or to prepare a complete list covering all the forces to be mustered out for some time to come. On the contrary, as soon as an agreement is reached regarding any particular regiment, it will be immediately sent to the state camp, and as soon as its property can be turned over to the government and its accounts settled, the individual records of its officers and men will be completed and they will be discharged from service under the United States.

The only mustering out orders issued up to the present time relate to the First Vermont infantry.

It was originally proposed that the regiments organized under the second call which had not left their states should be immediately disbanded, and this plan will probably be followed out with very few exceptions.

Ordered Home for Muster Out.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Oders were given today for the return to their states of the following regiments: First Illinois cavalry and First Maine infantry, now at Chickamagua; Second New York infantry, now at Fernanda, Fla., and First Vermont infantry at Chickamauga. Similar orders will be issued from day to day to other volunteer regiments selected for mustering out.

FOR HONOLULU.

Over Three Hundred Men Wedged Aboard the Little Alliance.

San Francisco, Aug. 22.—Three hundred and twenty-five officers and men of the New York regiment embarked on board the steamship Alliance this morning and will sail for Honolulu today. The ladies of the Red Cross Society furnished the men with luncheon before they went on board the Alliance, which is a very stanch little vessel, but entirely unsuited for the transportation of so many men. Merriam stated today that the Scandia and Arizona will probably sail some time Tuesday forenoon.

In addition to their troops, the two transports will carry 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition for the Philippine forces. It is now on the way from the East, and although the railroad company is hurrying it westward, it will not be possible to get it all aboard the two vessels. The troops will embark in the afternoon, and the transports will then anchor in the stream until their departure.

Yellow Jack Subdued.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The war department is not alarmed about yellow fever among the troops in the United States, but a close watch is being kept at all points where there is the least danger. Three cases at Key West were the only ones reported in the South, and no additional cases have been reported in the last three days. At Montauk Point there are several suspicious cases, but if it is yellow fever it is of a very mild type.

With American Consent.

Berlin, Aug. 22.—A dispatch from Hong Kong, dated August 19, and evidently official, says: The Kaiser Augusta, which left Manila with dispatches from Admiral Diedrichs, after the fall of that city, will return there today. Augustin and his family arrived on board the cruiser. Von Diedrichs, at the request of Augustin, gave them passage by arrangement with the American commander. Augustin has left Hong Kong en route for Spain.

Slaughter in China.

London, Aug. 22.—The Hong Kong correspondent of the Times says: "The slaughter in Southern China continues. Corpses float past Wu Chow daily. Two hundred rebels who had entered Tai Wong Kong were defeated by General Mawho, who killed 100 of the rebels and took 40 of them prisoners. The gentry in the districts of Paklan and Wu Gun daily send to the magistrates between 10 and 20 rebels for execution.

Military Prisoners Escape.

San Francisco, Aug. 22.—Three prisoners escaped from the military prison on Alcatraz island last night. They secured a rowboat and started for the mainland at dark. Sentries fired at them, but no trace of the fugutives has yet been discovered.

Two Privates Killed.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 22.—Alphonso Dayton, a private in the Twenty-third Kansas volunteer infantry, and another negro were run over and killed by a Union Pacific passenger train west of here today.

Injured at a Bullfight.

London, Aug. 22.—A dispatch from Madrid to the Times says: It is reported that at a series of bullfights at the village of Vicalvaro, four miles from Madrid, on Monday, 28 persons were injured.

Strengthening the Navy.

Berlin, Aug. 22.—The Russian government has ordered a 5,000-ton ironclad vessel from the Krupp works at Kiel and a similar vessel from the Vulcan works at Tetttin.

Morales Is Dead.

Washington, Aug. 22. — United States Minister Hunter, of Guatemala, cables the state department that General Morales, leader of the revolution, was captured Wednesday, and died on the way to prison at San Sebastian. With the assistance of the British gunboat Leundera, acting under the request of the British, German and United States consuls, the government forces on the 10th of the month occupied Ocscos, Morales' stronghold. Morales fled, but was captured in a cave. Thus ended the revolution in Guatemala.

WEEKLY MARKET LETTER.

[Reported by Downing, Hopkins & Co., Inc., Board of Trade Brokers, 711 to 714 Chamber of Commerce building, Portland, Oregon.]

Half of the 5c wheat advance made the previous week was lost last week. The September, which had advanced from 63 5-8 to 68 5-8c, sold back to 65c, and closed at 65 5-8c. The bulls were disappointed at the government report, which made the spring wheat condition almost perfect, and at the continuance of splendid harvesting and maturing conditions in the Northwest. With so much confirmatory of huge supplies, the mere matter of receipts, depending as they apparently did only on the mood of the farmer, in the estimation of the speculator dwindled in importance. The trade the week previous had thought only of small stocks and inadequate movement, and the inclination of the grower to hold on, but it turned last week from these immediate and lesser considerations to the greater, the amount of wheat that had been grown the world over.

It has been fortunate for everybody that the winter wheat farmer was not in a hurry to sell his grain. The result has been comparatively high prices for six weeks after harvest, cash wheat, in spite of the apparent abundance, commanding 70c and over. Almost 20,000,000 bushels have cleared since July 1, and at the rate of 1,000,000 bushels a day, the home consumption since the beginning of the new crop year has been almost 50,000,000 bushels, all at fair prices to the Westerners, for whose prosperity all are hoping with self interest. The speculator has contributed to this result by his very bearishness. The overzealousness of professionals to discount the big crops has kept up the short interest and created the congestion which has checked the declines and has forced occasional rallies.

New wheat is slowly moving into market. About a dozen or more carloads so far have reached Seattle. More of the old stock has arrived of late and on one or two of the docks there has been some good large consignments.

Portland Market.

Wheat — Walla Walla, 55c; Valley and Bluestem, 58c per bushel.

Flour—Best grades, $3.35; graham, $2.85; superfine, $2.25 per barrel.

Oats—Choice white, 38@39c; choice gray, 36@37c per bushel.

Barley—Feed barley, $20; brewing, $21 per ton.

Millstuffs—Bran, $14 per ton; middlings, $21; shorts, $14; chop, $13 per ton.

Hay—Timothy, $10@11; clover, $9@10; Oregon wild hay, $9@10 per ton.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 45@50c; seconds, 35c; dairy, 30@35c store, 20@22½c.

Cheese—Oregon full cream, 11@12c; Young America, 12½c; new cheese, 10c per pound.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, $3.50@4 per dozen; hens, $5.00; springs, $2.00@3.00; geese, $4.00@5.00 for old, $4.50@5 for young; ducks, $3.00@4.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 10@12½c per pound.

Potatoes—45@50c per sack.

Onions—California red, $1.25 per sack; silver skins, $1 25@1 40.

Hops—5@12½c; 1896 crop, 4@6c.

Wool—Valley, 10@12c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 8@12c; mohair, 25c per pound.

Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, 3½c; dressed mutton, 7c; spring lambs, 9c per lb.

Hogs—Gross, choice heavy, $4.75; light and feeders, $3.00@4.00; dressed, $5.50@6.50 per 100 pounds.

Beef—Gross, top steers, 3.50@$3.75; cows, $2.50@3.00; dressed beef, 5@6¼c per pound.

Veal—Large, 5@5½c; small, 7c per pound.

Seattle Markets.

Vegetables—Potatoes—$10@13 per ton.

Beets, per sack, $1.10; turnips, 85c; carrots, $1; radishes, 12½c; new California onions, $1.25; cabbage, 1¾@2c.

Fruits—California lemons, $6.50@7.00; choice, $3.50; seeding oranges, $2.50 case; California navels, fancy, $3@3.25; choice, $2.50@2.75; bananas, shipping, $2.25@2.75 per bunch; peaches, Yakimas, 75@90c; Wenatchees, small, 60@65c.

Butter—Fancy native creamery, brick, 25c; ranch, 14@16c; dairy, 15@18c; Iowa, fancy creamery, 25c.

Cheese—Native Washington, 11@11½c; Eastern cheese, 11@11½c.

Meats—Choice dressed beef steers, prime, 7c; cows, prime, 6½c; mutton, 7c; pork, 7@7½c; veal, 5@8c.

Hams—Large, 10¾c; small, 11c; breakfast bacon, 11¼.

Poultry—Chickens, live, per pound, 14c; dressed, 16c; spring chickens, $2.50@3.75.

Fresh Fish—Halibut, 3½@4½c; steelheads, 4½@5c; salmon trout, 9@10c; flounders and sole, 3@4c; herring, 4c; tom cod, 4c.

Oysters—Olympia oysters, per sack, $3.50, per gallon, $1.80.

Wheat—Feed wheat, $20@21.

Oats—Choice, per ton, $26.

Corn—Whole, $24; cracked, $24; feed meal, $23.50.

Feed—Chopped feed, $17@21 per ton; middlings, per ton, $17; oil cake meal, per ton, $35.

Barley—Rolled or ground, per ton, $23; whole, $22.

Flour—Patent, $4.10, bbl; straights, $3.85; California brands, $4.60; buckwheat flour, $6.50; graham, per bbl, $4.25; whole wheat flour, $4.50; rye flour, $4.25.

Millstuffs—Bran, per ton, $14; shorts, per ton, $16.

Hay—Puget Sound mixed, $8@10; choice Eastern Washington timothy, $14.

Eggs—Paying 19@20, selling 21c.

San Francisco Market.

Wool—Spring—Nevada, 10@14c per pound; Oregon, Eastern, 10@12c; Valley, 15@17c; Northern, 14@15c.

Millstuffs—Middlings, $18@20.00; bran, $15.50@16.00 per ton.

Onions—New, 70@80c per sack.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 24@25c; do seconds, 22@23c; fancy dairy, 21@22c; do seconds, 19@20c per pound.

Eggs — Store, 15@17c; fancy ranch, 22@25c.

Citrus Fruit—Oranges, navels, $2.00@2.35; Mexican limes, $9@10; California lemons, $2.00@3.00; do choice, $3.50@4.50; per box.

Good Roads Are Easily Maintained.

"The great secret of success in road-making and road-keeping is to drain the roads, and keep the roads drained by keeping the ditches open," writes John Gilmer Speed on "How to Have Good Country Roads," in the August Ladies' Home Journal. "The old method was to run a plow through the side ditches and throw the disturbed soil, sod and all, in the middle of the road. There it would stay till a heavy rain came to wash this soil back into the ditches and fill them up again. If there were money enough this kind of thing would be done over and over again, as often as four times in a year. Where there was wet spots broken stones or gravel would be placed in the road and left for the passing wagons to wear this metal into ruts. The money spent was absolutely thrown away.

"By the new process all the road-mender needs to do is to provide ditches and outlets for them, and then to shape the road that the water falling in a rainstorm will run off at once into the ditches. The water must not be suffered to run in the road, but off the road. The rainfall, being thus simply and effectively disposed of, becomes a most beneficial instead of a destructive agent; it cleans, and shapes, and hardens the roadway, instead of washing it away and deepening the ruts. When there are wet places, such as springs, in the roadway, gravel and broken stones will not cure such things. The water must be drained off underneath the roadway and into the ditches by means of pipe or blind drains. The whole thing is so simple that any one can easily master the principles and put the details into practical operation."

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