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The Dana estate which is value a million dollars, s left atmost ontirety to Mrs. Dana.

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and the largest in the world of that denomination, was opened on Sanday. It has a scating capacity of two thous-HERE IS THE NEWS SHOR ORDER. ll Parts of

clerk

Robert T. Lincoln was elected a tor of the Pullman Car Company at Chicago. It is thought he will be lected president, in place of the late George ranged for Bury Ladlers James J. Kelley, who has been James J. Kelley, who has been on trial in Dover, N. H., for the mudler of Cashier Stickney, on the opening of the court pleaded guilty to the charge of murder in the first degree.

Six hundred reindeer are to be from the United States Gov erds in Alaska, to take part in the expedition to be sent to the whalers ice-bound in the Arctic. The Brotherhood of Locomotiv gineers has purchased the Meadow farm in Illinois for \$17,450, on v home for dependent engineers, widows and orphans will be built. It is stated that the reason Mr. ign resigned from the office of Master Workman of the Knigh abor was that he might have free o run for I resident of the United Durrant, of san Francisco, the favor of electric elevators for the new victed of the crime two years ag sentenced to death, has obtained

ase of life, as under his recenhe cannot be executed before the Monday in January. At the meeting of the Knight Labor, held in Louisville, Ky., James R. Sovereign, who has been eral Master Workman for the pasyears, was somewhat summatil missed, and Mr. Henry A. Hi New York, elected in his stead. Miss Frances E. Willard, presid the W.C.T.U., announces that sh contribute three thousand dollars

emperance people need to hold conference people need to hold conference in Chicago. Russia's efforts to control the Cerean ing in Japan, Official returns show that Frenc orts and exports for the past ten i have increased.

With the exception of suffering

dight facial neuralgia, Prince Bissis enjoying good health. Irrigation by artesian wells in Bourke district of New South Wa The eruption of Mount Vesuv ncreasing in activity, and the lava flow s threatening the adjacent towns. The Lancashire cotton operators Political changes are impendit

part in the struggle for power. There is no truth in the story! the Colonial Office has warned Sir frid against committing himself to a trade arrangement with the States Dr. Thomas W. Evans, the far American dentist, who added the fight of ex-Empress Eugenio in 1879, diet in Paris on Sunday. He was seventy years of age. .

Licut. McIntyro and twelve me of the Northamptonshiro Regiment, re-ported missing after the recent Bri ish reverse in the Maidan Valley, were all killed lighting.

Owing to sudden frosts the ports in the Sea of Azof are freezing, and on-sequently a considerable quantity of orain which was prepared for export du-Lieut, McIntyro and twelve grain which was prepared for export. ot be shipped. Mr. Arthur H. A. Morton, Con-

tive, was elected to Parliament for the Borough of Deptford, by a majorit of 324, a falling off from the former Conevative majority. The Viceroy of India has orde disastrous reconnaisance of Gen. V inpectt, to the summit of Saran nountain last Wednesday. The condition of the members of Turkish Embassy in Berlin is deplora

in durassed by their cream day of Mr. Gladstone has in cor modern divines but his physical he is rapidly breaking. He has b ordered to the Riviera for the winter It is rumored that negotiations are oot b tween Austria, France, and (many in regard to the opportuneness of convening an international conference to secure a general agreement for be diminution or abolition of the sugar bounties.

bounties. vern Bridge, writes: "I owe a del order to give a quietus to a hack cough, take a dose of Dr. Thomas Ec tric O.I thrice a day, or oftener if rough spells render it necessary.

"Under these circumstances we to our first drive down Piccatilly, and I rope to me dates from that momen writes Miss Lillian Bell from Lone to the Ladies' Home Journal. "The sh the landing, the custom house, the ti the hotel—all these were mere preli-aries to Europe which began then. ple told me in America how my h would swell at this, and how I we thrill at that, but it was not so. My real thrill came on me in Piccadilly, went all over me in little shivers came out at the ends of my fingers, then began once more at the base o that first drive. I, for my part, saw w unseeing eyes. My sister had seen, it before, so she had the power of spec Occasionally she producd me and cr. Look, oh, look quickly. But I ne miss something. You attend to your window and I'll attend to inine. C

ing back I will see your side.

"When we got beyond the shops I to the cabman: to the calman: "Yes, miss, he said.
"Then go back precisely the sa

way.'
'Have you lost something, miche inquired.
'Yes,' I said, 'I have lost an' pression, and I must look till I find "We did it all over again that aft boon, and that second time I was a noon, and that 'second time I was abin a measure to detach myself from it hum and buzz, and the dizzying effect, and the dizzying effect, and I began to local impressions. My lirst distinct recolletions are of the great, numbers of high hats on men, the lil-hanging skirts aribic feet of the women, the unsteadyle effect of all those thousands of call carriages and carris all 'coing to the lot carriages and carris all 'coing to the lot carriages and carris all going to the le which kept me constantly wishing shrick for, to the right or wo'll killed? the absolutely perfect manner which tradic was arranged, and t majestic authority of the London police

Gentleman (to Irishman)-Well, Pa see that you have a small garden. "What are you going to set in it next season?"
"Nothing, sir. I set it with potat "Well, had that anything to do wi your potatoes not growing?"
"Yes, sir. Bedad, them onions was th

strong that my potatoes couldn't see

Defeat and Savings Bank, of which he OUR OTTAWA LETTER

AURIER GOES TO WASHINGTON TO TALK RECIPROCITY. Americans Will Undersell Us-The Resignation of Mr. Lount-Mr. Whitney's Tour-Center Toronto to be Redeemed.

[From Our Own Correspondent.] Ottawa Nov. 16.—It is but six months since Sir Richard Cartwright and Sir Louis Davies visited Washington and endeavored to induce Secretary Sherman and Congressman Motion Diagree to take review of the control of the contr Sherman and Congressman Nelson Dingley to talk reciprocity. They came home empty-handed, after having been

ously high. If Canida gives to the United States the same treatment as is accorded to England this country will get by long odds the worst of the deal. This country will become a slaughter market for the Yankies. This country will find that the American cover at the Yankies.

Turkish Embassy in Berlin is deplorable.

They have not received any salary for more than a year, and they are being in pharassed by their creditors.

Turkish Embassy in Berlin is deplorable, to what he did at the American capital. But John Sherman is a willy old man. He talked with Sir Wilfrid, and sent the Canadian statesman away impressed that something might come of the interview. Thereupon Sir Wilfrid, having been successfully "joilied" by the Secretary of State, pro-When the despatches reached Toronto and Montreal there was constornation in the ranks of the faithful. 'Sir Wilfrid. seems to forget that there is a tremer seems to lorger that, there is a tremend-ous difference between the two tarlfs." said a Liberal manufacturer of the former city. His twenty per cent, cut on the Dingley tariff will be worth nothing to us manufacturers. If he still has that free trade bee in his bonnet, and thinks this is a step in that direction he will get the country into a pretty mess. Of Course, it will ultimately ruin the Laur-

ler Government, but it will ruin some of us first." This gentleman represents the feeling of the men in the manufac-turing centres. If the proposed deal takes place, the farmers will find out all too soon what it means to them. Americans Can Undersell Us. So much for the business aspect of the matter. What shall be said as to the much heralded "pro-British tariff"? The Prime Minister of Canada, according to his own hoast, at the Toronto Board of Trade dinner, hoodwinked the Imperial authorities when he obtained the

al authorities when he obtained the denunciation of the Belgian and German treaties. In a moment of weakness Sir Wilfrid was perfectly frank as to what he had done. He did not tell his heavers what he intended to do in the future. It did not take us long to find out. Uncle Sam, who will still have a stiff duty on all Canadian goods going into Uncle Sam, who will still have a stiff duty on all Canadian goods going into his country, is to be given the same treatment as Great Britain, which has no duty at all. Truly, this is it preferential stariff, but the Anierleans are the people who get the preference. Sir Wilfrid is evidently unaware that there is a clause in the Dingley bill prohibiting the 20 per cent, reduction on natural products the like of which are natural products the like of which are produced in the States of the Union. produced in the States of the Union. Thus our farmers would get simply nothing, while our dwellers in towns and cities would find the Americans underselling them on every hand. Never did any statesman evolve a more harebrained plan. The American reduction would leave our natural products high and dry. The harm great of the state and dry. The lean years of the Mackenzie Administration would have come again, and the only hope of the country would be the immediate defeat of the

again, and the only hope of the country would be the immediate defoat of the Government. More and more clearly is it to be seen that the Governative party has the only safe ilscal policy for Canada. When the so called preferential tariff was brought down; when men thought that it entailed a genuine British preference, the Liberal's strove to make it appear that the scheme was a new one. Nothing was farther from the truth. In 1891 Mr. Foster, in the House of Commons, called upon the Imperial Government to denounce the Belgian and German treaties, For, years Sir Charles Tupper spoke and worked for a genuine system of preferential trade. In January, 1896, Sir Charles addressed the Montreal Board of Trade on this tonic. He said in part:—

"I will now draw your attention to this point that I think requires to be labored and that is that preferential trade is the great means for England to recover the ground that she is fast losing. Even half, a dozen years ago you could not have had two hours distussion in the Imperial House of Commons on this question and in 1893, at the Congress of the, Chambers of Commons of the Empire the only question that really obtained great and claborate considers. the Empire the only question that really obtained great and elaborate consideration was this.

They say the proposition was defeated.

Beaten—what does that

repealed when repeal was first proposed by Richard Cobden and the other great men who advocated it? I believe, and those of the same politics as I hold believe, that Canada and Britain would both benefit by the beloption of a system of tariff preferences."

almost certain that Hon. Peter White the ex-Speaker of the House of Commons will accept the nomination for Centre Toronto, Mr. White lost his seat for North Renfrew in June, '96, because he will be redeemed and Toronto will once more be represented in the House of Commons by a solid Conservative delegation.

Trising of the cuttain. While he will be represented in the House of antes from his friend behind the science gation.

was three millions of revenue. But this becomes insignificant when compared with the Washington programme. Can-

ada will be a bankrupt nation if the plan ever comes into effect. That exedus about which Sir Richard Cartwright made so many ornate speeches, and which never existed, would spring into being.

grosser elements, only to bring forth what is more refined. If we will let sorrow do its perfect work, it will do this When it comes on us, may we not think that we are pressed by its weight for naught; may we let it work as God in-

This country will blecome a shaighter market for the Yankees. This country will met that the Americans, ever with the 20 per cent. off, will have a tariff that will be quite high enough to protect the Yankee farmer and Yankee manuacturer. The Canadian working man and the Canadian farmer will ask was bleed to pay the bill. Sir Richard Cartwright, to pay the bill. Sir Richard Cartwright, to pay the bill. Sir Richard Cartwright, who knows more about fiscal midges the part depends on the construction of the control Crow's Nest Pass der

ers of this organ divides something like has not been forgotten l against the Condefault. They said so age and Jehn Ross Robertson's news-paper, The Evening Telegram, led them on. Wherefore th becomes angry with the rage of a dodder ing old man. It calls The Telegram rage of a dodder Blood Seeker," a which does not seem to The member for East servative but what vorry John Ross l'oronto is a Con straightforward citizes. He saw that The Globe was anxious that the sent should go by acclaimation and he decided that there must be a r gger in the woodpile. The Globe, you frow, had a provi ous conviction against it. crookedly in the Cow's and Mr. Robertson was Nest Pass deal not prepared tand Mr. Robertson was not prepared to stand by and allow and crooked business to be done. The Conservatives of Toron-to never intended to allow the opulont Mr. Betram to be elected by acclama-

tion, but there grew a rumor to the effect and in some inexplicable way sobtained credence. It has been explore obtained credence. It has been exploded long years ago, but The Globe still chatters with rage, and shricks at John Ross, "The Liberals of East Toronto elected you." The Liberals of East Toronto did nothing of the kind. Mighty from Liberals and the state of the liberals of the kind. ew Liberals voted at all in that cons tuency last year, and, The Globe to the contrary notwithstanding, John Rose Robertson could go into East Toronto next week and defeat any Liberal that could be brought against him, no matter how large a "bar" the Government might provide.

Mr. Whitney's Four. As the weeks go on popularity grows apace. The Conservative leader has continued week. At Brampton the other night he had a large audience, and, judging from the applause, many porter of the Government must have get new light. Seldom has a Canadian polinew light. Seldom has a Canadian politician improved so rapidly as Mr. Whitney has. Wherever he goes he makes friends and, unlike most politicians, he has more than one speech. has more than one speech. Hon. G. Ross, for instance, has but one str speech for each campaign. That same of oration is worked off all over the country. It was my fortune to be detailed to accomplant the Minister of Education of one of his stumping touts. I heard his speech courteen times and, by the end of the first week, I could repeat that the first week, I could repeat that address without making half a dozen mistakes. There was one funny stort that used to set the audiences into what original reporters call "roprs of laugter." When I saw—or heard—that joke coming I used to want to go out and die. Col. Whitney is not that kind of orator. He is constantly looking up new points—and goodness knows there are

orator. He is constantly looking up new points—and goodness knows there are enough of them and to spare. One hit that tickled the Brampton audience was in respect of Sir Richard Cartwright's oft repeated assertion that the population of Ontario has not increased for ton or twelve years. 'If that is so," said Mr. Whitney, "why has the Ontario Govern ment found it necessary to treble the number of civil service employes. Col. Mathesoh, who is with M. Whitney. number of civil service employes. Col. Matheson, who is with Mr. Whitney this week, is an excellent stumper, and one of the best men on financial question that Ontario has ever produced. After the next election he will be no sorrow thereat in the Treasurer's Department.

thereat in the Treasurer's Department.
Unlike Mr. Harcourt, Col. Matheson
compiles his own speeches. He has not to

Enterprising and Original. Mrs. Watts-That Simonsbee woma tle and refined.
Mrs. Watts-Ob, ien, but what do you think

off as his own. Alr. Harcourt, once upo

As I close this letter I hear that it tariff preferences". This extract is given her to show that This extract is given her to show that the Conservative party originated this preferential plan. It was no shapeless, kaleidoscopie schome such as the Laurier-Fielding tariff, is. It seems as though even now 5ir Wilfrid does not know just where be is. He has a new plan for every day. So far, until he reached Washington he had, been guilty of nothing worse than giving away something for nothing. That something was three millions of revenue. "But this exceedingly able man, a ready speaker, and an excellent authority on financial questions. His large lumbering interests on the Ottawa river by prevent his accepting the offer which has been made olear to run. If he does not, the Conservative standard will be borne by a gugement for the evening in question well-known and highly respected Torontonian who does not wish his name of the representation found him in a stall the representation for the representation found him in a stall the representation for the represe

> known in the world's history. The pariness were a South women and his wife, who were the father and mother of 62 by the suddenness of the propos children
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and of the 20 minutes the bottles are reend of the 20 minutes the bottles are re-moved and set in warm water, which is gradually cooled and then leed. The bottle may finally be put in the refrigera-tor after being partially chilled in water? Sterilizing may also be accomplished with equally good. If not better, results in the vessels, althout a double boller outn tin vessels, either a double boiler out meal cooker or two dishes of suitable meal cooker or two dishes of suitable capacity, one with a diameter two inches shorter than the other. The water is poured into the order dish at boiling point, the milk dish and contents, being set in ar once and the milk constantly stirred until its temperature is 150 degrees. It is then removed for a moment, while the water in the outer dish is temperat to the same or a degree or two higher. The milk is then set back into pered to the same or a degree or two higher. The milk s then set back into the boiler, put to one side and closely overed and wrapped in order to retain he heat for 15 or 20 minutes.

If the object of sterllizing be to destroy the bacillus of tuberculosis a minimum the bacillus of tuber-pulosis a minimum temperature of 149 degrees should 16 maintained for 15 minutes, or 140 degrees for half an hour.

If milk can be obtained from a herd known to be free from tuberculosis, or the person has no fear of this trouble, a sterilizing temperature of from 133 degrees to 140 degrees maintained for 15 or 20 minutes is sufficient to give good or 20 minutes is sufficient to give good keeping qualities and to effectually got rid of 95 per cent. of all bacteria, in-oluting the forms which produce stom-

chiding the forms which produce stomach disturbances, veiniting and cholera infantum in children.

In all sterilizing work the sudden chilling of 50 degrees or thereabouts is imperative. The milk should be kept covered and at as low a temperature as can be obtained. Traced in this manner sterilized milk will be found to have a delightfully sweet, pure taste long after common milk his lost its freshnoss. On the average it keips from 6 to 36 hours longer than unsterilized milk in the same temperature.

Perhaps it might be better for Mr. Blunt if he were more observant or possibly more something class. The other morning when he started off to town his wife, gave him an important letter to post, and when he returned in the evening it was in his postat. ing it was in his poolet.

"Henry," inquired his wife just as he had settled himself comfortably, "did

had settled himself comfortably, "did
you post that letter I gave you this
morning?"

"You don't suppose, love, that I
would carry it about with me, do you?"
he replied in as smooth a tone as he
could muster.

"I don't suppose anything else," she
said suspicously. Where did you post
it?"

Mr. Blunt evaded the question.

"The pillar box is only just round the corner, my love," he said. "Why, only a blind man could miss it."

Airs. Blunt jumped up suddenly.

"Henry Blunt," she exclaimed, "give me that letter this minute! They moved that box to the far side of the square a that box to the far side of the square a month ago,"-Strand Magazine.

is a perfect fiend!

Mr. Watts-I always thought her gen man who will wear her little boy's bas ball shoes to a bargain rush and spil

LITTLE THINGS.

Some sage has observed, and makers of copybooks have recorded observation, that "Trifles make the set human things." Like most copyb maxime, this remark is faithfully on and in addition to their makin sum of human things trifles have often changed, also, the whole co A young and claver solicitor who making rapid headway in his profess was asked by a friend who dabble amateur theatricals, to attend one ev ing a performance given by which the said triend was a stage, calmly awaiting

had a layor to ask of him. The was that he should go on in the scene in the place of one of the In the Halelan manuscript, number 78 and 980, in the Hibrary of the British Museum, mention is made of the most extraordinary family that has ever been known in the world's history. The partners were a South wearer and his wife.

on hotel, for had it registered the correct time he would have a surely have gone to his death. timed to depart at 0.30 ir th and at 6 o'clock—as he thought—he left the hotel with his bag and strelled lefsurely flown to the "depot," only to turned to the hotel. inquiries there he found that the dock at that establishment was ten minutes slow—lonce the loss of the train, Kexa ing with the news of a terrible railway accident, the train in which our ye me not one life being saved. It may be imagined that the youth in question did not regret, when he heard the news, that

the noted clock and beer slow, for had heen otherwise he would most sarely have caught the train, and met a horrible closel. Here, again, the terrible force of trifles will be apparent to all.

But perhaps one of the most extraor dinary cases of lives shanged by trifles was the following, in which the careless with the following, an synich the careless writing of the figure "" so that "t appeared like "7;" altered the whole course of a young clerk's existence. It was many years, ago, when the gold fever in California was at its flighest pitch and foundreds were leaving every day for the clark, who was plodding along in a Lon-don office on 21 a week, was very much in love with a certain young lady, who waved also what certain and chang-able disposition. In due course the young on her refusing he Bessilie very despond-ent, and accepted the invitation of friend

who was going out to California to ac-company him toward the land of gold. He accordingly made also made to

shillings a speek to the ead of one Strange that so tiny a ching figure "" should change the ourse of a man's existerioe. A Woman's Rich

When Henry Barstow got home the other night after a hard day's work in the office, the first things that attracted his attention, were a lot of deep He bad taken price in that town He shall taken price In that fawn. Through all the summing months he had mirsed it. He had lifted up little 'ploce of sod from vacant livs near by and planted them upon the bare spots in his yard. He had raked and mowed and clipped and worked until his lawn looked the plant when a high plant of risken salest the clipped and worked until his lawn looked like a blg piece of green velvet. its neighbors had praised his industry, and his heart ball been glad.

It is little wonder therefore that he thought things which cannot be printed when he can but a grean days were not be the cannot be printed.

He entered the house, fairly livid with rage.

"Who has been driving over my yardy", he excisined when his sweet little wife came to put her arms around his neck.

"Why," said Mildred Barstow, "the coal man has been here."

"Oh, he has, has her Haven't I always had the coal dumped in the street and carried into the basement;"

"Yes, but you know you ordered coke this time."

this time. ' what of it! Why didn't have it carried in just tae same?"

"But I didn't suppose it would any harm coke."

Coke, You diln't? And why not?'

"Coke, You know," said Mrs. Bastow, as she patted her hisband's cheeks, isn't nearly as heavy as boal."

"How much did the man bring at a time?" "A top, he said."
"And so you think

And so you think a ton cole isn't as heavy as a ton of small?

"Why, of course. It is a to is it?"

Mr. Barstow said liothing them. He put his hands down by his pooket.

walked out and looked to the deep russ to himself—

"And the walked out and looked to the deep russ to himself—" "And that woman is the mother of medildren!" — Cletchand Langer.

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His mother had been trying to dissuade him from a trin to the Klondike in the spring. "Think of this," she said, looking at him over her spectracies. "Here is an account of a poor fellow in Dawson City who had to pay \$200 to have one of his frozen toos amputated."

"That's hil right," he said doggedly. "I'll have it done here before I start and save about \$100 on the Jub."—Chicage Times-Herald.

"Belf Respects."

"Ye orter have seen verself smirkin a "Ye orter have seen verself smirkin an primpin when ye asked the lady fur a piece of pie," remarked Meihidering Mike, "Anybody 'ud a thought ye considered yerself a beau ideal." "Falied Plodding Pete; "a hobo ideal." Washington Star. Appreciated Everywhere.

"That Mr. Racotout is so interesting "That Mt. Racetout is so interesting.
He seems to be a very polished gentleman," said Miss Gusher.
"Yes," said the man who knows him,
"he's not only polished; to's positively
slick."—Cincipnati Commercial Tribune.

Dismat Dawson—This the ain't like the ple mother used to make, est pard?

Everett Wrest—Dunne, know it ain't like the ple me brother used to take when he had a job on a baker, wagon,—Indianapolis Journal.

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