

BY BERTHA E. BUSH

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VETERAN OF THREE WARS.

A Pioneer of Colorado and Nebraska.

Matthew Campbell, veteran of the civil war and two Indian wars, and a pioneer of Colorado now living at 215 East Broadway Street, has been given the honor of a pension for his services in the war.

Mr. Campbell has been a resident of this city for some time, and has been a member of the Grand Army of the Republic since its organization here. He was a member of the company of volunteers which was organized to fight at the battle of Gettysburg.

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COULD USE THE OAD.

Irish Soldier's Great Lies When Cover Was Badly Needed.

The following colloquy is said to have actually occurred during one of the earlier battles in the Philippines.

A detachment of American infantry, under orders to support a section of Capt. Betty's battery, were halted for quite a while on a perfectly flat range of the Philippine trenches. Of course, to the British soldiers did everything. As a result he was incessantly asked the questions as to his experiences. While the bullets were "popping" down the road and kicking up the dirt, a young Yankee suddenly asked the retort: "A British soldier has no head, sir!"

After a full two-minute pause, Mike continued: "However, be that as it may, I wish I could pick up this d—road and stave it on edge ferrest me!"

NOTICE TO BANKERS.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Cashier of the Bank of Commerce, New York, has been elected to the position of President of the Bank of Commerce, New York, for the year 1910.

PROVED USEFUL.

"When you was little was you spanked like I am to make you good, papa?"

"I was, my son—and spanked hard, too."

"Then you was spanked, papa?"

"I was spanked, my son, and spanked hard, too."

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SCHOOL TEACHERS

Also Have Things to Learn.

"For many years I have used coffee and refused to be convinced of its bad effect upon the human system," writes a veteran school teacher.

"Five years ago I was obliged to give up my coffee habit, and ever since that time after years of continuous labor, I had developed a well defined case of chronic coffee poisoning.

"The trouble was, however, that the stuttering of the heart, a thumping in the top of my head and various parts of my body, twitching of my limbs, making me feel as if I were tired at times after exertion, a general 'gone' feeling with a tapper's desire for very strong coffee. It was a nervous wreck for years.

"A short time ago friends came to visit us and they brought a package of Postum with them, and urged me to try it. It was prepared because some years ago I had drunk a cup of weak, tasteless stuff called Postum which I did not like at all.

"This time, however, my friend made the Postum according to directions on the package, and it won me. Suddenly I found myself improving in a most decided fashion.

"The odor of boiling coffee no longer tempts me. I am so greatly benefited by Postum that if I continue to improve I am now, I think, that I have found the Fountain of Perpetual Youth. This is no fancy tale, but a matter of fact which I am glad to make known.

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DOCTORS ORGANIZE UNION.

Toronto, Ont.—The doctors of this city went of Young street have formed a union under the name "No. 11 Territorial Division of the College of Physicians and Surgeons." The objects of the organization are to improve the conditions of the profession against strikes, establish minimum fees and amend lodge terms. The lowest fee for medical examination for fraternal societies has been fixed at \$2, while the minimum fee for minor operations has been fixed at \$10. For a first visit to a patient \$2 hereafter will be charged, and \$1 for each subsequent visit, while the fee for night visits will be doubled, being fixed at \$2. The charge for an office visit has been made \$1, including prescription, while to give anaesthetics \$5 will be charged.

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In a famous book of anecdotes there is one which relates to a conversation between a Scotch minister and a sexton. The minister was a stranger to the sexton, and discussed with him the doctrines of the neighboring clergy. As one after another was mentioned the sexton wagged his head gloomily, and said: "He's no sound!" At last the minister—who was a low-winded and rather empty preacher—mentioned his own name, and inquired of the sexton what he thought of it. "Oo, ay," replied the sexton, with a twinkle in his eye. "He's a sound!"

In the Church.

"Of course," said Tim at Miss Yern's wedding to Mr. Timmid, "the bride looks lovely, as brides always do."

"Yes," replied Jess, "but the bride groom doesn't. He appears rather run down."

"Run down? Oh, yes; caught after a long chase."

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