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NOTICE

The Former President Writes Rep-resentative Webb That the Alieger tion That He Had Entertained a Kansas City Negro is "A Deliber-ale Fabrication Out of the Whole negro Taylor, withdrew his remark in tendering his apology to Mr. Cleveland. Facts About the Siberian Ballway. St. Petersburg to Vladivostok-5,700

WASHINGTON, Mar. 3.-Representa tive Webb, of North Carolina, to-day Moscow to Port Arthur-5,500 miles. diverted the minds of his colleagues Harbin to Vladivostok-400 miles. from the commonplace District of Co-Harbin to Port Arthur- 550 miles. lumbia appropriation bill by reading a letter from former President Cleveland, Cost, \$500,000,000. Built by the Russian government. Present Czar, Nicholas II., turned who in scathing terms denied having lunched with the negro Taylor at the irst earth at Vladivostok May 19, 1891. White House. Said Mr. Webb: Guage-5 feet. Rails, 54 pounds to the yard. Stand-

CLEVELAND SAYS IT'S A LIE

Cloup."

or. Cha

LUNCHED WITH TAYLOR

"Mr. Chairman, # man in trouble ard in America, 90 pounds. often attempts to get himself out by Single track throughout. trying to pull others in. This was evi-

Route-Moscow to Irkutsk, capital dently the intention of the gentleman from Kansas (Mr. Scott) when he of Siberia, across or around the southstated on the floor of this House (on ern end of Lake Baikal; thence (old his own authority) that Mr. Cleveland route) by rail to Seretensk, by boat, the had invited a negro by the name of Amur River to KLabárovsk, and by Taylor to lunch with him, and that rail to Kaidalovo; thence by new Taylor did so. The gentleman, in Chinese Eastern Railway to Harbin; terms, makes this statement several thence east to Vladivostok, or south, times in the course of his argument. via Mukden, to Port Arthur and Dalny.

On Tuesday morning, as soon as The Congressional Record reached me, containing the gentleman's statement, I wrote to Mr. Cleveland to know if it was true that he had lunched with the negro Taylor, as stated by Mr. Scott. I enclosed a copy of what the gentleman from Kansas said; this morning I received the following reply:

PRINCETON, March 2, 1904. 'Hon. E. Y. Webb, House of Representatives.

black as you ever saw.'

Yours very truly,

nels as the falsehood has traveled. and

it may be, in many minds, the fabrica-

tion will be overtaken and destroyed.

Mr. Cleveland was a friend to the ne-

gro, but not a "fool friend.' He never

by word or act encouraged the dream

of social equality in the breast of the

black man. Again, he was the friend

of the colored man, but he was also the

friend of the Southern white man, and

sympathized with us in our race prob-

lems and race burdens, and that, sir, is

more than Mr. Roosevelt seems ever to

Political Washington has manifested

very decided interest in this Cleveland

not only come forward very promptly,

Asked if he thought the inference

hat Mr. Cleveland had the presidential

out had shown some feeling.

have done."

sition

"Dear Sir: "It is a matter of small concern to me that a Mr. Scott has seen fit to use my name in display of his evil propensities on the floor of the House of Representatives. In answer to your inquiry, however, I have to say of his statement that the colored man

C. H. J. Taylor, took lunch with me at the White House, that it is a deliber- the old Squire, who was a German, said ate fabrication out of the whole cloth. As far as Mr. Taylor is concerned, I understand prior to his appointment as the boy. Register of Deeds at Washington that

he had served as an assistant in the office of the city attorney at Kansas City. His nomination as register was con-

firmed by the Senate, and he served in ents." that place with intelligence and effic.

iency. He has since died. Some people restrain themselves from abusing the dead. My inquiries concerning

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told some of his friends that if Mr.

Cleveland were nominated he would

Mr. Scott, who made the charge that

Mr. Cleveland had lunched with the

carry New York by 100,000.

Sulted Fine to Boy's Purse. A gaunt looking beaker boy was recently brought before a Squire in a

coal mining town of the New River District of West Virginia on the charge of having killed one of the "sacred" turkey buzzards, which are the only scavengers of that country. After severely reprimanding the boy

"I fine you ten dollars!" "I hain't got that much," replied

"Den I fine you fife dollars!" "I hain't got five dollars."

"Vel, how much haf you got?" "Three dollars and seventy-five

"All right; den I fine you three dollars and sewnty-five cents!" Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured.

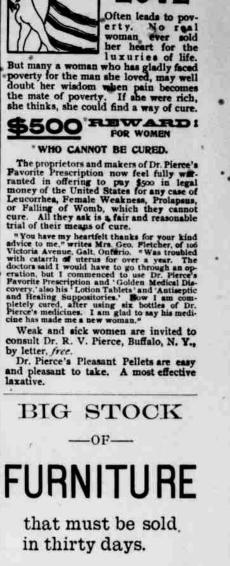
William Shaffer, a brakeman



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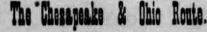
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tr. Taylor before his appointment, my nison, Ohio, was confined to his bed for observation of him during his incum- several weeks with inflammatory rheubency and the little I have known of matism. "I used many remedies," he him since, satisfy me that his character says. "Finally I sent to McCaw's drog is unjustly attacked in the diatribe of store for a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Mr. Scott. One charge is made against Balm, at which time I was unable to Mr. Taylor by Mr. Scott, which he double clinches with truth when he de doubly clinches with truth when he dea clam. For sale by M. L. Marsh. clares: 'He was a black negro'. I am

Wanted Him to Get "Noledge." led, however, to doubt his familiarity The Danbury Reporter says that a with his subject when he adds, 'as Stokes county teacher received the following note from the mother of one of her pupils: "Dear Miss: You writ me GROVER CLEVELAND. about whipping Sammy. I hereby give "It is said that falsehood travels you permission to beet him up eny time around the earth, while truth is pulling it is necessary to learn him lessens. He on its boots, but I want this truth, as is just like his father-you have to lern stated in Mr. Cleveland's letter, as far him with a clubb. Pound noledge into as possible, to travel in the same chan-

> Disgrace to the State. News and Observer.

handle him."

That public execution at Whiteville last week was a reproach to the State. More than two thousand people, men, women, children and babes in armsjostled each other in crowds to see the condemned man launched into eternity, and many had traveled in wagons all night to see the show! God pity us, if this is the test of our civilization! After all, are we any more civilized than our ancestor who roamed the forests in a naked condition ?"

etter. Some professed to see in the etter some things of undoubted politi-What is Mie? In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict al import, as showing the former Demcratic President to be in a receptive law. Abuse that law even slighty, pain rame of mind respecting the presiresults. Irregular living means derangelential nomination. By way of fortiment of the organs, resulting in constifying this point, it was asserted this pation, headache or liver trouble. Dr. was the first time that Mr. Cleveland King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjusts has shown a disposition to sit up and this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only take notice when things were said about 25 cents at all drug stores. him, and that on this occasion he had

Mr. Bryan declares that he does not care about the candidate, but that the Kansas City platform must be reaffimed. If that is done no one else will care about the candidate, either.

nomination in mind when he wrote the Bucklen's Arnica Salve. letter, Senator Simmons said that Mr. Has world-wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for cuts, corns, burns, boils, sores, felons, ulcers, tetter, a tendency to win back the regard of a tendency to win back the regard of salt rheam, fever sores, chapped hands, many people of the South, where his skin eruptions; infallible for piles. Cure colicies have encountered so much opguaranteed. Only 25 cents at all drug stores.

This incident having brought the If troubled with weak digestion, belchpressed the opinion to-day that Mr. Cleveland would be very glad to receive the nomination and John G. Carlisle Marsh.

