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"I had a terrible cold and could hardly breathe. I then tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and it gave me immediate relief."
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Cleveland Thinks We Can Win

Philadelphia Dispatch.
In an interview written for this week's Saturday Evening Post, former President Cleveland urges his "rank and file associates" of the Democratic party to unite and take advantage of the opportunities of next November.

"I am one of those," he writes, "who believe that there is an opportunity for Democratic success in the coming presidential campaign."
"Though attachment to the party in which I am enlisted and an intense desire for its ascendancy make such belief exceedingly welcome they certainly don't create it. It is built upon an unshaken and abiding trust in the patriotism and intelligence of my fellow countrymen."

Mr. Cleveland's paper opens with a reiteration of the declaration that he made three years ago:
"Our fighting forces will respond listlessly and falteringly if summoned to a third defeat in a strange cause; but if they hear the rallying call of true Democracy they will gather for battle with old-time Democratic enthusiasm and courage."

Referring to his faith in his Democratic associates, he continues:
"This trust will not permit me to overlook the meaning of the daily increasing unrest among our people, growing out of the startling and flip-pant abandonment of the party in power of our national traditions and maxims, its disregard of our national moral restraints, its inconsiderate tendency to set aside national good faith, its willingness to break away from safe and accustomed moorings, and its contemptuous neglect of our national mission. Surely these conditions, together with the broken pledges and forgotten promises of reform that vex the sight on every side, not only abundantly explain the popular distress and fear prevailing everywhere in the land, but suggest that in such stress of political weather those of our fellow citizens who thoughtfully and constantly love our free institutions will not be unmindful of such safety and quiet as may be offered them, by a patriotic and conservative Democracy."

Mr. Cleveland thinks those conditions justify the assertion of Democracy's opportunity. He says:
"It should be remembered, however, that opportunity may be only distantly related to actual accomplishment."

MORE RIOTS.

Disturbances of strikes are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is at once employed. There is nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the liver or kidneys as electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nerve and the greatest all-around medicine for run down systems. It dispels nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia, and expels Malaria germs. Only 50c and satisfaction guaranteed by M. B. Blackburn.

ment, and that it does not of itself, unaided and alone, warranted the expectation of reaching successful results.
"This is no time for cunning finesse, nor for the use of words that conceal intentions or carry a double meaning. The Democratic party has a message to send to the American people. Let that message be expressed in language easily understood, unconfused by evasion and untouched by the taint of jugglery. Obsolete issues and questions no longer challenging popular interest should be manfully abandoned."

Mr. Cleveland urges tariff reform, pleads for economy in the expenditure of public money and charges the opposition with having made promises and broken them. He arraigns the administration's Philippine policy and refers to the Isthmian canal in these words:

"The democratic party has been consistent and unremitting in its advocacy of inter-oceanic canal, and has looked forward to the day when such a highway of commerce built under the auspices of our government, would be contributed by America to the world's progress and civilization. It is, nevertheless, not within the mandates of the Democratic creed, that even in consuming so noble an enterprise as this the territorial and other rights of any other nation should be disregarded and the good faith of such nations shaken."

Mr. Cleveland concludes as follows:
"At such a time as this the Democratic party cannot with honor undertake the battle of the people except under a leader that not only represents its best traditions and purposes, but fully realizes what is meant by the tremendous issue of the conflict; and his selection should not depend upon so small a consideration as the locality whence he comes."

"The Democracy's opportunity is already in sight; but only in a campaign waged in the reliance upon the people's love of country and devotion to national morality and under a leadership that personified these sentiments will be found the Democracy's hope."

Mexican Herald: That ridiculous little Panama republic gives its consent in advance, to anything Theodore Roosevelt and John Hay wish to have done. Call it a protectorate honestly, and without any more damnable dissembling.

COLDS CAUSE PNEUMONIA.

One of the most remarkable cases of cold, deep seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I ran down in weight from 145 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength." Sold by M. B. Blackburn.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.

Cleveland Endorses Bryan.

News and Observer.
Those commercialists who loudly praise Cleveland and never follow him except when he is wrong, haven't yet recovered from his recent solar plexus on the Panama disregard of national honor and his severe denunciation of our Philippine policy. Upon the first he is not so clear and emphatic as in the latter. He speaks of yielding to "the temptation of sordid aggrandizement and the false glitter of world's power," even with professions of national righteousness, benevolence and liberty on the lips of the American government. He refers to it as the greatest national fall from grace ever known when, while still appearing as the champion of the weak against the strong, and of self-government against oppression, the government of the nation seized the chance "to conquer and govern without pretense of their consent millions of resisting people;" holding aloft in one hand the promise of commercial advantage and the glory of rivaling monarchic expansion, "while with the other it slaughtered thousands of the abject possessors of the soil it coveted and sent messages of disease and death to thousands of American homes"

Commenting upon these sensible utterances, the Springfield Republican, the ablest paper in New England, writes words of truth and soberness when it says:

"This outburst of righteous indignation over a great national crime from a very influential person in the State comes a little late; it should have been heard in the Presidential campaign of 1900. It may possibly come at a more opportune season for practical effectiveness, but at all events it is to be welcomed for the reason especially that it has been Mr. Cleveland's own faction that among democrats, has been most infected with the poison of the policy of criminal aggression, and has given most encouragement and support to imperialism. The telling utterance should have some effect in bringing imperialist "Democrats" and their organs into a saner attitude on the Philippine question. Mr. Cleveland's counsel is to deal with the archipelago as we have dealt with Cuba and the opposition party can not rise to its opportunities in the coming canvass without making this demand a leading issue."

If in 1900, when his words would have helped to put in the White House the man who was leading the fight then for the policy Mr. Cleveland now approves, Mr. Cleveland had written this letter, he would have done his party and the country a service. Every word he says is an approval of the Democratic National platform and of Bryan's able speech of acceptance at Indianapolis. But when his words might have been instrumental in putting an end to the "slaughter of

thousands," he was nursing his resentment toward the party that has made him. If he had been big enough then to put this mighty question above his personal grievance democratic history might read differently, and thousands of Filipinos who have been "slaughtered" might be enjoying the sort of government which Mr. Bryan and the democratic party promised. But, though late, we are glad to see Mr. Cleveland approving the position Mr. Bryan took in 1898.

Increased Value of Mules.

Charlotte Observer.
Mr. James W. Wadsworth returned yesterday from Indianapolis where he purchased 18 horses and 232 mules which will be brought to Charlotte and sold here. Every year the firm of Wadsworth's Sons & Co. sell between 500 and 1,000 mules in this county and they buy these at about \$26 apiece cheaper in Indianapolis than in Atlanta; "though in Atlanta," said Mr. Wadsworth, "there are more mules than in any other place in the world."

"The increased value in the price of mules has been noted for six or eight years, but the greater increase of value came with the Boer-British war. A mule that now sells for \$150 could have been bought five years ago for \$100."

DO YOU WANT STRENGTH?

If you want to increase your strength you must add to and not take from the physical. In other words, the food that you eat must be digested, assimilated and appropriated by the nerves, blood and tissue before before being expelled from the intestines. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure adds to the physical. It gives strength to and builds up strength in the human system. It is pleasant to the taste and palatable and the only combination of digestants that will digest the food and enable the system to appropriate all of its health and strength-giving qualities. Sold by M. B. Blackburn.

T. C. Bowie Esq. of Jefferson one of the most prominent candidates for the congressional nomination in this district is in the city today. Mr. Bowie is regarded as one of the strongest debaters the University has ever given to the bar and politics in the State. His character and ability are held in high estimation in Salisbury where he has many warm friends.—Salisbury Correspondent Charlotte Observer.

THE NAME WITCH HAZEL.

The name of Witch Hazel is much abused. E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, are the inventors of the original and only genuine Witch Hazel Salve. A certain cure for cuts, burns, bruises, eczema, tetter, burns, etc. There are many counterfeits of this salve, some of which are dangerous, while they are all worthless. In buying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve see that the name E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, is on the box and a cure is certain. Sold by M. B. Blackburn.

What is a bucket shop? Some of the officers of the law seem to find it difficult to get a definition that will stick. A son asked that question of his father in New York. "A bucket shop, my son," said the father, feelingly, "a bucket shop is a modern cooperative establishment to which a man takes a barrel and brings back the bung-hole. Ex

FEMALE WEAKNESS

5421-3 Congress St.
Portland, Maine, Oct. 17, 1902.
I consider Wine of Cardui superior to any doctor's medicine I ever used and I know whereof I speak. I suffered for nine months with suppressed menstruation which came only prostrated me. Pains would go through my back and sides and I would have blinding headaches. My limbs would swell up and I would feel so weak I could not stand up. I naturally felt discouraged for I seemed to be beyond the help of physicians, but Wine of Cardui came as a God-send to me. I felt a change for the better within a week. After nineteen days' treatment I menstruated without suffering the agonies I usually did and soon became regular and without pain. Wine of Cardui is simply wonderful and I wish that all suffering women knew of its good qualities.

Wilhelmina Swann
Treasurer, Portland Economic League

Periodical headaches tell of female weakness. Wine of Cardui cures permanently nineteen out of every twenty cases of irregular menses, bearing down pains or any female weakness. If you are discouraged and doctors have failed, that is the best reason in the world you should try Wine of Cardui now. Remember that headaches mean female weakness. Secure a \$1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui today.

WINE OF GARDUI

Somebody clever at figures has found out that the Weather Bureau has cost about 2 cents apiece during the present year. And just think what a lot of weather you get for this insignificant sum.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

FARM FOR SALE,

Sixty or seventy acres of well-watered and well-laying lands, lying 7 miles from Boone on the Jefferson road. Fine orchard of apples, peaches and cherries; also double cribs, good stable and smoke house, the dwelling was burned. The farm is a bargain at the price—\$800—as it contains about 20 or 25 acres of fine bottom land. Parties interested will call on R. L. Moretz, as he lives near the place, or write to me at Shoun's X Roads, Tenn., and I will meet them there.
ALEXANDER CROWDER.

"If you had a million dollars what would you do?"
"I don't know that I'd do anything," answered Mr. Ard luc. "I would probably wake up and find it wasn't so."

One loses all the time which he might employ to better purpose.—Rousseau.

Over-Work Weakens Your Kidneys.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every three minutes.

The kidneys are your blood purifiers, they filter out the waste or impurities in the blood. If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work. Pains, aches and rheumatism come from excess of uric acid in the blood, due to neglected kidney trouble.

Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries.

It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail. Home of Swamp-Root, free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.



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