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The Spring Medicine.

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Sucker fishing at Beale's creat last.

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stay of \$10.00. There on a mainter and the acceleration of the country of the cou 1 50 are so called from their practice of

The temperance cruse never was in a more hopeful condition in Ontario than it is at the present moment. The different sections of temperance men are in co-operating humor. The government is pledged to prohibition. The people have asked prohibition by an immense majority. Thousands who marked their ballots for prohibition did so for the noblest of reasons, the welfare of their weaker brethren. Thousands who marked their ballots for prohibition did so for the noblest of reasons, the welfare of their fellowmen, what they do not personally need. A vast majority of the people, in fact nearly all not especially in his home paper, does not think enough of "home institution" himself, and is not entitled to home "patronage."

Entrance Examinations.

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Entrance Examinations for admission to High schools will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 28th, years. Just threaten to turn men out of the church of God if they do not take the pledge, or raise a big fuss about the strength of communion whe, and all the advantage gained during the last few months may be worse than lost. Men who voted for prohibition on public grounds, some of, them against their feelings, if not against their cellings, if not against their conscience, will rise in thousands against any attempt to turn them out of the church of five against Margaret L Shepherd for Seyon mans, widows the late John R, Youmans, widows REFRIENDS TO THE

Men who voted for prohibition on public grounds, some of, them against their conscience.

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Do Your Trading at Home. There appears to be a growing custom in sections of the country—this one is not excepted—for people to send to the cities to do their trading.

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It the few type is the editor. The plaintiff is also the supreme president of the recently formed society known as the Loyal Protestant Women of Canada. one is not excepted—for people for the control of t although every dollar taken out of a place is just so much loss and injury to it. As for business men they should be the last to set an example in this respect. Farmers too should be loyal in supporting their nearest town from which they derive many advantages.

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Found—a lady's neck scarf—now at INTO THE FROZEN SOUTH

Canada gensing is quoted in New York at \$2.35 to \$2.80 per lb.

week occupied the attention of a score of men and boys, some of whom came from New Dublin. The catch was not

as large as usual. Salmon fishing has not been up the mark so far this season at Charleston. The best catch reported last week was that of Mr. Chrysler, of Brockville, who took nine during the forenoon of Tuesday.

Mr. Charles B. Maclean, of Brock ville, an undergraduate of Toronto university, died last week, after a brief illness. He was a graduate of the people from that part of Canada in

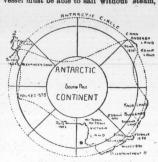
Hardware, Tinware, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Calcimines, Glass, Silverware, Fishing Tackle, &c., in town, many a day.

His chousance against any attempt to turn them out of the church they love and have helped forward for salary and for money loaned. Mrs. for salary and for money loaned. Mrs.
Youmans was formerly the manager of
the "British Canadian", of which the
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edition.

Most of the discoveries I have cited, and

The third and most successful of these expeditions was the English. It was undertaken mainly with a view to magnetic observations, and the determination of the



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He iddn't Press Her.

"Yes," said Gibley, "it came pretty near being a wedding between Miss Bly and me; but she said there was one thing I lacked. I asked her what that one thing was, and she said, Don't ask me; you'll call me mercenary. So I didn't press her."

Venice the Bride of the Sea.

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From the ancient annual ceremony of throwing a ring into the sea by the doge. In the year 1177 it is, said that the pope of Rome presented to the doge of Venice a ring, saying: "Take this as a pledge of authority over the sea, and marry her ery year, you and your successors for-er, in order that all may know she is every year, you and your successors forever, in order that all may know she is
under your jurisdiction and that I
have placed her in your dominion, as
a wife under the dominion of
her husband." Hence arose the
strange custom of "wedding the
Adriatic." When the yearly wed
ding day came around. Venice kept
the anniversary in the most festive
robes. All her officers and wealthy
citizens might be seen sitting in their
gondolas, each boat and its occupant
striving to outfo all others in wealth of
adornment. The gondolas formed in
procession, the doge leading, and
at a certain part of the procession a well-known and oft-repeated formula was recited, claiming for
Venice authority over the sea; the emblematic ring was then dropped into
the depths and the marriage was considered complete. The Venice of the
doges is a thing of the past, and the
custom has long been obsolete.

The Lucky Thirteen.

The present Duchess of Sutherland,

MAKING ARMOR-PLATE.

JOHN M'LUCKIE without the knowledge of the Government inspectors. All they ask is that Secretary Herbert shall receive their information.

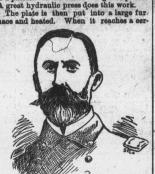


treason would be respectable in comparison with the fraud and crime indicated by them. McLuckie, one of six men who make affidavit to the correctness of the charges, is an 'ex-Burgess of the town of Homestead, for a long time a workman in the Carnegie millis, and whose share in the strike gave him national prominence. The others are workmen who have been working in the department where the alleged frauds were executed. They are all workmen of the highest grade.

Another besides the workmen and the company is likely to play a prominent part in the investigations. This is Capt. W. T. Sampson. Chief of the Ordnance Department, who in his endeavor to discredit the armor-plate story gave a denial to another charge, heretofore unpublished, that the manufacturer of the shells used in the testing of the armor-plate stat Indian Head, had, for financial reasons, entered into an arrangement with the Carnegie Company by which he was to furnish for tests of that company's plates shells of a softer and poorer quality than the contract cailed for. This unconscious revelation by Capt. Sampson opens up an entirely new field of fraud, the extent of which is practically limitless. Capt. Sampson asserts that it could!

And doubtless Capt. Sampson would





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tain color it is taken out and immersed in a large oil tank, where it remains for from one to ten hours. When it has cooled to the temperature of about 125 degrees it is put back in the furnace and reheated for annealing. Then it goes into the annealing pit and is covered with a thick layer of coke dust. The process of annealing takes the hardness out of the steel and the coke dust allows it to cool gradually and insures an even-temper to all parts of the plate.

After leaving the annealing pit the plate goes to the machine shop, and here the Government inspector sees it. When he is notified that the plate is ready for drilling out a test pleec he marks a point in either one of the ends of the test plate and two small pieces are taken out, one from the bottom and one from the top. These are only one or two inches in diameter and six or seven inches long. The inspector is supposed to witness the breaking off of these cylinders from the mas; of the plate. The cylinders are turned down to a diameter of one-half inch and sent to the laboratory, where they are put in a large machine to be pulled. The machine grips a test piece at each end, and then by sheer strength pulls the ends apart until the steel breaks. The amount of pull required

plate known to be defective. McLuckie says that this was done in scores of cases, and his affidavits show each particular case, with the day of the month and the time of day or night, and the number, size and description of the plate. This was one way of fooling the inspectors. Another plan was to put "cobbles" in blow holes, so as to make them appear only a few inches deep when in reality they were much deeper.

One of the plates intended for the Monterey weighs twenty-eight tons. It is known as a belt-line plate—that is, it goes on the ship above the water line and is but slightly curved. It is thirteen inches thick. Its number is X8.

"There was a large blow hole in this

world with intense interest. Meanwhil great many officials at the Homest works have been peremptorily "fired." Trying to Escape.

"There!" said the young wife proudly, as she deposited the hot plate carefully on the table. "That's the first mince pie that I ever made without any help, all alone myself."

"So it is!" exclaimed her husband enthusiastically, looking it over, critically meanwhile. "And as long as it is the very first, my dear, don't you think that, instead of cutting it, it would be nice Trying to Escape.

instead of cutting it, it would be nic to keep it for a souvenir? How would it do to have it framed?"—Somervill



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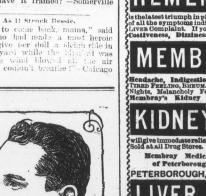
J. S. Allen, Goderich, Ont.

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plate." says McLuckie, who also mentions others in other ships.

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