Country.

Unfortunately, however, instead of taking cold statistics as our guide in the matter, we are too apt to lay more stress on the statement of an English tourist that he found a shilling would go further in his own country than a dollar in America. Perhaps he kept within, the strict bounds of truth when making such an assertion, but Americans when they go abroad are very apt to find that a dollar in Europe when expended by them goes no further than a quarter of a dollar well laid out at home.

The fact must not be lost sight of that when a comparison of cost of living is instituted, the things compared must be the same. It will not do to point out that in China a farm hand can subsist on six cents a day, while in the United States the subsistence of a worker in the same industry sistence of a worker in the same industry.

	1823.	1845.	1883
Rent		£100	£12
Taxes	40	. 30	4
Servants	24	30	4
Clothing	70	80	10
Bread	26	25	- 2
Meat	60	50	8
Groceries	35	40	6
Wines	39	40	4
Dairy	70	70	9
Coal and light	38	30	2
Washing	22	30	4
Sundries	88	-95	1

This table does not relate to London, but This table does not relate to London, but is based on an average of the cost of living in provincial towns. We venture to say that, with the exception of two cities, an American family living in equally good style would pay less rent, no more for clothing, less for bread, decidedly less for meat and groceries, about the same for wines, a trifle more for fuel and light, and not much more than hall as much for washing, which seems to be an expensive luxury in Great Britain in spite of the moist climate.

same. It will not do to point out that in China a tarm hand can subsist on six cents a day, while in the United States the subsistence of a worker in the same industry costs six times as much. If the American farm hand would be content to live on an unvarying diet of rice his expenditures might easily be kept down to the lowest Chinese level.

Or to continue the illustration further: If the thrift which the English artisan and laborer is forced to exercise in his own country were displayed by our workers the result would certainly be larger accumlations. Mrny foreigners when transplanted vary their mode of living very slightly wery slightly expert down the same and they invariably amass competencies as a reward for their self-denial. The miss a student. This was in 1872. A twinge of immigrants, however, soon learn to adjust their mode of living to the scale of the extent which they move, and of course their expenditures are greater. But it is children to the result would be a student to the result would certainly be larger accumlated by the seaso of the maintenance of an average family in England and the United States we find that the American has largely to the best of it, except in the particular of domestic service. Mulhall, the English statistician gives the following as the cost of living, when, in fact, it is simply an exhibition of the maintenance of an average family in England and the United States we find that the American has largely to the best of it, except in the particular of domestic service. Mulhall, the English statistician gives the following as the cost of living of a family of five persons in the genteel walks of life, besides we servants, in the years named:

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or days. That was about the year 1880.

"For a number of years afterwards I continued to grow worse and worse. In 1884 I went into the real estate business in Toronto. and having a good deal of walking to do, I experienced the pain constantly that summer. It was all day and at all times, frequently so bad that I would have to stand on the street, relax the muscles of my left leg and let it wing until the spasm was over. At most, I could walk but three or four blocks and would then have to halt. I consulted medical men and was advised I consulted medical men and was advised meat and groceries, about the same for wines, a trifle more for fuel and light, and not much more than hall as much for washing, which seems to be an expensive luxtry in Great Britain in spite of the moist climate.

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