When they are weak, torpid, or stagnan the whole system suffers. Don't neglect them at this time, but heed the warning of the aching back, the bloated face, the sallow complexion, the urinary disorder, and begin treatment at once with

Hood's Sarsaparilla which contains the best and safest curative

## The Kidneys BIG FLEET IS OFF

Sixteen Battleships Start Out for Pacific Ocean.

ARE REVIEWED BY PRESIDENT

it is One That Brings Forth Admiration of Every & pectator, Many Being Foreigners.

ld Point Comfort, Va., Dec. 17 .een hard hitting, steel belted Amerbattleships, guns bristling and to its precise character and scope was y of girth, but sparkling white in reached. It is not likely the subcomr immaculate dressings of peace, led away yesterday under the daz-

ssies at Washington and many cor-

spondents who have seen war service

foreign journals freely declared that sterday's naval display was the most appressive they had ever seen. The

cility with which the big vessels were

indled, the manner in which they

were maneuvered into single column formation, and the perfect alignment which was maintained to the southward

turn from the cape called out the warm-

est admiration. The thrill of the beau-

tiful marine picture was felt until the last wind blown spiral of smoke was

wireless telegraph as they left the road

stead and bal turned down the south-

These vessels made up the fleet which

sailed yesterday under command of Rear Admiral Robley D Evans: Connecticut, 16,000 tons; Louisiana,

16,000 tons; Kansas, 16,000 tons; Ver

mont, 16,000 tons; Georgia, 14,948 tons; Virginia, 14,948 tons; New Jer-sey, 14,948 tons; Rhode Island, 14,948

tons: Minnesota, 16,000 tons; Ohio

12,500 tons; Maine, 12,500 tons; Mis-

souri, 12,500 tons; Alabama, 11,525 tons; Illinois, 11,525 tons; Kearsarge,

11.525 tons; Kentucky, 11.525 tons; Culgoa, supply ship, 5,725 tons; Glacier, supply ship, 7,000 tons; Panther, repair ship, 3,380 tons; Yankton,

All Quiet in Japan.

of the sailing of the Atlantic fleet of

the United States navy has not been received by the newspapers of Tokio or by the government officials. All public men who have been interviewed by the

the sailing of the fleet as a foregone

conculsion and it is not likely that the

actual start will cause the slightest rip-

America concedes the right of that na-

tion to send its warships to the Pacific.

Another Mine Explosion.

Yolande, Aia., Dec. 17.—A disas-trous explosion took place in mine No. 1 of the Yolande Coal & Coke company

at 10:25 o'clock this morning. It is impossible to tell at this hour how

many are dead as a result of the explo

been extremely slow because of the de

Short of Cash in Alaska. Seattle, Dec. 17 .- A special from

drawal will be allowed each depositor.

Gold Movement \$105,350,000.

fifth or the sixth right entrance.

Tokio, Dec. 17 .- The announcement

tender, 975 tons.

lost on the horizon.

t conditions WOMEN IN TERROR.

WILL DO NOTHING

Small Chance Congress Will Reform

Washington, Dec. 16.—It can be stated on the highest authority that if

the subcommittee of the house commit

directed toward the framing and pass-

age of laws more general in character and which will be intended to preclude

shrinkage of the circulation, entailing

widespread financial distress.

The subcommittee held a four hours

conference today with its chairman Representative Fowler, of New Jersey, at which the bill which the subcom-

mittee has undertaken to draft was

earnestly discussed, but no decision as

rtunity to appear before the come to present their views on the

ch time will be spent in both the and senate in considering the bill reported, and it is the hope of

mbers of the banking committee be finances of the country will to adjusted themselves by that that there will be no necessity for

for Their Lives Until Troops

Arrived in Golafield.

sed measure

dfield, Nev., Dec. 16.—Delega-hor again, reviewed the passing tions from the Woman's club, of Goldfield, and from the chamber of comhe blue of the sky, the stretch of merce, Merchante' association and Min-ing exchange called on General Functon en sea miles, the glistening of spothulls, the curl of foam-crested bow this afternoon to acquaint him further res. the cheering of salors affoat and with the conditions which have prevailends ashore, the breeze-blown strains ed in Goldfield previous to the coming "Auld Lang Syne," floating across waters, the blare of trumpels, the mation which led to the sending of Goville of drums, the flash of signals and ernor Sparks' dispatch to Washington ernor Sparks' dispatch to Washington

of these delegations doubtless was ise of the efforts that are constanteing made to have the troops and carol in Carroll Inn, Carolyn.

neral Funston said, after the con a revelation, especially those made ne women, who are wives of promicitizens of Goldfield. t citizens of Goldfield. The state-ts, he said, showed that for days women of Goldfield had lived in a of constant terror, until the com of the troops though no instances of

AKE CANADA INDEPENDENT

Destiny is Union With United States or Morarchial Independence.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 16 .- The inde endence of Canada is now being open ly discussed and in a measure probefore some of the most important public bodies of the dominion. Today the idea of Canada as a nation is looming large on the public mind, and it has in

Ottawa, J. S. Ewart, K. C., of Toronto, predicted that Canada would yet fill an will bring it to Trinidad on Christmas eve, and there, amid the heat of the tropics, the Clr stmas celebrations will be held. Hundreds of good-bye telegrams were flashed to the ships by wireless telegraph as they left the roadpendent monarchy with her own sovereign, or an independent monarchy with allegiance to the British sovereign.

Canadian opposition against the im-Canadian opposition against the imperial government was directed not against the king, but against the cologial sequentary who is generally ignornial secretary, who is generally ignor-ant of colonial matters.

Long List Yet to Hang.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 16.—The authorities have just completed their investion or Urinary disorders or Rheumatism. St. Petersburg, Dec. 16 .- The authogation of the daring terrorist robbery of October 27, 1906. Thirteen men already have been executed for connection with this outrage, and 80 others are to you need it, von want it badly. be tried for complicity. The robbery of October 27 was a daring affair. A band of 15 revolutionists attacked a cashier of the custom house who was proceeding in a carriage from the sub-treasury. They wrecked the vehicle with a bomb and made their escape

Bankers Go Scot Free.

with \$193,000.

Chicago, Dec. 16 .- Five directors of the defunct Milwankee Avenue State bank were freed today when Judge Windes held that the statute under Associated Press representative accept which they had been indicted is unconstitutional. Michael A. Labuy, Josh ple of excitement. Everyone accepts the assurances of friendship offered by Lister, Marcus Kirkeby, Frank R. Crane and E. L. Johnson are the men who profit by the decision. Paul O. Stensland, president of the bank, and Henry Herring, cashier, who were found guilty of embezzlement and are now serving terms in the sate prison, will not be affected by the decision.

Agree on Incorporation. Santa Rosa, Cul., Dec. 16.—Articles of incorporation and by-laws of th Pasion, the estimates varying all the way cific Coast Hopgrowers' union, the pur-from 40 to 60. The work of rescue has pose of which is the combination of hopgrowers of California, Oregon and Washington, were adopted here today. the opening. The explosion is now Oregon and Washington to organize fifth or the sixth right and sightseers at A committee was also named to visit organize fifth or the sixth right and t growers of those states, and, when such organization is effected, 10 of the 15 directors are to resign and give place to five from each of the states mentioned

Fairbanks, Alaska, says: Today the Washington-Alaska and First National bank of Fairbanks will go on a clearing house basis. Only \$50 a day with-for 5,000,000 road ties in Hawaii, the biggest contract ever let for such mate-A committee of depositors representing rial to be shipped by water. The ship-the Fairbanks Banking company, which ments may result in the establishment the Fairbanks Banking company, which recently closed its doors, reported today that the assets exceeded the liabilities pedro and Honolulu. The Southern by \$354,815 and the bank will probably Pacific may also place similar orders in Hawali.

Old Suit Cleared Up. New York, Dec. 17.—The Guarantee
Trust company today announced the engagement of \$500,000 in gold for import. Lazard Freres have engaged an additional \$1.600,000 in gold for import. This makes the total movement \$105,357,000.

St. Louis, Dec. 16.—The decision of a jury in the Probate court today on an instrument of writing confirmed as the will of 80 omon P. Sublette, a pioneer who died in 1857, and title to 208 acres of land in the southwestern part of 8t. Louis, valued at \$2,500,000, is cleared.

y whom it is manufactured, printed on the front of every package. SOLD BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS

For that Dandruff

tee on banking and currency now dealing with the subject can have its way no effort will be made by the present congress to adopt legislation remedial of the present financial condition. All the energies of that committee will be There is one thing that will cure it-Ayer's Hair Vigor. It is a regular scalp-medicine. It quickly destroys the germs which cause this disease. The unhealthy scalp becomes healthy. The dandruff disappears, had to disappear. A healthy scalp means a great deal

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Making Things Even. Customer (to watchmaker)-I to you that my watch lost half an hour every day, and now that you've repair-

ed it it gains half an hour. Watchmaker-Well; don't complain. ation looking to the correction of It's only working to catch up lost time

> The private soldier in the regular army wiped his perspiring forehead.
> "I didn't mind spadin' up the colonel garden, and whitewashin' his barn, and that sort of thing," he said, "but how the Sam Hill can a man do all this and main-

Side Lights on History. George Washington had lost the battle

of Brandewine. "The prohibitionists are carrying ev erything before them in Kentucky and Georgia, too!" he groaned. Climbing hastily on the nearest water wagon, he gave the order for retreat.

Not so if you stop at the Carroll Inn-Good place to display one's apparel in; Where all the day long

You may revel in song, -Chicago Tribune.

AROUND

'ELLS HOW TO MAKE A SIMPLE RHEU MATISM CURE AT HOME.

hing more than trivial annoyances Prescription Given Which Sufferers o Dread Disease Can Easily Make Up and Try at Home at Small Cost.

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Fluid Extract Dandelion, one half unce; Compound Kargon, one ounce Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three

These harmless ingredients can be a very short space of time marvelously changed public sentiment in that regard.

Speaking before the Canadian club at speaking before the Canadian club at speaking before the Canadian club at speaking them well in a bottle. Relief is generally felt from the first few

As Rheumatism is not only the most painful and torturous disease, but danpresare the mixture to get this relief. I is said that a person who would you to the destitute condition? Applitake this prescription regularly, a dose cant—It's my wife, mum. "Your wife! or two daily, or even a few times a How is that?" "Well, you see, mum,

Aftermath. Visitor-How are conditions here? Has

nfidence returned? Resident-Conditions are slowly settling down to their former basis, but con-idence has not returned. Most of the people still believe it was the children of next door neighbors that carried tway their gates.

To Be Avoided.

or me in politics?" "Yes," answered Senator Sorghum but in these days of graft you want to take mighty good care not to be one of those fellows who start in with a fine future and come out with a terrible past."-Washington Star

> Then the Fireworks. "I had a call from Mrs. Multiplunks esterday.'

"I heard she was going in for slumming."-Houston Post.

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tain his position in society on \$13 a independence, let me tell you."-Meg gendorfer Blatter.

> going to publish a magazine. Quibbler
> —Isn't the field rather overcrowded?— Philadelphia Record.

> Wife (looking up from her book)-You know a great many things, John; now, what do you think should be done in case of drowning? Husband-Have a funeral, I should think.

Cynicus-I have been engaged to at Cynlcus—I have been claus—Always rial atringency.

least a dozen girls. Sillcus—Always rial atringency.

"That's all pretense," he said with bit-Oh, I don't know. I've never married any of them.—Philadelphia Record.

Butcher-Come, John, be lively now, reak the bones in Mr. Simpson's chops and put Mr. Smith's ribs in your basket. John-All right, sir; just as soon as I've sawed off Mr. Murphy's

"George," murmured the young wife. "am I as dear to you now as I was before we married?" "I can't exactly tell," replied the husband, absent-mindedly. "I didn't keep any account of my expenses then."

Mr. Chipps (looking up from the pa per)-The doctors have discovered another new disease. Mrs. Chipps-Well, I wish they'd stop looking for new diseases long enough to find a cure for my old rheumatism.

Old Scotch farmer (having spent six ence on a race ticket for a pony and trap, value £50, and having won) is shown the prize. After gazing critically at it for some minutes: "But whaur's the whup?"

"What pleased me most," said the nan who had been abroad, "was the wonderful clock at Strasburg." "Oh. how I should like to see it!" replied the ignorant youth. "And did you see the watch on the Rhine, too?"

District Visitor-What has brough How is that?" "Well, you see, mum, I've got her three good situations, and I'm blessed if she could keep one of them."

"Yes," said old Roxley, "my daughter is to be married next month to Lord Brokeleigh." "Ah!" remarked the friend, "everything's settled, eh?" 'Well, I guess not! You don't ketch me paying in advance."-Philadelphia

"Of course, Tommy," said the Sunday school teacher, "you'd like to be an anwouldn't you?" "Well-eryes'm," replied Tommy, "but I'd like to wait till I can be a full-grown angel "Do you believe there is any future with gray whiskers." - Philadelphia Press.

First Summer Girl--Who is that clean-shaven, handsome boy? Second Summer Girl-Oh, he's an actor. First Summer Girl-No; I mean the other Second Summer Girl-Oh, he hasn't any money, either.-Harper's

Weekly. Little Boy-Mamma, I wish you'd find out who it was hypnotized me, and purish 'em severely. Mamma—Wha-at? Little Boy—While you was out I was pulled right into the pantry, an' forced to eat a hull lot of those cakes you

said I mustn't touch. "How are you, Broom?" asked Syrup of rigs bluff old sallor of a fop who was always annoyed unless he was addressed as Mr. Broom, and who responded, "I'd have you to know, sir, that I've a handle to my name." "Oh, all right! How are you. Broom handle?"

A lady has a grumpy servant too lit-C eanses the System Effectually, Dispels Colds and Head aches due to Constipation;
Acts naturally, acts truly as a lady has a grumpy servant too little given to washing. Other hints having falled, the mistress said, in a tone of deep confidence, "I am told, Mary, that if you wash the face every day in hot. soapy water it will make you beautiful." "Will it, now?" answered Mary. 'It's a wonder you haven't tried i yourself."

> And Make Faces. Mrs. Gotham-Don't you think the taking of medicine should be frowned

ipon? Mrs. Flatbush-Yes; why, even my children frown at it.-Yonkers States

Seven men out of ten who get into trouble are able to trace their downfall o side issues.

A stiff upper lip has nothing in con on with a limber tongue.

## AND SYSTEM DISORDERED

Catarrh is not merely an inflammation of the tissues of the head and threat, as the symptoms of ringing noises in the cars, mucous dropping back into the throat, continual hawking and spitting, etc., would seem to indicate it is a blood disease in which the entire circulation and the greater part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to part of the system. This is taken up by the blood and through its creation and instead of an excess part of the system. These impurities in the blood first that the system. These impurities in the blood from uric acid in the system. This is taken up by the blood and through its creation and other disgusting and disagreeable symptoms of Catarrh. As the blood goes to all parts of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting the different membranes and tissues of the body, and

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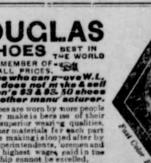
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