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THE NEW MEMBER OF THE U. SUPREME COURT.

Some important changes in the supreme court of the United States have taken place in the acceptance by President Roosevelt of the resignation of Associate Judge Horace Gray, of Massachusetts, who has been a member since 1882, and the appointment to the vacancy of Oliver Wendell Holmes, son of the distinguished author of that name, and for some years past chief justice of the supreme judicial court of Massachusetts, a position Mr. Gray also occupied before his elevation to the place he has just resigned on account of age limit.

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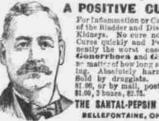
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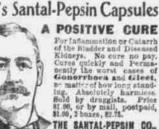
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