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In the interests of the company that I represent, and for the information of our patrons, I wish to make this statement as to the current expenses of our company as we have been informed that the public have been led astray in matters of this kind, so often, that they are afraid to buy stock in our company. As I am aware that some companies, in the past, have been promoted and boosted for individual and selfish aims I cannot blame the public if they hold the same opinion of this company; but I will say that our subscribers will see results for the money we are spending—either there will be plenty of coal or no coal at all. From the evidence at hand the writer's conviction is that we will find large quantities of coal. I wish to say by way of proposition that the money subscribed is not being spent in paying large salaries, such as has been the custom with some companies in the past, but is being saved and economized for developing the property. The Executive Head has been working for the interests of the company's members, the past eight months, without drawing a cent of salary; nor is there any salary voted or entered into its minutes for him to this date. The Secretary-Treasurer is paid a nominal salary as are also the Salesmanager and Stenographer. All other employees are gentlemen all with the cleanest of records, and are working solely on commission basis, and I would invite the public to have an interview with them, whenever possible, and challenge them on any statement they may make. We have and are meeting with very encouraging success, in raising money and all our patrons can fully rely on a careful expenditure and a thorough diagnosis of our Western Coal Areas. The writer has interviewed the Minister of Mines for his consideration and a favourable reply is anticipated.

S. H. BUTT,
President.**The "Grace and Ruby"
Seizure Sustained.**

BOSTON, Sept. 20.—In a decision yesterday sustaining the seizure of the British schooner Grace and Ruby six miles off shore, Federal Judge J. M. Morton ruled that rum-running ships were not immune from seizure by the mere fact that they are beyond the three mile limit.

The high seas are the authority of no nation," the decision said. "They are free to the vessels of all countries. But this does not mean that a nation is powerless against vessels offending against its laws which remain just outside the three mile limit. The fact that the Grace and Ruby was beyond the three mile limit does not make the seizure unlawful and establish a lack of jurisdiction."

The case came up to-day on a libel of forfeiture filed against the vessel by the government. It was established at the time of the seizure that the Grace and Ruby, while anchored beyond the three mile limit outside Gloucester, unloaded about 8,000 bottles of liquor into the motor boat Wilkin 2nd, which was captured by government officers whilst trying to land its cargo at Salem. The court ruled, that the schooner, never herself within the three mile limit took part in a violation of the law which extended into the three mile limit. It was pointed out also that the Grace & Ruby was within the four league limit set by revenue status. When the question is not entirely free from doubt, Judge Morton's decision said, "It seems to me this action on her part constituted an unlawful landing by the Grace & Ruby within the territorial limits of the United States." Appeal from Judge Morton's decision will be taken to the United States Supreme Court counsel for the owners of the said vessel.

**German Potatoes
Cheap in England.**

LONDON.—Potato dumping is the latest accusation made against Germany by tax reformers who for some time have been clamoring for the imposition of higher duties against imports from Germany. Not long ago British farmers were getting from £10 to £18 a ton for their potatoes. Now they find them a drug in the market as low as £2. "The explanation of this fall," says one authority, "is wholesale dumping by German and Dutch growers. The German government, before and during the war, stimulated the growth of potatoes in order to provide a reserve of food and also for the distillation of alcohol. This surplus has been thrown on the British market, the only one which will admit it without heavy duties, and it has been sold for what it will fetch. As a result the unfortunate British farmer, is being reduced to something very near despair, and in some cases is refusing to market his crop."

DIED SUDDENLY.—Charles Pur-
chard, an employee of Lester's, was
stricken suddenly ill yesterday and
died before medical aid could be ob-
tained. Dr. Anderson who responded
to a telephone call, declared death to
be due to heart failure.**Pelissier the Fun-Maker.**

Harry Gabriel Pelissier, who was born at Finchley in 1874, was the son of a French diamond merchant who was a naturalized Englishman, and claimed descent from the famous Marshal Pelissier. He forsook his father's business for music and the stage, making his first appearance at the Marleybone Music Hall. Thence he graduated via "Penny readings" to the pierrot platform. He formed and became proprietor of a little troupe of performers known as "The Follies" and he made them famous. The little company of five pierrots tried their first burlesque at Aberystwyth, when "the performers enjoyed themselves immensely and the audience played the part of a refrigerator." Not discouraged, however, they persevered, with the result that the art of burlesque was brought again into full flower by a great success. In 1911, Mr. Morton secured them for the Palace Theatre, and later, various West End Theatres were taken, and the versatile Pelissier designed the costumes, wrote the songs, invented the humor, forged the jokes for the printed programmes, potted other people's plays and otherwise dominated the whole show. In the Autumn of 1912, he gave two "Episodes" concerts at the Queen's Hall, and conducted the orchestra. His last appearance on the stage was on May 31st, at the Theatre Royal Plymouth, and he was last seen in London in March. He became critically ill for some months and a short time before his death was removed to the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Edward Compton, Severn Square, Earls Court, where he died on Thursday, September 25th, 1913.

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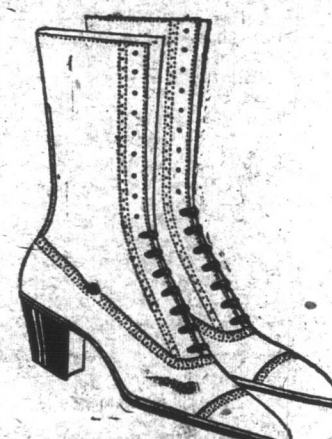
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THE SHOE MEN.

Freemasonry in India.

Bombay.—Freemasonry in India is in a highly prosperous condition, according to the Indian Masonic Year Book which has just been issued. All three constituents of the United Kingdom are represented, England by five district grand lodges, Scotland by a separate grand lodge, and Ireland by a number of detached lodges not under a separate jurisdiction. At Bombay 57 units meet in the Freemasons' Hall—32 being English. There are 23 English lodges in Calcutta, in addition to eight Royal Arch chapters in India divided among five subordinate jurisdictions, while English Mark Masonry is represented by 76 lodges.

To Make Tea.

Tea can be easily spoiled in the making unless attention is paid to a few simple rules. See that the teapot is quite free from old leaves. It must be hot, so fill it with boiling water, and pour out before you put in the tea for infusion. For the tea never use water that has boiled a long time, but fill the kettle with fresh water, and the moment it boils, pour it on the tea. Above all, the water must be boiling to make tea properly.

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Twin Secrets.**

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**Girl Mail Sorter
Called Speediest.****30,316 LETTERS IN 8 HOURS.**

In Miss Lulu M. Cargill, clerk in the Varick Street branch of the New York Post Office, the postal authorities believe they have the champion letter sorter of the world. For speed and dexterity they assert that Miss Cargill holds the palm over any other postal employee either in this country or abroad. In a space of eight hours she sorted 30,316 pieces of mail, more than a letter a second. Although there are semiannual speed and efficiency tests in the post office stations in New York, as there are elsewhere in the country, it is probable that Miss Cargill's achievement would have gone unnoticed so far as the general public is concerned had it not been for the records put forth by the Detroit Post Office and of certain post offices in England. New York, to stay on the map, just naturally had to answer these assertions.

It all started by a dispatch from Detroit, stating that Miss Nina E. Holmes a 20-year-old clerk in that office, was the fastest mail sorter in the world. Her achievement, 20,610 letters in eight hours, or nearly 48 letters a minute, was cabled to London and printed in The Daily Chronicle over there as a record. Immediately, an investigation was

started to see whether Great Britain had any one who could compete with Miss Holmes. The General Post Office officials in London refused to make public any records, but it was asserted unofficially that there were clerks there who could sort mail much quicker than 48 letters a minute. It was said there was a clerk in a provincial British Post Office "who had sorted 55 packets a minute," or 28,400 in eight hours. There had been "super sorters" it was said who had done a letter a second. According to the story told by the figures Miss Cargill established her record in two tests—it doesn't indicate whether she stopped for tea—one for six and a half hours and the other for an hour and a half. In the first test she sorted 22,500 letters, averaging 90 and a quarter a minute in the second test she sorted 6,715, averaging 74 3-5 a minute. Her average over the eight hours was 63 letters a minute.

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