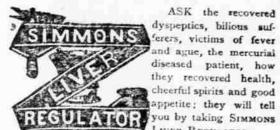
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al defense has already been spent

or appropriated in contracts en-

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mored cruisers has cost \$3,000,

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sum has already been used in

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Departments.

ment has spent nearly seventyfive per ceut. The Bureau of Ordnance and the Bureau of Equipment of the Navy have received about \$7,000,000 in all thus far. This money is being expended in the manufacture

powder, torpedo tubes and guns, and in meeting the expenses of operating the big gun factory at the Washington Navy Yard. The Bureau of Equipment has expended about \$2,000,000 in contracts for coal and coal storage houses at various points,

ments and stores for ships and naval stations. These figures ing or hope to do the fighting ple at ordinary times, becomes other women in the neighbor, which the American pioneer the extensive dredging operas umph, but the poor women, the now but a skeleton, but with a office, not even the trainmen. It and while earnestly assuring Think Fishermen include the sums to be spent in tions now under way at Port Ruin is everywhere visible.

Spain has been guilty of acts The purchase from the Brathat must make civilization The Dangers of Spring. zilian Government of two arstand appalled, and the fact is that they are infinitely worse off vital fluid may be entirely averted by oco, including incidental expenses. The Bureau of Construction at any time since Hood's Sars aparilla. This great medicine cures all spring humors, boils tion and Repairs will use about the war began. Victory is cers eruptions and sores, and by enriching tain for the Cubans in the near that tired feeling and gives vitality \$1,000,000 of the appropriation in completing repairs to war. future.

Spaniards at Havana, Col. Cha- Price 25 cents. do says that is becoming more has been allotted to the War hostile for Americans every day. Department. Nearly this entire

they can do anything that they herself for admittance to the bar.

Baldness is either hereditary or caus. | please. ed by sickness, mental exhaustion, Kalb county, Ala., when pur- the torpedo came from the in their own names to follow. sued by a constable on the Spanish warship Alphonso XII.

charge of stealing a horse, ran | As to our reasons for thinkinto an undertaking shop and ing so. First, there is the fact got into an empty coffin and in- that the night before the Maine duced a colored man to screw explosion the Alphonso, which on the lid The colored man had been anchored near, was returned an hour later and found moved to a safe distance away. that the coffin had fallen to the Second, the fact that not once floor, face downward. Hastily since the day of the explosion turning it over and opening it, has any seaman or marine from he saw the corpse of Bennett, the Alphonso been allowed to go showing signs of horcible suffer ashore. The only inference is ing. Bennett had evidently felt that the officials are afraid the the want of air and struggled sailors might become intoxidesperately to lift the lid, had cated and talk too much.

overturned the coffin and drawn | Colonel Chado has come to the lid still more securely on New York for medical and surgical treatment, his right arm, side and leg being paralized A Tree Planted By the Presi- from privation, exposure and a wound. He is a native Cuban and one of the most active of Last Friday President Mc- the insurgents. His wife and Kinley planted an oak tree in three grown children still re the White House grounds, re-es main in Havana. He has tablishing a custon begun a good served as Surgeon General unmany years ago, but broken by der General Calixto Garcia for President Cleveland. The tree the past three years, but at planted is a small scarlet leaf or length, unable to ride his horse

red oak. The President shoveled or dress himself, he received the dirt in the hole after placing from the insurgent commander sapling. There was no ceremony, an indefinite furlough as invalid. although the incident was wit- "I shall not return to Cuba

### STATE GUARD.

be Called Out in Case of War.

There has been some amusement at the talk of certain companies telegraphing President Dying by the Thousands- McKinley offering their services Most people have at some time in case of war with Spain, writes in their life heard the word man Col. Fred Olds, in his newspaper hater applied to some woman, correspondence. Then he goes but not many have had the Baron El Cardo, Marquis of Al on to show how the State Guard opportunity of seeing and talk-NEW YORK, March 21-Dr. would be called into service, as ing to one of these queer speci- duel with Senator Mason, of

rank of Colonel in the Cuban "Suppose the President calls making a trip through Western Powel!, of La Crosse, has cabled" rmy under General Calixto on the Governor for say 5,000 North Carolina was traveling on the following acceptance of the Garcia, and who was present men. The Governor would what is known as the Ducktown when young Gomez committed order the State Guard on active branch of the Southern Rail. "To Baron El Cardo, Madrid, suicide, on seeing his leader, duty. It is part of the National way, which runs from Asheville Gen. Maceo, fall, is in this city. Guard, the first reserve of the to Murphy, N. C. About fifty Col. Chado came by the steam- regular army. The Naval Re- miles west of Asheville, on the I am informed that you have ship Conchas, taking passage at serves would recruit in the same summit of Balsam Mountain, challenged Senator Mason to way. Members who have served the train stops for dinner. A mortal combat for words spolen He eluded the vigilance of with the colors, say for the past family by the name of Christie in defense of his position as the the Spanish authorities and ten years, would be called on to runs the hotel. It was here that champion of the patriotism and traveled under an assumed name. fill the ranks, and make at once the writer learned that at this principles of his country and its When Col. Chado left New York each regiment of twelve com- place there existed a man-hater people, in the United States; two years ago he weighed 210 panies, giving three battalions in other words, a woman whose with usual Spanish generosity, pounds; to-day he weighs 115 to each. This would give 4,800 peculiarities are to be found only selecting your own weapon. officers and men in the brigade. in one person in a hundred "I have heard something of The Naval Reserves would re- thousand. After being told some spent a lifetime in the pursuit the stories published in this cruit in the same way to 500 thing about her the correspond, of more humane calling and in country of the distress in Cuba, men. In say two days, the ent became interested and decid- the walks of civilization which and of the thousands that have thing would be done. Then all ed to stop and learn more of the has but poorly fitted him to died and are dying of starva. that would be necess ry would queer woman who is all the meet a bully at arms, as one An Experienbed Bicycle tion," he said to-day: "Noth be to rush in a requisition for talk of this whole section. Not and purchase of large quantities ing that has been published, the equipments and uniforms for a man travels thro' this section nothing that could be published, say 3,000 men. The 1,800 now but what learns of her.

Which arise from impurites in the blood and a depleted condition of this

with the intention of qualifying She does not mean to practise move on or take the conse-"I am as firmly convinced as law of course. What she wants, quences, which has resulted in horror was not due to any sub- learn how to protect her prop- situation. marine mine. This belief is erty interest without the aid of attorneys, who are expensive and shared by all Cubans—that the not always scrupulously faithful Tom Bennett, a young farm Maine was blown up by a tor- Miss Gould's example is a good an expert operator, although



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How The State Troops Would One of the Man-Hating Kind Who is "Boss" of the Balsam Mountain.

> (Correspondence Knoxville Journal.) Asheville, N. C., March 14.-

could tell the story as it really is. in the Guard would, of course, Her name is Miss Eliza Holtz- I, a plainsman, a Westerner, "I know of my own knowl- be available for instant duty, in land. She is about 40 years old one of a class known as typical edge that in many sections of the State or out of it. It is a and has been the telegraph oper-Cuba they are digging up the force always at the command of ator at this place for the past holds principle, as patriotism, ments, and what can't be reearth for the worms that they the Governor or the President. four years. Ever since she left above price-because it believes may find It is not every one It is armed, clothed and equip- her home in Ohio she has lived that murder in the first degree who is able to dig. Most of the ped entirely by the United all alone in a two room house cannot be paid for with goldpeople are so weak that they are States; in that respect not cost-near the office. She has a lovely hereby accept your challenge. ing the State a cent. The value horse, bicycle, dogs, cats, etc., and name the army pistol, the They are dying by the thous of such a force, not perhaps and lives entirely to herself, not old forty four, the organ of civilsand-not the men who are do. apparent to the mass of the peo- even having anything to do with zation, the instrument with that eventually must end in tri doubly so now. The brigade is hood. She allows no one in her measures justice to assassins, children and the reconcentrados. complete organization and equip. there are an, orders to be deliver- you and all your kind that thoued she takes them out to the train sands of men of my type stand herselt. Miss Eliza spends a ready to stand in my tracks and great deal of her time in fishing, pick up my pistol if it should hunting, horse-back riding, etc. fall, I sincerely thank the rep-Her costume is rather peculiar, resentatives of a thousand years consisting of a loose shirts waist, of barbarism for the opportunity bloomers and leggings. In to fire the shot in revenge for stature she is about five feet two the Yankee sailors who fed the inches. When young she must sharks in the bottom of Havana Of the present feeling among Hoop's Pills cure nausea, sick head- have been rather good looking. bay.' When she first came to Balsam (Signed)" GEORGE POWELL the railroad and the traveling La Crosse, Wis. HELEN GOULD, who is worth men tried to guy her and have "There is a feeling among twenty-five millions in her own some fun, but she got her a gun is almost universal and Hood's Sarsathem," he said, "that the United right, has entered the law and when any one did not at States is afraid to fight and that school of Columbia University, tend to his own business he was given to understand that he must work and trouble. Hall's Renewer a man can be that the Maine says the Chicago Tribune, is to her becoming master or the

Miss Holtzland is well educated, and railroad men say is an empty stomach. this office. No one has ever been able to find out much haste. about her, as she won't talk of a brother who visits her nearly every summer, and it is said that mare. he once told some parties that she had been disappointed in love. When twenty years of age she was engaged to be mar ried to a well-to do gentleman in Ohio, who, when the wedding day arrived, married another woman, and that his sister had been a changed woman ever since, and that she went to Balsam so that she might lead a quiet life.

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