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"Your wife," said the embryo Sherlock Holmes, as the stranger entered his presence, "is an intellectual woman."

"Right you are," replied the stranger, "but how did you know that?"

"By the buttons missing from your coat," answered the great detective.—Chicago Daily News.

He Had Learned.

"I heard a good story the other day," began the grocery man, "about a certain politician."

"That will do," interrupted the disappointed officeseeker. "In the first place, there are no certain politicians."

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EVENTS OF THE DAY

GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE TWO HEMISPHERES.

Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week, Presented in Condensed Form, Most Likely to Prove Interesting to Our Many Readers.

The blockade on Venezuelan ports has been raised.

A Moro stronghold in the Philippines has surrendered.

China is buying arms in violation of the treaty with the allies.

Mrs. Roosevelt is ill and has cancelled all social engagements.

Beet sugar men have again blocked the passage of the Philippine tariff bill.

An exceedingly rich gold strike has been made in Josephine county, Oregon.

The bill creating a department of commerce has been signed by the president.

A bill has been introduced in the house to prevent hazing at the Annapolis naval academy.

Senator Hanna is again trying to revive the ship subsidy bill, but meets with new opposition.

Committees from the Oregon and Washington legislatures met at Olympia and discussed fish laws.

George Cole, under arrest at Butte for the recent holdup of a Burlington train in Montana, has confessed. He implicates a man named George Howard, who is still at large.

A campaign against the "get-rich-quick" offices which do business under the name of turf investment companies is now being conducted in New York, as well as in Chicago and St. Louis.

The Newspaper Deadhead.

Why should people ask for free newspapers, asks the Toronto Evening Telegram, any more than they look for free cigars, free umbrellas, free walking sticks, free collars, free cuffs or free beefsteaks? Every copy of a newspaper is a product which costs money. The tailor, the tobacconist, the gents' furnisher or the grocer is not called upon to supply free copies of the products which they handle. The people who are aggrieved if they cannot get a free copy of a newspaper would not think of struggling for a place on the free list of a grocery store, a dry goods store, or butcher's shop.

It is the principle more than the cost of the free newspaper idea which is repugnant to all sound business notions.

Dr. Rocco Brindisi, for 11 years the Italian consular agent at Boston, has been appointed by the king of Italy vice consul for New England.

Father Edumnd Goetz, a famous South African astronomer, after 14 months in America, has sailed for France, where he will secure astronomical instruments for the first observatory in South Africa.

Reciprocity with Italy and no restriction of immigration to this country were the keynotes struck by the speakers at the third annual banquet of the Italian chamber of commerce in New York city.

The great prevalence of smallpox in the Connellsville, Pa., coke region has prompted the officials of the H. C. Frick coke company to issue an order calling for the free vaccination of all its employes and their families.

Andrew Carnegie has a trust company of his own in New York to aid him in making donations. When he wants to make a gift he merely notifies the head of his private trats company to credit so-and-so the required amount, and the whole matter is off his mind.

The collier Ajax, which arrived in New York from San Juan de Porto Rico, has on board the remains of the nine sailors of the battleship Massachusetts, who were killed in an explosion in the 12-inch gun turret on that vessel. Eight of the bodies will be forwarded to relatives. The other body, that of Boatswain Hendrickson, who had no relatives in the United States, will be buried at the naval cemetery at the navy yard at Brooklyn.

Professor H. W. Jenks, of Cornell university, has been invited by the Mexican government to go to Mexico to consult with the authorities there regarding the establishment of a new monetary system. The Cornell trustees have granted Professor Jenks leave of absence for one month, and he will leave for Mexico in March.

The senate has ratified the Alaskan boundary treaty.

Germany has repudiated her agreement in the Venezuelan negotiations.

East St. Louis will erect a separate building at the St. Louis fair.

The Park hotel at Coshocton, O., suffered a $35,000 fire loss. Forty guests had narrow escapes, all getting out in their night clothes.

The British torpedo boat destroyer Quail went ashore a week ago near Point Barin, says a Herald dispatch from Port of Spain, Trinidad.

The resignation of midshipman Pearson from the Naval academy at Annapolis because he was hazed has been rejected by Superintendent Brownson.

The Washington legislature has indefinitely postponed action on McBride's railroad bill.

Many states have petitioned for popular election of senators, but the senate refuses to act.

The agreement for an increase of wages for trainmen and conductors on the Southwestern railroads has been signed at St. Louis.

In the private collection of George Frederick Kunz, now on exhibition in New York, is a pure diamond imbedded in the center of a 40-pound meteorite.

BIG PIANO BARGAINS.

Great Accumulation of Second Hand and Slightly Used Pianos and Organs Being Disposed of by Ellers Piano House for Almost Nothing.

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Emerson, upright, in very handsome case, slightly used, but practically new, $125.00; Fisher upright, in perfect condition, $150.00; Ludwig, in excellent tone, $165.00; A. P. Chase, $246.00; Singer, in perfect condition, $195.00; Steinways for $265.00, $90.00 and $72.00, according to age and condition, but all in good order; Brakett, $75.00; Hardman, $78.00; McCammon, $54.00; Marshall & Traver, fine action, $60.00; Hallett & Davis, $75.00; Kranich & Bach, $95.00; Marshall & Wendell, $68.00; Gale, a fine little instrument, $25.00; Ernest Gabler, $92.00; Emerson, $65.00; Mixsell, $80.00; Marshall & Wendell, $57.00; J. P. Hale, $88.00. Terms $10.00 to $15.00 down, and monthly payments $4.00 and $5.00.

Organs.

Chicago Cottage, as good as new, $34.00; one handsome Mason & Hamlin, with large mirror and big htop, for $59.00; one of the celebrated A. H. Whitneys, $41.00; fancy cased Packard, $43.00; Crown, guaranteed for 10 years, $52 00; the great Western Cottage, $45.00; Smith-American, very fine, $28.00; another Kimball, used two years, $49.00; an Estey, good as new, $42.00. The payments on these organs are only $5.00 down and $3.00 a month.

These are only partial lists. If you are interested in securing one of these bargains write us for complete list and any further particulars you may desire. The opportunity is a rare one, you are certain to get much more out of any one of these pianos than the price would indicate. The finest, of course, will go first, so if you want to get the best in this sale, you will need to see or write us at once. Ellers Piano House, the great Western piano dealers, Wash ington street, corner Park, Portland, Oregon. Other large houses San Francisco, Spokane and Sacramento.

"The Great Northwest" in the Century.

Mr. Ray Stannard Baker, one of the most popular of the younger American magazine writers, has just returned to the East from a trip of several months through the northwestern states, during which he has been gathering material for a series of articles on "The Great Northwest," which will begin in the March Century. The story of the growth of the cities, how the mighty wheat farms are managed, the mining industries, cattle raising—all will be told in Mr. Baker's crisp and picturesque way, with striking illustrations by Mr. Edward L. Blumenschein, who accompanied the writer on his journey.

The series will include articles on "The Conquest of the Forest," "The Vitality of Mormonism," "Salmon Fisheries," "The Day of the Run," (a vivid description of the opening of an Indian reservation, "Yellowstone Park," etc. The first article, which will appear in the March Century, to be issued February 28, tells of the striking things to be seen in Portland, Spokane, Tacoma, Seattle and thereabouts.

Mr. Baker's series on "The Great Southwest," which appeared in The Century last year, was nowhere more highly appreciated than in the region which it described, and it is believed by the conductors of The Century that the present series will add greatly to the popularity of the magazine in the Northwest. It will certainly set before Eastern readers, more thoroughly and entertainingly than ever before, the natural and industrial wonders of that picturesque region.

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Mr. Frank—Of course they do. But then, justice should always be tempered with mercy, you know.—Ex.

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The Pacific Vacuum Ice Company, owning the patent rights to the states of Nevada, Oregon, Washington, California and Arizona, for the Vacuum process of manufacturing hygienic pure ice and refrigeration, offer to the investing public for the next 60 days, 50,000 shares preferred cumulative 6 per cent. per annum guaranteed dividend (free of taxes stock) at $1.00 per share, with a bonus of one share of common stock. The Company has purchased Block No. 12, size 200x408, cor. 19th and Harrison Streets. Work on property now progressing so as to be in actual operation by May 1st of this year, with a 100 ton per day plant.

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RUN-AWAY CARS.

Device to Catch Them and Make Them Harmless Invented by Burlington Official.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 12.—W. J. C. Kenyon, general manager of the Union stock yards at Omaha, and ormerly general passenger agent of the Chicago, Burlington & Northern railway, has patented a device for the blocking and derailing of cars to prevent accidents on the main lines of railroads. This new device consists of a strong steel block that may be attached securely to the rails at the bottom of any steep grade. It has a channel in the upper surface, so that the flange of the car wheel will run into it and thereby derail a wild or run-away car. It sometimes happens that a heavy train of freight cars will break in two while going up a steep grade and that portion of the train not attached to the engine starts back down the grade at terrific speed, and usually crashes into other cars back down the road, doing immense damage to the run-away cars and to those standing still. The road bed is also badly damaged in such cases and both freight and passenger traffic delayed until the track is cleared at great expense and loss of time.

All this damage and loss of money, besides serious danger to life, can be avoided by the use of Mr. Kenyon's derailing block, because the run-away car is thrown from the track quickly and cleanly, before any damgae can be done to the road bed or to other freight and passenger traffic.

Mr. Kenyon's device is destined to become of great benefit to railroad traffic all over the world, but more especially in the mountainous portions, where heavy grades cannot be avoided, on which trains frequently part under the great strain necessary to carry them on their way. Experienced railroad men recognize this drailing block as simple, strong and effective.

GREAT ARSENAL BURNED.

Storehouse of Arms and Ammunition at Rock Island Destroyed.

Rock Island, Ill., Feb. 13.—Shop A, the principal storehouse of the Rock Island arsenal, was destroyed by fire last night, together with its contents, which included cavalry and infantry equipments of every description, and 1,000,000 rounds of Krag-Jorgensen smokeless ammunition. The contents were worth $1,500,000. The building was a massive structure, three stories in height, and was erected 20 years ago at a cost of $400,000.

The flames in the great institution endangered property worth many times the amount lost. The fire was under control by 1 o'clock this morning, at which hour Major Blunt, the commandant, estimated the loss at $1,900,000. There were no casualties so far as known.

Thousands of people stood on the sides of the river and watched the fire. When the flames got beyond the control of the arsenal fire brigade, an appeal for help was sent to Davenport, Rock Island, Moline and Des Moines. Two companies from each of these nearby cities responded, but by the time they arrived the storehouse was a mass of dames, and owing to the large amount of ammunition in the building it was considered dangerous to permit them to approach the building. Accordingly all their efforts were directed toward preventing the destruction of other buildings of the plant. In this they were successful.

COALING STATIONS IN CUBA.

Palma Agrees with His Congress on Cessions to the United States.

Havana, Feb. 12.—Although a fairly definite understanding has been reached with the United States representatives in regard to coaling stations on this island, President Palma is inclined to further feel the public pulse before committing his government to the agreement. Accordingly, he held a conference with the leading senators and representatives at the palace today and the matter was discussed with the result that no opposition to the agreement developed except in minor points.

It is understood that the naval station treaty is not dependent in any degree on the confirmation of the reciprocity treaty since the coaling station arrangement is explicitly provided for by the Platt amendment.

Smoot Will Demand Seat.

Salt Lake, Feb. 13. — Senator-elect Reed Smoot, of Utah, will, it is announced, go to Washington next week. His credentials as senator to succeed Senator Rawlins will then be presented.

"The protests against my being seated in the Senate will make no difference in my plans," said Mr. Smoot. "I expect to take my seat, and do not anticipate any serious interference. I see no reason why there should be. Nothing can be brought against me except that I am a member of the Mormon church."

Sigsbee as Commandant.

Washington, Feb. 13. — Captain Charles D. Sigsbee, who was in command of the battleship Maine when she was destroyed in the harbor of Havana, will probably be assigned to duty as commander of the navy yard at Bremerton, Wash., as the successor of Rear Admiral Yates Stirling, who has been ordered to command the Philippine squadron of the Asiatic fleet. It is expected that Rear Admiral Stirling will haul down his flag at the Puget Sound navy yard in about a month and proceed to the Philippines.

Woman Suffrage Defeated.

Butte, Mont., Feb. 12.—A Helena special says the house today killed the woman suffrage bill by a vote of 41 to 24. This effectively disposes of the measure at this session. The report of the committee recommending for passage the appropriation carrying $35,000 for the St. Louis fair was a feature of the morning session of the house. Another bill favorably reported and which was adopted was the election bill introduced by Schwend.

To Raise Minimum Pension.

Washington, Feb. 12.—A bill was introduced today by Senator Burton providing that henceforth the minimum pension shall be $12. It provides for an increase to that figure of all pensions now below that sum.

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Mr. Isaac Brock, of McLennan county, Texas, has attained the great age of 114 years. He is an ardent friend of Peruna and speaks of it in the following terms. Mr. Brock says:

"After a man has lived in the world as long as I have he ought to have found out a great many things by experience. I think I have done so.

"One of the things I have found out to my entire satisfaction is the proper remedy for ailments due directly to the effects of the climate. For 114 years I have withstood the changeable climate of the United States. During my long life, I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds, catarrh and diarrhoea. I had always supposed these affections to be different diseases. For the last ten or fifteen years I have been reading Dr. Hartman's books, and have learned from them one thing in particular: That these affections are the same and that they are properly called catarrh.

"As for Dr. Hartman's remedy, Peruna, I have found it to be the best, if not the only reliable remedy for these affections. **It has been my stand-by for many years and I attribute my good health and my extreme old age to this remedy.**

"It exactly meets all my requirements. I have come to rely upon it almost entirely for the many little things for which I need medicine. I believe it to be especially valuable to old people, although I have no doubt it is just as good for the young."—Isaac Brock.

"I RELY UPON PE-RU-NA FOR ALL CATARRHAL DISEASES."

A New Man at 79

Major Frank O'Mahoney, West Side, Hannibal, Mo., writes:

"I am professionally a newspaper corresponednt, now 79 years old. I have watched the growing power of the Peruna plant from its incipiency in the little log cabin, through its gradations of success up to its present establishment in Columbus, Ohio, and I conclude that merit brings its full reward.

"Up to a few years ago I felt no need to test its medicinal potency, but lately when my system needed it, your Peruna relieved me of many catarrhal troubles. Some two years ago I weighed 210 pounds, but fell away down to 168 pounds, and besides loss of flesh I was subject to stomach troubles, indigestion, loss of appetite, insomnia, night sweats, and a foreboding of getting my entire system out of order. During some months I gave Peruna a fair trial, and it rejuvenated my whole system. I feel thankful, therefore, for although 79 years old I feel like a young man."—Major Frank O'Mahoney.

In old age the mucous membrane becomes thickened and partly lose their functions.

This leads to partial loss of hearing, smell and taste, as well as digestive disturbances.

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One bottle will convince anyone. Once used and Peruna becomes a lifelong stand-by with old and young.

Mr. Samuel Saunders of Blythedale, Mo., writes: "My disease was catarrh of the urethra and bladder. I got a bottle of Pe-ru-na and began taking it, and in a few days I was relieved and could sleep and rest all night. I think that Pe-ru-na is a valuable remedy. I had tried other very highly recommended medicines, but they did me no good. My physician told me that I could not expect to be cured of my trouble, as I was getting to be an old man (57 years.) I feel very thankful for what Peruna has done for me."

In a later letter Mr. Saunders says: "I am still of the same mind with regard to your Pe-ru-na medicine."

Strong and Vigorous at the Age of 88.

Rev. J. N. Parker, Utica, N. Y., writes:

"In June, 1901, I lost my sense of hearing entirely. My hearing had been somewhat impaired for several years, but not so much effected but that I could hold converse with my friends; but in June, 1901, my sense of hearing left me so that I could hear no sound whatever. I was also troubled with severe rheumatic pains in my limbs. I commenced taking Peruna and now my hearing is restored as good as it was prior to June, 1901. My rheumatic pains are all gone. I cannot speak too highly of Peruna, and now when 88 years old, can say it has invigorated my whole system. I cannot but think, dear doctor, that you must feel very thankful to the all loving Father that you have been permitted to live, and by your skill be such a blessing as you have been to suffering humanity."—Rev. J. N. Parker.

Mrs. F. E. Little, Tolona, Ill., writes: "I can recommend Peruna as a good medicine for chronic catarrh of the stomach and bowels. I have been troubled severely with it for over a year, and also a cough. Now my cough is all gone, and all distressing symptoms of catarrh of the stomach and bowels have disappeared. I will recommend it to all as a rare remedy. I am so well I am contemplating a trip to Yellowstone Park this coming season. How is that for one 71 years old?"

A TRAVERER AT SEVENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE.

In a later letter she says: "I am only too thankful to you for your kind advice and for the good health that I am enjoying wholly from the use of your Peruna. Have been out to the Yellowstone National Park and many other places of the West, and shall always thank you for your generosity."—Mrs. F. E. Little.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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