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CATARH. Catarrh has become such a common disease that a person entirely free from this disgusting complaint is seldom met with. It is customary to speak of Catarrh as nothing more serious than a bad cold or simple inflammation of the nose and throat. It is, in fact, a complicated and very dangerous disease; if not at first, it very soon becomes so.

L. ESTRADA PALMA. Sketch of the First President of Cuba.

HE HAS BEEN LIVING IN NEW YORK. Adverse Circumstances in the Past—Sufferings at Spanish Hands.

New York, Jan. 12.—Probably one of the most peculiar elections that have ever been held is that of L. Estrada Palma as first president of the republic of Cuba. Mr. Palma does not live in Cuba and has not lived there for some fourteen or fifteen years. His place of residence is Central Valley, Orange county, which is a little station on what is usually known as the "short cut" railroad, leading from Newburgh to Tuxedo, on the main line of the Erie, and which is one of the quietest little country villages in the state.

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KILLED WITH AN EVENER. MURDER IN A MINN. LUMBER CAMP. Teamsters Had a Dispute and One Dies of Injuries in a Duluth Hospital.

Special to The Journal. Cloquet, Minn., Jan. 12.—Theodore Frigon of this city, a teamster at Morgan's camp, was murdered by another teamster Friday night. A dispute arose between the two, and the other man became incensed and, picking up an evener, struck Frigon across the mouth and chest. The wounded man was taken to a Duluth hospital, where he died. The murderer has not been apprehended. Sheriff Sargent and Coroner Boyer of St. Louis county left Saturday to hold an inquest. Morgan's camp, where the crime was committed, is fifteen miles north of this place.

Special to The Journal. Pierre, S. D., Jan. 12.—Several calls came to the state legislature for a permanent school fund, but while several counties took portions of cash, none of them wanted a great deal. The greatest amount was from one county was \$2,160, which went to Fall River county. Potter county took \$1,705, McCook \$600, and Lyman \$282.

Special to The Journal. Pierre, S. D., Jan. 12.—Articles of incorporation have been filed for the Minae Vieja Sugar and Fruit company at Pierre, but it was too late. Time, tide and ship wait for no man, and I consoled myself by saying Ireland and Scotland are nearer by and I could run over there any time. It was Thursday, May 16, and we were to leave Old England on the New England. The dock was filled with people, and we were glad to start for home.

Special to The Journal. Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 13.—After many years of delay, the state of North Dakota is now able to issue warrants in payment of current expenses. The outstanding debt of the city has been refunded, and the state is now in a position to issue outstanding warrants, it is about \$5,000, with a debt limit of \$50,000. This leaves the city within the debt limit, and the payment of the same will still be made.

Special to The Journal. Spearfish, S. D., Jan. 13.—A. Thornburg has shipped 1,200 head of cattle into the northern hills from Nebraska. He bought them in small bunches and sold them to ranchmen in numbers to suit. He has found a ready sale, and it has been a profitable business for him. He is at present in the city, and expects to make another shipment soon.

Special to The Journal. Slattery, Minn., Jan. 12.—A new and what is doubtless the best of its kind has just been established at Chandler by several Slattery business men. A state bank has been organized with a capital of \$100,000. The president is C. H. Slattery, and the vice president is J. H. Slattery. Mr. Slattery hopes to benefit his health by the trip.

Special to The Journal. Helena, Mont., Jan. 13.—Dependent on the weather, a man living at Diamond, thirty miles east of Helena, blew his brains out with a rifle. His preparations for death were deliberate. He remained in his abode until the big toe of his right foot pulled the trigger of a heavy caliber rifle after placing the muzzle against his head. One side of his head was blown off. He was a young man and had no relatives in Montana.

Special to The Journal. Chicago, Ill., Jan. 12.—The bureau of attendants which has long been a feature of the Pennsylvania system's eastern terminals, is fully appreciated by tourists going abroad via New York. The docks of most of the Atlantic Steamship lines are constant, and the New York City and New York stations of the Pennsylvania system. Address inquiries for information to H. R. Derling, A. G. P. Agt., 248 South Clark st., Chicago.

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GOOD OLD YANKEELAND! G. L. Morrill Concludes His Foreign Trip and Offers a Few Philosophical and Religious Observations Which Cost You Nothing.

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Next morning we anchored at Queens-town and, before the audit Emerald of the British government. He is at present in the city, and expects to make another shipment soon.

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A COCK AND BULL STORY. INSANE MAN'S DREAM OF WEALTH. Dismissed as Harmless, He is Promptly Arrested on a Criminal Label Charge.

Special to The Journal. Webster City, Iowa, Jan. 12.—S. C. Bute of Stanhope was taken from this city to Eldora to answer to the charge of criminal libel. He was brought to Webster City to appear before the commissioners of insanity. He was examined and dismissed, not because he was not known to be denmented, but because he was thought to be harmless. He is the victim of a strange hallucination. He believes himself to be heir to much money, richer, in fact, than the ancient Croesus or the modern Morgans or Vanderbilts. He thinks this pile of wealth is wrongfully in the possession of others who he persists in harrasing.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The president today sent the following nominations to the senate: Surveyor of customs, Llewellyn Lindsey, Lincoln, Neb. United States marshal, district of North Dakota, John E. Haggart, North Dakota. Receiver of public moneys, Alva E. Kennard, Nebraska, at Lincoln.

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