Primaries in Wilkes.

The Republican primary hera Sat

orday was "epirimally inclined"

and every fellow seemed better

with anybody else. The work of

republican. This recurred when

Sheriff. Just as some one moved

to adjourn, Judge Henderson

thought he would get in a word or

two and moved to "endorse E. Spen

cer Blackburn for nomination for

Congress." But Col. John Clark

self without passing the motion.

March-two committees now.

freely at a number of precincts. At

Millers Creek, five or six fights oc-

curred and one man, Bill Mattison,

was seriously carved in the back

It is all traceable to the use of

liquor to buy votes-a custom that

should torever be frowned upon

and abolished. And still the re-

practice is upholding this demora

fizing and degrading method of de

bauching the people, and are fight

ing and neglecting to enforce what

temperance laws now exist, "How

long, of! how long!"-Wilkesboro

Our Philipine Bargain.

regiments of intantry. That is

bout as many more, nor the artil-

That is more than double the

the Philipines; so that if every

cent we received for the goods

we sold to the Filipinos were

clear profit the cost of the mili-

eat up two dollars for every one

we got from the island market.

As a matter of fact the profit

on the goods we sell probably

JAPS MUST HAVE

MUKDEN

Need It as Winter Quarter.

What may be happening in the

far Esst, there is little definite in-

formation from any quarter. The

armi s in the vicinity of Mukden

appear to be limiting their activities

at present to feeling the positions

of their adversaries. It is supposed

ing a direct move on Mukden.

Strategic and present considerations

seem to make it essential that Gen

eral Kuropatkin make a stand there

and prevent the town from being

made the winter headquarters of

the Japanese, while the lack of

adequate facilities elsewhere for

the housing of troops during a rigorone Mane urian win er make in

necessary that the Japanese bendall

their energies to the expine of

that town

It has been decided that the

At Mulberry a man was killed.

fountains around.

MOUNT AIRY, N. C., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1904.

A PASTOR'S WIFE PELVIC GATARRH

She Suffered for Years and Felt Her Case Was Hopeless-Cured by Pe-ru-na.

MRS. ANNA B. PLEHARTY, recent headquarters, at Galesburg, Ill., was for ten years one of the leading women there. Her husband, when living, was first President of the Nebraska Wesleyan University, at Lincoln, Neb. In a letter written from 401 Staty-

seventh street, W., Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Ficharty says the following in regard to Peruna:

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"I would not be without Peruna for ten times its cost."--Mrs. Anna ing Peruna. B. Fleharty.

What used to be called female diseases writes; by the medical profession is now called "I was a terrible sufferer from female pelvic estarrh. It has been found by weakness and had the headache continpelvic organs are the cause of most cases | work for myself and husband. I wrote

treating diseases peculiar to women, and | medicine."-Mrs. Esther M. Milner. long ago he reached the conclusion that woman entirely free from catarrhal Chambersburg, Pa., writes: subject to female disease. He therefore found it so admirably adapted to their and a good catarrh remedy."permanent cure that Peruna has now T. M. Mahon.

other living physician. He makes these Ohio,

M. H. SPARGER,

W. F. CARTER

A. R. LEWELLYN,



cures simply by using and recommend-Mrs. Esther M. Milner, DeGraff, Ohio,

experience that catarrhal diseases of the nously. I was not able to do my houseyou and described my condition as near Dr. Hartman was among the first of as possible. You recommended Peruna. America's great physicians to make this I took four bottles and was completely discovery. For forty years he has been cured. I think Peruna a wonderful Congressman Thad, M. Mahon, of

affection of these organs would not be ul take pleasure in commending your Peruna as a substantial tonic

become the most famous remedy for female diseases ever known. Every-factory results from the use of Peruna. where the women are using it and prain- write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a ing it. Peruna is not a palliative sim- full statement of your case and he will ply; it cures by removing the cause of be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Dr. Hartman has probably cured more | Address Dr. Hartman, President of women of female ailments than any The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus,

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As a brief example of the fasing a deg.

nearest and dearest to us, those opposing forces. whom we trust with our happiness tors to their faith. The money that Da Monntain range, running half costs something over \$1,000 a a man has he may love. It flies way between the Hun and Tairse year per man, this represents an needs it most. A man's reputation passes is important for the Japanese \$10,000,000 a year. may be sacrified in a moment of ill as they will not only enable them to considered action. The people who march northward, but also screen are prone to fall on their knees to the moments of their troops from do as honor when prosperity is the prying gaze of Russian scouts. with as may be the first to throw

settles its cloud upon our heads. Mount Airy, N. C. drives fiercely, if only he may be below zero, and the cold is intensi the of military and naval expense master forth an outcost in the world, of view. trienoless and homeless, the faithful dog asks no higher privilege than that of accompanying him, to guard against danger, to fight against his

"And when the last scene of all comes, and when death takes the master in its embrac, and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter it all other friends porcué beir way, there by his graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad, out open in alert watenfulness far it ful and true even in death."

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SICK HEADACHE, ___

Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Rheumatism, Sallow Skin and Piles.

ARE CLOSING IN.

Apparent Movement of Japa-nese to Surround Mukden Reported.

Sin-Min-Tun, Sept. 26.-Today's news itdicates that the Jap the convention began with a spiritancse are gradually closing in on ed argument as to who was the best Mukden, and that no movement will be made against Tieling until Liuville Bumgarust was being vot the fate of Mukden has been decided. Strong parties of Japanere chairman congressional executive ed on for chairman, Mr. Cowles have been reported to the northeast of Mokden. Their objects is supposed to be the turning of the Russians because he hadn't boxed in humble submission to Hon. Spen-

The Russian are said to be mani-The Russian are said to be mani-feating great activity and are strengthening the defenses at both Manifester at the strengthening the defenses at both real stuff "sa it was in the begin-Mukden and Tieling. Reinforce ning, is now and ever shall be," ments are arriving from the North, and that his republication was bettogether with new guns and sup ter than Cowles' because he had plies of food and ammunition and heavy clothing for the troops, as if decided that Bumgarner was all The roads are still very heavy, and of delegates, the question of his reit is not expected the Japanese can publicanism was again brought for make very much progress with their ward, but the delegates were elected guns until after the highways have and instructed for A. L. Combs for

The latest reports still locate the Ispanese centre at Yental, although setrong force is said to be at Pai Ta Pu, a short distance south of Mukden, Another body of Jap This thought to be a part of Oku's out talked the Judge and the hilaauree is reported near Shahorze command and is taken to indicate that a general movement to sur cound the town is already under way, and that Ovama is waiting nly for a commation of the heavy rains to begin the attack in which he will endeavor to redeembis faul at Lian Yang. The e-ming battle will in all probability be even more blo dy than that of Liao Yang, be cause both armies have reinforce ments now on the way which will probably arrive before the advance f the Japanese have begun.

Seizing Each Other Up.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22, 1;20 -There is further delay in the receipt of decisive news from the thur remains a blank, though it is publican party by platform and by felt that important developments may be even now occurring there. The movements in the north are still of a tentarive and preparatory charactes on both sides and have not yet crystalized into a definite clash Chronicle. cination florid elequence of the of forces stany one point. A relate Senator Vest it would be dif sumption of the Japanese advance is ficult to find a passage more likely now expected to occur any day. It to live in the memory of those who is the third week since the fighting read it than the following. It was at Liao Yang, and the Japanese American military force in the the percention of his famous ad have had time to transport recofor | Philipines may safely be reduced

dress to the jury in a suit involve cements from Yinkow and bring up from four to three regiments of sufficient men from the front to re cavalry and from nine to seven friend a man has in the world may probable that several days will in to say, we can get along with a turn egainst him and become his tervene before the armies come to bout ten thousand men in the isenemy. His son or daughter that close quarters. The interval is be lands, not counting, of course, he has reared with loving care may ing devoted on both sides to recling the native Philipine scouts and prove ungrateful. These who are the strength and disposition of the constabulary, amounting to a-These Japanese probably will at. lery, signal corps or engineers and good name, may become trai- tempt to capture the passes of the As the maintenance of the army

away from him perhaps when he rivers. The possession of these annual outlay of more than

It is fully appreciated here that the stone of malice when failure the Japanese must try for the postary garrison alone would still session of Mukden, as otherwise it "The only absolutely unselfish will de difficult for them to provide friend that a man can have in this the army with winter quarters And that is only one item of the se fish world, the one that never Liao Yang does not afford sufficient serts him, the one that never secommodation, although many in the Philipines. The fleet we proves angrateful or treacherons, is bouses there escaped destruction in his dog. A man's dog stands by the recent battle. Movable buts more than the army. keep up there probably costs bim in prospect y and in poverty, are quite unsuitable for the housing in health and in sikeness. He will of Japanese, owing to the severity sleep on the cold ground, where the of the climate. The average win does not exceed 10 per cent. of wintery winds blow and the snow ter temperature there is 40 degrees their value, which makes the ranear his master's side. He will kies hid by con itself winds and at to commercial benefit something the hand that has no food to offer. m st entire absence of snow. In like forty to one.—New York He will lick the wounds and sores spite of this, however the campaign World. that came in encounter with the will probably continue during the roughn so of the world. He guards winter if the Japanese succeed in the sheep of his pauper master as if getting into Mukden. In this con he were a p mer. When all other togency, General Kuropatkin, for friends desert be remains. When various reasons, will not be likely nches take wings and reputation to allow the Japanese to remain to falls to vicces he take constant in his undisturbed possession of this point, love as the san in its j armey though | which is important, not only from be heavens. If formue drives the the strategic, but the political point

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A Schering Thought.

Here is a bit of President Roosevelt's letter of acceptance which deserves the serious consideration of the American peopleased with himself than he was plea-

"We believe that the progress we have made may be taken as a measure of the progress we shall Lots and lots of our boys and girls continue to make if the people have seen a match box, a boyse fly, a measure of the progress we shall again intrust the government of the nation to our hands. We do not stand still."

No, we do not stand still. If what has been done is the meas' pre of what is to be done hereaf chairman because he hadn't bowed ter, then the army, which costs and stick side by side in one end three times as much as it did when the Republican party re gained power, will cost three times as much after eight more years of Republican rule as it does today. From \$23,129,344 in the fiscal year 1897 and \$70,070, used it longer. The convention 200 in 1905 the army will demand the campaign were expected to continue well into the cold season. When Mr. Lyon nominated a list will triple again. Eight Republications lican years have raised it from \$33,003,234 to \$98,005,140. Eight ward, but the delegates were elected more years of the same sort will bring it up almost to \$300,000,000 As we do not stand still, the fariff will be revised again-up

> The conquest of the Philipines may be followed by the forcible annexation of a slice of China. The proclamation of a dictatorship over the Western Hemisphere may be, and of course will be, since the peerless leader de-

A new township Ex. Com. was elected-L. Bumgsruer, Chas. Hot spises words unless they are backed by deeds, succeeded by land and W. R. Call, This disthe actual exercise of the authorturbed the Blackburn men, for they ty so assumed. We shall be had elected a committee back in landing troops from the Straits of Magellan to the Rio Grande to Judging from the appearance of maintain order and enforce the things, there were several "lie" payment of debts to foreign spec-

ulators in risky "securities." It reports are true, "ile" flowed If we could stand still the people might be willing to condone the past. But, as Mr. Roosevelt truthfully observes, we cannot. If we vote for him ,we not only ndorse what he has already done, but we commission him to go on in the same direction, to an extent measured by the progress he has already made.-New York World.

Some Funeral Remarks.

In his funeral remarks on a late rotaer of the told, Brother Dickey

"By de blessin' er Providence he lef' money 'nuff ter berry him, en I bear tell dit car'll be a margin over ter he'p his sufferin' widder ter git a black dress ter mourn for him in, 'twel she g is married ag'in. He is just, kind, loving, merciful, Never He died happy, en never wuz ought poor, queer, righteons sisters to yuched in his life-koze he lways use victousness with Xerxes' young sez sble ter on run de lynchin' bras." mamittee!"

Went to heaven in a b'aza of glory," is the way an obituary readt. Any mention of a "blaze" in our departure from this world giveone that ancomfortable feeling.

To Remove Moles.

To remove moles thoroughly mix thirty grains of tartar emetic finely powdered, one and one-half drams of soap, plaster with one-half dram of Venice turpentine. Spread the mixture upon an adhesive plaster, apply firmly entire value of all our exports to to the surface of the mole and remove when suppuration sets in.

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If women were guilty of no follies reater than personal beautifying we should have a fine consignment of angels right here on earth.-Chicago Rec-

Reanty without grace is the book without the balt. Beauty without expression tires. - Emerson.

Ammonia will remove white stains



O PROVE IT, REMEDY SENT PREE

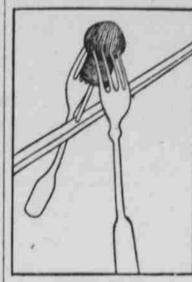


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EVER SEE A CORK WALK?

If You Haven't, This Story Will Let You Into the Secret. stone fence, and even a board walk. but we are pretty sure that few of you have ever seen a cork walk. Still, un der certain circumstances, a cork can walk, and this is the way to bring about that unusual spectacle. Get as large a cork as you can find



THE COME WALKING,

pair of flat headed naffa. Then get two forks and insert them, one in each elds, near the other end of the cork, a shown in the picture.

Now get a strip of wood four or fly feet long and about two luches wh and make an inclined plane of it pilling books or boxes under one enits nail legs, with one fork banging down on either side of the strip wood. Start the fork swinging fr side to side, and you will see the cowalk jerkily down the board, taking ridiculous, stiff legged little steps its nell legs.

AN ODD GAME.

It Is Played With a Pencil and Paper and Makes You Think. This pencil and paper game can be played by any number of players. Give to each player a card with the alpha bet written distinctly across the to A paragraph of twenty-four words be ginning with the various letters of the alphabet in their regular order is to be written. The words must of cours make at least the semblance of sense At the end of an allotted time eac one should read his paragraph. If prize is to be given the cards should be pinned up and the work yoted on b all. Here are a few sample compos

"A boy can do everything for goes

"Zeus relled; Xerxes with vigne utl ized troops. So, Romans, quell party or national misunderstandings. Love, kill, justly. In honor greet friends. Enemies do consider had absolutely." The author of the following, being unable to think of a word beginning with X, used X's to express number: "Zoronster yoked XXX white vultures under thirty stone rollers. Quee purple owls nightly made inmentation. Kingly jay birds in high give fought every during cavaller back again."

Bird Street Cleaners. In many of the Hultlen coast towns

the only department of street cleaning that there is consists of pelicans tha roost on rocks in the bay and fly heav fly into town each merning to shove up the refuse into their moches. lation of the Although the bl: small republic does care enough about cleanliness to provide means for aweeping the streets, still the people are glad enough to have the pelicans de it. So there is a heavy penalty for shooting at one of the birds.

As a result they are perfectly fear less and will flap into a street and waddle along right in the crowd. They arrive from the sea with their pouche empty and wrinkled and go along with their huge bills close to the ground like road scrapers. Gradually the pouch fills with all kinds of rubbish-and there is always enough and to spare it the Haitian towns and at last it is distended and full of knobs and corners like a badly stuffed carpetbag. Theu the pelican rises heavily and tiaps away to his roost.

Choosing "It" In China. The Chinese knew no end of riddles, both spoken and written, and they

have all kinds of puzzles. They have a funny way of choosing who shall be "lt" in a game. One of them holds her hand out with the open palm downward, then all the others stand round with the tip of their first finger touching her palm. Then after repeating a few words she suddenly closes her fingers and tries to catch theirs. Sometimes she falls to catch one, and then it has to be done again, but if she does manage to imprison one finger the owner of that finger has to be "It."

Unnatural History. The sel said to the heron,
"I don't agree with you."
"I beg your pardon," said the bird,
"But I rather think you do." The heron then put in his bill, And, though the eel replied That he did not care to honor it, He still went right lastice.

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be land is now in original forest. This place would interest anyone having an idea of a future orchard.

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July 27, 1904.

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