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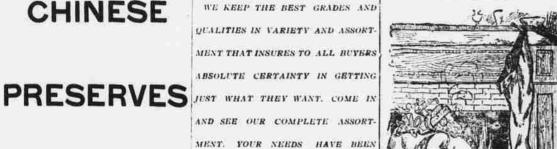
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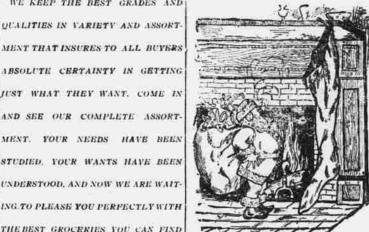
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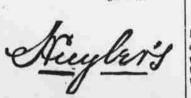
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THE NICARAGUA CANAL

MORGAN WANTS THE GOV ERNMENT TO CONTRIBUTE

vored Beyond Other Nations.

Committee on foreign relations has ple's party in Congress will act with the further considered the bill by the terms Democrats in the next Congress. Already of which the United States guarantees steps have been taken to strengthen the the payment of the interest on \$100,-000,000 bonds, to be issued by the Nicaragua Canal company.

Nicaragua had favored the United States ject.

"But," said he, "Since I have been a "But," said he, "Since I have been a oreign government to construct the prosed canal. All the people of the United states were interested in this work and e advocated the passing of a measure that would allow its completion. He did not want this Government to stand in the way of the canal company and said that if the Government did not pro-

INGALLS LECTURES.

pose to act, let it step aside.

All Must Submit When the Ma jority Speaks.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 12.-Ex-Senaor John J. Ingalls, of Kansas, lectured to a large audience in Washington Rink upon "Some Causes and Consequences of the Recent Elections."

Mr. Ingalls assured the audience that he contemplated no partisan discussion of the election that had resulted so dis-NEW ENGLAND astrously to the party with which he was affiliated. He had no disposition to make an autopsy upon the deceased, nor would be pronounce an obituary upon the vanquished, or a culogy upon the

> "This is an interval for reflection," said Mr. Ingalls. "The smoke of the conflict has disappeared. We are to have a period of tranquility and repose for the next four years. The majority of the people can always be trusted.

"When the majority has spoken, and especially when it has spoken as loudly as it has recently, it becomes us all to submit with composure. Grover Cleve-land is not in my judgment an ideal statesman, but he is so far superior to others who might have been chosen that the choice of him seems to have been

providential. "He is a robust American and believer in American institutions. He covered a multitude of sins when he said: 'Pa-ternalism has no place in the creed of Democracy.' That sentence is both an epitome and an epitaph. Paternalism ad no place in the creed of the founders

SHE CUT A FIGURE.

Newly Rich and Couldn't Hold Her Money.

San Francisco, Dec. 14.-Mrs. Annie Tormey, widow of an Irish pioneer, who years ago, has filed an insolvency petition under the act of 1890 for the purchase showing that she owes \$179,701, which more than covers her assets. As soon as Tormey was buried the widow and daughters started out to cut a wide social swath. They thought nothing of spending \$2,000 or \$3,000 on a visit to this city, and their bills for finery ran up

to \$20,000. Mrs. Tormey was also inveigled into losing investments. One of her wors ventures was with Allegretti, the candy maker, who invented a process for pre-serving fruit against decay. Allegretti failed last week, and his failure brought Mrs. Tormey's affairs to a crisis.

Mrs. Tormey's preferred creditors are her three daughters, so that the money lenders who aided her are likely to lose

Scandal Worthy of Middle Ages. London, Dec. 12.-The Times Paris correspondent says: "The Reimach scandal is worthy of the middle ages. The Parliament, the magistracy, and the press, all are crying for the corpse.
Only the brush of a Gallot or a Holbein
could do justice to the scenes presented at the cemetery. When the autopsy was performed there was an unseemly scramble between the doctors and the reporters to reach the grave doctors were victorious. They whitened the windows of the room which the autopsy was performed, so nothing was visible from the outside."

National Park at Chattanooga. Washington, Dec. 13 .- The sub-committee of the house committee on appropriations, in charge of the preparation of the sundry civil bill, had a busy session this morning. Gen. H. V. Boynton, secretary of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National park association, made an explanation of the necessity for estimates of \$60,000 submitted for estimates of \$60,000 submitted for approriation, which was needed, he said, to

ontinue the improvement of the park. The Hypocrite shepard.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 .- A sensation was produced at the trial of a suit brought by Frank Gray, former publisher of the Mail and Express, against Col. Shep ard, to recover damages for breach of contract. Gray read a letter undated and unsigned, alleged to be from Shepard, indicating that the writer wanted to bribe the police commissioners in order the past week that the Texas output to secure the city advertising. Shepard

A Disgraceful Shooting Match. SPARTA, Ga., Dec. 12.-A shooting

affray occurred on the streets here yesterday afternoon. Dr. Gilmore, who wrote Third party political letters under was shot in the arm; Ed Brown, assistant marshal, in the finger, and Burt Amos in the groin. Dr. Gilmore's sons were engaged in the shooting.

Miss Authony Gets an Office.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 12 .- Gov. Dana, now at Naples, told a friend that lower has appointed Susan B. Anthony under no circumstances would be be a member of the Board of Managers of the State Industrial school to succeed he late Dr. Jonas Jones. The appointment meets with general favor.

The pictures at Law's are selling fast. They are under the usual price and are particularly good pictures, too.

Senator Kyle Intimates that They

Washington, Dec. 12.-Schators Gor nan, Brice and Carlisle, who went to Eliber That or Step Aside, He New York to consult about the Senate Savs-Very Especial Terms Are contests now pending in certain West-Offered the United States as Fa- ern States have returned to Washing ton. With their return comes there-WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 .- The Senate port that the representatives of the Peofriendship between the Democrats and the Populists in the House and Senate. Senator Kyle, the recognized leader of the Populists in Congress, was asked In the House Senator Morgan of today if he intended to vote with the Alabama addressed the members of the Democrats in the reorganization of the Senate. He said he was not prepared to commit himself irrevocably on that sub-

country very peculiar privileges and member of the Senate I have voted nine shown that she did not want any other times out of every ten with the Demomember of the Senate I have voted nine crats. There is much in common between our people and the Democrats. They are fighting for economy in the public expenditures; so are we. They are battling for a reduction of taxation; so are we. We may differ somewhat on money questions, but on general principles there is more in the Democratic party to attract us than there is to be found in the Ro publican party.-N. Y. Sun.

ARMOUR'S GIFT TO CHICAGO. He Builds and Endows a Great

Manual Training School. CHICAGO, Dec. 12.-Phil Armour left After he had gone it was learned that he had presented Chicago with a \$1.500,-000 gift. Work has been in progress for a year upon a five-story building on Armour avenue, which is now ready for occupancy. It will be known as the Armour Institute, and will be similar to the Pratt Institute of Brooklyn and the Drexel Institute of Philadelphia. In addition to the building Armour gives \$1,400,000 for its support as an institute for manual training, science and art. It

will be good enough for the richest, but it will reach out for the poorest.

He conceived this idea long ago, and the plans were arranged in constitution with George W. Childs, John J. Black, and Ogden and Philip Armour, sons of Mr. Armour. The building and its funds are to be turned over to a board of directors. The school will open in September next, and by that time most complete apparatus and library will be secured,-N. Y. Sun.

FREE COINAGE BILL

Scuator Stuart Introduces Such a Measure in the Senate

Washington, Dec. 12 .- Senator Stew art introduced today a measure which adds three sections to Senator Hill's Silver-Purchase Repeal bill. It revives the act of 1834 so far as it relates to making dollars, quarters and dimes of full weight on the ratio of 16 to 1 and makes all silver coin a full legal tender. It author-izes the holder of silver bullion to have it coined at the mint and receive the coin therefor or treasury notes of the same character as those now being issued of silver bullion. These treasury notes are made redeemable in gold or silver, at the option of the United States, and a legal tender for all debts, public or pri

Senator Wolcott said today that the indications pointed to nothing in the

shape of free coinage legislation during this session.-N. V. World.

A Valuable Contract 'Scooped " CHICAGO, Dec. 15.-The privilege of printing the World's fair catalogue, which will be worth over a million of dollars perhaps, has been awarded without competition to Conkey & Co. The latter are said to represent the "World's halves. Fair Catalogue Publishing company, organized by World's fair officials andle the contracts. No one else was asked to bid or even estimate on the work. The Council of Administration will investigate the award, which the labor organizations are fighting because

Conkey's establishment is non-union.

Pension Claims CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 12 .- M. M. Curtis, Professor of political economy at the Western Reserve University, and a recent convert to the Democratic party, read a paper today before the general meeting of city elergymen, denouncing the Re-publican theory of taxation. He also gave pension figures showing that while but 1,620,000 men saw actual service during the war, twenty seven years after the war 1,676,068 pension claims are be-

ing paid or are pending. Dr. Smith Suspended

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15 -The penalty in the Smith case has been agreed upon by the Presbytery. The vote stood 31 ayes, 26 nays. The sentence read as follows 'Dr. Smith is suspended from the ministry of the Presbyterian church until such time as he shall make manifest to the satisfaction of the Presbytery his renunciation of the errors be has been found to hold and his solemn purpose no longer

to teach or propogate them." Texas Cotton Crop

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 13,-It is predieted by reliable and conservative cotton brokers here who have received rethis season will not fall short of 2,000,-000 bales. That of 1891 was 2,200,000

Shot and Killed.

RALEIGH, N. C., Drc. 14.-At Tarboro, N. C., Sheriff Knight, with Deputy Hyatt and posse went into the country "Dude" West, member of the Legislature perate resistance and was shot and killed by Deputy Hyatt.

Why of Course Not.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- The Herald sags it is reliably informed that Chas, A. candidate for senator.

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MR. CRISP WILL NOT TALK BUNCOMBE

NOTHING TO SAV ON THE RE-FORM CLUB INCIDENT

Roger Q. Mills Sends a Communi cation to E Ellerly, Anderson Denying Certain Newspaper Re-

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.-Speaker Crisp was seen this morning. He still declines to talk about the Reform club dinner. Little doubt is entertained that he has received letters of some sort from Ellery Anderson in reference to Anderson's failure to call on him for a speech but Mr. Crisp himself declines to say whether or not he had received any communication from Anderson and refuses to discuss the incident, taking the ground that the subject was a delicate one and will be improper for one of the parties concerned to make comment on it. It may be, how-ever, that in view of the general publi-cation given the embarrassing affair, that Mr. Crisp will decide to make pubie the text of any explanation he has received from Anderson or any other person connected with the dinner, and when this is done, "regard the incident

AGAINST THE 8. P.

Railroad Company Has No Title to Certain Valuable Lands.

Wahington, Dec. 13.-The Supreme Court of the United States today, in an opinion delivered by Associate Justice for New York tonight enroute to Europe. Brewer, decided the long pending suit between the United States and the Southern Pacific railroad over certain vauluable lands between the Colorado river and Pacific ocean, within the limits of the grant to the Atlantic and Pacific railroad company, and which the Southern Pacific claimed as successor to the Atlantic and Pacific. The case came up on appeal from the Circuit court for the Southern district of California, and was argued at the last term of court. There were four cases before the court two involving lands within the granted limit to the Atlantic and Pacific, and two within the limits of the idemnity lands. Judge Brewer held that the title of the lands in question vested in the Atlantic and Pacific were forfeited by the act of Congress in 1886, and did not pass to the Southern Pacific railroad, but was thereby restored to the public domain, and therefore the title rests in the United States. The decision of the lower court is reversed, with instructions to issue a decree giving to the United States the relief asked. The property in question is valued at several mil lions of dollars, consisting of land worth \$45 to \$50 an acre.-N. Y. Sun.

WORLD'S FAIR TRAVEL.

Fast Steamers Between England and Canada.

TORONTO, Dec. 15,-There is reason to believe that the Canadian Pacific rail road will have its fast line of steamships running from England to Canada in time to catch some of the World's Fair

travel. It now seems probable that the railroad will be able to make such arrange-ments with the English and Canadian governments as will enableit to equip an Atlantic line of fast steamers to make a

run in less time than New York lines. Washington, Dec. 15,-The holiday

rade always causes a heavy draft on the treasury department for bright new coins. Usually the demand is for dimes and five-cent pieces, but this year it is pennies that are desired. The change is taken as a desire to make an apparent increase in the amount of money ex-changed, principally for the benefit of children. The theory is that the young people are apt to be more impressed with

the possession of a hundred bright pen-nies than a single silver dollar or two Didn't Forget His Sister.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 15,-Out of West Sixth street, at the corner of Flower street, resides a lady who is a sister to the late Jay Gould. She is the wife of the Rev. A. M. Hough, who is a retired Methodist minister, in greatly reduced circumstances. Mr. Gould left

her \$25,000 and an annuity of \$2,000 a

No Corners. St. Petersburg, Dec. 15,-In conse uence of an attempt of Nobei, the great wner of oil property in the vicinity of the Caspian, and of the Rothschilds, to form a corner in naphtha, a law will be

enacted forbidding such combinations. The Baron Was Poisoned

PARIS, Dec. 12 .- The Temps today states that the first examination of the emains of Baron Reinach proves that he died from the effects of poison and not from appoplexy, which was at first given

Blaine Dving? Oh No!

Washington, Dec. 15.-Dr. W. John

ston, Blaine's physician, states that the story that Blaine is dying is untrue. He

passed a comfortable night, rested well and this morning appeared "much bet Tried to Kill a Tyrant. PANAMA, Dec. 15 .- The report of an

attempt to assassinate President Hyppolite of Havti is confirmed by reliable advices that have reached here. McAuliffe to Fight Again.

Indianapolis, Dec. 14.-Jack MacAu

liffe, the champion light weight; accepts

the offer of the Crescent City club. New Orleans, to fight Burge. For the Holidays Washigton, Dec. 15 .- The House has

adopted a concurrent resolution to ad

ourn from December to January 4.

Fifty Lives Lost. London, Dec. 14.-In an explosion to today at Bomfarlong colliery, Wigan, not less than fifty lives were lost.

Elected President. BERNE, Dec. 15 .- Dr. Charles Schenk has been elected President of the Swiss

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