

OLE FLEET IS THERE.

Blue, by a Daring Exploit, That All of Cervera's Ships Are at Santiago.

Washington, June 15.—The navy department Tuesday posted the following...

St. Nicholas, June 13.—Lieut. Blue learned after a detour of 70 statute miles...

SAMPSON.—The last day of the battle that may have existed as a possibility...

Washington, June 15.—The delay in the dispatches is ascribed to a fear that after all Admiral Sampson's squadron might not be in the harbor...

Recognition has been taken of the crew who took the Merivale into the entrance of Santiago...

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THE BOND ISSUE.

Secretary Gage Issues a Circular Inviting the People to Buy at Par for 32 Days.

Washington, June 14.—Immediately upon receipt of the information from the white house that the war revenue bill had been signed by the president, Secretary Gage issued the following circular explaining to the public the proposed bond issue:

Treasury Department, Office of the Secretary, Washington, D. C. June 13, 1898. The secretary of the treasury invites subscriptions from the people of the United States for \$200,000,000 of the bonds of the three per cent loan authorized by the act of congress approved June 13, 1898.

The bonds will be received at par for a period of 32 days, the subscription being open from this date to three o'clock p. m. on the 14th day of July, 1898. The bonds will be issued in both coupon and registered form, the coupon bonds in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000, and the registered bonds in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000.

The law authorizing this issue of bonds provides that in allotting said bonds the several subscriptions of individuals shall be taken in order of priority...

In order to avoid a too rapid absorption of funds into the treasury, with a possible consequent evil effect on industry and commerce, any subscription for more than \$500 will be permitted to take his allotment of bonds in installments of 20 per cent, taking the first installment within ten days after the notice of the allotment...

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A WAR PLAN.

The Spaniards Made a Brave Stand, But the Fire Was Too Heavy for Them.

A detachment of Spanish infantry approached the sent, gloomy building on Lincoln avenue, Boston. "Halt!" cried the brave commanding officer; then he knocked at the door.

A window in the third story flew up and the face of a pretty girl appeared in the opening. "Oh, girls! Oh, girls!" she shouted, "It's the Spanish."

In another moment every window in the four-story establishment was up, and each casement held a laughing sample of the American beauty. The hearts of the Spanish beat high with hope. Hal! but what was that?

Something whizzed from a window and a Spaniard hit the dust. Another, and yet another. Then the air was full of flying missiles. Volley after volley, the bullets fairly rained on the small band. Hardly a man was left to tell the tale.

Report of the commanding officer: "Surrounded a Boston cooking school to-day and were badly routed; girls attacked us with doughnuts and biscuits; supply of ammunition seemed inexhaustible. Caramba! And I had heard of the 'biscuit shooters' of the great western nation. To be caught napping, oh, it is too mean. Seventy dead, but my boys made a brave stand."—N. Y. World.

WOMEN IN BUSINESS.

From the Free Press, Detroit, Mich. A prominent business man recently expressed the opinion that there is one thing that will prevent women from completely filling man's place in the business world—they can't be depended upon because they are sick too often. This is refuted by Mrs. C. W. Mansfield, Detroit, Mich., who says: "A complication of female ailments kept me awake nights and wore me out. I could get no relief from medicine and hope was slipping away from me. A young lady in my employ gave me a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I took them and was able to rest at night for the first time in months. I bought more and took them and they cured me as they also cured several other people to my knowledge. I think that if you should ask any of the druggists of Detroit who are the best buyers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills they would say the young women. These pills certainly build up the nervous system and many a young woman owes her life to them."

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The Chinese Flag. The standard of the Celestial Empire is a very queer looking affair. It represents the most grotesque of green dragons on a yellow ground. The latter is suggestive not only of the national complexion, but also of that of a sufferer from biliousness. To remove this unbecoming tint from the complexion, use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will speedily regulate your liver, prevent malaria, and remedy dyspepsia, nervousness, rheumatism and kidney complaint.

The Fanny Man. Miss Mattinay—You won't mind my sitting down in my bonnet, Mr. Sparkle, will you? Sparkle (the well-known comic writer, quoting one of his latest witticisms)—Not at all; I will only flatten it out a little.

Try Allen's Foot-Ease. A powder to be shaken into the shoes. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all kinds and gives rest and comfort.

May Be a Destiny Fellow. "I have just read," said Chollic, "that the great Napoleon spent more than \$4,000 a year on dress. It terrifies me, you idiot!" asked his disgusted father. "To find that we are so similar. Who knows but I am one of those destiny fellows."—Indianapolis Journal.

Give the Children a Drink called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it, because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties.

Doubtful Meaning. George—And will you miss me while I am away, Ethel? Ethel—Indeed I will, George. "That's some consolation to me," up "And to me also, dear." "Why to you?" "It will be such a consolation to have the pleasure of missing you."—Chicago Evening News.

The Latter-Day Mystery. The early sea serpent is outranked this season by the "mysterious cannonading" off various ports.—Boston Transcript.

Hall's Catarrh Cure. Is a Constitutional Cure. Price 75c. Pigs do not squeal when they are feeding.—Rain's Horn.

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A FAMILY FAILING. The struggle with Heredity. The Right Side of the Color Line.

To heredity, to the transmission of traits from sire to son, we owe most of the possibilities of growth and development. If each newly born being started out anew, without the force of heredity the level of life might be expected to be that of the digger Indian or Bushman. Naturally bad traits descend like the good. Peculiarities of features, eccentricities of speech and manner, birth marks, etc., are handed down just as surely as manual dexterity, physical beauty, mathematical ability, and the mental and moral qualities in general. A curious example of this descent of family traits is furnished by Mrs. Maggie Pickett, Canton, Ga., in whose family gray hair was hereditary. She writes:

Gray hair is hereditary in our family. As long as I can recollect, my mother's hair has been gray. About twelve years ago my hair began to show signs of turning. I resolved to try Ayer's Hair Vigor, and after using it only a few times my hair was restored to its natural color. I still use this dressing occasionally, a bottle lasting me quite a while; and though over forty years of age, my hair retains its youthful color and fullness. To all who have faded and gray hair, I would heartily recommend Dr. Ayer's Hair Vigor.—Mrs. MAGGIE PICKETT, Canton, Ga., in whose family gray hair was hereditary. She writes: "About three years ago, my head became full of dandruff, which caused great annoyance; after a time the hair began falling out. The use of Dr. J. C. Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the hair from falling out, and made the scalp clean and healthy."—Mrs. C. M. AYRES, Mount Airy, Ga.

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