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POLITICALLY, as well as otherwise, Chauncey M. Depew can indeed be peached.

Four of the largest breweries in Massachusetts have formed a combination, with a capital of \$4,000,000.

God help the party that wages war on the native, who defends only his liberties and his home.—Senator Mason.

If any argument were necessary to vindicate and sustain Gen. Miles in the eyes of the American people the maddening, blackguard, Egan, has furnished it.

Mrs. HEMPHRY WALD possesses a photograph into which she speaks most of her stories, which are typewritten by her secretary at convenient periods and submitted to the author for revision.

A rumor gained currency to the effect that Miss Helen Gould and Gen. Joseph Wheeler were engaged to be married. Both of them repudiate the statement with scorn and indignation. Yet both of them, as a contemporary gracefully remarks, should consider the announcement an honor.

The selection of Joseph Choate as ambassador to England is a decent selection and the appointment will be received with reasonable satisfaction by most citizens. The court of St. James has called on the services of many famous men. No less than four men, who afterward became president, have filled it. These were Adams, Monroe, Van Buren and Buchanan. In the world of poetry and letters there have been Motley, Bancroft, Hay and Dowell. Mr. Choate will fit very well in the companionship of statesmen of such rank as Bayard, Gallatin, Finckney and King.

The disgraceful language of Comissary Egan before the war investigating board toward his superior, who had criticised the management of his department, affords an instance of the extent to which the abuse of law discipline may be carried by one who, as Egan, imagines himself, under the protecting influences of the secretary of war. The Egan escapade, like many other revelations that have grown out of the war with Spain, showing the abominably rank and incompetent management of the portfolio over which Alger presides, emphasizes how greatly it is to the welfare of the republic and those who love it to the extent of offering their lives as sacrifices on the altar of patriotism, that worth and ability rather than political qualification should be considered in the selection of cabinet members.

RIGHT REV. WILLIAM E. McLAREN, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Chicago, will be unable to accept the appointment of special delegate for the church to Porto Rico, which was conferred upon him recently by a commission selected by the general convention at New York. Pressing church duties prevent the bishop from entering upon the important work of investigating the newly acquired territory of the United States in the interests of the mission work of the church. I have decided not to go," said Bishop McLaren yesterday. At least not for several months. It is possible that I may visit Porto Rico next fall, and then in an unofficial capacity. The commission which selected me will probably send some one else to look the field over in the meantime. It is the policy of the church to exercise a spiritual jurisdiction over every square foot of territory within the control of the United States government, and since Porto Rico has been added to our possessions the Episcopal church will not delay carrying out its policy.

McKinley Needs the Hauling Down. Senator Hoar, in his great speech

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against imperialism, quoted from President McKinley's annual message of a year ago the declaration, "I speak not of forcible annexation, because that is not to be thought of, and under our code that would be criminal aggression;" and paraphrasing the president's late exclamation made in a spasm of imperialism—"Who shall haul down the flag?"—Senator Hoar said: "President McKinley, when he spoke (in his message), was not thinking even of honor or of power. He placed himself and placed the American people on the stern, enduring and perpetual rock of righteousness; that forcible annexation is not to be thought of under our code of morality; that would be criminal aggression. Who shall haul him down? Who shall haul down the code? Who shall haul down the president?" Senator Hoar, it will be borne in mind, is a republican whose orthodoxy has never been questioned. But he is now being abused by the imperialist republican papers as a foe to the cause. Yet the truly patriotic people of the country, republicans as well as democrats, agree with Senator Hoar that Mr. McKinley and his imperialist policy need hauling down.

Humanitarianism. It will be unfortunate if the sequel of our war with Spain ends in our fighting and defeating those who the many of Spain drove into insurrection, and yet present conditions are such that if this alternative is presented we must courageously face it, even though we may regret that some other means of adjusting difficulties has not been presented.

A Delightful Companion. Imagine a friend who would listen to a recital of your troubles, give you help and encouragement, and never tell a soul; who would visit you regularly without waiting for you to return the call, and who would always leave you feeling brighter and happier than when she came; who would give you the cream of the late news in a few words, and never forget to bring a budget of helpful suggestions to make your work easier. What would you not give for such a friend? How eagerly would you look forward to her coming, and how disappointed would you be should she fail to put in an appearance at the customary time?

"Like semi-monthly visits from a dear friend!" That is what is said of the Housekeeper by all its readers, and the lady who has not had this most delightful home companion has missed a treat. It is a loss for which there is no good reason, for none need be deprived of its visits since the subscription price is only 50 cents a year, and they who have not the amount of money can earn the magazine in an afternoon by persuading two friends to subscribe.

The progressive housekeeper will find this magazine invaluable, for it tells the best and easiest way to do all necessary work, and helps her to economize not only in money, but in time and strength as well. It keeps her informed as to the most important news of the day, and furnishes interesting reading for her entertaining guests when she is too tired to care for anything except fiction. The serial story in the present volume is from the pen of John Strange Winter, and is considered one of the best of the many good stories written by this bright author. Many of the short stories are furnished by well known writers, and all are far above the stories usually found in domestic magazines. The departments of fashions, fancy work, household helps, economy club, home talks, mothers' council, entertainments, the do-over, floriculture, our young folks and news and comment are all carefully edited, bright, original, and up-to-date. There is, besides, the page contributed by the new club "The Progressive Women of America," which is deserving of special attention. It will be remembered that this club was organized only last September; now it has circles in 13 different states, and every month there are additions to its number. At the regular monthly meetings these circles discuss topics outlined by the club director, and send a synopsis of the decisions arrived at to the director for publication. It is thus made possible for each circle to know the opinions expressed by all the other circles, and for the readers of the journal selected for the official publication to keep up with the work of this club without themselves becoming members.

The Housekeeper is published twice a month, and comprises 20 pages, handsomely illustrated and printed. Taking into consideration its size, character and frequency of publication, it is the lowest priced magazine in the world. Published at Minneapolis, Minn.

Literary Note From the Century Company. The Spanish war series in the Century is proving a great success, and has very considerably increased the circulation of the magazine. In the February number Gen. Shafter will tell the story of the Santiago campaign, and Lieut. Hobson will follow his account of the sinking of the "Merrimac" with a narrative of his imprisonment in Morro Castle.

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ATLANTAS. BY ABBIE W. GOULD. In the silent ocean waters, Deep, deep down where mermaids dwell, Where the sea and his maidens, Set to music each fair shell; Where the coral branches wave, With rare colors light the caves, Ever sleeps the fabled city, Far beneath the salt-sea waves.

Pinto sang of its famed beauty, Such as none of earth now know, Of its palaces and castles, Pure as light he did not know; Of its wise men, and its poets, Of its men and women grand, Yet how silent are they sleeping, In that far-off, fabled land.

In its prime and in its grandeur, Helped by more than mortal power, It forgot the test of day, In one fatal evil hour, Granted was the gift demanded, And the misty hand of fate, Stank beneath the ocean waves, That once great and strong estate.

Ofen from the fabled city, It is said, the gems flash bright, And the spirits of the buried, He them through the halls of night; And it may be, that repentant, Some day from the rocks and caves, Will in majestic undreamed of, It shall rise from ocean waves.

HON. R. A. HIGGINS. Of Springfield, Ill., Has Much to Say Praising Morrow's Kid-ne-oids.

It will hardly be necessary to attempt to make the public familiar with the name of Hon. R. A. Higgins, for he is well known throughout the "middle west" already. His integrity is unquestioned, and this is why we publish his statement on the use and benefit Mrs. Higgins derived from the use of Morrow's Kid-ne-oids. Mr. Higgins resides at 617 South Fifth street, Springfield, Ill., and it can be easily seen that no such statement would come from him were it not so, and he did not think Kid-ne-oids a wonderful preparation for kidney disorders. Every one knows that kidney diseases are the most stubborn to treat, and that doctors have also failed in a well known fact among many. Morrow's Kid-ne-oids were advertised in the usual way in Springfield, and backed up by local statements. It was undoubtedly this that induced Mrs. Higgins to try them.

She went to one of the druggists and procured a box and followed the directions carefully, which, by the way, is just as necessary as it is when taking doctor's medicine. Although Morrow's Kid-ne-oids are a wonderful medicine, curing even where physicians fail to effect a cure, the directions must be followed to the letter. Some weeks after she had taken them our special agent visited Mr. Higgins and he gave the following for publication, feeling so grateful for the benefits derived, and remarking that so good a remedy should be known all over the world:

"My wife had been suffering with disorders arising from her kidneys, which was the result of a cold settling in of them. In addition she became very nervous, which is one of the symptoms of the disease caused by its aggravation. Her suffering was something fearful. It was when she was so very bad that we procured a box of the Kid-ne-oids. The directions were closely followed and the result was that she rapidly improved. At present she is perfectly well, no indications of the old ailment being experienced. We believe Morrow's Kid-ne-oids to be all that is claimed for them, and the best medicine of the kind known." With such a statement from actual conviction, and from a man like Hon. R. A. Higgins, we feel that no one can question for one moment our claim that Morrow's Kid-ne-oids are the best kidney medicine in the market and that it cures all kinds of kidney disorders and urinary difficulties. They may be had of any first rate druggist in the land, or we mail them on receipt of price, 50 cents, or 6 boxes for \$2.50. Please mention this paper when writing. John Morrow & Co., Chemists, Springfield, Ohio.

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Two Well Known Statements talked for months from a front porch and rear end of a car. Perhaps the use of Foley's Honey and Tar will explain why they could do this without injury to their vocal organs. It is largely used by speakers and singers.

La grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Shepherd, publisher of the Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Eldon, Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure for la grippe." Pleasant to take, quick to act. For sale by T. H. Thomas, A. J. Reiss and M. F. Bahnsen, druggists.

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The following incident is given by Charles Morris, general jobber, 52 Lexington Avenue, North Cambridge, Mass.: "Several years ago I became poisoned by ivy, I tried many medicines, spending a large sum of money without obtaining a particle of good. My children were also afflicted with the same disease. We were all constant sufferers with an awful itching sensation, and it seemed as if I should tear myself to pieces. I picked up a paper in which I found printed a testimonial from a man in Vermont who had been similarly afflicted and had taken Hood's Sarsaparilla with benefit. I bought a bottle, which we took and it did us so much good I purchased another supply. We continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla until we used five bottles and I can safely say that neither myself nor children have any signs of the poison. It has entirely left us and we are perfectly cured. We give the whole credit to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before resorting to this medicine I was reduced in weight, but now I weigh 175 pounds. Hood's Sarsaparilla has not only done much good but has been the means of saving me a great deal of money. I would not be without it in my house and I heartily recommend it to all who are afflicted. I have written this statement for publication, of my own will, as I want others to know what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for us." CHARLES MORRIS.

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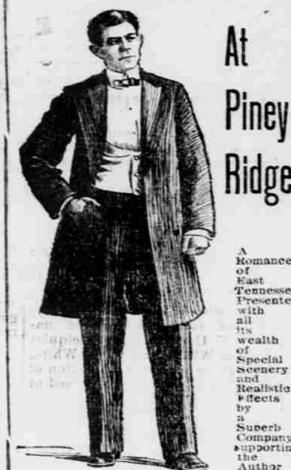
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