In many of these productions they have invented entirely new methods. Carefully guarded manufacturing secrets for difficult preparations, from which some European manufacturers drew great fortunes, are not secrets to them any longer. Such as the manufactures of Quinine, Morphine, Camphor, Vermillion, etc., in which articles they have outdone Europe.

Last year's statistics show a production of 2,100,000 tons of raw iron in the United States, and we can judge their consumption of this article by their industrial development and the great many appliances of modern comfort which their households contain.

This industrial progress comprises specially the cotton-weaving, printing and dyeing establishments, the textile industry generally, and the carpet and oil cloth manufacture, all sorts of machinery establishments, plated wares, and of these specially the cobalt and nickel plated wares which are entirely their own in this state of perfection, hardware, glassware and pottery, and even the silk and velvet manufactures, and a host of others too numerous to mention.

At last the consumption of sugar given at 44 lbs. per head per annum according to the latest statistics is an amount which is not approached by any other nation, and needs no further commentary.

If we admit Muspratt's basis, the above examination must contain the proof of our previous assertion. But we are fortunate to have this year the op-