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the local land office for the district in which the land is signate.
The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:
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(3) If the settler has his permanent (3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of the homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the sal/a in exaggeration.

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W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N.B.--Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

DUTCH MINISTER SHOT AT.

Former Under Bandmaster of Army-Determined on Revenge.

AMSTERDAM, March 11.—While the Hague minister of justice, Herr Van Raalte, was out walking this afternoon he was attacked by a man, who fired four revolver shots at him without ef-fect. He was arrested by the police. The assailant was formerly under bandmaster in a regiment in the Dutch West Indies, and thinking he had a grievance regarding the smallness of his pension, he determined to kill a minister in order to obtain redress. AMSTERDAM, March 11.-While the

r one who co smallpox. And what are we doing NOT IN THE HOUSE. about it? Standing idle and letting these hundreds die year after year, without a single effort being put forth "Bring the carafe upstairs," said a woman to her new maid, the other

binalipox is contagious, so is consump-tion. In smallpox a very large pro-portion of the patients recover; in con-sumption the victims are doomed un-

less they are wealthy enough to pay TWENTY-THREE! for a proper course of treatment

Doctor (looking at clinical thermo-meter)—"Hello, one hundred and three —this will never do." Golfing patient—"What's the bogey?" Smallpox carries off young and old; consumption strikes those in the prime of life. Under our very eyes right here in St. John are men and women so far TOO LATE-TOO LATE. gone as to be unable to leave their

beds, and round about them are gath-ered their families drinking in the germs of disease, opening an account with death which must be squared be-there weeks after I married her."

NO SERIOUS TROUBLE.

Strong-minded Old Lady (to the new

vicar's wife)--"Oh, yes mum, I've 'ad my ups and downs, but I never 'ad what you may call a serious trouble. I've only lost two husbands!" methods, nor afforded an opportunity

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the second page." NO FOOLING.

"Guilty or innocent?" asked the Judge. "Oh, go 'long, jedge," replied the prisoner, "des gimme dat time what you gwine ter gimme, en go DF. C. Sydncy EmcrSon, DENTIST,

church association composed of young URGES SERVANTLESS men, took occasion to denounce hockey and football, claiming that these sports HOUSEKEEPING PLAN were too rough and should not be

losed because . some member of the Ot'o Fick, Whose Scheme Works Smoothly in Copenhagen, on Visit to U.S.

with the spectators, but in a few of the NEW YORK, March 11.—Otto Fick, founder of the servantless housekeep-ing plan, which is in successful opera-tion in Copenhagen, is in this city to ascertain if New York would not take so-called sportsmen or athletes who participate. A St. John paper very recently attempted to draw a comparison

About 250 cases of cans per day are being made at the North Lubec can plant at present. Machinist Breeding of the A. C. Co. is perfecting the Sea-coast's machines at this place, to the end when they are finished that they will make a can that will fit the cov-ers used in the Standard cans, and one that can be closed by the different closing machines now in use. The work is only experimental, but if prov-ed to be a success the three-piece can will become the one most used and be made at the North Lubec plant. The can when finished by the remodelled machine will be practically the same can in appearance with the exception of a larger swedge at the top. One machine is fast nearing completion and will be tried out in the near future, and it is thought now that the machine will be changed over.--Bangor News. Also at 565 Main St. Phone 1825, POPULAR IDOL'S ACT ESTRANGES PUBLIC Yields to Court in Giving Evidence at Trial and Ignores Privilege as Beputy.

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BERLIN, March 11—During the trial yesterday of Herr Oska Poeplau, who is charged with revealing official secrets of the German Colonial Office to Herr Wistuba, Herr Erzberger, the clerical deputy, was called as a witness. Herr Erzberger declined to give evidence, pleading immunity as a deputy. The court overruled his objection, and he was sentenced to a fine of \$125 and ten days' imprisonment for contempt of court. If your tongue is coated and your complexion is muddy or sal-low, your liver is out of order. Headache, indigestion and a var-iety of troubles will result unless you help the liver. You can help the mickest and most thoroughly

court. As Herr Erzberger was being led off to the cells Herr Poeplau interposed and released him from the bond of sec-recy. The deputy then gave evidence, and the court afterward annulled the sentence of imprisonment, but fined him \$25 for not giving evidence in the ford instance. it quickest and most thoroughly by using Brown's Cascara Tab-lets. E. CLINTON BROWN,

him 525 for hot grung evidence in the first instance. Heir Erzberger's conduct is today al-most universally condemned by the press. After solemnly declaring that he would not give evidence on the ground that a grave constitutional question was at issue, that nothing would induce him to pursue a course of action which might form a precedent for interference with the privileges enjoyed by the peo-ple's representatives, he gave way to the threats of the court. That Herr Poeplau sanctioned his evidence has nothing to do with the matter. Either there was a constitution-al question at stake or there was not. If there was, Herr Poeplau's consent to Herr Erzberger giving evidence had nothing to do with it. Herr Erzberger's action has removed any sympathy

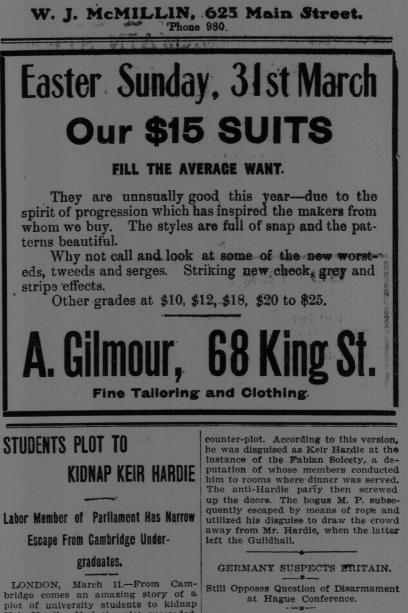
action has removed any sympathy which has hitherto been felt for the popular clerical member, and has cov-ered him with ridicule.



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