

THE EXCELLENCE OF SYRUP OF FIGS

is due not only to the originality and simplicity of the combination, but also manufactured by ac'entific processes known to the California Fig Strup Co. only, and we wish to impress upon all the importance of purchasing the true and original remedy. As the genuine Syrup of Figs is manufactured by the California Fig Strup Co. only, a knowledge of that fact will assist one in avoiding the worthless imitations manufactured by other parties. The high standing of the Call-PORNIA Fig SYRUP Co, with the medical profession, and the satisfaction which the genuine Syrup of Figs has given to millions of families, makes the name of the Company a guaranty of the excellence of its remedy. It is far in advance of all other laxatives. as it acts on the kidneys, liver and bowels without irritating or weakening them, and it does not gripe nor nauscate. In order to get its beneficial effects, please remember the name of

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. SAN PRANCISCO, Cal. LOUISVILLE, Kr. NEW YORK, N. Y.

Modern bables don't have as rocky a time as those born in the old cradle days.

The color of truth depends upon the eyes looking at it.

The learned man has a fortune that he can't be buncoed out of.

A SOLID SORE knee to Instep. Wild with Pain. CURED BY CUTICURA.

I was afflicted with such a terrible sore leg, it was thought it would have to be amputate I could hardly stand the pale, and had to get ong with a crutch. I tried all kinds of a close without success, getting weree nutil it becurre a solid sore from knee to instep. Almost with pain, I gave up in despair. I heard of CUTSCURA remedies and tried them. The first application of CUTSCURA (element), after washing with warm water and Curreuma Soar, gave me so much relief that I was able to sleep over half of the night, and in eight weeks I was cured. T. C. BEISCOE, 180 W. Hunter St., Atlanta, Ga.

Construct Ranci vany purelies the blood and riceu-lating flutes of Hissins Guess, and thus removes the cross while warm baths with Correctan Sour, and gentle an intings with Correctan (continent), greatest of tend-liest with current, cleanes the skin and soulp of cruels and soules, alley liching, burning, and inflammation, and floor worthe and besi the most insturing, disfiguring ha-tmore of the skin, scalp, and blood, with loss of help, when all rice fails.

find throughout the world. Poyran D. Ann C. Conn., Eds Props., Boston. "How to Cure All Human," free. BABY HUMORS Persented and Cured by ing --oris of upraings with the inten. given to smother

THE ARMY BILL IN THE HOUSE

Friends of the Measure Will Offer Amendments Moderating Its Provisions.

INSURE ITS PASSAGE

to the care and skill with which it is Opposition Contends a Greater Army Means a Colonial Policy Senator Platt's First Spiech.

> Hull, after Henderson, of lows, one of Hawallan service November 1, 1888. the floor leaders of the majority, had threstened to vote to recommit the bill, songer Agent Fee, of the Northern Padecided it would be wise, in order to se- cific, and General Passenger Agent Whitthat the committee would offer amendments to reduce the number of enlisted

These amendments have been prepared.

By the terms of the bill there are to be 30 infantry regiments of 10 companies meh with a strength of 145 men, and 12 regiments of ravairy of 16 troops, each with a strength of 100 men. This discretion, if the president would exercise it, would reduce the number of enlisted men about 31,000 and practically leaving in tact the organization provided in the bill There isn't an inch of level in a yard of so far as the officers are concerned. How far this proposed modification will allay the opposition remains to be seen. Johnson, of Indiana, declared that the purpose of the bilt was to have an army of 100,000 either by direct authority or exercise of the president's discretion, and he declared his purpose to fight to the bitter end the machinery which was being forged for a colonial system. Henderson, In the course of the debate today, declared his belief in the unwisdom of annexing the Philippines.

PLATT FAVORS RATIFICATION.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.-Particular interest was manifested in the senate today in a brief speech delivered by Benator T. C. Platt, of New York, on the general subject of expansion. This was the first speech Plast has delivered in the senate since his return to the body. He took a strong ground for the ratification of the pending treaty of peace, The pension appropriation bill, the sec. and of the general appropriation measures, was passed:

SITUATION AT HAVANA.

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tion of arousing feeling against the Americans. There is not the slightest danger of immediate trouble. The people are quiet and fairly well satisfied. It is only necessary to pay and disperse the insurgent troops to see Cuba enjoying more perfect peace than has been seen here in forty years.

Of course the fact cannot be disguised that the manner in which the insurgent army prisorves its integrity warns Americans, and unless something is done be fore the rainy season sets in there will

MORE BHIPS FOR HAWAII.

lenoral Manager Waterhouse on the Way to Europe to Get More Steamers for the Tacoma Line.

Tacoma Ledger: Frank Waterhouse, general manager, and E. W. McGinnis, general freight and passenger agent for the steamer Garonne, of the Tacoma-Hawalian trade, were in St. Paul this week. Regarding their vist, the Poneer Press, of that

"Mr. Waterhouse is on his way to Lon-

don to arrange for additional steamers He will secure immediately two large WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.-The opposi- ocean freighters and add to the first as tion to the army reorganization bill on the Hawaiian business increases. It is the republican side of the house has be- this line that operates the big passenso strong that today Chairman ger steemer Garonne, which was put into "Mr. McGennis will meet General Pus. cure its passage, to alandon the idea of ney, of the Great Northern, this week providing directly for a regular army and perfect arrangements for handling of 100,000 men. He answered on the floor passenger business for the Hawalian islands through the northern gateway. "It is uncertain how many vessels will men to about 60,000, but lodge in the be placed in service immediately, but president's discretion the authority to two freighters are necessary to hundle increase the army to a maximum of 100.- the business offered. Another passenger steamer and probably a third freighter will be necessary before long."

RUMORED RAILROAD SALE.

BAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.-The Chron. icle says: Preparations, are said to be afoot for the transfer to a big trans. continental rallway company of the San Francisco and North Pacific Ratiroad. which runs from Ckinh southward to Point Tiburon and thence has ferry connections across the bay to San Fran-The prospective purchasers are believed to be either the Vanderishts. that they may secure terminal facilities for their contemplated extension to this shut off the prospective rival from one of the best remaining buy terminal points for a railroad.

MURDER AND ROBBERY.

BACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.-Late last night two masked men entered a house on a vegetable ranch cast of the city in which ten Japanese were asleep, and presenting pistols, made them all get up and hand over their money and valuables One of the Japanese named Matsumams made some restatance and the robbers shot and killed him. They then made their oscape.

SUICIDES TO END HIS TROUBLES.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 27.-Harassed by business troubles and debilitated by sick. ness, C. F. Saxton committed suicide by asphyxiation. Saxton and his wife cam NEW YORK, Jan 27.-A dispatch to 10 this city some time ago from Milthus nosition

SAILORS EATEN BY CANNIBALS

Horrible Fate of Eleven of the Crew of the Maubare in New Guinea.

THEIR EYES GOUGED OUT

After Being Tortured They Were probable that she will get away for &-Killed and Their Bodies Boiled for the Gruesome Feast.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 25 .- After escaping death by drowning, 11 of the erew of the ship Manbare were captured and eaten by cannibals of New Guinea The Manbare was bound for Sydney, Australia, when she was caught in the terrible gale of December. Near Cape Nelson she began to sink. The crew, 18 all told, left the vessel in two bouts and soon became separated. One bont, conthe shore 10 miles from the cape. The saflors were saized by natives from the interior and burried off to the village of the chief. One man, James Greene, exorgie was participated in by at least 100 savages, who had gathered for the fenal.

In several cases the sailors were tor-The doomed men stoically watched elaborate preparations for their death. A huge pot filled with boiling water was used for the feast, which on the first day was prolonged away into burn. the night. In most cases the men were poles and paraded before the men who were to suffer the same fate.

Greene was rescued by a steamer after tramping without food a day and a night, tion, heartburn, constipation and headto reach the coast. The scenes of horror ache. coast or the Southern Pasific, that it may he had witnessed turned his hair snowy

U. P. STOCK EXCHANGED.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.-It was stated ast night that the details of the plan for the exchange of Union Pacific common stock for Oregon Short Line stock would be made public in an advertisement. The directors of the Union Pacific have set. tled the terms and the official announcement is expected today. It is generally believed that the arrangement arrived at will be share for share on the \$24.-460,000 of Short Line stock, with a 'string" to the deal, in the shape of a assessment on the Short Line holders. This deal should not the Union say comething about indigestion, and Pacific about \$1,000,000.

LEFT BEHIND.

the Berald from Havana says: In the wankee, He was the state manager for F. Morrison of company L and Lieutencountry everything is quiet, but in Ha. the Solar Water Heating system and held are F. M. Smith, of the Twentieth United food. I heartly endorse them in all reuntil recently, when it was States infantry from Fort Leavenworth, specis, and I keep them constantly on with seven noncommissioned wilcers and hand

transport Scandia safled for Manila. The offi was had secured shore leave and will repart to General Chafter at the Presidio. The privates were not given any permission to go ashore and are in dread of commary punishment.

TO BUILD PAPER MILL.

MARINETTE, Wis., Jan. 27.-A com. White Hapids, 20 miles from here, on the Menominee river, will be organized in a few days. Oskosh and Neensh people. including Kimberty, Clark & Co., are interested. The mili will cost \$400,000 and will manufacture 60 tons a day.

PHILADELPHIA READY.

BAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 27 .- The cruiser Philadelphia is nearly coaled and it is on temorrow morning.

Nervous Dyspepsia

To Gain Flesh, to Sleep Well, to Know What Appetite and Good Digestion Mean.

MAKE A TEST OF STUARTS DYS. PEPSIA TABLETS.

No trouble is more common or more nisunderstood than nervous dyspepsis. People having it think their nerves are t tuining 12 men, was finally thrown upon blame and are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicines. The real sent of the mischief is lost sight of. The stomach is the organ to be looked after, Nervous dyspeptics often do not have caped. The sailors were stripped and any pain whatever in the stomach, no bound and killed, one each day. A wild perhaps any of the usual symptoms of tomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach so much tured by the old women and children of cases the heart pupitates and is irregthe tribe. The eyes of one were gouged jular; in others the kidneys are affected; in others he bowels are constipated, with headaches; still others are troubled with oms of flesh and appetite, with accumuintions of gus, sour risings and heart-

It is safe to say that Stuart's Dyspepsia beheaded, their heads being stuck on Tablets will cure any stomach weakness or disease except cancer of the stomach, They care sour stomach, gas, loss of flesh and appetite, sleeplessness, pulpita-

Send for valuable little book on stomach diseases by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. All druggists sell full sized packages at 50 cents. Prof. Henry W. Becker, A. M. the well known religious worker and writer of St. Louis. Secretary of the Mission Board of the German Methodist Church. Chief Clerk and Expert Accountant for the Harbor and Wharf Commission. Public Secre-tary of the St. Louis School Patrons' Association, and the District Conference of Stewards of the M. E. Church; also takes an active part in the work of the Epworth League, and to write on educational topics for several magazines. How he found relief is best told in his own words; "Some weeks ago my brother heard me taking a box from his pocket said "Try Stuart's Tablets." I did, and was promptly relieved. Then I investigated the nature of the tablets and became satisfied that they were made of just the SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27 .- Captain J. right things and in just the right proportions to aid in the assimilation of

SOVEREIGN RESIGNS AS EDITOR.

WALLACE, Idaho, Jan. 27 .- James B Sovereign has tendered his resignation as editor of the organ of the Western Federation of Miners. When the populi state senators combined with the republicans to organize the state senate, Sov-ereign condemned the act and he now gives notice of his resignation.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OCCIDENT.

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Frank Taylor, captain Fourteenth United States infantry.

J. O. Dwartz, Vancouver barracks.

Julius L. Haas, Portland.

A. M. Smith, Portland.

B. R. Smith, Fortland.

H. M. Orant, Portland.

H. M. Orant, Portland.

J. J. Coleman, Portland.

J. A. Reid, Portland.

C. R. Knowiton, Portland.

Sam Cohen, San Francisco,

Alex Cohen, San Francisco,

J. H. Young, San Francisco,

James C. Murray, San Francisco,

James C. Surray, San Francisco,

James C. Surray, San Francisco,

M. Jacobs, San Francisco.

M. Jacobs, San Francisco.

P. Bilverstone, San Francisco,
M. Jacobs, San Francisco,
W. J. Reed, Oakland,
P. D. Newberry, Philadelphia,
J. Harber and wife liwaco,
William Stout, Ilwaco,
P. J. McGowan, Chinook,
George A. Skinner, Fort Stevens, PARKER HOUSE.

E. L. May and wife, Chehalis,
B. Walther, London, England,
Madame Walther, London, England,
Miss L. Oschelman, London, England,
H. Henderson, Svensen,
M. S. Griswold, Oysterville,
A. L. Politte, Svensen,
Charles H. Morgan, Svensen,
P. H. Hadden, Hammond.

Some women are afraid to the dark nd others are afraid in the light. The disquisting microbs of love gives the old bachelor a wide berth.

The great charm in hot chocolate apparently lies in the mountain of whipp cross served with R.

There are over 200 brands of wine produced in France, but more wine is drunk in England that in France, and London is the greatest wine market in the world,

Perhaps the reason why so many rough diamonds are treated as they are in elety is that the polite world thinks they require cutting.

THROUGH TICKETS TO SAN FRAN-CISCO AND SACRAMENTO, ALL RAIL

The Astoria & Coumbia River Railroad Company has placed on sale at both the city and depot ticket offices through tickets to San Francisco and Sacramento, via its line and the Southern Pacific from Portland. Rates from Astoria are as

follows: First-class, including berth in Pullmun alceper.... Second-class, including berth in

refund of \$8 on first class and \$4 on sec. ond-class tickets, making through net cate \$19.00 first and \$13.00 second-class from Astoria to points named.

Columbia Bevel Gear Chainless Standard of the World. The Wheel that Satisfies.

A few remarks from Astorians who ride it.

FULTON BROTHERS. Attorneys at Law,

ASTORIA. Oregon, October 11, 1898.

Pops Manufacturing Company: Gentlemen-I have ridden this year a Columbia Chainless, and believe it to be the very best bicycle made. To appreciate it is only necessary to ride it, then you will be content to ride no other. Respectfully yours,

O. B. ESTES. ASTORIA, Oregon, October 15, 1898. Physician and Surgeon.

Mr. Louis Gordes, Agent for Columbia Bicycles, Astoria, Oregon: My Dear Sir-I take this occasion to thank you for advising me to purchase three months this summer by my three daughters, six months ago. It is of the most perfect mechanism, and gives the most perfect satisfaction of any piece of machinery that I have ever had in my possession. It was used constantly for the Columbia Chainless Bicycle, for my daughters at my summer home on Clatsop Beach, where it was subjected to the sandy roads and beach and to the fogs and spray of the ocean, and there is not a marred spot on ..; nor have I had to have five minutes repairs made on it since it has been in my posse

Again expressing my appreciation, and thanking you for my good fortune possessing the wheel, I remain, most respectfully, at your service,

O. B. ESTES, M. D.

Prices for '99 Models.

COLUMBIA CHAINLESS, MODEL 50 and 51	ä
COLUMBIA TANDEM, MODEL 67 and 48 18	Ä
COLUMBIA, MODELS 57-58	å
COLUMBIA, MODEL #	
HARTFORDS, PATTERN 19-20	å
VEDETTES, PATERN II 2	å
VEDETTES, PATTERN 42	ä

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Controlling Oregon, Washington, Montana and Idaho

The most radical clearance sale of the Age

Every Department in the whole House working with but one object in view---the clearing out of every winter article, every broken lot, and every small lot--caring nothing for cost, profit, loss or value. Just to get rid of it all.

Wash Goods.

15 pieces of German Flanneletts worth 8 cts, yard, per yrd Amoskesg apron Gingham worth 7 e yard Best quality calicoes worth 5c yrd Heavy twilled navy blue all wool 250 flannet worth 45c yrd Best quality Teazel down outing 7

per yrd

flannel worth for yrd

Every piece of white goods in

the house to be closed out at

Bedding and Blankets 11 large size heavy Crochet Marseillies Pattern Bed-spreads hemmed, worth 75c... 480

11 extra large size and very heavy beautiful Marseillies of feet bedspreads in waite hemmed, worth \$1 00

Large size heavy fleeced Bed Blankets in white or gray, 690 worth \$1.00..... Good size all wool white double \$3.75
 Blankets, worth \$5.50, each...

Full size fancy covered Chintz

Comforters, cotton filling, 690 worth \$1 00, each.......... Gowns.

Ladies' good moslin Empire gown, embroidery trimmed, 45c tucked yoke, 75c value.....

Ladies' very fine Empire tucked revers, trimmed in embroid-ery and inserting, worth \$1 50

Ladies' and Childrens' Mackintoshes.

5C Ladies' single texture double worth \$2 50. \$1 50 \$4.00 ladies' navy blue or brown, fancy weave, double texture and two capes \$5.00 ladies' all wool serge

double texture, single or double cape, colors navy black and green \$6 50 ladies' all wool serge, all silk lined, navy blue and black

Childrens' single texture, attached cape, regular \$2.50 mackintosh Childrens' \$2 50 double texture two cape, color navy blue

Childrens' all wool double

Boys' Clothing.

Ladies' Underwear.

Ladies' all silk sleevless vest. 25c Ladies' 25c low neck, sleeviess, 10c cotton vest Ladies' Jersey ribbed vest or 19c pants, regular price 25c.....

Mens' Furnishing Goods.

It is a noticeable fact that each day widens the scope of our men's trade, they have found that it is money saved to buy here without sacrificing style or

quality. Mens' best quality Celluloid Collars 5 ets each or 6 for 25 ets. Mens' 4-ply Linen Collars, latest

styles 3 for 25 cts. Mens' unlaundried White Shirts, pure linen bosom, and heavy durable muslin, ontinuous facing and all seems that 1.00 filled, perfect fitting, worth 50cts., 39cts

Mens' all wool Shirts or drawers natural color, values to \$1.50. .. 95 cts Odd lots of Mens' Heavy Jean and Callonade Pants, strong as Sampson, regular price was \$1 25 45 cts

Muslin Underwear.

Ladies' fu'l front French corset covers, embroidery and linen lace trimmed, pearl 25c buttons, worth \$1.25 each.

Ladies' muslin chemise, round 19c neck, neatly finished Ladies' fine lawn extra length. Marguerite chemise trimmed

in embroidery and enserting tucked ruffle, beading and ribbon, worth \$1.50......

Nobody can make lany money on

Silk and Dress Goods

ow except you take advantage of the creat Bargains we offer. Great price cuts all this week on the entire stock, nothing reserved, all sent to the bargain counters, the choicest and the best.

Colored and Black Silks.

Your choice 50 pieces, all shades

15 pieces black and colored Taff-75e per yrd.

Colored Dress Goods 25 pieces of mixed Scotch Tweed, very stylish coloring- and mux-tures, have sold at 25 and 35c

yrd 121ge 35 pieces mixed wool suitings, good coloring, have sold for 40 and 50c

or black English storm serge, worth 75e per yrd 50e Black Dress Goods

54 inches wid all wool navy blue

13 pieces figured Black Mohair dress suiting always sold at 50c

Your choice of 18 pieces all wool fancy figured black dress skirting worth 75 to 85c per yrd, now for 50c

Ladies' Coats

Without exception our collection of good stylish Ladies' Coats will eclipse all previous selling this season.

adies' Black Cassimere double breasted coat, regular price\$2.25 Ludies' \$5 00 black or navy 3,00 blue beaver jackets Ladies' \$9 50 all wool Melton 3.95

Ladies' \$10 00 tan covert cloth inlaid, velvet collar, fly front 5.00 5c per yrd. Childrens' Coats.

\$2 25 navy blue serge, full back, trimmed with white sontach braid \$3 50 all wool English broad cloth, large collars, three stylish colors, green, brown and

\$5 50 childrens' all wool Astrican cloth, totoned effects, silk lined revers, a very stylish garment Childrens' all-wool eider down coats, braid and for trimmed,

Ladies' Wrappers

worth \$3 40

at less than the cost of the material. \$1 00 flannelette wrappers, lined 693 \$1 50flannelette wrappers, beavy material, waist lined 95c Great reduction to close out quick.

Odds and Ends

9 dozen Ladies' celebrated S.C. corse's, values to \$1 50, to be closed 390 Goods. Infants' long dresses and slipes, all nicely embroidered and lace

trimmed, values to \$3.50 each, to 490 close out at 300 yrds heavy laces, worth to 40 c 10 yrd, to close them out quick 100 pairs childrens' 25c all wool hose fine 1 yard wide fine soft finished to be closed out at 3 pair for ... 20 dozen all pure linen splashers, tray cloths, and all kinds of fancy

articles, to be closed at each . . . 0 pairs odd kid gloves worth to Oko \$1 50 per pair..... 236

1.50 Ladies' Drawers. Ladies' good muslin drawers

26 inches wide, embroidery 19c flounce, a good 35c drawer... Ladies' best quality cambric umbrella drawers, deep, double flounce ruffle, regular 45c

price 75c Umbrellas. English Gloria umbrellas,

natural wood,

handles, worth \$1 25 Childrens' fast black cotton gloria, 22 and 24 inches, 35c

Great reduction in our fine umbrellas

Dresden

Linens, White

Lineus are are at their best in this, No matter what you want in this line you will find it in our linen department in generous varieties, and at prices sure to effect a sale.

Lousdale or fruit of the loom muslin, worth 10c yrd 2 yards wide best quality un

bleached sheeting, worth 18c 14 2c 2 yards wide standard quality bleached sheeting, worth 20c yard.....

18 inches wide heavy twilled Stevens brown crash, worth 5e yard 16x36 pure white buck towels, red border, worth 10c each ..

20x40 hemmed, all linen huck 12 12 towel, worth 20c each 12 70-inch wide bleached Union table linen, dice pattern, 19c worth 25e....

damask, colored borders 75c tablecloths worth \$1 25 each 30-inch plain white fancy checked and striped lawss and dimities and plain welts and fancy figures and ducks,

72-inch extra fine quality double

worth 25e yard

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