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Our Men Withdraw.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Orders have been cabled to General Chaffee to prepare his forces for withdrawal from Peking. Further than that the war department has taken steps to have a Taku a sufficient number of United States transports to remove these troops to the Philippines as soon as they reach port. These orders are preparatory and do not necessarily indicate that our government has decided finally upon an immediate withdrawal from China. It is simply itself in a position to carry out the pledge conveyed in the reply to the Russian note in this language: "The result of the considerations is that unless there is such a general expression by the powers in favor of continued occupation as to modify the views expressed by the government of Russia and lead to a general agreement for continued occupation, we shall give instructions to American officers in China to withdraw our troops from Peking after due conference with the other commanders as to the time and manner of withdrawal."

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid fever, that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of Consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Blakeley's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

Cause of Von Ketteler's Death.

BERLIN, Sept. 8.—A dispatch from Shanghai, dated September 7, says: "The staff surgeon of the German legation announces that an examination shows the cause of Baron Von Ketteler's death to have been a bullet through the neck, which must have been instantaneously fatal. At the funeral, Minister Conger made a stirring speech to the diplomatic body. All the foreign detachments were present."

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"I have been in the drug business for twenty years and have sold most all of the proprietary medicines of any note. Among the entire list I have never found anything to equal Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for all stomach and bowel troubles," says O. W. Wakefield, of Columbus, Ga. "This remedy cured two severe cases of cholera morbus in my family and I have recommended and sold hundreds of bottles of it to my customers to their entire satisfaction. It affords a quick and sure cure in a pleasant form." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Agreed on Three Points.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Lord George Hamilton, secretary of state for India, speaking at St. James tonight said that the communications between the powers had resulted in practical concord on three points: First, that there shall be no partition of China; second, that there shall be no territorial acquisition, and third, to demand reparation for past outrages and a guarantee against their recurrence.

A Good Cough Medicine.

Many thousands have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. If afflicted with any throat or lung trouble, give it a trial for it is certain to prove beneficial. Coughs that have resisted all other treatment for years, have yielded to this remedy and perfect health been restored. Cases that seemed hopeless, that the climate of famous health resorts failed to benefit, have been permanently cured by its use. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Porto Rican Statistics.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—General Sanger, director of the Porto Rican census, has just published a third bulletin relating to the population of Porto Rico. This deals with the citizenship on the basis of literacy, with special reference to the effect upon the voting population of the educational requirements imposed by the Foraker act.

The males of voting age number 201,201, and but 3.8 per cent are of foreign birth. Of the white persons of Porto Rican birth, 29.43 per cent can read or write, while 17.2 per cent of the colored population are illiterate. Under the educational qualification, the number entitled to vote in the island would be 47,973, or 25 per cent of native-born males voting age, restricting the suffrage to about one-fourth of the adult males. The cities of San Juan and Ponce contain most of the foreign element of the island, but even there the native whites and colored each out number the foreign element while together they outnumber them nearly three to one.

In Ponce the native whites are more than three times as numerous as the foreign element, and the colored are double this number.

Of the males of voting age in Porto Rico, 73,910, or 36.3 per cent, are colored.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at Blakeley's drug store.

Russia Boiles on Approval.

St. PETERSBURG, Sept. 8.—It is believed in well-informed circles that the adherence of the United States and France to Russia's proposal to withdraw the troops of the powers from Peking may now be relied upon. Japan's acceptance is also expected. The support of Germany and Great Britain is not dispaired of. But if they do not agree to do so, Russia, it is again asserted, will, nevertheless, firmly maintain her decision to withdraw her troops from Peking.

During last May an infant child of our neighbor was suffering from cholera infantum. The doctors had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house, telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days time the child had fully recovered. The child is now vigorous and healthy. I have recommended this remedy frequently and have never known it to fail.—Mrs. Curtis Baker, Brookwater, Ohio. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton.

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SCORED BY MR. CUSHMAN

Washington's Congressman on the Boy Orator and Bryanism.

The following is from the speech of Congressman Cushman, delivered Saturday night at a republican rally in Portland:

"Lest we forget, permit me to remind you that Mr. Bryan is the same gentleman, the same orator, that told us in 1890 what we needed was free trade, that in 1892 told us what we needed was tariff reform, and overthrow of the McKinley bill, and the same man that in 1896 said the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, overthrow of the supreme court and income tax law were needed. He was mistaken then. The same man today is trying to convince you by an appeal to anti-imperialism and anti-trust doctrines. He was mistaken in 1896, and, in God's name what makes you think he is right now. How many times is it necessary for a man to deceive us in order that we may have unlimited confidence in him.

"The two longest periods in American history, my friends, were the two periods between 1861 and 1865, and 1892 and 1896. During the first of these we were passing through a civil war; during the second of these periods a democratic administration was passing through us. "I don't think it is necessary for me to discuss the tariff question to night. It will be a long time before it will be necessary for any orator standing on an American political platform to discuss the tariff question again, for the reason that the American people have an object-lesson in the practical application of the free-trade law. And those of us who have survived the experiment now thoroughly understand the subject. The souphouse is an argument that appeals to the intellect and reaches the understanding of the most obtuse. For a lack of other issues, a great many democrats are becoming hysterical in a discussion of the trust question. The greatest trust existing in the United States today is overlooked by the democratic orators. It reaches every community in this country and has been entirely overlooked by them. I refer to the

trust that exists in the hearts of 75,000,000 people in William McKinley, and their trust in the republican party."

To show how confidently he should expect one preaching the ruin and disaster Mr. Bryan predicted four years if free coinage of silver at 16 to 1 were not adopted, would continue harping such a doctrine—the speaker took up a paper with the speech of acceptance at Indianapolis and began to read as though it were a repetition of free-coinage arguments. "But they are not here. These doctrines on which the salvation of the nation depended are omitted, and another salvation is brought forward."

Referring to "paramount issues," the speaker illustrated democratic facilities for this by recalling his mother's ironing. She had one handle and several irons. One iron becoming cool, the handle was detached and attached to a hot one. So it was with the democrats. They had attached one paramount handle to burning issue after burning issue, until they grew cold by use and were attached to another.

Senator Forsaker's comparison of Mr. Bryan to the Platte River—1000 miles long, two miles wide and six inches deep—Mr Cushman thought wrong, as the Platte river dried up sometimes.

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with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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