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UNCLE SAM may have to get his gun yet in this Cuban business.

AFTER a boom, comes a break. A good many of the Klondike boomers are returning dead broke.

TWENTY-SEVEN states will choose governors this year. Quite a year for governors this 1898 of the Christian era.

THE country is waiting for a full report as to the cause for the destruction of the United States battleship Maine, in Havana harbor. A good deal depends upon how the disaster happened.

MR. W. JENNINGS BRYAN is of the opinion that the Democracy should stick to him, but there are signs that the aforesaid Democracy is preparing for a great big kick as far as he is concerned.

THE people of the Fourth judicial district are not shedding tears of regret over the fact that Chief Justice Mills has assumed the duties of his office, and that ex-Chief Justice Thomas Smith has retired.

IN the midst of a battleship men are about as near death as they well can be. The destruction of the U. S. battleship Maine, in Havana harbor, on yesterday morning, is certainly a case in point.

THE Democrats, the Populists and free silver Republicans have combined against the Republican party during the coming fall elections. It will be a pretty tight and, despite this combination, with the chances in favor of the Republicans.

REPRESENTATIVE JERRY SIMPSON declares that goldbugs are pursuing him. It may be that the wish is father to the thought and the sockless statesman would not mind being pursued by the infernal goldbugs.

THE Fifty-fifth congress is legislating as little as possible. This is beneficial all around, saves work for congressmen and does not disturb the people. And now if congress will pass the appropriation bills and go home, all will be very well indeed.

WOMAN suffrage is not having as easy sailing as our fair lady friends in certain parts of the Union would like. Just a day or so ago the legislative assemblies of Massachusetts and Iowa have given the movement a black eye. These horrid men, to be sure.

IT is reported from San Miguel county that county vouchers over there are being bought up at 50 cents, sold at 80 cents on the dollar and then turned in for taxes at par. Soft snap this for all concerned except the honest tax payer and good citizen who pays his taxes in full and promptly as the law requires.

SENATOR PETTIGREW says, that the Hawaiian islands have no strategical importance. Captain Mahan, of the U. S. navy, an authority in such matters, holds the reverse. But that makes no difference to this potent, grave and revered senator, who has just finished a three days harangue against annexation, at the people's expense.

THE Las Vegas Optic makes the following very sensible and timely suggestion:

"Less politics and greater concert of action, for the good of the entire territory, is what New Mexico needs, and what the press of the territory should give. Politics are altogether personal in most instances. The advocacy of politics, in a territory, usually means the demand for some particular man's advancement, for the benefit of himself and friends. The press should combine for territorial advancement, instead."

GOVERNOR OTERO, of New Mexico, is not finding the executive chair a refining place of perfect ease. Even when all of the offices shall have been disposed of, there will be troubles in store for him. However, he is not a man who will be made thin or melancholy by difficulties.—Denver Republican.

Our esteemed contemporary need not worry about Governor Otero. He has gained just ten pounds since his appointment in June last and is getting on nicely, thank you.

An English newspaper had a peculiar fight in court recently. A barrister brought an action against the Birmingham Post, claiming that he was being greatly injured, because "his name was systematically and intentionally left out of the paper." He claimed damages for conspiracy and injuries etc. However, the learned judge on the queen's bench did not see it that way, and concluded that the Post could do as it pleased about the matter. The action, however, is a very excellent illustration of the maxim: "Abuse me if you will, praise me if you can, but don't forget me."

SHOULD the report, that the destruction of the battleship Maine was caused by treachery prove true, Spain will rue the night during which the explosion occurred. If true, Spanish rule in Cuba is ended and Spain will pay many, many millions and will likely lose much blood over the affair. She ought to, certainly, if the disaster can be traced to any acts of a Spanish citizen.

Conditions in Europe.
They are having a splendid time after all in Europe, provided you don't care what you say. In Italy bread riots have to be suppressed by bayonet and bullet.

The people are starving, Spain is on the ragged edge of bankruptcy and has a costly and bloody war on its hands in Cuba with a very good prospect of serious trouble with this country. Austria has had to close her universities and other institutions of learning by force and suppress race riots with powder and ball.

In the Kaiser's dominion the people are chafing under the heel of the oppressor and tyrant and symptoms of an approaching political crisis are becoming very apparent. England has her hands full in India, in China, in the Sudan, in South Africa, besides having complications and dissensions at home. France has all she can do to keep the present government afloat and to keep down riots, besides having a few foreign complications in Madagascar, in Africa and in southern China to deal with. With the exception of the colossal Russia, all Europe is more or less greatly disturbed. And now if a war between this country and Spain should become necessary, it may be set down for as reasonably certain, that no European power will care to interfere and that none will interfere.

A Populist View of Bryan and Butler.

Chairman Butler, of the Populist party, is again under fire. National Committeeman Bateman, of Maine, a prominent and influential Populist, is out with a savage attack upon him, in which he says: "Chairman Butler has proved himself to be the Benedict Arnold of the century. Every move he has made since he was made chairman of the national committee, has been to advance his own personal interests. His treachery has been of the most unblushing kind. He wants to be elected to the United States senate, and knows that he cannot be without the aid of the Democrats in North Carolina. For that reason he has become the abject lickspittle of Bryan and Senator Jones." After stating that Mr. Butler will be deposed as chairman of the national committee of the Populist party and an early convention held to nominate a candidate for the presidency, Mr. Bateman adds: "We shall nominate Wharton Barker, the editor of the Philadelphia American. The Democrats and their assistants, like Butler and Allen, would be delighted to have the middle-of-the-road men nominate an old-time agitator like Tom Watson or Ignatius Donnelly. We all love and honor Watson, but we realize that should we nominate him the fight would come between the two old parties as usual, and the fusionists would then go over in a body to the Democrats. The Butler-Jones faction will not see us get our feet into that trap. Bryan is a back number, and the procession has left him far behind. It is doubtful if even the Democrats can nominate him. They certainly will not do so unless he becomes an abject tool of Wall street. Then they would nominate him simply as a decoy duck. That he would be perfectly willing to play his part is more than evident. He is the biggest political fake of the century."

New England Cotton Mills Trouble.

The strike and consequent shut-down of the New England cotton mills, occurring at a time when unusual activity prevails in nearly all other industries and when that industry is prosperous in the south, naturally attracts even more attention than is generally accorded to conflicts between labor and capital. One of the notable features of this trouble is that only a few of the closed factories have failed to pay handsome dividends in each of the last six or eight years. One of the New Bedford mills, which led off in the reduction of wages, paid 16 per cent in dividends in 1897. Not more than three or four of the factories which united in this cut-down and shut-down paid dividends below a fair rate of interest on the capital invested in them. No explanation of the seeming inconsistency in forcing a strike while mills were, according to official reports, doing a good business, has been given, but, inasmuch as cotton mills are supposed to be run on business principles, it is reasonable to assume that some reason exists.

Of course this trouble has given rise to any amount of tariff talk, but the consensus of intelligent opinion is that the tariff had nothing to do with it. Both the Wilson-Gorman act and the Dingley act gave the cotton industry all the protection it needed—all that it asked for, in fact. If it be true that the mills are closed because there is a large surplus product on hand, it must be evident that the means of production are greatly in excess of the demands of available markets. And yet this is inconsistent with the reports of profitable operations up to the end of last December—up to the eve of the cut in wages, which it was known would produce a strike.

But now comes the Rome (Georgia) Tribune, and furnishes an exceedingly good reason for this state of affairs and that in a very intelligent manner as follows: "In the first place, there is the president; in the second, the treasurer; in the third, the superintendent; and in the fourth, the agent. Each of these officials for each New England mill draws a large salary—probably averaging \$10,000. In some cases it is in excess of these figures. The agent of the mill sometimes makes more than any other official. The treasurer is most

often a man who never sees the mill. He generally has his office in Boston or some city away from the mills. The agent attends to the selling of the product. In the south two officers—the president and the superintendent—do the work of the four New England men on a modest salary. The two scarcely ever getting as much together as any one of the eastern quartet. The labor in the cotton mills north and south is paid about the same. Of course there are conditions in the south much more favorable to the cotton mill business, but the big salaries paid to the four officials named make a big hole in the profits."

ALBUQUERQUE NOTES.

Trimble & Co. are grading Gold avenue between High and Edith streets. Well graded and clean streets pay a town well.

Attorney Frank W. Clancy who has been confined to his residence by illness, is able to be out and attend to business again.

The body of Fred Lord, whose sudden death occurred last Saturday, was shipped to Burlingame, Kas., Sunday night, for burial, accompanied by the bereaved wife.

Contractor Edward Medler is erecting a \$1,500 frame residence for his son, C. W. Medler, at the corner of west Third street and Huntington avenue.

Forty-six laborers were sent west Wednesday by James Smith, special immigration agent of the Santa Fe-Pacific, where they will reinforce the gangs who are laying steel.

The trouble at Johnson's canon between Williams and Ash Forks on the Santa Fe-Pacific railroad has been fully repaired and all trains are running on time.

The body of Frank A. Gutierrez, who was shot and killed by Manuel D. Gonzales on Sunday last, was buried yesterday. Rev. Father Mandalarla officiating at the funeral.

Two festive sports, carrying the aristocratic names of David Kelly and Richard Moore, painted the town red on Monday night and were given ten days in the city's bath for rest and recreation.

The farmers of the Rio Grande valley from Albuquerque south, are already commencing the spring plowing and getting ready for planting wheat and other cereals. They are always early down there.

Special car No. 51, of the Burlington road, passed south to the City of Mexico Sunday night. M. J. Fabin and wife, and Chas. G. Fall and wife, and several others occupied the car. Mr. Fabin is an official of the Burlington road.

Mrs. Minnie Twain died Sunday afternoon from consumption. The deceased was 23 years of age and came here from Hookston, Ill., about three months ago, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. M. Irish, and a sister. The remains were embalmed by Undertaker Strong and shipped east on Monday night.

THE TOILET.

Health is fashionable, and here are a few hints regarding it.

Sore throat and hoarseness are sometimes caused by cold feet, and these evils which most women—indeed most persons—are anxious to avoid, especially persons who sing, as so many do in these days. There is always a draft on the floor, even in well warmed and well jointed houses. Therefore women subject to chills and to cold feet should not wear thin, low slippers during the winter, even within doors, but should instead keep to warm, high boots or quilted slippers, which protect the ankles. Thick soled walking shoes, with woolen or chamois insoles, should be worn out of doors and cloth gaiters reaching to the knee.

The eyes are benefited by being bathed in very hot water rather than cold. This

moisture or by a plain or jeweled chain of gold or silver. Muffs of velvet and lace are not the only kind which are ruffled and ornamented, fur muffs being often finished by a wide roll of fur at each end, which is lined with colored satin.

Red gloves in gloves are seen for the street for cold weather wear. Chamois gloves are yet warmer, having more the texture and surface of flannel. Their one defect is that they come only in white or light yellow. They may be washed in soap and water, like a handkerchief, however, and if they are pulled and rubbed until they are soft after they are dry the gloves will be as good as new.

An illustration is given of one entirely novel cape design. The garment is of black velvet and is cut in a shawl form, the front edges forming collars. The lower edge is bordered with chinchilla and the high, flowing collar is edged and lined with chinchilla. Incrustations of lace and jet form the decoration, and the cape is lined with light silk.

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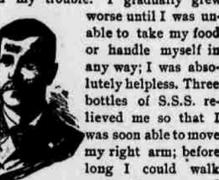
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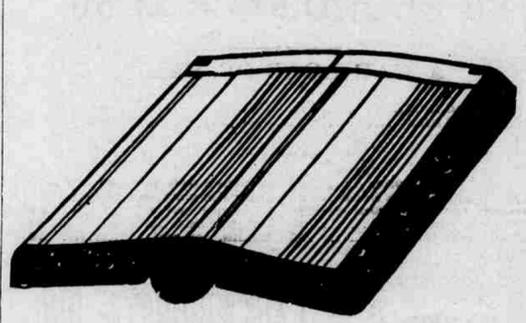
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