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A COSTLY EXPERIMENT of human sufferir g than is done, the outflowings of charity should be directed The ceiling of the Assembly Chamber at to our own people rather than to the dusky sons of tropical regions, who are generally a sturdy, well-set-up class of people, whose habits, though dissiminar to our own, are vell suited to their country, condition and time, precipitating the fall of the whole, pereditary instincts. We feel sure that if ceiling. The Governor undoubtedly knew general movement were to be made to the exact condition of the ceiling when he place the London Hospital on a foundation said that he would not remain in the room such as it should occupy, it would com- The Assembly will immediately seek other and the favor not only of our own peo- quarters while the great architectural exple but that of a large number who do periment is taken down. Undismayed, not happen to live within the city pre- however, by the toppling state of the New York Capitor, Mr. Mowat proceeds to cincts.

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HOSPITAL OBJECTS. may be said that the chief object to jishment of truth. Lord Bacon, over 200 of so doing. It is to be hoped that it will a General Hospital should be devot years ago, in his "Nocum Organon," pointed hot prove an "experiment" in the sam is the cure of disease, especially that of to nature as alone worthy of homage. acute order. The advice given at the Man," said he, in the opening sentence of about to fall in; and that no altera ions or

ands of experienced physicians, and the this work, "the servant and interpreter of remodellings of the building will be called nedical and surgical appliances at hand, go nature, understands and reduces to prac. for as was the case so often in respect of to form a basis of cure that can scarcely be tice just so much of nature's laws as he has the plans. As already said, the stone is looked for in places of a remote kind. And actually experience ': more he can neither required to be taken from one quarry, and it is for that reason that so many resort to know nor a bive." Now this ex that owned by a strong political supporter it as a place where they are sure to be well perience Bacon maintained must be of Mr. Mowat's, all competition being extreated, and the disease under which they acquired by observation, and this cluded. Mr. Mowat should take care that ning happen to labour be attacked in the comprises the whole inductive philosophy it is of a kind that will stand, and not fall most scientific manner. The prejudice that of Bacon and the natural scientists. This as at Albany, used to exist against going into a hospital kindergarten education, although adopted

is fast dying away, as it becomes generally by Germany, is nothing more than what understood what the principal objects in Bacon pointed out over 200 years ago. view are. At one time a popular belief ex-isted that such a place was used as a con-this side of the Atlantic. We find that a venient one from which surgeons could committee of the Boston, U.S., Board of nement one from which surgeons could committee of the Boston, U.S., Board of the south has become the chief source of Education was recently appointed to invessing the south has become the chief source of supply for pine, poplar and oak. Virginia, tennessee, Arkansas and made the sport of the dissecting room, was naturally distasteful to many— part of the public school system, and the the blows of the wood-cutter's axe. though really it can matter very little to value of the kindergarten as a preparatory

any man what may become of the school for the primary forms. This Boston inert matter that once formed his body Committee defines the kindergarten and its after life has become extinct and feeling line of work clearly and concisely when it United States while attempting to stea

after life has become extinct and recting says := gone. It is not now thought that such is the object to which hospitals are devoted. but that the amelioration of human suffer ing is the aim in view And just as the fing is the aim in view And just as the conviction referred to becomes firmly day nursery is not, and a kindergart rooted in the mind of the public, so will it sume. Neither is a kindergarten at conviction referred to becomes firmly be found that applications for admission to different; it the Hospital will become more frequent tha and argent. Even now it often happens that such applications are far in advance The This has arisen to a great extent from the line on to give give them moral and ph This has arisen to a great extent from the ing qui e as number of beds that are constantly in use give it as to able to avail for the purposes of accouchement; a kind The benefit, intellectually, is briefly of relief for which the Hospital was not in summed up in the report of this Boston stituted. In most hospitals there is a Ma- Board when it says :--ternity department where such cases are ternity department where such cases are treated; but care is taken that the beds in-tended for the use of patients who are suf-fering from neute sickness are not taken up by those cases which do not come where the supervalion; in the great reading with which the art of reading is learned; in with which the art of reading is learned; in with which the art of reading is learned; in the greater and taken with which the art of reading is learned; in the great reading the supervised of the superv under the category of disease, but are merely due to the ordinary operations of able development and discipline nature. In the Hospital in this city that distinction has not been kept up as it should have been, and it has thus come distinction has not been kept up as it and only a preparation for the interfectual training a monitor depicted as the peculiar function of the schools, but a very substantial advancement in the training." ab ut that it has often been found to be in too crowded an ondition to permit of the In our Canadian cities we find in Toronto admission of patients whose cases deman 24 divisions of public kindergartens, and in ed immediate attention. About a year ago it was intimated that it would be well to well-equipped public kindergartens. Phila example belonged to the reign of Henry lelphia 32, St. Louis over 60. And in a VII. It is a fine spoon, and was probably enlarge the Hospital, so that the growing needs of London and the surrounding late issue of one of our Brantford con- made for the baptismal service of a child temporaries we find that the Inspector $\mathbf{o}_{\mathbf{f}}$ named Nicholas, in honor of the sain who is country in relation to the treatment of dis ease might be properly attended to. But Brant County and the Chairman of the credited with a great affection for children An example of a very early leaden spont Brant County and the Chairman of the Board of Trustees have been in Hamilton and Toronto enquiring into the working of ed to have been used for putting incense the matter was postponed. Circumstances that have recently arisen have been the means of recalling public attention to the subject, and a movement is on foot to es-tablish an asylum for the use of convales-cents. No doubt the object intended is a most worthy one; though whether the formation of convales-cent wards under the Hospital roof might not be a better way of attaining the same end in a more economical attaining the same end in a more economical for this Province has prepared a special forks and other articles for the table. and satisfactory manner, is a question on which so., e difference of opinion may exist. teachers offering for examination, and who curriculum on kindergarten subjects for It seems to many that what is wanted at the intend to fit themselves for this class of interest and is not to be found in the ordi present time may be summed up by saying work. Nothing shows the progress of nary dictionaries. The word, of course that a, Maternity department and a wellthis rational system of education better is Spanish, and Littre, in his French dicsized Convalescent ward should be added than these facts. More and more our ad- tionary, says that it is derived from cigar to the Hospital. This would be the means vanced educators are coming to realize the ra, the Spanish name for grasshopper of bringing all the cases that present them-full value of this system of education, and When the Spaniards first introduced to selves for treatment under the supervision we find it adopted in our principal cities in bacco into Spain from the island of Cuba, of one medical head, and it is likely that we find it adopted in our principal cases. In this re-in the sixteenth century, they enlived the spect we find our own city. London, be plant in their gardens, which in Spanish spect we find our own city. London, be hind, but it is probable that, like the Brant-ford Board, they want to make enquiry into the working of the kindergarten before promoted in that way than by having several distinct establishments, scattered at various points throughout the city. There is no object to which the people of this they fully establish the system. A cable despatch says the Zossener street tragedy is one of the most remarkable that Berlin has had for many years. Mr. Botzo, on reaching home, was met at the city would more willingly contribute than to the needs of a well-regulated hospital. It comes home to the people in so many ways, and is so practical a mode of doing good, as to win the approval of hundreds who do not see the propriety of sending door by his wife and her lover, who coolly cigarra, a grasshopper, that in large sums of money abroad for the supposed conversion of the "heathen." "Is explained that as they could not live apart they had poisoned themselves. Botzo was In this there not enough to do at home?" they say, and while the duty to humanity is still so imperfectly fulfilled, while so much more night be done in the direction of the relief

spend two millions of the people's money on a similar experiment at Toronto-an

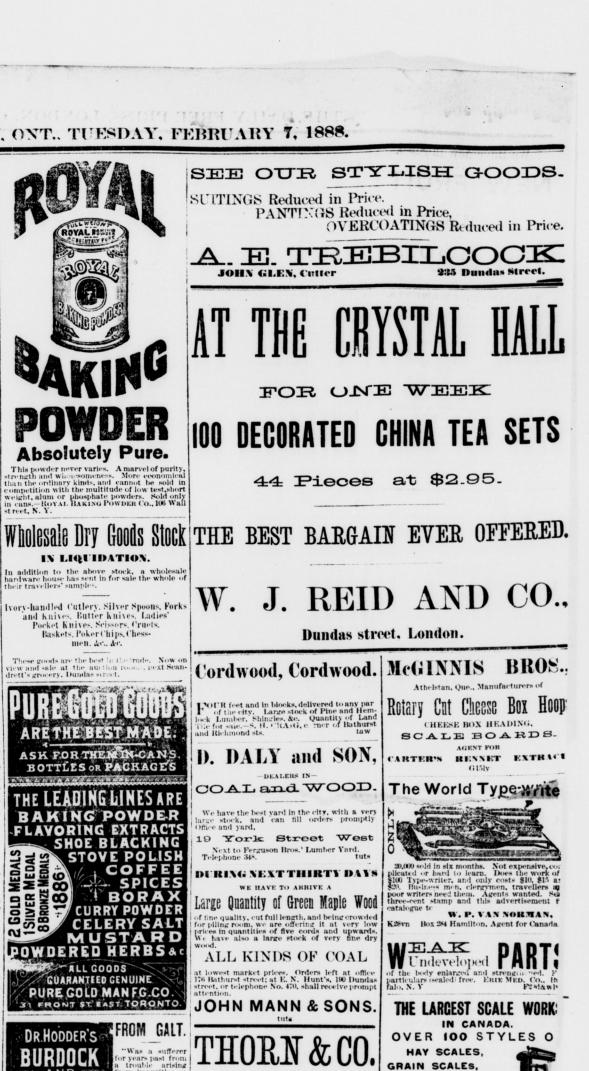
The advanced educationalists of the age experiment which may prove a much re convinced that historical puzzles like more costly one in the long run for the those submitted at the last entrance exami- Province. The building was not wanted nation for High School work in Ontario, by the people. They have no use for such and mathematical enigmas are not the best nstrumints for developing the powers of for the meetings of the Legislature. Their observation and leading out all the facul ideas run more and more in the direction ies of the mind. In fact, Sir Wm. Hamil- of simplicity and economy. Up to on, in one of his lectures at the University last year Mr. Mowat always insisted on of Edinburgh, said:- "If we consult reason, having a big show at the opening of the experience, and the common testimony of ancient and modern times, none of our in-drums beat, the bands played, the soldiers ellectual studies tend to cultivate a smaller presented arms or stood at "'tention," the tenectual studies tend to cultivate a smaller prescheduling of stood at " tention, the fraculties in a more partial or feeble manner than mathematics." Sir Walter Scott mentions a case of an idiot who could mention every historical event in the Bible. And in the life of Charles the members to do, for the work is main-Darwin, recently published and edit-ly that of administration, which serves to ed by his son, the latter says his account for the brevity of the daily meetfather could never bear poetry, and ings, extending from five to ten minutes. that his college and school carcer was so This year all the aforementioned fuss and bad in classics and such a fondness for parade was omitted.Sir Alex.Campbell saw natural history and outside sports that his father predicted he would never be fit for anything but to carry a gun and snare rab bits. But this man had large observation less expense. But Mr. Mowathas been ob and this is the only true means of laying liged to satisfy a number of his adherents a foundation for the discovery and estab. and this lavish outbay gives an opportunity

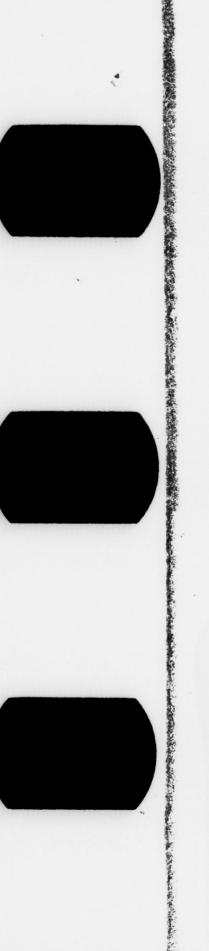
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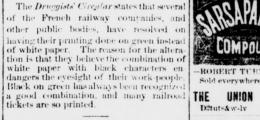
An American paper says .- One result of GOLD crease of timber in the north-west, so that ing with

It has been estimated by a prominer railroad official that fully 3,000 tramps ar silled annually on the railroads of the cides or when walking on the tracks. The the safety of travellers, as well as to the roperty of the companies iem do not hesitate to cause





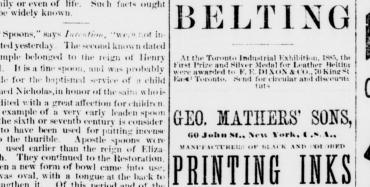
arning switches, burning bridges, other devices.



F. E. DIXON & CO. At Medicine Hat ploughing was done or the 30th Dec. A week or two ago we were reading about the terrible Dakota blizzards, and yet some people will run down the fortunate country where winter is so late in making its appearance in favor of a territory where the settler is neve safe from the bleak desolation that may in a moment deprive him of cattle, shelter

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