## National Defense an

Preparedness and Peace and the Engineer

HB United States desires peace, based on justice and maintained with honor. But to insuse this hind of peace Americans must know that nations are now defended not alone by fighting members but by fighting industries.

The Engineers of this country, trained as only American Encers are trained, hold that truth to be as funcionsental as the law of gravity with the authority of the United States Government more than 30,000 Encers and Chemists, members of five eminent American scientific bodies, a making for the first time in the history of the Government a minute, resping survey of the industrial resources of America. They will go to a factories and minus of the land and with their sole method, efficiency, of their sole motive, patriotism, form a vast, flexible organization, such as a world has never known.

Their work will be the basis for creating in this country a true line of tense is time of war—the ability to produce swittly, abundantly and with stained power all the thousand and one efficient army and navy.

Military Preparedness wins the battle. But Industrial Preparedness as the WAR1 Industrial Preparedness involves no huge expenses. Only a KNOWLEDGE of what American Industry can do. To KNOW entered of each plant, the equipment of each shop, the capacity of each schine, the ability of each man. THAT is the easence of ladustrial resortedness. That is the task to which they thousand Engineers are pledged. The Engineers work will lay for all time the ghost of the "munitions at" by making it possible to have munitions made in thousands of plants. The vital work of the Engineers will supply the military sutherities in a said on with information never before collected, and it is carried for and without pay for the sake of National Defense and International Peace.

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OMMITTEE ON INDUSTRIAL PREPAREDNESS OF THE NAVAL CONSULTING BOARD OF THE UNITED STATES.

# CHICHESTER S PILLS

First Traveler-So you have returned from Africa? Have any narrow escapes?

Second Traveler-Only one-a reguiar prize winner. I should think. First Traveler-Let me hear it.

Second Traveler-Well, I was chared by a big lion, and, having no cartridges left, I threw away my rifle and faced the brute. But as he sprang at me I caught him by the lower jaw with one hand and by the nose with the other.

And there I stood and held his mouth
wide open until he starved to death.

A narrow escape, eh?—Exchange.

Seville, one of the oldest cities of Spain, was a place of importance unport when the new world was discovered and rose to great prosperity on profits from the Spanish main.

"Alice, if I told you that I loved you dearly, that there was no other girl in all the world for me, would you prom-

Would you mind telling me first whether that is a proposal or a hypo-thetical question?"—Florida Times-Us-

How Could He?

Aunt-You will never learn how to manage your money, Karl. Nep Can you wonder at it, auntie? My acquaintance with it is always so short. -Fliegende Blatter,

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Bunions are usually due to wearing shoes and stockings which are too short for the feet. The proper treatment of a bunion is to straighten the bones of the Soot. This can be done by wearing loose shoes and stockings t and by wearing a pad between the great toe and the next. Every night the feet should be soaked in water hot as can be borne for ten minutes, then. when dry, rubbed with a mix- w ture of equal parts of turpentine w and sweet off. The pain in a w bunion is greatly relieved by soaking the foot in a hot saturated solution of epsom salts.

Sometimes when the condition of swelling and great enlargement of the toe has existed for a li good surgeon operate upon the toe. It is well, bowever, to try home treatment for awhile before resorting to surgical meas-

English Law of Arrests on a Sunday except for treason, felony or a breach of the peace, and freedom from arrest at any time on civil procem is a privilège enjoyed by member of the royal family and their servents. blahops, peers and peercases and mem bers of parliament during the sitting of parliament and forty days before and after each seculor.

At Boarding School.

It was in the dining room of a tain boarding school for young ladies. The place had a reputation of giving pretty poor grub, and the girls never lost an opportunity to rap it one way or the other if the opportunity preented itself.

The other morning at breakfast Miss Jones, the most popular girl in the school, as well as the biggest joker. auddenly surprised everybody by re-marking, "Oh. dear me, are we all

"Why, certainly," replied the dignified mutron. And she proceeded to count all the girls and call the roll. Every one is here; no one is missing."

"Then I feel very much relieved," replied the sly one, with a wink at the other girls "I see by the morning paper that a human skeleton was found in the outskirts of this city."

There was a chorus of giggles from the girls, and the matron indignantly rapped for order.-Cincinnati Tribune.

Liezt and Leipzig.

der Rome and later was the Moorish finished his work at the Leipzig con-It was the country's chief commercial at that time, to present himself to Frank Liszt at Weimar, Now, Leipzig, conservative in music then, as it is toplease him. In fact, Leipzig had shown itself quite unfriendly toward his compositions, and the great master of the plane resented it. Weingartner was

"Charmed," said Liszt. "Where have you studied?"

"At Leipzig, weister," replied Wein-

gartner. "Leipzig, Leipzig?" said Liszt, as if be had difficulty in recalling the city. which, as a matter of fact, is only two or three bours away. "Oh. yes!" and the light of remembrance came into his eyes. "That's a fine place to take breakfast when you're on the way from bere to Dresden."

Earliest School Books.

Among the discoveries in the archaeo ogical excavations in ancient Babyionia are some stone tablets believed to have been used as schoolbooks in the first regular school ever held in the world. They are in the collection as "Jim" Hill weeping as they took of the University of Pennsylvania.

These prehistoric text books have marks proving that they were used in a school conducted in a temple in Nippur more than 2,300 years B. C. This school is known to have been in existence at least 1,000 years, and no records have yet been found to indicate the existence of any preceding it. The tablets contain notes upon several sciences, evidently made upon the stone surface by a stylus. Several of them contain two forms of characters. indicating that the pupils attempted to copy the work of the teacher.

While experimenting with the in-tense heat of the electric are Sir Humphry Davy discovered a metallic sub- 26.50. stance to which he gave the name of aluminum, though he never succeeded in leolating it. Twenty years later Frederick Wohler in Germany isolated this metal through the use of potas slum. In 1845 he obtained it in small maficable globules. In 1856 Deville, a French chemist patronized by Louis Napoleon, improved Wohler's process and isolated aluminum in a state almost pure. At this time the metal was valued at \$90 a pound. It was produced in chemical laboratories and used largely in the manufacture of

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#### DECORATION DAY.

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die, if needs be, for his country's flag; the loving wife who bade a fond farewell with her little ones clinging to her skirts, unable to understand the tears streaming down her saddened face as she gave you at your country's call; or the fond sweetheart whose throbbing heart sent you forth to dream of you as her country's hero. They gave their all at their country's call. They shared your sorrows and your joys; their every thought was for your welfare, and their every labor was for your comfort; and the day is not far distant, I believe, when to woman's name will be given the credit of extending the olive branch of peace to all the world. When the right of franchise has been universally given to woman in this land of ours, then will she begin to scientifically count the cost of war and begin a propaganda for the cause of universal peace. Woman will become the supreme court of America, and her love for her boy will instill into her soul that love of peace that will mold the future destiny of this nation for peace; not an armed peace, but that true and perfect harmony between nations that will cause them to conserve the flower of their manhood and take their differences to a court of arbitration."

At the close of the exercises at the opera house, the veterans and the women of the relief cops, with hundreds of citizens, marched to the nearby Railroad park, where flowers were strewn upon a mound in memory of the unknown soldier and sailor dead. Earlier in the day the graves of the veterans who had gone before, and who now rested in local cemeteries, were covered with flowers.

## BUSINESS STOPS AS

St. Paul, May 31.-Time stood still for five minutes today from St. Paul to the Pacific, out of deference to the memory of James J. Hill, the "empire builder," who died May 29 following a surgical operation.

The funeral services were conducted with the utmost simplicity. There were no flowers. At 1:59 p. m., just before the rites commenced, every factory whistle in St. After young Felix Weingartner had Paul sounded for sixty seconds. Then as they ceased, business all over the MY NEW MILLINERY goods have city halted. And on every Hill railroad the trains stopped. The engines of Hill liners at sea quit their day, had never received the works of pounding. For five minutes this Franz Liszt with sufficient warmth to silent tribute to the man who did so much to build up the northwest don-

> Governor Hanna, in asking North Dakota to stop its activities from 2 to 4 p. m., sald: "North Dakots lost its best friend in James J. Hill."

> St. Paul's schools and the state capitol are closed. In response to an official order, flags throughout Minnesota flew at half-mast, the most signal honor ever paid a private citi-

> Although the services were private, all mourners had opportunity to view the remains yesterday when they lay in state in a plain black casket in the drawing room of Hill's residence. High railroad officials, section hands, the poor and the rich walked silently past the body for hours, many grayhaired men who knew the deceased their last farewells.

> Rev. Thomas Gibbons, vicargeneral of the Catholic diocese of St. Paul, who was Hill's spiritual adviser during his last hours, officiated at the funeral.

### PORTLAND MARKETS

Portland, May 31 .- Today's market quotations were: Wheat-Club. 87@91; bluestem,

98@1.00. Oats-No. 1 white feed, 25.75@

Barley-Feed, 27.25@28.50. Hogs-Best live, 8.65@ 8.75. Primes steers, 8,50; fancy cows, 50; best calves, 8.

Bpring lambs, 9. Butter-City creamery, 29; country, 27.

Begs-selected local extras, 23 1/2 Hens, 15; broilers, 20@25; geese,

10@11. Copper, 28 1/4

Location notices, Courier office.

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40 ACRES-4% miles from Grants Pass, no improvements, for sale at \$40 per acre. Under ditch survey. Address No. 2415, care

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