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I have recommended Cooper's New Discovery, a regular diet, regular habits and invariably these same people come to me afterwards and tell me they feel much better because they eat well and sleep well. Herewith is a sample.

A letter I received from Mrs. Geo. Weisel, 1121 Providence Road, Scranton, Pa., says:

"I suffered for three years from stomach trouble, inactive liver and rheumatism. Everything I ate disagreed with me and I lay awake night after night. I had no pleasure in life and could scarcely do my work about the house. I heard from a neighbor of Cooper's New Discovery and I bought two bottles of it. It helped me right away. Now I have a good appetite and never suffer from indigestion. I sleep well and awake refreshed. I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart for what this medicine has done for me."

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**Taft Will See Roosevelt Before Starting on Campaign.**

**SILENCE THIRD-TERM TALK**

**Roosevelt May Give Him Definite Knowledge As To This Phase Of Situation—Columbus Address Will Deal With Railroad Situation.**

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—A dispatch to the Record Herald from Washington says: "Secretary of War Taft will be back in Washington next week from his vacation. On the way from his retreat in Canada, the Secretary of War will call at Oyster Bay for a long and final talk with President Roosevelt before leaving on his trip to the Philippines and around the world in September. The conference with the President possibly will be more significant politically than otherwise.

It is regarded as possible that if President Roosevelt has thought of any new plan of eliminating himself from consideration in connection with the nomination on the Federal ticket a year hence, more absolutely than through his utterance on the night of election in 1904, he may lay it before Secretary Taft when they meet. The secretary will therefore be in a position to go across the continent on his speechmaking tour with definite knowledge of how the third term talk is to be silenced.

Some facts have leaked out within a day or two regarding the character of the talk which Secretary Taft will deliver to the people when he opens his campaign in earnest. First and foremost in many particulars will be the address at Columbus. Considerable data has been supplied relative to the railroad situation in all its phases, the deduction there from being that the Sec-

retary will declare at the start a policy in furtherance of the Roosevelt principles, which will be placed at his hands if he is nominated and elected chief executive to succeed the present incumbent.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Friends here of Secretary Taft, who is about to start on a tour of the world, have heard that he will reach this city Monday and that on the following day he will go to Oyster Bay for an extended conference with President Roosevelt, presumably regarding the affairs of government and of his trip.

Mr. Taft's tour will begin on August 18, when he will leave Washington and travel leisurely across the continent. On the way he is scheduled to deliver a few addresses. He will arrive in Seattle in time to sail on the steamer Manchuria on September 10.

On this trip to the East Mr. Taft will be accompanied only by his wife, his 11 year old son Charlie and his secretary, Frank C. Carpenter.

Montico Taft, a Filipino, who adopted him as his father a year or so ago, will travel in attendance upon Mr. Taft.

When Secretary Taft was governor of the Philippines Montico was a "rickshaw boy" whom he often employed. He became interested in him and did many things for his welfare. Two years ago Montico found his way to this country, sought out Mr. Taft and announced that he had come to be his servant. Since then he has been his faithful attendant. According to his native custom, he calls him father. From Seattle Mr. Taft will travel to Manila by way of Japan and China. His stay in the islands will be short.

The return from the Far East will be made by the Trans-Siberian Railway and Europe.

Mr. Taft will travel unofficially as soon as he has discharged his mission in Manila, but the tour through the Far East of a man so high in the Administration will be watched with interest by the competitors of the United States.

With the completion of this trip Mr. Taft will have made a record for a cabinet minister's wanderings. It is reckoned that when he sees Washington again he will have concluded more than 100,000 miles of travel since he was called to Cabinet rank.

**MAKE THE CHILDREN HAPPY.**

We have all seen children who have had no childhood. The fun-loving element has been crushed out of them. They have been repressed and forbidden to do this and that so long that they have lost the faculty of having a good time. We see these little old men and women everywhere.

Children should be kept children just as long as possible. What has responsibility, seriousness or sadness to do with childhood? We always feel indignant, as well as sad, when we see evidences of maturity, over-seriousness, care, or anxiety, in a child's face, for we know some one has sinned somewhere.

The little ones should be kept strangers to anxious care, reflective thoughts, and subjective moods. Their lives should be kept light, bright, buoyant, cheerful, full of sunshine, joy and gladness. They should be encouraged to laugh and to play and to romp to their heart's content. The serious side of life will come only too quickly, do what we may to prolong childhood.

One of the most unfortunate things I know of is the home that is not illuminated by at least one cheerful, bright, sunny young face, that does not ring with the persistent laughter and merry voice of a child.

No man or woman is perfectly normal who is distressed or vexed by the playing and having a good time.—Or thing wrong in your bringing up if it annoys you to see children romping, playing and having a good time. Orison Swett Marden, in Success Magazine.

**NEW DRESS FOR GODDESS.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Sixty thousand dollars is to be spent to fit out the statue of Liberty on Bedloe's island, with a new wardrobe and appurtenances thereto before next winter. A new bronze dress to cost \$1800 will be made for the sole lady inhabitant of the island. For repairing the pedestal which supports the bronze feet, the size of which she attempts to conceal beneath the folds of her dress, \$22,400 will be spent. Besides these items a spiral staircase and an elevator will be installed in her right arm.

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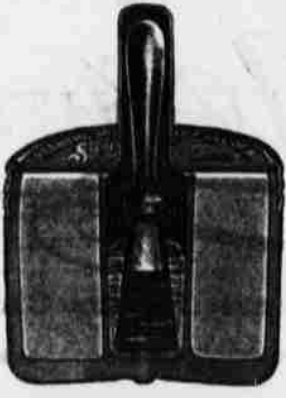
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**REVOLUTIONISTS LANDING.**

PUERTO PLATA, Santo Domingo, Aug. 8.—Carlos Mota and some revolutionists from Porto Rico have landed at Barahona. They have been reinforced by General Rosa. The government is vigilant, and the Dominicans may station cruisers around the island. The presidential election will take place in November and the present Administration will be continued in power unless retired by a revolution which would be a magnificent task.

The government, which has ample resources, thanks to the American financial occupation is ready for any event. German officers have been chosen as instructors of the Dominican army.

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It is with pleasure that I give you this unsolicited testimonial. About a year ago when I had a severe case of measles I got caught out in a hard rain and the measles settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time and had it not been for the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy, I could not have possibly lived but a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy I am now strong and well. I have written the above through simple gratitude and I shall always speak a good word for this remedy.—Sam H. Gwin, Concord, Ga. For sale by Frank Hart and leading druggists.

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