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**MUMILIATING.**

The American commission occupies a rather humiliating position. According to the dispatches, it has made several demands upon the Spanish, only to be ignored. This matter was given emphasis when in the face of repeated protests from the Americans General Blanco proceeded with the auction sale of what should be considered trophies of war. The sale included many cannon, 200 years old and of considerable value, though of obsolete types. The guns brought a trifle less than \$100. The Americans asked for a description of the property to be sold and were told it was nothing but old junk. Some of the cannon were of twelve-inch calibre, while more than a score were of eight-inch calibre. General Brooke attended the sale and took copious notes of the proceedings, which will be embodied in a report to Washington.

Speaking of the failure of the two commissions to agree upon a date for evacuation, a member of the American commission has stated that one cause of failure was the refusal of Americans to discuss the question of sovereignty, which the Spaniards attempted to introduce at every opportunity. From the present outlook about the best thing to be done would be to give the Spaniards another of Dr. Dewey's pills, or perhaps it would not hurt to let Admiral Schley make a little flying trip with his squadron over to Spain and examine their harbor and coast defenses.

**NOVEL TRUST.**

A trust has been formed in Atlanta which promises to give serious trouble to those who use stove wood, and that means several thousand citizens. This trust is such that no power can reach it, lying beyond and below any commission of courts, and the only thing that will break it down will be internal treachery.

A trust has been formed by the wood sawyers of Atlanta, says the Atlanta Constitution. There are about 200 of them. As soon as the scheme had been formulated the price of sawing wood was raised from 75 cents to \$1 a cord. For years the sawyer of waad has been willing to do all the sawing that came his way for 75 cents, but now he will pass your pile of unsawed wood and leave it behind him, although he may have not a penny to buy a piece of bread. So far the trust is absolute and not a sawyer can be found who has not entered into it. In many backyards cords of wood are piled up waiting the touch of saws. The people at first thought that they had only found a few sawyers who wanted to rob them, but the truth has dawned upon all who have need to be sawn—it is a trust, small it may be in one way, but gigantic enough to cause great expense and much trouble to a large portion of the city's population.

"I will now give you some cold facts," shouted the campaign orator, fumbling among the newspaper clippings and memoranda that lay on the stand before him, and finding some trouble in laying his hands on the desired documents; "some cold facts," he went on somewhat flustered, "with which you can roast the life out of the flimsy arguments that will dribble through the through the faucets of the hiring press that opposes the election of our candidate. Ah, here they are! Listen!"—Chicago Tribune.

Recently the question of whether saloons should be allowed to remain open all night was agitated in Deadwood, South Dakota. The advocates of all-night bars won and their main argument was that the town had been saved several severe losses from fire by reason of the loungers who could be found at all hours in the saloons ready for any emergency.

Perhaps Cervera might suggest a thing or two before Spain renews that war.

A Raleigh girl will wed an officer of the Second Regiment. She declares that she captured him in positively her last engagement.

The girl who says that the man she will marry must be one who thinks before he speaks probably suggests a sure reason which will prevent any acceptable man from proposing.

**OUT OF THE MOUTHS OF BABES.**  
Tommy, aged 5, had been sent to a near-by store to purchase a pair of shoestrings for his mother. "How long do you want them?" asked the clerk. "I don't want to borrow 'em," replied Tommy; "I want to buy 'em for keeps."  
No more touching compliment could be paid than that of little 4-year-old Harry, who had been listening to a conversation at the dinner table on the qualities of a wife. "Mamma," he exclaimed, "when I get big I'm goin' to marry a lady just 'actly like you."  
Little 5-year-old Flossie had observed that fish was always served for dinner each Friday at her home in the city, but she had missed it during a two weeks' sojourn in the country. "Grandma," she queried, "don't you never have Fridays in the country?" "Of course we do," was the reply, "but why do you ask?" "Cause," answered Flossie, "they don't smell like the Fridays we have in town."

It was a very hot day, and little Helen having noticed her father looking at the thermometer several times asked him about it. "When it's away up," he replied, "the weather is hot, and when it's away down it's cool." When he went to consult it again later it had disappeared, and he asked Helen what had become of it. "Why," she replied, "I looked zat old thermometer way down in de cellar, so it would det tooler."

**THE PENALTY OF AMBITION.**

He went away to war and fought, And people praised him then; He'd earned a place, we fondly thought Among the bravest men. We read reports of how he led His boys into the fray— Of how, when legs a-lone had dead, They carried him away.

But since he's got back home they've gone And put him up to run For Congress in this district on The record that he won. And lo! a change has come about! We thought him brave and true. Yet now his honesty's in doubt, His valour questioned too.

They say he hardly heard a shot, Nor made a Spaniard run; They say the battles that he fought By other men were won. The shoulder straps he brought away Were never earned, they claim, And he, so praised before, to-day Has got a wretched name.

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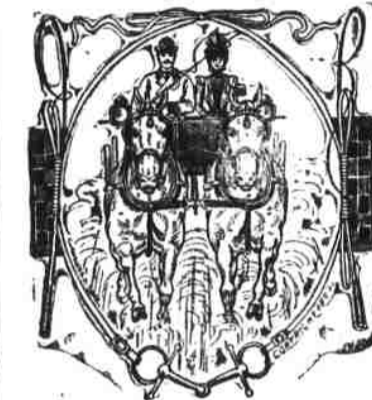
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Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by Jas. H. Young and wife to Charles Root, trustee, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wake county, in book 97, page 626, the undersigned, the trustee therein named will expose to public sale at the county court house door in the city of Raleigh on Monday, October 21st, 1898, at 12 o'clock m., a certain lot in the city of Raleigh at the intersection of Blount and Cabarrus streets, and beginning at the northwest corner of said intersection, running thence north along Blount street about forty feet to the lot owned by Jordan Womble, thence west with Womble's line about ninety feet to the lot now occupied by the Christian Association, running thence south parallel with Blount street about 40 feet to Cabarrus street, thence east with Cabarrus street to the beginning, being the southeast corner of lot No. 48 in the plan of the city of Raleigh, and the same that was conveyed by F. H. Busbee, commissioner, to one Frank Johnson and wife by deed registered in book 74, page 635, Register of Deeds office, Wake county.  
Terms of sale: Cash.  
CHARLES ROOT, Trustee.  
SHEPHERD & BUSBEE, Attorneys.  
September 29th, 1898.