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GREETING

We are sincerely appreciative of the liberal patronage extended us during the past year and wish to all A Merry Christmas and Happy and Prosperous Coming Year.

The remnants of our Holiday Lines will be sold at a Heavy Reduction during the coming week.

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NEW YEAR'S CAKES



It is what the housewife is busy in preparing this week. High grade materials make the richest and finest fruit and Scotch Cakes and we have everything that is superior in Preserved Citrus, Dried Currants, Fine Raisins, Pure Spices, Extra Fine Pastry Flour, Baking Powders and sweet Fox River Butter.

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We have Some New Styles in Men's Half Hose at all Prices. Handkerchiefs are always useful, and our stock is new in both Linen and Silk Qualities.

J. G. DUNN & CO., 57 Pollock Street.

THE ARMY REDUCTION.

The Mustering Out of Volunteers Will be Slow. Payment of the Cuban Soldiers.

WASHINGTON, December 30.—Senators and Representatives who have called at the War Department this week, in connection with the decision of the Cabinet last week, to have 50,000 volunteers mustered out as soon as the arrangements to do so could be perfected, do not regard the outlook for early mustering out of any of the regiments as encouraging. All they could learn was that the red tape mill was at work to determine which regiments should be selected to be mustered out. They know from experience just how slow that mill can be made to grind when delay is desired, and the prediction is being made by many that no volunteers, or at least 50 considerable number of them, will be mustered out before Congress acts upon the bill to increase and reorganize the regular army; and when that will be, so many can say with any degree of certainty at this time, as party lines are being drawn on the bill. That will not delay the bill in the Senate, where the administration does not control a majority. A member of the administration is quoted as having said that the army bill failed in the Senate at this session, an early extra session of the next Congress would certainly be called. If the Senate gets to wrangling over the army bill, the call of an extra session may be made absolutely necessary by the failure of some of the regular appropriation bills, which must be available by the first of next July.

Much pressure is being brought to bear upon President McKinley to get him to authorize the payment by this government of the soldiers in the Cuban insurgent army, the money so paid to be charged against the revenues of Cuba, which will be collected by us after January 1. It is argued that this should be done as an act of humanity, as well as for the safety of life and property in Cuba.

AGUINALDO'S MINDING UP.

WASHINGTON, December 30.—The news from the Philippines indicates that Aguinaldo may soon shake the dust of the islands from his feet and go to Europe, where it is believed he has sent a large amount of cash taken from the money captured by the insurgents at various times from religious institutions and business establishments. His cabinet refused to remain in office when they discovered that he intended to oppose the United States; and he has been unable to get others to take their places. Gen. Otis reports to the War Department that the alleged government mentioned by Aguinaldo is practically a thing of the past. This doesn't indicate success for the Philippine junta, which Aguinaldo's agent who has already been snubbed by the President, and by the Peace Commissioners, in Paris, is in Washington for the purpose of establishing. Admiral Dewey and Gen. Otis have been instructed to go ahead and take charge of the Philippines, regardless of the insurgent.

Many a household is saddened by death because of the failure to keep on hand a safe and absolute certain cure for cough such as One Minute Cough Cure. See that your little ones are protected against emergency. F S Duffy

CUBANS ARE DISSENTING.

HAVANA, December 29.—For two days the Cubans have been leashing themselves into a fury and there now seems to be a probability that the Spanish evacuation will be celebrated by the Americans alone, if, indeed, the popular resentment does not show itself in open hostility. So far better counsels have prevailed with the Cubans, and although all classes resent the stand taken by General Brooke regarding insurgent participation in the evacuation ceremonies, no one has made bold to bid armed defiance.

It was reported today that General Menocal had announced his intention to march his troops into Havana January 1, meeting force with force if necessary. This created much enthusiasm for a time among the hot heads, but Menocal quickly counteracted it by sending word to all the Cuban leaders that he should abide by General Brooke's decision, but would protest to Washington. In any event, he said, Cubans must show that they are capable of self-restraint.

CASTORIA.

The Kid You Have Always Bought

Do you know a good investment? When you make one you don't care to part it. Invest twenty five cents in Anway's Croup Syrup, try it on your child's cough or croup and you will agree with us that it is the best investment you ever made. Sold at Bradham's.

PARAMARIBO, Dutch Guiana, Dec. 29.

It is reported here that Captain Dryden, who for the last three years, has been kept in confinement on Devil's Island, 400 miles east of this city, has been released from his island prison to Cayenne and called thence for France December 4, on a convict transport. Few details regarding the reported departure of the prisoner can be ascertained. It is believed that he will be taken to Paris to stand the orders of the Court of Cassation, which is investigating the case.

THE STATE CAPITAL.

Collection Of Books Presented To The State.

Judge Bryan to Hold Court. Rumor of Lynching Party. Municipal Celebration on Third. Baptists to Fight State Aid.

JOURNAL BUREAU. RALEIGH, N. C., December 30.—The State Treasurer has made his report to the Governor. During the last two years 25 books have been published, 129 have been presented to the Library; 1039 have been received from other States, 8 from foreign countries; 14 by exchange and 671 from the United States. This is a total of 2,267, not including magazines and newspapers. The collection of books is very incomplete, and it is suggested that Mr. Stephen H. Weeks be commissioned to make the collection complete.

Judge Henry R. Bryan will hold the criminal term of Wake Superior Court beginning January 10th. There was a rumor here yesterday afternoon that a large number of men from Johnson county were on their way here to take from the jail a negro murderer, Thomas Smith, who had been put here to prevent lynching. There are five murderers in jail here, so fast night extra police heavily armed were put on guard in the jail yard. There was no attempt to attack the jail made.

The Atlantic Coast Line has purchased the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad and paid \$3,110,000 for it.

The emancipation celebration will be held here on Tuesday the 3rd. Mr. T. J. Anderson, of the Seaboard Air Line, who has for some time been general passenger agent, has resigned. He is succeeded by Mr. L. S. Allen of Washington.

State Auditor Ayer will recommend that the legislature so amend the revenue law that it will declare no solvent credit as lawful unless it bears evidence of having paid the tax imposed. The law is imposed here here, but it is not properly enforced.

The Baptists will again make a fight before the legislature against "State aid" to the University and higher education generally. They have been beaten at this twice.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

The good physician is often perplexed when his patient does not improve; his skill is often exhausted without results. If the medicine was good and pure the effect might be different. Let us fill some prescriptions for you, we might save you money and help your doctor. C. D. Bradham.

THE MARKETS.

Yesterday's market quotations furnished by W. A. Porterfield & Co. Commission Brokers.

NEW YORK, December 30.				
STOCKS.				
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	135	137	135	136 1/2
Am Tobacco	142 1/2	143 1/2	142 1/2	143 1/2
J. C.	98 1/2	99 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
M. O. P.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
C. P. & Q.	123	124 1/2	124 1/2	125
R. I.	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
S. & F.	119 1/2	120 1/2	119 1/2	120 1/2
L. & N.	64 1/2	65 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Peoples Gas	109 1/2	110 1/2	109 1/2	110 1/2
M. C.	70	70	65	65

COTTON.				
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	5.96	5.97	5.95	5.96

CHICAGO MARKETS.				
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	70 1/2	71 1/2	70 1/2	71 1/2
CORN—				
May	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2

New York Stock and New York Cotton Exchanges will be closed Dec. 31st and Jan. 2nd. Chicago Board will be closed Jan. 2nd.

The intense suffering produced by croup, that peculiar suffocating feeling, is forgotten before we reach adult life, yet parents should know there is one remedy that will instantly relieve it. Anway's Croup Syrup, once tried always used, made and sold by C. D. Bradham.

MONEY SNEAKS.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

MADE NO ENEMIES.

Senator Morrill Asks a Strong Anti-Expansionist, Talk of His Successor.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The death of Senator Morrill of Vermont, after forty years of continuous service in the House and Senate, removes the most influential Republican anti-expansionist from the Senate. He has always opposed the idea of expansion and was one of the few members of his party who voted against the annexation of Hawaii, while Senator Hoar after making a speech against annexation voted for it.

Mr. Morrill was always consistent, always persistent in advocating his views and always a strong partisan, yet he never made a personal enemy during his long service in Congress. His illness has been left upon many of the most important laws enacted during his service in Congress.

There is much interest felt in Washington in his successor. The names most prominently mentioned are those of General Croun and Dr. Stewart Webb, a son-in-law of the late W. H. Vanderbilt, who is said to have acquired a residence in Vermont several years ago solely for the purpose of trying to succeed Senator Morrill. Vermont has here before always chosen men of brains rather than wealth for Senators, but mightily few poor men have been sent to the Senate from anywhere of late years.

Senator Morrill's funeral will be held in the Senate Chamber.

When you ask for De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve don't accept a counterfeit or imitation. There are more cases of Piles being cured by this, than all others combined. F S Duffy.

DEWEY WANTS TO STAY.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 28.—General Merritt said today that Admiral Dewey wants to stay in the Philippines.

"On one occasion," said the General, "when the administration thought it would find his presence in this country agreeable, the Admiral said he would like to be allowed to remain at his station."

General Merritt took occasion to deny rumors to the effect that there had been bad blood between himself and the Admiral.

"Not the slightest," he said, "We acted together in perfect harmony."

The General believes the Philippines will not be able to participate wisely in the responsibilities of government until at least another generation has come on the field of action.

"Do you regard them as superior or inferior to the native Cubans," was asked.

"From my rather limited knowledge of the Cubans," was the reply, "I should say that the Philippines are a much superior race. They are great imitators, quick to learn, and under the inspiration of a good example they will develop along natural and wise lines. But the trouble has been that they have not had the good example as yet. I know Admiral Dewey regards the Philippines as a people superior to the Cubans, and I entirely agree with him."

Cat Gut strings for Violins also Banjo and Guitar, strings for sale at Baxter the Jeweler, next to JOURNAL.

Quarter-Mile of Prescriptions!

Paste together the prescriptions we have filed during the past 12 months, and they will form a continuous strip about four inches wide and quarter of a mile long. Imagine such a strip closely filled with writing, probably 10,000 items; and you will get some idea of the time and care we have expended in this department. Not an error has been made, not a drug used that was not absolutely fresh and reliable. The increase in the number of prescriptions filled, over the previous year was more than 47 per cent.

During the coming year we expect to give the same care and attention to our prescription department as we have in the past.

Send us your prescriptions and you may rest assured they will be filled carefully and promptly.

Davis' Pharmacy, Phone 50. Cor. Broad & Middle Sts.

At Willenbrink's Restaurant!

Plate of Buckwheat Cakes and Maple Syrup with cup of Coffee, 10 Cents.

WHAT THEY SAY.

PARIS, December 29.—England and France both agree that there is only one course open to the United States in the Philippines—that is to take the bull by the horns.

The London Morning Post, commenting on the latest news from the archipelago, says: "Sooner or later the whole question of the possession of the islands will have to be faced. The United States will find itself obliged to assert authority by force, for it has destroyed the only government which existed. It cannot leave the islands to anarchy."

The London Daily News says this morning: "To leave the Philippines to anarchy would be inconsistent with the spirit of the obligations which the United States has incurred."

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.



A Happy New Year

Feast will be enjoyed by those who are fortunate enough to receive a box of Choice Confections as an offering. They are as fresh as 1899 is on your new calendar, and as dainty and sweet as a sixteen year old maiden should be. Try some of our Chocolates and Bon Bons, if you would give yourself a new pleasure.

Duffy's Candy Store.



A Drive in Clothing

For Christmas we are preparing now in men's and boys suits, overcoats and hats. We have an elegant line of Waterhouse Ties and Mufflers that make a useful and acceptable gift as an Xmas offering. Our prices are special inducements.

J. J. BAXTER.



A Gift That Was a Godsend

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These fashionable garments are in tans, blues and blacks, with a fair range of sizes.

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INSURANCE WRITTEN IN 1897	148,000,000 00
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