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The National Irrigation Association, with headquarters in Chicago, is doing good work in arousing public interest in the question of irrigation of the arid lands of the United States. It has just issued a map of the United States which is divided on the ninety-eighth degree of longitude, which shows that the territory east of that degree contains 58,218,000 inhabitants, while the portion west of that degree contains but 4.404,000. When it is considered that the entire arid area of the ecuntry is west of the ninety-eighth degree, the significance of the map is

before the American people today than that of reclaiming our arid lands and third of the entire area of the United States exclusive of Alaska is public would sustain a greater population

States. The increased demand for man-during several administracions, and tegular and healthy action of the charleston (S. C.) exposition—Mono-ufactured articles will stimulate indus-perhaps. Mr. Ledge's earnest advocacy. Some in the perhaps of the charleston (S. C.) exposition—Monomarkets and the trade of Asia will beretefore been so troublesome a farter consume the larger food supplies and in the case. products of irrigation will be consumed harassed. Presumably this is by or tag on so as to save me a trip down chiefly in upbuilding local centers of mining and other industries, which pressive measures are not confined to ence at all. Our people as a whole will terior has appointed a special comwould otherwise not come into existprofit for successful homemaking is mission under the presidency of M. having always believed that no docbut another name for the upbuilding

It has the enthusiastic support of the navy department, and stands a very of all classes are now prevented from married, you know. Mrs. Gabble—Inates \$200,000 for expenses incident to of their profession. naval reserve, and that amount is to constitute a continuous appropriation state department that the Chinese govand maintaining, under the direction prise 66 men. Two can be raised in China. Portland and one at Astoria. Under the new law everything will be nationallized, and the state will be at no expense for the naval reserve. With three companies here. Oregon will be entitled to a trainingship permanently stationed in the Columbia and available for the regular routine work of

Abbreviations make up one of the most important elements in the career of the telegraph operator. Abbreviated dispatches are often sent in five minutes that would require an hour's work if transmitted in full. But there is an operator out in Pittsburg whose originality in inventing substitutes for mates. When the death of young J. S. Ayres was first sent over the wires of Santiago.

and the name of Mrs. Bonine was first mentioned, one of the local operators eccived a query from the Pittsburg mean?" "Mrs. B-O-9." When the sigtry as "B-D-3" ever since.-Washing-

It would be interesting to know just there the Tacoma News stands on the

is the fact that it is drawn with view of creating a revenue for the falands, which are greatly in need of funds for various purposes, and that every dollar collected under the law at both ends of the line will be turned into the treasury of the islands"

"China is to admit wheat and wheat flour free of duty. But there will be a tax of 30 cents a barrel on flour entering the Philippines. The Washington members should oppose this item and secure, if possible, an open market for our Washington wheat flour in the isl-

Evidently the News is of the same opinion as the eminent statesman who which are greatly in need of funds." be relieved of its just proportion of

Senator Lodge is reported to have 100,000,000 acres of this land from a des- expressed his intention to bring all Despensia Cure and thought it fit my than the whole of the United States ion for a new executive mansion, says uninhabitable. The benefit resulting the business of the presidential office thement of the Ohio and MI sissippi val. gested as the best solution of a proft- famous for remedying this condition.

any one place. The ministry of the in-The hill for the creation of a fed- cussed and reported upon by the cieri- ter, eczema, or piles, as a matter of substitutes. Hart's Drogstors. eral naval reserve, which has fust cal department. Intervention by the are such cases. If so they will gladly This continent expects to have been introduced in both houses of cone ministry of the interior, acting on its refund the money. Hart's Drugstore. canal very soon that will be worthy of grees is framed along very broad lines. own discretion, is likely to lead to a good chance of passage. It appropri- moving freely about Russia in pursuit deed: And is that the young woman

Information has been received by the to be and remain available until ex-pernment is violating that condition of pended, for the purpose of continuing the international peace protocol which ing a long illness I was troubled with forbids the importation of firearms, bed sores, was advised to try DeWitt's of the secretary of the navy, the en- material for their manufacture and Witch Hazel Salve and did so with rollment and instruction of the naval ammunition into China for a period of wonderful results. I was perfectly plane is Mrs. Black! She-Isn't he reserve. Adjutant-General Gatenbein, two years. China's boldness in thus ket." Sure cure for piles, sores, burns, of the Oregon national guard, thinks defying the powers causes much sur- Beware of counterfelts. Chas. Rogers, get the prettiest wives?"-Tit-Bits. that the bill will unduobtedly pass, prise, particularly as the temper of Druggist. and that it means much to Oregon, the nations concerned in suppressing Under its provisions it will be possi- the Boxer troubles has not entirely ment with young Gotrox has been Foley's Honey and Tar. He had mem ble to organize three ships' companies been appeared, and further transgrea- broken off," said the first fair daugh- branous croup, and the first dose gave in this state. Each company will com- sion is likely to prove disastrous for ter of Eve. "Well, you are eptitled to him relief. We continued its use and

> relieved from his position as United still in the ring."-Chicago News. gross injury done to the miners of the used and I cannot say " a much in Nome district will not be so easily remedied, but will require years of expen- if the amateur Santa Claus is wise

Admiral Schley's council in their hill good English surprises even his work- jerity of the court of inquiry have ragua canal seems quite appropriate of exceptions to the findings of the maabout as completely demollshed that in the leader of a party which is alverdict as Schley did the Spanish fleet | ways in need of a "last ditch "-Kan-

Bronson's speech "I don't know. I didn't have my gas meter with me "-Harlem Life.

Charles Replogle, Atwater, O., was n very bad shape. He says: "I suffered a great deal with my kidneys and was requested to try Foley's Kidney Cure. I did so and in four days tificance of the phrase burst upon him I was able to go to work again, now I am entirely well." Hart's Drugstore.

> my last hired girl a month! Mrs. Fire-Dear me' Do you keep her locked up?-Ohia State Journal.

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objection.-"And den Santy Thaus he come down de chimbly-Doan he git his face all black wif most " Wal, he down mind dat when he's a callin' on cullud chillun."-Puck.

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> Marriage not a Failure -Old Friend Was your daughter's marriage a suc-Sho's traveling in Europe on the all

HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

A poor complexion is usually the re- in a few years -Brooklyn Eagle suit of a torpid liver or irregular acwhich has been widely discussed. They stimulate the liver and promote which has Rogers, Druggist.

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> The Flances.-Mrs. Malaprop-That's with him now? Mrs. Malaprop-Yes. that's his flasco.-Philadelphia Press.

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D. S. Mitchell, Fulford, Md.: "Dur- covered. Hart's Drugstore.

another hearing," rejoined fair daugh- its soon brought him out of danger. ter No. 2, as she held up a graceful Hart's Drugstore. Advices from Washington are to the hand on which a solitaire sparkled. effect that Arthur H. Noyes is to be You can see for yourself that I am

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