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**SIMPLE MISHAP
STARTED
POISONED ARM**



**LIMB SAVED
by ZAM-BUK!**

"A stab from an ordinary sewing needle started my poisoned arm," writes Miss S. A. Wernicke, of Hilton, B.C. Doctor tried to prove again, how easily poisonous infection finds its way into the tiniest cut, scratch or abrasion? Don't run into similar dangers! With Zam-Buk as your everyday healer you are prepared for any injury or skin trouble. Zam-Buk promptly ends pain, swelling and inflammation. It purifies and safeguards the damaged tissues against disease—it means perfect antiseptic healing every time.

In her letter Miss Wernicke says:—"This needle went so far into my finger that it pierced the bone. My hand became so stiff and swollen that I could not use it. I naturally tried every remedy I knew of, but it only got worse. Blood-poison developed and extended right up into my arm. The pain was intense, and I certainly thought I would lose the limb, for it was in a terribly inflamed and swollen state, and literally covered with lumps. A friend advised me to use Zam-Buk which I did, and it was not long before the pain grew less. With perseverance all the inflammation and poisonous matter was drawn out, the swelling and lumps disappeared, and my arm was soon quite well again."

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SEND TO-DAY!

**CANADA'S TRADE
WITH TRINIDAD**

Led All Other Countries in
Supplying Colony With
Foodstuffs.

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Jan. 6.—Canada led all other countries in supplying the colony of Trinidad with foodstuffs in 1919, complete trade statistics for that year, which have just been published, show. The importation of foodstuffs from Canada was over three-quarters of a million dollars greater in value than



Constipation

IT is never necessary to take strong cathartic or harsh castor oil to relieve constipation. Try a combination of simple herbs with pepsin, sold by druggists under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepsin. It is a mild, yet effective medicine so safe that thousands of mothers give it to their babies, and yet effective enough to relieve the most chronic constipation in grownups. The formula is on the package. A sixty-cent bottle lasts an average family many months, and is guaranteed to do as claimed or your money will be refunded. Eight million bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepsin were sent in drug stores last year!

If you would like to test Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepsin free of charge before buying it in the regular way of your druggist, send your name and address to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 19 Front St., Bridgeport, Ont., and a free trial bottle will be sent you promptly, postpaid.

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Girls! Save Your Hair!
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Immediately after a "Danderine" massage, your hair takes on new life, lustre and wondrous beauty, appearing twice as heavy and plentiful because each hair seems to fluff and thicken. Don't let your hair stay lifeless, colorless, plain or scraggly. You, too, want lots of long, strong, beautiful hair.

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In the previous year, amounting to \$4,203,999, as against \$3,485,486. The bulk of this consisted of flour and salt fish. During the year foodstuffs valued at \$2,288,384 were imported from the United States; \$550,286 from Britain, and \$1,504,104 from British Dominions and possessions other than Canada. Canada sold this colony raw material valued at \$203,270, as against \$90,105 in the previous year, and manufactured articles valued at \$208,508 against \$284,974 in the previous year. In manufactured articles the Old Country had a big lead, importations in 1919 being valued at \$3,208,384. In the previous year the value of manufactured goods purchased from Great Britain was \$2,511,918.

The total import trade with Canada showed a considerable increase during the year, being \$2,288,384, as compared with \$2,030,224 in the previous year. While this increase was largely due to the steady rise in prices, the proportion of the import trade held by Canada shows that the Dominion has steadily increased its share, being 40.5 per cent. in 1919, and 9.1 per cent. in 1918. This increase has been largely at the expense of the Mother Country, which shows a steady decrease. In the home trade it is stated that Canada now practically has a monopoly.

Canada now furnishes most of the butter used in Trinidad. In 1919, \$4,229 worth of butter from Canadian dairies was sold in this market, while cheese to the value of \$12,501 came from the Dominion. The imports of condensed milk are also important, amounting to \$50,000 in 1919. Among other leading items supplied by Canada during the year were: Paper, \$2,226; painters' colors and materials, \$2,001; rubber manufactures, \$1,002; undressed timber, \$108,310; dressed timber, \$1,977.

The trade in rubber manufactures is a comparatively new development, and includes largely canvas rubber-soled shoes, for which a big demand had developed here as a substitute for leather shoes.

A export trade to Canada showed a decrease in 1919, being \$193,160, as compared with \$148,089 in 1918. The four chief exports to Canada are sugar, cocoa, coconuts and molasses, all of which, except coconuts, showed declines in the year.

During the year shipments of sugar fell from 3,315 tons, valued at \$402,208, to nothing. This was because the supply usually exported to Canada was not available. The Trinidad sugar manufacturers having sold their supply to the sugar commission in England.

There will be only 88 days, exclusive of Sundays during the year 1921 when some country somewhere in the world is not celebrating a holiday of one sort or another. Of all countries Turkey is most given to the keeping of holidays, there being 26 days in the year when special celebrations are held. Scotland, with only five holidays, is the country most thrifty in its time.

MOTHER!

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**DARING ESCAPE
AND ATTEMPTED
JAIL DELIVERY**

Keeper Withstood Rush of 19
Prisoners in Effort for Free-
dom—Bank Robber Got
Away.

New York, Jan. 6. — George Anton, keeper in the West Side Prison, in Fifty-third street, withstood a rush of nineteen prisoners and prevented a wholesale jail delivery, after a bar had been cut from a window at the end of the runway of the first cell tier, and Harry Lloyd Bitzberger, who was being held for extradition to New Jersey, where he is wanted in connection with the robbery of the First National Bank of Milltown, had made his escape, unpursued.

Bitzberger is accused also of other crimes, including the robbery of the Sleepy Hollow Country Club.

The twenty prisoners occupying cells on the first tier were allowed to walk along the path outside the cells at 7 o'clock, as is customary. It was during the exercise period while the keeper, according to his own statement, was engaged in the examination of the cells, that Bitzberger saw one of the bars from a window that is ten feet above the floor, bent back the ends and crawled through the opening.

Dropping five feet and throwing his body forward so as to clear a three foot airway, he slipped on the roof of the two story shop of the New York Hallways Company, which is next to the jail on the west side.

Bitzberger ran across the roof of this building, and, grabbing the guy wires of a smokestack on an adjoining structure, slid into a truck that was standing in the rear of the car shop. He then ran through an alley, leaped over a fence in the rear of 341 West Fifty-third street, and made his way to Fifty-third street by going through an alley between the houses at 341 and 343.

When Anton entered the corridor, after his inspection of the cells, he saw Thomas Hunt of 893 Columbus avenue, a prisoner awaiting arraignment on a charge of assault and robbery, with his head stuck through the opening by which Bitzberger had escaped. Hunt was just getting ready to leap to the roof below. When Anton demanded that he drop back to the corridor, eighteen of his fellow prisoners made a rush for the keeper.

Escapes Prevented.

Anton, drawing his revolver, placed his back against the wall and swept the prisoners with his weapon.

The keeper threatened to shoot Hunt unless he got away from the window. Hunt lost little time in getting back to the corridor. Anton's whistle had by this time brought help from below, and the prisoners were returned to their cells and locked up. It was a third till a check of the cells was made that it was learned that Bitzberger had made his escape.

A investigation revealed a saw and a file behind a radiator under the window through which Bitzberger escaped. It is believed he stood on the radiator while sawing out the hole, but from the bottom of the high window. As the prisoners were in the corridor only a short time, the jail authorities believe that the work of sawing the hole began on Saturday, leaving little to be done this morning.

How Bitzberger got possession of the saw and file has not been explained. His wife visited him Friday and talked with him in the presence of the jailer. She brought food, which was expected by Mrs. Mary Riordan, the matron, before it was passed along to the prisoner.

Prison officials believe someone passed the tools to the prisoner when he began on Saturday. When it was learned that Bitzberger had escaped, police reserves surrounded the block and made a search of all houses.

James McGowan, driver of the truck into which Bitzberger escaped, was the only one who knew of the escape at the time. He was so excited, and the movements of the prisoner were so swift, that no attempt was made at pursuit.

Peter Mallen, warden of the prison, immediately suspended keeper Anton, and an investigation is being made. This said to have been the first escape that has been made from the West Side Prison since sixteen years ago, when a negro made his way out after shooting a keeper.

Bitzberger and Chaffee were charged with complicity in the escape, and are said to have confessed. Levine was charged with having acted as a "fence" for the disposal of stolen goods.

**A POLITICAL
DIVISION OF
ARGENTINA?**

Buenos Aires, Dec. 31.—(Associated Press Correspondence)—The Argentine provinces are trying to form a combination against Buenos Aires, the capital city. Overtures are being conducted between political leaders of some of the provinces for the formation of a "League of Governors" for the purpose of uniting the northern agricultural districts of the country against Buenos Aires and other coastal districts. Some political observers see in this movement an attempt to return to the former division of the country politically into opposing sections while others maintain that it merely is an economic measure having as its purpose the protection of the productive areas.

To Argentina, the city of Buenos Aires has the relation of the spout to the tea-kettle and practically all of the wealth of the country flows through it. It is at once the financial, diplomatic and political capital of the country. It is claimed by the leaders of the League idea, the city has disproportionate power and the northern states need union to offset this.

**ROMAN RELICS
DISPOSED OF**

London, Dec. 20.—(Associated Press Correspondence)—Great Britain's most ancient military trophies, a Roman battle standard and a Roman general's folding camp chair have just been sold for £200 at a London auction room. The antiquities were dug up in Essex a century ago.

Experts believe that the battle standard and the camp chair were captured or lost in the disaster that overtook the Roman Ninth Legion in A. D. 61, when Boadicea, Queen of the Iceni, cut the legion to pieces as it advanced to re-

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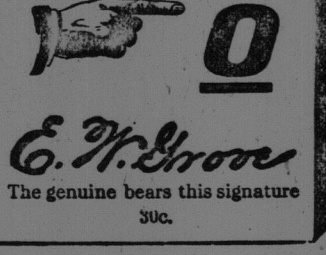
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GAS BOMBS FOR POLICE.

New Type Being Manufactured for the Chicago Police.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Gas bombs for use by the police force of Chicago are now being perfected and are expected to be available for use within a month or six weeks.

Dr. F. O. Toney, city chemist, who has been working upon the gas bomb recommended by Chief of Police Fitzmorris recently, announced that models have been evolved which he hopes tests will prove satisfactory.


"We have been handicapped," Dr. Toney said, "by a lack of shops in which to manufacture the models. We've at last located a shop with proper facilities and have submitted rough designs which may require one or two changes in the finished product."

The bombs, Dr. Toney said, are of two types. One will utilize the familiar Mills hand grenade, which was used in large numbers by the Allies during the war. It will have a specially constructed cap fitted to it for police use. The other will be a glass container loaded with tear gas-producing liquids, which will smash as soon as it strikes a solid object and which can rapidly render a room untenable to any fugitive who has barricaded himself from the police.

New York in governing itself spends almost \$22,000,000 a year, which is more than the whole Japanese Empire requires. It has 100 theatres, 1,500 hotels, and 1,600 churches. It turns out one-tenth of all the manufactured goods of the United States, one-fourth of all the printed matter and one-half of all the cotton goods. The annual output of its 38,000 factories is worth more than \$3,000,000,000.

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Worth from \$3.50 to \$15.00. Sale price from \$1.98 to \$12.00.	Slightly soiled. Worth \$6.50, sale price \$3.98.

MEN'S OVERALLS	LADIES' CORSETS
Worth \$3.50, for \$2.75.	Worth \$4.25, for \$2.98.

MEN'S CORDUROY PANTS	LADIES' CORSETS
Worth \$7.00, for \$5.48.	Worth \$2.75, for \$1.98.

MEN'S SHIRTS, TIES AND BRACES	LADIES' SHIRTWAISTS
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