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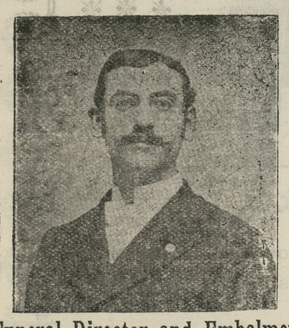

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When we made allies of the Filipinos we disputed Spain's title.

Spain's title was based on force alone.

We were at liberty to deal with the Filipinos according to American principles.

Heretofore this nation has been very prompt to express its sympathy with those who were fighting for civil liberty.

Our opponents seek to confuse imperialism with expansion.

A colonial policy means a few traders, a few taskmasters, a few office holders and a large army.

The question is not what we can do, but what we ought to do.

I oppose the sordid doctrine that would place a price on the life of an American soldier.

I thought it safer to trust the American people to give independence to the Filipinos.

I believe that we are in a better position to wage a successful contest against imperialism.

The Filipinos do not need any encouragement from any American now living.

Our whole history has been an encouragement to battle for liberty.

God himself placed in every human heart the love of liberty.

We cannot repudiate the principle of self-government.

Sympathy for the Boers does not arise from an unfriendliness toward England.

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July 1, 1896,	" "	90,358.35
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LOANS:

July 1, 1894,	total loans,	$ 53,135.89
July 1, 1896,	"	100,894.87
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July 1, 1900,	"	$ 203,155.36

The growth of the Kent County Savings Bank has been substantial and has been accomplished by strict adherence to the principle that it is the function of the bank to give assistance and to receive assistance, to deal liberally with its patrons and to supply good facilities; and that in return the bank is entitled to a fair and reasonable profit from its business operations.

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Hicks' Forecast for October.

An important factor in storm and weather causes for October is the Mars equinox. The general weather conditions dominant at the beginning of a Mars period, are almost certain to be, in a great degree, perpetuated throughout the Mars period. If this rule is not reversed this month, the storm and weather of much of September will be repeated, in character if not in intensity, to the end of October. Of course the weather will grow more autumnal, storms and temperature approaching more nearly winter aspects.

The first three days of the month will be central days of a Vulcan storm period, with Moon at first quarter on the 1st. The change to warmer weather and falling barometer in western parts the last days of September, will reach central and eastern sections during the 1st, 2nd and 3rd of October, attended by cloudiness and rain. Brisk autumnal winds, with electrical storms in some localities may be expected, and change to rising barometer, westerly winds and much cooler will follow from about the 3rd to the 5th, the change setting in behind the storms in the west, and following them up during the successive days named above.

About Saturday, Sunday and Monday, the 6th, 7th and 8th, a reactionary storm disturbance will be central. This period will be intensified by several causes—the near proximity to the center of the Mars period, with Moon on the celestial equator on the 6th, in perigee on the 7th, and full, or in opposition to the Earth and Sun, on the 8th. We may reasonably look for marked storm conditions on and next to 6th, 7th and 8th. All localities in which the temperature becomes high, with south winds and low barometer, will most likely experience thunder storms and high winds. Early snow in the north and west need not surprise any one, and a very general change to much cooler weather and frost will be natural behind the storms, say about the 8th to 10th, inclusive.

The next Vulcan storm period is central on the 12th, covering the 10th to the 14th. Moon is at greatest north declination on the 12th, suggesting that warm, southerly winds will blow during the first days of this Vulcan period, causing pleasant days, but leading up to falling barometor and a return to cloudiness and more storms of rain and wind, with probable snow northward. The storms of this period will culminate about Friday the 12th, to Sunday the 14th, being progressive from west to east on and about these days, but present in no locality for more than a few hours, or one day at the most. Another change to rising barometer, northwesterly winds and much cooler weather will follow in the immediate wake of these storms, bringing bright weather and frosty nights to much of the country, say from about the 14th to the 17th. This change is progressive from west to east, it being a physical impossibility for any weather conditions or changes to exist, or take place, all over the country at the same time.

The 17th to the 20th constituted a reactionary storm period, with Moon on the celestial equator on the 19th, and in apogee on the 20th.

The next Vulcan storm period is central on the 24th, with new moon falling on the 23rd. Change to much warmer will set in about the 22nd and 23rd, other conditions will follow in regular order and more rain, wind and snow will be natural consequences about the 24th, 25th and 26th. Quite severe gales on the lakes and the North Atlantic Ocean and coasts, should be apprehended at this time. In fact, all the October disturbances are more to be feared in these directions, than in the southern and central parts of the continent. A sharp cold wave for the season will spread over the country from about the 25th to 28th, causing heavy frosts and some freezing over a great part of the country. October comes to its close at the end of reactionary storm disturbances which will be central about the 29th and 30th. Change to fair and colder will be advancing from the west as the month goes out.

MAN'S FOOL AGE.

A medical man has discovered that neither in youth nor old age is a man likely to make the biggest fool of himself. Extreme youth usually is considered not to have arrived at the dignity of years of discretion, yet a homely proverb would have us believe that "there is no fool like an old fool." This medical observer has broached the theory that there is an "aberration period of middle life," between the ages of 57 and 62. "If," he says, "a careful examination be made of the preventible disasters of the last 20 years and of the ages of those who were held responsible by the verdict of mankind for such lamentable issues, there will be found a strange coincidence in the range of their ages."

Here is an interesting and practically inexhaustible field for investigation. Politicians who are "agin the government" may trace the blunders of an administration to the sinister influence of some boss who was passing through the fatal period at the time, and "regrettable incidents" of all kinds, in war or peace, may be traced to their true origin. In time no doubt we shall appreciate the necessity of requiring all public men, on entering the fatal period, to take a five years' holiday and to resume work only when they have passed the age of aberration.—New York Press.

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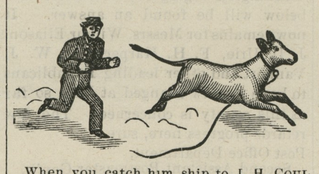

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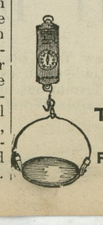

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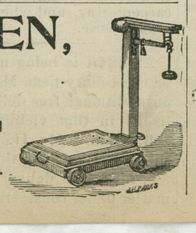

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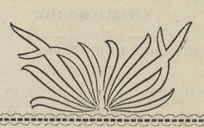

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