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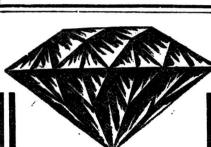
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#### LONDON AND DISTRICT

Footbridge Up.
The footbridge, across the Thames at the pumphouse, has been re-erected, and will remain up for the summer.

Incorporated. Hamilton Spectator: The Miller, Limited, of London, to make and sell plumbers' supplies, has been granted a charter. Wm. J. Miller, of this city, is one of the incorporators.

Meeting Was Adjourned. The meeting to discuss the question of erecting a monument to King Edward was not well attended last night owing to the stormy weather, and Mayor Beattie decided to adjourn it

until further notice Meeting Postponed. It was found necessary last night. owing to the disagreeable weather and poor attendance, to postpone the meeting of Myrtle Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias. The date has not been definitely selected, but the postponed meeting will probably be held on the first Tuesday in June.

Death of Abe Pinkham. Mr. Abraham Pinkham, a former Londoner, died in St. Mary's Hospital, Detroit, on May 6, 1910. It is understood that he resided about 30 years ago on Maitland street, just south of Hill street, next to where St. Mary's

Coming to London. Mr. W. A. Beddoe, the newly-ap-pointed trades commissioner to New Zealand, will visit the manufacturing centres of Canada before sailing for his new post, to become acquainted with exporters. He will be in London

shortly, possibly next week.

Met the King.

Detroit News: One of the very few residents of Windsor to have the honor of being presented to the late King Edward VII. is James Templewho attended the grand military ball in London, Ont., in 1860, at which time the King, then Prince of Wales, visited the United States and Canada, and was guest of honor at the ball. Mr. Templeton has several souvenirs of the occasion. Choir Entertained.

Mr. Charles Percy, organist of St. James' Church, South London, enter-tained the choir at his residence on Horton street last evening. There was a large gathering (over 40) present. The evening was spent in games, music, etc. All present thoroughly enjoyed the evening. Refreshments were served in abundance before midnight. Mr. Percy's kindness was highly appreciated by the whole choir. Birds' Nest Causes Fire.

Windsor Record: Fire, supposed to have originated from a gasoline torch Little Digesters will cure that we offer It is estimated that there are about eleven thousand professional thieves in New York City. Those who steal only when the opportunity is offered have not been estimated.

used by plumbers, caused a little excitement in the vicinity of the Windsor City of the Windsor Club shortly before noon today. A birds nest, made of dry straw and twiss under the cornice of the roof, have not been estimated.

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CHINA'S NAVAL TALK A BLUFF

Orientals, Before Buying Warships. Must Reform Their Financial System.

Pekin, May 18.-To make an effective show of naval developments, the advisers of the prince regent have fixed on Nimrod Sound in Chekiang as the ist, who has been so successful in fitprincipal naval port of China. It offers a fine harbor of refuge, and runs for 50 miles southward of Hangchow. But there is no need to picture it full of oriental men-of-war yet awhile.

Like many other things in the Flowery Land, the naval talk is largely bluff. The power of the purse is lacking, to put reality into the recommen dations of the Chinese naval commis sioners, who recently toured Europe Till China starts reforming her financial system—and there is no sign of that-nothing more will come out of that expensive commission than a few river gunboats and small coast vessels Popular imagination figures out a long aray of warships barking defiance at the western intruders, but in Pekin it is well understood such things are chimerical as yet.

There has been talk of three cruisers, one gunboat, two destroyers and two training ships, and the establishment of two naval stations and naval schools. Even that modest programme las appalled the board of revenue. Among the ideas is that a national navy fund should be voluntarily subscribed to raise the \$7,800,000 wanted for a start Prince Regent Ching has had a fine chance to get busy with strong men at real reforms. Instead, he consorts with reactionary parasites and boodlers. The result is chaos. China's main hope lies in the appearance of some out standing strong man.

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There are now nearly 200 motor cars in this city, representing an out-

lay of over \$200,000.

The auto is apparently no longer the luxury of the man with the im-mense "pile," for all classes are in-cluded in the list of local buyers this

wear.
While the cost of autos is not decreasing at a very great rate, more Among the autos delivered to buy-

Among the autos delivered to buyers here this spring are:
Touring cars—James McNee, Philip Pocock, William McPhillips, C. R. Somerville, Marshall Graydon, Thos. McCormick, H. E. Gates, H. J. Jones, J. L. Johnson, J. M. Moore, Robert Kilgour, W. W. Metherall, J. S. Secord, A. E. Barbour, H. P. Allen, Bert Hea-A. E. Barbour, H. P. Allen, Bert Hea-man, W. M. Spencer, W. E. Robinson, Dr. Weekes, J. Frank White, George Heaman, Dr. Eccles, C. G. Weston, Dr. Hadley Williams, Bert Masuret, Bert Cronyn, Hon. C. S. Hyman, Daniel Sterling.

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T. B. Blond, Perry, Moore, and A. R. R. Bland, Percy Moore and A. A. Langford also received runabouts late

last season. Three twenty-five horsepower cars have gone to Rodney, one of them to Californians by the name of Lillian Mr. F. B. Morris, from a local agency, Ashley, and her suit to secure her while Lucan men, W. A. McLean and 17-year-old daughter Beatrice a third Mr. Retting said he heard Reni Langford, have cars from another London dealer.



Lillian Russell Tomorrow. Miss Lillian Russell will be seen at the Grand tomorrow night, in George V. Hobart's delightful comedy. First Night." It is a comedy taken from the German and adapted to the American stage by the popular humorting Miss Russell with laugh-provoking hits in the past. In her company will be seen a number of favorites. headed by Digby Bell, and including Julius McVicker, Albert Andruss, Sydney Booth, George E. Mack (who will be remembered here as Nix in 'Havana," and in which he made a personal hit), T. Hayes Hunter, Susanne Westford, Millicent Evans, Leonora Oakford and Saidee Williams.

#### SEEDS CAUSE TROUBLE

Galloping Water Plant Grips Into China's Commerce.

Saigon, May 18.-A new danger has come to Indo-China, as destructive to trade as sedition is to the administration of the hill districts. A year or two ago some Japanese goods came to Indo-China wrapped

in matting that contained the seed of an aquatic plant. In an incredibly short space of time the weeds spread and blocked the waterways up and down the country. Special clearing as my wife.'
gangs of workmen had to be organized "Miss Ash while cultivators had their expenses heavily increased by having to open up the choked watercourses every month or so.

Now the pest has spread to canals and even to the flooded rice fields. Agriculturists are panic-stricken, for the weeds threaten to choke the growing crops. The most afflicted quarter is along the west coast of

Cochin-China.

A government commission is now visiting that area with a view to adopting general measures for ridding the waters of the plant, but so far the prospects of accomplishment are

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#### CLAIMS ONE-THIRD OF BALDWIN GOLD

No. 865.

The Daughter of Lillian Ashley, Whose Sister Shot at the Horseman, Is Claimant.

Boston, May 17.-The story of Mrs.

the millions left by the late "Lucky" Baldwin, was told by the dollars. claimant's attorney, Walter O. Grant. Everybody in San Francisco remembers the sensational suit brought by Lillian Ashley against Baldwin for betrayal. The case was tried in 1897, and a sensational incident was furpished by the plaintiff's sister, who And Parisian Is Becoming Tainted ook a shot at Baldwin in open court. The woman lost her case and afterward disappeared. Now she comes to

story of common-law marriage and daughter she declares to be the offspring of the union. Turnbull's claim is that in March, 1893, Baldwin entered into an and more dressy every season, but agreement of marriage with her in Paris, according to an observer who San Francisco by which she became laments the fact, is following London's his common law wife. As evidence lead. that Miss Beatrice Turnbull, who is union, she offers the following certifi-

maiden name Lillian A. Ashley. Father's name E. J. Baldwin. Dr. J. W. Trueworthy, attending physician." "Either on March 2 or 3, in 1893, at the Baldwin Hotel in San Francisco, Miss Ashley and Mr. Baldwin entered into a common law marriage," said

"On the evening of this marriage Mr. Baldwin told Miss Ashley he was a divorced man, that he loved her

his wife.
"Mr. Baldwin, on the stationery of his hotel, then drew up the agreements, signing himself the one which read, 'I hereby take Lillian Ashley of art. "Miss Ashley learned that Baldwin

had deceived her, and that there was a living Mrs. Baldwin. "Of course, Miss Ashley immediately left Mr. Baldwin, but asked him to provide for her. This he refused to do unless she would come back and live with him "Miss Ashley then went to New

York City, where she supported herself and baby by opening a school." WHISKEY FROM STAVES

#### Government to Collect \$250,000 a Year From Liquor So Recovered.

be taken by the Commissioner of Inernal Revenue Cabell to bring into government coffers some are better than Accident Insurance. They don't slip; no slip, no fall; no there. The \$250,000 is to come from of "recovering" whiskey from staves of old whiskey barrels. There are more than 30 concerns in the country which

Washington, May 18.—Steps will soon

recovered each year, therefore, has never paid any tax since it has been recovered from barrels on which allow-Pianos to Rent.

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ance for soakage has been made, and on which the distiller paid no tax. Just what proportion of the total amount recovered has not paid tax, and what amount has is hard to determine, but Mr. Cabell figures it is about \$250,000. ance for soakage has been made, and

#### ANTI-COMET PILLS

Black Medicine Man Getting Rich on the Fears of Ignorant Jamaicans. New York, May 18.—Third Officer West Indian ports, went ashore at Port au Prince, Hayti, and found a black

medicine man peddling "anti-comet" pills, guaranteed to stave off all malevolent effects of Mr. Halley's visitor. volent effects of Mr. Halley's visitor. this is a dull turn," or, "You really He pictured the comet, like some other must stay for this; it's quite first-fothers for twenty or more generations." The amusing thing was that it fathers for twenty or more generations pictured it, as bringing fearsome things on ts trail and he got a dollar a pill. but the women of the party. black fakir had made hundreds

#### LONDON BECOMING MORE DRESSY

With the Londoner's Ways. London, May 16.-Apropos of the

failure of the Cafe de l'Opera in New the front again as Mrs Turnbull, of York to induce people to dine there in Brookline, Mass., and this time with European fashion, in evening clothes, it is perhaps interesting to note that not only is London becoming more

This man, who had not been in now at a finishing school near New Paris for some time, came back to York City, was the offspring of this London deploring the change. He thinks the genuine love of good plays, cate of birth, which she says is on the genuine admiration of good actrecord at the city hall in Los An- lng, the whole quality of the artistic pleasure which Paris used to find in "Born at 129 South Olive street Los plays, is dying. Lovers of the theatre Angeles, Dec. 7, 1893, a girl. Mother's used to run over to Paris from Lon-maiden name Lillian A. Ashlev. Fa- don now and then to get away from the casual British attitude, and find themselves once in an audience that had a true critical appreciation, and enjoyed it.

Makes Theatres Later.

Now it appears, according to this Londoner just returned from Paris, that the Parisian is becoming tainted with London's ways. He no longer goes to the theatre without putting on evening dress; he is driving plays very much and wanted her to become into late hours just as London is doing; he comes in late. In fact, the theatre in Paris is pretty much on the of after-dinner amusement, not a form

If evening dress is beginning to be more of a necessity than formerly in Paris theatres, it has certainly come a pressing necessity in London in places where it never used to be Indeed, there are a good many people who look upon it as not far from becoming a perfect nuisance. Men dress for dinner at their clubs, not in a jacket and black tie, but in the full rig of tailed coat and white tie. This is indeed a cause of worry to men who often liked to drop in for an hour without changing to evening dress, or

when they arrived late from the cour try or continent.

Women Music Hall-Goers.

This habit has grown with the readiness of women to go to music nalls A little while ago at one nowadays. John Retting, of the Hamburg-Ameri- of the big halls there was a party of can liner Alleghany, in yesterday from people, some of whom were so well people, some of whom were so well up in music hall programmes that they knew all the best turns beforehand. They guided the rest of the party. "Oh, you may go and have a drink now; was not the men who were so expert

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