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THE LEADER IN THE NEWS AND IN CIRCULATION.

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Mayor Patrick Walsh, of Augusta, Ga., is dangerously ill at his home in that city.

At last the United States troops have the Krag-Jorgensen rifle and smokeless powder to work with.

Secret service men are on the track of Agon 196, the representative of Aguinaldo who fled from Washington Saturday night.

The contents of 1638 cans of beef sent to Havana for use of the reconcentrados were found unsound and unfit for use and destroyed.

Uncle Sam should exert his strong arm in the Philippines now and bring the unruly into recognition of law and authority.

You can silence those who criticize the government in its Philippine plans by simply asking, "Well, what else could we do?"

Daniel Lambert, ex-Secretary of War under Cleveland, is to have a \$10,000 portrait of Grover, painted by Adolph Zorn, the famous Swedish artist.

The soap manufacturers are forming a combination to do away with the giving of premiums in the business. That's right, wash out all your humbugs and make your goods sell upon their merit.

A small flag with a laurel wreath and flowers will be placed upon each of the graves of the Maine victims in Havana Cemetery by a committee of American women on the anniversary of the explosion of the battleship.

Craven county, among her newly appointed county commissioners, has one named W. C. Brewer. If he is as good a business man as Wake's county commissioner, W. C. Brewer then Craven's interests are in excellent hands.

Another change has taken place in the Dreyfus case, the government bill to take it before the whole Court of Cassation having been rejected. The committee of the revision measure have confidence in the judges of the Criminal Section of the court although they had been accused of being Dreyfus sympathizers. The rejection of the government bill is looked upon as a victory for the Dreyfus supporters.

We have received a copy of the twelfth annual report of the Bureau of Labor Statistics for this State issued by the Labor Statistician, J. Y. Marmick. The report is a work of great value to the State. It is handsomely gotten up and is by far the most complete and valuable report issued by the department.

GRIP'S RAVAGES DOOMED.

So much misery and so many deaths every one should know what a wonderful remedy for this malady is found in Dr. King's New Discovery. That distressing stubborn cough, that inflames your throat, robs you of sleep, weakens your system and paves the way for Consumption is quickly stopped by this matchless cure. If you have chills and fever, pain in the back of the head, soreness in bones and muscles, sore throat and that cough that grips your throat like a vise, you need Dr. King's New Discovery to cure your Grip, and prevent Pneumonia or Consumption. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Money back if not cured. A free at... Drug Store.

A GALLANT SOUTHERNER.

The announcement of the sudden death from apoplexy of Col. William C. Smith, of the First Tennessee Regiment, while leading his command on the firing line in the battle at Manila Sunday last, will occasion profound respect among his friends, particularly in his native State, Virginia, and his adopted State, Tennessee. Colonel Smith was born in Petersburg, Va., and was a son who did honor to the "Cockade Gray." He was a Confederate soldier of approved courage. He was severely wounded at the battle of the Wilderness, and was color bearer at the battle of the Crater, and while the flag was cut in several places the colors never went down. After the war Colonel Smith won reputation as an architect at Nashville. The Vanderbilt University and many other fine buildings were designed by him. When the war with Spain began, he was made colonel of the First Tennessee Regiment by Governor Taylor in recognition of his ability and courage, and before the regiment sailed from San Francisco for Manila it had attained an excellent condition of proficiency.

On Monday, February 20th, the Eastern Chrysanthemum, Gladiolus and Industrial Fair will open at Newbern. Every arrangement has been perfected to make this the grandest and most successful exposition the Eastern Carolinians have ever held. Reasonable railroad rates and ample accommodations for everybody have been secured and with pleasant weather a great crowd and a jolly time is anticipated. Newbern's hospitality promises a guarantee of many enjoyable social events during exposition week.

Congressman Roberts will settle the question of his seat in the Fifty-sixth Congress with that body when it convenes at St. Louis in a private letter to the editor of the Home Tribune, Rome, Ga.

GRANDMOTHER AT 21.

Mrs. Texter of Lebanon County, Pa., claims the Record. Reading, Pa., Feb. 7.—Recently a number of newspapers published an article that with Mrs. James Burke, who is 71 years of age, Knox county, Ind., lays claim to having the youngest grandmother in the United States. To retain that distinction Knox county will have to do much better than that. Living in Mill Creek township, on the South Mountain, Lebanon county, Pa., is a buxom young woman, who can do six years better than the Indiana woman in the matter of grandmother's youthfulness. At the age of 13 Mrs. Kate Texter, wife of Peter Texter, became a mother. At 12 she was a remarkably well developed girl, and was married at that age. When 13 years of age the daughter was married, and today, at the age of 14, she is the mother of a pretty healthy baby. Mrs. Texter, the grandmother of the little one, is, therefore, but 27 years old.

A SOLDIER HAS TROUBLE.

Several months ago Walter Smith of the First North Carolina Regiment left camp without permission. Sunday night he was in Salisbury.

Smith's wife was a Fesperman before marriage. Last night Smith went to the Fesperman home and tried to get in, but admission was denied him. Mrs. Smith's brother went to the door and had a "round" with the visitor. He took a pair of scissors and using them as a dirk struck the soldier on the head. The scissors slipped and Fesperman's knuckles struck Smith's head with the result that two of the knuckle bones were fractured.

Smith afterwards disappeared. It was not learned how badly he was hurt.—Salisbury Sun.

THINGS UNPLEASANT TO MEN.

Disagreeable elevator attendants. Moldy or smoky ceilings in barber shops. Being expected to give daily itineraries of their most trivial doings to too exacting wives.

Neckties that slip up behind. Linen that has been "blistered" by careless laundrymen.

The woman who persists in taking up seat-room with her bundles in a crowded car.

The shopper who never says "Thank you" for a proffered seat. Waiters who hang round for tips, or always spy a lonely crumb that needs brushing off, when they have brought the dinner check.

The horde of newsboys who block the ways around the railroad stations just at train time.

The chap in the office who has the rainy-day habit of saying: "Say, old man, lend me your umbrella for just a minute, will you?"

Loose bricks the day after a rain. The fellow who is always waiting to work off a pet "funny story."

THE GRIP CURE THAT DOES CURE. Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets remove the cause that produces La Grippe. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each Tablet. 25c.

"Yes, the old man caught me hobnobbing his daughter!" "And?" "And then he eganized me."—Indianapolis Journal.

WON'T GO TO TEXAS.

Recently the legislature of Texas passed a resolution inviting Hon. William J. Bryan to visit Austin and deliver an address before that body. Last week letter was received from Mr. Bryan stating that he could visit Austin, as contemplated. Then a resolution was introduced in the House of Delegates appealing to him to visit the capital of the "Lone Star" State and address the legislature, but this was promptly tabled on motion of one of the most prominent members of the House, who said he was opposed to appealing to any man to make the legislature a visit.

RED-HOT FROM THE GUN.

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible lacerations that no treatment helped for 29 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve, Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boli, Felons, Corns, Skin Eruptions. Best pie cure on earth. 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by all druggists.



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