

# Old Coughs

Keep in close touch with your family doctor. No medicine was ever made that could take its place. Trust him at all times.

Old coughs, desperate coughs, rasping coughs, extremely perilous coughs, coughs that shake the whole body. It takes a strong medicine, a doctor's medicine, to master such coughs. A great many people rely on Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

# Gossip at the Nations Capital

Washington, Feb. 13.—"Taft and Bryan," and "Bryan and Johnson," will constitute the Republican Democratic tickets, respectively, at the next presidential election. There will be no chance for a favorite son for a dark horse; these men have been picked as the ultimate candidates of the two big parties—picked by those who make their living in this city and for this reason they claim they are pretty apt to be right. Washington received a visit this morning from a western campaign button manufacturer, and according to the button-makers do not plan to spend a cent on the likenesses of Taft, Cannon, Foraker, Knox, or any other possible piece of presidential timber. He claims that he and his colleagues in the button industry have carefully sized up the situation, with the result aforesaid. The production of the campaign buttons which retail for a nickel costs thousands of dollars, and the work of turning them out in sufficient quantities must commence weeks before the demand, so, the visitor pointed out, the men who put their money into this business have to examine and weigh the situation pretty carefully before deciding whose name to put on the little discs. However, this manufacturer only produces one button house, and he has been guided by his personal preferences; other manufacturers may be equally sure that other names will be in demand, and in thought there still is left some hope for the other candidates of the nominations of their party.

That the old saw "necessity is the mother of invention" is true, has been proven beyond a doubt. The navy department decided a few weeks ago to dispatch two submarines to the Pacific coast, and, according to the Porpoise and the Shark, which weigh about sixty tons, they had to have them hoisted to the deck of one of the big navy colliers and transported to the western states in that manner. It was recognized that it would be far better to haul the little terrors of the sea into the hold of the big collier, but this would have necessitated the removal of a number of deck beams and several other alterations. The naval engineers now have hit upon a plan of constructing a "nurse ship" for the submarines, which will transport them long distances, picking them up or dropping them conveniently, or giving them a fighting radius commensurate with that of a modern battleship. The new vessel will be able to carry four submarines, which are of powerful hoisting davits and are hoisted to their berths along the side of the mother ship, or dropped.

It may be, to make stealthy attacks by day or night. It is planned to make this nurse ship a high speed cruiser with little or no armament, all her extra space being devoted to the carrying of fuel and provisions for the brood of deep sea submarines.

The fight on prohibition is waxing every day some new and unexpected thrust is made at the liquor trade by the temperance advocates. The house committee on the subject of Columbia has been busily engaged with other measures affecting the seat of government, and the efforts of the aggressors have been centered on the committee on liquor. They have been urging a favorable report on one or more bills introduced to protect local option districts from removal of interstate as well as intra-

state shipments of liquor; that is, to give such districts the right of borderline confiscation of liquors shipped to destinations within prohibition districts. During the hearings had before this committee, one of the speakers in defense of "personal liberty" remarked that prohibition as tried in Maine, Kansas and Iowa does not prohibit, and questioned the operation of the law in Alabama and Georgia. Chairman Jenkins of the judiciary committee interrupted the speaker to say that only a few hours before a southerner had said to him, "The inauguration of prohibition laws in Alabama and Georgia will work like a charm. They will mean that a white gentleman can get a drink whenever he wants it, but a negro can't get a drop." Representatives Clayton of Alabama and Brantley of Georgia laughingly protested that this was not so, each declaring the chairman's informant must certainly have referred solely to the other's state. Mr. Jenkins' reply was "He said Alabama and he said Georgia," and even some of the prohibition representatives joined in the laughter that followed.

Senator Lodge suffered a lapse of memory this week, and his colleagues are poking much fun at him as a result. The Massachusetts senator doesn't like to be disturbed at night by telephone calls from newspaper men who take this method of reaching his ear and interviewing him on the big questions of the day. So when he had a telephone installed in his home this year he gave instructions that it should not be listed in the telephone directory and that on no account should the operator connect anyone who did not call the number direct, instead of first inquiring about it. This plan worked fine, and to all intents and purposes of bothersome newspaper men Mr. Lodge's home was without telephone connection. The other night the senator attended a dinner party, and when the time came to go home he asked permission to use his host's telephone for the purpose of calling his carriage. By the time he took down the receiver and central had asked "number?" he could not for the life of him remember the number, so he asked to be connected with Senator Lodge's residence. With positive instructions in her mind that on no account should this be done, central firmly refused to find out the number for him, although he protested that it was his own house he wanted to communicate with. In desperation, Mr. Lodge finally hit upon a scheme to outwit central; he called the White House and requested the operator on duty there for the number of his own telephone. Getting this he made a second call and at last had the satisfaction of hearing his butler's voice saying "Yes, sir" to his instructions that the carriage be sent for him immediately.

Is Secretary Garfield to be hailed before the senate and punished for contempt? It is claimed that he has given the upper house of congress good grounds for such a course, but the general belief is that he will be warned once more and that if he again attempts to violate the rules laid down by the august assembly his punishment will be swift and sure, and treason or some other awful charge will be laid at his door. It will be remembered that some weeks ago the senate passed a resolution to the effect that it would receive no more bills drafted by heads of departments and submitted direct to it for enactment into law. It is understood that this was aimed especially at the practice of Secretary Garfield in framing legislation which he desired and forwarding his measures direct to congress, without first submitting them to the President and allowing them to follow regular official channels. This week, however, Vice President Fairbanks received a drafted bill from Mr. Garfield requesting that it be properly referred and acted upon. The vice president was about to lay it before the senate, when his attention was called to the rule, and the communication was thereupon withheld.

The navy department this week decided on a plan by which the machinists and other skilled laborers employed in the various navy yards of the country all may be retained in the service, while at the same time the present appropriations may not be exceeded. Some weeks ago it was found that a big deficit threatened because of the lack of funds

with which to supply enough work for the thousands of men employed in the shops and yards, and immediate retrenchment was decided upon. Here at the gun foundry in Washington, close on to 400 men were summarily discharged, and further wholesale dismissals were contemplated, when one of the chief machinists at the yard got the President's ear and made an earnest plea for the families of the men who thus were thrown out of work in the heart of winter. Then Mr. Roosevelt arranged for several conferences between the discharged men and officials of the department, with the result that it has been decided to re-instate those let out, and to pursue the plan of furloughing each man for from four to six days each month in order that all may be kept employed a part of the time. As far as practicable, this system of furloughing will be applied in the future to all navy yards.

# THE AFRICAN NEGRO

Has Beautiful Pearly Teeth, Clean, White and Perfect, Without a Flaw, Even in Old Age. Living Near to Nature, His Digestion Is Perfect.

Dr. Livingstone, and later, Henry Stanley, both of whom spent much time in the exploration of Africa, in their memoirs mention the fact that members of all the tribes that they came in contact with possessed beautiful, white, pearly, sound teeth, and that on investigation they found that this was due to the fact that the digestive organs of the negro had never been impaired, and that they were able at all times to take care of the coarse foods that were taken into the stomach.

The negroes' food is of the plainest kind and is seldom if ever cooked, with but little preparation. The cause of unsound and imperfect teeth found among civilized people is due to two important facts—the prevalence of dyspepsia, indigestion and stomach troubles, and the food we eat.

In the foods we eat there is a lack of phosphates and other materials necessary to make repairs and supply the waste in the teeth.

Then again few people in civilized countries are free from dyspepsia, which interferes with the whole system and causes trouble everywhere. To have sound teeth, cure your dyspepsia and eat proper foods, and you will have little trouble with them.

A package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets should be kept in the house at all times. They cure dyspepsia, sour stomach, indigestion, and put the stomach and intestines in a healthy condition.

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"Why don't you go to work?"  
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and run down at this season of the year you can expect to suffer from Chills, Colds, Grippe or a spell of Stomach and Liver trouble. Therefore be wise and build up the entire system by the use of

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# BUSINESS METHODS IN CITY GOVERNMENT

Intelligent judgment about business is rarely exercised except where it is easy to obtain the facts as to business results. Intelligent judgment with regard to municipal officials and municipal government will never be possible until it is made easy for all who may be benefited or injured by government to learn the essential facts as to government acts and community needs. In business the essential thing is not the name, the pedigree, the complexion or respectability of the manager, but the specific things that the manager does. So in government the indispensable facts are not the political relation, the erudition, or personal characteristics of the official, but the specific things that he gets done, the specific things that he leaves undone or does wrong, the specific defects of government that injure the governed, causing unnecessary sickness, wretchedness, waste, arrested development of child life and of community life.

For business, methods have been devised that make it easy to record acts as they occur, to classify them where they belong and to report them regularly to managers and stockholders. The application of business methods to government means (1) the preparation of documents which may be used as evidence for locating the responsibility for each transaction, (2) the current filing and recording of this evidence in such manner that it may not be lost, (3) the calling each act by its right name, (4) the placing facts of a kind together in records of account that they may be interpreted, and (5) the reporting side by side what work is done and the cost of that work promptly and regularly to responsible officials, to electors, and to other parties in interest.

It is easier for the same methods to succeed in business than in government, because the parties in interest are relatively few in most business enterprises. Where interested parties are numerous business enterprise has shown the same defects as government enterprise; inside information has brought inside influence and inside profits. Witness specific insurance and transportation evils familiar to the public mind. The protection of interested parties at a distance from the acting representative has developed in business the compulsory outside audit and the supervision now more or less efficiently exercised by state governments. The protection of the taxpayer at a distance from the acting municipal officials require efficient outside supervision and special knowledge such as can be exercised by volunteer bodies which, like the bureau of municipal research, can co-operate with city officials to insure the recording, reporting, publishing and interpreting of official acts and community needs so that the average taxpayer can easily exercise intelligent judgment as to government. —William H. Allen in Review of Reviews.

# TEA

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# Are You a Lard Eater?

Half the time when a person feels blue and out of sorts you may take it for granted that he is a victim of the "lard habit." Lard-cooked food and good stomachs are never friends for long. Lard food is not healthful food and no ordinary stomach can thoroughly digest it.

Lard comes from the pig-sty; *Cottolene* from the cotton fields of The Sunny South. Lard is greasy, indigestible, and sometimes absolutely harmful; *Cottolene* makes food digestible, nutritious, delicious. *Cottolene* is the perfect shortening and frying medium. It is pure and healthful. It contains not an ounce of hog-fat.

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**For Representative.**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Representative at the primaries, April 17.  
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**WALTER M. SMITH.**

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination at the Republican primaries for commissioner.  
**B. E. ROBERTSON,**  
Turner, Oregon.

I desire to place my name before the Republican primaries for a nomination for County recorder.  
**D. G. DRAGER.**

I wish to announce to my friends that I am a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the Republican primaries.  
**JOSEPH MOORE.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for county commissioner on the Republican ticket.  
**G. B. HOYT,**  
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**Candidates—**  
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The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Holt*

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for themselves, as ours do need little praising. We might well be pardoned for being enthusiastic about them. But all we say is  
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No distinction is made as to the kind of Pills that Dr. Leonard's Hem-Roid cures.

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