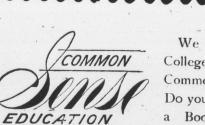


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grandsons Messrs. Walter Smith of '(c) A grant will be made for the Athens, George of Brantford, James purposes of equipment and accommo and Benson of Watertown. dation, and "(d) A grant of 40 per cent. will be

made on the excess of all salaries VILLAGE COUNCIL above \$300 and up to \$600.

local board of health ; T. R. Beale, high school trustee ; B. Loverin,

janitor of hall and caretaker of fire

the

will also be considered.

"This will work out as follows :---The regular monthly meeting of the The regular monthly meeting of the village council was held on Monday at 2 p.m. A. W. Blanchard filed his ion of \$15 to each section, \$80,000; declaration and qualification of office appropriation of 40 per cent on salar-and took his seat The reeve and all is over \$300, \$24,000; a total of the councillors were present. Minutes \$380,000.

of last meeting read and adopted. "The last annual grant to rural The clerk read the draft of the by-law schools by the late Government was for the appointment of village officers \$118,300 We increased this last and on motion of Judson and Tayor year by \$60,000 the by law was introduced read a

"To recapitulate, the total of profirst and second time and the blanks posed grants to rural schools this year is \$380,000; the last grant by the late Government was \$118,000; therefore filled in as follows : B. Loverin, clerk, salary \$65 00 ; J. P Lamb, treasurer, salary \$25 00; T. S. Kendrick and the increase by the present Govern-Irwin Wiltse, auditors, \$5 each ; Drs. ment is \$262,000." Purvis and Moore and T. G. Stevens,

Local Option Recount

engine, salary \$50.00, with the privi-The recount and serutiny of the lege of charging parties occupying ballots cast in the local option contest auditorium for more than two meetings in Rear Leeds and Lansdowne took a sum per meeting to be mutually place at Lyndhurst on Friday last. agreed upon. The appointment of asses or and chief of police was laid The result was to leave the official count unchanged, viz : 216 against to a special meeting to be held the by law and 320 for, leaving Local on Friday, 8th inst., at 2 pm, when Option defeated by four, so far as the question of street lighting ballots counted were concerned, but also be considered. B. LOVERIN, Village Clerk.

or five of which were marked both for and against and about sixteen were blank ballots. As three fifths of HOUSE OF INDUSTRY

the electors voting are required to approve, it was argued that Local Mr. Wm. Richardson, Inspector of Option was really defeated by over the House of Industry, reports, in sixteen. It was also argued that as part, as follows, for the year 1906 :- three electors voted, who it was "The institution during the past alleged were not qualified to vote, the

year has been doing very successful election should be declared void. work, having a larger number of in. Argument of counsel in respect to mates who as a rule are contented and the matter is to be heard by Judge happy, being kept very clean and fed Reynolds in Brockville to day.



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How Criminals Are Led Out to be Publicly Beheaded in India.

The decision as to whether the murderer should be executed or imprisoned for life was, says a correspondent in de-ecribing an execution at Hyderabad of a Pathan who had shot his brother-inlaw, as is usual, left to the murdered mnn's relatives, and his wife, the sister of the murderer, voted for death. On the day of the execution there ap-

peared in the streets a band of sweepers armed with leafy twigs, followed by a squad of the city Arab police with fixed bayonets. Then came the criminal, dress-ed in new white garments, with a new thalter around his neck and new ropes attached to his arms. The ends of these ropes were held by policemen. The or-dinary thing is for the condemned man to walk, but in this case he was so overcome that he had to be conveyed in a jutka.

On arriving at the fatal spot the murderer was made to alight and kneel down while the policeman handed over charge of the cords to the executioner's attendants, one of whom, seizing the end of the halter, stood in front of the felon, while others held the cords pinioning his arms behind. The executioner, brandishing a broad, heavy sword, keen as a rator, in a suggestive fashion and prancing up toward his victim asked three times in a loud voice: "Who authortimes in a would voice: "Who author-izes the execution?" The chief of the More Successful Than Her Male Com city police on duty thrice replied: "The

Then an attendant armed with a long back, causing him to start forward. At a dunning creditor recently. "I think the same instant those holding the cords the future will see women the only bill laid themselves back in opposite directions as in a tug-of-war contest. with collectors. There is something in the stretched, and following the reply of the men can resist. It seems strange, too, chief of descended fair and true on the neck, severing the head completely .- Military take to it. There are a handful of wo-Gazette.

WRITES THE BIRDS' MUSIC.

Government Expert Records Tones Heard in the Wildwood.

in the Wildwood. Henry Oldys, assistant biologist in the department of agriculture, has 1,000 sam-ples of bird music written in popular form so that it is possible for the hu-man voice exactly to imitate the song-sters of the field and the forest. He has mecorded the actual tones, setting them in the proper musical key, and their re-production is easy for anybody who can read musical symbols. Mr. Oldys has been gathering bird lan-guage for thirteen years, and during

Mr. Oldys has been gathering bird lan-guage for thirteen years, and during most of that time has been devoting his expert knowledge of the subject to official reports which find their way in the government archives. He has ex-tended the work of other eminent natur-alists and to-day is foremost among those who have made a study of this unique branch of science. bills. Her entrance always causes a commotion and she nearly always makes good. "She walk's gracefully up to where the large groups of salesmen are standing and inquires of the first one handy: "Is "No," the salesman addressed will re-ply. He recognizes the woman and he thinks to save a fellow worker.

The forests of the south and the fast-The forests of the south and the fast-messes of the west have been the hand-book of this student. He has collected as far as possible all the bird notes capable of reproduction for human ex-pression. Asked last night if he would formulate these in popular form he said that it probably would not be possible, as his samples are short and often dis-iointed. He thought the composer, howjointed. He thought the composer, how-ever, might supplement the work of the

There is in this collection, then, the possible groundwork for a magnificent bird opera. If the blending of notes can successfully be accomplished the theatre Bournville, Where the Workers Live in a

goer at the next decade may be treated with a wonderful entertainment and may hear in the course of one evening the songs of the feathered musicians of the world executed by human vocal chords

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appears. SHILOH will cure you, and all druggists back up this statement with a positive guarantee. The next time you have a Cough or Cold cure it with

WOMAN AS BILL COLLECTOR.

petitor in the Same Line.

"For persistent persuasive bill collectresult that the wretch's neck was sight of a woman bill collector that few police the executioner's blade that some of the most refined women men money collectors in Philadelphia and you can learn from their employers

that they make a great success of their vocation. They would not take to it except for pure love of the thing. "One woman in my employ, conceded to be one of the most tastefully dressed

thinks to save a fellow worker. "'Well,' the undaunted collector will

smoke him out by the usual stock of salesmen's jokes, and so the woman walks out one fine day with at least half the bill paid on account.-Philadelphia

Ledger.

Wooded Park.

During the past eleven years Bourn ville village has arisen and to-day it shel-ters a community of about 3,000. It covtan ers an area of more than 500 acres, near-Mr. Oldys explains that many of the ly the whole of which was a free gift by

Mr. Oldys explains that many of the 19 the woole of wnice was a free gift by bird tones are almost identical with those of the human. Taking this as basis he has recorded the symbols where-by the human can read and the human voice express these harmonious sounds. Among the more prevalent birds whose type. two houses are alike. The averthe remaining residents, about 40 the remaining residents, about 40 per cent. work in Birmingham. Mr. George Cadbury explained that out of their 4, 000 work people only seven had died for [Record-Herald.] the last four years, a death rate of less than two per 1,000. Six hundred or 700 girls had learned to swim in a large bath

THE ATHENS REPORTER, FEB. 6, 1907.

Days.

WHEN 6 REMEDIES

HE TRIED BILEANS.

It is the conviction of many American tourists in London that there is fog in that metropolis 365 days in every year with the exception of leap year, when there is fog on 366 days.

This exaggerated notion of London fogs is quite refuted by an official pub-lication of the English government, which gives a compilation of the wea-ther conditions taken twice a day and which shows the following result for last year:

LONDON HAS BRIGHT DAYS.

Not Always Foggy, as Visitors Are In

clined to Believe.

last year: Overcast (part fog) 145
 Fog (dense)
 64

 Clear sky
 60

 Snow
 16

Gale Variable London had last year 1,460 hours of sunshine out of 5,470 hours between the rising and the setting of the sun. In other words, about three-quarters of the time taken by observations was over-cast and the balance was clear. London owes its fogs to a triple com-bination of circumstances was topic and

bination of circumstances—westerly or southwesterly winds 325 out of 365 days of the year, salt marshes through much and irregularities, rheumatism, liver chill,

of the territory over which the wester-ly or southwesterly winds blow and an almost universal use of soft coal. Last year there were more days of sunlight in London than there had been on an

warage for twenty years before. "Ask for the Purple Package."

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INTERNATIONAL FOOD CO., TORONTO, CANADA 6	man, what she is to do next, rather than push on and bungle— When old Lord Rolle was doing hom-	
When Father Cleans the Sidewalk. (Chicago Record-Herald.)	age, being very infirm he fell after he ascended the throne, and rolled down three steps to the bottom of the Abbey floor. Everybody but the Queen made	
When father cleans the sidewalk He puffs and pants and blows He roars at us for hinting That are glad it snows; The language that he uses Is really a disgrace; When father cleans the sidewalk There's trouble round the place.	an exclamation of concern; she started from the throne as if to catch him, and recollecting her dignity, reseated herself instantly, which natural and graceful movement in a young girl, though Queen, drew down thunders of ap- plause from the spectators.	1
He plays golf in the summer To get the exercise, And on the rainy Sundays He often nearly dies. You'd think that he would flatten The ball at every whack;	-From "John Van Buren in England," in the December (Christmas) Scribner.	
But when he has to shovel It nearly breaks his back.	Fairville, Sept. 30, 1902.	-
He scolds about the climate And says he wishes we Could live where snow was something That we would never see. He tries to break the shovel And scrooches up his face; When father cleans the sidewalk There's trouble round the place.	Minard's Liniment Co., Limited: Dear Sirs,—We wish to inform you that we consider your MINARD'S LINI- MENT a very superior article, and we use it as a sure relief for sore throat and chest. When I tell you I would not be without it if the price was one dollar a	ttacat
Ladylike Geometry. I. A straight line is the shortest dis- nce between two millinery openings. II. A straight line determined by o bargain tables is considered as	bottle, I mean it. Yours truly, CHAS. F. TILTON.	0 € 7 7 t t

HAD FAILED

Winter, fanged and remorseless as winter is in these regions only, had fallen on Siberia with a sort of hungry venge-ance, and lengthened the long journey interminably. Cooped up in a convict car, which was divided into some twenty small, badly-ventileted cells it seems a small, badly-ventilated cells, it seems a miracle that we did not perish miserably on the way. One or two emaciated wretches, bitten deeply by exposure and consumption, did succumb, while the re-mainder of my companions dwindled gradually in numbers as we crawled tor. Now He Has Dyspepsia No More. Strange why people should not try the very thing that would do them good until radually in numbers as we crawled tor-Jast! Mr. Geo. La Portwin, of 36 St. Paul street, Toronto, tried six different remedies for dyspepsia, headache, and heartburn before he tried Bileans. The did him no good. The Bileans have cured him! He says: "I had heartburn, dys-pepsia and wind after food. The nour-ishment L took seemed to do a me no good and the source of the sour last! Mr. Geo. La Portwin, of 36 St. ney. Rising over the town at one

did him no good. The Bileans have cured him! He says: "I had heartburn, dys-pepsia and wind after food. The nour-ishment I took seemed to do me no good, and the pain I suffered was very acute. I tried six diffirent remedies before Bileans, but they did me no good. With Bileans it was quite different. I found they relieved the flatulence and the pain within a few hours, and a short course resulted in a commlete cure." end was the gray prison, surrounded by high and massive walls, built, it is said, of material taken from the great wall of China. Half frozen, nearly famished, and wholly discouraged by the first glimpse of what was to be my residence for near-ly two years. I was holded in a year

of what was to be my residence for near-ly two years, I was lodged in a roomy cell in company with two other prison-ers of hope. During the eighteen wretched months that followed, every spare moment we had was spent in planning an escape, but so heavy was the guard maintained over the town as well as the prison, and so vigilant were the soldiery, that two ycars passed before my dream of escape eame true—two years of drudging, unre-mitting labor in the silver mines of the region; two years of rigor and hardshing In every country where they have been introduced, Bileans have quickly taken first place because of their rapid and lasting cures of indigestion, liver and kidney complaints, anemia, headache, de-bility complaints, anemia, headache, deetc. Purely herbal and containing alcohol, they are an ideal family medi-cine. All stores and druggists sell at 50c. a box, or from the Bilean Co., Toronto, a boxes sent for \$2.50. region; two years of rigor and hardships which only the strongest constitutions may possibly survive. Death, in fact, is a release which on a dozen occasions I have heard welcomed in our exile com-munity there.—Gregori Gershuni, Rus-sian Social-Revolutionary leader, in Les-lic's Weekly. At the Coronation of Queen Victoria. My seat in the Abbey was an excellent

one for seeing and hearing everything. I was in the Ambassadors' tribune, directly behind Mr. Stevenson and before lic's Weekly. all the secretaries and attaches of en

bassies and legations. The Queen was directly in front of and below me, where MRS. HUNTER'S STORY I could see much of her expression. Whilst engaged in prayer she raised her Says Results are "Truly Marvellous." countenance directly towards our box, and a sweeter face no Queen need have. When she first entered she was consid-

Raglan Road, Kingsto Ont., says: "I have suffered with 35 kidney and liver trou-* ble and chronic consti-pation for some time. I Mrs. I. Hunter. Mrs. I. Hunter.

and side, and a tired, weary feeling nearly all the time. "I tried almost every medicine, was treated by doctors and druggists, with little or no benefit. "I tried Dr. Leonhardt's Anti-Pill, and an, what she is to do next, rather than ish on and bungle-When old Lord Rolle was doing hom-

ge, being very infirm he fell after he scended the throne, and rolled down "I tried Dr. Leonnardus Anti-rill, and the results have been truly wonderful. I am so much better. Anti-Pill is a most wonderful remedy." All dealers, or the Wilson-Fyle Co. ree steps to the bottom of the Abber

or. Everybody but the Queen made a exclamation of concern; she started om the throne as if to catch him, and Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont. collecting her dignity, reseated herself stantly, which natural and graceful The Ghost of Trinchinopoly. ovement in a young girl, though leen, drew down thunders of ap-ause from the spectators. The ghost may be seen on most nights between the hours of 11 and 12 on the Tennur road. She is a most beautiful creature who walks out of the river

-From "John Van Buren in England." the December (Christmas) Scribner. with her clothes all wet, water dripping from her clothes all wet, water drapping from her long silken tresses, and she car-ries in her right hand—no, not a piece of soap nor an aptiquated toothbrush— merely a brass foch. If any person at-tempts to approach her she merely points

erably flurried, but became calmer af-

ter half an hour's performance, as I call

it. The whole ceremony occupied about four hours and a half, during which time

Dear Sirs,-We wish to inform t we consider your MINARD'S LINI ENT a very superior article, and we c it as a sure relief for sore throat and When I tell you I would not be thout it if the price was one dollar a dered her to creep out quietly at 11 every night and bathe in the river at Tennur where no one would see her. This she did for some time, but another ttle, I mean it. Yours truly,

SPIDERS AND MUSIC.

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MISCELLANEOUS

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrap should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, soothes the gums, curren wind colic and is the best remedy for diar



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Famine in Teachers

Famine in Teachers. (Forum.) Good to be a sector of the standard of qualifica-tion find their eligible lists depleted and no immediate supply in sight. This state of things is in a measure acounted for by the prevailing shabbless in the remunera-tion of teachers. The rewards are not such as to induce enough ambitious young men to invest their time and strength in a thorough preparatory course. The increase of money-oarning opportunities for working women has still further reduced the influx of desirable material. The situation is a serious one. Thousands of efficient teachers leave school work every year for more remunerative habor. They feel that they can not afford the luxury of teaching. Meanwhile the num-ber of inclicent ones must of necessity in-crease.

"There was a feller in the town where my mother come from whose name was Tom Cook. Tom was a pretty rough sort of a customer, and it was commonly ITER'S STORY "Truly Marvellous." Mrs. I. Hunter, of 111 Raglan Road, Kingston, Dit., says: "I have suffered with kidney and liver trou-ble and chronic consti-bation for some time. I was subject to dizzi-ness, bilious headache, drowi in the bar of a customer, and it was commonly believed that he was in league with the devil concluded he'd like Tom's com-pany down below. So he called on Tom, early one morning and found Tom had just got up and was dressing. "Tom,' said he, 'you've lived in this town long enough. I want you to come omake haste. F're got to kep the fires goin' dow mthere, you know." "Then the devil took Tom by the arm to hurry him and make sure of him.

"Then the devil took Tom by the arm to hurry him and make sure of him. Tom didn'5t like the looks of the devil, and the devil's fingers were awful hot. Tom tried to pull along, and at the same time he said, 'Wait, wait, can't you, until I get my galluses on?' "The devil looked him all over and then he grinned and he said: 'Yee, I'd wait till you get your galuses on." "He mo sooner said that than Tom threw the galuses into the fire. The devil as whe'd lost his man and went off in great anger, and Tom never wore gal-

in great anger, and Tom never wore gab-luses again."-New England Magazine.

Save Your Earnings

The difficulty often experienced of safely investing small sums, can be obviated by securing some shares in a first class Loan Company, paying down premium of Ten Dollars per share, and then

the forefinger of her left hand at him and he dies. The ghost was originally one of the temple dancing girls famous obtaining 6 per cent. on all subsequent payments. all over the town for her striking Write for particulars to John Wright, beauty. The temple authorities raised objections to her bathing there and or

Broker, London, Ont. References, Merchants Bank of Canada.

If Kings Had to Work.

Nearly all the royalties of Europe temple girl gave away the secret, with the result that the next night when bathcould, if driver to it, earn their own living.

Ing she heard the tramp of many feet and on rushing out to see what was the The Queen of Roumania, Carmen Sylmatter was accidentally kn cked into the river and drowned by the crowd of men rushing to the river side to see her.va, makes as it is an income from her books that many other authors cammo

ITCH

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

How Tom Fooled the Old Boy.

Our 'phone is on a party wire, Our letter it is L, And when someone would speak to us The central rings the bell; And mamma, when she hears it ring, Unless she is alone, Calls out to all the family: "Somebody 'tend the 'phone!"

When Nomeone calls up J. or R. Or B. upen the line Our telephone it does not ring, But flutter. faint and fine; And when she hears within the box That call for these unknown, Whatever else she has on hand-Then manima's at the 'phone.

An n che hears the gentle purr Vithin the wooden box-A " n she hears the gentle purr . Vitim the wooden box-. She's darning sister's stockings Or little brother's socks-But these she quickly lays aside: " "Three pounds and plenty bons'-She's getting soup for dinner," Says mamma at the 'phone:

Another flutter in the box Brings mamma to her feet: "Sh! This is Mrs. Jones." she says, Of Umpty-umptleth street: "One ticket for the gallery"-"She must be going alone:" "Oh, yes; it's for the matinee," Adds mamma at the 'phone.

Sometimes when mamma hears the purr. Say once or twice a week. The lingers at the telephone And Smiller but does not speak. And when we ask, "What's doing now?" In an impatient tone, To on and play and never mind," Says mamma at the 'phone.

The Universal Language of Clothes.

The Universal Language of Clothes. The top hat represents the universal lang-tance of attire. It walls and weeps against the walls of Jerusalem, and it turns up in the solitudes of the desert; even the long-liest mountain peaks are not safe from is democratic simplicity. Once I met a slik hat, probably rescued from some benevolent dust bln, milking a cow in a Dondon park. The hat nearly caused a riot; each and every passerby turned and stared indignanily. The eccentric cowboy in the top hat finished bis allotted task, and the company of his cow and the milk pail he ambied placidly out of sight. Still, one cun't help asking, in the interest of personal liberty, why shouldn't a slik hat be permitted to milk a cow? The cow doesn't mind so why should we?

Unaccountable Action. Knicker-Girls are incensistent. Bocker-Yee: they will stand under a bet minister of for they minister of the Porto Rican peasantry. The cultivation of tobacco, like the cultiva-tion of coffee, requires only land and labor. In the process of production no "Any York Sun". Dey

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Witch-Hazel

Toilet Soap

provided for them at the works. Prac Nests Weighing Five Tons. tically all the boys and men could swim. No cottage is allowed to occupy more The largest birds' nests are to be found in Australia. The Australian junthan one-fourth or one-fifth of the area gle fowl build for nests great mounds,-fifteen feet in height and 125 or 150 feet of land on which it stands. Mr. Carbury urged that if we were to maintain our position as an imperial race the probin circumference. Grass, leaves and other regetable matter are used in the conlem of overcrowding in unsanitary sur-roundings in our great cities must be faced. At Bournville village the death rate was 7.5, whereas in the working struction of the nests, which easily weigh a ton. The Australian brush turkeys, working

rate was 1.3, whereas in the working class quarters of Birmingham the rate was three times as high. One of the prin-ciples which had been put into practice at Bournville was that every child should be within five minutes walk of a play-ground. He hoped England would soon adopt the Garman scheme of net alleming in colonies, build pyramidal nests, eve larger. One of these nests, on being re-moved, filled seven carts, and its total weight was five tons.

adopt the German scheme of not allowing any district to be developed for building without the whole of the plans being first submitted to a central authority. —From the London Time -From the London Times.

To Keep Windows From Frosting.

(N. Y. Herald.)

(N. Y. Herald.) The harberdasher sighed, for his window, full of lovely holiday necktics, was quite opaque with frost. "I'd give a lot." he shid, "for some meth-od tweep my window from frosting over in cold weather." "I'll let you have the method you want for nothing." said the patron. "Coat the inside of your window with glycerine, and it will keep as clear in winter as in sum-mer. I'm a surveyor, and in my trade we always use glycerine on our glass instru-ments when fix cold." Mare Hone for Porto Pice irritation?

More Hope for Porto Rico.

At the end of this calendar year the United States will have taken from Porto Rico something like \$4,000,000 worth of tobacco, cigars and cigarettes. This fact suggests the possibility if not the probability that tobacco may yet take the place of coffee as the main-stay of the Porto Rican peasantry. The cultivation of tobacco, like the cultiva.

-New York Sun.

It has been asserted that spiders pos-

sess a sensitiveness to musical sounds. Some species seem to respond to the notes of the piano, the harp, the lute

and so on, in a manner suggestive of their ability to recognize these sounds, the harmonic vibrations on which they are based. But Monsieur A. Le caillon, of the College of France, who as made a special study of the instincts and the supposed "psychism" of spiders, thinks that the apparent sensitiveness of hese animals to music has been misun derstood. It is his pointion that when musical instruments are played near their nests the spiders simply feel the vibrations through their webs, or other-

wise, without recognizing the musical notes or sounds. The effect upon them is similar to that of the buzzin entrapped fiv. He does not ascribe much "intelligence" 'to spiders.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Mysterious Electricity (Washington Herald.)

From an electric locomotive drawing hun freds of tons of freight to a fountain playing dreds of tons of freight to a fourtain playing on a dining table is a far cry, and yet the same mysterious agency is responsible for both. It is a curious fact that with all of its utilization little or nothing is known of the source or nature of electricity. Theories of every oharacter have been advanced, but, none of them has definitely solved the pro-blem. We know how to make electricity and how to control it, but its origin is as elusivo as the mystery of life. In this practical age, however, the lack of this knowledge does not give any concern. We are more concerned as a commercial nation in increasing the number of uses to which electricity can be hadapted.

Tobacco Grown in Canada. (Milwaukee. Sentinel.)

(Milwaukee, Sentinel.) "Sounds funny to hear of tobacco being grown in Canada, doesn't it?" said W. J. Clancy, of Toyonto. "Not so much nerhaps to Wisconsin people, who know that it is grown in this State, where the mercury fre-quently goes out of slath, but the average American thicks of the waving palms of the tropics as soon as tobacco culture is mea-tioned. It is a fact, however, that the weed is now grown with great success in Ontario and other provinces in the eastern part of the Dominon. So great have been the re-turns, in fact, that many farmers are giving up wheat and are planting, tobacco in their fields." You know how good Witch-Hazelis_heals cuts and scratches -soothes chafing and skin "Royal Crown"

is just Witch+Hazel and pure Trying to Avoid Exposure

VEGETABLE oils. (Catholic Standard.) Hicks-I carried my wife's unbrella with me yesterday and lost it somewhere. Now ahe wants to advertise it. Wicks-That's a good idea. It may be returned to ber. Hicks-That's just the trouble. I'm al-most cartain I left it in some salooa. Both a toilet scap and medicated soap—for the price of one. Only roc. a cake. 3 for 25c. At druggists and dealers everywhere. 8

Everyone Run Down depressed—with headaches, indigestion, constipa-tion, boils, tumours, scrofula or other results of impure blood—can find speedy relief in Mira impure blood-Blood Tonic.

Madras Mail.

Bloed Tonic. It draws out the poison from the blood and tones up stomach. liver, kidneys and bowels. Pure, safe, palatable—contains the medicinal writues of curative herbs which act in a natural manner on the system. Price, \$1 a-boute - 6 for \$5. At drug-stores—or from The Chemists Co. of Canada, Limited, Hamilton—Toronto. Be sure to get the genuine—ask for





Danger From Railroad Wrecks.

The immediate and all-important ques tion is not why the frequent wrecks are Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria, so destructive, but why they should be allowed to occur in the first place. Steel

allowed to occur in the inter than wooden cars, of course, are better than wooden of danger from the latter if the number of danger from the latter if the number of danger from the latter if the number a nare on the SatDath. When catechising of wrecks could be reduced in this coun-try to what experience abroad shows to be the unavoidable minimum. The mere prospect of collision-proof cars in the "Well, do you think shooting a hare on a dim future will hardly divert public at survey and you think shooting a hare on a trate on the task in hand, which is to prevent the consequences of collisions by abolishing collision.—Cleveland Plain be awa' on Monday!" was the canny Dealer.



equal The Queen of Italy is a linguist of undoubtedly have succeeded in grand opera. The Queen of Italy is a linguist of un-usual talent. Conversing fluently and usual talent. correctly in eight languages, she could ut any time get a good job in a high school

The King of England is one of the best judges of wines and cigars in the world. As a wine or tobacco expert, or as a lealer in these luxuries, he would soon ave grown rich.

The Queen of Portugal has a medical legree, and could easily earn her living as a doctor.

The German Emperor, as everybody knows, could make a good living as a poet, a musician, an artist, a ship buildr, a pottery manufacturer, a horse deal-r, an actor, a bookbinder, a clergyman, a tailor, a sculptor, a barber, a farmer, or a dentist.

A Work of Necessity.



Service in Toronto Was Paralyzed for a Time.

Company Brought in Female Strike-**Breakers Last Night.**

Mackenzie King and Others Trying to Settle Trouble.

A Toronto despatch: Because the Bell Telephone Company asked them to work tra hours and extra work. eight hours instead of five hours a day nearly four hundred girl operators went nearly four hundred girl operators went on strike yesterday, claiming that it would be impossible for them to stand the strain of eight continuous hours' work at the busy city switchboards, even if the wages were increased as promised by the company it had been the young ladies. They were bundled promised by the company. It had been the young ladies. They were bundled anticipated that the strike would take into these, some 44 girls, it is said, and place to-day, but the event was precipi-and then to the central exchange. These place to day, but the event was precipi-tated, the girls claimed, by the action outside operators were accorded police of the company's officials at the main Mr. G. S. Cairns, inspector of the Bell office on Temperance street yesterday asking the girls to sign agreements to work eight hours or else sign their resig-nations. Precisely at l o'clock the great side places?" was the question put to majority of the girls at the local switchboards walked out in a body. At that very moment Mr. W. L. Mackenzie King, Deputy Minister of Labor, and Mr. John Armstrong, Secretary of the Ontario Labor Bureau, were in consultation part in the strike signed their names with Mr. Kenneth J. Dunstan, local last night along with the rest, thereby manager of the company, with a view to averting the trouble which was ex-pected. Last night about three hundred of the girl strikers held a mass meet-ing in the Labor Temple, where they the the other office. By this means it was expected ing in the Labor Temple, where they beartily endorsed a proposition of endorsed a proposition Mesare. King and Armstrong to go back pled to day. The company's officials last to work under the old schedule pending night declared these girls were remainarbitration, supposing the company were agreeable. This morning another ting of the girls will be held, when it is expected it will be known whether the poor service accorded, and many de-lays and much inconvenience were caus-ed. From private residences it was alnot the company are willing to arbitrate the difficulties.

As a result of the strike the telemost impossible to obtain another num-ber. While the company stated that the switchboards were all "manned," it was phone service throughout the city yesterday afternoon was badly inconvensenerd, although the wants of the hotels. newspaper offices and other places where telephones are used a great deal were numbers required, and the answer "Line attended to with almost the usual celer. busy" was frequently heard all afterity. Last night the company had over so experienced girl operators, brought in from Montreal, Ottawa, London and who

The four Montreal, ortawa, London and who had remained on duty at the cen-cither places, to keep the service up to as good a standard as possible. Yesterday afternoon shortly after the inauguration of the strike the girls held in the places of the service of t a meeting; but they took no definite action beyond appointing a committee of nine to represent them in any business of the strike. Last night this com-But He Aalso Stole-Arrested and Conmittee was in consultation with Mr. King for two hours, and there were Ming for two hours, and there were also present Mr. James Simpson and Mr. J. W. Curry, K. C., solicitor for the girls. Mr. Curry, in addressing the meeting after the consultation, read let. of a Montreal, Canada, college, who de-the form Measure bing and American Hills? Lotting in mark side ters from Messrs. King and Armstrong livered written to Manager Dunstan.

A portion of Mr. King's letter read burglaries. as follows:

that every fair and reasonable means

that every fair and reasonable means of effecting such amicable settlement and averting a general strike should be "It would appear that the first step towards effecting such a settlement would be to arrange a joint concreace between the representatives of the company's employees, acting on their beshall, and yourself, with such other re-

these were enticed away from work by the excited strikers, who proved equal to all emergencies. Few girls entered the building for hours after the first signs of trouble. Finally a policeman strolled along. He had no sconer ar-rived before the door than he was hit with a snowball. Drawing his baton he cleared a large space in the street, scattering the mob in all directions. Meanwhile all the girls with the ex-ception of those doing "picket duty" before the Central had gone to the Labor Temple to decide upon some ac-tion. \$1,000,000 FIRE

Fire Started With an Explosion in a All the girls were unanimous in the opinion that five hours a day was quite sufficient for any girl to work at a cen-tral switchboard. Physical endurance could stand the work no longer than five hours a day. The opinion was freely expressed that any extra money promised was not nearly worth the ex-Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. ". -Eight buildings in the centre of the business district

promised was not nearly worth the ex When the Montreal express, due at 7.25, arrived at the Union Station just

block, at 2 o'clock, and within an hour had destroyed the play house and the stores in the building, and had leaped across to the west side of Third street to the Columbus Hotel and College block. The opera house was owned block. The opera house was owned by a Harrisburg syndicate. On the first floors were John Pyne's hat store, Wilson Hoff's drug store, the Grand Union Tea Company and W. F. Paul's

Damaged.

Hat Store.

shoe store. While thick clouds of smoke were side places?" was the question put to the company's officials last night. "We have nearer 100 than 60." coming out of the windows of the operation

obuse, the fireman saw a figure at one of the big windows high up in the build-ing. Then came a crash, and what look-"Where do they come from?" "From all over, east and west." About fifty girls who had taken with the state and the states of the ed like a nude man crawled out on the Tokio, Feb. 4.—The report that a sat-sill. Standing on the window sill he isfactory solution of the San Francisco ed like a nude man crawled out on the sill. Standing on the window sill he called for a ladder. "Send a ladder up here. Hurry up, send a ladder up here." More smoke piled out of the windows top came within several feet of the win-dow sill. A small ladder was hoisted by men on the big ladder. The man on shop between Japan and and United the window sill stopped screaming. He that the other offices would be crip

he window sill stopped screaming. He States. swung his arm and the crowd thought he ing loyal to them, because it was claim-ed the "central" girls had got themselves into bad odor by their action. was going to jump. "Don't jump, boy, hold on," cried the highly appreciated.

WHO SHE WAS

SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF LYDIA E. PINKHAM

And a True Story of How the Vegetable Compound Had Its Birth and How the "Panic of '73" Caused it to be Offered for Public Sale in Drug Stores.

This remarkable woman, whose their mother, combined forces to restore maiden name was Estes, was born in Lynn, Mass., February 9th, 1819, com-ing from a good old Quaker family For some years she taught school, and good for the women of the whole world. ne years she taught school, and known as a woman of an aler The Pinkhams had no money, and

little credit. Their first laboratory was the kitchen, where roots and herbs were **C** the kitchen, where roots and herbs were steeped on the stove, gradually filling a gross of bottles. Then came the question of selling it, for always before they had given it away freely. They hired a job printer to run off some pamphlets setting forth the merits of the medicine, now called Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and these were distributed by the Pinkham sons in Boston, New York, and Brocklyn by the Pinkham sous New York, and Brooklyn. The wonderful curative properties of the medicine were, to a great extent, self-advertising, for whoever used it re-commended it to others, and the demand endulum increment.





WATERWAYS COMMISSION OBJECTS

THE ATHENS REPORTER, FEB. 6, 1907.

To Signing False Returns to the TO CHICAGO PROPOSAL. Washington, Feb. 4 .--- If the Calumet River is to be turned backward in it course from Lake Michagan to form a Other Charges of Theft Hanging of Harrisburg were either destroyed or drainage canal into the Mississippi as badly damaged by a fire early this planned by the sanitary board of Chimorning, involving a loss estimated at cago, the International Waterway Commorning, involving a loss estimated at \$1,000,000. The Grand Opera house block at Third and Walnut streets, in which there were five stores, was de-stroyed and nothing is standing but the walls. The fire started from an explosion in Pine's hat store, in the Opera House block at 2 o'clock and within an hour A Toronto, Ont., special despatch says: Charles McGill, former manager of the better ways of successfully disposing of the sewage of the tract sought to be drained than by the adoption of a plan which is certain to considerably reduce the level of Lake Michigan, and so in-juriously affeat the investment of the uriously affect the immense navigation in this or the whole chain of lakes

Secretary of War Taft has not yet assed upon the recommendation.

JAPS IN SCHOOLS. pleading that the making and signing of false returns to the Government was not an uncommon offence, and was not re-SAN FRANCISCO TROUBLE IN

garded seriously by the Government. FAIR WAY TO BE SETTLED. He also endeavored to point out that the Tokio. Feb. 4.-The report that a satbank was in financial straits prior to the time McGill took hold of it, and that the general manager, through personal friends in Peterboro, had been successful in getting large deposits placed in the Ontario Bank, and had in that way built it up. During the last few years, however, Mr. Johnston said. McGill had ex-The efforts of President Roosevelt to

perienced extremely bad luck, and the fact that he was willing to come before he court and acknowledge his losses vas a sufficient plea for clemency. His Lordship, though, remarked upon

The court was filled with citizens.

Pleaded Guilty

Governmene:

Over His Head.

he seriousness of the offence in as impressive a way as had the noted counsel on its lightness. McGill is also charged with stealing

\$125,000 and another sum of \$1,150,000 from the bank. These charges were traversed. Mr. Johnston reserved the right to

WAS IT MURDER?

CORONER THINKS DONOHUE DID NOT COMMIT SUICIDE.

New York, Feb. 4.-That William J. district of King's County, did not commit suicide, but was murdered, was the opinion expressed by Coroner's Physician charles Wuest, after performing an autopsy upon Mr. Donahue's body tolay. Donahue was found yesterday with

a bullet wound in his head, lying in a side oom of a saloon in Brooklyn, and died without recovering consciousness. was said to day that when he left his home a few hours before his death he only \$22 in his possession after his COTDUCTOR PINNED FOR TEN

Dr. Wuest said to day: "If nothing else, the location of the bullet wound and the course taken by the missile refute the suggestion that Donahue took his own life narks

With respect to the provisions and regulations as to fares, Mr. Ingram, a member of the Board, sent out circulars asking the electric roads to send in their tariff of fares. It was then found that some of these roads had been diclared The Former Ontario Bank Official Pleaded Guilty be charged for a ride not exceeding three miles, and not more than two cents a mile for distance in excess of three miles. An extensive and voluminous correidence has been the outgrowth of spondence has been the was a reasonably prompt compliance with the re-quests for tariffs and other information. Two appeals had been heard by the Board on the subject of assessment by munipicalities and annexation of terri tory. The Board had heard seventeen applications under section 53 of the Act.

wrecked Ontario Bank, this morning pleaded guilty to making and signing street car franchise a municipal corporfalse returns to the Government in con- ation has the right to assume the ownnection with the management of the "frship of the franchise. The interpre-tation of the existing statutes does not bank, and was sentenced by Mr. Justice bank, and was sentenced by Mr. Justice Clute to five years in the penitentiary. His case came up before the criminal as-mendation. The Board also desires that sizes this forenoon. When judgment was in the matter of location and plans au-thority should be exercised by the pronounced he appeared unperturbed. Board instead of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and his Ministers.

E. F. B. Johnston, K. C., who has acted for McGill, tried to show during his pleading that the making and 'signing of lalse returns to the Government more than the making and the formation of t for McGill, tried to show during his territory. These were all dealt with. The Board reported that between May 31 and Dec. 31, 1905, 25 persons were killed and 320 injured on rail: roads under the jurisdiction of the Board.

MAN BLOWN UP.

GEO. M'FARLANE INSTANTLY KILL-ED AT LAMBTON MILLS.

Explosive Was Thawing on a Stove in a Shanty- Latter Completely Destroyed-Windows in a Neighboring Church Broken-An Inquest Opened. Toronto despatch: By an explosion of

dynataite that rattled the windows of most of the houses in Lambton Mills viliage, George Mclariane, a well-known man of that place, was instantly killed shortly befc.e noon yesterday. The explosion occurred at the shale pit of the Ontario Paving Brick Company, on the bank of the Humber River, on Scarlett

shanty to prepare some expression of a blast, when the men who were working some fifty yards distant saw a flash issue from the chimney and then the building was lifted from its foundations and scattered into fragments. McFarlane was picked up dead twenty-five feet from where the shanty stood, with his

Donahue, Assemblyman, from the 14th body terirbly mutilated. district of King's County, did not com. The force of the explosion broke the windows of a church two hundred yards away and shook the village. It is thought that McFarlane caused the explosion by forcing a fuse into the "wrack-a-rock," a powerful explosive used by the workmen, with too violence. There was also great There was also some dyna. mite on the stove being thawed out.

TWO MEN KILLED.

HOURS BENEATH BOILER.

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Missouli, Mont., Feb. 4.--Two engine upon which were riding a large number of men who had been engaged in break-

n life. There were no powder ing the snow blockade near Saltez nor discoloration by powder Mont., plunged over an embankment two near Saltez.

The police to-day began an inquiry, in which they were aided by friends of the dead Assemblyman. It was ascertained that Donobue left bis home vesterday

road; in the shanty where the company, stores its tools and explosives for blastmake a motion to quash the indictment ing. Mcl'arlane was foreman of the shalepit gang and had just gone into the shanty to prepare some explosive for a

presentatives of the company as you uay name, acting on the company's behalf, and that pending such conterence and such further negotiations between the parties as may be mutually agreed upon the operatives should continue in upon the oppratives should continue in the company's service under the present. Philedalphia. Feb. 4.—Edward W schedule of rates and hours, and the Hipple, a brother of the late Frank K.

Mr. Dunstan that he freely endorsed the

necessary and then there would be an organization of 400,000 men in Canada and the United States behind them. Finally the girls agreed to accept arbi-tration on the terms proposed by Mr. Mackenzie king, which brought the mat-ter up to Mr. Dunstan. At an early hour this morning Man-ager Dunstan said that any answer to Mr. King's letter would have to be made to Mr. King himself. He refus-ed to eive any opinion relative to the

proposed.

The Girls Walked Out.

The Girls Walked Out. Shortly after the girls had walked out of the central office at 1 o clock there were scenes of wild excitement on Temperance street, opposite the office. In a few moments a large crowd had gathered, all of those present apparently bigh di the tecting infinite. Ban Francisco, Feb. 4.—The Solomon San Francisco, Feb. 4.—The Solomon is a fear full earthquake several months ago in which the earth was opened and deep gorges created. The entire appear-mace of the islands was changed. There was no loss of live. The news was brought here by Governor Moore, C. B. L., bigh di the tecting infinite. did the feeling run that when any who arrived yesterday from Sama. It sought to gain admission to the stated that a trading schooper came in ling crics of "scale" came from hun-to Apia with the news shortly before he soft throats. For half an hour sailed. freds of throats.

after the walkout no police were on the scene, and the hoodlum element was apparent. Those supposed to be in apparent. Those supposed to be in SHOT BT HER HOSDARD. league with the company were hit with Lady Dorothy Cuthbert Accidentally

SHOT HIMSELF.

io Canada."

Business men yesterday complained of

obvious that there were many incompe

tent operators, who could not give th numbers required, and the answer "Lin

Last night the long distance operators who had remained on duty at the cen-

HE PREACHED.

fessed.

churches, is under arrest for a series of

Rice came to Chicago three months

"Up-Life" lectures in west side

noon

BROTHER OF SWINDLER HIPPLE TAKES HIS OWN LIFE.

company agree to continue in force the Hipple, who ended has life last summer mpany agree to contribut in the sector of this sector after wrecking the Real Estate Trust Co., of this city, of which he was the president, committed suicide at his home here

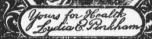
Mr. Dunstan that ne receiv encorsed the arrangement. During the meeting a speech was de-livered by Mr. J. S. Lightbound, Secre-tary of the Electrical Workers' Local Union. He stated that the strikers could affiliate with that organization if necessary and then there would be an organization of 400,000 men in Canada



al to give any opinion relative to the company's action on the arbitration FEARFUL EARTHQUAKE REPORTED IN THE SOLOMON ISLANDS.

SHOT	BY	HER	HUSBAND.

league with the company were hit with snowballs and subjected to different kinds of indignities. One lady in the employ of the company attempted to make the building and three times she was dragged back by boys around the door. She bravely persisted, finally, when almost completely exhausted, gaining the office. Meantime the girl strikers were patrolling up and down, for it had been runored that the com-stations to fill the vacant places. Such proved to be the case, but many of



and investigating mind, an earnest seeker after knowledge, and above all, possessed of a wonderfully sympathetic nature.

In 1843 she married Isaac Pinkham a builder and real estate operator, and their early married life was marked by

Lydia E. Pinkham herself did not live to see the great success of this work. She passed to her reward years ago, but not till she had provided means for continu-ing her work as effectively as she could prosperity and happiness. They had four children, three sons and a daughter. In those good old fashioned days it

adually increased.

have done it herself. was common for mothers to make their

was common not increase from roots and herbs, nature's own remedies—calling in a physician only in specially urgent cases. During her long and eventful experiheros, hattres own remembers—caning in a physician only in specially urgent cases By tradition and experience many of them gained a wonderful knowledge of the curative properties of the various the curative properties of the various roots and herbs. he curative properties of the various woman who applied to her for advice-and there were thousands-received careful study and the details, including

the study of roots and herbs, their char-symptoms, treatment and results were acteristics and power over disease. She maintained that just as nature so bounti-fully provides in the harvest-fields and orchards vegetable foods of all kinds; so, if we but take the pains to find them, in the roots and herbs of the field there recarding the treatment of woman's ille in the roots and herbs of the field there are remedies expressly designed to cure regarding the treatment of woman's ills, which for authenticity and accuracy can the various ills and weaknesses of the hardly be equaled in any library in the body, and it was her pleasure to search these out, and prepare simple and effec-tive medicines for her own family and world.

With Lydia E. Pinkham worked her

tive medicines for her own family and friends. Chief of these was a rare combination of the choicest medicinal roots and herse found best adapted for the cure of the ills and weaknesses peculiar to the female sex, and Lydia E. Pinkham worked her aughter-in-law, the present Mrs. Pink-ham. She was carefully instructed in all her hard-won knowledge, and for years she assisted her in her vast corres-pondence. To her hands naturally fell the direc-tion of the work when its originator passed away. For nearly twenty-five years she has continued it, and nothing

money and without price as a labor of love.

But in 1873 the financial crisis struck Lynn. Its length and severity were too much for the large real estate interests of the Pinkham family, as this class of business suffered most from fearful de-pression, so when the Centennial year dawned it found their property swept away. Some other source of income had to be found this great work, and probably from the office of no other person have so many women been advised how to regain health. Sick women, this advice is "Yours for Health" freely given if you only write to ask for it only write to ask for it. away. Some to be found.

At this point Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was made known to the world. The three sons and the daughter, with

In 1877, by combined efforts the family had saved enough money to commence newspaper advertising and from that time the growth and success of the enternear the saloon where he was shot. This prise were assured, until to-day Lydia E. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound have become household words every-where, and many tons of roots and herbs man, who was a Pole, had performed some service for Donahue, and the Assemblyman had promised to find employ-ment for him. Donahue told several friends that he was on the way to meet are used annually in its manufacture.

his man.

that Donohue left his home yesterday fireman. Conductor McDonald's death morning to meet a man with whom he ocurred last night, after he had lain for had an appointment at a street corner ten hours pinned beneath a boiler, with ten hours pinned beneath a boiler, with his body partly submerged in the icy waters of the river. His fellow-workmen, unable to help him, kept his head above the water until he died. He steadfastly refused to have his leg amputated.



Terrible Sufferings in Austria Through Lack of Fuel.

FIRST REPORT IS SUBMITTED TO

RAILWAY BOARD.

hanges Asked in Jurisdiction

ntario Railway Act are recommended a the first report of the Ontario Railray and Municipal Board, of which Mr.

mes Leitch, K. C., is Chairman, which was laid on the table of the Legislature esterday afternoon. The report deals vith the period from May 31, 1906, when he Board was created, to Dec. 31. Among the notable changes advocated t is recommended that the Board be ot required to act upon its own mitiaive in the matter of interference with local questions, though they had never shirked their duties where the gravity of the situation demanded. It is pro-sumed that the Magnes know the conditions in their respective cities and that the Board should be invoked when their

rvices are deemed desirable. board has very drastic powers delegated Empress Landod Her Mais et I. C. R. to it by the Act, and for that reason should act upon its own initiative Pier et Halifan. with due caution," says the report. "It would readily be understood that if the Board were to respond to calls which Board eentor, counsel and judge. Applications should therefore be backed by such

RST REPORT IS SUBMITTED TO THE LEGISLATURE, anges Asked in Jurisdiction and Powers of the Board—Do Not Like to Act on Their Own Initiative— Table of Accidents. Formate description Toronto despatch: Amendments to the districts in Galicia houses are snowed under to the chimneys.

WILL RECALL TRADE AGENTS.

British Government to Contralize Foreign Commercial Service.

London, Feb. 4 .- It is stated that the Government has decided to recall its commercial agents from foreign coun-tries, including Mr. B.II. from New **Yres**, including Mr. Bell, from New **York**. They will henceforth be centered in London, whence they will be sent on special missions, when the occasions arise. It is not set eign Office found that the commercial reputs set that Around was unsatisfactory.

> ----MADE A RECORD TRIP.

Board were to respond to calls which anyone in any part of the Province was to make, it would soon find itself para-tyzed from mere accumulation of cases and incapable of effective work." It this Board initiated proceedings it would place itself in the position of pro-secutor, counsel and judge. Applica-

eeutor, counsel and judge. Application way to see shirty after noon. A state of siege has been declared at Valencia owing to the labor agitation put the opposite party on his defence

To her hands naturally fell the direc-tion of the work when its originator passed away. For nearly twenty-five two set and the present Mrs. Pinkham, now the mother of a large family, took it up. With woman asistants, some as capable as her-self, the present Mrs. Pinkham continues this great work, and urohably from the



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bit of steel, when seen under a power-

the strop which this blade has received.

Now, this bending of the metal quite

very important practical consequences

ing hairs. If, on the other hand, the

blade be applied to the face in such

way that the bend of the edge is awa;

from the skin the edge will slide much

more smoothly, with less tendency to

by the last few strokes on the strop.

Now, the metal near the edge of a

razor is being subjected to very similar

treatment. Every turn on the strop

reverses the direction of the bend near

the edge, and, although the amount of

bending is too slight ever to bring

about actual breakage of such an

elastic metal as hardened steel, it is

yet sufficient to bring about a change

in the metal which renders it less

elastic and able to stand the strain.

This is why a razor which has been

used long ceases to cut well or to hold

"Now it has been discovered that

steel which has lost its proper elastic

qualities by such a process of 'fatigue,'

warmed, so that a few minutes' expo

sure to the temperature of boiling wa-ter will bring about recovery to an ex-

tent that would have required several

days' rest at the ordinary tempera tures. This fact explains the advantage

to be derived from the familiar prac

tice of 'steaming' a razor before use."

Don't Starve Your Bird

It is a common mistake to think that

pets can only be taught when hungry and to commence a bird's training by

depriving it of breakfast, dinner or

upper is a most unhappy beginning

In reality the feathered folk are just

as apt and full of fun after a comfort-

able meal as before it, and to starve, scold or otherwise ill treat the little

creature will usually render it too un-happy to learn quickly if at all. Birds

are extremely nervous beings. They

love a low, quiet voice and gentle movements-love to be talked to, coax-

ed and made much of. If the net is a

new one and seems specially excitable

with 300 notes. Norman Salmond has sung 287 notes in this way.

/"It is wonderful what lungs trained

singers have. The average man could

ing, whereas to the singer 200 would be

Nome Means Home.

claim that the word Nome is a corrup-

tion of the Indian phrase or word

Knoma, meaning something like "I

Happiness. -If you cannot be happy in one way,

in another, and this facility of dis-

osition wants but little aid from phi-

losophy, for health and good humor are almost the whole affair. Many

run about after felicity, like an absent-

minded man hunting for his hat while

Martyrdom.

"Sympathetic people have a hard time in this world."

"They have to listen to other neo-

me's troubles and never get a chance

The most valuable book in the British

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museum is the "Codex Alexandrinus,"

t is in his hand or on his head.

'In what way?'

to tell their own."

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said to be worth £300,000.

It is said that the name of Nome

hardly sing fifty notes without breath-

as it is called, is capable of recovering

a good edge.

"I own a golden locket set With jewels bright and rare," She wrote to Will, "and I have plas Your precious picture there." "I have your little pho'ograph," Her lines to Harry sa.d, "Within a locket o'er my heart." Oh, fair and tricky maid!

HER DEFENSE.

It happened that they chanced

It happened that they chanced to meet. These two adoring youths: Comparing notes, as lovers will, They learned some startling truths. But when they taxed her with deceit She showed them, nothing loath, Their pictures in the locket. "See," She cried, "I wear you both?" --Minna Irving in New York Times.



think dress to please the men? The Married Man-No, to impoverish them.-New York World.

The Truth, the Whole Truth. A worthy squire had a cow that always kicked and reared when milked He decided to get rid of it and, calling one of his farm hands, told him to take

he animal to market. "Sell the brute," he said, "but, mind you, tell no lies. I've been unlucky in ny purchase, but that's no reason why I should deceive others." Two hours later the man returned

from market with a larger sum than the squire had expected. "I'm sure you lied about that cow," he said. "Not a bit of it." replied the man "Every time I was asked if she was a good milker I simply said, 'You'll get dead tired of milking before you've got all her milk.' They asked no other questions, so that I didn't volunteer any more answers."-Bon Vivant.

The Next Step. The schoolmaster of a small village asked his pupils the following ques-"In a family there are five children,

and the mother has only four potatoes between them. She wants to give every child an equal share. What is Silence reigned while everybody thought hard till a little boy stood up

and gave to the great surprise of the master the following answer: "Mash the potatoes, sir."-Judge's

Generous Father. Ascum-Given any thought to your boy's Christmas gift yet?

just my luck to have no snow Christ-Ascum-Oh! A sled, eh? Kloseman-No. I thought I might

As Frances Put It.

or timid, you will have to teach it first Little Frances had begun to write of all not to fear you. Any little games ters under the supervision of mam e is to learn must be a

nothing."

know it."

A Land of Contrasts Results That Come From Stropping Just now China is a land of contrasts so wide, so sharp and so forcible that Very thin is the edge of a razor blade. the dullest observer can hardly fail to Its thickness has been estimated at about one half millionth of an inch. observe them. She is going straight from wheelbarrows and springless A writer says of this wonderfully thin carts, or sedan chairs, to express trains; ful microscope: "The extreme edge of the section is distinctly bent to one in place of special messengers she adopts the telegraph; from rush lights she goes to electricity, and from the exside. This is nearly always seen in treme of antimilitarism she is develop-ing a taste for patriotic volunteering.razor edges. The actual bend represents the effect of the last stroke on Shanghai Celestial Empiré

Chirography's Flaws.

near the edge, minute as it is, has some Alfred Binet, director of the psycho logical laboratory at the Sor If the razor be us 1 in such a way that the bend is toward the skin there Paris, has been investigating the value of handwriting experts. An expert will be a tendenc: "or the edge itself to burrow downwas: into the skin, inwho was given a specimen of Ernest Renan's chirography said the writer stead of sliding easing over the surface and merely cutting away the projectwas a person of only moderate intelli sence, credulous and garrulous. Vital, a criminal who murdered several won en with revolting barbarity, appeared to another expert as "a timid girl, dis-tinguished by moderation."

An Invigorating Drink.

cut or scratch the skin, while it will act upon the hairs in a slightly upward "Pusky" is a new soda water foun-tain drink at Eufala, Okla. Pusky was direction and thus tend to pull them tight while cutting. The direction of invented by the Creek Indians. the bend of the edge can be regulated Corn that is just hard enough to shell is heated in a pot until it is brown. Then "This minute amount of bending un it is broken in a mortar into a fine dergone by the metal near the edge o powder: "Mixed with sweet milk or a razor blade has another practical rewith carbonated water and sirups, pusky," says an enthusiastic local pasult. We all know that a piece of wire which will quite easily stand being per, "is a drink that makes a man carbent double will be broken if it be bent ry his wife around in his arms just for backward and forward many times. the exercise." What really takes place is that the netal, which was strong and ductile

A Cat With Wings. The boatswain of the Caspian, an to begin with, is gradually made hard and brittle-and then finally breaks off. English schooner, brought with him from India on a recent trip a strange animal-bird, which he always referred to as his "Tabby." It certainly looked more like a cat than anything else, but t was probably some freak of the animal world. It had two pairs of wings, but could fly only with difficulty, like tame duck.

Died at House of Industry

COn January 23rd, 1907, Margaret Laforta, aged 60 years, committed from South Crosby on December 11th, 1906. The remains were placed in the vault at Athens, funeral service being conducted by Rev. S. J. Hughes, Athens.

its good qualities under favorable cir-On February 3rd, 1907, James Garvey, aged 70 years, committed from Augusta Township on November istances. It will recover in this way if left at rest, though this is a comparatively slow process, which explains the fact that a tool which has 16th, 1904. The funeral service was become useless through continued use conducted by Rev. R. B. Patterson will be as good as ever after a prolongand the remains placed in the vault at ed rest. But recovery will take place Athens. much more rapidly if the steel be



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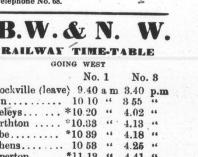
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INTERNATIONAL LESSON VII.-FEB.

17, 1907. Lot's Choice.-Gen. xiii, 1-13.

Commentary .-- 1. Abram returns to Canaan (vs. 1-4). 1. Up out of Egypt-In the language of the Jew the direction upwards; besides, Egypt was a low-lying country and the traveller would have

to ascend on his way to the hilly coun-try of Canaan.—Leale. "Egypt was not the place of God's presence; he lost more than he gained by going thither." Abram had no altar in Egypt. The south-Not had no altar in Egypt. The south-Not the south of Egypt, but the southern region of Palestine. A certain part of the country was called the south before the Fuller. times of the patriarchs.

Very rich-Abram and Lot had both been greatly prospered and were very rich. The property of these times did not consist in flocks only, but also in silver and gold. "Abram was very rich, and yet very religious. As piety is a friend to outward prosperity (1 Tim. 4. 8), so outward prosperity, if well man-ared the an ornement to right, and one aged, is an ornament to piety, and opportunity of doing so much the more good." "The danger of riches appears prominently here, in the very first case n which riches, as such, are mentioned. -Lange.

3. On his journeys-Literally, "jours. On his journeys—interaty, journeys means "to pull up." "An expres-sion peculiar to the nomadic life — a pulling up of tent-pins, breaking up of camp and moving forward."—Terry. Even to Beth-el—Abram returns to the place of his altar in Bethel. In like man-per Christian cattloments whuster strong ner Christian settlements cluster around their churches.—Lange. Nothing can satisfy God, in reference to a wanderer or a backslider, but his being entirely restored.—C. H. M. between Beth-el and Hai—Stanley well describes this point as a conspicuous hill, its topmost summit resting on the rocky slopes, and distinguished by its olive groves offering a natural base for the altar, and a fitmises to Abram (vs. 14-17).

ting shade for the tent of the patriarch. -Jacobus. 4. Called on .. the Lord-This implies more than an ordinary pray-or; he again established public worship at the old altar. He returned to a closer walk with God.

II. Strife among the herdsmen (vs. With Abram-It seems plain 5-7) that Lot was from the very beginning borne onward rather by Abram's influ-ence and example than by his own faith in God.--C. H. M. And yet Lot was a (Gen. xii, 4). Every act of obedience brought a new revelation. As soon as he had passed the border land into Canaan good man for his righteous soul was vexed at the ungodly deeds of his neighbors. 6. Not able to bear—Their flocks and herds were so numerous that there was not sufficient paturage or water. Then there were other tribes in the same ter-ritory, and to add to the difficulty the place of the altar, which he had made there at the first; and there Abram call-ed on the name of the Lord" (vs. 1-4). had been impoverished by the rewhen Abram went down into Egypt cent great famine. Substance was great -As their families increased it was neever a type of the world, away from Be-thel (House of God) he found fear, sin, danger and rebuke, but he erected no cessary that their flocks should increase also, as from those flocks they erived their clothing, food and crink. Many also were offered in sacrifice to God.-Clarke. Abram was now a kind of prince, or sheik; for we learn that not after this he hal 318 home-born men of war (Gen. 14, 14), which implies al least 1,000 or 1,500 persons in his en-compment. Each time he encamped, avite a town of black tents quickly rose --Peroubet. 7. A strife-The occasino of their quarrel was their riches.-nade at the first.

Henry. "Prosperity is often a severer tert of faith and character than is ad-versity. It is a steady, pervasive influence rather than a sudden attack which can be avoided. It led in this case to danger of family quarrel. Abram's faith triumphed, but Lot yielded to its power, and by it was brought under far more dangerous influences." The quarrel originated in their eagerness for the ossession of pasturage and for the wells r fountains of water, which in that rocky, arid region have a value unknown to the inhabitants of a country like ours. Dwelled then in the land—The Perizzites are not mentioned in the table of nations (chap. 10). Their origin is obscure. The Canaanites were the original occu-

naturally prompt the comparison of the well-watered Jordan valley to the land of Egypt.—Terry. Zoar—Rather Zor. Not the Zoar near the Dead Sea, to which Lot fled after the destruction of dom, but Zor, the border land of Egypt toward the east, near the Great Wall CONDENSED toward the east, near the Great Wall which once stretched across from the Mediterranean to the Gulf of Suez. Zor Judge McTavish has been re-elected chairman of the Ottawa police was the garden land of Egypt, through which Lot and Abram must lately have passed, which fact makes the reference natural.—Peloubet.

The Canadian Glass Works at Point St. Charles, Quebec, were burned. Loss 11 Lot chose—The choice was selfish \$35,000. Instead of greedily taking the best he should have been generous toward his uncle who had done so much for him. The name of Dr. Peterson of McGill is mentioned in connection with the Prin-cipalship of Glasgow University. Then, too, Lot had no regard for spiri-tual things but decided wholly from the standpoint of worldly advantage. They separated—It is not thus with the riches of grace or of glory; the more we have of them the closer it unites us.— At a meeting of the Ottawa Children's Aid Society the secretary asked for the services of a police constable for their work. The request probably will be

12. Pitched..toward Sodom-He adgranted. vanced toward it till he came near, but John McDougall, an Indian, was run was probably prevented from entering by the well knowno character of its inhabi-tants—Leale. He who keeps bad com-pany, indulges in doubtful pleasures, or over and instantly killed by the regular rain last night at Maniwaki, Qu was lying on the track. An inquest will

be held. allows wrong and selfish acts to in-fluence his life is pitching his tent to-ward Sodom. The only safe way is to A fire occurred last evening in the Penman's Limited Company building No. 2, containing the carding and spinning rooms, at St. Hyacinthe, Que. Consider-Catarrh, keep far away from sin and near to God. We are commanded not to keep company with wicked people who disobey able damage was done, bu tmostly by water and smoke. The other departthe word of God. See 1 Cor. v. 9-11; 2 Thess. iii. 6, 14, 15. "Evil communicaments of the mill are running as usual ions corrupt good manners" (1 Cor. vy

33). 13. Wicked and sinners—The men of An official denial was issued to-day of the report recently published by a Mont-Sodom were sinners of the first mag nitude.—Henry. The greatest depravity real newspaper that negotiations were on foot for the sale of the Islands of on foot for the sale of the Islands of St. Pierre-Miquelon to Japan for use is often found amongst the inhabitants of the most fertile lands. Lot has "al-len into the very vortex of vice and blasphemy.—Murphy. Lot chose the comas a coaling station.

The five-year-old daughter of James ed men so long as he is endeavoring to make them good, but is never safe when reenwell, a miner at Sydney Mines, S., was burned to death. Her clothes he chooses their company." Lot was not happy (2 Peter ii. 8) he soon "became tainted in his own character;" and he caught fire from an open grate.

Capt. C. E. Phelix, of Garden Island, was in the Calvin Company's blacksmith ost everything, first by war and then by he flames. Immediately following Lot's hoice the Lord made several great proshop, Kingston, when a piece of hot met-al flew into his eye. There are fears that the sight has been destroyed.

PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS. **BRITISH AND FOREIGN** Abram was called of God to leave his ountry, kindred and father's house and

A brief encounter with the troops sent ro into a land which he knew not (Gen o the scene of the native revolt in the vii. 1). "He went out, not knowing whi-ther" (Heb. xi. 8). He listened to the Island of Java, Dutch East Indies, suficed to suppress the rebels, whose ring-eader and fifteen of his followers were command and to the promise and "Abraham believed God, and it was counted unto him for righteousness" (Rom. iv. 3). "He staggered not at the promise of God killed, and many wounded.

Sir Michael Foster, Unionist member of Parliament for London University since 1900, died suddenly yesterday. He had been in ill health for some time. through unbelief; but was strong in faith, giving glory to God" (Rom. iv. 20). God commanded and Abram obeyed An Olean, N. Y., despatch says: When head of his English Majesty with dirt

. Hibbard was seen at 9.30 this morn- and filth." ing he said former Governor Higgins had passed an uncomfortable night, but that Pyndon in London in 1525. Only three he was easier this morning; otherwise his condition was about the same.

Nancy White, a negress, 106 years old, the oldest woman in West Pennsylvania, is dead at New Haven, Penn. Three years ago, it is said, she did work as a vashwoman.

altar, offered no worship, enjoyed no communion. Ail the days away from his altar were lost days. God could not "bless him" or make him "a blessing" The grand jury of Allegheny county, Pa., has returned six true bills against the Pullman Palace Car Company, alleg-ing the sale of impure milk and cream to its patrons. Over fifty dealers in in Egypt. But God watched over him in his wanderings, and not only delivered him out of Egypt but brought him back Pittsburg, Pa., were indicted for selling unto the place of the altar which he had adulterated food.

The Madrid authorities have learned that in spite of all their precautions Don Jaime, son of the Spanish pretender Don Carlos, recently paid a surreptitious visit to the Carlist leaders at Barcelona. Two simultaneous explosions of gas, followed closely by a third, this morning, practically guitted the hotel of Wm. F. White at Niagara and Ferry streets. Buf-falo. Seven men, including three fire-II. Abram's proposition. Both Abram nd Lot were prosperous (vs. 2-5.) "And ... their substance was great, so that they could not dwell together" (v. 6.) In the strife between the herdsmen of their cattle (v. 7). Abram, the richer and older made a proposition to his nephew to settle the disagreement. In this proposition the glory of Abram's character shines forth. It was 1. Peaceable. "Let falo. Seven men, including three fire-injured, none seriously. Financial loss, panel of 100 having reported and about there be no strife" (v. 8.) Better than any carrying out of our plans, however Better than good they may be, is the sacrifice of self and its interests for the sake of peace

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Montreal—There is a good steady tone to all lines of trade here. Spring wholesale lines are moving well and there is every evidence that business will be as heavy as has been predicted. Continued seasonable weither in all parts of the country has given a good tone to the sorting trade in winter lines. Drygoods are active. The recent ad-vance on grey goods and cottons resulted ONLY ONE JURYMAN TO SELECT AT a good tone to the sorting trade in winter lines. Drygoods are active. The recent ad-vance on grey goods and cottons resulted mostly from the difficulty in keeping up stocks owing to the heavy demand and the shortage of labor. Shortings have also gone up and there is talk of a further advance in this line. Ribbons are very firm and ex-pected to advance. Platds and checks are very popular. Canadlan knitting mills are reported to be very busy and to have large orders on hand. Wool prices are firm. Can-ada will have about a million pounds to ex-port from the 1903 clip. Prices are so high that this cannot profitably be used here and a market is being sought in England. Groc-eries are fairly active. Currants are firm with stocks light. Canned poods have again advanced all round. The hardware trade is active in all branches and prices generally hold firm for both heavy and shelf goods. The easier tone which was in some quarters expected for iron and steels is, not yet in sight and values are firm both for immediate and forward delivery. Production of pig from has increased, but with a very heavy consumption furnaces are not accumulating much stock. Copper rivets and burs have ad-vance two and half per cent. Retail trade here and in the country is generally good owing to the fact that roads are in a good condition for sleighing. Little complaint is being heard in they matter of complaint is When the Court Opened This Morning-How the Panel Stood-Wife and Other Ladies Present, But Mother talesmen this morning, the new fourth panel of 100 having reported and about sixty remaining of the panel which re-ported yesterday. Some of the talesmen found their way into the seats reserved

ZAM-BUK SAVES A FAMOUS **ODDFELLOW'S FINGER**

Mr. Wm. C. Edwards, P.D.C.R.A.O.F., P.G. M.I.O.O.F. and P.P.O.A. Shepherds, one of the most widely known men in friendly society circles it is possible to meet, is the subject and here is his experience. Interviewed at his home in Peter St., Toronto, he said.--"In January of last year I cut the middle finger of my left hand severely and blood poisoning set in. The wound was so very painful that I could not use the whole hand, which began to swell and inflame. I con-suited one of the leading doctors of Toronto and for two months I was under his care. The wound got no better, and one day the doctor said. "Edwards, the only thing I can do with this finger is, take it off. I can never be cured." This was not very pleasant news, and at that time the agony from tho wound was terrible and the swelling inflam-mation extended right up the arm. I went to see another doctor and was under his treat-ment for some weeks. He then told me that all he could do for me was to cut open the whole finger and acrage the bone, which he solng. I went away to think when I would have the operation, and met a friend who.

WHAT'S UP?

OF LABRADOR.

engineers and legislators not in the secrets of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company are cudgelling their brains to liscover the motive that led the company to acquire an option upon the con-trolling interests of the Quebec Railway, trolling interests of the Quebec Railway, Light & Power Company. It now tran-spires that the C. P. R. management have had in mind the acquisition of this local railway for the past two years, and finally got to work to get control through the agency of the Montreal brokerage firm of Messrs. Forget. The general concensus of opinion in

83% 80¼. The general concensus of opinion regard to this deal is that the C. P. R. 791 on the eve of entering upon one of the largest propositions ever conceived by a Canadian corporation, and have for their aim no less an object than the de-

mineral resources. At the same rich in time they will seek a new outlet on the southeastern extremity of Labrador the exportation of the great grain and other products of the West and Canadian Northwest to the European markets.

DRIVER FELL OFF ENGINE.

G. T. R. Engineer Victim of Peculiar Accident Near Berlin.

Behlin, Ont., despatch: Parker Little, of East Toronto, engine driver on the through train from Toronto, due here at 10.59, had a narrow escape from death to-day. Finding it hard to get up steam, he went out on the engine board as the train left Breslau to remedy the trouble. In clamber he missed his footing and fell back

The train sped on, the fireman, busy with his duties, not knowing the train was driverless. On nearing Berlin he became aware that there was no abatement of speed, and, on looking at the driver's seat found in

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colds. All stores and druggists sell at 50 cents a box, or post free from the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. 6 boxes for \$2.50.

C. P. R. SAID TO INTEND CONQUEST

Quebec, Feb. 4.-Railway men, civil

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velopment of the whole practically un-known northeastern part of Canada, so

pants of the soil.—Hom. Com. These powerful tribes are mentioned, "I. To show why Abram and Lot had but little pasturage. 2. To signalize the im-propriety and danger of their quarrelling among themselves. 3. To show that Abram felt that the eyes of these idolaters were on him, and that any misstep on his part, as the representa-tive of Jehovah, would be an occasion of stumbling to them."-Gosman.

III. Abram's generous offer (vs. 8. 9) -Abram speaks first. His Abram said-5. Abrain said—Abrain speaks hist, his offer is wise and generous. "He first let Lot take his choice, and then left God to choose for him. This was heavenly wisdom. This is what faith ever does; i wisdom. This is what faith ever does: it allows God to fix its inheritance, and is always satisfied with the porton which God gives."-C. H. M. No strife-"There is a special danger of quarrels in the family and among kindred, where there family and among kinarea, where there is active work, because there are so many conflicting interests among them," For we are brethren (R. V.)—We are of For we are predicted (K, X_{-}) —we are of the same family, worship the same God in the same way, have the same prom-ises, and look for the same end. Why then should there be stylfe?—Clarke, if we are brothren let us act and love like brethren. 9. The whole land—The heavenly principle of forbearance evidents; holds the supremacy in Abram's breast. He walks in the moral atmosphere of the Sermon on the Mount.—Murphy, Separ-ate, from me-Ulis proposed to ate ... from me-His proposal to separ-ate arises from his love of peace, not from any selfish regard to his own in-

erests.- Lange. IV. Lot's unwise choice (vs. 10-13), 10, Lifted up his eyes—There is a crisis in every man's history at which it will as every man's history at which it will as-suredly be made manifest on what ground he is resting, by what motives he is actuated, and by what objects he is animated: thus it was with Lot. C. H. M. Plain of Jordan-Lot chose the Jordan valley north of the Dead Sea near the city of Sodom. "Lot seems to have had nothing in view but his tempo al convenience and advantage. He aquire into the character of the in habitants, nor does he appear to expresany reluctance in leaving Abran."-Benson. Well watered—This was ver important in Eastern countries. Before. verv destroyed - After these cities were des-troyed the face of the country was al-fered. Garden of the Lord, - The men-tion of the garden of the Lord shaws

how the traditions of Eden still lingered No. Maude, dear in the thoughts of men, and Lot's precut larity between the sofeurn in the valley of the Wile would the morning glory.

him for having spoken hastily to son one on the ground that it was in the cause of justice. The saint replied, "You have been more just than right-cous, but we should be more righteous than just." Madame Guyon says, "Since food has given me grace to regard every thing and love everything in its relation to himself, I find great facility in bear

ing the defects and faults of my neigh-bors. I have a readiness to please and oblige everybody." 2. Unselfish. "Abram said Is not the whole land before thee? If thou wilt take the left hand, then I go to the right" (vs. 8. 9.) By vipt the choice of neition for a 9.) By right the choice of position for a home lay with Abram, but by the high-er law of love he waived it. He recog-nize the claims of brotherly kindness. The New York Grand Jury to-day re turned an indictment against the so called theatrical trust, charging conspir icy and restraint of trade nized-the claims of brotherry kinnness. III Lot's penalty (vs. 12, 13.) Doebt-less at first Lot meant to dwell at a safe distance from Sodom, but gradually was impelled by his spirit of self-seeking i brudence to draw nearer and nearer, un-til from having pitched his tent toward odom, we finally discover him within

the walls; and his unhappiness was but the working out of that law which brings, as surely as the effect follows the ause, the penalty as a consequence of vrong-doing.

FALLS TO HIS DEATH.

FATAL ACCIDENT IN DETROIT TO A FORMER BRANTFORDITE.

Detroit, Feb. 4 .-- Claude A .-- VanNor nan, 30 years old, employed as helper n the dynamo room in the Edison IIluminating Co's branch plant at State street and Washington boulevard, fell headlong through a hatchway to the ement floor of the dynamo room, 20 feet below, about 4.30 o'clock Wednes-day afternoon and died of his injuries en minutes later. His skull was frac

ured at the base. Van Norman was born in Brantford, Ont., and went to Cheboygan, Mich., when a child.

Severe earthquake shocks were felt on Vednesday night at Greensville, III. No, Maude, dear; there is no simi-arity between the widow's weeds and

strife and alienation. By mere force he could have settled the question and sil-enced Lot and his angry servañts, but instead he breaks down opposition by kindness and gives the first choice of a home to his weaker relative. In the biography of St. Francis de Sales it is biography of St. Francis de Sales it is will be laid off at various periods be-tween early next month and the two

face of any further upheavals as Jusmonths following, and will not again retice Fitzgerald took his place and Clerk Penny began to call the roll of the new turn to work until September.

Absent.

Advices received at Oil City, Pa., that jury panel. C. T. Dold solicitor for the Standard The Countess of Yarmouth, May and S. C. T. Dodd, solicitor for the Standard Oil Company. died last night at Pine-hurst, N. C. He was born in Franklin on The Countess of Yarmouth, May and Mrs. George L. Carnegie and Josiah Thaw arrived during the roll call. Mrs.

hurst, N. C. He was born in Franklin on February 20th, 1836. Sir John See, ex-Premier and Colonial Secretary of New South Wales, is dead. He was born in England in 1852, and was a director of many Australian public companies and institutions. The New York Grand Jury to-day re-

an earnest consultation at the Judge's desk for fifteen minutes, and again the rumor spread that a juror was to be excused. At the end of the conference, owever, no announcement was made, and Mr. Jerome proceeded with the examination of the first talesman. Assist ant District Attorney Garvin had depart and District Attorney Garvin had depart-any District Attorney Garvin had depart-day by shooting himself in the head. No cause for the act is known.

LEFT \$5,000,000 TO POOR.

posing Funeral.

London, Feb. 4.-Unusual public in-erest in the tragic death of William

With the one vacant seat in the jury

box this morning, the defense had eleven peremptory challenges left under the dis-In the midst of festivities in the Ma-In the midst of restivities in the Mar sonic Temple during "ladies' night" of the De Molay Commandery, Knights Templars, at Boston, Mass., Major Aus-tin Cushman organizer and first depart. had twenty challenges at its command.

tin Cushman, organizer and first depart-ment commander of the Grand Army of the Republic and private secretary to Millard Fillmore, thirteenth President of

the United States, was sticken with heart disease, and died shortly before midnight. He was 80 years old.

LUTHER AND HENRY EIGHTH.

Fourth Copy of Correspondence Sold at

'curth Copy of Correspondence Sold at London Auction. London, Feb. 4.—A reminder of the brace George Raynor, was shown by

London, Feb. 4.—A reminder of the former new theological dispute inter-ested bibliophiles to-day, when a hitherto unknown copy of the Latin correspond-ence between Luther and King Henry VIII. was sold at auction at Sotheby's. The correspondence concerns the time when King Henry, prior to the English reformation, won the title of Defender of and over a hundred carriages followed the Faith, which has since been borne by all.British sovereigns, from Pope Lee X., for attacking Luther's new theology. Luther's vigorous genomer is contained in the exclamation: "Q. how I should enjoy covering the "Q, how I should enjoy covering the elering peor.

pulled the train in, and later Little was found crawling along the track. With the exception of severe bruises and a fractured rib, he was unhurt, and was able to proceed to his home this evening.

FAMOUS SPRINGS ENDANGERED.

Commission Orders Three Mines at Carlsbad Closed.

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owing to the fact that roads are in a good condition for sleighing. Little complaint is being heard in the matter of collections. Toronto.-General trade conditions continue to move satisfactorily here. Drygoods trav-ellers who are on the road report conditions excollent. The sorting trade is quite heavy as was natural after the big trade of the holiday season. There has been quite a big business doing here recently for Western account. Materials for mers clocking are having an enormous sale and prices are firm. The outlook favors a big spring millinery trade. Trimmings have advanced since last season a matter of 10 to 25 per bent. Rib-bons are also higher. Prints are coming for-ward rather more freely, but they hold firm. The feature of the grocery trade is the sharp advance which has been steadily going on in all lines of canned goods. Stocks are light and it is reported that in some lines of vege-tables they are cloared out. Fruits, too, are very firm. Teas hold steady to firm with a good demand for the better grades. There is a good retail trade reported throughout the province and collections are generally good. Large orders are being placed for wriving and summer goods. Shipments are going forward well. Oeliverles of country produce here continue on the light side and prices are generally firm. Winnipog-Despite contradictions there, is no doubt the snow blockades in most parts of the Western country have greatly interfer-ed with trade. Deliverles of all lines are Vienna, Feb. 4.—It has been reported for some time that the famous Thermal Springs at Carlshad are endangered by coal mining operations in the neighbor-hood. A Government commission sent to investigate the matter decided that three of the mines must be clear immediately of the mines must be closed immediately or the waters would be lost. An English

prices are generally firm.
Winnbeg-Despite contradictions there is no doubt the snow blockades in most parts of the Western country have greatly interfered with trade. Deliveries of all lines are show and uncertain. Country result trade has also been affected. Wherever possible there is a good domand for goods and it may be supposed that when the roads are once again clear business will be all the more briefs on a going to be the haviest on record. Orders for goods are very large, and, despite adverse conditions, collections from most parts are fair to food.
Wanouver and Victoria-Coast trade keeps active in all lines. Wholesalers who have been statistations with the business of the past year. The drygoods and grocery trades have been particularly good. The spring trade is gotting to be well and it promises to be exceedingly heavy. All provincial industries are very busy and the shortage of labor is still a big factor. The shortage of labor is still a big factor. The advector is good or this time of the year. Collections are good at the moment is more of aluros in the distributed to heavy reads and the demand from abroad for Canadia wood the coming season season is likely to be large.
Manuto and canars and the demand from the slowy and heavy conders are gooding for Canadia wood the coming season season is likely to be large.
Manitom-The trade conditions there are year substactory. Spring dipments are going forward and orders compare very favorably while other lines of business are morely busy and the slow.
London-Wholesalers are morely busy and it is low of canarsed. There has been no failures in the base from the West are inclined to be all the price of leador is unchanced. There has been to failures in the lumber camps and the demand from abroad for Canadia wood the coming season were substactions. Spring shipments are going forward and orders compare very favorably while other lines of business are moderately so. Local industries are busines are inclined t

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company owning one of the mines has appealed against this decision, and if it is not rescinded will sue the State for damages. The company partly relies. upon the opinion of the eminent geoloupon the opinion of the eminent geolo-gist. Prof. Suess, who does not believe that the springs are endangered.

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burne!"

xclamation of the little girl." "Little Emily Russel?"

from me a conditional promise not to in form Sir Vincent of her accidental en

From this day, for several weeks, no

CHAPTER XIV.

The secret of some happy dream,

She did not care to tell.

of an infinite content. For all the

(To be continued.)

When Old Maidenhood Sets In.

When does a girl become an old maid?

counter with this man."

at last.



"Did you—I beg you will forgive the was settling herself in the carriage, she uestion, Miss Elmer—but did you observed a gentleman on horseback question, Miss Elmer—but did you observed a gentleman on horseback notice anything remarkable about this lady?" inquired the baronet, with in-terest. "I noticed her extreme pallor, which, perhaps, seemed so ghastly only in con-trast to her jet-black hair and eves.

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perhaps, seemed so ghastly only in con-trast to her jet-black hair and eyes, and her black dress. I noticed, also a deep melancholy approaching despair, in the expression of her features, and a sort of restrained frenzy in her glances and motions. I some her her the state of t sort of restrained frenzy in her glances and motions. I saw her but an instant, but in that instant I will not deny that appearance impressed me very deep-

"Humph! humph!" muttered the bar onet to himself, whether he approved or disapproved of the interest expressed by Miss Elmer in the person alluded to

"Miss Elmer, your appearance and manner, no less than the hight encomiums of my friend, Dr. Seymour, give me the greatest faith in your prudence and

Laura bowed in silence. The baronet seemed embarrassed, and doubted how to proceed.

At length he said: "Her name is Mrs. Ravenscroft. important reasons she lives in strict se-

clusion. Her home has hitherto been at Hurst Hill, our place in Yorkshire, but she has come up to town for a particular purpose. The seclusion that was desirable even in the country, is quite indispensible for her in London, but she requires recreation, air and gentle exercise, and she must take this in company of some and must take this in company of some proper companion, whose society and con-versation will be her security. For she must be kept from all other pupils. This, Miss Elmer, is the confidence I had to repose in you. The favor I have to ask is, that you will be so kind as to take two hours daily, not from your own time, but from the schoolroom, and become the companion of this unhappy

The baronet ceased, and Laura Elmer prepared to reply. The "confidence" that he had professed to give her was bua a half confidence at the best. Who was Mrs. Ravenscroft. What were her re-lations with Sir Vincent and his family? What was the nature of her unhappiness guilt of misform and her unhappiness What was the nature of her unhappiness —guilt or misfortune? And what was the reason for her strict seclusion? These the reason for her strict seclusion? These the park. They had left the gay throng were mysterics which Laura Elmer felt of fashionable visitors behind, and had should have been requested to become maids and young children.

of you is a very important one. If you of you is a very important one. If you feel any reluctance to undertake it, pray do not hesitate to say so," said the baronet, gently. "I only wish to reflect for a few mom-"I only wish to reflect for a few mom-

ents whether I could, with propriety, "See! observe these various groups of accept the charge you would honor me little children as they pass how much with. I will at least drive out with the marked individuality there is even in lady this afternoon, when I shall then be better able to judge," "Athank you more than you can im-ies. These, now, are the children of "Thank you more then you can im-agine, Miss Elmer," said the baronet; and

in the fevor of his gratitude he would ed nurse-observe the children, all have raised the hand of Laura to his and sashes, hats and feathers-and see lips, but she coldly withdrew it, saying the consequential air of their over-dress-that she would go and prepare for her ed attendant," said Laura, wishing to drive

Sir Vincent held the door open for her thoughts.

out daily with the young ladies; shall they join us in our drive this afternoon? "By no means," said the baronet, hast-ily, and with great emphasis; "by no means. They must forego the airing to-continue to take charge of Helen in her hours of recreation why, other arrange

Rayburne!" rms.

She had twice before noticed this individual loitering near the entrance of Lester House. And now his appearance the third time, and scemingly with the same purpose of espionage, filler her mind with vague surmises, which were, however, unmixed with misgivings, for certainly

vague surmises, when unmixed with misgivings, for certainly there was nothing whatever sinister in the appearance of this man. He seemed to be about twenty-eight or thirty years of age, with a tall and ele gant figure, a fine head, covered with shining, light yellow hair, that fell in clustering curls around a forchead white, his features were delicate and regular, his eyebrows softly traced, his eyes blue, clear, and gentle in their gaze, his nose straight, lips and chin molded into the very ideal of sweetness and benevolence. Frankness, affection, and gay good-humor were blended in the habitual ex-

loitering near Lester House. His mot-

usual, thronged with visitors in carri-ages, on horseback, and on foot. "The lady has fainted! Let me assist ages, on horseback, and on foot. The lady by Laura's side had not once

Taised her veil or spoken a word; and Laura herself was too much obserbed in thought to break her companion's reverie until they had reached the park, when, thinking it well to engage the un-happy lady in conversation, she said: "There is quite a numerous assemblage

plied the lady, in a low voice. Laura opened the windows, and the carriage wound slowly around one of the most beautiful and secluded avenues of the work. They had left the gay throng have been elucidated before she reached a quarter frequented by nurse-

"You are silent, Miss Elmer. I am well very quiet part now; will you not raise aware that the service I venture to ask your veil and breathe some of this deli-

some wealthy citizen, with their pamperwile her companion from her sorrowful

Sir Vincent held the door open for ner thoughts. to pass out. She paused one moment up on the threshold and said: "I have been in the habit of driving nurse nor the vanity of the babies could out daily with the young ladies; shall they join us in our drive this afternoon?" "Yet, look again," said the harmat her the pomposity of the "Br means" said the harmat her the pomposity of the the said the harmat her the pomposity of the babies could bring one smile to those sad lips.

hours of recreation , why, other arrange ed more interested in this little group. ments must be made for them." there eyes became riveted to the two child- which she had spoken to the stranger. She ments must be made for them." Laura Elmer, less satisfied than ever, ren, and like the flame of an expiring bowed slightly and withdrew. Latra Finer, less satisfied tain ever, bowed slightly and withdrew. She returned to her schoolroom, dis-then went to her own room to put an then went and shawl for the day, and ther bonnet and shawl for the drive. She her publed his mother's sleeve. Her days and with the schoolroom, dis-then went to her own room to put an then went and shawl for the drive. She her bonnet and shawl for the drive. She her publed his mother's sleeve. Her days and the schoolroom, and often sent to re-duces the schoolroom, and often sent to re-quest the publed his mother's sleeve. Her days and the schoolroom, and often sent to re-quest the presence of Miss Elmer in the library.

few yards distance, where he remained almly upon the watch. Before Laura could form a conjecture Thitle Emily Russel?" "In the circumstance, she was started by a shriek from her companion. She turned quickly round, but Helen Ravenseroft had already darted to the open window, from which she leaned, with her wild eyes fixed, and her thin white arms and classed hand, extended "Nor suspect who he may be?" "No." white arms and clasped hands extended toward the horseman, and her piercing voice, calling in an agony of supplica ion: 'Rayburne! Rayburne! Rayburne!

The thrilling anguish of those tones sould never be described ,and ne er be orgotten. The horseman smiled and held out his

arms. A wild cry of joy burst from the lips of Helen, as she tried to break open the carriage door. But Laura threw her arms around the form of the excited wo-man, and forced her back into her scat, where here resistance suddenly ceased, and she soft in a swoon and she sank in a swoon. Laura was greatly shocked. She stop-

ped the carriage, and began to bathe the hands and face of the fainting woman

"I beg your pardon, Miss Elmer, but my young friend Percy here recognized your carriage, and insisted on coming up. We were taking a walk through the park. Your companion seems to be ill. Can I be of any service ?" said the tu-tor.

tor. pression of this captivating countenance. So Laura Elmer felt no misgiving at you are here! Yet I do not know how seeing this gentleman, for the third time, you can assist me, either," said Laura,

suddenly recollecting Sir Vincent's or-ders that Mrs. Ravenscroft was to be ives and purposes might be eccentric, but ders that Mrs. Ravenscroft was to be evold not, with such a face as that, be seen by no one; yet greatly perplexed to know how she should get home with the carriage drove on, and in due her strange charge, should the latter time turned into the park. It was, as upon her recovery, again become unman-

you," eagerly pleaded Cassinove, attempt-ing to open the carriage door. "No, no; she is recovering now, and you must leave us if you please, Mr. Cassinove; but first tell me how much of this strange scene you have witness

ious "light-haired stranger," who "The whole of it. Percy and myself were walking in the park, as I said. He recognized your carriage, and we were coming toward it, when I happened to nce.

see my landlady with her two children; I saw the little girl start forward, with an exclamation that drew every ore's the frantic gestures and heard the wild cries of your friend before she fainted. And now, as you will not permit me to assist you in any way, I shall go in search of that mysterious light-haired Adonis, with whom also I have an account to settle on behalf of the widow and her orphans. So I shall see before night, whether, despite his very prepos-

sessing appearance and fascinating ner, I cannot bring him to the intimat acquaintance of the magistrate," sai said oung Cassinove, bowing and retiring And lifting his hat, he bowed deeply and

walked rapidly away. Laura Eimer then gave her exclusive attention to her patient, who had now recovered sufficiently to enable her to sit up and breathe freely. Helen Ravenscroft looked around with a bewildered gaze, and as memory seem-ed to return to her, sigh after sigh burst from her bosom. the bosom. the bosom to be a sufficient to the school

from her bosom. Laura gave orders to the coachmen to Her mornings were passed in the school

drive home. "I hope you feel better," she said, in a gentle voice, turning to her strange com-with Mrs. Ravenscroft, who had lapsed

one's attention was called to him by the **RHEUMATIC AGONY** Nothing Reached the Root of the Trouble Until Dr. Williams' Pink

Pills Were Used. "Nor suspect who he may be?" "No." "I suffered almost untold agony "It is perfectly unaccountable, The unfrom rheumatism, For several weary months I was confined to bed. I had the best of medical treatment, but nothing seemed to reach the root of the disease happy lady in your carriage who swoon-ed at the sight of this strange man, called him Rayburne, I think?" "Yes," replied Laura, hearing again in imagination those piercing cries of an-guish-"Rayburne! Rayburne! Ray-

"And — pray forgive my inquisitive-ness, I have an excellent reason for it, which I will soon explain—the lady gave you no explanation of her own painful interest in this man?" "None whatever. I know no more than "one the firmly implanted in my sys-tem. At the outset I was able to attend to we household duties but at nicht I.

"Now whatever. I know no more than yourself." "Possibly not so much, Miss Elmer. And now I will give you my reasons for taking so deep an interest in the discov-ery of this man. The little woman in black, with the two children, was my landlady, a widow, who kept a little trimming shop in Berkeley street. A few days ago, during her absence, and while the shop was left in charge of the two children, this very man, whom they ight and removed the most valuable part of the widow's little stock, telling the simple children that he had already purchased it for the orphan asylum The most singular feature in the whole case is, that the widow, even in

The most singular feature in the whole case is, that the widow, even in Williams Pink Fills." Dr. Williams Pink Pills eured Mrs. Morrill by driving the rheumatic poi-son out of her blood. They actually make new blood. They don't act on the bowels. They don't bother with mere symptoms. They go right to the root of the two ble in the blood. That is why her great trouble, refuses to seek legal redress, without assigning any reason for her strange forbearance. She would even have made me promise not to en-deavor to find him out, but I informed her that it was the duty of every honest they have cured the worst cases of anac-mia (bloodlessness) headaches and backman of the community to protect the innocent and prosecute the guilty. Your young friend who was so dreadfully aches, kidney trouble, indigestion, neu-ralgia, nervousness and the special uil-ments of girls and women, whose blood agitated by the appearance of this man could afford some clue to his identity if she would. Can you not serve the cause supply becomes weak, scanty or irregu-lar. Sold by all medicine dealers or by of justice by inducing her to do so?" "Alas! no, for she not only refused mail at 50c a box or six boxes for \$2.7 from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co Co. to give me any explanation of the cause Brockville, Ont. of her agitation, but she even wruns

SWETTENHAM-DAVIS.

nore was seen or heard of the myster LOTS OF MATTER FOR A FIRST CLASS ous "light-haired stranger," whose ap bearance had caused so much disturb OPERA BOUFF.

(Toronto Saturday Night.) Three American war vessels steamed

Light came back to the dark eyes, and nto the British harbor of ruined Kingolor to the pale cheeks of Laura Elmer ston offering to help if help were need-Some new spring of life warmth and in-spiration seemed opened in her soul. There were few in that large household ed. Ships of any other navy in the world in the port of a first-class power would have placed themselves at the that cared to observe the looks of the governess, else they must have seen the change that was coming over her coundisposal of the authorites, and been content with that. Rear-Admiral Davis tenance; the spiritual beauty that at expressed his intention of firing a salute nce softened and irradiated her noble in honor of the British Governor. Very features gave a sweeter, clearer tone to her rich, deep voice, and a more elastic sensibly the Governor requested that grace to all her stately motions. She seemed, indeed, as one who had found, this formality be dispensed with, as it

would needlessly alarm people for miles around who had passed through enough disquiet already. The salute, however, was fired, and people for miles around She seemed to have discovered, within were needlessly alarmed. "My dear Gov the depths of her own spirit, the secret ernor," wrote Rear-Admiral Davis that evening, "I beg of you to accept my apology for the mistake of the salute this afternoon. My order was misunder-stood, and the disregard of your wishes f earthly happiness she appeared to be sufficient unto herself, as one whose treasures were all within, safe from ex was due to a mistake in the transmis-sion of my order. I trust the apparent

disregard of your wishes will be over looked." Certainly, if it was not a de liberate act of disrespect, but merely a piece of bad management in the visit ing navy, let it be overlooked. Send mesengers in all directions to tell the alarmed natives that these bellowing noises do not portend the end of the world—which they momentarily fear but was a visiting navy shooting off can n by mistake.

business. He heard from other sources a different story from that told him by the Governor. He heard complaints, rum-ors, conflicting stories, and so, notwith-standing this gruff old Governor, he landed wrecking parties, and, not having been invited to work in conjunction with the authorities, began a rival work to theirs. cleaning wreckage out of stores

the authority, weekage out of stores theirs. cleaning wreckage out of stores piling bricks, doing sentry go, setting up a competing hospital with the stars and stripes flying over it. A pretty fresh Read-Admiral, without much respect for Read-Admiral, without much respect for until I used Dr. Williams ' Pink Pills. or confidence in any authority but that These have completely restored ' my health." This strong emphatic statement is made by Mrs. Edna Morrill, of Wood-stock, N. S., a lady who had practi-stock, N. S., a lady who had practi-tally hear diran use in marking the most of the present opportunity, a man of more energy than judgment. Only

> Which should be recalled by the Gov-ernment responsible for him? Rear-Admiral Buttinski? or Governor Gruff? However, everybody knows which of the two will have the blame piled on his shoulders. But if Swettenham be recalled, he should try to make a detour through Canada on his way home, as there are people in this country who would like to have a good look at the leat of his kind last of his kind.

> > FROST-BITES.

A cure is always at hand as far as nips on the face are concerned: it is

generally only necessary to lay the bare hand upon the ear or nose to restore circulation. There is no pain in getting frozen, but a good deal in getting thawed, if this is accomplished in a warm place. To avoid too rapid return of the circulation, an application of snow is a good thing. Melting snow is a powerful freezer, as every maker of ice cream knows, and that is its one merit in case of frost-bite. It keeps the heat from re-turning too fast. It can, however, be carried much too far. We have known cases where frozen limbs were further frozen by putting them into snow in the house, resulting in amputation. It is pure madness to use snow out-doors. It is singular what a widespread misapprehension there is on this point. Ninety-nine people out of a hundred will apply snow to the frozen face in the coldest

weather. The face or hand melting the snow produces freezing conditions. What is still more insane, ninety-eight in a hundred will rub the frozen part with the snow as hard as they can, and if soft snow cannot be had, then with hard. The skin when frozen is very much more easily injured then under national account easily injured than under natural conditions, and unfortunate effects have often been produced in this way. Rub bing, of course, increases the warmth and promotes circulation. It can best be done with the hand, which is warm A woollen glove gives friction, but at

A woolien give gives friction, but at the expense of applying cold to cold. A very slight covering usually protects the ears, whether applied at the upper or lower extremity. A lady's hair is often enough. There is a prevalent opinion that fur

caps or other heavy headwear produce colds in the head, as the head may get overheated when these are worn and when taken off a chilliness results. This accounts for the common eight of a man wearing a fur coat and a Derby hat at the same time, leaving the ears unpro-tected, the part of the head most sus-cetpible to frost bites. However, if the eet are kept warm, the other parts of the human system will be better able to resist the effects of the frost.

A MOTHER'S PRIDE. A mother's greatest pleasure is in seeing her little ones bright, playful and healthy. The well child is a blessing to the home, but the sick child is a regular little tyrant. A few doses of Baby's Own Tablets will make the sickly child well, or an occasional dose will prevent sickness. There is nothing to

her door with Sir Vincent's compriments and carriage was waiting. Laura Elmer went down to the front hall, in which she found Sir Vincent with a lady, clothed in black and closely veil-When Laura came quite near, he went stock."

through a slight presentation, merely saying, in a very low tone: "Mrs. Ravenscroft, Miss Elmer."

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Taising her veil, gravely bowed, and im-mediately averted her head. Sir Vincent then ied her out, and plac-Sir Vincent then ied her out, and plac-

so in vincent then led her out, and place man who had watened them from the ed her in a carriage. He then returned corner of Lester House. He was still on to Laura, handed her into a seat beside horseback, and had evidently followed Mrs. Ravenscroft, and told the coacr-man to drive to the park. As the bar-reined up his horse in a line with the onet disappeared within, and as Laura side windows of the carriage, but at a

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meeting____" She was unable to pronounce the name,

her bonnet and shawl for the drive. Such he pulled his mother's sleeve. had scarcely drawn on her gloves, when Lizzy, the little ladies' maid, came to her door with Sir Vincent's compliments. her young widow turned to look, when her young widow turned to look, when her young widow turned to look, when the young widow turned to look to look, when the young widow turned to look the poor head down uten the young the poor head down uten the young the poor head down uten the young widow turned to look the poor head down uten the young the poor hea sion of tears and sous. Laura drew the poor head down upon her own bosom, and with tender words and caresses sought to soothe this inex-liceble correct.

"Dear Mrs. Ravenscroft," she said.

The excitement and vehemence of the hild drew all eyes to follow the direc-ion of here outstretched finger.

child drew all eyes to follow the direc-tion of here outstretched finger. "Myng, In venture of the widow started, an dturned dead-The widow

park.

in your carriage?"

"Did he attempt to speak to anyone

No, not once. He kept out of our

sight even until the moment that every

"whatever the unknown cause of your sorrow may be, believe me, I sympathize with you from my soul. I will serve you to the extent of my power; and I will never reveal the incident of this after-noon, unless I should be convinced that your own safety and welfare required it."

your own safety and welfare required it." Hele" Ravenscroft caught and kissed the hand that was extended to her in pledge of the speaker's sincerity, and then she drew her black veil across her face, and relapsed into silence, which lasted until they reached Lester House. Sir Vincent Lester met them in the hall, thanked Miss Elmer for her kind-ness, and took the hand of Mrs. Ravens-croft and hoping that she had enjoyed the drive, he led her away. That same evening, after tea, Laura Elmer was alone in the sitting room used in common by the governess and her quor and to her gentle "Come in," en-"I pray you will forgive this intrusion,

the hair near the scalp begins to whiten. --Kansas City Journal. "I pray you will forgive this intrusion, and grant me a few moments conversa-tion, Miss Elmer," he said. "Certainly, Mr. Cassinove," replied Laura, inviting him to be seated. He took the offered chair and said: "I will to speak to you Wiss Elmer



But the "apparent disregard" of the these tables. They make teetning Governor's wishes did not end here. Al-though informed immediately on his ar-rival that the British authorities in rival that the British authorities as lets are sold under the guarantee of a Covernment analyst not to contain one She had not seen Lady Lester once since the interview in her ladyship's "I landed working parties from both ships to-day," and "I purpose landing parties to-morrow unless you expressly do not desire it. . . . This party re-covered a safe that was being stolen from a involve city." do not desire it. . . . This party re-1 covered a safe that was being stolen from a jewelry store. . . from this I judge that the police surveillance of r the city is inadequate for the protection F of private property." The British Gov. go ornor bad alroady accurate him that the

ernor had already assured him that the police protection was adequate. His word could not be accepted—Davis was

looking into these matters for himself. "I shall," he continues in this, perhaps the most remarkable letter ever received

by a British Governor since the Romans nvaded England, "direct the medical ofroyal highness told the poet that he had been a most untiring host. "But," he added, laughingly, "there ficers of my squadron to make all efforts

to aid cases of distress which perhaps do not come under the observation of your medical officers.' In fact, he isn't satisfied with the look of things, and is going to take hold of affairs, Governor or no Governor. To get a line on Rear-Admiral Davis

turn to his despatch to Admiral Davis sent off just before he got the letter

sent off just before he got the letter from Governor Swettenham that jolted him off his high horse. He cables his superior officer that he finds Sir Alexan-der Swettenham a man of great power, "He assures me that there is no need of police protection or relief; declined my offer to land wrecking parties to as-sist in hospital, to police streets clear

my other to land wrecking parties to as-sist in hospital, to police streets, clear away debris, and bury the dead." That should have sufficed; was not the Goy-ernor the -proper judge on these points? "Later by request" unauthorized by the Governor, "I landed fifty men under arms, to prevent a multiny in the peni-tentiary." There was no multiny and the men were withdrawn on the Gov-ernor's request, "as he assured me ha is capable of controlling the situation." He has West Indian Regimmet, 1,000 strong, and two companies of artillery, besides insular constabulary." Plenty of troops. The frightened natives were i clined to remain on their knees praying except when disturbed by cannons fired by mistake. However, Davis shows that he considers himself on active service for he concludes his despatch to Admiral Davis: "I consider it my duty to remain for the present, at least, Situation is too confusing, and conflicting stories, re-ports, complaints, and rumors too con-

thern a splendid medicine. At eleven months he weighed over twenty-six weighed twenty-six pounds." The Tablets are sold by druggists or by mail at 25 cents a b the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. His

Most Obliging Host.

The Duke of Connaught once paid a visit to the late Sir Edwin Arnold at Tokio, and just before he was leaving hi

"But," he added, laughingly, "there is one thing you have not shown me which this country is noted for." "What is that?" inquired Sir Edwin. "An earthquake," the duke replied. At that moment there was a violent shock which shook the building and brought some of it tumbling down. The duchess came running in greatly cicht. duchoss came running in, greatly frightened.

"Oh, what is it?" she gasped. "An earthquake?" "Only a little magic," said the duke,

soothingly. He turned to Sir Edwin with twinklink eyes. "I thought I was not asking too much of you," he said.—Black and White.

· Moving in a New Sphere.

(Rossville, Kan., Reporter.)

(Rossville, Kan. Reporter.) F. Lineotype Carr, who has been in the employ of the Reporter in the capacity of compositor for a year past, has ceased from his labors and is now at rest. No more will his high-low jig-saw laughtor be heard withing alabaster walls of the composing room or rudely alarm and make afraid the citizons of Main street. During F. Lineotype's ser-vice in this offloe he has absorbed so much knowledge as to induce palpitation of the pancreas and an abnormal bulging of the brow. Acting on the advice of friends, he will join the Eighteenth infairty band. U. S.A., where it is hoped the nary blue voos-bulary of his associates and a steady diet of cold beans will reduce the sappy secre-tions and thus preserve a life so full of. Following Common Practice.

ports, complaints, and rumors too con-tradictory to enable me at present to form a clear judgment of actual situa-tion." All the assurances of Governor Swet-tenham were not going to influence his mind He was going to look into this to look into this to be the custom now far heard on the stage when leaving the theatra-tradictory to enable me at present to form a clear judgment of actual situa-tion." All the assurances of Governor Swet-tenham were not going to influence his mind He was going to look into this mearly everyone was growling."

Following Common Practice. (Yonkers, N.Y., Statesman.) Church-It seems to be the custom now for

