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Professor Dewar recently stated in course of a lecture at the Royal Ination of Great Britain that there een a great developmnet in the feation of liquid air as an ana-

# FIRED THE FIRST SHOT. Gunner Charles Cavanaugh Opened

the Battle at Manila. Gunner Charles Cavanaugh, the man

who fired the first shot in the great naval battle of Manila Bay, is a native of Harvey County, Kansas, He is a gunner on the Olympia, Admiral Dew-ey's flagship, and has charge of one ping them.—Mas. C. A. Barns. Stay-the Get only Hood's because who fired the first shot in the great commenced the Olympia signaled the other ships to begin firing, both by "wigwagging" and by firing the first

shot herself. Charles Cavanaugh had the honor of firing that first shot. A

CHARLES CAVANAUGH.

been in the American navy nearly two drich." years. He enlisted in November, 1896, and was drilled in the recruiting ship Independence. The following March: he was sent across the Pacific in the mail steamer Peru, and after his arrival in Japan April 15 he was transferred to the flagship Olympia. He learned the tricks aboard ship very quickly, and was transferred to the Yorktown and back to the Olympia. His promo-

tion was rapid, and he soon was placed in charge of one of the big guns. BULLETS IN '61.

# But Cheers of Welcome for the Bay

State Troops in 1898,

setts Regiment, en route to Falls

# to the West Indies and the continent of America eventually enabled the

merchants of Liverpool to participate Porto Rics's Walled City Looks About in the more lucrative slave traffic. While Liverpool obtained from this ompetition a sudden accession to her with sugar, rum and other West India | Years ago, it is still in good condition produce, the trade of Bristol to the and repair. The walls are picturesque West Indies declined. The checks of and represent a stupendous work and Manchester, carried in Liverpool ships. ousted from that market the German. French and Scotch osnaburgs exported from Bristol.

# The Morse Handwriting.

think I mastered anything beyond the tion a whole family will reside. of yours-it never grows old, it never loses its novelty. One can say to one's self every morning: 'Here's a letter of Morse's; I haven't read it yet; I think I shall take another shy at it to-day, and maybe I'll be able, in the

course of a few years, to make out letter was received from Cavanaugh by what he means by those t's that look Charles Barber, a cousin, in which hes like w's and those i's that haven't any said the fire of the Spanish fleet was at eyebrows.' Other letters are read and all times very wild, and that to the thrown away and forgotten, but yours American sailors it was simply an ex- are kept forever-unread. One of them citing target practice. Gunner Cav- will last a reasonable man a lifetime anaugh is just 21 years old, and has Admiringly yours, Thomas Bailey Al-

# Poets in Parliament.

The father of English poetry-Chaucer-was elected a member of the House of Commons in 1386. In 1621 Waller was at the age of 17 elected member for Agmondesham, in Bucks, He was several times re-elected and in 1639, as a member of the Long Parliament, delivered his famous speech against the levying of the ship tax. Andrew Marvell was, in 1658, elected

member for Hull, the place of his birth, Addison entered Parliament in 1700; he had previously been Under-Secretary, and afterward was Secretary of State, Richard Glover represented

The reception accorded recently in Weymouth in Parliament for many Baltimore, Md., to the Sixth Massachu- years subsequent to 1761. Richard Brinsley Sheridan sat in the House, Church, Va., to fight the Spaniards, and his speeches as a member were was in striking contrast to that given greater than his poems; and at the

# FILTHY SAN JUAN.

as It Did 250 Years Ago

San Juan is a perfect specimen of a walled town, with portcullis, mont. mmerce which filled her warehouses gates and battlements. Built over 250 cost in themselves. Inside the walls the city is hid out in regular squares, six parallel streets running in the direct tion of the length of the island and seven at right angles. The houses are closely and compactly built of brick, Thomas Balley Aldrich once received usually of two stories, stuccoed on the a letter from his friend, Professor E. outside and painted in a variety of S. Morse, and, finding the handwriting colors. The upper floors are occupied absolutely illegible, he sent the fol- by the most respectable people, while lowing reply: "My Dear Mr. Morse: the ground floors, almost without ex-It was very pleasant to receive a let- ception, are given up to begroes and ter from you the other day. Perhaps the poorer classes, who crowd one upon I should have found it pleasanter if another in the most appalling manner. I had been able to decipher it. I don't In one small room with a flimsy parti-

date, which I knew, and the signature. The ground floors of the whole town which I guessed at. There is a sin- reek with filth, and conditions are most gular and perpetual charm in a letter unsanitary. There is no running water



STREET SCRNE IN SAN JUAN. in the town. The entire population de-

pends on rain water caught on the flat roofs of the buildings and conducted to the cistern, which occupies the greater part of the courtyard that is an es sential part of Spanish houses the world over, but that in San Juan, on account of the crowded conditions, is small. There is no sewerage, except for surface water and sinks, and the risk of contaminating the water is great. and in dry sensons the supply is entirely exhausted. Epidemics are frequent, and the town is alive with vermin, mosjuitoes, and dogs.

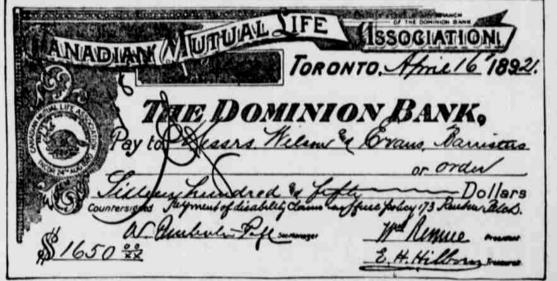
The streets are wider than in the older part of Havana and will admit two carriages abreast. The sidewalks are narrow, and in places will accommoare of a composition manufactured in unfit for heavy triffic. The streets are kept very clean. From its topographical situation the town should be healthy, but it is not. The soil under the city is clay mixed with lime, so hard as to be almost like rock. It is consequently impervious to water and urnishes a good natural drainage. The irade wind blows strong and fresh, and through the harbor runs a stream of sea water at a speed not less than three miles an hour. With these conlitions no contagious diseases, if propsrly taken care of, could exist; without them the place would be a veritable plague spot.

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now published another article about it in which the original reports a completely veri-field, the case of such testimony that fried the check given by the Candian Mutual Life Association for \$1,020,00 a mount of total disa? bitty c aim paid by them to Mr. Pere. The first account stated that the patient for nive years, that there was such a total apprince that he could not walk or help himself at pictors that he was bloated, was for the the store at the could not walk or help himself at pictors that he was bloated, was for the the store at the could not walk or help himself at pictors that he was bloated, was for the the store at the could not walk or help himself at pictors that he was bloated, was for the the store at the store of my hands is true of the rest of my body. Perhaps you have the the rest in the rest of my body. Perhaps you have the the rest of my body. Perhaps you have the the rest in the rest of my body. Perhaps you have the rest of the first of the the rest in the rest of the first of the the rest in the rest of the first of the the rest in the rest of the first of the rest of the first o

Engineering Under the Earth.

The newest wonder in American enthe ladderways, and the sixth and last Saxon, one aim, one goal," while being lode allowing work to be planned

the mine of water are operated inter- is still in existence. changeably by compressed air and electricity. The power drills which eat the holes for the dynamite cartridges are run by compressed air alone, and there are more than 300 of these drills, each doing the work of a dozen men, working both night and day, in the Calumet and Helea mine.

gineering has just been inaugurated at stronger sentiment towards Uncle Sam through the companies of the Twenty-Haughton, Mich., viz., the Red Jacket at the present time, called out no second regiment, says the New York Inte only one person. The pavements shaft of the Calumet and Helca-the doubt by the struggle, if such it may Tribune. The receipts given show just greatest mining shaft in the entire be called, between this government how the government wants its supplies England from slag, easily broken and world. It is 4,900 feet deep, and, com- and Spain. An instance of this is cooked. There must hereafter be an pared with it, the deep silver mines of found in new postal cards, which are inspection of the food at each meal, swept once a day by hand, and are the Comstock lode in Nevada, or the passing through the Canadian mails to and an officer is to overlook the weighwonderful mines in Austria, worked this country. On one card is shown ing and apportioning of supplies to as-for many centuries past, are but shal- the Stars and Stripes, which cover the certain that the amount given out is low pits. There are six compartments, entire front of the postal card, the sufficient. says the New York Sun, each equal in white bars of Old Glory being used to size to an ordinary mining shaft, four write the address upon. Another card of these being used for hoisting rock shows the union of the English and and lowering timber; one is used for American flags inscribed "Anglo-

compartment carries the wires and low are the national shields held by pipes for telephones, light, power, Ceres and the Goddess of Liberty, water and compressed air. The under- guarding whom are the proud eagle ground workings of the shaft are laid bird and the lion. Both are private out with mathematical accuracy, the postals, such as are now permissible in undeviating course of the copper-bear- this country, and both are very unique. The most ancient coin in Europe, the

thousands of feet ahead of the mineral ducat, was first struck in the mint of picks. The great pumps which free Venice in the year 1284. The building

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a single member of the insect tribe. the same regiment in the same city same time George Canning, author of signed to be hatched long after the troops were on the way to Washington member of the House of Commons. sents are dead, so that most insects to defend the capital against a Confed- Contemporary with Cann'ng was Lord erate attack.

Macaulay, whose rival in debate, Will-In '61 the troops were savagely at- iam Mackworth Praed, riso sat in the tacked and blood flowed freely. Re- House. Monkton Milnes (afterward cently the troops were received with Lord Houghton) became a member of every demonstration of joy and pa- Parliament in 1837, though better triotic fervor. Truly has time healed known as the writer of "Strangers the wounds of the civil war. In '61 Yet" and "The Brook dde."

the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment, after leaving the President street railway station were proceeding along

How many historical students have Pratt street, between Gay street and observed that Denmark's kings for 384 Bowley's wharf near Calvert street, years have all been named Christian when stone throwing and pistol firing or Frederick? This is not the result by those opposed to the passage of the of accident. It is the law. The prestroops was commenced with great ent King is Christian IX. He will be vigor. A large pile of cobblestones succeeded by Frederick VIII, who in was plied up on the side of the street turn will be succeeded by Christian X. here and these were used to drive back It is the law of Denmark that Christhe soldiers. There were thirty killed tian must be succeeded by Frederick in the mob and more than 100 wounded. and Frederick by Christian. To at-Five of the soldiers were killed and tain this, and without the changing of names, in case of death or other rea-

twenty-four were injured. Among those who welcomed the Bay son, every Danish Prince, no matter State soldiers last month were fifteen what other names he may receive, al ble Compound has of the men who stoned them in '61. ways includes Christian and Frederick They made up in enthusiastic welcome In some German royal families it i for the dark event of thirty-seven years also the custom to name all the male ago.

Duck Eggs in an Albumen Factory. Near Chingklang, China, is a great and sleepy most albumen factory, for the utilization of the duck eggs which are produced in that region in enormous quantities. flocks of 4,000 and 5,000 ducks being side, and such by no means uncommon. The eggs are broken at the rate of from 40,000 to terrible all the time, ate the white from the yolk, the forheadaches 60,000 per day by women, who separmer being carefully cleaned and dried sleep well until they resemble fish glue, when

they are packed in 400-pound cases nights. I allined with zinc. The yolks are passed through sleves into twenty-five gallon receptacles, mixed with a salt and borax solution, packed in 500-pound bar rels, and used in Europe for preparing and dressing articles of superior quality. The albumen finds a ready market in England, France and Germany for dyes for the best cotton goods .-- Philadelphia Press.

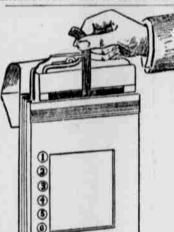
Liverpool and Slave Trade.

The great wealth of the merchants of London and Bristol enabled them to enjoy a practical monopoly of the African slave trade for a long period prior to Liverpool having any share in it, Liverpool Privateers." Liverpool ad- after the principal cities and towns, venturers with a small capital were unable to equip vessels and purchase goods specially adapted to the African market and of no use outside of

that market, nor could they afford to durance when deprived of power of ac await the uncertain results of round cess to their native elements. In Holvoyages, sometimes prolonged to more land carp are kept alive for three than a year and subject to terrible dangers unknown to any other description in wet moss and kept in a cold spot, of trading adventures. Early in the eighteenth century, however, a successful rivalship with Bristol in ex-

Street between Gay and Bowley's wharf, April 19, 1861, where a mob of 10,000 assailed the troops. consists of a water-proof case for hold-

ing three double dark slides, with an general the eggs of an insect are April 19, 1861, when the New England the "Needy Knife-Grinder," sat as a extra space at the back for prints, memorandum book or small focusing



CONVENIENT PLATE HOLDER.

sloth. In the front is a white matte surface washable tablet, on which may be recorded particulars of the exposure, and in each partition is a tape which enables the slide to be easily pulled out A pencil and pencil holder are included, and altogether this makes an excellent protection for dark slides, either in the camera case or in the holder alone.

Two Most Remarkable Rivers. From the beginning the Nile was an exceptional river. Its sources were un known. There were those who thought that the Nile flowed down from heaven; that it welled up from streams that disappeared under the earth on another continent, or, at the very least that its springs were inaccessible to man.

There was no such mystery about the Euphrates. From the remotest times its sources seem to have been known by hearsay, if not by observa tion, to the dwellers on the coast,

The Nile was beneficent even in its floods. The people learned to let its waters flow over their lands at the time of the inundation, and where they raised dikes and sunk canals and basins it was to let in the water, not to keep it out.

The Euphrates also had its floods. but these were destructive. They scarred the soft earth with ravines and swept the fertile soll onward to build new lands along the edge of the Perstan Gulf. The people anticipated the of thing keeps on Admiral Sampson overflow with dread, and their most absorbing task was to restrain the aire, and every jack-tar in his ships river within bounds. They became more intimate with the earth than own. their Egyptian contemporaries. They

learned how to mold the clay and to make their houses and the houses of their kings and their gods out of the material under their feet. The Egyp-

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Marigolds in North Africa reach a height of four or five feet.

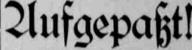
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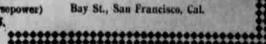
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children after the head of the house Thus it transpires that the house of Reuss has its King Henry LXIX. Ready for the Next.

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at the crows on the bank, he said:

"Brethren, this sister bath departed-

hand me down another."-Argonaut.

Naming Ships of the Nav;

The naming of vessels of the United

States navy is regulated by law. Ves-

sels of the first-class are required to

be named after States, those of the

second after rivers, those of the third

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