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LAW REFORM,

Did you ever remark how an agitation arises? asks the Canadian Courier in a current issue. First, some man speaks to his neighbor and says: "I have been thinking that there is something wrong with ---.

Neighbor answers: "Do you know, old chap, I am beginning to think that myself." The two speak to two others and the endless chain of conversation lengthens. Suddenly there is a puff of smoke and the heather is afire.

In the Province of Ontario to-day there are underground murmurings about the administration of justice. It was wakened into new life the other day, when a bank president who signed false returns was let off without even a reprimand. Business men are going about muttering under their breath. If one bank president can plead ignorance, they can all plead ignorance and what security have we? Is it the Banking Act

Board of Trade. Another obj ct lesson for Chatham, How many more of these lessons are needed?

The announcement that one thousand more. Doukabhorrences are coming to Canada should lead the authorities to get busy on behalf of stapping them in time. — Brantf Courier.

death. Following a conference on "What should be our next temperance move?" Mrs. Graham moved a resolution approving the action of the leader of the opposition in introducing a bill to repeal the three-fifths clause in the License Act.

The motion carried.

Mrs. Crow and her daughter served refreshments and a most enjoy-

Why does the Post Office Department of the Dominion Government discriminate against Prince Albert in favor of Ontario cities. At Chatham, Ont., the ordinary letter boxes rent for \$2 a year and a key worth about five cents is given for twenty-five cents. This money is held as security for the return of the key. In Prince Albert for the same box the Post Office Department charges \$4\$ a year and 50 cents for the key. Aren't the ment of the Dominion Government and 50 cents for the key. Aren't the people of Prince Albert deserving of just the same treatment that the citizens of Chatham, Ont., receive. Herbert Clements, M. P., represents Chatham in the Dominion Parliament. George McCraney, M. P., represents all classes of the community being represented. George McCraney, M. P., represents all represented.

Prince Albert. Mr. Clements is a Library and the Covernor-General was represented by Col. Hanbury all was represented by Col. Hanbury and a large rep-

All of which goes to show that a persistent hustler in Opposition can weak or lazy man even though he be with the Government. Sometimes a Government finds it less dangerous to refuse the requests of one of its own members who will stand for its policy through thick and thin anydo more for his constituency than a policy through thick and thin any way, rather than refuse the request of a man whose constituency is de serving, and who is going to denounce that Government if the proper spirit of fair play is not shown.

EXPECT OIL BOOM

Tilbury, Feb. 22.—Just as soon as spring opens, a great boom on the oil field is assured. Work has been suspended on a great many of the wells during the past two months owing to the cold weather, but as soon as the frost is out of the ground the present number of rigs will be increased by hundreds.

"If the local hotelmen would think twice," said a man who knows a thing or two fast night, "they would not ask the council to limit the number of licenses to be granted in this town. We have three licenses now and if the council passes a by-law

of licenses to be granted in this town. We have three licenses now and if the council passes a by-law limiting the number to three, it will mean that the new hotel to be built this spring will get a license and one of the present license holders will be cut off."

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AT YOUR GROCER'S

W. C. T. U.

The second of the series of W. T. U. special meetings was held Thursday afternoon at the home ity have we? Is it the Banking Act which breaks down at this point or is it the administration of justice? And many of them think that the courts are not efficient.

Then the muttering is widening. Decisions given out at Osgoode Hall are slow. They are reached only after endless turmoil over rules of gractice and after numerous changes of venue, moving to strike out or readered v.cl. 20'os, by Mrs. D. W. Crow. Well rendered v.cl. 20'os, by Mrs ylackson.

bractice and after numerous changes of venue, moving to strike out or refer back, and numerous appeals of one kind and another. The lawyers complain that they cannot get, their cases to trial and when they do succeed they are not able to get a speedy judgment. Some judges are two and three years in arrears.

There is always talk of "law reform," but it is vague and theoretical. Apparently what is needed is "judge reform." The judges are human and they have fallen into habits which are not satisfactory to this speed; generation. They need stirring up. Their methods are only be taken as the product of some reporter's to bril and imagination, when one considers who those ladies are. Lady Frances Balfour, sisterin-law of the seems to be the opinion of those who are forced to resort to them for relief,

The town of St. Marys has landed another industry—a kn.tt.ng factory. St. Marys evidently has an active Roard of Trade. Another object less than the cheap loaf. Another is Roard of Trade. Another object less than the cheap loaf and the cheap loaf another is Roard of Trade. Another object less than the product of some reporter's to bril and imagination, when one considers who those ladies are. Lady Frances Balfour, sister-in-law of the former Premier, is President of the "English Women's Suffrage Societies," and one of the women imprisoned is a daughter of the great Cobden, who gave England the cheap loaf. Another is Postmaster-General of England, and many others equally well known. many others equally well known.
Mrs. Priscilla Bright McLaren, a
sister of John Bright, was a member
of the Suffrage Society until her
death.

ed refreshments and a most enjoy-able social time closed the afternoon

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williams, and there was a large representation of the Senate and the House of Commons.

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THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS Supplied to The Planet by Press

Agents. At the Brisco Opera House— Moving Pictures—All week. La be.le Russe—Feb. 26,



MR. NED RADLEY.

Who Presents "Life in Missouri" the Brisco Opera House Friday and Saturday of this Week.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC CRITIC. A prominent critic says: 'If there's an actress capable of showing one side of woman's capricious nature, Miss Florence Huntington is oppor-tuned with a hundred, which she does indeed most admirably. At times, sad, jyul, coquetti-h, whimsical, alarmed, flighty, bantering, etc., up and down the whole gamut of human emotion, she made the most of her part in David Belasco's startling ro-mance, 'La Belle Russe.' Miss Hunt-ington is said to have lots to do, from her inception in the first act from her inception in the first act as the supposedly long-sought and deserted wire of Sir Philip Galthrops and mistress of the most beautiful manor in all England, until her denouncement in the final act by her real layer,—who confronts her with her twin sister, whom she has supposed long dead and under the mask of whom she has wormed herself into the affections as the wife of the latter's husb nd, her pleasing personality and extreme versatility is ever present. Miss Florence Huntington's youth and beauty is a great factor in her professional success, yet this does not cast reflection upon the other speaking parts of the play.

La Belle Russe plays Chatham tomorrow night.

AUCTION SALE

Andrew Thomson has received in-structions from Mrs. D. Turrill, who is leaving the city to sell at her resi-dence, corner of Victoria and Glad-stone avenues, at one o'clock on Tues-day, Feb. 26th, all her household ef-fects, consisting of the following:

stone avenues, at one o'ciock on Tuesday, Feb. 26th, all her household effects, consisting of the following:

Three fancy oak rockers, two parlor tables, one oak parlor table, one large mirror, about six feet high; ten oil paintings, Mrs. Turrill's own work; two pair tapestry curtains, chenile curtains, one parlor lamp, jardineer, two pair of lace curtains, one grandfather cleok, 7ery ancient, in good running order; hall rack, one hall rocker, one combination book case and desk, quarter oak; one couch, lot o'books, one fine organ, one rattan rocker, one oak parlor table, one large rug; one rocker, one pair of lace curtains, one oak arm chair, six oak dining chairs, one extension table, one wood heater, one fine sideboard, one oak rocker, lace curtains, hanging lamp, dining room pictures, one brass bed, wool Ostermore mattress, and spring; one sewing machine, carpet sweeper, one white enamel bedroom suit, complete; three toilet setts, one cot and mattress, camp chairs, one cabinet bath, one large fall-leaf table, one instantaneous gas water heater, nickle in fine order cost 25. cabinet bath, one large fall-leaf table, one instantaneous gas water heater, nickle, in fine order, cost \$35; four rugs, small; one Oxford coal range, charcoal iron, one cupboard, one oil radiator, kitchen utensils. Hull dinner sett, washing machine, tubs, copper boiler, fine lot of fruit in quart and two quart jars, one refrigerator, rubber hose and reel, one lawn mower, one lawn chair, iron frame; one wheel barrow, garden tools, saws, forks, carpenter tools, lady's bicycle, curtain stretchers, ladder, and many other articles too

lady's bicycle, curtain stretchers, ladder, and many other articles too numerous to mention. All of the above furniture is as good as new, and in fine condition.

Remember day and date, Tuesday. February 26th, at one o'clock.

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MONEY IN CANARIES

NEW YEAR'S IN THE ORIENT

The Greetings and the Precents In China and Japan.

The most wonderful ceremonies con-nected with the new year occur in Chi-na and Japan. A Chinese city presents a busy and attractive spectacle on New Year's day. The streets are thronged with people dressed in gala attire. The mandarins are known by the red, blue, white and gilt balls on their caps. Gentlemen of rank and wealth are carried in palanquins. When friends meet they greet each other with "Kung-hi! Kung-hi!" which means, "I respectfully wish you joy." But instead of shaking hands in the American fashion each grasps his own hands, lifts them as high as his chin with a sweeping motion throws them down as low as possible, bending the body at the same time. This is the mode of salutation among the Chinese. At the dawn of New Year's day the visits of congratulation begin, and New Year's gifts are sent to particular friends, always accompanied by a visiting ticket of red paper, on which are written the name of the donor and a list of the presents sent. These consist usually of silks, fine tea, sweetmeats, ornaments of personal wear, toys and souvenirs of various kinds. In Japan the custom is to send letters on rice paper to those in distant places, conveying the formal expression of the New Year's greetings. Presents of cooked rice, roasted peas, oranges and figs are offered to every one.

ABUSE OF INDOORS.

We Rely Too Much on the Protection of Our Houses.

Houses were made for shelter, not for confinement; for freedom, not re-straint. They were intended to enlarge our sphere of activities, not to dimin ish them

They foster the family and make progress possible, but we should not abuse their protection. We have crawled away into their still and comforta ble recesses, slept in their dry, clean chambers, toasted ourselves over their sheltered fires, read by their unflicker-ing lights and eaten from their bountiful boards so long that we are grown pale, timid, peevish and thankless

We have kept ourselves away from the wind and the sun and the lashing rain, from the feel of the earth under stars overhead until we no longer know the keen and simple joys of being alive. We have set up barriers against the inclemency of nature and cowered before her severe austerity until now we have forgotten how indispensable is all her kindly nurture, how tonic her rugged ways, how full of solace her assuaging calm.

were only made to live in when it is too cold or too hot or too wet to live out of doors. Any other time out of doors is best. To sleep out of doors for a month is better than a trip HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE to Europe. - Bliss Carman in Crafts-

Facts About Building Stone.

Almost everybody knows the rule of the masons that stone used in building should be so placed that it will lie as it lay in its natural bed when quarried. But Francis W. Hoyt in the En gineering News says that this familiar rule is not always to be depended upon and needs in many cases to be supple-mented with other precautions. There are three planes of fracture known to quarrymen. The rift is the direction

in which the stone splits most easily, the grain that which is next easiest, the head that which offers the greatest resistance. In a paving block the two sides represent the rift fracture, the top and bottom the grain and the ends the head. But in a quarry the natural bed is sometimes considerably inclined to the plane of the rift; hence the imperfection of the ordinary rule for placing the stone in building.

St. Augustine, Fla., founded by the Spaniards in 1564, is generally said to be the oldest European settlement within the present limits of the United States, but some twenty or thirty years earlier Coronado, the Spanish conqueror and explorer, leading an expedition from the City of Mexico north ward, had founded some sort of a Spanish colony at the ancient Indian village of Ysleta, in El Paso county, Tex. In the southwest it is therefore claimed that Ysleta is the oldest European settlement in the United States.

Good Answer A theological student supposed to be deficient in judgment was asked by a professor in the course of a class ex-"Pray, Mr. E., how would you dis-

"By the questions he would ask," was the rather stunning reply.

Don't Grow Stale! Many a man bewails his lack of suc-cess in life after he has permitted himself to get into a rut. While dreaming of success he has been as blind as a bat and slower than two snails. He blocked his own way.—Manchester

Dig From a Friend.
"How old is your husband, dear?" "Forty. There's ten years' difference between us."

"You surprise me! I should never have thought you fifty years old."—

It is seldom that punishment, though lame of foot, has failed to overtake a villeln.—Horace,

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A man had been married twelve years before it dawned on him that, with the exception of his wife, every one in the house had a day off once

A woman does generally have rather a bad time of it in that way, doesn't she? But this was a kind hearted man, and he set about making things

'I always had Sundays," he said, "the children had Saturdays and Sun-days, too, and one of the maids had every Wednesday, while the other was free on Thursdays. But when I began to think it over it seemed to me that the wife never by any chance got a day entirely to herself.

"We talked it over together first, then the wife consulted the maids, and as soon as they grasped the idea they were as keen as possible to do what they could to help.

"Finally we decided that every Tuesday the servants, the children and 1 were to be left entirely to our own de vices. My wife might stay in bed all day if she liked, go away, shop, visit. look in at a picture gallery or, in fact, do anything that she liked.

"She was to have absolutely no responsibility for meals or anything on that one day every week.

"It worked splendidly. The maids rose to the occasion, and we vied with one another in trying to keep everything running smoothly and were as pleased as possible when we could manage to spend less than we are allowed for the catering department and

yet show good results.
"And my wife isn't like the same wothe secret of perpetual youth, and she assures me that if only every woman in the world had a chance of trying the same plan there would be more happy homes around.

"How can any one expect a woman to keep bright and happy if she never has any regular time to amuse her-self?"-New York Journal.

The gentlest treatment should be given the hair. When in use the comb should be held lightly between the thumb and the first two fingers. holding the comb in this way and the use of a little gentle persistence the most obstinate snarl may be conquered. Do not injure the scalp by scratch ing or digging it with either comb or brush or hatpin. The best hair brushes to use have bristles of good quality and are not too stiff. Above all, avoid the brush with wire bristles. It pulls the strands out by the roots. The proper comb is coarse, with smooth round teeth and with round edges, where the teeth join the back. Much depends upon the kind of brushes and combi that are used. Sharp and angular teeth break the hair and injure the loid hairpins are apt to explode when brought near a flame. hairpins they should be first tested by running the fingers carefully over them to discover any imperfections. Rough hairpins are most destructive to the hair.

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