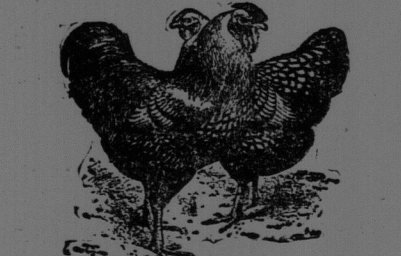


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TWO OCEAN MONSTERS FOR ATLANTIC TRAFFIC

(Continued from Page 1.)

Mr. Ismay would not commit himself to any further statement about the new York line but since his company has definitely planned to bring out two 1,000-foot ships with the intention of putting them in the New York service it is fair to assume that the White Star Line has received definite assurance that the city will have suitable piers ready when the ships make their first appearance here in the spring of 1911.

"What new or unusual features will these new vessels have?" Mr. Ismay was asked.

"I may not tell you that," he replied, "for if I did all of our competitors will know, but I will repeat what I just said—that they will be far ahead of anything that has yet been projected."

But there were some features which Mr. Ismay felt free to discuss. The new Canamers, as the world knows, are fitted with turbine engines. Mr. Ismay said that the new White Star vessels would be equipped with both turbine and reciprocating engines. The two new vessels, the two new vessels, will be equipped with both turbine and reciprocating engines. The two new vessels, the two new vessels, will be equipped with both turbine and reciprocating engines.

Will Not Try for Speed.

"The company already has under construction two other vessels whose motive power is of this combination type. But these are very much smaller. They are the Alberta and the Albany, which are now under construction in the Belfast yards of Harland & Wolff. These two are to be placed in the Canadian service of the company in the coming spring, but they are relatively small size, this displacement being only 14,000 tons. The new ships will probably displace about 20,000."

"Extraordinary speed," Mr. Ismay continued will not be sought for in these larger vessels. About 20 knots an hour, I should say, will be their goal. We have some very good reasons for not filling them up with engines and coal bunkers. There is always a certain percentage of people who are always in

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"SPRING FEVER"

The need of a spring medicine seems to be universal. This is due to the fact that during the winter the blood becomes impure on account of the hearty food eaten. This causes that tired, weary, all-gone, don't-care-to-work feeling which is so prevalent at this time of year.

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USES IT EVERY SPRING.
Mr. H. Langley, Hamilton, Ont., writes: "I have used Burdock Blood Bitters as a spring tonic, and I find it the best thing I can take. It builds me right up and I use it every spring. It is excellent for the blood."

"SPRING MEDICINE"

GENERAL DELAREY FORESEES A UNITED DUTCH AFRICA

An Extraordinary Speech Dealing With the Success of the Boers—Automobile Figured in Highway Robbery.

CAPE TOWN, April 3.—On the occasion of the unveiling of a monument to fallen Boers at Burgersdorp, an extraordinary speech was made by General Delarey. There was a great gathering, composed almost entirely of Dutch birth, many of whom lost limbs in the late war, their relations having gone into rebellion against the British and Imperial Governments. General Delarey, whose words were listened to with the utmost keenness, told the gathering that by the late war the Boers had become "more than conquerors." The war had consolidated them (meaning the Boers of all the Colonies) into one band of brothers, who would never be deprived of South Africa. Like the word "Huguenot," the term "rebel" had once been one of contempt, but now it was an honorable designation. Continuing, the speaker hinted that the victory of the Boer party in the Legislative Council elections was the commencement of a great struggle. For a hundred years their kinsmen in the Cape remained loyal to the British Government, but when the war broke out they helped the burghers of the two late Republics, a fact that never must be forgotten. Blood was thicker than water. The Cape rebels who helped the two Republics by throwing in their lot with the burghers of the North did that which was noble and honorable. General Delarey, who had also come down from the Transvaal, asked the people to remember how America won her freedom. He reminded them of Malheur in 1841, and counselled them not to forget the late war. Muller described the monument as "a beacon of blood," and urged the people to teach their children the lesson conveyed by the heroes whose names were inscribed on it.

"De Transvaal," published in Johannesburg gives one cause of discontent in that the Dutchman finds his language practically taxed. Documents such as wills, powers of attorney, etc., drawn up in Dutch, have to be translated into English for the convenience of English officials, but at the expense of the Dutchman. In the Courts of

stop to further molestation. As the cab continued its journey the wounded man staggered back to the car, from which he and his companion had alighted, and the machinery was set in motion; but, unfortunately for the prospects of escape the revolver bullet out of the man who understood the mechanism, and after proceeding a short distance the car again came to a standstill. By this time the hue and cry had been started. He was kept in sight by a winch-driver named Pennessy and after an exciting chase, in which many people joined, was eventually arrested and taken to Gernismont police station. He has by that time got rid of his revolver, goggles and everything else that might connect him with the motor-car. His wounded companion who was identified as George Rasors, living with his wife and children at Troyville, died in Boksburg hospital on the following day.

A few months ago the branch of the National Bank at Langhaage was "held up" by armed robbers shortly before closing time and \$5,000 abstracted from the tills. Since then three men have been sentenced to ten years' hard labor for their share in the robbery, and the police have now discovered the man who planned the whole affair and sent his lieutenants to carry it out. His name is Walter Kirby, and he is also being accommodated for a ten years' term. His sentence closes the history of one of the most famous gangs of criminals the Transvaal has known. The gang was formed originally by Percy John Collingwood, who may be described as the "Mortar" of South Africa. Collingwood is a gentleman by birth, and received a thorough training as an engineer after he left school. His first came into prominence in 1895, when, after an exciting trial, he was sentenced to 5 years' imprisonment with hard labor for robbery. Good conduct earned for him the usual remission of a portion of his sentence, but he was sent back to the same prison when he was again in the dock at Port Elizabeth, where he was sentenced, in 1900, to four and a half years' hard labor for housebreaking. He was imprisoned in the local jail, and employed on the harbor works. There his engineering knowledge stood him in good stead, for he made himself so useful that his term was reduced on the special recommendation of the prison authorities. When he was released he migrated to the Rand, and his master mind gathered around him a gang of dangerous criminals white and colored, who placed implicit trust in their "chief" and who for a time successfully carried out a series of crimes ably planned by him.

Collingwood pitted his brains against those of the entire detective force, and for a time more than held his own. It was part of his method to keep in touch with the police, and he was a frequent visitor at the police stations, whether he went on the most flimsy pretext, brought home to him a serious crime, for which Collingwood was sentenced at Pretoria in January, 1907, to twelve years' imprisonment, with hard labor, for culpable homicide. The crime was committed in the course of a robbery which he had planned, which he found it necessary to get rid of a native "cool" who knew too much. At the same time Arthur Manna received a similar sentence. Manna, though not of the same calibre as Collingwood, was a dangerous man, of the "hill stick" class whose convictions began at Birmingham, in 1896. In common with many of his class he drifted to South Africa in one of the contingents during the war, and at the close of hostilities returned to his old career of crime. After Collingwood's removal from the active list, Kirby appears to have assumed command of the operations of the gang, and he has not been successful in getting the implicit trust of his followers. Morsey and Burke, three men active in the robbery, were "tools" of Collingwood, and when their master had been taken they lost their confidence. Kirby's downfall, following the capture and sentence of those three is the last act in the operations of a gang of criminals who have been a nuisance to the public safety for years. There still, unfortunately, many criminals on the Rand, and it is known there are now no gangs of any importance.

Figures compiled at the end of the year show that the Transvaal gold mines paid dividends to their shareholders in 1907 amounting to practically \$55,000,000, an increase of \$7,000,000 on the previous year. This is a little short of the totals of 1903 and 1904 combined. Since the resumption of mining operations in 1901, Rand mines have announced dividends amounting to over \$135,000,000. Shareholders are now receiving \$1.37 1/2 out of every sovereign's worth of gold produced, against \$1.18 in 1906.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Annual tea, Brussels street church, Thursday, April 9th, 6 to 8; concert 8 to 10 p. m.

H. G. Currie & Co., 69 City Road, are giving free for one week from date, one twenty-five cent tin of Diamond Brand Silver and Brass Polish for every cash order for one ton of Scotch Coal or one half children of Soft Coal. Phone 2123-11.

SPRING HOUSECLEANING.

Already preparations have begun in many homes of the wearisome task of housecleaning and the busy housekeeper will be glad when it is all over. In order to see what work has been accomplished it would be well to add a new

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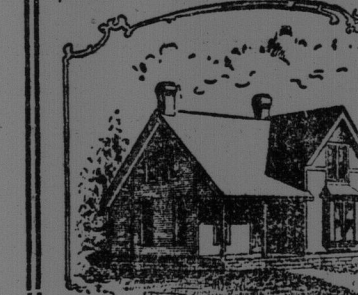
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Common sense is all that is required to fill in the line, and the uneducated person is just as likely to succeed as the university scholar, since all stand on an equal chance of winning these prizes. Therefore, do not put off till to-morrow what you can do to-day. The first thought being frequently the best, and immediately that you think of a suitable line, send it to the address given below.

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No member of the firm or employee will be allowed to compete. Any number of limericks may be sent, written on plain paper, and accompanied by other separate postal notes or one for the whole amount. It is particularly desired that all solutions be sent in as early as possible, owing to the enormous amount of work entailed.

FINED ON BATTLEFIELD FOR NEGLECT OF DUTY

Soldier, Struck by Bullet, Punished for Not Having His Package of Lint.

PARIS, April 3.—A letter from a doctor with the French forces in Morocco relates that near Settat, during a force engagement, a soldier of the Foreign Legion was struck by a Moorish bullet and fell flat on his face. "He is dead," said the corporal, leaning over him.

Lifting a battered face, the Legionary groaned: "Yes, corporal, not dead, but badly hurt."

"Where is your packet of lint?" demanded the corporal.

"I have forgotten it," said the soldier, trying to wipe away the blood. "Two days' service," shouted the corporal, and lifting the wounded man on to his back he staggered to the nearest doctor amid a hail of bullets.

HAD ANARCHIST SCARE

MADRID, April 4.—The police of Madrid had a bad anarchist scare yesterday as King Alfonso and Queen Victoria were driving to the British Embassy. A youth suddenly dashed after their carriage. Gendarmes immediately seized the lad who later was identified as a demoted son of one of the chief police officials of Madrid.