THIS SULTAN MAY LOSE A KINGDOM

State of Johore To Be Wiped Off the Map?

WONARCH LIVES IN ENGLAND

Has Given Up Attempt to Break Into the Best Society-Is Great

London, Aug. 10.-When the gay and restive young Sultan of Johore makes up his mind to bid a temporary adieu to the delights of London and return to the land of his fathers he may find himself without a throne or a kingdom. The foreign office is gravely conbidering the advisability of annexing the little state to the British crown, and gving his Highness Ibraham a solatium in the shape of a pension of

\$200,000 a year. The dusky monarch has never shown ng the pace are necessarily much more mited. Probably he would make a vigorous protest for form's sake, but there is little doubt that privately he swould welcome an exchange which would provide him with a magnificent

and the British-owned Island of Singpore, Johore has long been overshalowed by British influence, but British political agents are tactful, and it is feldom that the sultans of Johore have been made to feel the steel links within the silken strands that bind ffem to the Indian Empire. But it happens that the sultan derives the bulk of his revenue from the gambling and optum dens in his capital, and it is the scandal arising therefrom that now furnishes the British authorities with a plausible excuse for absorbing this Hitle kingdom and adding another blotch of red to the British Empire.

Johore is 10,000 square miles in extent, and stretches right across the Straits to the South China Sea. Its 200,000 or more common people are district, County Roscommon, conseheaded by the sultan, ape European nize the right of the parish priest, Faand regard themselves as highly civil- the Greaghnafarnagh national school. sino, where gambling goes on from manager of the school, appointed a hospital, and thence to a workhouse inthe advantage lies with the eastern popular control of the school.

years ago. He was educated by Eng- bishop of the diocese, has excommuni- tention in the infirmary invalidated his lish tutors, and as the crown prince cated several leaders of the revolt. made a European tour. Then he was feted and made much of, and formed the opinion that money could command leged intimidation. Intense excitement a much better time in Europe than in prevails. Asia. Soon after he had been proclaimed sultan he came to England to take his initial fling. He was ambitious to get into society with a cap-Ital S, and was willing to spend money lavishly for that purpose. But he soon discovered to his chagrin and amazement that as a more or less permanent society took a very different view of him from that which it did as a touring prince.

Not long ago, it is said, Princess clous stones, when she took a fancy to toxicated regularly each day, is arto purchase them for her daughter, Queen Victoria. "It would be absolutely impossible

, a present from the Sultan of Johore

"But the lady can have some like them," persisted the mother of the Queen of Spain.

"Oh, dear, no, madame," said the this is what his highness is so par-

price for them." The princess, who has a keen sense me it is better in some respects to be his fortune, which is estimated at a queen of the stage than to be a present at about \$100,000. He has no ou. I could not afford to pay fifteen hundred pounds for these stones."

Few men have had such wide experlence with blackmailers as his highness of Johore. Their games have been tried upon him year in and year out. to get into royal society and the best one who threatened to assail his repu-

it is done in a sumptuous fashion. His of the Royal Northwest Mounted Posuppers at the Savoy are renowned. His lice. orders to the management are: "Go one better than you do for anyone else,

Hang the expense!" The sultan no longer aspires to enter English society and makes no secret Two Attempts to Wreck Trains on the of his contempt for it. Recently he confided his opinion of it to a friend. "The buik of it," he said, "is composed of toadles and parasites, and the most despicable of all creatures—hypocrites. Its code of morals is a sham. I would rather talk to a music hall artist than



genuine, and at the worst is never a

The Sultan of Johore's notions of morality are decidedly Oriental. Physi- the cause of the wreck would have been cally he is a fine specimen of a man, a mystery. a keen sportsman and a mighty hunter of big game. His stables at Johore contain some superb horses. He is a left Springfield at 6:30 p.m. A heavy member of the automobile club here, iron bar which had been placed square. An Amazon of Twenty-Fivo and may often be seen careering about ly across the tracks was discovered the west end in a motor car of 129- about five minutes before the train arhorsepower-the only one of its type in rived. the country. He goes in for the best of everything. His artificial teeth-the triumph of the Boulevard des Italiensare set with diamonds, which flash and sparkle whenever the royal lips unclose with speech or laughter.

SHOT BY COSSACK ON GERMAN SOIL

Murderer Drags Body Across the Frontier Into Territory of the Czar.

Berlin, Aug. 23.-A Russian smuggler was shot and killed on Prussian the prison in Melilla, Spanish North soil recently, near Laurahuette, by a Africa, have been much concerned lateany great fondness for his domain, and Cossack frontier patrolman, who any great rollings of the modern cossack frontier patrollinan, who is much more partial to the modern crossed the frontier and dragged the ly over the escapes of dangerous con-Babylon than to his own diminutive body on to Russian soil, after attempt- victs from the prison. A dangerous and a meeting of citizens was held to capital, where the opportunities for going to remove bloodstains which showed convict named Casanova, who escaped protest. The meeting was attended by that he had killed the man on German a few days ago, was found by a serterritory.

When the Cossack saw that persons ly placed outside the prison. working in the fields were watching him he disappeared. Another version says that the dead man was a booktried to flee they shot him down.

PRIEST BOYCOTTED HIS GRAVE DUG

Him and Many of Their Leaders Excommunicated.

Dublin, Aug. 25 .- An extraordinary Some time ago Father Meehan, as

morning till night, is avowedly copied stranger named Fleming, against the firmary, where he was pronounced dead. from the well-known building on the wishes of the people, who wanted the Monaco rock by the blue Mediterran- son of the former teacher. Gaffney, to

paradise. The sea is bluer, the sun As the priest refused, scenes of vioto more graceful heights, and the royal side the residences of Father Meehan rights of the Johore sultan are certain- and the teacher. The latter has a police rules provide that no one who has ly wider than those of the Prince of escort to and from school, where the been in a workhouse is entitled to a the cold zone in the center of the lake attendance has fallen off perceptibly The Sultan of Johore is 32 years old. owing to the people's determined stand. He succeeded to the throne eleven The Rev. Dr. Hoare, Roman Catholic tees asserted that his involuntary de-

Today over twenty residents are summoned to the petty sessions for al-

BUYS DRINKING PERMIT

Twenty-Five Per.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 22. - Having icating liquors, Tagish Charlie, of the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel, has quit recent massacres at Bielostok, Kish-White Horse, the Indian who discover- his job because his bride of six months ed gold in the Klondike, and reported has inherited a fortune of more than a known jeweler's, looking at some presome turquoises and expressed a desire rested, fined \$25 and released for the Yukon say that Charlie is spending for me to give you these, your high- his fortune so rapidly for liquor and Miss Brown, formerly lived in Wheelness," said the jeweler. "They are for in payment of fines that at the pres-

than ten years. Charlie is probably the only Indian in the Dominion who is permitted to ally she was married to Elisen. buy intoxicants, the sale of liquors to trouble I have had to procure these; Indians being forbidden by law. in fact, it would be impossible to get Charlie felt, however, that in considanother set to match so perfectly, and eration of his services in discovering his physician, to whom he gave in trust he communicate by means of the finthe gold fields, he should receive spe- for Miss Brown his will and a bank- ger alphabet. It was impossible to acunless they were quite perfect she cial privileges, and his offer of \$5,000 book. The testament left to his forwould not take them. Besides, I doubt for the permission to buy liquors was in the Pocahontas region in West Virdeadlock by "dismissing him with a

His discovery of the Klondike made paid \$70,000, the proceeds of a speculaqueen of the realm. I quite agree with extravagant habits except of squanderfines. But no day passes which does and his wife can dig along on the total about 250 feet long and provided with not see him hopelessly intoxicated, in

the hands of the police. At first when he burned with ambition a similar drinking privilege, and offersmart set he was ready to buy any offer was refused. This refusal benefits Charlie, for Jim looks after him when he is drinking, and then when Like all Orientals, he has an innate the time for police interference is love of splendor. When he entertains ripe he leaves his friend to the care

FOR REVENGE

N. Y., N. H. and Hartford.

Springfield, Mass., Aug. 23. - Two feet high and the driver's seat may be attempts within twenty-four hours to 20 feet from the ground. Such wagons wreck New York, New Haven and are built as much as 50 feet in length Hartford Railroad passenger trains and twelve to fifteen feet in width. As have been followed by the arrest of many as 60 horses have been used on Charles Kanarin and Mertick Titupian, one of these huge wagons, on the dusty Armenians, who claim to have come plains of the La Pleta Valley.

reached the station, the men, it is charged, placed two large spikes upon hungry enough.

a countess. She is generally far more the rails. Railroad men state that the WOMAN LEADER railed the train, would probably have been overlooked in the debris, so that

> An attempt was made last evening to derail the New York express, which

The places selected for the attempted derailments are about two miles apart. The police believe both attempts were made by the same parties, and that revenge on the railroad was the mo-

CONVICTS ESCAPE IN PRISON SACKS

Reveals Secret of Disappearance of Many Dangerous Characters from Custody.

Madrid, Aug. 23.-The authorities of geant in a large sack which was usual-

When the guards were not looking at through the crowd of workmen toward the prisoners engaged in manual work the platform. The attention of the en wedged in between the British-pro-house. He was pestered by Cossack outside, a man hastily got into the tire audience was drawn to this surprisfavorable opportunity to escape.

THREE DAYS "DEAD" IN MORGUE VAULT

Fate of Being Buried Alive.

London, Aug. 23.-A man who was said to be 83 years old told an extrarather barbarous, and adhere strictly of the locality, who refuse to recogways, and particularly European vices, ther Meehan, to appoint a teacher to stated that he had been found unconsclous in the street, conveyed to a

ean. And, honestly, when one comes be installed, said they should have a vault, he said, before he revived. His Story, staying at Neuchatel, attempted ean. And, honestly, when one comes be instance, said they should have to lower the record held by Mile. B. to compare Monte Carlo with Johore, voice in the matter, and insisted on purpose in narrating the circumstances Robert, a Swiss girl of 19, who recently to the magistrate was to learn how to swam across Lake Neuchatel in 2 hours get the benefit of a pension from a so- and 50 minutes. blazes brighter, the tufted palms rise lence ensued, and graves were dug out-

> The magistarte told him how to proceed, and he went away without leav- Walker intends to try again toward the end of August. ing his name and address.

LEFT BY THE OLD LOVE

Indian Gold Miner Intoxicated Daily at Wife of a Poor Man Given a Fortune of \$276.000.

Philadelphia, Aug. 23. - Frederick room in which he has worked for two years, Elisen appeared before the chief next day's spree. Advices from the engineer to explain why he had decided to take life easier.

Elisen said that his wife, who was a ing. She was engaged to be married to ent rate he will be penniless in less John Williams, a civil engineer of that city. The engagement was broken two years ago through a quarrel, and Miss Brown came to Philadelphia. Eventu-

Williams came here to seek her, and effect a reconciliation. While searchif your highness would care to pay the accepted in recognition of his claims. | ginia, valued at \$200,000; four houses in As Indians go, Charlie is very rich. this city, for which Williams recently tion in coal lands, and his cash in the bank. A reference to the bank-book warehouses erected alongside the new showed the cash balance to be only dock at Manchester exhibits the sin-\$6,000, but Elisen says that he thinks he gular detail of a railway tunnel,

> longer," said Elisent to the chief en- oblique direction, so as to permit goods mer partner in the Klondike, sought gineer, "but, of course, I won't leave trains to be run direct from the quay you in the lurch, and will stay until to the goods yard at the other side ed the Government \$10,000, but the you get someone." The astonished of the buildings. think of having such a wealthy head stoker, and Elisen did not go back to the hot boller-room.

WORMS CAUSE feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

On the Argentine pampas, where men are scarce and horses are cheap, and the roads are hardly roads at all, enormous wagons are used. Some have hind wheels twelve or even fourteen

from New York.

A few minutes before the New Haven local, due at Long Meadow at \$57 a.m., of the banane trade. Any old job looks good if you are

SENT TO PRISON

Started Rebel Riot.

WORKED ON MOB'S FEELINGS

Elizabeth Rolph, German Political Agitator Has Remarkable Record - Once a Servant

Berlin, Aug. 23.—Elizabeth Rolph, a young woman 25 years of age, who has just been sentenced at Hamburg to three years' imprisonment for revolutionary activity, is a political amazon

with a remarkable record. She was a maid-of-all-work with a wage of \$5 per month, and her days were devoted to scrubbing floors, cleaning windows and doing the work of the household generally.

At the beginning of the year a proposal was made to alter the suffrage laws of Hamburg in such a way that thousands of electors belonging to the

A considerable difference of opinion as to the policy to be pursued had just Casanova explained that a number been made clear when a female figure of convicts had escaped in this way. was seen advancing from the entrance ing invasion, and dead silence prevailed During the meeting Rolph mounted the platform and produced such an ef-

fect on those present that a committee was appointed to organize open rebellion and she was elected president. The outbreak took place on Jan. 17, and proved to be a most formidable revolt. Elizabeth Rolph was the soul of the whole movement. She led the mob in an attack on the wealthy quarter of the town, where dozens of shops were Parishioners in Revolt Against Man of 83 Narrowly Escapes entered, and plundered, booty to the value of many hundreds of pounds sterling being seized and carried off by

> Severe street fighting too place before the combined forces of troops and police were able to subdue the revolutionary mob. Elizabeth Rolph was wounded and captured.

SWIMS SWISS LAKE

the rioters.

He Fails, However, to Lower the Recodr of a Woman.

Geneva, Aug. 23.-Two young Eng-He lay three days in the mortuary lish students, Messrs. H. Walker and

After covering about three miles, Mr. tack of cramp, but Mr. Walker passed benefit, and the old man said the trus- with safety, and swam the distance of five and a half miles in 2 hours and 6

minutes. Mile. Robert made her record toward the end of the summer, when the water of the lake is much wkarmer, and Mr.

ORPHAN JEWS REFUGES

Children Whose Parents Were Slain in Russia to Sail for America.

Vienna, Aug. 23.-Over 100 Jewish orineff, and other Russian towns, left Lemberg today, some bound for the United States and others for England

via Hamburg. The ages of the orphans vary from two to fifteen years. Some of them are still suffering from the shock of seeing their parents butchered.

Many of the children are brothers and murdered Bielostok school teacher, who have besought the authorities not to separate them, but to send them at least to the same town.

A PUZZLED MAGISTRATE. was brought up at the Truro City Po-

ing for her he fell ill and died. On his lice Court on a charge of intoxication deathbed he confided his love story to could neither read nor write, nor could quaint him with the nature of the charge and the magistrate avoided a

TUNNEL THROUGH A BUILDING. Manchester, Aug. 23. - One of the two lines of rails, passing through the "I don't think I will work any ground floor of the structure in an

> CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

The Kind You Have Always Bought

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

THE WEATHER TODAY.

THE SATISFACTORY STORE

Batting for Comforters

Tie-Down Quilts and for Cushion Fillings.

Our fall supply now on hand. Never had nicer, cleaner batting. Some bleached, some almost bleached. Batts come in rolls that open up 3 feet wide by 7 feet long so as to be easy to handle. Prices, per batt, 6c, 81/2c, 10c, 121/2c, 15c, 20c,

25c and 35c

25c QUALITY is almost bleached. Put up in two pieces of 3 feet wide by 7 feet long. Weighs 16 ozs, and is a large, fluffy batt......25c

35c QUALITY is thoroughly bleached and opens up 3 feet wide by 7 feet long. Comes in separate cartons and is especially adapted for the most particular use.....35c

Wash Goods-East Store.

August Bedding Sale: 2 Big Buying Chances In White Quilts

Here are two big buying chances in white quilts that no careful housewife should think of missing.

Quantities are limited. No more will be sold at such low prices after present limited lots are exhausted. Hurry!

LOT 1. Canadian White Quilts. Reversible. Good size, 72x84. Regular \$1.25 value. August Bedding Sale price\$1.00

LOT 2. Special White Quilts. Close crochet weave. Nice white cotton. Large size, 76x84. Notwithstand. ing that cotton has gone up, we are going to sell them considerably below last year's price. August Bedding

30 ONLY American Quilts. Crochet weave. Nice white finish. Very large size, 78 x 88. While they last\$1.35

MARSEILLES Quilts. Several good designs. Extra large size and better finish than we are usually able to offer you at this price. Your choice at.....\$2.00 HOUSEFURNISHINGS DEPT.-2ND FLOOR.

Cashmerettes

Handsome Covert Cloths and Tweeds for Fashionable **Tourist Coats**

These handsome, smooth-finished Covert Cloths will make stylish Tourist Coats. Wear excellently, too. English make, Oxford, mid and light gray, light and dark green. 58 inches wide. Splendid value at \$1.25

Desire an unusually attractive Tourist Coat? See these tweeds. Smart mixtures of brown, gray and green. Just the right weight. Rain won't spoil them. Built for hard wear, and they won't disappoint. 56 inches wide. Priced to please you, at......\$1.00

COLORED DRESS GOODS-MAIN FLOOR.

For Wrappers,

Sacques, and waists for children. Also make nice dresses for the young folks, too.

New lot to show you. Navy blue and black grounds livened up with pin-dots, sprigs and fancy stripes. 28 in, wide. 15c

Gray Flannels

Ready for fall selling. 12½c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c Navy blue, both plain and twilled.....30c and 35c Wash Goods-East Store.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM,

149, 151, 153 and 155 Dundas Street

Eight-Year-Old Girl Handed Over to Gypsy for Price

of Few Drinks.

London, Aug. 23.-An extraordinary account of the sale of a child to gypsies for 60 cents was told at the Neath Police Court yesterday, when Albert Woold, a boy of 11, and his 8-year-old; sister, Martha Ellen, were charged with stealing three hens from a peasantry

and three ducks. The culprits confessed their crime, and the boy declared that he cut the heads off the birds and would have roasted them if he had possessed

matches to light a fire. It was stated that after the theft the father gave the girl to some gypsies from whom she was taken by the police. The boy was ordered to a reformatory sisters, including the six children of a for five years, and the girl was sent to the cottage homes.

This decision necessitated a consideration of her case by the guardians later in the day. The clerk said that the father, George Albert Woold, of Skewen, received 60 cents for the girl, and handed the following letter to Mrs. London, Aug. 28.-A deaf mute who Rose Lovell, to whom he sold the child. "I do give my child to Mrs. Rose Loyell in her care and to be answerable for her care for good, and I don't want to take her back again after she has been clothed and dressed, and I do sign my name and never to take her back again, and she is to rite to me once a DEATH OF "DRAKE," THE FAMmonth to let me no how she is getting on, and I have signed my hand this day, July 20, 1906, never to have her

back again.

impress the chief executive with the temperance question. Mrs. Nation's wheelbarrow trundler must lecture and get subscribers for the Hatchet on his way.

"There is nothing to prove, in fact, that them, it is said, as an ox. . . In spite of this, his death represents a heavy loss to the garden. Giant tortoises have begines the other day had really attained to the garden. Giant tortoises have begines the subscribers for the Hatchet on his say certainly on this delicate subject is completely extinct, and under the pro-

friend of Ingersoli. The statue will be of heroic size and will depict Mr. Ingersoll standing and addressing an addressing and addressing and addressing and addressing and addressing and addressing and addressing an audience in a characteristic way.

Lady Laurier has the distinction of lags to furnish data for the benefit of haps to furnish data for the benefit of haps to furnish data for the benefit of haps to furnish data for the benefit of the second of the

Woods' Fair

LADIES' SILK WAISTS, \$3.00 Duchess Silk Waists, in black and white, with front made of hemstitched tucks and silk insertion, hemstitched tucked back, new sleeve, with long cuffs, and collar to match, special sale orice . \$3 00

LADIES' WRAPPERS, \$1.25

Ladies' Print Wrappers, in cardinal, full gored skirt, with deep flounce on bottom, fitted waist lining, tucked yoke, and rolling collar, reveres and cuffs trimmed with fancy finishing braid,

LADIES' GOWNS, 75c Ladies' Fine Lonsdale Cambric Gowns, in three different styles square or V3 neck, yokes made of tucks and embroidery insertion and embroidery around neck and sleeves, special sale BLACK UNDERSKIRTS, 85c

Ladies' Fine Mercerized Black Sateen Underskirts, full gored with deep flounce, trimmed with 3 frills, sizes 38, 40, 41 and 42, and sold regularly at \$1, special sale price85c

MEN'S NIGHTSHIRTS, 50c Men's White Cotton Nightshirts, with rolling collar and pocket, nicely finished, assorted sizes, sale price, each

Special Line of Ladies Underskirts.



THIS TORTOISE LIVED FOUR HUNDRED YEARS

The tortoise was not brought to England till 85 years ago. After several changes of ownership, he finally found comfortable quarters for his old age in an inclosure of the garden at Regent's

OUS EXHIBIT AT LONDON ZOO GARDENS.

the Hatchet, Mrs. Carrie Nation's paper, is looking for a "consecrated prohibitionist" to push a wheelbarrow from Guthrie to Washington bearing a message from Mrs. Nation to the President Mr President. Mrs. Nation has adopted obituary with portrait to La Nature, notes this method as the one more likely, to impress the chief executive with the age. He says:
"There is nothing to prove, in fact, that them, it is said, as an ox.
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get subscribers for the Hatchet on his way.

A bronze statue will be erected to the memory of Robert O. Ingersoll the agnostic, by the Ingersoll Monument Association of Peoria, Ill. in August, 1907, the anniversary of his death. The commission for the execution of the statute, which will cost \$10,000, has been awarded to Frederick E. Triebel, a New York sculptor, an intimate friend of Ingersoll. The statue will be of heroic size and will depict Mr. In-

"The tortoise was not brought to Eng-

"If we are to credit these facts, then, calculating that at the epoch of his first capture, Drake was 50 years old—the infancy of these reptiles—we see that the defunct may have lived over three cen-

"His death was a surprise to the staff of the Zoological Garden. They were accustomed to see him for long periods ab-Harry G. Turner, assistant editor of the Hatchet, Mrs. Carrie Nation's

of all the varieties of tortoise

Bears the Bigastare Cartifle Council of being the only woman who has delivered a speech in the Canadian House of Parliament. She was discovered at a reception at the foot of the throne and at once a demand was made for the United States and Canada. In June its loss was \$424,000 as compared with a total of \$13,950,650.

Lady Laurier has the distinction of future naturalists, may have cut on the prisoner's back the date of his capture, and then set him at liberty. Perhaps he seven added his name, which has been obliterated by the growth of the shell.

"From this vague date undoubtedly comes the name of the tortoise, 'Drake,' from the famous chief of the buccaneers, sick all over. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills and relief will follow their use. FOR THE OVERWORKED .- What an