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The British keep a formidable fleet in Chinese waters, and it is now, evidently under orders from London, moving north. If China is a ripe melon to be carved with European swords, the British want the lion's share, and they have the sea power.

After the British get their share of the streak of fat torn from the short ribs of the empire of China, they will be quite ready for Hawaii, if our senators are so timid and tedious as not to perceive the wide-open opportunity that we now possess.

The wheat war still rages in Chicago, and the battlefield will not be cleared until after January 1. One of the millionaires has got to pay a high price for a tremendous amount of wheat, and lose a few millions. The profit if the winning millionaire in part goes to the farmers, and while they can hardly gather their full share, they may, as philosophers, consent to see that they are paid on the installment plan.

We present the Hawaiian government a tip, says the Standard-Union. If advised that our senate is an impracticable body, the thing to do at Honolulu is to organize fifteen hundred marksmen from our southern and western states, provide them with magazine rifles and good pay, and levy an export tax on sugar to find the state in ready money. A little American standing army would serve the Hawaiian republic as a tonic.

A WORD FOR JINGO STATESMANSHIP.

"The magnificent state of Texas—the France of America—would have been rejected on the same line of objection that is urged against the acceptance of Hawaii as a territorial part of the United States." What bosh! Texas is a part of our own continent, and at the time of its admission was peopled by immigrants from the southern states. Besides this, the people of Texas were anxious to come in. Hawaii is over two thousand miles from our coast. It has a mongrel off-color population, and the petition to annex comes from a handful of usurping Yankee carpet-baggers.—Nashville American.

In answer to the above the Standard-Union says:

"The Hawaiian Islands are of the American hemisphere. Geographically they belong to us. The world has been made more and more accessible to its inhabitants year by year, and the great nations are looking out for valuable territory. Russia grows rapidly, and is opening with the Siberian railroad a new wheat area, and she has possessed Port Arthur, where there is all the year navigation, and will never give it up. She is as certain to stay there as England in Egypt, and that is as certain as France in Algeria. The Hawaiian Islands are the greatest prize to be had peacefully that the world contains, and we the people of the United States would be on a par with the wild asses of the desert if we did not accept the fruit already in our basket. As for not being in a position to defend Honolulu, we must be in form to take care of ourselves by land or sea. Our fleet must be increased. We must stop fooling away money on creeks, and improve the four great harbors, and construct competent docks. We must enlarge our policy as one of the great powers. We should have a great fortress and harbor and arsenal on the greater of the islands of the Hawaiian archipelago, and we should have another on our Northern Pacific islands—the one nearest Japan. President Grant was right and the rest of us were wrong about a fortress, harbor, arsenal and dock in St. Domingo.

The old whig party was wrong, and the democratic party right, in the policy of annexation that added invaluable territory. Daniel Webster, the greatest of American statesmen, was just in time to save a piece of Oregon. He was sleepy and slow to arouse. James K. Polk was a wiser man than Henry Clay about Texas annexation, and Andrew Jackson had the real American instinct about that. John Quincy Adams and Charles Sumner early in their lives saw what a storehouse of wealth Cuba was, and in the careers of our statesmen, interest in Cuba marks the high level of attainment. It is unbecoming to talk of mongrel races. There are three of our states where the blacks outnumber the whites. Do the blacks rule them? Are they to be held in contempt or valued low down because all the people are not Anglo-Saxons, Poles, Hungarians, Italians, or of other European races? There should be an order of statesmanship in the south carrying the politics of the section beyond the conceptions of the days before the swift steamers on all the seas, the transcontinental railroads, the wires that are spun over the land and through the oceans, made the great globe we inherit one neighborhood. We do not need to, or care to, enter into competition in colonization with the armed empires of Europe in Asia, Africa and Australia, or even South America; but we are the dominant power on this continent, and we need Hawaii and Cuba, at least, not as states, but as territories."

ATTRACTIVE WOMEN.

Why is one woman attractive and another not? The most admirable and attractive thing about an attractive woman is her womanliness. Everybody admires a womanly woman. She must have health, of course, because without it she would lose the brightness of her eyes, the fullness of her cheeks, and her vivacity. Real health must mean that a woman is really a woman. That she is strong and perfect in a sexual way, as well as in every other. That she is capable of performing perfectly the duties of maternity. Some are born with what is called "constitutional weakness." Those who do not enjoy perfect health, need only take the proper precautions and the proper remedy to become perfectly well and strong. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will cure any derangement of the distinctly feminine organism.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," illustrated.

So many born, so many died today—
Thousands of angels passing up and down
They come to us, they go to wear their crown,
And keep 'twixt heaven and earth an open way. —M. Elizabeth Crouse.

It is easy to catch a cold and just as easy to get rid of it if you commence early to use One Minute Cough Cure. It cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia and all throat and lung troubles. It is pleasant to take, safe to use and sure to cure. Chas. Rogers.

Wheat can be grown in the Alps at an elevation of 2,600 feet, in Brazil at 5,000, in the Caucasus at 8,000 and in Peru and Bolivia at 11,000.

A PLEASANT EXPERIENCE.

A few days ago a charming young lady who was traveling alone between St. Paul and Chicago, was accosted by a handsome gentleman, who invited her to dinner with him. "Certainly, Mr. Carson,'" she replied, "for the Wisconsin Central lines have the best dining car service in the world! I shall be delighted." For fureher particulars call on the nearest ticket agent, or address J. C. Pond, general passenger agent, Milwaukee, Wis., or George S. Batty, general agent, 246 Stark street, Portland, Or.

In 1870 the Duke of Galliera began to spend thousands of dollars a year collecting rare stamps. Today his collectino is believed to be the finest in the world, and is valued at $1,250,000.

Mrs. M. B. Ford, Ruddell's, Ill., suffered for eight years from dyspepsia and chronic constipation, and was finally cured by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for all stomach and liver troubles. Chas. Rogers.

Queen Victoria owns a dress manufactured entirely of spiders' webs. It was a present from the late empress of Brazil, who had it specially prepared in her palace by twenty native silk workers.

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 Charles Rogers.

An even cubic foot of average soil was weighed and analyzed at Cornell university. It was found that the soil in one acre one foot deep weighed 2,062½ tons.

Prosperity comes quickest to the man whose liver is in good condition. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are famous little pills for constipation, biliousness, indigestion and all stomach and liver troubles. Chas. Rogers.

Beautiful lips are those whose words
Leap from the heart like songs of birds,
Yet whose utterance prudence girds.

One Minute Cough Cure cures quickly. That's what you want! Chas. Rogers.

Isn't it strange how often you will meet a person after you have been introduced when you cannot remember ever having seen them before that ceremony occurred.

BABY HUMORS

Instant relief for all scalding humors and rest for tired mothers in a warm bath with CUTICURA SOAP, and a single application of CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure. The only speedy and economical treatment for itching, burning, scaly, and pimply humors of the skin, scalp, and blood.

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BABY BL...

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take Ayer's Pills, and you will sleep better and wake in better condition for the day's work. Ayer's Cathartic Pills have no equal as a pleasant and effectual remedy for constipation, biliousness, sick headache, and all liver troubles. They are sugar-coated, and so perfectly prepared, that they cure without the annoyances experienced in the use of so many of the pills on the market. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Cathartic Pills. When other pills won't help you, Ayer's is

THE PILL THAT WILL.

MARINE NEWS.

Tide table for December, 1897

DATE	HIGH WATER A. M.	HIGH WATER P. M.	LOW WATER A. M.	LOW WATER P. M.
	h.m ft.	h.m ft.	h.m ft.	h.m ft
Wednesday 1	6 35 7.3	7 04 6.2	0 15 1.0	1 01 2.0
Thursday 2	7 30 7.2	8 21 6.1	1 08 2.2	2 12 2.8
Friday 3	8 23 7.1	9 34 6.1	2 18 2.8	3 20 2.4
Saturday 4	9 18 7.0	10 37 6.3	3 21 3.3	4 18 1.8
SUNDAY 5	10 08 7.0	11 26 6.6	4 12 3.6	5 10 0.9
Monday 6	10 52 6.9	....	5 14 3.8	5 54 0.0
Tuesday 7	0 18 6.8	11 33 6.2	6 05 4.0	6 32 0.0
Wednesday 8	1 00 7.1	12 10 6.2	6 43 4.2	7 06 0.5
Thursday 9	1 38 7.1	12 41 6.1	7 20 4.4	7 38 0.3
Friday 10	2 10 7.2	1 12 6.1	7 53 4.4	8 06 0.1
Saturday 11	2 37 7.4	1 44 5.9	8 29 4.2	8 30 0.1
SUNDAY 12	3 00 7.4	2 18 5.7	9 01 4.1	9 00 0.3
Monday 13	3 26 7.6	3 00 5.4	9 33 4.0	9 32 0.4
Tuesday 14	4 15 7.7	3 47 5.4	10 01 3.7	10 10 0.1
Wednesday 15	4 56 7.8	4 46 5.2	10 56 3.2	10 57 1.1
Thursday 16	5 40 7.8	5 57 5.2	12 00 2.7	11 56 2.1
Friday 17	6 28 7.9	7 28 5.0	1 08 2.1	 0
Saturday 18	7 28 8.1	8 48 5.0	0 56 2.9	2 22 1.1
SUNDAY 19	8 28 8.4	10 00 5.2	2 08 3.3	3 30 0.9
Monday 20	9 28 8.6	11 07 5.9	3 22 3.7	4 34 0.7
Tuesday 21	10 23 9.1	....	4 29 3.9	5 31 0.
Wednesday 22	0 05 7.3	11 58 6.4	5 32 4.0	6 21 1.3
Thursday 23	0 54 7.6	12 09 6.5	6 27 3.7	7 12 1.
Friday 24	1 40 8.0	12 59 6.6	7 19 3.5	7 58 1.7
Saturday 25	2 24 8.1	1 48 6.2	8 10 3.3	8 42 1.5
SUNDAY 26	3 03 8.1	2 37 5.8	9 00 3.1	9 24 0.7
Monday 27	3 42 8.1	3 27 5.1	9 50 2.9	10 05 0.6
Tuesday 28	4 18 8.1	4 20 4.4	10 34 2.6	10 44 .3
Wednesday 29	5 00 8.1	5 20 3.8	11 27 2.5	11 25 1.
Thursday 30	5 45 7.9	6 2 6.1	12 28 2.5	8
Friday 31	6 34 7.7	7 42 5.6	0 20 2.6	1 34 1.0

MARINE NOTES.

One four-masted ship, two three-masted ships and a three-masted schooner were reported outside yesterday.

The British bark Dundee, Captain Jarvis, 30 days from Hiogo, in ballast, arrived in yesterday afternoon.

The State sailed yesterday morning for San Francisco. Among her freight from this port was 200 cases of salmon and 130 sacks of oysters.

The Oriental liner Lombard arrived from Portland yesterday evening and anchored in the stream. She carries a valuable cargo amounting to $155,000. The largest part of her cargo is 3000 bales of cotton, weighing 1,518,000 pounds and valued at $80,325. She has 13,250 barrels of flour valued at $49,845. In addition to this she carries a miscellaneous amount of freight, consisting of shooks, paper, nails, stave bolts and heads, bottled beer and barrels of beef, consigned to different ports in the Orient, part of it going to Calcutta, and Colombo, Ceylon.

VESSELS BOUND TO ASTORIA.

The following vessels are bound to the Columbia River, with name of master, rationality, rig, tonnage, where from and date of reported sailing:

George Stetson, Murphy, Am sh, 1799 tons, Baltimore, August 6.

Drumburton, Spurring, Br bk, 1773 tons, Swansea, July 8.

Cambrian King, Hansen, Br sh, 1638 tons, Shanghai.

Dovenby Hall, Whickham, Br sh, 1898 tons, Liverpool

Ben Voirlich, Ahler, Ger sh, 1407 tons, Santa Rosalia.

Springburn, Rae, Br bk, 2560 tons, Cape Town, September 29.

Durbridge, McLauchlan, Br sh, 2121 tons, Table Bay, September 17.

Poltalloch, McLeod, Br bk, 2139 tons, Table Bay.

Otago, Esk, Swd bk, 970 tons, Hamburg.

Conway Castle, Jones, Br sh, 1591 tons, Valparaiso.

Commonwealth, Anderson, Br str, 2183 tons, Taku.

Vanduara, Beavan, Br bk, 1916 tons, Algoa Bay.

Glenpark, Irish, Br sh, 1159 tons, Rio Janeiro, August 29.

Glenbank, Leonard, Br bk, 1259 tons, Calcutta.

Genevieve, Touge, Fr bk, 987 tons, Haiphong, October 21.

Henry Villard, Pattett, Am sh, 147 tons, New York, October 14.

Oberon, Gully, Br bk, 1054 tons, Newcastle, Australia, October 8.

Jacques, Bernada, Fr bk, 1460 tons, Majunda.

Indian Empire, Allen, Br bk, 1515 tons, Valparaiso.

Jupiter, Funder, Dan sh, 1951 tons, Yokohama.

Chelmsford, Thomson, Br bk, 2197 tons, Cape Town, October 9.

City of York, Jones, Br sh, 1167 tons, Sydney.

Hoppett, Tork, Rus sh, 1365 tons, Port Natal, September 2.

MacMillan, Guthrie, Br sh, 1450 tons Yokohama.

Henriette, Seeman, Ger sh, 1205 tons Shanghai.

Lakemba, Bradhering, Br bk, 1066 tons, Freemantle.

Clan Robertson, Pill, Br sh, 1540 tons, Santa Rosalia.

British General, Thomas, Br sh, 1650 tons, Newcastle, Australia.

Midas, Messenger, Br bk, 1262 tons, Nagasaki.

Yalori, Brown, Br sh, 1469 tons, Newcastle, Australia.

Hornby Castle, Bright, Br sh, 1375 tons, Adelaide.

Jordon Hill, Walker, Br bk, 2176 tons, Melbourne.

Port Caledonia, Anton, Br bk, 3120 tons, Nagasaki.

Kintuck, Perrelle, Br str, 2881 tons, Yokohama.

Amara, Kent, Br str, 1566 tons, Hongkong.

Alexander Black, Dunn, Br bk, 1291 tons, Antwerp.

Warjen, Fritz, Ger sh, 2079 tons, Hiogo.

Lord Shaftsbury, Cunningham, Br sh, 2273 tons, Sydney.

Bristol, McIntyre, Br str, 1274 tons, San Francisco.

Emilie, Ottmann, Ger sh, 1738 tons, Yokohama.

Annie Thomas, Thomas, Br sh, 1743 tons, Port Pirie.

Almora, Thoresen, Br bk, 1769 tons, Newcastle, Australia.

Peter Rickmeer, Wastermeyer, Ger sh, 2825 tons, Hongkong.

Auckland, James, Br sh, 1245 tons, Adelaide.

Lydgate, Forrest, Br bk, 2259 tons, Shanghai.

Glenlui, Taylor, Br sh, 1894 tons, Royal Roads.

Oronteo, Bain, Br sh, 1276 tons, Sydney.

St. Enoch, Laird, Br str, 1832 tons, Shanghai.

Windrush, Walker, Br bk, 1432 tons, Adelaide.

Ortrud, Butz, Ger sh, 1456 tons, Santa Rosalia.

Alice, Kuhlmann, Ger sh, 2082 tons, Santa Rosalia.

Nithsdale, Stevens, Br bk, 1535 tons, Nagasaki.

Romanoff, Morgan, Br sh, 1226 tons, Newcastle, Australia.

Forthbank, Peterson, Br bk, 1332 tons, Gerghenti.

Gwynedd, Davies, Br bk, 1053 tons, Honolulu.

Puritan, ——, Br str, 2628 tons, Kobe

H Bischoff, Schwarting, Ger ship, 2708 tons, Melbourne, Nov. 5, due February.

Pak Ling, Allen, Br str, 2875 tons, Yokohama, Dec. 17, due January.

Andaman, Winter, Br bark, 935 tons, Algoa Bay, ——.

Lawnsdale, Jones, Br bark, 1403 tons, Brisbane, ——.

Cambrian Prince, ——, Br ship, 1275 tons, Melbourne, ——.

City of Athens, Lundins, Br ship, 1199 tons, Antwerp, ——.

Senator, Lewis, Br ship, 1612 tons, Royal Roads.

LUMBER FLEET.

Vessels on the Way and in Columbia River to Load Lumber.

Laura May, Hansen, schr, 234 tons, San Francisco, November 12.

Letitia, Stakkobye, schr, 234 tons, San Francisco, November 12.

Tenkio Maru, Kaneko, Jap bk, 1146 tons, Yokohama.

Sequoia, ——, schr, 335 tons, San Francisco.

Echo, ——, bgtn, 550 tons, Tientsin, Knappton.

Northwest, ——, bktn, 490 tons, San Pedro, Portland.

Edward Parke, Johnson, schr, 140 tons, San Francisco, N. P. Mills, San Francisco bay, Dec. 18.

Ralph J. Long, Hansen, schr, 86 tons, San Francisco bay, Dec. 21, N. P. Mills, San Francisco bay, ——.

Protection, ——, stm, 216 tons, Moose Landing, ——, N. P. Mills, Morse Landing, ——.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure: 25c. For sale by Charles Rogers.

The lake of Urumia in Persia contains more salt than the Dead Sea, which holds 26 per cent., or eight times as much as the ocean.

HOW TO PREVENT PNEUMONIA.

At this time of the year a cold is very easily contracted, and if left to run its course without the aid of some reliable cough medicine is liable to result in that dread disease, pneumonia. We know of no better remedy to cure a cough or cold than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it quite extensively and it has always given entire satisfaction.—Olagah, Ind. Ter. Chief.

This is the only remedy that is known to be a certain preventitive of pneumonia. Among the many thousands who have used it for colds and la grippe, we have never yet learned of a single case having resulted in pneumonia. Persons who have weak lungs or have reason to fear an attack of pneumonia, should keep the remedy at hand. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by the Estes-Conn Drug Company.

Alabama was settled by the French in 1702. It was ceded to Great Britain in 1763, and was admitted to the Union in 1819.

Northern Pacific railroad trains leave Portland daily at 11 o'clock a. m. for Tacoma, Spokane, and the East. Close connection made at Spokane for Rossland, Nelson, Sandow and British Columbia mining camps. For maps and information call on or address

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That to the highest doth attain.
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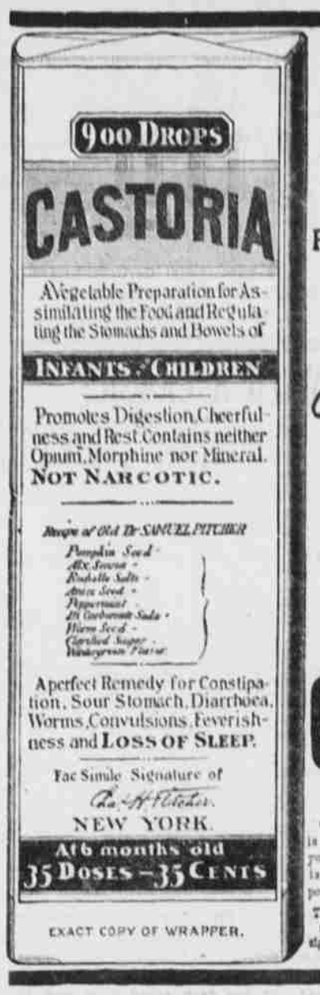
The number of stars pictured on the latest English and German photographic atlases is about 68,300,000.

After hearing some friends continually praising Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, Curtis Fleck, of Anaheim, California, purchased a bottle of it for his own use and is now as enthusiastic over its wonderful work as anyone can be. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Estes-Conn Drug Company.

Wear a wreath of roses in your hair at the theatre in place of a bonnet and you will be considered quite up to date and the envy of your acquaintances.



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I count life just to try the soul's strength on.—Robert Browning.

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A man thinks he can tell a woman she is untruthful, fickle, frivolous and anything else he happens to think of when he is angry; and she must smilingly listen and forget all about the hurt when he gets good and ready to make up.

J. A. Peckins, of Antiquity, O., was for thirty years needlessly tortured by physicians for the cure of eczema. He was quickly cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the famous healing salve for piles and skin diseases. Chas. Rogers.

If there is nothing else in the world for a woman to be grateful about the fact that she doesn't have to earn her own living by sewing on shoe buttons ought to make up for a few other trials she has to endure.

Miss Allie Hughes, Norfolk, Va., was frightfully burned on the face and neck. Pain was instantly relieved by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which healed the injury without leaving a scar. It is the famous pile remedy. Chas. Rogers.

In the last publication of the Berlin Academy of Sciences, Professor Roentgen has an article in which he confirms the observation of Dr. Brandes that it is possible to make the X-rays visible to the eye.

Don't be persuaded into buying liniments without reputation or merit—Chamberlain's Pain Balm costs no more, and its merits have been proven by a test of many years. Such letters as the following from L. G. Bagley, Hueneme, Cal., are constantly being received: "The best remedy for pain I have ever used is Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and I say so after having used it in my family for several years." It cures rheumatism, lame back, sprains and swellings. For sale by the Estes-Conn Drug Company.

White evening slippers are not worn as much as pale colored ones, save by brides.

Just let the world know you are on the invalid list, and it doesn't take long to tell who are your real friends.

So thorough is the excellence of Ayer's Hair Vigor that it can be used with benefit by any person, no matter what may be the condition of the hair, and, in every case, it occasions satisfaction and pleasure, in addition to the benefit which invariably comes from its use.

The race is won! As victor I am hailed
With deafening cheers from eager throats; and yet
Gladder the victory could I forget
The strained white faces of the men who failed!
—Julia Schayer, in Century.

To the aged, with their poor appetite, feeble circulation, and impoverished blood, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a boon beyond price. Its effect is to check the ravages of time, by invigorating every organ, nerve and tissue of the body. See Ayer's Almanac for the new year.

According to Nilsson, the zoologist, the weight of the Greenland whale is 100 tons, or 224,000 pounds, or equal to that of 88 elephants or 440 bears.

Mrs. Stark, Pleasant Ridge, O., says: "After two doctors gave up my boy to die, I saved him from croup by using One Minute Cough Cure." It is the quickest and most certain remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Chas. Rogers.

A Russian thistle nine feet in circumference was recently found growing by the wayside in the Sante Fe valley, New Mexico.

To artificially bleach the hair will destroy its growth; but if the hair inclines to grayness, assist nature to arrest it with Hall's Hair Renewer.

Those horrid pudgy, idiotic-looking dolls supposed to be perfect reproductions of real babies are on the market, but they are enough to frighten the genuine article into spasms.

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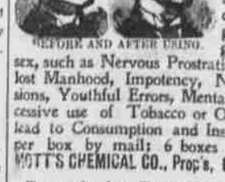

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