

labor of cleaning the paper off from the veneer.

To keep glue from smelling, take the dish holding the glue out of the dish containing the water, when done using, so as to let the glue get cold as soon as possible. Also do not keep the glue boiling all day long, but heat it only when it is needed. It is a good plan to make up only enough at a time to last two or three days, especially in the summer time, so as to have it fresh and good. A piece of sheet zinc as large as will lay in the bottom of the glue-pot, will also greatly aid in keeping the glue from smelling. Some put in a little alcohol, but it is doubtful whether it does any good; it is probably very quickly evaporates. Oil of cloves would be better.

N.B.—Keep thin-shaved veneers, such as ash and walnut burls, in rather a damp place until wanted; as they will curl and split up badly if kept in a dry room.

**THE PARAGON OF EXHIBITIONS.**

The major part of the entries having now been made for Toronto's big exhibition, which is to be held from August 31st to September 12th, it is possible to state definitely that the scale of the exhibition will really be greater than ever. Never before did the exhibits cover such a wide range as they will this year. It almost looks as if every province had striven to do its best to make the exhibition worthy of the country. At the forthcoming exhibition in Toronto there will be seen food products of Prince Edward Island; food products, manufactures, fruit and live stock, of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick; an extensive display of horses and cattle, manufactures and minerals, from Quebec; the products of forests, waters, mines, gardens, farms, studs, workshops and art studios of Ontario; the grain, minerals and horses of Manitoba; the grain and minerals of the North-West; and cereals, fish and minerals of British Columbia. The governments of Ontario, the Dominion and British Columbia will make special exhibits of the wealth of the earth, while the Canadian Pacific Railway will supplement these displays by showing cereals, vegetables and minerals from many points on their lines, to the extent of double what the company has shown in other years. In art especially will the exhibition be strong, with the three pictures painted by F. M. Bell-Smith, illustrating incidents connected with the death of Sir John Thomp-

son, at Windsor Castle, for one of which pictures Her Majesty the Queen, Princess Beatrice and members of the Royal household gave special sittings. There will be Edison's wonderful Edoloscope, an electric theatre; Ontario Trotting Horse Breeders' stake races; Lockhart's performing elephants; the magnificent historical spectacle, entitled the "Feast of Nations" and commemorating the "Taking of the Bastille," and a thousand and one other things; while in consideration of the cattle being on show the first week the railways have agreed to grant one fare for the round trip for the entire exhibition from all points in Canada, and to run a special cheap excursion the first week, on Sept. 3rd, and two the second week.

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