

was filling it. But it was hole that he thought it ter. Out of that little hole he lost his grain while taking it to market It's that way None are so small but life can leak out

of them. "I've got a little touch of indigestion says one man. Another says, "my stomach feels a little out of sorts." It is just such little things which if negected mean the total loss of health. The one medicine for disorders and diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It increases the activity of the whole digestive and nutritive system, clears away obstructions, stops the loss the body sustains by undigested or partly digested food, puri-fies the blood from the poisons resulting from imperfect digestion, and increases the secretions of the blood-making "Golden Medical Discovery has a wonderful record of cures of socalled "hopeless" cases.

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MARGARET E, SANGSTER.

When is the golden time? you askthe gold time of love. The time when earth is green beneath, and skies are blue above; The time for sturdy health and strength, the time for happy play— When is the golden hour? you ask—

I answer you, "To day." To-day, that from the Maker's hand slips on the great world sea As staunch as ever ship that launched

to sail eternally; To day, that wafts to you and me a breath of Eden's prime. That greets us glad and large and free -it is the golden time.

For yesterday hath veiled her face, and gone as far away As sands that swept the pyramids in Egypt's ancient day. No man shall look on Yesterday, or tryst with her again;

Forever gone her toils, her prayers, her conflicts, and her pain. To-morrow is not ours to hold may never come to bless

Or blight our lives with weal or ill, with gladness or distress. No man shall clasp To morrow's hand, nor catch her on the way; For when we reach To-morrow's land, she'll be by then To day.

You ask me for the golden time; I bid And fill it full of earnest work, while yet you have the power. To day the golden time for joy, be neath the household eaves; To-day the royal time for work, for

'bringing in the sheaves.' To-day, the golden time for peace, for righting olden feuds; For sending forth from every heart whatever sin intrudes.

To day, the time to consecrate your life to God above: To day, the time to banish hate, the golden time for love,

CURRENT COMMENT.

- A curious sign of the times, one worth more than passing study, is the remarkable unanimity with which the men who started large bicycle factories a few years ago are now heading for the bankruptcy court to lay down their loads of trouble. - Chicago News, Ind.

- Steamship owners are protesting against an amendment to the Hawaiian bill which leaves navigation between Honolulu and American ports open to foreign vessels for another year. Foreign vessels have been engaged in this trade, which, by the way, presents little analogy with the coastwise trade and if they are to be driven out of that business it is not unreasonable that they should have a year's notice to quit .- New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin, Ind.

The expulsion of Clark, of Montana, from the Senate is in every sense right. He obtained his seat, by thorough-going corruption. Yet it is a painful reflection, that if every seat now held by the grace of money expended in the purchase of legislative votes were vacated, there would probably not be members enough left to constitute a quorum. Clark's error lay in the exceptional coarseness of his methods. The Senate has practically become a rich man's club, with political duties and powers added .- Brooklyn Citizen,

The new French first-class cruiser Chateau Renault in her speed trials yesterday at Toulon made twenty-five knots.



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MORE REPORTS OF BOER SUCCESSES.

A British Force Surrounded With Remote Chance of Relief or Escape from Capture.

GEN. ROBERTS' MOVEMENTS.

Speculation as to Chances of the Boer Commands at Wepener Being Cut Off--Expectation of Good News from Mafeking.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, April 14, 2.07 P. M .- The only development reported thus far to-day in the cable dispatches received here from South Africa is the heavy bombardment of the British trenches at Warrenton, April 13th, but which resulted in no damage, the Boers apparently being under the impression hat the British meditated an attack. Major General Sir Frederick Carington, accompanied by detachments

of Bushman and Scotch scouts, sailed to-day from Cape Town for Beira, Portuguese South Africa. Prince Adolphus of Teck has returned to Bloemfontein after a short visit

to Cape Town. From Boer sources it is learned that leneral Botha has returned from the ighting lines at Glencoe, and reports hat the British have removed their camp in the direction of Elandslaagte. As the British camp has been situated at that place for some time, the sig-nificance of Gen. Botha's statement is not quite clear.

Gen. Roberts' Movements.

The reassuring reports from Bloem fontein published in this morning's papers have done much to restore confidence in London. All the correspondents seem to agree that Lord Roberts knows what he is about. The critics of the afternoon papers eagerly speculate on the possibilities of the Boer commands at We pener being cut off. This seems quite possible, as the force from Bloemfontein is advancing by way of DeWets dorp, General Chormside is nearing the objective with the Third division by way of Reddarsburg and General Brabant's force is moving from Aliwal North by way of Roux-ville and Bushman Kop, while across the border a strong force of Basutos are closely watching events. In the meanwhile, General Rundle's division is concentrating at Springfontein, Lord Methuen's force is trying to get to Hoopstad and it is believed that General Hunter's division will strengthen the British left at Fourteen

The weakening of General Buller's orce by the withdrawal of the Union and Irish brigades now under General Hunter is attributed to the fact that the general commanding in Natal has ecided that the forcing of his troops is impracticable and that he will merely attempt to maintain the status quo until Lord Roberts' main advance opens his road through Laings Nek. Beyond the mysterious Cape Town hint regarding the early expectation of good news about Mafeking, there is no further information at hand in connection with the beleaguered

town, which now must be in great Reports of Boer Succeses.

LEEMOKOP, (southeast of Bloemfontein,) April 13.-The Boer command which is still in the southern district, and which it was feared had been cut off, has rendered a good account of itself with the Basutoland police who had invaded the Orange Free State. Four British scouts who were cap-tured say that Bloemfontein is hard

pressed for water. They say that all the private wells were guarded and civilians were not permitted to use them until the troops were supplied. Commandant Dewet has received

report that the British who fled from Smithfield southward were severely punished by the burghers of Roux

News received here from Johannes burg Drift says a British force of about one thousand men, mainly composed of Brabant's horse, with General Brabant commanding, is surrounded at Robertson's mills with a remote chance of relief or effective resistance.

The British force, reported in the above dispatch from Leemokop to be surrounded at Robertson's mill, is probably the force of Colonial troops previously referred to as surrounded by the Boers near Wepener. These British troops are not commanded by General Brabant in person, but are under the command of Colonel Dalgety. General Brabant was last reported at Aliwal North with General Kitchener.

Mrs. Kruger.

A special from Pretoria, dated 13th

Mrs. Kruger, on being interviewed, said that she trusted God would soon stop the merciless bloodshed, but that the republic would be vigorously defended even if Pretoria were finally taken. She added that she had in the field 33 grand-sons, two of whom were cilled, four sons, six sons-in-law and numerous other relatives.

A dispatch from Bloemfontein, dated April 14th, says: "A patrol of Royal Irish, with whom was Lord Rosslyn, has been captured. Lord Rosslyn has been sent to Kroonsdad."

TURKEY MUST PAY INDEMNITY

For the Destruction of American Mi sionary Property During the Armenian Massacres in 1895.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. Washington, April 14.—It is learn ed on undoubted authority that the egotiations for the payment of indemnity demanded for the destruction of American missionary property in Turkey during the Armenian massacres in 1895 have reached their log-

Minister Straus secured the promise of the Sultan that indemnity amounting to about \$90,000 should be paid, and that promise having been twice renewed, the last time previous to Minister Straus' departure from Constantinople, it was understood by the minister as well as by the State Department that payments would be forthcoming. Sixteen months have passed since the promise was made and has not yet been fulfilled, and the question presents itself, what action will this government take to enforce its observance. Meanwhile the Presi-dent has refused to accept the resignation of Minister Straus, and has in-definitely extended his leave of ab-

- Tarboro Southerner: W. E. Sugg died early Thursday morning at his home near Sparta. As was his

THE PARIS EXPOSITION FORMALLY OPENED.

Imposing Ceremonies -- A Gorgeous Assemblage-Vast Throng of People-No Exhibits in Place Yet.

By Cable to the Morning Star. PARIS, April 14.—The Exposition of 1900 has opened, but it will be at least a month before anything but buildings is to be seen. The day's ceremonies were a peculiar mixture of sumptuous splendor in the Salles des Fetes and widespread confusion elsewhere. Nothing could have exceeded the picturesque stage setting in the beautiful building in which the inaugural cere-monies were held, the gorgeous uniforms of the diplomats and soldiers, the splendid orchestra and chorus, and the magnificent effect produced by the grand staircase, up which President Loubet proceeded to view the Exlined with some two picked men of the Republican Guards, with jack boots, white breeches, gleaming cuirasses

and horsehair plumes streaming from

shining helmets. At the top of this

stairway was a . room, the interior of

which could be seen from the Sailes

des Fetes, and this was hung with

priceless gobelins from the Loure. Into

this splendid apartment President Loubet entered and from there walked down the avenue to his boat. This part of the day's arrangements was perfect, but the rest was chaos. The weather to-dry was luckily all that could be desired. Fourteen thousand guests had been invited to the function and they had, because of the fine weather, only the dust to endure. Had the day been wet the unrolled paths of the Exposition grounds would have been turned into a mass of mud. The spectacle that met President Loubet's eyes when, amid the resounding strains of the Marseillaise, he stepped to the front of the presi-dential dais on his entry into the Salle des Fetes was probably never seen before within the walls of any building. The vast circus was filled with a sea of human beings, who overflowed the balconies jetting out from the sides. The decoration of the interior was a triumph of artistic skill, with a handsome stained glass dome through which the rays of sunlight filtered down upon the concourse be low and a color scheme in mural painting with the strikingly executed frescoes of appropriate allegories in brilliant relief. The galleries and bal-

ing fan like from shields bearing the letters "R. F. The group among the great assemoly which was the most atractive was the body of foreign representatives in picturesque attire. Since Victoria's jubilee, or the Czar's oronation, no such congress of strange or gorgeous national costumes has been seen. a mass together were turbaned chiefs, Arab sheiks in flowing white robes and with faces muffled in linen clothes; Hungarian magnates in magnificent dolmans trimed with valuable lurs, with green breeches and top boots and wearing fur toques surmounted by waving aigrettes; Chinese and other Oriental embassy officials in characteristic silk garments; tall Cossacks in sumputous cloaks with bandoliers slung across their chests

conies were draped with red plush,

and the hall was profusely adorned

with trophies of tri-color flags, open-

sabres. All of these outlandish figures rubbed shoulders with the wearers of the not less splendid but better known European uniforms. A vast throng which tried to reach the Champs d'Mars in advance of the presidential party by passing through on the ground floor of the Agricultural Hall, found it a discouraging task. Piles of plaster, blockades of timber, and unfilled excavations confronted them everywhere. Over these they climbed, almost suffocating from the dust. Handsomely gowned women in spring attire braved the difficulties, but

from which emerged the polished

brass cartridge cases and trailing heavy

only at the cost of ruining expensive This is only an example of the incomplete condition of the interiors of most of the structures, which must undergo a month's serious labor before the public can find the exhibits in place and view them with comfort and without sacrifice to wearing apparel.

BRYAN DEMOCRATS

Have Decided to Welcome Admiral Dewey lato the Ranks of the Democratic Party.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. CHICAGO, April 14.-Bryan Democrats have decided to welcome Ad miral Dewey into the Democratic party. Such is the position officially outlined in to day's issue of the Democratic Press Bulletin:

"We may accept the admiral's de-

claration of his political faith as indicating that he is with the Democratic party at least on an overwhelming majority of the issues it has taken up, runs the article, which is written by Willis J. Abbott, head of the Democratic literary bureau. "This is a most gratifying fact," the article continues. "It indicates that should the Democratic party, after mature deliberation deny to the Admiral the mature deliberation delibera miral the nomination which he seeks, it may nevertheless count on his hearty co-operation and his influence in behalf of its efforts to end the evils of

McKinleysm by ending the reign of Emperor William I." In commenting on the purport of his article, Mr. Abbott says: "We are naturally delighted at the prospect of such a distinguished acquisition to our ranks as Admiral Dewey. But of course we expect the Admiral to 'play fair' and accept the good old Demo-cratic doctrine of abiding by the result of an honest Democratic convention."

- Louisburg Times: Last Saturday (7th inst.) was the day for the Populist primaries in this county, and the small attendance at the various precincts must have been very discouraging to those who are still hanging on with the hope that by some "hook or crook" they can get some-thing—by "fusing" with the negroes. If there was a meeting in Louisburg last Saturday we were unable to discover it, but have since learned there were five men in a certain little room, and it is supposed that they were holding a "primary." In Franklinton the number who attended the "primar,y" so we learn from an eyeback" Republicans and three Populists. At Clifton's Mill the number was 4. At the Gold Mine precinct the number was 3.

- Mount Airy News: We learn that much valuable timber was destroyed by fire last week in the Pine Ridge and Low Gap sections. — The Mount Airy Granite Company is doing a big business. On Friday they ship-ped three train loads of stone. The Southern is busy all the time handling at his home hear Sparta. As was his usual custom, he arose early and went out to his stables to look after his stock. His long absence from the house aroused the suspicions of his people. When found he was lying near the stables on the ground in a dying condition. He lived but a short time after he was placed in his room,

ANATHEMATIZED

GREAT BRITAIN. Senator Pettigrew's Speech Advo-

cating Adoption of Mason's Boer Resolutions.

ALASKAN CIVIL CODE BILL

Under Consideration-House Resolution in Favor of Election of Senators by Direct Vote of the People Was Briefly Considered.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, April 14.-Beyond the passage of eighty-three private pension bills and some general measures of minor importance, the Senate trans acted little business to day. The Alas kan Civil Code bill was under consideration for some time, but finally went over until Monday, when an effort

will be made to get a vote upon it. Mr. Berry, of Arkansas, directed at tention to the fact that the House of Representatives had adopted a resolution in favor of the election of Sena tors by the people, and he appealed to the Committee on Privileges and Elec ions, to which his resolution propos ing an amendment to the constitution for the election of Senators by the people had been referred, to present a re port either in favor or against the resoution. He regarded it as one of the most important questions before the

Mr. Chandler, chairman of the Com nittee on Privileges and Elections, said the committee had been very uch engaged thus far this session but now that the opinion of the Sen ator from Arkansas has been re-en forced by action of the House, doubt less the committee will immediately

proceed to consider the subject." Mr. Chandler said that, personally he was opposed to the election of Sen ators by the people, but he would be glad to have the question considered Then the senior Senator from South Dakota resumed his speech on the history of the Boer war, advocating the adoption of Mason's resolution expres sive of sympathy for the Boers in their

fight against Great Britain. The Senator anathematized England in every phase of her government and declared that her colonies were cursed by her control.

'I hope the day will come-and hope the Transvaal war will furnish the opportunity-when Ireland will rise and sweep every British soldier and every British landlord into the

At 4.21 the Senate adjourned. House of Representatives.

After one hour of routine business, the House to day devoted its session to hearing eulogies on the late Governor Oliver P. Morton, of Indiana, in connection with the acceptance of his statue, which has been placed in Statuary Hall at the Capitol by the State which he served. The speakers included Messrs. Steele, Miers, Crumpacker, Overstreet, Griffith, Hemen way, Brick, Alexander, Faris and Watson of Indiana; Grosvenor of Ohio, and Cannon of Illinois, Previous to this order of business fifty three private pension bills were

TWINKLINGS.

called up Monday.

passed and notice was given that the Naval Appropriation bill would be

- All through life you will find that it's only the men who can afford to get a man to do it that rake up the front yard themselves .- New York

- New Consumer-"How do you measure gas?" Gas Clerk—"By the foot, sir." New Consumer—"But our gas is never turned up over three

- "As an after dinner speaker he s wonderful." "Do you really think o?" "Yes, indeed! He can make an entertaining speech without referring to a single story that Depew ever told.

- Hoax--"There's a laundry next door to a church uptown." Joax-"Well, what of that?" Hoax-"Nothing, except that it's a sort of corroboration of the old saying: 'Cleanliness is

next to Godliness.' - Lawyer-" Did you write this letter?" Witness-"Yes, sir." Lawyer-"But how can you prove it?" Witness-" By fitting the envelope flap in the cut on my tongue that I got when I sealed the envelope.

- He was loving, but very bashful. He sat two full yards from the girl of his choice. "Tom," she ventured, "you have been a newspaper writer for some time?" "Yes, darltng!" he responded, proudly. "Then why don't you follow the motto of your profession?" "The motto of my profession?" "Yes; 'Fill up space." And he followed the motto right

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THE STRIKE SITUATION.

Conflicting Statements Made by Southern Railroad Officials and President Powell of Telegraphers.

Py Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 14.-More co n fidence seemed to pervade both parties to the strike of the telegraphers on the Southern Railway to day than at any time since the walk-out was ordered. The Southern officials, speaking of the condition on the divisions centreing in Atlanta, say that they are normal. President Powell said to day:

telegraphers.' Trains arriving and departing from Atlanta since 4 P. M. yesterday have been delayed from twenty minutes to one hour and thirty minutes where there was any delay. Official information from the office of Assistant General Superintendent Thompson today was to the effect that all trains are coming and going with no hurtful de-lays. This includes freight trains; the officials claim that all freight is being handled as heretofore. "No strike exists so far as we are concerned," the railroad officials' statement.

"I consider the victory won by the

President Powell, in his daily statement, says:
"I consider the victory won by the telegraphers. My reports show that several of the most important divisions are absolutely tied-up no pas-sengers or freights running. My advices from Knoxville, Asheville, Salisbury and Chattanooga show that the line through those cities is completely blocked. Not a train is moving. The United States fast mail train from Washington to Memphis via Salisbury, Asheville, Knoxville and Chattanooga has been annulled and no trains are

moving in that section. "At Birmingham the situation is perfectly satisfactory. Nothing but passenger trains are moving on the Birmingham division and the Alabama Great Southern. Freight is congesting and a large number of car loads of perishable stuff has been lost in that section. At Charlotte the strike is effective on all freight business. This is also true of the lines north and east

toward Washington. "The strike is spreading at Augusta and Columbia, Seven more men struck between Salisbury and Charlotte last night. Not an operator is working at Augusta, the Southern dispatcher striking last night. The people at Corona, Ala., in the milling district, refuse to provide food for the scab operator sent there. At Tusca-loosa, Ala., Superintendent Rickey's stenographer went to work but soon quit. At Coal Creek, Tenn., the miners held a meeting and pledged their support to our cause. On the Murphy and Asheville division not a train is running of any sort. Every office is closed tight. The citizens ordered a scab to leave Newells, N. C., to-day."

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CAMPAIGN IN LOUISIANA

Closed Last Night With Rival Mass Meetings in New Orleans-A Bitter Contest by the Republicans.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, April 14.-The State campaign virtually closed to night by rival mass meetings. The Democrats had a great rally at Elk Place, present ing three dozen speakers from four platforms. The Caffery Republican wing held a smaller meeting at the head of Canal street, dubbing it an indignation meeting to protest against election frauds which they fear will be committed. The Democrats have offered their watchers to witness the vote and count all over the State, but they want commissioners or nothing.

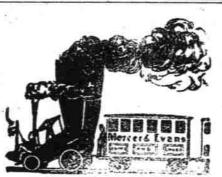
In the city the commissioners for the Republican side were accorded to the Wimberley wing, the Democrats holding that it is the Republican party recognized by the national Republican committee. Most of the parishes or counties have ruled likewise, though some have given the ordered commissioner to the Caffery element.

The campaign has been made very bitter by the Caffery combine, of which Senator Caffery's son is the candidate for Governor, the Senator join ing in arraigning Democratic methods of election and attacking the one man power exercised by Governor Foster. The latter was with difficulty dissuaded from calling Senator Caffery to personal account, it being deemed a bad precedent for the Governor to engage in a personal quarrel. In some parts of the State Caffery speakers have appealed to arms. The outlook. however, is for a quiet election, with the vote much lighter than usual.

FILIPINOS AGAIN ACTIVE.

Attacked Balanga and Were Repulsed by the Thirty-second Regiment.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. MANILA, April 14.—The insurgents, supposedly Mascado's command, are again active about the Marivales mountains, across the bay from Manila. A force, estimated at three hundred, attacked Balanga, where three companies of the Thirty-second infan try are stationed, on Monday night, but were steadily repulsed. Yesterday they attacked Captain Goldman with thirty men of the Thirty second regiment near Orion, killing two Ameri cans. Goldman then retired. The transport Thomas sails to morrow, taking General Theodore Schwan



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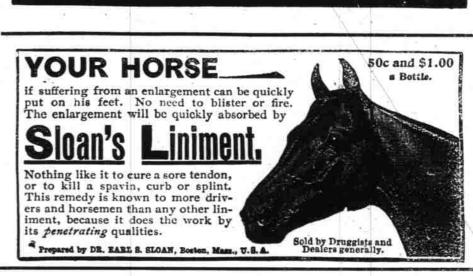
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Miss Alma Brown is showing great skill in Trimming Beautiful Hats. She has under her charge in this department eight ladies helping her. We sell the Millinery of the city. We carry the stock, and would like to have you call and see our goods and the styles we show. We have Hats trimmed from 50, 75c to \$1.00; better and finer goods up to \$5 00 and \$10.00 each. Come to this big store for your EASTER BONNET. We guarantee the style, price and quality.

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