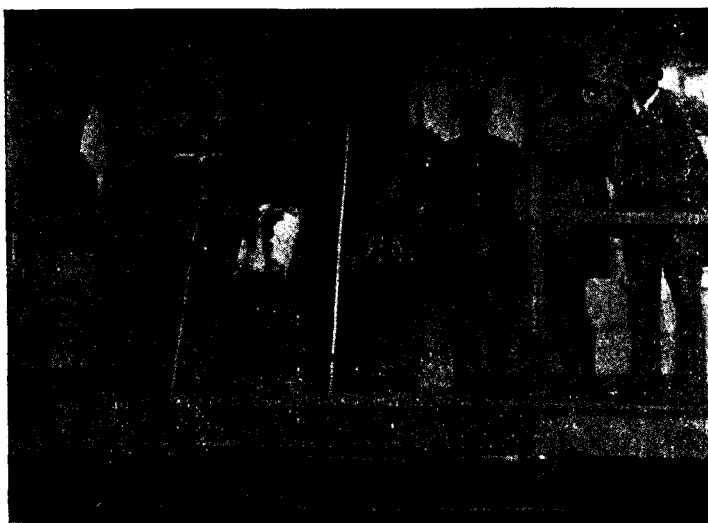




Zulu Chiefs and Interpreter, St. Helena.

barristers considerable annoyance, too,) that the defendant was not severely sat upon. The case was adjourned *sine die*. I should not omit to state that the counsel employed were named McGibbon, Q.C., and Purcell. After a voyage of twenty days we sighted Napoleon's last home, — "the rock," as sailors call it.

Apart from its historical renown, St. Helena, the capitol of which is James Town, should be better known as

After remaining here for a time I tried Bath, where our doctor, Dr. Hugh Lane, brother of Arbrethnot Lane, sr., Physician of Guy's Hospital, recommended St. Helena, where there is no cold of greater extreme than 62°, and where the heat reaches sometimes to 78°.

I will not dwell on the voyage, suffice to say that the *Dunrobin Castle*, captained by a skipper of the first water (Captain Winder) and whose officers (Hubback, Mason, Maise and Salmon) and doctor (Smith) brought us here safely. The officers were awfully kind, and the disciple of Æsculapius knew his work well; indeed we had such a jolly time of it that it was like being among Montrealers again. There was a breach of promise case on board, one Charles McCock being judge. There was a crowded house, and it was only on the "Court" being taken violently sick by reason of the roughness of the sea (it caused the

a health resort. The accompanying illustrations hardly do the scenery justice, so varied and strikingly beautiful is the place. The magnolia, the red, white, variegated camelia and mimosa luxuriate in the densely wooded valleys; the fuschia, myrtle, honeysuckle, marigold, verbenas, and roses of many kinds perfume the air of the country roads, which all the year round are bright with numbers of beautiful flowers, most of them giving forth sweet aromas. The geranium is a weed here, and to Europeans it seems miracul-



Country Scene, St. Helena.