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Ex-Secretary of State Sherman Tells Secret Dealings.

HE TRIED TO PREVENT WAR

Says Negotiations for the Purchase of Cuba From Spain Were Under Way When the War Sentiment Arose and Spoiled All.

CHICAGO, Dec 29 .- A special to the Tribane from Washington says:

Former Secretary of State John Sherman, in an inverview, tells an interestang cabinet secret, which in the days before the war was frequently suspected, dat never established. With considerathe emotion, he said:

"I tried to prevent this foolish war with Spain. As a matter of fact, negostitutions were in progress to purchase Cuba from Spain when the war feeling dreaded disease that science has been suddenly rose and swept everything be- able to cure in all its stages, and that is fore it. And Spain would have accepted Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the the terms.

"This is a matter of secret history. And now what have we got to show for Philippines, for instance, which are worth about \$200,000 perannum income; increased indebtedness of \$200,000 and a lot of islands inhabited mainly by manture of the affair is that we are now about to be called upon to pay \$20,000,-000 for territory that we could have taken without expending a dollar.

DR WURTH'S OPINION

OF THE NEW DISCOVERY IN MED-ICINE.

A Remarkably Successful Remedy for Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Stomach Troubles.

Dr. Wurth in commenting on recent discoveries in medicine said: There is mone which is certain to be so valuable and far reaching in benefit as Stuart's Dyspepsia tablets, the new stomach remedy; I say far reaching, because people little realise how important a sound stomach and vigorous digestion is condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look; Office over First Nat. Bank.

half digested food, it poisons the blood ton's drug store. 50 cents per bottle, 5 and nervous system, creates gas which distends the stomsch and bowels, causing pressure on the heart, lungs and their action

He says further, the point to direct attention is not the nerves, nor heart, nor first cause of all the mischief.

The remedy to use for indigestion and but a remedy which will digest the food, increase the flow of gastric juice, absorb the gases, and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will accomplish exactly this result in these tablets are composed of the digestive acids, aseptic pepsin, Golden Seal and bismuth, pleasant to taste, and not a continuance of the rain. being a patent medicine, can be used by anyone with perfect safety. I believe Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any form of indigestion and stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach.

Full size packages of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents or by mail from F. A. Stuart Co., diseases together with thousands of tesabove, or call on your druggist for them. of the affair.

Attention Bowlers.

F. W. Weinschenck, manager of Moody's bowling alleys, will give to three persons making the highest average scores in five successive games of bowling between now and Christmas, one turkey spiece. After December 1st, each Thursday evening and Monday afternoon will be reserved for ladies and their escorts only. To the lady making the highest average score in five successive games between December 1st and April 1st, be will give a handsome silver traian church, Liverpool. tea set consisting of one teapot, one sugar bowl, one cream pitcher and one spoonholder. To the lady with the next highest average score, one silver cake dish. To the lady with the third highest score, one silver pie knife. 11-28-10

Gold in Pike's Peak.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Dec. 19 .-A strike of gold in the Strickler tunnel, being driven through Pike's Peak to increase the water supply of this sity, has caused the most intense excitement in Colorado Springs. A splendid yein Letters of Credit issued available in the bearing large quantities of sylvanite has been encountered by the contractor, Geo. W. Jackson, and samples from the find assay up into the thousands. Today pieces of the ore were roasted, and globules of gold were apparent in the

The find is of importance to this city, as the riches will revert to the city of Colorado Springs.

Experts who have examined the property say that millions of dollars' worth of gold are contained in the vein en-

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New Yorkers Reach 'Frisco.

San Francisco, Dec. 19 .- The Third DAN ROBERTS, battalion of the First New York regiment, which arrived here late last night on the transport Scandia, will be landed today in time to witness the departure Second Street, for home of their comrades now here. The new arrivals will be encamped at the Presidio, and in about a week sent on to their homes. They are in command of Major J. K. Segue.

There were 90 convalescent soldiers from Manila on the Scandia, in charge of Major Woodruff. The vessel also brought seven sailors from Dewey's fleet, three of them prisoners who will serve their sentence at Mare island, the other four being men whose terms of service had expired.

How to Look Good.

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More Rain in California.

San Francisco, Dec. 20 .- Another coother organs, and seriously impeding pious rain has fallen throughout northern and central California. Reports from all sections of the state show that | 00 for the past week damp, foggy weather lungs, nor kidneys, but the stomach, the has prevailed, so that the soil has absorbed every bit of the rain that fell last week. In most of the valleys the soil is weak stomachs is not some cathartic, in splendid condition for seeding, and where grain was sown early it has sprouted and is looking well.

In the Sacramento valley the farmers have ceased worrying over possibilities any case of stomach trouble, because of a drouth, and are now confident that sufficient rain will fall to insure big crops of grain. The indications are for

Compliment to Simon.

Washington, Dec. 19.-Senator Simon was complimented by the vice-president today, being appointed a member of the special committee on the centennial of the capitol. This will give him a prominent place in all proceedings in refer-Marshall, Mich. A book on stomach ence to the ceremonies of the occasion next year, as the senate and house comtimonials will be sent by addressing mittees will virtually have entire charge

Senator Wilson will leave tomorrow for Washington, to remain until after the senatorial election.

Want Rev. John Watson.

New York, Dec. 20 .- Prominent members of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, hope that it will be possible to induce Strs. Regulator & Dalles City Rev. John Watson (Ian Maclaren) to accept the pastorate soon to be vacated FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE by Dr. Lyman Abbott. Dr. Watson is now pastor of the Sefton Park Presby-

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