manufactured of very thin layers of gold, valuable of all insectivorous birds. with a layer of base metal between, the whole being "sweated" together. Really it was simply a gilt watch, but it would last for ten years before the surface was worn through, and was innocent enough when sold

be worth \$60 or \$70. one way remained for the public to protect ly synonymous. itself in the matter. This was for every

sold as such not assaying more than twelve Russian army against the allied forces of carats. Frequently the swivels were stamp- England, France, and Turkey. Filled and plated chains were usually sold | Mohammedan countries. upon their merits, and chiefly in the ruder

parts of the country. Thousands of wedding rings, he said, were annually manufactured, filled with a brass wire run through the centre of the circlet, and stamped with a device resembling an eighteen-carat quality mark, though in reality it signified nothing. There was no doubt that these were sold as gold, and many of them at but little less than the legitimate price of gold. In the manufacture of fancy gold neck-chains, for ladies' wear, it was necessary that the links should be made hollow in order to give them the proper degree of elasticity. Hence they were spun over a copper wire, which was afterward, by honest makers, entirely destroyed by the use of tice, however, to use a solution of acid which crumbled away only parts of the wire and wire through the "shank," or circlet, and silver, with a gold veneer.

He mentioned one noted jewellery firm in character and prices of the goods supplied safety for the public, apart from written guaranties, was the practice of dealing with firms of established high reputation, and consenting to pay the value of the articles desired. Buyers had been led to believe that they could get a gold dollar's worth for fifty-five cents, and the sooner they relinfor them and for honest trade.

Remarkable Theatrical Criticism. Hamlet must have been a remarkable man not to have gone mad in the midst of such characters as his aimless mother, the insipid and discordant Ophelia and the noisily empty Laertes, as they were presented on this stage We confess to our secret satisfaction at the poisoning of the Queen, who, in rouging her cheeks got a double dose on the end of her nose, and we experienced a malicious joy in the unskillful stabbing of Laertes, who deserved death if for no other reason than for son to his wife. "No, dear, you generally exhis unaccented lamentations over the demise | pand them," was her reply. of a horse-fiddle sister, whose departure should have been to him a source of joy. The gravedigger did well, not only in his professional work, but in effectually burying the ill-dressed Ophelia. We never attended a funeral with more pleasure.

New parasol handles are in the form of

tell which is the worst taste. Electricity has been applied to propel road, \$14,949,052, was the largest ever drawn velocipedes. M. Trouve recently drove an in this country. English tricycle through the streets of Paris | An effort is being made to have the presby means of electricity stored in a Plante sec- ence of Queen Victoria at the opening of the

The House Wren as an Insect Destroyer.

Charles Aldrich, in the American Naturalist, The observations I have been able to make cases were cut wherever a grain of gold ties to rear their young year after year. Last advantages, cases were cut wherever a grain of got and steel or brass was insert- season I had up about thirty of these nesting The steamer had slipped her moorings, agined that some such duty was expected of but the Directors trust they are such as will boxes, and all but two or three, which were and was gliding out of the bay before I notic-

ALBANIANS.

The Albanians have always been a fierce for what it was. In the hands of unscrupul- and warlike race, and their Turkish con- side and the copper on the other. He looked evinced when cured. On the whole, we need ous dealers, however, it was very dangerous. querors were never able to bring them into like a Hindoo idol, with his heavy-lidded not wonder that Ganesha, the Hindoo God of An expert could readily detect its character complete subjection. About half the populatorbs and baggy cheeks, the latter sagging al- Wisdom, is represented with an elephant's by the color and weight, as well as by the tion of their country are Mohammedans, the most down to the folds of flesh that marked head, to symbolize the possession of extraoruse of acids, but with an ordinary customer rest being divided between the Greek and his triple chin, those rings of the human oak, dinary sagacity. it would easily pass for gold. Such a watch the Latin churches. The conversion of those Near him, but not watching him, and evicase, worth some \$23, would in genuine gold | who profess the religion of the Arabian dently not caring for anything, stood a bare-As there was no hope of getting any legis-lation in this country which would guard same family, some will go to the mosque covered with a delicate tracery of blue veins, against the perpetration of the frauds in and others to the church; and, with the and resembled a geographical globe. At his question, this gentleman declared that only Turks, infidel and Albanian are terms near- girdle hung a leather pouch, apparently

purchaser of a watch to demand a wrttten his face is oval, with high cheek-bones; his their companions, were returning from a certificate from the manufacturer that the neck is long, and his chest full and broad. commercial visit to Gibraltar. The chief case was "of solid eighteen carat gold that never fails to strike the traveller. He consists in supplying the English garrison generally insisted upon such certificates, the goes constantly armed, and there are few and the cities of Cadiz and Lisbon with cate retail dealers and jobbers would require them Albanians who have not, in the prime of the fowl, fruit, and green stuff. I saw nonfrom the makers, who would, of course, be their life, belonged to some of the numerous of these people on the streets of Gibraltar, held legally responsible for the correctness bands of robbers who invest the mountains however. They probably hugged the waterof their native country, of Thessaly, and of front, where the markets are, and did not He said that frauds similar to those prac- Macedonia. The occupation carries with it venture into the upper town. With their tised in watch-cases ran through every line of jewellery and gold-work. The standard common with the Albanian to mention circumstances which occurred when he "was a let cloaks that light up the alameda of a fourteen carats, being two carats less than in robber," When the business becomes dull, pleasant afternoon. England, as the lower grade was harder and the Albanian robber generally takes to a wore better. Yet it was now extremely military life, and it matters little to him un-sides myself, if I may pass for a Europeandifficult to find a genuine fourteen-carat der what flag he enlists. In the Crimean a Marseillaise gentleman about to join his chain in this market, nearly all the chains war many Albanian chiefs fought in the wife, the guest of her brother, the French

ed fourteen carats, thereby leading to the Unlike the Turks, the Albanian is gay, not); a Dutch painter from Antwerp, with false belief that the chains were of the same lively, and active, fond of amusements, and an amazing porcelain pipe; and last, but not fineness. He regretted to say that such delighting in all kinds of entertainments. least, a Briton, among whose luggage was a were manufactured and sold even by firms As a race, the men display a greater degree circular tin bath-tub, concerning which the of good reputation, and that retailers who of contempt for women than is usual even Mohammedan mind had swamped itself in bought them from jobbers were often de- among the most barbarous nations. They vain conjecture. Wasit a piece of defensive ceived as well as the customer. In this mat- regard them as inferior animals, and treat armor-a shield, for example-or was it a ter, as in regard to watch-cases, the exaction them accordingly. But in the country dis- gigantic frying-pan? These Christian dogs, of an explicit written guaranty was the only tricts of Albania the women are not con- they have such outlandish fashions! No method of protecting the purchaser, fined or veiled, as is customary in strictly Arab passed it without a curious glance, and

A Sad Scene.

shocked by a telegram from her husband sayng that her body would arrive the next evening. The family was overcome with the sudden blow. Hurried preparations for mourning garments and the preliminaries to the funeral were made, and, on the dismal evening, dressed all in black, they went to the station to meet the corpse. The hearse and and a numerous crowd, attracted partly by curiosity, partly by sympathy, accompanied the bereaved household. As the train_apa strong acid. It was now a common pract proached a solemn silence settled upon the assembly, and as it stopped there was a respectful hush until the ceremony of receiving left little segments of copper to increase the the corpse was concluded. But the train weight of the chains. Probably nine-tenths hands did not share this feeling. The bagof the hollow-link chains, which were sold gage master pitched his trunks about and to dealers by weight, contained more or less | swore as briskly as ever and just as if a part of this copper filling. Cameo rings of un- of his load was not of a character to call for adulterated gold were rarely obtained by decorous behavior. The conductor came uppurchasers, the practice being to run a brass on the platform laughing and trying to joke with the station agent's daughter, who told frequently to insert a thick piece of brass at him he ought to be ashamed to carry on that the back of the stone, beneath a thin gold way at such a time. In the meanwhile the layer. Sleeve buttons, sold as gold, were long and narrow box which so quickly tells also frequently backed with brass, or were of its story had not made its appearance, and after a painful delay, Mr. Cheney stepped forward and asked for the corpse. The bagthis city, who, always closely watching the gage man stared at him as if he were crazy, and making no reply, went on overhauling to them, had samples of the articles assayed the trunks, as if it might be under them whenever any circumstances excited suspic- somewhere. Suddenly Mr. Cheney felt an ion of their quality. If the slightest fraud arm about his neck and a kiss imprinted upwas discovered, the goods were promptly re. on his cheek. He looked. It was his daughturned to the maker, and his relations with ter. The female members of the family went the firm were permanently ended. The only into hysterics. There were shouts and tears and laughter. The daughter, appalled at the frightened almost into a fainting fit. She could offer no explanation of the telegram. She could not say positively whether in a moment of absent-mindedness her husband quished that delusion the better it would be | whether he wrote it so blindly that the operride home in the hearse and took her place in the carriage with the chief mourners.

SUNBEAMS. Count Loris Melkoff is taking much needed rest at Wiesbaden. The British Government will soon include Minister of Agriculture.

its model costume on view in London. "I never contract bad habits," said Robin-

Rosa Bonheur is at work on a grand study of some lions she kept in her grounds last summer and then gave to the Paris " Zoo,"

as an attraction. It is said that the cheque given by the Pennsword-hilts or champagne corks, It is hard to sylvania Railway Company in payment for the Philadelphia, Washington, and Baltimore

ondary battery and a pair of Deprez electric New Dock Works at Leith in July. The motors. The weight of the apparatus was ground has been entirely reclaimed from the office boys by numbers of Christians in New four hundred-weight and the speed was not sea, and the extension, when completed, will York. They are found to be exceptionally have cost £375,000.

On Shipboard from Gibralter to Tangler.

T. B. Aldrich, in Harper's Magazine for July.

during a residence of several years on a steamer in the world than the one that plies fractory, the keepers have "a heavy hand" An article on frauds in jewellery lately pub
farm, have convinced me that the common between Gibraltar and Morocco, and F am with their charge. The most usual method house wren is really one of the most valuable positive that since Noah's ark no vessel ever of persuasion employed, when coaxing and lished in The Ecening Post having attracted birds, not, perhaps, for what they have done, put to sea with a more variegated and income feeding have failed, is, we believe, to "job considerable attention, a gentleman thorough- but from the possibilities wrapped up in their gruous lot of passengers than saluted my eyes them with a pitchfork till blood is freely ly familiar with the trade was applied to diminutive bodies. They are quite as social as I stepped on board the Jackal one April drawn"; at least this was the explanation yesterday for some further information on as the purple martin or blue bird, and greatly afternoon. The instant I set foot on deck given by a trainer of repute of his own practhe subject. He said that the frauds in surpass both of these in the rapidity with I had passed out of Europe. Here were the tice in his gentle art, and it accords with watch-chain making, caused by excessive which they increase. I began several years squalor and the glitter of the Orient-the Strabo's assertion that " to prevent them competition, had now become so general that ago to provide them with resting places in solemn dusky faces that look out on the shaking themselves in order to throw off prices had been "cut" to an extent extreme- the vicinity of my buildings. Sometimes I reader from the pages of the Arabian Nights, those who attempt to mount them, they [the ly damaging to all honest manufacturers. fastened the skull of a horse or ox, or a small and the thousand and one disagreeable odors ancient Indians make cuts all around their The jobbers were primarily responsible for box, in a tree top. But latterly I have made of which that fascinating chronicle makes no neck, and then put thongs of leather into the the evil, those in Chicago having been the it a practice every spring to obtain thirty or mention. Such a chattering in Spanish, incisions, so that the pain obliges them to pioneers in this class of swindling, which forty cigar boxes for this purpose. If the l'ortuguese, Hebrew, and Arabic! Such submit to their fetters and to remain quiet. was now confined in no city. They would box is long or large, I put a partition across queer brown-legged figures in pointed hoods Under this or similar treatment an elephant demand that case makers should furnish the middle and make a hole through into and yellow slippers ! Though there were can be made to exhibit the greatest docility them with cases only twelve or fourteen car- each apartment. It is very seldom that first and second class fares, there appeared ats fine, but stamped eighteen carats. Many these boxes are not occupied by one of these to be no distinction in the matter of accomosmall manufacturers would yield to this little families. In most instances two broods dation. From stem to stern the long nar- the circus at which he is employed as moral temptation rather than lose trade, and from are annually reared in each nesting place. row deck was crowded with Moors, Arabs, this beginning they were readily led on to One of my boxes last season turned out three negroes, Jews, and half-breeds, inextricably make ten-carat cases, falsely stamped, and broods of young wrens-six little hungry mixing themselves up with empty fruit trainer put his head in the mouth of one of to introduce base metal in various parts of birds each time, or eighteen in all! I think crates, bamboo baskets, and bales of merthe case. Many of these so-called gold a cigar box never before did better duty. chandise. I speculated as to what would watches were not stamped at all with any The lamented Robert Kennicott stated that become of all that loose luggage if we were was only induced to change its mind by a mark of quality, and the sellers could not be a single pair of wrens carried to their young to encounter a blow outside, for this placidheld legally responsible for swindling, as about a thousand insects in a single day ! looking summer sea has a way of lashing it- heavy boots. No doubt this "little eccengold was the component part of chief value. Like all young, rapidly growing birds, they self into an ungovernable rage without any tricity" was followed by summary and se-Yet large numbers of watches were sold as are known to be most voracious eaters, living perceptible provocation. In case of wet gold which contained a greater weight of entirely upon insects. The point upon which weather there was no shelter except a stifling to so intelligent a creature as an elephant the steel and brass. A very thick steel spring, most stress may be laid is this: That by cabin between-decks, where the thirsty were weighing twelve or fourteen pennyweights, providing them with nesting places, in our waited upon by a fez-crowned man carved was inserted in the rim, technically known gardens, orchards, or grounds, and not al- out of ebony, who dispensed a thin sour wine as the " centre" of the watch; the crown lowing them to be caught by cats or scared from a goat-skin, which he carried under his and shank of the stem were hollowed out away by mischievous boys, we may have arm like a bag-pipe. Not liking the look of and filled with brass, and a brass wire was scores if not hundreds of them during most of the water-tank 'midships, I tested this wine kept as the public executioner, and used to run through the ring by which the watch the time in which insects are destructive. early in the voyage, and came to the concluwas attached to the chain. In fact, many They undoubtedly return to the same locali- sion that death by thirst was not without its mand, by crushing their skulls with his enor-

The leading watch manufacturers of this not favorably located, were occupied. My ed the movement, so absorbed had I been in city, this gentleman said, had recently form- crop of wrens could scarcely have been less studying the costumes and manners of my

arranged in piles on a rug, the silver on one time upon the gratitude which the creatures Prophet has been very imperfect, and chief- headed, emaciated old man. His cranium, containing a few coins. Both this person The native Albanian is of middle stature; and the negro, as well as the majority of

There were several Europeans aboard beconsul at Tangier; an Italian gentleman travelling for pleasure (not that the other was at intervals quite a little crowd would gather about it. Now and then a Jew, who knew what the article was, though he had never

Mr. Cheney, a farmer of Indiana, having a We had been under way an hour or more, used it, smiled superciliously. when I observed the Englishman in deep conversation with a personage who had greatly impressed me as I caught a glimpse of him on the gangway at Gibraltar before the boat started. I had lost him a moment afterward, and reluctantly concluded that he had gone ashore again. But there he was, whereever he came from. By the gracious dignity of his manner and the richness of his dress, two or three carriages were drawn up in line, he might have been Haroun-al-Raschid him? self. He was Moorish, but clearly of finer material than the rest. His burnoose, of are generally English and Scotch, many of some soft indigo stuff, was edged with gold, liquid threads of which also ran through the gossamer caic bound about his turban. The two ends of this scarf flowed over his should ers, and crossed themselves on his breast forming an effective frame for his handsome features. His legs were bare, but the halfslippers covering his feet were of costly make. If he were not a person of consequence, he looked it. I was wondering whether he was a cadi or a pasha, and what he was doing without attendants, when he quitted the Englishman and went to the Nothing Short of Unmistakable Benefits. water-tank, where the loungers respectfully made room for him. He then performed an act which suggested unutterable things touching that water-tank. Instead of helping himself brutally, as the others had done, he gracefully covered his mouth with one of the ends of his caic, and drank through that. I had been drinking this water unfiltered, making an aquarium of myself and regre

An Unlucky Preacher. sombre dresses, the hearse and cortege, was lar with his congregation, but the reason and often cures Liver Complaints, Female once by the scrutineers. perhaps arose as much from misfortune as Weaknesses and Irregularities, and is a The Chairman, having vacated his seat, and Coughs. Colds, Croup, Whooping fault, as he was a genial, humorous gentle- potent renewer of vitality. For purifying James Crowther, Esq., having been called man otherwise. He used to tell, with glee, the blood it has no equal. It tones up the thereto, it was some stories which redounded even to his system, restores and preserves the health, Moved by Henry Cawthra, Esq., seconded had actually sent the dispatch as received, or own discredit. One Sunday, after divine and imparts vigour and energy. For forty by Charles Stuart, Esq., and resolved, That service, as he was running homewards, he years it has been in extensive use, and is the thanks of the meeting be tendered to the ator misread it. At any rate she refused to was accosted by an old woman, who said, to-day the most available medicine for the Chairman for the manner in which he has JNO. W. BICKLE, - Proprietor, "Oh, sir, weel div I like whan ye preach." suffering sick, anywhere. For sale by all conducted the business of the day. "D'ye, my wifie," replied the astonished dealers. preacher; "I wat yer na like mony ane. And what for do you like whan I preach ?" "Weel, sir," quoth the complimentary wife, seat !" The same gentleman was distantly visit at Haddo House, soon after obtaining a quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all Lung situation as a teacher in an institution in troubles of the severest nature, removing as The English "Rational Dress Society" has Aberdeen, he mentioned the circumstance to the earl, at the same time hinting that he hoped his lordship might perhaps be able to assist him to get a kirk. His noble relative but has stood the test for years, giving his appointment in the meantime, and that his present situation, although humble, was million bottles sold annually. Beware of always bread to him." True, "rejoined medicines of similar names, lately introduc-Mr. D but my lord, it is written, ed. Boschee's German Syrup was intro-Not many tourists go to shed tears on the 'Man cannot live by bread alone.'" "Well, duced in the United States in 1868, and is tomb of Washington, and the managers of well," said his lordship, humouring the joke, now sold in every town and village in the Mount Vernon propose to open a deer park "we must see and try to get some kitchen for

The most fastidious ladies now say pillow protectors instead of pillow shams. Sunday free concerts are given on Boston

seems to be no serious objection. Jewish boys are preferred to any others as intelligent and trustworthy.

Common, at the city's expense and there

Training Elephants.

I do not believe there is a dirtier little easy task, and when the animal is really rein the arena, and will show a touching devotion to his keeper, which can fail to render an exhibition as Artemus Ward's own celebrated "Snaix," We have seen an elephanthis proteges during a performance, when the brute obstinately kept its mouth closed, and violent kick upon the trunk from a pair of vere punishment; but we must confess that insertion of a human head into its mouth must have seemed such an idiotic proceeding that a little hesitation as to what to do with it is quite allowable. In Baroda, under the late Gaikwar's rule, a large elephant was dispatch poor wretches, at the word of com-

him, and was merely turning the matter over be satisfactory to the shareholders. When an elephant is callous, even to the hitherto were considered of a doubtful chared a combination to protect themselves than one hundred and fifty, and the old fellow voyagers. What a gayly colored, gentle persuasion of the pitchfork, and goes acter have been liquidated to advantage against this dishonest competition in the birds filled the air with music when they shabby, picturesque crowd? It was as if must"—that is to say, hopelessly depraved therefore the Directors have felt themselves only way possible—by agreeing to subject were not on duty in building their nests or some mad masquerade party had burst from and rampant—there is only one kind of in- justified in taking from the contingent acthemselves to heavy loss for a time by re- feeding their young. The coming spring I the bounds of a ball-room and run away to fluence which can be advantageously exer- count the sum of \$50,000 and adding it to ducing the rates of genuine cases to those intend to put up at least a hundred of these sea. Here was a Tangier merchant, in sky- cised, and that is to "influence his head off," the rest. which were charged for the articles known nesting boxes in my orchards and groves, and blue gaberdine, with a Persian shawl twisted or, at least, to adopt the handiest available The net profits of the year, after making as "skin cases." In order to do this they I have no doubt I shall be repaid a hundred around his waist, and a black velvet cap set form of cuthanasia. The poor old historical full provision for all bad and doubtful debts. were obliged to sell the cases at a less in | thousand fold for the little labor it costs. As on the back of his head; there was a Moor, elephant in England, maddened by toothache, deducting crease on the value of the gold than the long as they come back so regularly every in snowy turban and fleecy caftan, with a had to be treated by a firing party of sol- Interest due depositors, and re' te on actual cost of workmanship, hoping thereby year and in constantly increasing numbers, jewel-hilted, crescent-bladed knife at his diers; and another submitted to about a quart to break down the fraudulent rivalry which and serve me so well, I shall do all in my girdle. Tall, slim Arabs, in dingy white of prussic acid, entailing fatal consequences had been growing steadily for the last few power to protect and encourage them. And robes like those worn by Dominicans, stalk- to a butcher who had been called in to assist years, until now it seemed to have reached I am of the opinion that when one species of ed up and down between the heaps of lug- in its subsequent dissection. As a rule, they social, useful birds can be made to congregate | gage, or leaned over the taffrail in the pitiless | are very patient under pain, and easily recog-In addition to the alleged gold watches in such unusual numbers, others will come sunshine, gazing listlessly into the distance. nize the fact that any proposed operation is which had been described, he said that also. But the hardiness, sociabilities, love Others stowed themselves among the freight, "for their good." There are two elephants lows:quantities of "filled" watches were made of the locality where it was reared, and won- and went to sleep. If you scated yourself at this moment in the London Zoological many of which were undoubtedly sold as derful fecundity of the little house wren, by chance on what appeared to be a bit of Gardens who have submitted to surgical genuine articles. Such a watch-case was render it, in my judgment, one of the most old sail, something stirred protestingly un- treatment, the one for an accident which tore Carried forward to next year 5,820 66 der you, and a bronze visage slowly unshelled off a portion of its trunk, the other for an abitself from the hood of a burnoose. Every- scess in the face. The ancients also knew where was some strange shape. In the bow how to treat sick or wounded elephants ; and of the vessel a fat negro from the Soudan sat | Elian gives an elaborate description of the cross-legged, counting his money, which he therapeutics employed, dwelling at the same

mous foot. Perhaps this elephant may have im-

Natural Beauty of Natal. The road leads through Victoria, which pective duties. has most aptly been styled "The Garden County" of Natal. Within a certain range of seaboard-about twelve miles, not morethe climate is semi-tropical. All vegetation is most luxuriant-with palms and tree GENERAL STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES AND AS Kathr boom (coral-tree), exquisite lilies and Deposits bearing inferns in great variety, the picturesque clumps of wild bananas, and, withal, as there is no pleasure quite unmixed with evil, a great many thorn-bearing trees and shrubs. The road, as it winds round hills, through forest or valley, reveals beautiful little bits of scenery here and there; but what will strike Dividend. No. 50. the newcomer perhaps with as much admiration as all this natural richness, is the energy and enterprise of the European inhabitants of this coast region. The climate is eminently suited to the cultivation of sugar, coffee, cotton, &c. Of these industries sugar is the most popular, and vast plantations, with their large mills worked by powerful steam-engines, are constantly met with, besides Contingent Fund... hundreds of smaller fields of cane grown by people of limited means, who do not manual facture their own sugar, but carry it to the "Central Mill." Upon the sunny hills may Balance of profit still be seen the rich green of the ornamental coffee-tree, but for some reason this has not been cultivated much lately. The white mulberry also grows most readily and luxuriantly; but the kind of labourers required being insufficient, silk growing has not thriven. This may change when more. Chinese and Indians, who understand the Dominion notes on hand. 405,771 00 silk-worm, are brought into the colony; though, doubtless, there are many who

understand silk-growing now, as there are from 15,000 to 20,000 of these Asiatics in ed in the growth of sugar. Verulam, to which town a railway is in course of con- Dominion of Canada destruction, is about twenty miles from Durban. There are also several other villages and mission-stations en route to the Tugela ; Total assets immediately five or six good-sized rivers to be crossed, besides smaller tributaries; hill, and dale, and river being varied in parts by patches of dense forest. The planters, managers, and other Europeans living in this coast region them being men of superior intelligence; fond of reading, energetic in business, and kind and hospitable in their homes. Unfortunately, among the lower classes employed upon the estates, drink is the great curse of Other assets not included the country, as, indeed, it is in other parts of the colony; but upon the sugar planta-

tions rum is very largely produced, and "its manufacture has a most disastrous effect upon the native population."-" My Visit to the

Conferred upon tens of thousands of sufferers could originate and maintain the reputed by Walter S. Lee, Esq., and resolved, tation which AYER'S SARSAPARILLA enjoys. That the thanks of the stockholders are

It is a compound of the best vegetable altera- due, and are hereby tendered, to the Presi- D. GALBRAITH. tive, with the Iodides of Potassium and dent, Vice-President and Directors for their Iron, and is the most effectual of all remedies attention to the affairs of the institution durfor scrofulous, mercurial, or blood disorders. ling the past year, Uniformly successful and certain in its remedial effects, it produces rapid and com- Alfred Gooderham, Esq., and resolved, That plete cures of Scrofula, Sores, Boils, Humors, the polling do now commence, and that it be Pimples, Eruptions, Skin diseases and all closed at 4 o'clock this day, but if at any diseases rising from impurity of the blood. | time five minutes shall elapse without a vote The Rev. Mr. D --- was not very popu- By its invigorating effects it always relieves being tendered, the poll may be closed at

A Good Thing. German syrup is the special preciption of whan ye preach, ye see, I can aye git a guid Dr. A. Boschee, a celebrated German physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the related to the Earl of Aberdeen. Being on a most fortunate discoveries in Medicine. It it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, observed, that he "should be satisfied with satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75 cents. Sample bottles, 10 cents.

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THE BANK OF TORONTO.

The training of elephants is not always an easy task, and when the animal is really refractory the keepers have "a heavy hand"

Proceedings of the Twenty-fift Annual
General Moeting of the Shareholders
Held at the ranking House of the Institut on in Toronto on Wednesday, 15th June, 1831.

The annual general meeting of the Bank of Toronto (being the twenty-fifth since the commencement, of business), was held, in pursuance of the terms of the charter, at the Banking Honse of the Institution, June 15th, 1881.

On motion of Henry Cawthra, Esq., James G. Worts, Esq., was called to the Moved by Henry Covert, Esq., seconded v Charles Stuart, Esq., and resolved, That Walter S. Lee, Esq., and E. Strachan Cox, Esq., be appointed scrutineers for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and that they report the result to the cashier. The cashier at the chairman's request then read the following

REPORT. The Directors in again meeting the shareholders for the purpose of reporting on the operations of the Bank for the year just closed, have pleasure in being able to state that a gradual but marked improvement has taken place in the leading industries of the country.

Another abundant harvest, together with a continued demand for timber and lumber at remunerative prices, have been largely instrumental in bringing about this improved condition of affairs. The business of the Bank at the head office

and branches has been well maintained, and the losses of the year have been small. The profits, however, notwithstanding the nereased volume of business, have not reached the proportion of former years, owing to the low rate of interest that has prevailed,

During the year several accounts which

current accounts, amount to \$201,165 35 THRESHING ENGINES, To which add balance brought forward

from 1880...... 1,355 31 From contingent account as above This sum has been appropriated as fol-Dividend No. 49-31 per cent.\$70,000 00

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Total liabilities to Capital paid up..... 660,000 00 Interest accrued on deposits and rebate on notes

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Real estate, other than bank premises Mortgages on real estate bearing interest..... 50,000 00 Bank premises.

\$7,174,111 03 (Signed),

Moved by James G. Worts, Esq., seconde by George Gooderham, Esq., and resolved, That the report which has now been read be eceived and adopted.

Moved by James Crowther, Esq., second

Moved by E. L. Bond, Esq., seconded by

REPORT OF THE SCRUTINEERS. We, the undersigned scrutineers, appointed at HAMILTON the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Bank of Toronto, this day declare the gentlemen undermentioned unanimously elected directors for the ensuing year :-

James G. Worts, Henry Cawthra, Henry Covert, William Gooderham, George Gooderham. Alex. T. Fulton. Henr W. R. Wadsworth WALTER S. LEE,

E. STRACHAN COX, 51 Scrittingers. The new Board met the same afternoon, when William Gooderham, Esq., was unani mously elected President, and James Worts, Esq., Vice-President. By order of the Board

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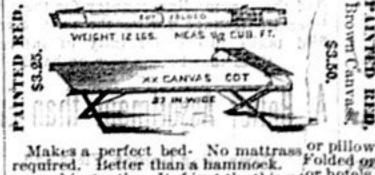
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