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## Washington Letter

No grand cotillion in the East room of the White House marked the closing evening of the social season in Washington and sadly different was the eighteenth birthday of Miss Afice Roosevelt from that which had been planned earlier in the month. Instead of a day spent in anticipation of what promised to be the prettiest and most enjoyable dancing party of the year and an even-ing as its hostegs, Miss Roosevelt spent her birthday ministering to the wants of her small brothers and sister and in anxiously watching for the bulletins from Groton which told her of the progress of her brother's illness.

While the gloom which prevaded the White House can hardly be said to have permeated the city it seems to have had a sobering effect and the brightness and vivacity which masked the earlier social affairs was not evident anywhere on Tuesday evening, and the somber skies which ushered in Ash-Wednesday seemed in keeping with the season. On Monday evening occurred the last formal dance of the season when the Assembly ball was given at the Arlington Shrove Tuesday was marked by society with only two events of importance' the dinner at Willards given in honor of Senator Depew by the New York delegation in Congress and a dinner at the Russian Embassy, when the Ambassador, and Countess Cassini entertained a large circle of friends.

The events at the Capitol this week might almost be summed up in two words, Philippines and butter. The Senate has devoted almost its entire time to the consideration of the Philippine question-that is to say, the democratic side has devoted the time while the republican senators have smoked in the cloak rooms and committee rooms. A brilliant debate between Senators Hoar and Platt of Connecticut marked the proceedings on Tuesday and filled the chairs in the chamber. There were no new ideas advanced by either senator but their oratory was brilliant and eloquent and proved a welcome relief from the monotony which had marked the previous sessions.

The House has thought of little but butter and oleomargerine all week and, Though the chamber was not divided pon strict party lines, the preponderace of the opposition to the Henry bill was on the democratic side. On Tuesday and Wednesday the bill was considered under the five minute rule and the debate was highly entertaining if not instructive. The demograts appreached very close to filibustering in their attempts to amend the bill so as to render its defeat inevitable and some quick and sparkling repartee was indulged in by both sides of the House. On Wednesday, the bill was carried, ion for the inspection and branding of

The introduction in the House of Re presentative Newlands of Nevada of a resolution which invites Cuba to become annexed to the United States has been the occasion of much gossip and speculation in the lobbies and committee rooms and there seem to be a good many representatives who are desirous of seeing the island an integral part of the United States although it is doubtful if the present House would be willing to take the action on a democratic initiative. It is held at the other end of the Capitol, however, that the Platt Amendment perpetually bars the way to annexation and that all talk in that direclion is idle speculation.

It is difficult to predict to what the House with turn its attention with the oleomargerine bill out of the way. There is a desire on the part of the republican leaders to delay action on the Cuban reciprocity question for the immediate present and, in fact, until some measure can be amived at which will not be opposions to the representatives tipin, Michigan and California. The democrates are trying to force the issue with a view to embarassing the opposi-

Conator Perkins of California is preparing a speech in opposition to any oncessions, to Cuba at the expense of the been sagar interests of his state. The senator does not consider that the United States owes anything to Eula, nevertheless he is willing to vote for any measure which will afford relief "to a neighbor" provided it will work no hardship to a few classes of American producers. It cannot be gainsaid that there is considerable anxiety over the Cuban industrial situation and many members of both houses of Congress regard, the situation as critical. Of course, in the event of anything in pature of riots or an insurrection against the government which has accepted the Platt Amendment, the Unit-

iately increase its military forces in .the island and there might be precipitated a situation similar to that in the Philip-

There are few members of the United States Senate who work as energetically as Senator Mason of Illinois. Not only are the interests of his state a subject of the west careful consideration to the Senator but those of his committee, Post Offices and Post Roads, receive equal consideration. Referring to the bill for postal currency which he recently introduced be said yesterday, "I have appreciated for some time that there was a very general demand for a means of transmitting small amounts through the mails at little or no expense This has been accomplished, in the absence of better means, by the use of postuge stamps. The custom has many disadvantages. Many houses receive far more stamps than they can use and they are compelled to sell them at discounts varying from 8 to 6 per cent-Another disadvantage is that these perfeetly legitimate sales of stamps area constant source of annoyance to the authorities who are trying to trace thorrs of postage stamps and their nexpetrators. There are also many minor disadvantages such as the adhesion of the stamps to the letter in which they are enclosed and so on.

"Now my bill will remedy all these objections. By its provisions anyone can purchase, at any postoffice, an order payable at any other postoffice, in stamps or currency. If the latter is demanded there will be a discount of one per cent, but if stamps are taken there will be no expense to the receiver or remitter. These orders will be issued . to the amount of \$1 but not for more. In case the remitter desires to make his remittance doubly safe he can endorse it payable to the person whom he desires to receive the money and in that case no one else will be able to cash it. To use a hackneyed expression these postal orders will 'fill a long felt want' for both merchants and consumers.'

## HISTORY OF BUCHANAN

small an addition of ten feet was added to the rear. Emory M. Plimpton taught in this house at an early day. L. P. Alexander was one of the first

There being no burial ground near the village a movement was originated in 1844 for securing a piece of ground for that purpose. An acre of land was purchased of Mr. Mitchell by a few men who lived in and near the village. It was surveyed and laid out in lots by Edward Ballengee. The first burial in this cemetery was a child of David Sanford. The second and third burials were Mrs. Nichols, daughter of Mr. Ballengee, and her infant child.

John D. Ross came to this county in 1834 and made himself useful for a few months in Niles by working as a blacksmith. Then he went to Indiana, was in business for some years in Hamilton and from that place moved to Buchanan in 1847 and went into the mercantile business at Staples & Stanley's old Mr. Ross erected the first brick store. but for several years past has been, and a necklace of pearls was lost, and a

An extensive fire on one of the last

nearly doubled in population. It ranks sixth in age and third in population among the villages of Berrien, and in proportion to its population has more churches and fewer saloons. Bucharan has two hotels, one variety

story, four dry goods stores, seven gro- geline." Ceries, two drug stores, three boot and shoe stores, two hardware stores, a tire shop, jewelvy and news store, two watchmaking and repairing shops, a bakery, two meat markets, two harness shops, several dress-mkaing and millinery establishments, two tailor shops, furniture store, photograph, gallery, wagon and carriage manufactury, sash and blind factory, planing mrll. stave and heading factory, two saw mills, three flour mills, lumber yard, two barber shops, two livery stables, five establishments selling whiskey, four lawyers, five physicians, and two steam printing houses. The bedstend factory of C. S. & H. S. Black is an important establishment, furnishing employment for twenty-fivergen. The manufacture on an extensive scale of zinc collar pads by G. H. Richards, and of cloths bars by L.

P. Fox, was commenced in 1870. The pressis worthy represented by The Berrien County Record, edited by Wagnes & Kingery. Circulation 1,-The Christian Proclamation, a monthly journal; published by D. A.

Wagner. Circulation 1,200. The Advent Times, published weekly Advent Publishing Association. Circulation 4,500: The Advent Ohristian thus of the life of George Washington, Circulation 4,500: The Advent Ohristian thus of the life of George Washington, at w. N. HRODRICK'S drug.

ed States would be compelled to immed and Wm. L. Himes. Circulation 1,200 The shipments by railroad from Bunore anan during 1870 were as follows: Barrels flour......8,589 Barrels apples..... Bushels oats......100 Bushels potatoes.......520 Lounges .... Handles, bundles......9,243 Hides, cwt......121

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Number of challdren in the district between the ages to of five and twenty, Sept-ember, 1870, 575

mber, 1870, 5,75.
Total disburset, neuts in 1870 for teach? ers' wages, fuel, incidental expenses,

A new brick school A new brick school house, to cost \$25,-000, will be finished by the 1st of January, 1872.

> TEACHERS F 1871.

S. P. Barrett, principal Emma G. Richards.

Intermediate Department t-M. S. B. Strong, Mary Leeds, Maria Sampson.
Primary Department—M. cry French, Susie Brewer.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CH

Rev. D. R. and Mrs. M. S. Wansfield, Commissioner Jennings gave us a call Pastors; H. J. Howe, L. P. F. ox, Rice Wednesday morning. Harding, Robert Mead, Deacon ; D. R. Mansfield, Alfred Richards, El M. Bliss, F. R. Harding, L. P. I J. Howe, S. Smith, Trustees.

Sunday School-Alfred Richard perintendent; Emma Richards,

(To be continued next week.)

School Notes.

HIGH SCHOOL

There will be an eighth gradt nation held in the high school next Saturday. This is for the child of the rural schools.

Dr. C. B. Roe is giving some very interesting talks to the pupils of the grades on the structure and care of the forme on account of the illness of his teeth. He wishes the children to underteeth. He wishes the children to under stand the importance of beginning the care of the teeth early.

## EIGHTH GRADE.

Grace Rosenberg paraphrased a selection from "Evangeline" as follows Once, in an ancient city whose name is stand, under the firm name of J. D. forgotten, was a statue of Justice. I Ross & Son. At that date Foster & its left hand were scales, and in it Reynolds had a store directly opposite. right hand a sword which meant that justice ruled in the land. Birds buil He was for nearly twenty years the their nests in the scales and had no feat most prominent merchant in the village, of the sword. In a palace in that city just and finally justice triumphs."

Lura Keller wrote the best biograph

Margaret Devin and Guy Ravin wrot the best review of Longfellow's "Eyar

Helen Weymoth suggests that the following amendment be added to the Constitution of the United States: No persons shall be a voter who shall not have attained to the age of 21 years; been 5 who is not able to read and write, and who is not temperate.

## SEVENTH GRADE,

Earl Camp and Ward Hamilton reentered school after an absence of sev-

The pupils are learning the poem ontitled "The Execution of Montrose."

Gertrude Louard read a paper Wednesday morning on the Life of Abraham Lincoln. The drawing class also colebrated this day by drawing the old log al Bank. cabin in which Lincoln lived.

Nearly all the grade enjoyed the sleigh ride to Niles Saturday.

FIFTH GRADÉ.

Some very pretty valentines were unde last week by the drawing class.

a great improvement in the tate of the desks and floor. wing pupils rank highest in tidines: Rosa Horshonow, Gadriia Marble dred Roe, Corà Lentz, Ruby Eld-

in cresting. experiments lately during

their study of bones, Supt. Merger, gave, the Geography cluss a very interesting talk one day but week.

Mrs. Peters called on us Friday.

FOURTH GRADE A well-filled valentine box afforded much pleasure, Friday afternoon.

The making of valentines occupied the drawing periods, Wednesday and

A special study of the camel and the ostrich was taken up in connection with the reading of "Gemila, the Child of the Desert."

To Ruth Boardman, we are indebted or measures which helped the anthretic class to better comprehend the

ssons in liquid measurement. The Land metic class is struggling ith long division.

THIRD GRADE.

The bithday of Edison, Lincoln and Inlentine were observed by special ercises.

Some good stories about Lincoln were written. Those of Pauline Butler, Ora Brewer, Ruth Roe, Harry Sweet, Nina Pinns, Edith Wagner, and Florence Colver are worthy of special attention. In the drawing Friday each pupil

nade a valentine. The valentine box Friday afternoon was enjoyed by all the pupils; each one

County Commissioner Jennings visited the grade last week.

ally pretty and artistic valenmade during our drawing

Incidents in the life of Washington furnish reading material for the A division this week.

FIRST GRADE.

Nora Barr, Ethel Whitney. Pansy Ingalls, and Marshall Woodworth re-enered school Monday.

Fourteen of the seventeen members the A class spelled correctly all the ords learned during the week, on Fri-

Commissioner Jennings gave us a call

Lacy Slocum is obliged to remain at

## Receipts

DEVIL'S FOOD CAKE!

One cup of sugar, 1 cup butter, 1 cup sweet milk, 2 cups flour, 8 eggs, 1 teaspoonful baking powder. Add to the dough 1 cup grated chocolate, } cup of sweet milk, # cup brown sugar, yolk of one egg. Bake in thick layers; put together with boiled icing.

## NEW WAY TO COOK VEAL.

orphan girl, who was maid in the house as to family. To make a delicious was accused and condemned to die on a chicken soup not distinguishable from An extensive fire on one of the last days of October, 1862, laid in ashes all scaffeld at the foot of the statue of Justit, boil two hours slowly in about two tice. A tempest rose in that city quarts of water, into which put a lump destroying about twenty unildings and a large amount of property. All the brick stores with the exception of Mr. Howe's have been erected since that time.

The willow stadily increases in population of the statue of the statue of bronze of butter, a small handful of rice and nurled the scales to the pavement six for seven onions. For invalids unbelow. In the scales was found the table to afford fowls this recipe will nest of a magpie, and in the nest was from a boon. Put same ingredients, found the necklace of pearls which had tall as much water, simmer slowly till been lost in the palace. This story and set off to cool. It will The village steadily increases in popubeen lost in the palace. This story nearly dry and set off to cool. It will lation and wealth. Since 1860 it has proves that "Man is unjust; but God is form a delicate yeal dish, gelatinous and appetizing. Cut in slices, season with. pepper and salt to taste, and serve for a lunch and tea with toast or crisp crackers. National

SWEET POTATO POTPIE.

Peel and toes and boil diem in as little water possible. When almost done pour half a cupful of sugar, a good lump of butter; thicken slightly with a little atthined to the age of 21 years; been 5 butter; thicken slightly with a little years a citizen of the U.S.; a resident cornstarch. Line a deep dish with of the town in which he votes for 1 year who is not able to read and write, and dough, pour in potatoes and gravy grate a little nutmeg over it and cover with dough that has been rolled and folded many times. Time for baking from thirty to forty minutes in a ho oven. This should be served hot with

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[From "A Poem: Sacred to the Memory of George Washington, Late President," etc., written in the year 1800.]

Though shone thy life a model bright of praise,
what vast resources, what various talents joined!
Tempered with social virtue's milder rays,
There patriot worth diffused a purer blaze;
Formed to command respect, esteem in-

spire, Midst statesmen grave, or midst the social choir,
With equal skill the sword or pen to wield,
In council great, unequaled in the field,
Mid glittering courts or rural walks to

please, Polite with grandeur, dignified with ease; Before the splendors of thy high renown How fade the glowworm lusters of a crown, How sink diminished in that radiance lost

How sink diminished in that radialice lost.
The glare of conquest, and of power the boast.
Let Greece her Alexander's deeds proclaim,
Or Caesar's triumphs gild the Roman name,
Stripped of the dazzling glare around them

cast,
Bhrinks at their crime humanity aghast;
With equal claim to honor's glorious meed
See Attila his course of havoc lead!
O'er Aska realms, in one wast ruin hurled, See furious Zingis' bloody flag unfurled. On base far different from the conqueror's claim
Rests the unsuilled column of thy fame;

His on the woes of millions proudly based, With blood cemented and with tears de-

e on a nation's welfare fixed sublime, freedom strengthened and revered by time.

He, as the Comet, whose portentous light Spread baleful splendor o'er the glooms

of night, chill amazement fills the startled breast, While storms and earthquakes dire its

course attest, And Nature trembles, lest in chaos hurled. Should sink the tottering fabric of the

Thou, like the Sun, whose kind propitious Opes the glad morn and lights the fields of

day,
Dispels the wintry storm, the chilling rain,
With rich abundance clothes the smiling

XALTED Chief-in thy superior Though shone thy life a model bright of

Each eye was fixed, despairing sunk each

"And scarce could life's last lingering powers retain; In that dread moment, awfully serene,



No trace of suffering marked thy placid mien, No groan, no murmuring plaint, escaped

thy tongue, No lowering shadows on thy brows were hung; But calm in Christian hope, undamped

Thou sawest the high reward of virtue near,
On that bright meed in surest trust reposed,
As thy firm hand thine eyes expiring

closed, Pleased, to the will of Heaven resigned thy Gives all creation to rejoice around,
And life and light extends o'er nature's utmost bound.

Pleased, to the will of Heaven resigned thy breath,
And smiled as Nature's struggles closed in death.

A STORY FOR WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY Zelia Margaret Walters

with hands folded complacently and shining eyes fixed on the hem of her frock. She walked sedately, because her sense of dignity forbade skipping for joy, as her feelings inclined. No wonder delight possessed her. For the first time, in the two years since father had gone to the war, she wore a gown and cloak and hood without a patch, to say nothing of stout new shoes and warm home-Apun petticoats.

Mrs Noble the captain's wife, had noted with kindly eyes that hard for-

LIZABETH came down the walk were approaching a lonely part of the way, and Elizabeth walked faster; the man kept close behind her. She started to run, but before she had gone far his hand was on her shoulder.

"Not so fast, little mistress. You must walk with me now, and I will take your hand, to make sure of you. Do not fear. You will, at be harmed if you are a good child."

Nothing more was said, and a little farther down the street he led her into a house. There were three men in British uniform in the room they entered. They whire



MOT SO FAST, LITTLE MISTRESS, YOU MUST WALK WITH ME NOW."

tune had assailed the absent soldier's minutes and then the oldest one, little family. Her latest bounty had been to invite Elizabeth to the house, whence she issued clad in a complete outfit of little Miss Elenor's marments.

Elizabeth's heart wanfull of grateful thoughts. "I do so desire to serve Mrs. Noble,"

she said, softly. Then her mind went back to a strange thing that occurred. One of them seemed angry. While Mrs. Noble was atting the range ments on her they had hear the range of the seemed angry. "I tell you the little rebe room. The had went quick, annual - LHFewd wife does not let the child know door and the voices became silent. When he comes home," said another. Who could they be? Capt. Noble was Then Elizabeth understand with Washington; it could not be the control of the country of the captain's country of the captain country of the capt

And yet rumor spoke of the daring and had come from Mrs. Noble's house and skill of the captain in venturing into was dressed in little Miss Elenor's this very city, British possessed as it clothes. The men had taken her for

the man was in British uniform. They lie was so terrible a thing that no re- line life.

kindly looking man, said:

"Where is your father, child?" "With Washington, sir," came Elizabeth's answer promptly.

"Ah, yes! But when did he visit you ast?" said the soldier. "Never since he went away, sir." The men whispered together again.

"I tell you the little rebel is lying,

was, and gathering valuable information for his beloved general.

But Elizabeth's attention was attracted at this moment by a man who general to be following her. She was dilers killed her for her silence. It is supported in the solution of the solution in the solution of the solution in the solution in the solution is seemed to be following her. She was directly at the solution in the solution in the solution in the solution is seemed to be following her. She was different attacked at this moment by a man who diers killed her for her silence. It is supported to the solution in the solution in the solution is seemed to be following her. She was dat the solution in the solution in the solution in the solution is supported by the solution in the solution is supported by the solution is supported by the solution in the solution is supported by the solution in the solution in the solution is supported by t scemed to be following her. She was diers killed her for her silence. If Jimmy-Naw, yer don't git me inter a brave, quick-witted child, but her she spoke at all she must tell the lat little game. I tried it on dad last heart beat faster as she perceived that truth, for she had been taught that a year, and I never got sich a lickin' in

spectable person would tell one und iny consideration.
"Tell us how your father looks."

els are strictly brought up and regad truth as a jewel. Here, child, will yell right delegates was received by her and affirm, as God is hearing you, that yell read from the platform.
will tell only the truth?"

In responding to the address of

"I will," said Elizabeth, pale and trembling.

you to bed last night?" "Very early, sir; before eight o'clock."

"Did you hear anything after you vere in bed?" 'Yes. sir."

"What was it?"

"I was awakened by hearing some one ride up to the door."
"Did your mother talk to the poson?"

"Yes, sir." "Did the voice sound like you father's?"

"No, sir. How could it le my fathe He is with Washington.'i

"Did the person come in ?"

"No, sir."
"Are you quite sure?"
"Yes, sir. I heard him ride awa;
again."
"The slippery rebel has escaped us
"muttered one of the men.

again," muttered one of the men. "Who do you suppose this person ras?" the questioner went on.

"I think it was Peter, the fish man," was unable to pr said Elizabeth; "he often stops on the count of emotion on resolutions then

way home to sell mother some fish."

One of the men laughed at this, and one muttered an oath. After confu-tailed:

ring together for a moment they pre- tailed:

To protest age of the self- tailed.

"No," said one, "you must remain here till we return," and they wend out, locking the door after them.

Poor Elizabeth sat there for some time fearing to move, but when the dusk began to deepen, she resolved to try to escape. This was no hard tast to the active child, for the windows were unbarred and she soon climbed to the ground. Without pausing, she ran to Mrs. Noble's house. The lady herself came to the door.

"Dear Mrs. Noble," Elizabeth gasped, "I don't know whether the captain is here or not, but if he is don't let him go to Squire Thornton's to-night, bra to Squire Thornton s course the British soldiers are going

Mrs. Noble drew her in the house ap soon heard the whole story. She 1/ the room quickly and when she

Black Pompey, a faithful house serrint, was sent as a second time at They found the mother greatly con cerned over her daughter's long ab-sence, but when she had told the story of her experience, the mother voiced her thankfulness, and praised Elizabeth for her tact and for her firmness in telling rought but the whole truth.

From that day on Mrs. Noble was Elizabeth's firm friend, and the little girl's name at the big house was "The other. Miss Elenor."—Ladies' World, New York.

Washington on Partisanship. There is an opinion in free countries that parties are useful checks upon the administration of the government and serve to keep alive the spirit of liberty. This, within certain bounds, probably is true, and in governments of a monarchial cast patriotism may look with indulgence, if not with favor, upon the spirit of party. But in those of popular char-acter—in governments purely elective—it is a spirit not to be encouraged. From their natural tendency it is certain there will always be enough of this spirit for every salutary purpose. And there being consistent danger of excess the effort ought to be by force of public opinfon to mitigate and assuage it.— Washington, in His Farewell Address,



Billy-Oh, say, lets go up der and chop dat tree down. And when pap

MISS ANTHONY HONORED.

'Woman's Suffrage Convention Remembers 82d Birthday of

one of the men.

"He is taker than you and far the comely," said Elizabeth, prompt the National American Woman Sufther and a mustache."

"I believe the child lies," cried of was heightened by the fact that it suspicious one again. "I have be marked the eighty-second birthday of Susan B. Anthony. She was the reciptable that the captain is dark." tell a lie to save my life, nor for all feelingly referred to in the invocation thing in the world." By Miss Laura De Merritte. Many thing in the world."

"You are over-suspicious, Dali," floral tributes were also received by said the elder man. "These little red her.

A message of greeting from the for-

In responding to the address of greeting of the delegates Miss Anthony, with tears in her eyes, re-"At what time did your mother send ferred to her 50 years of work in the cause of woman suffrage, saying she



 $\rho_{ANTHONY}$ . MISS SUSAN ner life to it. She

had consecrated acced further on ac-

The committee port, and among the

one muttered an oath. After configurations the ring together for a moment they prering together for a moment reguring together

In regard to its training in our new pos-fin regard to issued a suffrage stamp. That the that which is now used in similar to France. White is in the instance of the instanc

for the for a sixteenth amendment continue work Thomas for a sixteenth amendment continue work with the sixteenth amendment continue work work the sixteenth amendment work the sixteenth amendment work the sixteenth amendment with a sixte

ed unanimously. The night session ras given up to "an evening with Engand and her colonies."

#### TRAINS COLLIDE.

our Men Killed in a Railway Disaster in Iown, Due to an Englueer's Blunder.

shalltown, Ia., Feb. 17.-Four were lost in a head-on collision de Iowa Central road one mile of Gifford early Sunday morn-ng, when a light engine north-bound the room quickly and when she turned she folded Elizabeth in the rig, when a light engine north-bound arms and said: "Heaven bless thee, the right engine north-bound arms and said: "Heaven bless thee, the right engine north-bound arms and said: "Heaven bless thee, the right engine for the light engine had recovered to the light engine had crushed, killed instantly, about you." buried under the engine, body recovered Sunday afternoon; John White, Oskaloosa, engineer of the passenger train, left leg crushed and foot severed, both arms broken, taken to hospital at Eldora, where he died: Frank Patton, Marshalltown, fireman of the light engine, skull crushed, died instantly; Elmer Ogle, Marshalltown, fireman of the passenger train, driven against the boiler head and badly crushed, died instantly. Lawrence A. Jegau, of Chicago, a traveling salesnan, was badly bruised about the hips. A number of other passengers were slightly injured. The wreck was

## OFFICIALLY CONFIRMED.

te Department Notified That Brig ands Have Been Paid the Ransom for Miss Stone.

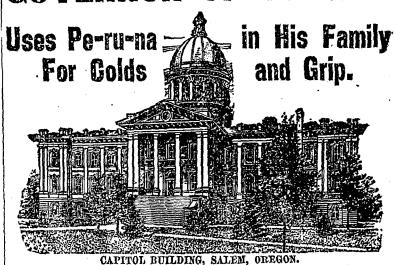
Washington, Feb. 17 .- The state deartment has received confirmation of he cabled news that the ransom for Miss Stone had been paid over to mer captors.

Up to the close of department hours the secretary of state had received no news to the effect that Miss Stone was on the way to Constantinople, although hat was believed to be a fact. Mme. Tsilka, Miss Stone's companion in cantivity, its also believed to have been set free. The is a Bulgarian, and, while none of the ransom was paid over for her, it is understood that she was included in the bargain. A state department official said that with the release of Miss Stone "the incident, so far as she is concerned, is closed." The release of the captives will undoubtedly, however, be followed by a determination by this government of the measure of responsibility of Turkey or Bulgaria, or both, for the captivity of the American woman. Some time ago it was stated that the government responsible would at least be required to refund the amount of the ransom.

Explorer Returns. New York, Feb. 17.-Explorer C. E. Borchgrevinck has reached home in this city after a hazardous voyage, in which he went 500 miles nearer the south pole than ever before was reached and gathered much impor-tant scientific information.

Shot by Highwayman. Great Barrington, Mass., Feb. 17.— Lexington Dooley, son of Rev. John Dooley, a Congregational minister of Monterey, was shot in the thigh and robbed by a highwayman as he was walking from Monterey to this plane Friday night.

## GOVERNOR OF OREGON



A Letter From the Executive Office of Oregon.

Pe-ru-na is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Letters of congratulation and commendation testifying to the merits of Pe-ru-na as a Executive Department. catarrh remedy are pouring in from every State in the Union. Dr. Hart-man is receiving hundreds of such letters daily. All classes write these letters, from the highest to the lowest.

The outdoor laborer, the indoor artisan, the clerk, the editor, the statesman, the preacher—all agree that Pe-ru-na is the catarrh remedy of the age. The stage and rostrum recognizing catarrh as their great

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bus. O.: Dear Sirs-I have had occasion to use your Pe-ru-na medicine in my family for colds, and it proved to be an excellent remedy. I have not had

occasion to use it for other ailments.
Yours very truly, W. M. Lord.
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## IN THE SCHOOLS.

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philosophical department of Harvard college, has started a plan for the building of a hall for the philosophical department, which will be named Emerson hall.

## HE CLINCHED IT.

Erie, Kans., Feb. 17th,-In July of 1900, W. H. Ketchum of this place was suddenly seized with a violent pain in his back. He says he supposed it was a "stitch" and would soon pass away, but it lasted five months and caused him great soreness, so that he was barely able to keep out of bed. He became alarmed and consulted a doctor which only increased his anxiety and

did him no good,
A friend who had some experience advised him to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Ketchum began with six pills a day and in a week was well and the soreness all gone. However, this did not satisfy him for he says:
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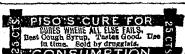
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