## MOROCCANS HAVE NO LANDLORDS

And in This Way Needed Taxation Is Evaded.

# RICH FOREIGNERS ARE EXEMPT

France May Turn Over Policing of Country to the Italian Government.

Algeciras, Jan. 28.-The plenipotentiand spent a couple of hours going over the work of the committee on Moroccan revenues. The powers have several main objects in examining the Moorish system of taxes, or rather lack of system, and trying to regularize it.

The conference seems disposed, also to reduce the number of so-called "protected" persons who escape taxation because they are foreigners or in

discussed there some time ago.

reach.

Part of the plan under consideration brought away with her. today is to limit foreign protection, and to introduce local land taxes. It heart of the advertiser, who, after ob-

### Can't Find Landlords.

Sidi Mohammed El Mokhri, one of the Moroccan delegates, said: "Tax the tenants. We can never find the landlords. The occupants of houses always

M. Revoil, chief of the French mission, who was formerly governor of Algiers, and who, therefore is familiar with North African conditions, remarked: "Tax them both; then you

will catch one of them." One perplexity is the status of the Shereef of Wazzan, who is revered throughout the Barbary States as the descendant of the Indreesi family, and St. Zarhon family, and is very rich, and is also a large land-owner in Algeria. His influence is religious rather than political. The failure of the min-1sters at Fez to agree on a new taxation scheme was due to the objection of the French ministers to tax the Shereef of Wazzan

An interesting feature of the session was the presentation by the Moroccan delegation of an elaborate protective tariff system. This caused much sur- Stimes, C. Chase, H. M. Johnston, Wm. prise and amusement among the other B. Robinson, Thomas Irwin. delegates, but the Moors were proud of giving of evidence of modern economic methods. Their proposed rates averagd 20 per cent ad valorem, and in some cases much higher, with internal revenue taxes on theaters cafes and business transactions.

Sidi Mohammed El Mokhri remarked that this increase of duties on foreign imports would give the Sultan plenty of revenue to meet expenses. Consid- Horrible Tale of Suffering Told a county and about \$3,000 in the case eration of the plan was deferred. The French delegates also tentatively put forth a plan for a moderate horizontal advance in the customs duties. These and other tax questions

finally went over to Monday.

Private conferences continue concernjusting the Franco-German differences regarding Morocco's political future. These have developed a plan whereby who is willing that any power except

### EASY.

### It's Nice to Feel Easy.

Speaking of food a Kansas City woman savs:

"I had always eaten any kind of food

affected me seriously in various ways. seen, and as the raft drifted near he discovered that he had done wrong in Michael were present at the luncheon, will be about 225x120 feet, and those It depressed my spirits and filled my shore Wilson became crazy, and with making the offer, but nevertheless the to which were invited all the members of the plate shop about 125x50 feet. mind with gloomy forebodings, con- a wild cry leaped into the sea. stantly. My mental powers seemed to grow dull and sluggish and my memory became so poor that I had diffiwithin sight of land grounded on a case was prought deemed the checking the case was prought deemed the checking the case was prought deemed the checking that a case was prought deemed the checking that the bodies of those who succumbed stance sufficiently heinous to deprive Mr. Collings of his seat, although the vote that I had diffiwithin sight of land grounded on a case was prought deemed the checking that the case was prought deemed the checking ory became so poor that I had difficulty in recalling even the occurrences sandy beach. The reft was left drift.

Collings of his seat, although the vote in question would have made no difpremier, and Count Lamsdorff, the provide accommodation for 1,500 men, nosed my trouble as 'nervous indiges- by the Salvor, and the bodies re- ened candidate careful.

"One day I met a friend looking so blooming and wholesome that I asked her 'what will make me look like you?' When she answered that she owed it to Grape-Nuts food I laughed at her. For two long years I kept on eating everything that tempted my appetite and taking medicine between meals, till I became thoroughly disgusted with drugs—they gave me no lasting relief.

"Three months ago I heard from another friend who had been cured of a stomach trouble by the use of Grape-Nuts food. I was desperate enough for anything by this time, and determined to stop the drugs and give the new food a trial. I relished it from the beginning and have learned to like it so well that I can hardly eat with-

"The result has been marvelous, My digestion has been restored, my stom- ship, in some unaccountable way, Of course there are some men who esforebodings and melancholia, have all disappeared, my brain is clear and active and I can do as much housework in half a day as I could before in a whole day, and with little or no fatigue. It is such a relief to have steady quiet nerves once more, I feel like a new woman, living on a new plane, with new and most agreeable people.

"We have Grape-Nuts every meal at our house and my little 4-year-old genR. for three years. About 100 cars where their disinclination to respond to for less than \$8 per week. Uncle Sam turned to his home in this town and Name given by Postum Company, Tunnel. The cutting off of the trains unknown. Battle Creek, Mich There's a reason.

### MINERS' DEMANDS REJECTED

Bituminous Operators Refuse Them an Advance of 12 1-2 Cents.

Indianapolis, Jan. 28.-Two joint conferences between bituminous coal operators and miners were held today Millions Spent to Carry On and the demands of the latter, for an increase of 121/2 cents per ton, was lost on vote being taken.

President Mitchell said that unless further discussion was desired, the proposition might as well go to the joint scale committee, which was decided upon.

In the joint conference of the central competitive field. Vice-President T. L. Lewis, of the United Mine Workers of America, denied that the miners were not sincere in their demands. Mr. Lewis declared that if he had his way he would shut down the aries resumed their sessions yesterday, mines of any company violating its

### COUNTESS AS WAITRESS

Victim of Russian Revolution Sought Work in Geneva.

Geneva, Jan. 29.—Among the replies the service of, or in partnership with, received by a cafe proprietor who advertised for a waitress was one from "You have only left me the poor to a Russian countess. In her letter she tax," said the Sultan to the foreign begged pathetically for employment, and other things being equal, the man test has the country gone in so heavily for ministers at Fez when the subject was saying that her husband had been killed in Riga and their home destroyed "You have taken all the rich men by the revolutionaries. She and her under your protection and out of my child were nearly starving, for she had almost expended the little money she The pathos of her story touched the

was proposed in committee to tax taining confirmation of its truth, found rupt practices act on the amount of

### **ESSEX TOWN ELECTS**

Councilors Filled.

Essex, Jan. 28.—The new council for the town of Essex elected to fill vacancies caused by resignation of \$150 and \$300 respectively for boroughs "Radicalism," "Inefficient army and cilors are J. Gormley, G. Thornton and H. M. Johnston. The vacancy was due to the failure of the necessary number of councilors to quality. For mayor-A. Raines, 242; C. Vance, 90; majority for Raines, 152. For councilors-E. McCausland, 262; A. O. Stimes, 217; C. Chase, 175; H. M. Johnston, 165; J. Gormley, 145; G. J.

Thomas, 126. Messrs. McCausland, Stimes, Chase and Johnston were elected. The council board for the town of Essex for 1906 consists of:

Mayor-A. Raines. Councilors-E. McCausland, A. O.

by a Survivor of the Valencia Wreck.

the shipwrecked men when the steam- on gratuitous singing and playing. France shall police the country. It is er Queen failed to see their signals "a minister of religion must not hold of Emperor William's birthday. not yet clear, however, whether and sheered away that one went mad out hopes of reward here or hereafand a few minutes later died. The ter" as an inducement to vote for any others to lighten the raft, pushed his particular candidate. Candidates are company of Russian and German rep-

slipped off the raft, leaving eight, their own motor cars, carriages and These were clinging to the frail raft horses, or those of their friends at the distinctly, as if weighing every word: with seas beating over them, when one, Groggie, became insane and was Everything Up to Candidate. I fancied, and suffered no ill effects till soon violent. While some tried to pro-

covered. Groggie, the madman, was

high water mark and fell into a stupor. Frank Connors, who had imagined he had seen a lighthouse wandered Money the Biggest Factor. into the bush. Next morning the Salvor dispatched two boats and located should be within the mark in saying a and muttering he was going to find the lighthouse. He was revived with difficulty, and it was expected by Dr. Hart on the Salvor that his reason and health would be restored.

### Broke His Neck.

Goderich, Jan. 28. - A fatal accident occurred in the township of Col-Butt, a pioneer resident of the town- as they retain their seats. pitched head foremost out of his cape these impositions by their brilliancy wagon, alighting on his head and eloquence. Their presence in parliabreaking his neck. He was over 70 ment is considered so indispensable to their political party that the managers of age, and, with his family, their political party that the managers of the farmer and stockman will find it very family.

TI IS GOOD FOR MAN AND BEAST.—Not only is Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil of incomparable value in the household, but the farmer and stockman will find it very family.

Falls From Tender.

Co. have cut off its meat trains which some other electoral district, as far dishave been running daily over the G. T. tant as possible from the first one, and States prisoners in her state prison bruises about the body. He was re-Tunnel. The cutting off of the trains will close the large techouse at the Despite all that is said of the "terrible United States marshal."

## BARREL PLAYS A LARGE ROLE

the British Polling.

ELECTIONS CHEAPEST

Peers Because of Huge Contributions to Party Funds.

litical fights behind the scenes places it at \$20,000,000.

From this it will be inferred that the admission fee to "the finest club in the pays them world," as the House of Commons has Campaign War of Posters. been called, amounts to a stiffish sum, does in America.

rigid restrictions placed by the corher a situation in a milliner's shop in money candidates may expend to get lays itself out so recklessly on posters as was passed in 1883, in borough elec-Vacancies of the Mayor and Three 2,000, the maximum amount which a recently displayed in many parts of Lonand counties.

are defined on a more liberal scale in Bull, "This way, sir." The poster atcountry than in town districts, for the tracted much attention and huge crowds reason that the voters are much more gathered in front of it to discuss the scattered and it necessarily costs candidates more to bring their persuasive oratory to bear on the bucolle intelli-

### Elections Chesper in Ireland.

Irish elections are run on a cheaper must be exceedingly welcome to the foodstuffs, such as eggs, meat and so candidates, who are seldom men of forth. ber of electors does not exceed 500 a can have plenty of that cheap. man may get into Parliament for \$1,-000. Where the number runs to 1,500 he must not spend more than \$1,375. In counties of 2,000 electors his expendicounties of 2,000 electors his expenditures are limited to \$2,500.

All parliamentary candidates have o file sworn statements of what they have expended in the fight. In the general election of 1892 the official reeach candidate of \$5,500 in the case of of a borough constituency.

While placing strict limits on the amounts that candidates may expend on elections, the corrupt practices act is equally stringent in confining that expenditure within legitimate chan-Victoria, B. C., Jan. 29.—Chief Cook nels. Treating in all forms is barred. Then another passenger with a cry they are at perfect liberty to place lifted his glass, and said slowly and disposal of their constituents for the "I drink to the health of the Em-

reality nothing but a bad condition of the stomach, due to the use of im
ing. meanwhile: "You are a wild dog fraying the cost of the railroad ticket to Ipswich of a single voter who was tem
little palace at Tsarskoe Selo.

The stage of the momentous uttering is now preparing a tender. The stage of the momentous uttering is now preparing a "The trouble became chronic and wooden sides of Turret Island were agent did not redeem the promise, for The Empress and the Grand Duke supreme court judge before whom the of the German embassy staff, and all The most of the buildings, exclusive of The raft, with four survivors and case was brought deemed the circum- the Russian knights of the German Briber and bribed alike may be pun-

one of those whose bodies were found, ished by twelve months' imprisonment, from representing the constituency.

In many constituencies—I think I allowed to pass into desuctude. Longjaw and makes Bung, the brewer, an knit closer. M. P. The terms of the bargain are Much of the necessity of France for

took a leading part in church and musical services in his neighborhood.

Cut Off Meat Trains.

Port Huron, Jan. 28.— Swift & are nominated in the next neighbor to describe the part of parliament for one constituency they be used with good effect.

Falls From Tender.

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Palmerston, Jan. 28.—Brakeman Wm. Fulton, of the Palmerston-Owen Sound way freight, fell off the tender of the Port Huron, Jan. 28. - Swift & are nominated in the next parliament for

corruption of American politics," the campaign fund plays quite as important a part in English elections as it does in American. But it is obtained in a different fashion. For the principal subscribers are not rich corporations who seek legislative protection, office-holders, prospective or actual, but rich men who are anxious either for seats in parliament or titular distinctions. A large number of peerages, baronetcies, and knighthoods have been conferred since the corrupt practices act was passed which are admittedly merely party rewards for liberal contributions to the electoral campaign fund.

In this way Lord Burton, Lord Iveagh, Lord Ardilaun-three multimillionaire brewers-gained their elevations to the Multi-Tillionaire Brewers Are Made House of Lords. Several others might be named who will have their inclusion among hereditary legislators to the fact that they had "shelled out" generously to

win victories at the polls. One opportunity members of parliament London, Jan. 28. — It is estimated ure for what it has cost them to get there. have of recouping themselves in a measthat the general elections have cost in which they are not slow to avail themofficially something like \$5,000,000, al- selves. That is by serving as company though the cost actually will be at P.'s on the boards. They are regarded as least thrice that sum. One authority good bait for investors. Several members who has had great experience of po- of Mr. Balfour's late Cabinet were company directors. Campbell-Bannerman has made it a rule that no member of his ministry shall hold such jobs. They must have no interests which might conflict with their services to the nation which

Never in the history of a political conwith the longest purse stands the best poster politics as in the recent election. chance of getting in. The "bar'l" Lithographing firms worked with double counts here for quite as much as it shifts, and all the expert bill posters in the country were engaged in plying their trade. What one party put up one day The official estimate is based on the the other tore down in the night, despite

Probably no other country in the world elected. Under that measure, which England when a general election is on. Thousands of pounds have been spent like water-or, rather, paste and water-to set tions in Great Britain, where the forth the views of the contending parties. number of electors does not exceed. One of the most striking posters \$1,750, and in county constituencies of stems the c a similar strength it must not exceed the bottom of which is a river, with the steps, the entrance to a dark archway, at \$3,200. For each additional 1,000 elec- word "Ruin" on it. The steps to ruin tors an extra allowance is made of were the Liberal policy, represented by navy," "Home Rule," and "Disunited The limits of legitimate expenditure Empire." "C. B." was saying to John merits-or demerits-according to the individual ways of looking at things.

Home Rule for Ireland was made the main feature of several startling placards, while Chamberlain's protection policy attracted lots of attention. One of the most attractive efforts on the last named subscale of legitimate expenditure, which must be exceedingly welcome to the "Everything gone up," says means. In boroughs where the num- Chamberlain, "except meal for pigs-you

# CZAR'S NEW ALLY

Alignment of European Powers.

grouping of the powers of Europe, with Sir Edmund Head, and is dated Jan. Ing the more important question of ad-justing the France Corman district Hancock, a survivor of the Valencia's Six cents was held to be too small a Germany and Russia arrayed side by 26, 1856. life raft, found in Barkeley Sound, in sum to charge for refreshments at a side in the closest friendship and the telling of the experiences of those Music to soothe the savage elector is with Republican France lagging in the Italy would be charged with the organization of a semi-military police.

This would be accentable to Garmany

who were with him on the raft, said illegal if provided at the candidate's expense, but there are no restrictions

Emperor Nicholas at a gala luncheon Emperor Nicholas at a gala luncheon Two Irish judges have declared that at Tsarskoe Selo yesterday in honor

> prohibited from hiring vehicles of any resentatives to propose a toast to the sort to convey voters to the polls, but German Emperor, Emperor Nicholas

peror of Germany and King of Prussia, my brother and very dear friend." Candidates are held responsible for all German ambassador, who was standa few years ago, when I began to have pel the raft landward, others were the acts of their agents. Jesse Collings ing at his right, the Emperor grasped to belt him Hancock who fell which was added, three years ago, a sleep, was awakened by Groggie was once unseated after being returned as him by the hand and is reported to condition commonly called "heartburn," but which, of course, is in
reality nothing but a bad condition of

culty in recalling even the occurrences sandy beach. The raft was left drift- ference in the result. Penalties are foreign minister, gave ministerial of the previous day. The doctor diaging off shore until found next morning severe enough to make the most hard-sanction to the significant utterances. The Emperor's choice of the word "ally" indicates that the defensive al-The four survivors, as soon as they with or without hard labor, or a fine of liance with France is still considered crept from the raft, staggered above \$1,000. And the candidate may lose his binding, but undoubtedly not a hair's seat if elected and be forever disqualified breadth beyond the letter of the treaty providing for common action, only in case France is not the aggressor, and there is no telling how soon it will be

him lying on a log, semi-conscious majority—the determining factor in the The present relations between Gerselection of a candidate is the amount of many and Russia have been a matter money which he is likely to expend on of slow but steady growth, and signs versities and totally ignorant of politics, Russo-Japanese war the warm per- ing a gale from the north. into the House of Commons. The same sonal friendship always existing beconsideration wins a seat for Squire tween the two monarchs has been

thoroughly understood on both sides. The the Franco-Russian alliance vanished candidates must spend money freely not when France clasped hands with borne, near here, Friday, when Henry only before they are elected, but as long Great Britain, and practically assured herself of an ally in case of war.

Oregon refuses to maintain United oners—fourteen in number—to the be progressing favorably. Fulton is \$1.25, all dealers or Co., Torento, Ont.

# SMALLMAN & INGRAM

Colder, with snow.

THE SATISFACTORY STORE.

## **New Wash Goods Arriving** and Departing

Every day or so a fresh shipment of new spring wash goods tumbles in on us. And it's really surprising how quickly the pretty new things are sought out. Ladies just widths of 1/2 and 1 inch. must see the latest creameant buying in many a 1-2 inch, 1Cc yard case. See the newcomers mentioned today, and prepare to capitulate to their sist them.

Scotland contributes these pretty zephyrs and chambrays.

Some Zephyrs have fancy stripes. Stripes are 1/4-inch wide and have a wavy line running down them and spots scattered over them. Between the stripes are plain grounds of pink, sky, reseda, dark blue, mauve and gray. 27 inches wide, yard..... 18c

Other ZEPHYRS are in plaid designs. Pale blue and black, reseda and pink, pale blue and gray. Fast colors.

27 inches wide. Yard... 20c CHAMBRAYS are plain colors of pink, sky, linen, mauve, gray and cadet blue.

## **Violets Abloom Among the Ribbons**

In our Ribbon Section, VIOLETS, so fresh and natural-looking they invite plucking, will be found abloom on delicate grounds of mauve, white, pink and pale green. Somebody said "they might nearly be mistaken for hand-painted"—so you see they must be beauties indeed.

These ribbons are new arrivals, and come in

They will make very chick little collars, and tions - and seeing has simply charming blouse trimmings.

1 inch, 20c yard

THESE 2-INCH RIBBONS, DECORATED WITH GLITTERING GILT DESIGNS, make handsome belts and pretty collars. A very smart; almost military appearance alluring daintiness. It's may be given an Eton jacket if a few yards are employed next to impossible to re- as band trimmings down the front. Various shades .....75c and 85c

Still a FEW MOIRE RIBBONS in sapphire blue, 6 inches in width, were 35c yard. for only......15c

### **Trimmings, New and Pretty**

There's a daintiness, freshness and stylishness about these new Trimmings that's very appealing, especially if you desire some bewitching trimmings for the new evening dress.

See this 6-INCH POINT D'ESPRIT PLEATING, with pretty gathered liberty silk frill, 1 inch in width. BLACK, yard, 25c. WHITE, yard ......25c Or perhaps this one, A 6-INCH BLACK POINT D'ESPRIT, pleated and gathered, fagotted ribbon frill, will

please you...... 25c A CHIFFON PLEATING, with little embroidered spot and narrow gathered edging, is very dainty. 6 inches wide, per yard.......35c

BOX-PLEATED RUCHING, 2 inches wide, of POINT D'ESPRIT, would make charming bonnet or dress trim-

For edging flounces try these 3-4-INCH LIBERTY SILK RUCHINGS, colors of pale blue, pink, cream and 

## SMALLMAN & INGRAM. 149, 151, 153 and 155 HIS LONG SERVICE

turns showed an average outlay by Russian Emperor Hints at New Customs Official Appointed in 1856 Completes 50th Year.

> Sarnia, Jan. 28. - Mr. George W. Matheson, collector of customs here, has just completed his 50th year of continuous service. His first appointment was made by

In May, 1869, Mr. Matheson was of the customs office at the Grand hopeful and confident of the future? Trunk ferry. In 1884 the collectorship of the port of Sarnia having become vacant, he was promoted to that office by Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, then

Premier of Canada. Since that time the office has grown from a force of three men to fifteen employes, and from collections of \$12,-

Further Enlargement of the Grand Trunk Works to Go Oa at Oace.

Stratford, Jan. 28.-The announcement has been made that the further enlargement of the Grand Trunk shops in this city will be proceeded with at once. Tenders have been called for the

the machinery, is estimated at between \$75,000 to \$100,000. When the buildings are completed the works will and it is stated that this number will be employed before next winter.

### Schooner Capsizes.

Victoria, Jan. 28.—The schooner Ella G. is reported from Bamfield to have turned turtle off the island coast and all hands were drowned. There were six men on the schooner

### which was engaged in fishing. Rallway Bridge Aftre.

St. Johns, Que., Jan. 28.-The C. P. R. bridge crossing the river here is on the district. It is this which puts so of the new alignment have long been fire and two hundred feet have been many young landlords, fresh from the uni- in the air. Since the outbreak of the destroyed already. The wind is blow-Fire departments of St. Johns and Iberville are working on each side of the river, but there is no judging what the result will be. Trains are delayed on both sides of the river.

> Paris, Jan. 28. - A dispatch to the Echo de Paris from Milan says that King Victor Emmanuel has ordered a

Gems for Miss Alice.

Falls From Tender. engine near Dobbington today, breaking his leg and receiving several bad refuses to pay more than \$4. So the attended to by Grand Trunk Surgeon Oregonians have turned over the pris- Steward. Tonight he was reported to

# these utensils were much used by the

What a Joy To Feel Well.

Do you know what it is to feel wellto feel young and hearty and vig orous-to feel full of energy and ambisent to Point Edward to take charge tion-to enjoy work and look forward This is the way you will feel if you revitalize your wasted and depleted nervous system by the use of Dr.

Chase's Nerve Food. Not in any miraculous wav-not after the first dose or first box, it may be-but when your system has been gradually built up, your blood enriched and new vim and vigor instilled into

the nerves. MORE SHOPS FOR STRATFORD Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is a wonderful medicine, but its wonders are ac complished in Nature's way, by thoroughly restoring the elements lacking in a run-down body. No other treat ment for the nerves acts in exactly

this way. There is lots of evidence of what this great food cure has done for others. Ask your neighbors about it. 50c a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson. Bates & Co., Toronto.

KIDNEY DISEASE AND ITS DANGERS CAN BE QUICKLY CURED

# DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Kidney disease comes on quietly, it may have been in the system for a long time before you suspected the real cause of your trouble. There may have been backaches, swelling of the feet and ankles, disturbances of the urinary organs, such as, brick dust deposit in urine, higly colored, scanty or cloudy urine, bladder pains, frequent urination, stone in bladder, etc.

Perhaps you did not know that these were symptoms of kidney disease, so the trouble kept growing worse, until Neuralgia, Sciatica, Rheumatism, Diabetes, Dropsy, and worst of all, Bright's Disease have taken hold of your system.

Doan's Kidney Pills should be taken as the first sign of anything wrong. There is no other safe way, (plasters and liniments are useless), as the trouble must be eradicated from the system. Doan's Kidney Pills go to the seat of

the trouble, strengthen the kidneys, and help them to filter the blood properly and flush off all the impurities which cause kidney trouble. Mr. Thomas Mayhew, Smith's Falls, Ont., writes: "For over four months I was troubled with my kidneys, and my back got so lame I felt miser-able all over. After taking five boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills I was as well as ever. Price 50 cents per box or three boxes for \$1.25, all dealers or The Doan Kidney Pul

LADIES! MADAME DUVONPS FRENCH FEMALE PILLS Are the most efficient remedy for De-Full-sized \$2 box sent in plain package, on receipt of \$1. DOMEDICINE CO., TORONTO

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The extract from the Peruvian Cinchona Bark used in this preparation is specially prepared by expert chemists and according to the world's greatest Pharmacopæias.

This excellent Tonic will be found very beneficial as a rebuilder and strengthener.

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