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Admiral Dewey has been playing his hand luck surely. The will of his wife's mother just made public cuts the admiral off. It doesn't always pay to be great.

The course of the market, says Banker Henry Clews, more especially within the past fortnight, has demonstrated the stability of actual conditions throughout the country.

Roosevelt's nerve is by no means a new thing, but his latest exhibition in that line staggered the old-timers around the capitol. It was a sort of advance notice that Teddy's idea of the vice-presidency would not square with the fifth wheel notion which has heretofore prevailed.

Senator Clay made a long and vigorous speech against the ship subsidy bill. It fairly bristled with unanswerable reasons why the bill ought to be defeated.

HEARD IN PASSING. The three L's—laugh, legislate and loot—are the most popular letters with the majority in congress.

IN A PEANUT SHELL. Shelled peanuts contain from 30 to 60 per cent. of oil. In 1899 some 80,000 tons of peanuts were used in Marselles alone for oil-making.

SCHOOL AND COLLEGE. St. Joseph, Mo., is to follow Boston's example and provide portable school-houses for the overflow from the regular schools.

FACTS ABOUT SWITZERLAND. In Switzerland a favorite dish is boiled chestnuts mashed fine and served with whipped cream.

THE WORLD OVER. Eleven Indian languages are still spoken in Mexico. Of every six Mexicans five are unable to read and write.

POPULAR SCIENCE. Gas generated from wood in the Rice retort has proved to be a rich gas, nearly approaching coal gas.

SOME DANISH PROVERBS. A bold attempt is half success. A good neighbor is a good morrow.

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STORIES OF THEIR ORIGIN. Mad as a March Hare—This saying was originally "mad as a marsh hare" and was said in reference to the wild hares of the marshes.

IN MANY LANDS. The use of safe deposits is not so widely established in France as in America. Norwegian whalers caught 429 whales during the past season off the coast of Iceland.

AMONG THE BRITONS. The drainage of London amounts to 30,000,000 gallons. It has been discovered in a London hospital that nails on amputated fingers continue to grow for some weeks after being cut off.

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