

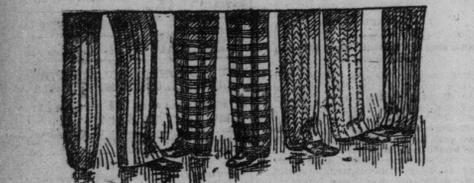
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Mantle Folding Bed, hardwood, antique finish, with double woven wire spring mattress attached, size 4 feet wide by 6 feet long, strongly made, regular price \$7.00. February sale price 5.75
Extension Tables, hardwood, antique finish, strong, shaped legs, well braced top, 40-inch wide, extend 6 feet long. Sale price 3.45
Parlor Suite, 5 pieces, solid oak or walnut frames, nicely hand carved and polished, upholstered in heavy tapestry covering, spring seats, silk plush trimmed, regular price \$22. February sale price 16.50
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THEORY AND PRACTICAL MINING.

Theorists in geology are pretty much the same as theorists in politics. They are in any other sphere of activity. In the practical affairs of life theories don't count for much. A few incontrovertible facts are of more value than a bushel of theories. As between Dr. Selwyn, who launches his theory that Western Ontario is a gold-producing country, and the practical business men and miners who are daily handling the rock, and who are producing the actual gold, we are inclined to rely upon the latter.

The extension of the electric tram system in Toronto has made departmental stores possible, and when the country about Toronto is considered it is evident that there is a need for 50 miles around to be captured and held.

It is quite time that Toronto woke up to this. The great trade of our country lies in the West. The gold and silver and the copper and iron and the nickel and the zinc and the lead and the tin and the tungsten and the molybdenum and the vanadium and the cobalt and the manganese and the boron and the selenium and the tellurium and the iodine and the bromine and the fluorine and the chlorine and the sulfur and the phosphorus and the carbon and the silicon and the germanium and the arsenic and the antimony and the bismuth and the tin and the lead and the zinc and the iron and the nickel and the copper and the silver and the gold.

The tariff question is a mere debate between free trade theorists, who have the best of the theoretic case, and the protectionists, who are in the world by the grace of the tariff. The latter do not advocate protection for the sake of patriotism, but their beliefs are in line with the country's growth.

Preaching nowadays is intended to put people to sleep. If the clergy really desire to do their duty, they should be busy with the nineteenth century problems, they would at once demonstrate that the modern age is not a mere continuation of the past, but a new era of progress and organization of unusual virtue. It is better for the preacher not to awaken the conscience to the fact that the world is in a state of confusion, but to show that the church is a source of strength and comfort in these times of trouble.

THE PROPOSED SWING BRIDGE. A large number of communications in reference to the proposed swing bridge across the western channel have been received by the Harbor Commissioners. Some of the writers think the bridge would not interfere with navigation, while others are opposed both to the bridge and to the construction of the latter for the most part content themselves with general statements in opposition to the bridge. It would be a dangerous menace to the free use of the channel. It would be "detrimental to the best interests of the harbor," and so on. Instead of generalizing in this way, we would like to hear these gentlemen give the specific reasons which lead them to these conclusions. If they have any arguments to sustain their opposition to the bridge, the public would like to hear them. This case must be decided by argument, not by prejudice. What we want to know is the nature of the objections that would be opposed to by reason of the bridge. In the first place, it will not be necessary to open the bridge more than a dozen times a day, and that only during a period of four or five months in the year. Will those who oppose the bridge please inform us as to the extent of the danger and the

THE KING SAYS HE'LL FIGHT

And if Whipped He Will Take to the Woods.

KING OF BENIN'S ANSWER

To the Notification That Britain Will Punish Him.

The Trouble in Crete Not Half so Bad as Reported—Refugees From Canoe Fed From a British Warship—M. Manotaux, the French Foreign Minister, Intimates That Great Britain Has Violated International Law in Egypt—General News by Cable.

BRAS, GUINEA COAST, Feb. 8.—The King of Benin, who caused the massacre of Consul Phillips' party, to avenge which a punitive expedition is now being fitted out under the supervision of Rear Admiral Rawson, C.B., Commander-in-Chief of the British Cape of Good Hope station, has sent a message saying that if the expedition chooses to fight his soldiers and fight them with his soldiers at the water side as he has done, he will send his soldiers to fight them and he will require to the backwoods.

THE CRETAN TROUBLE

Announcement in the House of Commons That Reports Were Exaggerated.

London, Feb. 8.—In the House of Commons today, Mr. Curzon, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, stated that the rumors of a massacre in Crete were unfounded. He said that there had been some firing there, but the loss of life had been small. During the firing he said the British warships at the island had conducted themselves in an exemplary manner and that the 5000 refugees had embarked from the island and that there had been a scarcity of food reported at Cania the day before yesterday. He said that the British warships at the island had conducted themselves in an exemplary manner and that the 5000 refugees had embarked from the island and that there had been a scarcity of food reported at Cania the day before yesterday.

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A Canadian Foreign Contract Labor Law Would Give Work Here

To Those Who Have Gone Across the Line

What the Proposals of the U. S. Politicians Really are—Knights of Labor General Officers are—Knights of Labor

Boodle-Trade Unions and Free Silver

An Interesting Letter From Mr. A. W. Wright on Labor Matters

Recently Premier Laurier entertains the belief that he has arranged by some arrangement by which Canadians will be exempted from the operation of the United States foreign contract labor laws. If he understood the conditions that led to it he could not harbor such a hope. It is true, no doubt, that when originally agitated and enacted the law was not specially designed to guard against Canadian labor.

ALONG CANADA'S BORDER.

Along the Canadian border too, particularly in New England and eastern New York, they feel keenly the competition of the French Canadian, especially in the factories. These French Canadians, who are ignorant or know only a few words of the English language, are a constant source of trouble to the American people.

WILL BE MORE STRINGENT.

Instead of the law restricting foreign labor being relaxed it is more certain that it will be made more stringent. There is now before the United States Congress a bill which would make it more difficult for a foreigner to come to this country.

WHAT CANADA CAN DO

Canada can do but little to break the force of the proposed legislation so far as the Dominion is concerned. The Canadian foreign contract labor law which would exclude all Canadian workers from the lumber woods, the mines and the agricultural industry.

A FAR REACHING PROPOSAL.

United States politicians in the congress which is in the last stages of its existence are evidently anxious to make what I might call a labor record. An unusual number of bills on the calendar which are probably expected to make their way into law.

WANT TO GET THE BOODLE.

The general officers of the Knights of Labor are trying to get the law which has just passed at the last session of the General Assembly and district assemblies to bind themselves in writing to turn over to the general officers the money and other property which may be available to the general officers.

WANT A UNION MAN APPOINTED.

A writer in the Typographical Journal proposes that a practical primer new work should receive the approval of the International Union. He would like to see the selection of the president or secretary of the union made by the members of the union.

A BULLETIN FROM B.C.

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It is both unwise and harmful to predict very large and sudden advances in the mineral output, as it must be remembered that a greatly increased output requires also a greatly increased amount of underground work, unless large bodies of very high-grade ore are uncovered.

THE VALUABLE SLOCAN.

"The Slocan, according to the number of its shipping mines and the amount and value of the ores sold, now ranks as the most productive mining district in the Province, and in point of importance is not surpassed by any other. In an area of 25 miles there have been discovered many veins of high-grade silver-ore, which have been developed with great vigor and success.

MR. DEBS' POSITION.

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CONTEMPT OF COURT.

Some of the roads involved were in the hands of the carriers of the mails, and all of them were carriers of the mails. The carriers of the mails are the property of the United States, and their work is a public service.

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Mr. Debs has been beaten in his attempt to get an open order of the United States to allow him to travel in the United States.

MINES SHIPPING.

This gives a total value for the three districts of \$2,745,166 for 1896, as against \$1,200,229 for the preceding year. The number of miles shipped in the three districts in 1896 was 1,800,000, as against 1,500,000 in 1895.

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