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The press dispatch of yesterday's proceedings in the senate speaks of one of Vest's tirades as being "one of those graceful, oratory phrases for which he is noted."

It is true that the government contemplates the construction of two additional dry docks on the Pacific coast, as announced by the Washington correspondent of the New York Post.

The average cost of men-of-war in Nelson's time was only \$250,000 for a large 100-gun ship.

DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared for cleansing the blood. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease.

The Imperial Bank of Germany has existed 20 years. Its system is by no means as simple or as perfect as in the United States.

Hornblower says as to Cuba, but he is wrong as to Hawaii, as he is wrong also in his ascription of Jingo tendencies to the incoming Republican administration.

Of course there are those who say that Cuba need not be annexed; that she need only be assured her independence and protected in it, but the history of all independent-governments experiments so far tried in the West Indies is that the civilized and industrious elements of the population were worse off under home rule than under the oppression of the old country.

So far as Mr. Hornblower's talk about the dangers of paternalism and jingoism under the McKimley administration is concerned, that is probably inspired by the small remnant of partisan prejudice which he has not yet got rid of.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positive cure for piles, or no pay required.

William E. Kettles is the name of the operator in Washington who on April 3, 1885, received the telegraphic message from General Weitzel to Secretary Stanton.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is."

No man who is intoxicated, or whose breath is even tainted with strong drink, is allowed to take his post on a train on the Grand Trunk railway.

The results of the census of 1885 in Germany give a population of 52,224,593, an increase since 1870 of 2,816,927, or 1.14 per cent increase per year.

The length of life may be increased by lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure.

There is great danger that the party "in power may go too far, especially in "paternalism and jingoism. I have as "much patriotism as any man. Democ- "rats have shown their patriotism by "voicing against their party. But when "you talk of annexing semi-civilized "or uncivilized states, jingoism goes "too far. We have admitted half-bred "states, and we have respected the re- "sults. Much of our trouble is due to "that. We have given Idaho, Utah, "Wyoming and Montana the same in- "fluence in the senate as New York, "Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Illi- "nois. Are we to add Cuba and Hawaii?

Cottolene advertisement featuring an image of a tin and text: "Cottolene is the best gift of modern chemical science to the culinary art. The best cooks use it because the food prepared with it is more appetizing, healthful, and economical."

The most "electric" village in Europe is Borobelo, in Belgium, where a plant has been put in operation according to plans drawn by Prof. Schœnbein, of Ghent.

Why is one woman attractive and another not? The most attractive and attractive thing about an attractive woman is her womanliness.

The anti-vaccinationists of Gloucester, England, are blamed for having caused 441 deaths. In the year 1887 the board of guardians voted by a majority of two to give up vaccination.

A New York lawyer has discovered a new disease which he calls "clergyman's mind." The inventor of the term was defending a reverend gentleman on a charge of having used \$13.56 collected on an insurance policy, and in entering a plea of guilty affirmed that the clergyman's life and training had made him abnormally deficient in knowledge of worldly affairs.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gundersen, Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife."

The Hartford Courant claims first place for Connecticut, as showing a greater ratio of gain for the republican ticket than any other state. The gain over 1892 was practically 60,000, or 15,000 for each congressional district.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. For sale by Chas. Rogers, Druggist.

Over 5,000 barrels of apples have been shipped from Montreal so far this season.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure.

The first number of a new paper entitled the German Industrial Advertiser, in the Japanese language, has appeared.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them.

Next year is the centennial of the silk hat, which first came into common use in Paris in 1797.

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Nothing, and not irritating, strengthening, and not weakening, small but effective—such are the qualities of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills.

The Manitoba census shows a population of 183,425.

Cottolene tin image with text: "COTTOLENE PURE LARD" and "MADE IN CHICAGO, ILL. U.S.A."

In order to keep up the spirits of his Swiss guard, the last remnants of the Swiss mercenaries once so common throughout Europe, Pope Leo XIII. has permitted a small theater to be constructed in the Belvedere garden of the Vatican.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt.

The word "bumper" has a peculiar origin. In early times when the church was in the ascendancy in England, the health of the pope was usually drunk in a full glass immediately after dinner—an bon per (to the Good Father). Hence the word "bumper."

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles.

James Cameron, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Yarmouth, N. S., 23 years of age, dropped dead while playing tennis last week.

It is a fixed and immutable law that to have good sound health, one must have pure, rich and abundant food, and a course of DeWitt's Sarsaparilla.

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