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There is a conspicuous lack of analysis in the alarmist fulminations against the so-called "imperialistic lungs. One Minute Cough Cure loosens policy" which is said to go with the the cold, allays coughing and heals requisition of the Philippines. The quickly. The best cure for children, opponents of retention have set up a "man of straw," and are beating it with every cudgel at their command. They are assuming that in some way the United States is going to convert itself suddenly into another Roman empire, extend its sway to the greater part of the earth, become charged with the "splendid barbarism" of ancient Rome, and eventually go to

smash as Rome went. In brief, they

voice of reason. There is no greater probability of the people of the United States drifting into Roman methods of colonization than there is of their going In the CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF

injustion than there is of their going back to the use of sandals and tunies.

We have a different people, with different lines of thought, different traditions, different customs, different traditions, different customs, different laws and ethics, different ways of transacting commerce, carrying on industry and making laws.

These are times of almost universal knowledge. Illiteracy in this country has been almost extinguished. The searchlight is always turned against the capitol at Washington; the people know always what their servants are doing, and have quick and sufficient means of applying a corrective, if it be needed.

The day has gone by when the United States might have been a great color.ial power, even if it so willed. The powers of Europe have partitioned the wild places among themselves. They have chalked off all of Africa; the American continent is appropriated, and little is

all of Africa; the American continent is appropriated, and little is left of Asia.

Even if the American people were dead-set for a colonial policy, the most they could expect would be the acquisition here and there of minor points of vantage from which to direct our growing foreign commerce. At the utmost, we shall never possess foreign holdings equal even to those held by the little kingdom of Holland. Holland, with an army of a few thousand soldiers, has an East Indian empire of 718,000 square miles, and rules over 31,000,000 East Indians. Its subjects there are closely akin to the Filipinos. For the most part they are Malays, and under the wise and benificent rule of the Netherlands, they are contented and happy, just as the Filipinos would be contented and progressive under the benificent protection of the United States government, if certain United States senators would cease conspiring with Aguinaldo and his agents and help to uphold the hands H.A. STURDEVANT, of our forces in the islands.

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Harmon S. Cheesman, of The Dalles, Oregon, H. E. No. 3846, for the lots I and 2, and the E 14 N W 14, Sec. 21, Twp I north, range 12 east, W M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation nis continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: J. W. Johnston, W. H. Calvin, D. Bunnell, H. Resdel, all of The Dalles, Oregon. JAY P. LUCAS, Register.

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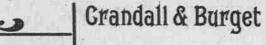
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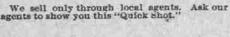
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