

# Backache

Wearying, ceaseless backache. Dull, exhausting and constant pain. No comfort by day. No rest at night. Aches in the small of the back, pain low down in the side. No spirit for any task, no hope for relief. Great numbers of women are not free from backache from one year's end to another.

Among Mrs. Pinkham's victories there is none more complete than that over backache, and the evidence of thousands of women prove that she is its conqueror.

Mrs. C. Klenk, of Wells, Minn. (Box 151), writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I suffered for years with a long list of troubles, and I want to thank you for my complete recovery. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a wonderful medicine for women. I had severe female complaints, causing terrible backache and nervous prostration; was dizzy most of the time, had headache and such a tired feeling. I now have taken seven bottles of your Compound and have also used the Sanative Wash and feel like a new woman. I must say I never had anything help me so much. I have better health than I ever had in my life. I sleep well at night, and can work all day without feeling tired. I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound all the credit, for I know it has cured me of all my troubles. I would not do without your remedies for anything."

When a woman has severe backache she has some serious trouble that will sooner or later declare itself.

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## "Your Medicine is a Friend to Women."

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I wish to tell you the great good your medicine has done me. I do not feel like the same woman. I have suffered terribly. Had womb and kidney trouble, leucorrhoea, very severe pains in hips and sides of abdomen, headache, was nervous, menses were irregular. I have now taken four bottles of your Vegetable Compound, and the backache has left me, menses are regular, can sleep well, and awake in the morning feeling much rested. Your medicine is indeed a friend to women. I wish that I could tell every woman what a wonderful medicine it is. I cannot praise it enough."—Mrs. Anna J. Fenstermaker Pine Summit, Pa.

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## PEACE JUBILEE AT NATIONAL CAPITAL

Celebration Opens With a Grand Parade in Which Over 5,000 Men Take Part

### WHEELER THE HERO OF THE DAY

"Fighting Joe" Receives a Continuing Ovation—President McKinley and Cabinet Review the Pageant.

Washington, May 25.—Beginning with an imposing parade of military and other uniformed organizations, and closing with a display of fireworks at night, the national capital yesterday inaugurated a three days' peace jubilee. The main thoroughfares of the city and all the public buildings are decorated with bunting and the attractive program of parades and festivities has drawn a large number of visitors.

The day opened with the boom of big guns from the Dolphin, which anchored off the navy yard, fired the national salute at sunrise and the national salute and hundreds of steam whistles joined in the noisy chorus. At noon the departments closed and poured their thousands out to join the crowds on the streets, and at the same hour a salute of forty-five guns was fired.

Just as the guns ceased a shower of rain fell that plastered the bunting decorations flat against the house fronts and caused the crowds to hurriedly seek shelter. But the shower was of short duration, the sun came out and shone brightly throughout the afternoon.

The parade of all the regular army and naval organizations stationed in and about Washington, together with the District of Columbia volunteers, Delaware National Guard, Chinese naval reserves of Philadelphia, veterans of the Grand Army and the Fourth and Ninth volunteer regiments was the feature of the day. There were over 5,000 men in line, and the route was down Pennsylvania avenue, around the treasury and in front of the white house grounds, where a large reviewing stand had been erected.

The three squares extending from the state, war and navy departments to the treasury building had been transformed into a court of honor. The avenue at this point was black with people, and the surrounding parks were thronged. The president, members of his cabinet and their wives, ambassadors and foreign ministers with their attaches, General Miles and his staff, and many prominent people in public and private life occupied the reviewing stand.

The enthusiasm was great as the parade passed through the court of honor. The president and Secretaries Hay and Gage were repeatedly and tumultuously cheered as they uncovered each time the American colors trooped by.

General Wheeler was accorded the largest demonstration. He was everywhere cheered. As he reached the reviewing stand he arose and saluted the president. The people went wild.

Another interesting and significant incident was the cheering of Sousa's new march, "Hands Across the Sea," which one of the bands struck up as the reviewing stand was reached. The applause which greeted it was started by the diplomats, spread through the stand, and broke in a roar of cheers along the whole length of the court of honor.

### IMPRESSES BOSTONIANS.

Ex-Gov. Northen, of Georgia, Talks on the South and the Negro. Boston, May 25.—The people of Boston are showing deep interest in the address of former Governor W. J. Northen, of Georgia, who spoke before the Congregational club here last night, but who, through lack of time, was compelled to curtail his speech, although he occupied more than two hours. It was the general verdict today that the citizens here never before have had such an exhaustive statement of the attitude of the south on the negro question. While some of Mr. Northen's statements did not meet with the approval of his audience, especially those with reference to the story of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," the general favor with which his statements were received was shown by an expression from the floor, when the speaker, prompted by the chairman, was about to close, by a person who moved that the "gentleman be permitted to deliver the whole of his address if it takes all night." The motion was greeted with applause and the speaker continued for another half hour.

Although necessarily restricted as to time, Bishop Arnett, who was to speak for the negro, held the close attention of the audience, and as he closed, was given a hearty handshake by ex-Governor Northen, and a cordial invitation to visit the former chief executive of Georgia at Atlanta.

### THE SIX NEW CRUISERS.

One of the Vessels Named After the Iowa Capital. Washington, May 25.—The board of naval bureau chiefs has agreed upon the details of the six new cruisers, Denver, Des Moines, Chattanooga, Galveston, Tacoma and Cleveland, which will be the only vessels provided for in the last naval appropriation bill that can be undertaken this year, owing to the inability of the department to secure armor for the others. The cruisers will be sheathed with copper and of 2,100 tons when light and 2,900 tons when ready for a cruise. They are slightly larger than the Raleigh and the Cincinnati, and will have a speed of 18 knots and a half knots per hour less than the Raleigh. The displacement is more than made up by the large storing tanks of the new ships. At full speed steam without replenishing the coal bunkers for 2,800 knots, while at the rate of ten knots they can cover 8,225 miles, or the entire distance from San Francisco to Manila. Water-tube boilers will furnish the steam for twin-screw engines of 4,500 horsepower each, placed in a separate compartment.

### REUNION OF PRESBYTERIANS.

General Assembly Again Negative on the Proposition. Minneapolis, May 25.—Union between the Presbyterian church north and south was again negated by the general assembly today. The committee on bills and overtures reported adversely on the proposition for a beginning of negotiations with a view to reconciliation. It was held not expedient to take action this year.

### Final Sessions Held.

Cincinnati, O., May 23.—The national conference of churches and correctionists, which has been in session since last sessions today, listening to papers and addresses.

## ALGER ESCAPES CENSURE.

New York Sons of Revolution Take Resolutions Aimed at Him.

New York, May 25.—The Empire State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution held a meeting last night to consider the national banquet in Detroit, where Secretary Alger was eulogized. Robert Roosevelt presided. Judge Warren Higley read the report of the delegate to the national meeting. Judge Higley, in describing the dinner said:

"The speaking was of a very high order and General Alger a favored guest. In view of the unjust and uncalled for criticisms that have been made on account of the honor done to Secretary Alger, I quote the speech of General Merritt at the banquet."

Judge Higley then proceeded to quote the eulogies of General Alger delivered by General Merritt and others.

The report was not favorably received and was the cause of some animated discussion, accompanied by the introduction of several complimentary resolutions. President Roosevelt presented a resolution that had been referred to the general meeting by the board of governors, which, in part, was as follows:

"The Empire State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution resolves in the strongest manner for the purpose of its national meetings for political purposes. Especially does it condemn any attempt to vindicate the reputations of public officials or to glorify in the names of those who have been accused of unpatriotic neglect of our country."

"The first duty of all patriotic societies is to assist, protect and uphold the names of the nation and aid in giving them all the support that the resources of the country demand."

Judge Higley declared that the resolutions were disgraceful, and eventually they were laid on the table.

After more discussion the following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, That the Empire State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution disavows official responsibility for any sentiment expressed at said banquet upon controverted political questions of the day."

"Resolved, That the Sons of the American Revolution, being merely a patriotic and non-partisan organization, it is the sense of the society that it should not be used for political purposes, and the dissemination of its meetings of disputed questions of contemporary politics should be avoided."

### DEVELOP TO BEAT WALL STREET

Trading in Stocks by Machinery Proposed by a Syndicate. New York, May 25.—Trading in Wall street by machinery is seriously proposed by the American Commercial Corporation, of 141 Broadway, Maurice L. Mulholland, deputy assistant treasurer of the corporation; J. N. Boston, treasurer of the United States during Harrison's administration, is treasurer; and Francis H. Baldwin, a young man recently graduated from the Sheffield Scientific school, is secretary.

The officers of the company, whose machine is to turn papers into millions, are so confident that they have great fortunes in their grasp that they are sending circulars to all parts of the United States from their handsomely appointed offices in the Washington Life building.

In red ink at the top of the prospectus is a finger pointing to the word "confidential." The prospectus tells how the system of trading in stocks by machinery can be made on each investment.

"It has been found," continues the circular, "that there is a law underlying the fluctuation of values, akin to the great laws of gravitation, electricity and molecular motion. It is an expression of the law of supply and demand, and is so pronounced and rigid in its application that it has been possible to embody it in metal, in which form the principle must be automatic and unchangeable in its action."

"Statistics show that in dealing with the phenomena of changing values, human judgment is more than 90 per cent wrong. The system eliminates human frailties, and its conclusions are right in the majority of cases. It must be clearly understood, however, that transactions based upon this principle and system do not always show a profit; what is asserted is that a majority of transactions always are in its favor, and this claim is attested by a record on the same date after a most thorough examination and exhaustive tests by the Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken, N. J."

It is claimed that while being tested the machine earned, exclusive of brokerage commissions, 25 1/2 per cent on ten active stocks in one year.

In letters sent out by Mr. Boston, signed by him, occurs the following: "Many have heretofore claimed to have systems that would enable them to anticipate the rise and fall in values, but all such, so far as the series known, were dependent upon human judgment and its ever attendant frailties in their operation; while the system we have made operative through a metal machine, wherein the judgment of the operator can exert no influence, is automatic in its action, and not subject to manipulation."

"Now, the writer realizes the responsibility for making such great claims for our machine and system that we do, but when you consider that such eminent authorities as the Stevens Institute of Technology, after a most thorough examination, fully accredited the machine and system, you must conclude, if interested at all in such a subject, that it is worthy, at least, of further investigation."

### SOLACE HOMEWARD BOUND.

General King and Many Invalided Soldiers on Board. San Francisco, May 25.—The steamer Australia, arriving from Honolulu, brings word that the United States transport Solace, which arrived at Honolulu May 15 from Manila, has had a large number of soldiers and sailors whose time has been exhausted and many invalided and incapacitated men. Her passengers is General King, who has just returned from Manila, and information in the supreme court of Hawaii charging Attorney General Cooper with misconduct of office. The charges are lengthy and specific. Cooper has been ordered to appear in June to answer the charges.

### Among the Passengers of the Australia are Majors Purdy and Nickerson.

### Seven Workmen Killed.

Copenhagen, May 25.—While workmen were engaged in filling shells at the military laboratory some shells exploded, killing seven and severely injuring several others. The laboratory was destroyed.

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## GENERAL GOMEZ IS ENTIRELY SATISFIED

Cuban Commander Has a Final Interview With Brooke on Disarmament Question.

### PAYMENT TO BEGIN SATURDAY

Arms Will Be Surrendered by All But a Few Bands That Have Dispersed, Carrying Their Rifles Home.

Havana, May 24.—The Cuban arms question is apparently nearing a complete and rapid settlement. The payment and dispersal of half of the armed bands that have been voluntarily or involuntarily quartered on the country, will begin, according to the present program, Saturday next in this city.

Yesterday General General Brooke and General Maximo Gomez had what both consider a final interview on the question of surrendering the arms. The Cuban commander, on General Brooke's invitation, called at headquarters in El Vedado late in the afternoon and the two generals, with Colonel Carlos Sotomayor and Major Antonio of General Brooke's staff, went over the payment order which was signed by the governor general on Saturday, but not published. Every word and phrase were re-examined and nothing was changed. At the end of two hours and a half devoted to the examination General Gomez said he was entirely satisfied and felt convinced that the order met all the objections which had been raised, not only by himself, but also by those outside his councils.

The Disarmament Order. The text of the article disposing of the arms is as follows:

"The arms and equipments of the Cuban soldiers will be turned over to the civil governors of the municipalities either at the place of residence of the soldiers or the place of their charge. Said civil governors and alcaldes are hereby charged with the proper storage and care of the same until they can be collected for storage in Cuban arsenals at Havana and Santiago, as already arranged."

Where 500 are stored in one place an exact soldier will be employed as an armorer and shall be paid for his services by the general government. The names of such persons shall be sent to headquarters to be placed on the rolls for the proper and prompt payment of his services. The order deal with necessary details respecting the hiring of officers, the guarding of the money and the giving of receipts. The American commissioners named are Lieutenant Colonel William C. Roberts, First United States Infantry, on behalf of the Fourth corps, in the province of Santa Clara; Lieutenant Colonel George M. Randall, Eighth United States Infantry, on behalf of the Fifth corps in the province of Havana and Matanzas; and Lieutenant Colonel William H. Beebe, First United States Infantry, on behalf of the Sixth corps, in the province of Pinar del Rio.

A supplementary order will be issued later affecting Puerto Principe and Santiago provinces.

### Disband in Disgrace.

Colonel Macco, who at one time a member of the staff of the late General Antonio Maceo, yesterday disbanded his force of 300 men, who had been stationed near Alquizar, province of Pinar del Rio, the men going quietly to their homes with their arms. Colonel Macco accepted the money of the United States, nor to wait longer to a condition of suspense.

A meeting of the Cuban chiefs in the accident or western provinces has been called to consider the situation and will probably decide to adopt the same course.

The staff officers and the generals who composed the late military assembly still say they do not want money and will not surrender their arms, but their assertions are not regarded as especially significant, when it is known that they are not allowed to do so.

### MARY LIVERMORE FAILING.

Thinks Her End Is Near—Orders All Her Manuscripts Burned. Melrose, Mass., May 24.—Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, the noted lecturer and literary woman, is failing in health and at times she tells her friends she thinks the end is very near. Since Mrs. Livermore's health began to fail she has ordered that all her manuscripts be burned. This burning of her literary material has already taken place. Mrs. Livermore is not well enough to see visitors, but she affirmed the report of the burning of her writings. She said:

"It is true I have burned all my accumulation of manuscripts, a bushel or more, but I did not consider it of any value, and did not care to leave it behind me when the end should come."

### ALL WILL BE HOME IN A MONTH

Volunteers Return Will Be Expedited by War Department. Washington, May 24.—The war department is proceeding on the theory that by the end of July not a volunteer soldier will be left in Manila, and General Oles reports that the transport Warren has been ordered to leave for Manila, the homeward movement of the volunteer troops will begin. Oregon has already been ordered that men of the First California and Second Oregon volunteer regiments should not be sent to Manila, but to San Francisco.

### CARRIES 1,800 REGULARS.

Transport Sherman Sails for the Philippines. San Francisco, May 24.—The transport Sherman has sailed for the Philippines, bearing 1,800 men, the largest number of soldiers to leave this port on a single transport to leave this port among them being Brigadier General Bates. The entire Sixth infantry, under Colonel Kellogg, make up the greater part of the Sherman's human cargo. She is carrying a large cargo of supplies for the army and navy. Colonel Fred Grant is in command of the expedition.

Sword Cane Taken From the Colon. Denver Post: "My son found this sword cane on the Cristobal Colon immediately after her surrender. I think it was the property of Admiral Cervera." The speaker was Dr. W. S. Morrison, of Colorado Springs. His son is J. Harry Morrison, chief machinist of the Oregon, which position he has held ever since the magnificent battleship was put in commission.

"When the Cristobal Colon surrendered," continued Dr. Morrison, "my son was sent with other officers to take charge of the vessel and to save her if possible. The party took everything that could be saved. From the officers' cabin my son secured a pair of magnificent silk portieres and this cane, both of which he sent to me. Admiral Cervera came over in the Cristobal Colon, although he was not on her at the time she was sunk, and it was thought by my son that the cane belonged to him. I have written a letter to the Spanish admiral in his prison in Madrid, asking him to give me the history of the stick, but have not yet heard from him."

The cane itself is made of knotted brown congo wood, and is very heavy, the handle is made of brass, carved from walrus ivory and banded to the stick with thin silver. About eight inches below the handle there is a crease in the wood and a tiny brass button. If one pushes the button and draws on the handle above the crease, the cause of the cane's weight comes into view in the shape of a long shining sword, slender but very stiff and sharp. The workmanship throughout is beautiful. The crease is surrounded with silver and the presence of the sword would never be shown save by the innocent looking brass button. There is no name, no insignia, but it may well have been the property of a Spanish admiral.

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