

## NEW SHORT STORIES. The President's Diplomacy-Golf a

a Leveler-In the Mexican Congress.

In speaking of President McKinley's diplomacy in dealing with office seekers a cabinet officer related the follow-

"A few days ago," he said, "a number of prominent bishops and ministers of the African Methodist church called upon the president to plead with him for more places for colored men.

"'You see, Mr. President,' said the spokesman, 'we believe that we are deserving of more recognition from the Republican party than we have yet re-

"'Well, you have the register of the treasury,' replied the president, 'which you know is one of the very best places In the administration's gift.' Then he enumerated half a dozen other places the colored people have been given, rattling off the list and making it sound quite important. The president has a remarkable memory, and the colored bishops were rather taken aback to discover that they had received so many

"'But Mr. President' exclaimed one of the bishops, taking a new tack, 'that is all right for the colored race. We will admit that the race has been tak-

en care of, but how about the Methodist church? Surely we ought to have something for the old church."

"'Oh, brother, we can't complain on that score!' replied the president, with a bright smile. 'We can't complain there, for the church has the president,

"When the colored bishops got as far as the gate leading to the street they stopped, compared notes and came to the conclusion that the president had been too much for them.

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Golf as a Leveler.

General Miles is a golf player. He went out to the Chevy Chase links the other day dressed in a well worn suit of corduroys and wearing a somewhat disreputable slouch hat. A small negro boy stood by as he placed his ball. The general lifted his club high, swung and-missed. The small negro boy said, "Umph!" Somewhat nettled, the general steadded himself, swung and missed again.

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'LOOK YERE, OLD MAN."

The force of the stroke set him spin

another disapproving "Umph!"

-Wash Cor. New York World.

In the Mexican Congress.

In his trip to Mexico Senator Bacon

saw many interesting and novel sights,

but his visit to the lower house of the

Mexican congress made a particularly

vivid impression upon him. Among

other things he saw the roll of the

house called in a very curious fashion.

A member of the body stood on the

stage-the meeting place was an old

theater-and called every member by

little negro.

The Time to Break the Rule. There is an anecdote in some volume of French theatrical memoirs narrating an experience of Mile. Clairon, the great tragic actress, with a pupil of hers, a girl of strong natural gifts for the histrionic art, but far too frequent and too exuberant in her gesticulation. So when the pupil was once to appear before the public in a recitation Mile. Clairon bound the girl's arms to her side by a stiff thread and sent her thus upon the stage.

With the first strong feeling she had to express the pupil tried to raise her arms, only to be restrained by the thread. A dozen times in the course of her recitation she was prevented from making the gestures she desired until at the very end she could stand it no longer, and in the climax of her emotion she broke her bonds and swung her hands to her head.

When she came off the stage, she went humbly to where Mile. Clairon was standing in the wings and apologized for having snapped the thread. "But you did quite right!" said the teacher. "That was the time to make the gesture, not before!"-Brander Matthews in Harper's Magazine.

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#### Room at the Top.

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I wondered how I'd give mamma what she had had before.	'n
But when I told my papa he laughed and said, "My son,	
that's done!"	0
So off to the photographer's I and my daddy went,	
And on me his long camera the photograph man bent,	
And so I had my picture, and we put it in a frame,	
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The set of them to me at my residence in Central Point, Oregon, with proper vouchers attached, within six months after the date of first publication of this notice. Dated March 7, 1901. W. J. FREEMAN, Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth M. Leever, deceased, with will annexed. EXECUTOR'S NOTICS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County. In the matter of the estate of Jos. Douden, deceased. NOTICE 13 HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County. In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth M. Leterer, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been appointed by the county court of Jackson county, Oregon, sit-ting in probate, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Elizabeth M. Leever, deceased.

leceased. All p-rsons indebted to said estate are re-quested to settle the same immediately, and hose having claims against said estate will

undersigned has been appointed by the county court of Jackson county. Oregon, sit-ting in probate, executor of the estate of Jos. Doulen, deceased.

Doulen, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are re-quested to settle the same immediately, and those having claims against said estate will present them to J. R. Neil, attorney-at-law, at nis office in Jacksonville, Oregon, with proper vouchers attached, within six months after the date of first publication of this notice. Dated March 18, 1901. J. F. WALLACE

J. F. WALLACE, Executor of the estate of Jos. Doud

#### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLE-MENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County. In the matter of the Estate of J. N. Young,

In the matter of the Estate of J. N. Young, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE administrator of the estate of J. N. Young, deceased, has filed in the county court of Jack-son county, Oregon, his final account as such administrator, and by order of Hon. Chas. Prim, judge of said court. Tuesday, April 9, 1901, is set for the hearing thereof. All persons interested are hereby notified to appear and file his or her objections to the same on or be-fore said day.

# LIVERY FEED SALE in the County Court of the Stale of Oregon, for ory. Stables,

in the County Court of the State of Oregoe, for Jackson County. In the matter of the Estate of Lewis Rees, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE administrator of the estate of Lewis Rees. deceased, has filed in the county court of Jackson county, Oregoe, his final account as such administrator, and by order of Hon. Chas, Prim, judge of said court, Saturday, April 20, Holl, is set for the hearing thereof. All persons interested are hereby notified to appear and file his or her objections to the same on or before said day. Dated March 21, 1901. J. R. NEIL, JACKSONVILLE . . . OREGON. Orders for Hacks, Buggies and Riding Horses Fromptly attended to. Freeding done at reasonable rates. Best of cars taken to prevent accidents, but will be re-sponsible for none should they occur.

J. R. NEIL, Administrator of the Estate of Lewis Rees. deceased

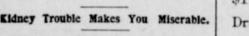
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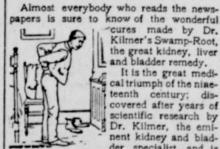
notice that there are funds in the county treasury for the redemption of ceased March 1, 1901.

name as they sat in their seats. He NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. did not use a roll call, but relied entirely upon his acquaintance and his mem-"But," continued Senator Bacon, "I was especially impressed with the manner in which the house did business. I went there day after day and never did see a member rise and address the chair. Bill after bill was passed without a vote in the negative and without a word of discussion. I became very much interested in this

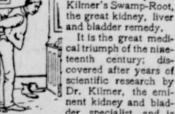
state of affairs, and, not being able to speak Spanish, I inquired of a gentleman at the door who spoke English to explain the situation to me. 'Oh,' he replied, 'there is no need for any debate. These bills are sent to us by the president, and he tells us that he wants all outstanding warrants protested from June 1 1807, to June 30, 1897, both dates inclusive. Interest on same

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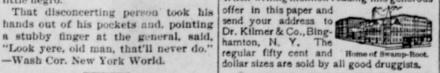


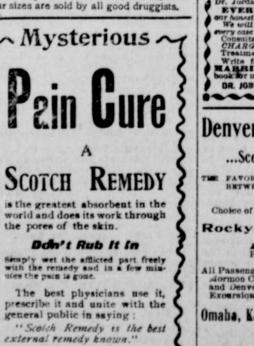
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