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In an address before the Illinois Teachers' Association at Springfield, some time ago, President Andrews, of Brown University, advocated free lunches in the public schools. "The authorities," he said, "should arrange in the cities for furnishing lunches to pupils of public schools, if not free, at low prices. These should be palatable, well cooked and served in the school buildings, under the supervision of the teachers. One purpose," he added, "in having the lunches served under the supervision of instructors would be to give the children of the poor beneficial experience in table life and etiquette."

The nation is more than willing to aid in generous justice with every soldier who rendered honest service to the army for the preservation of the Union, and with his widow and his orphans. There is no prejudice against honest pensioners, but the pension system has been so shamefully abused by coffee-caddies, bounty-jumpers and utterly unworthy pensioners, that disgrace has been brought upon the whole system, and our pension list must be revised to make it a roll of honor, of which every soldier and soldier's widow and soldier's orphan may be justly proud. The republican party has always been true to the interests of the old soldiers, and it owes it to them not to leave the duty of this revision to the performance of any other political party.

THE DISAPPEARING DEFICIT.

Even the democrats begin to realize that the monthly treasury shortages are nearing their end. The Brooklyn Eagle grasps this fact, and remarks that "there is some consolation in the knowledge that as the weeks pass by it (the Dingley tariff act) is becoming more of a revenue rabar and less of a deficit producer." That paper thinks, in fact, that the government's income is going to go up to a point not intended or expected by the framers of the law. "The indications," it says, "are that Mr. Dingley and his colleagues banded wider than they knew. Their primary purpose was not the increase of the revenue, but the protection of the home market, and it adds that "no student of political economy it will be interesting to know how a bill framed with the purpose of keeping out importations can be expected to be an adequate revenue raiser."

The "students of political economy" will undoubtedly be interested in this lesson. Here is a tariff which not only protects the home market, but increases the revenues. Both objects were in the minds of its framers. Naturally a tariff which increases the protection to home industries must diminish the importation of some or all of the competing products. The protection, however, which is thus guaranteed to the domestic producer expands the wheels of home industry into greater activity, gives employment to hundreds of thousands of hands, increases the average yearly wages in many branches of labor, increases the average yearly incomes of thousands and tens of thousands of members of the community, and brings the change in general conditions which makes the difference between bad times and good. Then as the purchasing ability of the people increases the demand for foreign goods gradually revives, importations grow and the revenues expand.

This is what is occurring in the present case. The Dingley act has given the home market, that he had before, and by restoring business confidence, by enlarging the volume of the country's activities, by increasing the amount of money which passes daily and weekly from hand to hand, and by adding to the sum total of the national property, it has enlarged the demand for foreign goods. Moreover, the goods which, during the time when the act was up in congress, were rushed in to take advantage of the lower duties of the Wilson-Gorman law, are nearly all exhausted by this time, and there, too, is a reason why the foreign demand is growing. Under the operation of these two factors—the general business improvement and the consumption of the heavy advance purchases of foreign goods of the spring and early summer—the importations are increasing and the revenues are expanding. Both influences, of course, will continue to operate. At the same time an earnest effort is being made to hold expenditures down to an low figure as are compatible with the efficiency of the service. There has been a constant

increase in revenues ever since the Dingley tariff went into effect, and both democrats and republicans now believe the government's monthly income will be up to the level of its outgo before the fiscal year ends in June next.

HOUSEHOLD GODS.

The ancient Greeks believed that the Penates were the gods who attended to the welfare and prosperity of the family. They were worshipped as household gods in every home. The household god of today is Dr. King's New Discovery. For consumption, coughs, colds, and for all affections of the throat, chest and lungs it is invaluable. It has been tried for a quarter of a century and is guaranteed to cure, or money returned. No household should be without this good angel. It is pleasant to make and a safe and sure remedy for old and young. Tryal bottles at Estes-Conn Drug Co. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.

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MARINE NEWS.

Tide table for January, 1898.

Table with columns: DATE, HIGH WATER, LOW WATER. Rows for Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

ASTORIA'S GRAIN FLEET.

Table with columns: Vessel and Flag, Wheat, Oils, Value. Lists various vessels like Duvalburg, Glenavon, Lady Wainwright, etc.

MARINE NOTES.

The British ship Pottalock, 52 days from Cape Town, in ballast, arrived in yesterday evening. The schooner Laura May and Sequoia, both lumber lads, arrived down from Portland yesterday. The British ship Springfield, 107 days from Cape Town, in ballast, arrived in yesterday evening. The steamer Harrison, for Tillamook, did not succeed in going to sea yesterday and is still in the harbor weatherbound. The British ship Lydiate was moved from near Filmore's cannery to opposite the O. R. & N. dock. The Lydiate is in ballast, and is without a charter. The Alice Blumhardt, which sailed from Portland for San Francisco Thursday without stopping here, had a cargo of 90,000 feet of lumber and 30 bundles of box shooks. The Alaska steamer Geo. W. Elder is due from Portland this morning and will take on 50 tons of freight at the O. R. & N. dock. Thirty passengers from here, up to late yesterday evening, had purchased tickets to go north. VESSELS BOUND TO ASTORIA. The following vessels are bound to the Columbia River, with name of master,

nationality, rig, tonnage, where from and date of reported sailing: George Steison, Murphy, Am sh, 170 tons, Baltimore, August 6. Cambraa King, Hansen, Br sh, 165 tons, Shanghai. Dovanby Hall, Whickham, Br sh, 158 tons, Liverpool. Ben Votrich, Ahler, Ger sh, 147 tons, Santa Rosalia. Springburn, Rae, Br bk, 200 tons, Cape Town, September 20. Pottalock, McLeod, Br bk, 219 tons, Table Bay. Ottago, Esk, Swd bk, 270 tons, Hamburg. Conway Castle, Jones, Br sh, 181 tons, Valparaiso. Commonwealth, Anderson, Br str, 212 tons, Table Bay. Vandura, Beavan, Br bk, 191 tons, Algoa Bay. Glenpark, Irish, Br sh, 170 tons, Rio Janeiro, August 20. Glenbank, Leonard, Br bk, 153 tons, Calcutta. Genevieve, Touge, Fr bk, 187 tons, Haiphong, October 12. Henry Villard, Pattot, Am sh, 147 tons, New York, October 14. Oberon, Gully, Br bk, 164 tons, Newcastle, Australia, October 8. Jacques, Bernada, Fr bk, 140 tons, Madagascar. Indian Empire, Allen, Br bk, 151 tons, Valparaiso. Jupiter, Funder, Dan sh, 101 tons, Yokohama. Chalmersford, Thomson, Br bk, 217 tons, Cape Town, October 9. City of York, Jones, Br sh, 117 tons, Sydney. Lakemba, Bradhering, Br bk, 100 tons, Fremantle. Clan Robertson, Phil, Br sh, 150 tons, Santa Rosalia. British General, Thomas, Br sh, 150 tons, Newcastle, Australia. Midas, Messenger, Br bk, 137 tons, Nagasaki. Yalori, Brown, Br sh, 149 tons, Newcastle, Australia. Jordan Hill, Walker, Br bk, 216 tons, Melbourne. Port Caledonia, Anton, Br bk, 212 tons, Nagasaki. Kintock, Perrelle, Br str, 281 tons, Yokohama. Amara, Kent, Br str, 156 tons, Hongkong. Alexander Black, Dunn, Br bk, 131 tons, Antwerp. Watson, Fritz, Ger sh, 203 tons, Hogo. Lord Shaftbury, Cunningham, Br sh, 227 tons, Sydney. Bristol, McIntyre, Br str, 174 tons, San Francisco. Emilie, Ottmann, Ger sh, 173 tons, Yokohama. Annie Thomas, Thomas, Br sh, 170 tons, Port Pirie. Almore, Thomson, Br bk, 170 tons, Newcastle, Australia. Peter Rikmore, Westmeyer, Ger sh, 225 tons, Hongkong. Auckland, James, Br sh, 124 tons, Adelaide. Ghendal, Taylor, Br sh, 194 tons, Royal Roads. Orient, Balf, Br sh, 126 tons, Sydney. St. Enoch, Laird, Br str, 152 tons, Shanghai. Windrush, Walker, Br bk, 142 tons, Adelaide. Ortrud, Butz, Ger sh, 146 tons, Santa Rosalia. Alice, Kuhlmann, Ger sh, 302 tons, Santa Rosalia. Nithdale, Stevens, Br bk, 153 tons, Nagasaki. Romanoff, Morgan, Br sh, 125 tons, Newcastle, Australia. Forthbank, Peterson, Br bk, 132 tons, Gerthoff. Gwynedd, Davis, Br bk, 163 tons, Honolulu. Puritan, Br str, 208 tons, Kloben. H. Hirschhoff, Schwartz, Ger ship, 270 tons, Melbourne, Nov. 5, due February. Andaman, Winter, Br bark, 85 tons, Algoa Bay. Lonsdale, Jones, Br bark, 143 tons, Brisbane. Camberja, France, Br ship, 175 tons, Melbourne. City of Athens, Lundin, Br ship, 119 tons, Antwerp. Senator, Lewis, Br ship, 102 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, Stakkoyle, schr, 234 tons, San Francisco, November 12. Teasdale, Mary, Kaneko, Jap bk, 216 tons, Yokohama. Sequoia, schr, 225 tons, San Francisco. Echo, brtn, 60 tons, Tientsin, Knappott. Edward Parke, Johnson, schr, 140 tons, San Francisco, N. P. Mills, San Francisco bay, Dec. 12.

THE COSTA RICAN COUNTERFEITS.

For many months the Costa Rican counterfeits have been passing bogus notes of the government of the island until the amount, it is said, has reached \$1,000,000. In spite of the severe service bureau was chiefly instrumental in bringing the counterfeiters to justice. The efficiency of the service is un doubted, but it is by no means a secret, but the latter's stomach-bitters does the work, and are successfully imitable. Any one who has used the Bitters knows its admirable qualities and the features of the exterior of the bottles. This agreeable tonic absolutely prevents and remedies malaria, rheumatism, liver complaint, kidney trouble and dyspepsia.

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CASTORIA.

The average woman professes being ignorant of being understood. Miss Alice Hughes, Norfolk, Va., was frightfully buried 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.

Some of the very newest wall papers on view at the decorative shops are enough to give a timid person nervous prostration.

The population of the world averages 100 women to every 100 men. Eight-ninths of the sudden deaths are those of males.

J. A. Perkins, 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.

The postman and the expressman ranked with Santa Claus in importance the last few days.

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

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

It won't be long now before the girl who received a set of furs at Christmas will wish they had been shirt waists instead.

Mrs. Stark, Pleasant Ridge, O., says: "After two doctors gave up my boy to die, I saved him from cramp 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.

How many persons are guilty of the rudeness of reading the morning paper at the breakfast table.

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