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Schilling's Best baking powder goes a third farther than any other; gets to work quicker; makes sweeter cake.

Schilling's Best tea makes good cake taste better.

Schilling's Best baking powder and tea are because they are money-back.

What is the missing word—not SAFE, although *Schilling's Best* baking powder and tea are safe.

Get *Schilling's Best* baking powder or tea at your grocer's; take out the ticket (brown ticket in every package of baking powder; yellow ticket in the tea); send a ticket with each word to address below before December 1st.

Until October 15th two words allowed for every ticket; after that only one word for every ticket.

If only one person finds the word, that person gets \$2000.00; if several find it, \$2000.00 will be equally divided among them.

Every one sending a brown or yellow ticket will receive a set of cardboard creeping babies at the end of the contest. Those sending three or more in one envelope will receive an 1898 pocket calendar—no advertising on it. These creeping babies and pocket calendars will be different from the ones offered in the last contest.

Better cut these rules out.

Address: MONEY-BACK, SAN FRANCISCO.

Tourist Traffic in Ireland.
Ireland is now being opened more than ever for visitors. Its attractions are being more prominently placed before tourists, and increased facilities have been provided for viewing its many natural beauties. The presence of royalty cannot fail to give a stimulus to tourist traffic.

NURSERY STOCK
Send us names for Free Catalogue.
Buell-Lamberton,
Portland, Oregon.

FARMERS
Something entirely new.
This is the
MAILING LIST
FOR THE
THREE FALL
SEEDS.

CLARK'S RIGHT-LAP
Flow and Seeder Combined.

Thoroughly works the soil to a depth of 5 to 8 inches.
Leaves no Flow Crust.
Plows deep, quick, thorough, covering with light, loose soil.
Every farmer that has used it RECOMMENDS IT.

MITCHELL, LEWIS & STAYER COMPANY
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VIGOR OF MEN
Easily, Quickly, Permanently Restored
Weakness, Nervousness, Debility,
and all the train of evil
caused by overwork, worry,
etc. Full medical development and
tonic, restorative, and
mineral bath, mineral baths,
mineral water, etc. No
explanations and proofs
needed; free.

ERIE MEDICAL CO., 65 NIAGARA ST., BUFFALO, N.Y.

AGENTS
We want an agent in each
Village and town
where the country houses,
hotels, restaurants, stores,
etc., are located. We
offer a certain
percentage of our
gross sales, and
expenses, and
allow a reasonable
commission. Gentlemen,
experience not necessary. Come
see us. Address, PUBLISHER,
200 Post Street, San Francisco, Cal.

DO YOU WANT SEEDS
Get them at E. J. BOWENS, 201 and 202
Market Street, San Francisco, Cal., or
Celebrated Clipper Mill, best farming mill in
the world. Every farmer should have one.
Write for prices.

Dentists....
Get your supplies of us at rates
large stock and low prices.
Goods guaranteed.

A NERVOUS
Dental practice in an aggravated
form shows it on his face—a haggard
worn-looking man. The same with
woman. The result of the nervous
strain has lost all vital and manly power,
and yet looks like a physical giant.
That is just the question to which Dr.
Sanden has devoted his life of study.
It is true that men who look
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DECISIVE BATTLE IMMINENT.

Turning Point in the Guatemala War
at Hand.

New York, Oct. 6.—A dispatch to
the Herald from Guatemala says:

The government is still mobilizing
its forces at Toloncapan, and is preparing
to make an attack on the rebels,
who have taken a position on the
heights of Coxon, near Toloncapan.
It is believed that there will be a big
battle there which will mark the turning
point of the war.

The rebels, safely placed in the hills,
opened fire on the city at an early hour
on the morning of September 29. The
fire proved ineffective, owing to the
great distance. The government forces
did not return the fire.

Dictator Barrios has issued a decree
granting amnesty to rebels who will
lay down their arms inside of ten days.

A dispatch to the Herald from Rio
de Janeiro says: The French minister
has demanded an immediate settlement
of the Amara question and an explanation
of Brazil's delay in the matter. It
is asserted that the French minister
has received practically an ultimatum
from his government for presentation to
Brazil, but has not thus far presented
it because of his belief that the
question would be speedily settled.

The shipwrecked crew are

arrived here to look out for French
interests.

A dispatch from Lima says the
committee of deputies which was recently
appointed to agree upon a plan to settle
the affairs of the Peruvian Corporation
have not been able to reach an
agreement. Several members of the
committee advocate a plan to authorize
the government to negotiate with the
corporation's creditors on a basis decided upon
by congress. Other members want the
committee to have full authority to
make any terms with the creditors and
the corporation, and have authority to
alter the terms of the cancellation of
the foreign debt, which debt the cor-
poration assumed.

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New Yukon Railroads.

New York, Oct. 4.—A dispatch from
Montreal says: Application will be
made to the Dominion parliament next
session for a bill to incorporate a com-
pany for the purpose of constructing and
operating a railway from a point near
the head of Chilkoot inlet, of the Lynn
canal, to the rapids on the Yukon river,
following as closely as practicable
Dalton's trail, with power to construct
and operate branch lines, bridges,
wharves, telegraph and telephone lines,
steamboats and other craft on the lakes
and tributaries of the Yukon river.

The promoters are a syndicate of
wealthy men.

Lates reports received at Ottawa of
the progress of the Crow's Nest pass
railway construction are to the effect
that work on the first 100 miles is very
far advanced, and that there is no
question but the company will be able
to realize its purpose of completing this
section before the close of the present
season.

A Trainload of Gold.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Oct. 6.—A
police scheme for handling the gold
output of the Cripple Creek mines will
be put into use by the operators of that
district. The plan is to set aside the
output for one month, take the bullion
therefrom and ship it to the United
States mint in Philadelphia in a single
consignment. A special train will
be secured for the purpose of transporting
it, the bullion will be placed in charge
of some express company which can
guarantee its safety, and all necessary
precautions will be taken to prevent
accident while the consignment is
in transit.

As the present output of Cripple
Creek is about \$1,000,000 per month,
this will be one of the largest ship-
ments of gold bullion that ever crossed
the continent.

Fight With Cattle Thieves.

Baker City, Or., Oct. 6.—Sheriff
Kirburn and posse had a hot fight last
night at 9 o'clock with two cattle
thieves on Lower Powder river. Forty
shots were exchanged. Fred Hull was
shot through the arm, but escaped to
this city. Earl Wheeler was not captured.
Hull called a doctor to his
lodging-house and was caught there to-
day.

A boy who recently died at the age of
13, in Indiana, from excessive smoking,
had consumed in the past five years
55,000 cigarettes.

I know that my life was saved by Piso's
Cure for Consumption.—John A. Miller,
Au Sable, Michigan, April 21, 1895.

The value of house property of London
is \$3,265,000,000; that of Paris, \$1,
420,000,000; that of New York, \$1,
525,000,000.

Try Schilling's Best tea and baking powder.

Employ None But Women.

Women have displaced men in every
branch of the machine shop of a bicy-
cle manufacturing firm having a large
plant at Toledo, O. In this establish-
ment girls are now employed on milling
machines, drill presses and other
machines used in the manufacture of
bicycle parts. The substitution of girls
for men has certainly not been prompted
by a desire on the part of the company
to assist in the great purpose of
making the female portion of the popula-
tion self-sustaining, but rather to secure
cheaper labor than their competitors.

Another Use for the Bay.

In France, by means of the Roentgen
rays, the sex of the silkworms is now
determined while they are in the
cocoon. This determination has in the
past been carried on under uncertainty,
usually by weight, the female cocoons
usually being slightly heavier.

Most Popular Nations.

The revised returns of the Russian
census give the total population of the
U.S.A. as 129,000,000. This makes
Russia third in rank among nations,
China coming first with an estimated
population of 400,000,000, and the
British Empire next with 298,000,000.

St. Paul, Oct. 6.—Samuel P. J. Mc-

Millian, United States senator from

1870 to 1888, died at his home in this

city last night of anemia. He had been

ill for nearly a year.

Meat for Klondikers.

Victoria, Oct. 6.—The steamer Reina
Crista, which arrived today, brought to
Captain General Weyler, \$2,000,000, it
is asserted, to be applied in military ex-
penses. Tomorrow, 100 Spanish soldiers
will carry off the Cuban reforms pro-
posed by Martinez de Campos 10 years ago,
but would not consent to a customs union
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SUNK OFF THE RIVER.

Schooner Orion Cut Down by the Ship
Pera.

New York, Oct. 6.—Shortly after 4
o'clock this afternoon, just as she was
completing one of the fastest trans-
Pacific sailing trips on record, the big
four-masted German ship Pera crashed
into the little coasting schooner Orion,
cutting her in two, and sending her to
the bottom immediately.

When the little vessel was struck by
the big steel ship, the captain was
thrown across the deck, badly bruised,
and every one of his four men were
knocked about and more or less seriously
injured. They succeeded in grasping
ropes of the German bark, and climbed
aboard, and thus made their escape.

Captain Nelson was loath to
say who he thought was to blame for
the collision. He avers that his
schooner was on her course for Shoal-
water bay. The weather was perfectly
clear and the sea smooth. The accident
occurred north of the lightship, about
some 12 or 15 miles off the mouth of the
river.

The tug Rettig was towing the Ger-
man bark, and the captain declined to
make a statement. The captain of the
schooner laid his case before the British
vice-consul here tonight, and the matter
will be thoroughly investigated.

The shipwrecked crew are now at a
hotel in Astoria, without a cent of
money or clothes other than what was
on their backs at the time of the col-
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THE WEEKLY MARKET LETTER.

Dowling, Hopkins & Company's Review
of Trade.

TRADE OF GERMAN TRADE.

France imported \$6,000,000 worth of
jewelry from Germany last year. This
fact has caused consternation among
the large jewelry manufacturers in the
former country. The German articles
are nearly all of a cheap variety, and a
large proportion of the jewels which
they contain are imitation. It is rather
striking to see the Germans cutting
into a branch of trade in which the
French have always been easily first.
French exports of jewelry and watches
continue to be very important. In the
Far East—China and India—the
French have almost entire control of
the watch and jewelry trade.

THE BLUE.

This is a symphony for that gloomy, harassed

condition of the mind which has its origin in

despair. All the ugly spirits that, under the
influence of the blue devils, "magnetic
and hysterical" become tormented and
uncontrollable, vanish when attacked with Bos-
ters' starch Bitters, that, moreover, are
so safe,