

THE SHOE MEN WANT FREE HIDES

The Boston Commercial Bulletin is a protection paper and believes in protection as long as it does not adversely affect the constituency which it represents.

At the next meeting of Congress several important questions will be brought up relative to the now existing tariff laws.

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market with the other third they have to compete with shoemakers who can buy all the American leather they want for less money than the American manufacturer can.

Of course this is a troublesome obstacle in the way of the American shoe exporter in his efforts to build up a trade in foreign countries.

But there are other things as well as hides and leather, the taxing of which works hardship and loss to industries as important if not more important than they are.

The Boston paper is right. The duty should come off imported hides and leather, and also off wool, and some other raw materials.

As another illustration of the "beneficence" of Trusts, the leading cotton seed oil men have had a meeting at New Orleans and fixed the price they will pay for seed this year.

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Some years ago when the cotton-bagging trust, assuming that they had the cotton-growers in their power, put up the price of bagging.

Advertisement for Gold Dust washing powder, featuring an illustration of a woman washing clothes and a box of the product.

Roosevelt on the Southern Soldier. In writing of Theodore Roosevelt, now President, some time ago we remarked that the South had no reason to feel apprehensive on account of his becoming President.

Twinklings. - Annie - Don't you want to go to Heaven? Johnny - I don't know. I think it must be a place where people spend their time behaving themselves.

Book Notices. The October number of The Smart Set presents an interesting and varied list of contents by sprightly writers.

Current Comment. - The proper way to knock the life out of anarchists of Ozolgoz's kind is to print nothing they say.

For Over Fifty Years. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children.

Advertisement for Dr. J. C. Merce's Favorite Prescription for Weak Women, featuring a portrait of a woman.

Spirits Turpentine. - Northern Journal: Tuesday's election, held by the city, to vote on the matter of an issuance of \$15,000 of bonds, to build an electric plant.

Monroe Journal: Again there is talk of a furniture factory in Monroe. The Journal learns that several men are ready to invest in such an enterprise.

Winston Sentinel: Thos. Glenn, M. D. Bailey, Jr., and other sportsmen of the registered on Monday night. After a lively race until nearly midnight, the dogs lost the track.

Fayetteville Observer: Charles Young, a school teacher, and his little 2-year-old daughter were instantly killed by lightning at Park-ton, Robeson county, Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

A Natural Query: Mamma (who is expecting the minister) - Willie, we will have a very nice old gentleman to tea this evening.

A Kidnaping Plot. - It was to capture Jay Gould and hold him for ransom. "An old man, who was once laid to bed by Jay Gould and held for ransom," said an old railroad man.

Not Convicted - Male Guest. - "You must admit one thing, though American women for their work are well taken care of, are they?"

A Remedy for Nasal Catarrh which is drying and exciting to the diseased membrane should not be used. What is needed is that which soothes, soothes, protecting and healing.

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Wilmington Market. - Quoted officially at the closing by the Produce Exchange.

Spirits Turpentine - Nothing doing. - Market firm at 95c per barrel for strained and \$1.00 per barrel for good strained.

RECEIPTS. - Spirits turpentine, 38 Bbls; Rosin, 40 Bbls; Turpentine, 48 Bbls.

COTTON. - Market firm on a basis of 8c per pound for middling. Quotations: Ordinary, 7-16; Good ordinary, 6-15 1/2; Good middling, 7-16 1/2; Middling, 8; Good middling, 8-16.

PEANUTS - North Carolina, firm. - Virginia, 26c; extra prime, 28c; fancy, 30c; Spanish, 30c; CORN - Firm; 75 to 77c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS. - By Telegraph to the Morning Star. - NEW YORK, Sept. 18 - Money on call was firmer at 5 1/2 per cent.

PRODUCE MARKETS. - By Telegraph to the Morning Star. - NEW YORK, Sept. 18 - Flour - market was quiet and less active, closing easy.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS. - By Telegraph to the Morning Star. - NEW YORK, Sept. 18 - Rosin steady. Spirit turpentine steady.

COTTON MARKETS. - By Telegraph to the Morning Star. - NEW YORK, Sept. 18 - Cotton quiet.

AN ACCOMPLISHED CURE Eulogizes Peruna as an Efficacious Catarrh



Gonzalo De Quesada, Secretary of the Cuban Legation in Washington, is an orator born. In an article in The Outlook for July, 1899, by George Kennan, who heard Quesada speak at the Esteban Theatre, Matanzas, Cuba, he said: "I have seen many audiences under the spell of eloquent speech and of strong emotional excitement, but I have rarely witnessed such a scene as at the close of Quesada's eulogy upon the dead patriot, Marti."

"Peruna I can recommend as a very good medicine. It is an excellent strengthening tonic, and it is also an efficacious cure for the almost universal complaint of catarrh." Peruna does not operate upon the system as a local treatment. It operates as a system with the usual remedy does. It is not a tonic. It gives tone to the

weakened nerve centers, and to the various organs of the body. Catarrh is always located in the mucous membrane of the bladder, ureters, and the prostate gland. It is a disease of the blood, and it is a disease of the blood vessels.

Address The Peruna Medicine Co., 100 N. 3rd St., Philadelphia, Pa. Write for a free copy of the book "The Catarrh Remedy." It is a book that has cured thousands of cases of catarrh.

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