## A BUNCO GAME.

Hungarian Immigrant Shows His Knowledge of the. Principles.

Yelped Trachoma Patients to Escape and Embezzied Money From Credulous Immigrants.

The bunco game is not native to Am-hrica. A gaudy man from away off in Hungary, who never set foot on the continent until a few months ago, has been proving in St. John that the fine paints of that profession are not un-

escapes from detention were increasing rapidly.

When the Armenian who escaped the other day was recaptured and brought back some revelations were made. He admitted that Toma, who was paid to suard him, had helped him to escape for the consideration of \$20. Investigation revealed that it was generally known in the hospital that the payment of \$5 and upward to this obliging attendant would ensure anybody's freedom temporarily at least.

About this time Toma disappeared, but on Thursday night Inspector Robinson arrested him on the Boston train and brought him back. Since then he has admitted not only the taking of bribes to help his prisoners to escape, but also a system of petty embezzlement has acarried on among other immigrants. In his semi-official capacity he imposed on these credulous people and extracted small sums from them under various and trivial prethem under various and trivial pre-texts. He was very business-like about it, and always gave his victims a re-

How then? he hopefully asked.

I have never heard any stories to your credit, said she.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.



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## SPORTING NEWS.

THE RING.

been proving in St. John that the fine points of that profession are not unknown where he came from.

His name is Toma Jakabatz. He is 22 years old; a good looking, sleek, well-dressed, plausible, young scamp. He came here on the Parisian Nov. 5, mixcompetition. Dixon, as usual, forced competition. Dixon, as usual, forced competition. came here on the Parisian Nov. 5 mixing with the other immigrants, and was inclined to make a big disturbance when his name was not included in the manifest. Later it was strongly suspected that he was a stowaway and further inquiries resulted in the discovery that he had been an insurance agent and had left his native Hungary hurriedly and under accusation of some rather daring embezzlements.

During the time these investigations were being made, pending the issuing of his passport, Toma got a job as assistant to Dr. Faber in the trachoma detention hospital at Sand Point, His pay was \$1 a day, and it was noticed shortly that for a dollar a day man he was generally temporarily flush. It was also noticed that the number of escapes from detention were increasing rapidly.

Ianey, defeated him in a six-round competition. Dixon, as usual, forced matters in the first round. He led with his left, but the blow fell short. He tried to swing the right for his next effort, but Delaney got home a hard one in the wind and the negro went back to the ropes with a thud. Dixon came forward again and planted a heavy left on the jaw, almost sending the Englishman down. But Delaney, nothing daunted, returned, swinging both right and left and catching Dixon on the mouth and head. The second round was fast, but when it was over Dixon was puffing and bleeding slightly from a wound over the right eye.

Dixon had the better of the third round. He used his famous double punch with unerring effect, and made Delaney clinch. Delaney got to Dixon's body at short range, but his knocks had no apparent effect on the ex-champion.

good work, and was clearly entitled to the decision.

VARIETY OF SPICE.

Are you aware of the fact that you sometimes make some very disagree-able reparks?

Yes, answered Miss Cayenne- Isn't the received for the same years of the builders made eleven of the provided in the same years of the builders made eleven of the provided in the same girl whose picture we used the other day?

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Miss Chellus—Automobiling is her fad, now, I hear.

Miss Speitz—Aall yes; because it improves her looks at least 50 per cent.

Miss Chellus—The ideal How?

Miss Speitz—Because she wears a more than the meeting will be off Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the second meeting will be the Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the second meeting will be the Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the second meeting will be the Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the second meeting will be the Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the second meeting will be the Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the second meeting will be the Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the second meeting will be the Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the second meeting will be the Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the second meeting will be the Newport June in London outside a noted restaurant there might be seen the se

MEDICAL SCIENCE.

Merchant—Did you find out what that gentieman wanted?

New clerk—No, but I found out what he didn't want.

Merchant—What? How dare you—New Clerk—And I sold it to him.

Catholic Standard and Times.

What kind of meat have you this morning, Larry? asked the board of trade operator.

Well, sir, said the butcher, I've got some fine bear steak, and some beef that's just bully—

AN ARABHAN STORY.

An Arab and his wife were constant-by quarreling, and the wife always wern straightway to her father and boxed the ears of his better heilt, whereupon she went gain to her father and boxed the ears of his better heilt, whereupon she went again to her father and boxed the sars of his better heilt, whereupon she went again to her father and boxed the sars of his better heilt, whereupon she went again to her father and boxed the sars of his better heilt, whereupon she went again to her father and boxed the sars of his better heilt, whereupon she went again to her father and boxed the sars of his better heilt, whereupon she went again to her father and boxed the sars of his better heilt, whereupon she went again to her father and boxed the sars of his better heilt, whereupon she went again to her father and boxed the sars of his better heilt, whereupon she went again to her father and boxed the sars of his daughter's and I have boxed the ears of his daughter's and I have boxed the ears of his daughter's and a law of the sars and the wife are now the sars and the wife are not again. The code in two representations and he wife and related her grevance, demanding revenge. The father, a wise old shelk, shook his daughter's and I have boxed the ears of his wife''—Lustige Blatter.

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HERDICAL SCIENCE.

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one.

Nothing saddens a man like being foilled by a woman.

A wise saw is presumably one that has cut its wisdom teeth.

Never get\*between a dog and his bone or between a man and his hobby.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c.

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THE FAIRIES. By William Allingham

Down along the rocky shore
Some make their home.—
They live on crispy pancakes
Of yellow tide-foam:
Some in the reeds
Of the black mountain-lake.
With frogs for their watch-dogs,
All night awake.

High on the hill-top
The old King sits;
He is now so old and gray
He's nigh lost his wits.
With a bridge of white mist
Columkill he crosses,
On his stately journeys
From Sileveleague to Rosses;
Or going up with music
On cold starry nights.
To sup with the Queen
Of the gay Northern Lights.

They stole little Bridger
For seven years long,
When she came down again
Her friends were al gone.
They took her lightly back,
Between the night and morrow,
They thought that she was fast asleep,
But she was dead with sorrow.
They have kept her ever since
Deep within the lake,
On a bed or fiag-leaves,
Watching till she wake, IV.

By the crasgy hill-side,
Through the mosses bars.
They have planted thorn-trees
For pleasure here and there.
If any man so daring
As dig them up in spite,
He shall find their sharpest thoras
In his bed at night.

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# A LUCKY MISTAKE.

DISCOVERY REGARDING CHICAGO. (Philadelphia Ledger.)
neeting of one of the organizations approminent member of the

Redistribution Bill.

the Third Session-More Additions to the Railway Commission

(Special to the Sun.)

Under the provisions of the new militia bill it will be possible for a Canadian officer to be appointed commanding officer of the Canadian militia. The time is thought to be ripe for the change, which will obviate the necessity of appointing an imperial representative to the important post.

Mr. Sifton, Mr. King, the comming astronomer, and Joseph Pope, left for Montreal this morning, en route for England via New York. They sail on Tuesday afternoon to prepare Canada's case for submission to the Alaska boundary commission. This is the third session Mr. Sifton has been ab-



## OTTAWA.

# P. E. I. Members Will Kick Against

Much Talk Over Sifton's Absence for

Bill-Notes.

OTTAWR, March 22.—Ralph Smith's bill to compel railways to furnish cars with safety appliances will be incorporated in the railway commission bill. Mr. Blair has given a promise to that effect. Automatic effect. Automatic couplers at a uni-form distance from the rail and lad-ders on the sides and ends of the cars are provided for. The fact that 117 employes were killed last year and 1,075 injured is a strong argument in favor of the passage of the act.

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of any Grocer the plane, which has been given a public hearing at the Metropolitan Opera House. This consists of a convex lid which his over the top of the plane and takes the place of the ordinary lid.

At the Woman's Educational and Industrial Union of Boston are to be seen five speciment of the exquisite handlwork for which the Danish women are famous. The articles in embroidery are particularly five. Much of this work was sent direct from Copenhagen by the Bureau of the Woman's Council.

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George Ramsey, one of the oldest residents of Monticello, Mes who did recently, was born in Aberdein, Sonland, Oct. 16th, 1814, and came to we land, Oct. 16th, 1814, and came to we land, Oct. 16th, 1814, and came to we shoemakers trade and when a young man went to Gagetown and located, and there on Oct. 5th, 1834, he was unitted in marriage to Miss Sarah Briggs, daughter of Hiram and Dannie Briggs, to this union were born eleven chillidren, only four of whom, with his aged wife, survive him. Deceased removed to Monticello about \$1 years ago. Mr. Ramsey was converted at Gagetown, N. B., about 50 years ago, and united with the Methodist church of that place.

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## PARLIAMENT

STTAWA, March 17.—Petitio in showers in the commons Several favoring protection if root sugar were received.

Mr. Law introduced a bill to the Canada Temperance Act.

Hon. Mr. Mulock brought in to aid in the settlement of to aid in the settlement of

On going into supply MacI East York again took up the g of appointing a successor to Sir Mowat. He urged that the lies governor of Ontario holds the illegally and that he is also u for the office. He moved a resintroduced in 1895 by Hon, David declaring that it is against the ests of the country for any lieu governor to hold office of the governor to hold office at the co new commission. The former arose out of Sir Leonard Tilley Governor Schultz of Manitoba h office after the expiration of terms. He read Laurier in supp the motion which was the stro possible argument in favor of course such as now propose Mowat's case. Cartwright's ances on the subject were edstrong. He called on the govern to vindicate the constitution and up to their former pledge. Sir Wilfrid Laurier claimed there was no fixed term for a general reason. It was a different case in when Sir Leonard Tilley and Gov Schultz of Manitoba held office years after their term expired. Mowat was in full possession faculties, and it would be a crin remove such a man at the pr time when a grave crisis was in province. The government did no tend to take any such action. After a few remarks by Sproule

After a few remarks by Sproule Northrup it was decided to adjour NOTES.

A deputation of market garde was introduced by Arch Cambpell Was introduced by Arch Cambpell F. D. Monk. The government prised consideration of their dem for more protection. A cotton deption received a similar promise.

Ottawa Irishmen had a mone parade today in honor of their paragraphs.

Sir Francis Langelier will be add istrator of the province of Quebec ing the absence of Governor Jette after a while will be appointed go OTTAWA, Mar 18.—Before a he crowded on the floor and in the leries, Sir Wilfrid Laurier offered

teries, Sir Wilfrid Laurier offered explanation of Tarte's retirement, recited the incidents leading up to severance of Mr. Tarte's connect with the public works departme From the premier's arrival in Euruntil his return to Ottawa he had calved letters complaining of Tark ceived letters complaining of Tar-conduct, He ordered Canadian pape and had satisfied himself on the ve age home that an investigation was a cessary. On reaching Ottawa on O 19th, he demanded Mr. Tarte's resign tion, at the same time reminding he that in advocating a high tariff he he adopted a policy not decided. adopted a policy not decided upon the government, and was therefo guitty of a breach of constitution usages. The government had pr nounced its policy in the Fieldi tariff, and if Mr. Tarte proposed tariff, and if Mr. Tarte proposed take exception to it, it was his du to consult his colleagues. Mr. Fieldin had made it plain that no revision his been decided on, and with such defini pronouncement to guide him, Mr. Tar had entered upon a crusade favoring a high tariff. There was no other course to follow than to demand the resignation of the offending minister. On Oct. 20th a letter was sent to Mr. Tarte, calling upon him to send in his resignation, which was received from Toronto on the same day.

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MR. TARTE began to speak he was received i silence by the government supporters His remarks, however, when the touched on the policy "of Canada fo Canadians," brought hearty recogni tion from the opposition. He gave flat denial that he had been asked t resign, but claimed his resignation was already in the hands of Sir Wilfrie when it was asked for. It was an in-

teresting story and he told it with On Oct. 19th the premier had called at Mr. Tarte's house, and stated that the latter's conduct had annoyed his colleagues, and had caused the premier annoyance. Mr. Tarte thereupon of annoyance. Mr. rarte thereupon of fered his resignation, but it was declined. He repeated it next morning before leaving for Toronto, but the premier asked him to delay action unpremier asked him to delay action until Wednesday. He agreed to this, but on the train decided to retire from the cabinet. He mailed a letter setting forth his determination. This epistle was received by Laurier at 10 a. m. on Oct. 20th, and at 1 o'clock the pre-mier sent a letter to Tarte's house calling for the resignation already in his hands. The premier then gave both letters to the press before Tarte re-ceived the one addressed to him.

"I ask if that is fair," continued the ex-minister. Tarte also announced that when Sir Wilfrid came to him he



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