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The Last Perry Expedition Survivor. The newspapers chronicle the death, June 22d, of two members of the Perry expedition to Japan, 1853-54. The July Century contains the personal recollections of this expedition of John S. Sewall, who was a member of Commodore Perry's party, and who is probably the last survivor of the famous expedition.



JAPANESE ADMIRAL FOLLOWS DEWEY'S MANILA TACTICS.

Rear Admiral Sotokichi Uriu, who bore the brunt of fighting in the great naval battle in the Straits of Korea. followed about the same tactics Dewey employed at Manila. Admiral Uriu was in command of the division of Togo s fleet which bore in and attack ed the Russian ships under Nebogatoff, as a result of which the Russians were thrown into terror and thoroughly routed. Admiral Uriu, the victor of Chemulpo, who is 47 years old, gradu-ated from the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis in 1881. comes of a very old samural family of Kaga, on the Japan Sea. His government picked him out as one of the cleverest, most daring students of the Japanese Naval Academy and sent him to this country to study. Before he became rear admiral he commanded



REAR ADMIRAL SOTOKICHI URIU.

the cruiser Matsushima and the firstclass battle-ship Yashima, sunk a year before. During the war with China he was a naval attache at the Japanese embassy in Paris. Since his promotion he has been chief of the bureau of naval intelligence of the navy department, a part of the general staff of the Japanese war office. It was he who planned the great naval war game of 1903 which was reviewed by the Emperor at Kobe. Admiral Urlu's wife is a charming Japanese woman, a graduate of Vassar, formerly Miss Nagai, sister of one of the most promi-nent merchants of the empire.

The Critic and the Lady.

Talleyrand, the noted Frenchman, possessed wit of so high an order that it has stood well the test of time, and his jokes are still good. The author of "Juniper Hall" gives two of his sayings to Madame de Stael.

He was a great admirer of Madame Recamier and Madame de Stael, the one for her beauty, the other for her wit. Madame de Stael asked him one day, if he found himself with both of them in the sea on a plank, and could only save one, which it would be, to which he replied:

"Ah! Madame de Stael knows so many things, doubtless she knows how to swim."

When "Delphine" appeared, it was said that Madame de Stael had de-scribed herself as Delphine, and that Talleyrand was the original of Madame de Vernon.

Meeting the authoress soon after-ward, Talleyrand remarked, in his most gentle tone of voice:

"I hear that both you and I appear in your book, but disguised as women."

The average parents are kept so busy feeding and clothing the chil-dren, getting them their meals, to bed at night, and up in the morning, that they don't have time to "bring them. up.

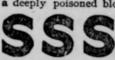
It's hard for a lecturer to get the people out and hard to entertain them after he does get them out.

Ever notice that the ugnest girl in a bunch of girls generally does out talking?

GOOD BLOOD TELLS ITS OWN STORY And tells it eloquently in the bright eye, the supple,



And tells it eloquently in the bright eye, the supple, health, a body sound and well, an active brain, good appetite and digestion, refreshing sleep, energy to per-form the duties and capacity to enjoy the pleasures of life. The blood is the most vital part of the body: every organ, muscle, tissue, nerve, sinew and bone is dependent on it for nourishment and strength, and as it circulates through the system, pure and strong, it furnishes to these different parts all the healthful qualities nature intended. When, from any cause, the blood becomes impure or diseased, it tells a different story, quite as forceful in its way. Itching, burning skin strong, it furnishes to these different parts all the healthful qualities nature intended. When, from any cause, the blood becomes impure or diseased, it tells a different story, quite as forceful in its way. Itching, burning skin a deeply poisoned blood circulation. These may either be inherited or ac-tect, show the presence, in the blood Poison and Scrofula, are effects of a deeply poisoned blood circulation. These may either be inherited or ac-guired, but the seat of trouble is the same—the blood. S. S. S., a purely vegetable blood remedy, cleanses and purifies the circulation and makes it strong and clean. Under its purifying and tonic ef-tects all poisons and impurities are expelled from the blood, the general health is built up, all disfiguring eruptions and blem-ile. Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Contagious Blood Poison and all dis-sess of the blood are cured by S. S. S. Book on the blood and any medical advice, free of charge. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.



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Retort Courteous.

He-Girls are queer creatures-they marry the first fool who asks them, as a rule. I suppose you would do the same, wouldn't you? She-Suppose you ask me and find

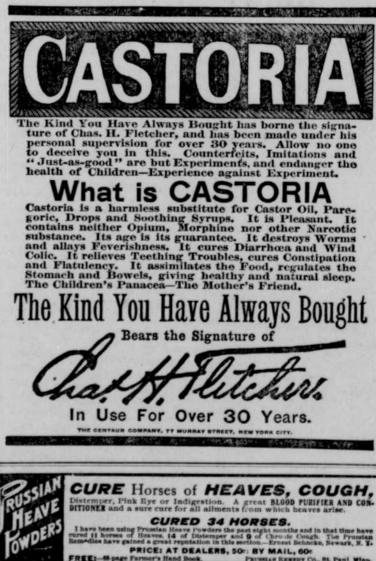
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Mildred-Indeed! Then you must have said "No" to his proposal.



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