# MURDERED IN MASAILAND.

Two Hundred Female Slaves Shot by Arab Dealers Because Food was Scarce

The "Revue Francais" has a letter from

The "Revue Francais " has a letter from Zanzibar which says that over a year ago a caravan of 300 Arabs left the east coast to go into the interior to trade. They have now returned, and one of the chiefs relates their adventures. Arriving at Kavirondo, on the northeast shores of Victoria Nyanza, the Arabs saw that the natives had a good deal of ivory, and that they had no guns. They attacked the tribe, and before the shooting had gone on long the natives were willing to do anything to make peace. After a long palaver with the chiefs the Arabs agreed to leave the country upon the payment to them of 200 tusks of ivory and 200 young women. The natives were glad to get rid of the enemy even on these hard conditions. As soon as they received the ivory and the women the Arabs started for the coast. They had a terrible time in the Masai country. There was a drought, and they almost perished of thirst. Their pro-visions became scarcer and scarcer, and the whole party was in danger of starvation. Finally the Arab chiefs decided that in order to save themselves and their ivory it would be necessary to sacrifice their female slaves, to save themselves and their ivory it would be necessary to sacrifice their female slaves, who were very weak from their deprivations and could march no further. "Go into

Capitalists are very paradoxical. At one time they are extremely distrustful and sus-picious; at another they are possessed of an excess of confidence. It is only a few years since picious ; at another they are possessed of an excess of confidence. It is only a few years since a special committee of the Imperial House of Commons made an exhaustive investigation into what had been done with the money that had been lent to the South American Governments and Companies. The facts that were then elicited were sufficient to make all persons possessed of money chary of adventuring it in enterprises in that quarter of the globe. But the information appears to have been unheeded. In recent years there has been an amount that can only be counted by many millions sent to the territory of the Argentine Republic. Large though the outgoings of English capital to that quarter have been, those sent to Mexico ansounted to only about two and a half millions, Now the investments in Mexico amounted to only about two and a half millions, Now the investments amount to over fifteen millions. Englishmen are gradually getting possession of all the rail-ways and public works in that Republic. They are buying land, not by hundreds, but by thousands of acres. English enterprise there has long since surpassed the Spanish and it is now surpassing the American. The sky-scraping politicians of the United States used to point to Mexico as the natural outsky-scraping politicians of the United States used to point to Mexico as the natural out-let for the energy of the country. But for some reason not apparent on the surface they are allowing Mexico to be exploited by Englishmen—we trust to the benefit both of the Mexicans and the English. It is immediated the Mexicans and the English. It is impos-sible not to have some doubt as to the stabil-ity of some of the schemes that are being projected in all the South American States and by the much-vanuted Pan-American congress now in session at Washington.

### Served Them Right.

For a bad man to be contronted with the results of his misdeeds is often very discon-certing and embarrassing. Thus a trio of Mormon missionaries found it in London, England, the other day. They had come to Great Britain to carry on their work of pro-selyting and persuading innocent young wo-upen to emigrate to America and more bedien selyting and persuading innocent young wo-men to emigrate to America and were holding a meeting in East London for that purpose. For a while the missionaries were listened to with attention, but presently a member of the Anti-Mormon League appeared on the scene to offer opposition to the Latter Day Saints. He reminded the crowd that not very long ago a young woman, one of their own num-ber, who had been induced to emigrate by Mormon missionaries, had returned to her ber, who had been induced to emigrate by Mormon missionaries, had returned to her mother's home shoeless and starving, with two little children, having tramped the whole distance from Liverpool. He concluded by producing the young woman in question and asking if they wanted more of their sisters to be served as she had been. This excited the crowd, who groaned and hooted. Mud and other refuse were thrown at the unlucky Mormons, who had their clothing torn, hats knocked in, and were otherwise maltreated by the outraged citizens. In view of the speaking facts they had before them one can hardly blame those people for the rough handling they gave these wolves in sheep's clothing. Their sin at any rate, even though they did violate the letter of British law, was only venal. was only venal. Now that our mysterious visitor, la grippe, has about ceased from his deadly work among us, the results of his visitation in the city may has about ceased from his deadly work among us, the results of his visitation in the city may be approximately estimated. According to the official mortuary record the deaths for last December were only about one per thousand of the population, while according to the same authority the deaths for the month of January last, amounted to 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> per thousand, the difference being attributed in large degree to the unwelcome visitor. And yet, though the increase of deaths in Toronto is so marked, the city's record is more favor-iable than that of many other places in the Dominion, notably Montreal and St. Hyacin-the, in the former of which the deaths were a 3 per thousand and in the latter, over 4. Is During 1889 the ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population did not reach 15. In January last, when la grippe and pulmonary affections were prevalent, it was only 1.74, while in Montreal it was 3. All of which pos to show that Toronto is not a bad place fit

## Abhorring Evil Faintly.

A well-known journalist writes as fol-lows: "One of the greatest evils of our times is that we abhor evil so faintly. Look at the evidences of this: Consider the comtimes is that we abhor evil so faintly. Look at the evidences of this: Consider the com-parative impunity of crime; how often it deludes detection; how often, when de-tected, it escapes judicial conviction; how rarely, when convicted, it receives due sen-tence; and how, at last, a mawkish senti-mentalism obstructs the course of justice. A policeman prostitutes his uniform to the perpetration of repeated burglaries, and is justly sentenced to a long imprisonment; the foreman of the jury, who could not but convict him, hastens to assure him that after three or four years he would be the first to sign a petition for his pardon. A most de-liberate, cowardly and brutal murder is com-mitted because a gentleman speaks a few words to defend some ladies from shameful insult in a public conveyance. The murder-er is condemned to die. And now the un-seemly spectacle is presented of every possi-ble influence being brought to bear to pre-vent the execution of the sentence ; presen-ted vainly, however, because the chief magis-trate has the sense to see and the conscience to feel himself called to be 'the minister of God, a revenger to execute wrath upon him that doeth evil.' These are actual and re-cent cases. "Go into what is termed 'the best society,'

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who were very weak from their deprivations and could march no further. That night all of these 200 young women were shot to death, and their bodies were left in the camp for beasts of prey. The victims happily had not a moment's warning of their impending fate. Each murderer selected his victim, and the horrible crime was accomplished so speedily that few of the women made any joutery. With their force thus summarily reduced the Arabs were able to pull through the desert region, obtaining little more food than barely enough to sus-tain life. The chief who related these facts in Zanzi-bar showed no compunctions whatever for the terrible crime in which he had assisted, but mentioned the massacre only to give an idea of the great loss they had sustained by the necessary sacrifice of their 200 slaves. It is a curious fact that some of the murderers were greatly troubled in mind because their necessities had compelled them to eat rats and unclean food, which is prohibited to Mohammedans on the march. The fullities are very paradoxical. At one

# Leave hope behind, All ye who enter here !

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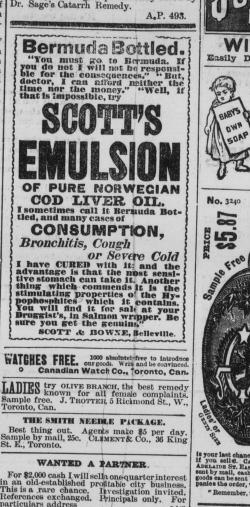
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