correspondent in Dawson Ch. ites on February fifth, of ions there. From his account following extracts are given: Las y, in the States, I attended a ball he leading society event of the sta-Between the dances a society u came to me and asked for a few nutes' talk in regard to the Alash p. He left the ball at 3 o'clock and s en route at 9. In October, while ng up Bonanza, I saw a long-haired l-bearded man in weather-beaten ase-covered suit, shuffling along h a pickaxe on his shoulder. s the gentleman from the ball. le later I saw a man at a windlass a costume that is indescribable y a few months previously I had n him sitting, a dignified, august ge, in next to the highest court our State. He was now working ew feet of some man's claim on

Difference B tween Now and The

the case of a Number.

## A REAL ESTATE BROKER.

n from New York,

res. I have seen a party candidate

county auditor in a prominent city

ing stud poker in Dawson. On the

we met a very agreeable gentle

has not been doing anything since arrival. Last night I was surpristo find he had become a pusher for of the saloons; that is, he played poker for the house to keep the Last night when I came se I found a stranger sitting on my e to recognize him. The last time resh and fair and well-groomed as paring the Bordeaux mixture. se were out for a promenade on h avenue. What a change camp and roughing it had produced! He ning that he did not wash, so acomed had he become to outdoor This morning his friend Le in, a perfect tramp in appear. Is recommended only in cases where sh he ate with a rush, and declared e more enjoyable than meals he eaten at the Grand Hotel in Paris 3 Paris Green Mixture .- Paris green, e were three university men, but | pound; Water, 200 to 300 gallons; could have judged it from their milk of lime, 4 gallons. arance f It is a short step from Use 200 gallons water in a mixture civilized to man barbaric.

States is

### WASHING DISHES

e table where I write. . . . . is an inconceivably rich country. irs one's blood to take one big elfu! of dirt, put it in a pan, wash the earth and gravel and find a bunch of bright gold, perhaps \$29 tales. I left Forty Mile in 96. Just before leaving, I went to Cudahy with George Carmack. was getting supplies to come to

Clondike to fish and prospect. Two but I was on the ocean. A man sene emulsion may be prepared with at that time. One year later he ed into my office. He had just him more than a million. A year carbonate solution.

# GRAINS OF GOLD.

well.

knew who remained here have

er despair; but if you do, work despair-Burke. shortest way to do many things do only one thing at a time.-Ce-

niser grows rich by seeming poor; ing rich .- Shenstone

to die one.-Horace Mann.

est manners.-Lyon Edwards.

se who have few affairs to attend re great speakers. The less men the more they talk .- Montesque

nan never sees all that his mother een to him till it's too late to let now that he sees it .- W. D. How-

art of being able to make a good of moderate abilities wins esteem, ften confers more re, utation than merit.-Rochefoucauld.

is often better to have a great of harm happen to one than a htgreat deal may rouse you to rewhat a little will only accustor to endure.-Greville.

e real difference between men ry. A strong will, a settled puran invincible determination, cal nplish almost anything; and if lies the distinction between great little men.-Fuller.

# HINTS FOR THE FARMER.

INSTRUCTIONS IN SPRAYING. Ontario Department of Agrirecommend the following so-

Bordeaux Mixture.-Copper sulhate, 4 pounds; lime, fresh, 4 pounds;

suspend the copper sulphate in five ter, 40 gallons. llogs of water. This may be done patting it in a bag of coarse marial and hanging it so as to be covred by the water. Slake the lime about the same quantity of water. hea mix the two and add the reminder of the 40 gallons of water. Warm water will dissolve the copper aphate more readily than cold water. The lime is at all dirty strain the ine solution. If the lime is good the hore amount is likely to be sufficient. tis in easy matter to know how much ime is required by using what is ermed the ferrocyanide of potassium st. This substance can be got at av druggist's, and very little is re-

gired. Take a small bottle; 2 oz., and et it filled with a saturated solution this compound. If there is not penty of lime in your mixture, a drop of the test added to it, turns brown. Aid more lime and stir. As soon k. He was dressed in overalls, the test fails to color in coming k with grease, a muskrat distribute it indick with grease, a muskrat shirt and in contact with your mixture, it indiha stiff beard. It tooks covered the stiff beard of the covered h a stilf beard. It took me a long to neutralize the effects of the copper resh and fair and mall Lindeman.

Ammoniacal Copper Carbonate Solution. "Cupram."-Copper carbonjust come down from Stewart ste lounce; strong ammonia sufficiwater, 10 gallons.

This solution is not much used, and . He had had his breakfast, but the fruit is so far advanced that it rave him some hot cakes and coffee, would be disfigured by using the Bordeaux mixture

for apple trees, 250 for plum trees, and y friend W--, a prominent archifrom one of the leading cities of sidded to Bordeaux mixture, so as to ined insecticide and fungiride, add four ounces to every 40 gallons of the Bordeaux mixture.

4. Hellebore.-White hellebore, fresh, cunce; water, 3 galions. Pyrethrum - Pyrethrum powder,

resh, lounce; water, 4 gallons. Kerosene Emulsion.—Hard soap, -2 pound, or soft soap, 1 quart; boiling water, soft, I gallon; coal oil, 2

After dissolving the soap in the water, add the coal oil and stir well for 5 to 10 minutes. When properly: mixed, it will adhere to glass without oiliness. A syringe or pump will aid much in this work. In using, diluter with from 9 to 15 parts of water. Kerosour milk, 1 gallon, and coal oil, 2 gallons, no soap being required. This will not keep long.

1. When there is danger of dis- (Exoascus sp.)

a stove and a langicide, commencing as soon as the deaux mixture. but he may yet decide to live bus begin to swell, again when the fifth avenue. Since my arrival leaves appear, and continue the fifth avenue. Since my arrival leaves appear, and continue it at in- and leaf blight. den three or four times may be suf- days after.

has case spray while the trees are beetle and leaf eating insects. sine of from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

by kerosene contained injurious fungi intervals of ten to fifteen days. serosene emulsion alone for those les scale of shell bark louse. San blight and saw-fly larvae.

pand of the copper sulphate. In an- ered. the barrel slake 25 pounds of good 8. Currant and Gooseberry.—Worms On and add 12 1-2 gallons of water. and mildew. as gallon of this contains two pounds day doubt about there not being suf- later. state lime try the test already referrto ander Bordeaux mixture. Now fill by the amount to 40 gallons with wa-

ough as possible in the work. Three to fifteen days. s to of the so-called spraying done spraying at all. The trees are First spraying: Paris green as soon First spraying: One pound to this way, and there is also ture at the state of material, as every drop if necessary. a falls to the ground is lost.

7. Use a Y and two nozzles, or a tripple head and three nozzles. The work applied without disfiguring the fruit, can be done just as well and much will control this disease. Apply at inmore expeditiously.

8. To keep Bordeaux mixture off horses and harness use coarse linen or other cover.

9. As most of the spraying mixtures are poisonous, care should be taken in working with them. They should not Cruel Treatment of the Poor Cubans by the be used when there in any wound or abrasion of the skin exposed, and care should be taken not to allow the spray to settle on the hands or face, or to be inhaled. Arsenites taken into the system by absorption or inhalation produce symptoms of poisoning. In mild cases they resemble the symptoms produced by poisoning; in severe cases, headaches, nausea, eruptions, boils and ulcers are said to result. The danger from arsenites, which are soluble in water, such as London purple, are much greater than from Paris green, measure was perhaps not meant to be which contains very little water soluble arsenic. There is more danger of simply regardless of consequences, poisoning by absorption when perspiring freely. However, by taking proper precaution, there need be little fear. hundred thousand miserable "recon-A leather washer about four inches in centrados" have been simply appalling. diameter should be fitted just below the nozzle which will prevent the drip not been contradicted, that two hunfrom reaching the hands. As far as dred thousand men, women and chilpossible keep to windward of the noz- dren of the reconcentrated agricul- When one needs clean articles on the zle. When much work is to be done, tural population of Cuba has perished rubber gloves should be worn. The by starvation. A population of nonface and exposed parts should be wash- combatants, more than equal to the ed immediately after spraying.

10. The cost of spraying with Bor- simply starved to death. deaux mixture is not very great. Copper sulphate of the best quality, which but Canadians will have an idea of how is the only kind which should be used, well justified is war against Spain, if tifully supplied. Two pairs of pillow can be had at from 4 1-2c. to 5c. per they would stop to think of what is 1b. by the barrel, and Paris green at meant by the starvation of two hunfrom 15c. to 20c. per lb. The cost for dred thousand men, women and chilmaterial to properly spray an average | dren. Imagine the suffering of the apple tree for the entire season should helpless children; the anguish of the not exceed from 4c. to 5c.

### TREATMENT.

pillar, canker worm, apple spot, leaf put an end to the system under which blight, pistol case bearer and powdery such a high crime against humanity midlew.

First spraying: Bordeaux mixture and Paris green (4 oz. to the barrel of the mixture) when the buds are er to record a claim. I noticed this blossoms open. Third spraying: Bor- Frenchmen Afraid That the English Will deaux mixture and Paris green when the blossoms have fallen. Fourth and fifth sprayings: Bordeaux mixture and Paris green at intervals of ten to fifteen days, if necessary.

which it would be safe to cease spray- invasion from Britain. ing for apple scab. The orchard should be watched after the third and fourth application, and the treatment again M. Lockroy has just had a bad attack applied if scab appears on the fruit or of scare on this subject. Lockroy has

Many apple growers who sprayed in cident, which is an old story now. 1897 until the end of June, and neand all the experimental orchards were given an extra application in the early part of July, which largely accounts for the splendid results obtained.

2. Pear.-Leaf blight, seab and codling moth, the same treatment as for 3. Plum-Curculio, brown rot and

First spraying: Bordeaux mixture before the flower buds open. Second spraying: Bordeaux mixture and Paris green as soon as the petals have fallen. Third spraying: Bordeaux mixture and Paris green in seven to ten days after. Fourth spraying: Bordeaux mixture in ten to fifteen days

4. Peach.—Brown fruit rot, blight, plum curculio and peach curl

a half ago it was not worth a 2 Experience in spraying during the three weeks. Fourth spraying: Amsand. This year he can clean up past three years indicates that it is moniacal copper carbonate, if any dangbest to use the combined insecticide and er of disfiguring the fruit with Bor-

have been 10 to 15 days, until the trees | First spraying: Bordeaux mixture will depend a to 5 times, which as the buds are breaking; if the aphis edcup in London last week. the case of a min the weather. In appears use kerosene emulsion alone. Bressage of a rainy season, it may be Second spraying: Bordea'ux mixture anywhere from twenty-five twenty-five and to a half-million. Nearly while if dry, and the minute and to a half-million. Nearly while if dry, and the minute that he could be a half-million. while if dry, and the mixtures have fall. Third spraying: Bordeaux mixthen three or fermain on the foliage, ture and Paris green ten to fifteen go out on the street, put out five street

6. Grapes.-Mildew, black rot, flea outrary to lamediately after. Its beetle and leaf eaching Bordeaux mixture and sallied forth scontrary to law, and punishable by and Paris green when leaves are one Second spraying:

Paris green alone when the beetle

First spraying: Bordeaux mixture next lamp just before he extinguished vanilla. First spraying: Bordeaux mixthe that also.

Whom of Bordeaux mixthe preparate and Paris green just before growth bethe man Mind Paris green justing: Bordeaux mixture may be pregins. Second spraying: Bordeaux mixbegan to feel rather nervous. Howbegan to feel rather nervous. Howbeautiful lamp continued to beaten eggs, two tablespoonfuls of ture and Paris green about when first, began to leef later third lamp continued to beaten eggs, two tablespoonfuls of the gallon of this contained blossoms open. Third spraying: Borburn he had hopes. One gallon of this contains one deaux mixture when the fruit is gathlin fact, a policema

First spraying: Potassium sulphide, To make the mixture, take Bordeaux mixture and Paris green as Bordeaux mixture and Second Second son and two of the copper sulphate so- soon as the leaves expand. Second and two of the lime. If there spraying: The same ten to fifteen days

For worms alone, hellebore or Paris green will be effective. 9. Tomato.—Rot and blight. Spray with Bordeaux mixture, as Prepare the mixture well, apply soon as rot or blight appears, for three soon as rot or blight appears of ten

at the proper time, and be as times if necessary, at intervals of ten 10. Potato.—Blight and beetles.

renched. When spraying is pro- as the beetles appear, one pound to as the beetles appear. Second spraybely done, the mixture is broken up 100 gallons of water. Second spraytotally unlocated institute will remain on the plant when plants are six inches high. Third with this in the main on the plant when plants are six inches high. Third when plants are six inches high. he plant. A greatest on every part ing: Bordeaux mixture and Paris green ing: Bordeaux mixture and Paris green when plants are six inches high when plants are six inches high when plants are six inches high when when and fourth sprayings: Bordeaux mixing the six in this walk of ten to fifteen days. and fourth sprayings: Bolden days, and there is also ture at intervals of ten to fifteen days,

hap or barrel and all be left in the solutions one ounce to four gallons of solutions one one part pyre-11. Cabbage.-Pyrethrum applied in should be should be left in the solution one ounce to lour gart pyreshould be pumped so as to clean thrum to seven parts flour, for the cabthe This is important, as some bage worm. mixtures act chemically on the 12. Strawberry.-The rust or leaf-

blight.

Bordeaux mixture, whom it can be tervals of two or three weeks on new beds after they begin to make runners.

# CRIME AGAINST HUMANITY.

Spanish Captain General.

Not less than four hundred thousand men, women and children were taken from their farms and homes by the decision of the Spanish general to re-

concentrate the agricultural population of Cuba within the Spanish lines. Spain hoped to starve out the Cuban through just so much service. rebels by driving the peaceful workers in from their fields. Such a military inhuman, but the captain-general was

and the consequences to these four

It is estimated, and the estimate has

Cuba is not so far away as Armenia,

from the pains of their own starvation 1. Apple.—Treatment for destroying and then who can fail to sympathize is possible?

### FRENCH WAR SCARE.

Invade Their Country.

If there is one thing funnier than vasion across the Channel by French, No definite date can be named after it is the periodic French scare about

So wise a man on most subjects as fallen foul of the Drummond Castle in-

visible token of British gratitude.

It seems that the Ushanters spent the money in building a water supply system, thereby causing M. Lockroy to fear that the English contemplate a fuls of sugar, add one-quarter cup of descent on the coast at Ushant, and hot water and one-quarter cup of butgave the money because the water ter. Boil two minutes, add one-quarwould in that event be useful to them. ter cup of brown sugar and one-half

terical. It is afraid of hobgoblins of of salt and two tablespoonfuls of fineevery sort. The Dreyfus trial suggests by cut or chopped walnuts. Spread thinone of the most frightful bugaboos. All ly on inverted pans, decorate with You can't walk down the street without erate oven. seeing a revolution just coming around the corner-that if, if you are a Frenchman and a Parisian.

## A LAMPOST FROLIC.

One of the old-fashioned jokes turn-

A party of gentlemen were dining. gaslights and return to the house undetected. He was promptly "taken"

The combined insecticide and fun- Bordeaux mixture and Paris green the scene the hilarious men watched and paris green the spectacle of a man in evening dress. Bordeaux mixture is to be specified and fun- Bordeaux mixture and Paris green and when flowers have fallen. Third and the spectacle of a man in evening dress when flowers have fallen. Third and the spectacle of a man in evening dress way when flowers have fallen. Influence and and no hat, shinning his laborious way fusets that they and in be used for fourth sprayings: Bordeaux mixture at and no hat, shinning his laborious way up a lamp-post. Then the light went Paris green alone when the beetle out and the climber was no more to be such as aphis, thrip, red soid and soid attacking the buds in the spring. stravagant man grows poor by is attacking the buds in the spring.

Ing rich.—Shenstone.

is attacking the buds in the spring.

Raspberry.—Anthracnose.

is attacking the buds in the spring.

Raspberry.—Anthracnose.

7. Raspberry.—Anthracnose.

was observed in the full glare of the way further off, he was observed in the full glare of the way further off.

Ared as follows: Dissolve 25 round. Second spraying: Bordeaux mixture may be pre-

In fact, a policeman had come running up and had arrested the layer of

the wager. "What's this sir? What's this sir?" he demanded. 'Oh. just a bet."

"I shall have to take you in custody,

which is quite cheap, according to in cours. They dined at the culprit's expense.

Annam and Loas, where there is a certain kind of pheasant. For many years almond. Color slightly with green fruit its existence was known only by the and when thick enough spread coloring fact that its longest and most splen- on cake and sprinkle with pistachio did plume was in much request by man- nuts. darins for their headgear. A single skin is worth \$400, and the bird living would be priceless, for it soon dies in captivity.

HOUSE LINEN.

While a large supply of house linen is not imperative, it is well to have commercial sense to be obliged to wash towels, table and bed linen more frequently than on the regular wash day. The wearing capability of any fabric is so many units and textiles last

Housekeepers object to frequent washings on the ground that they wear out the goods more rapidly. This is an error; twelve towels used continuously to a poor appetite and cool the blood, will last twice as long as six, all things while satisfying a craving for sub-acid being equal. It is a good plan to have food a sufficient number of articles so that certain sets of them can be used in ro- fresh. Vegetables for salad should tation. This gives a better chance for never be prepared long before serving. proper washing and thorough drying. moment, they cannot receive the same keep it bottled in a cool place, ready care as is possible where the work is for immediate use. more leisurely performed. There total population of Toronto, has been should be three sheets for every bed be remembered that the ingredients in use, with one extra for every two cannot be added too gradually nor beds. This should be exclusive of chil- stirred too much dren's beds, which must be more bouncases are needed for each bed if two persons occupy the same room

Physicians sometimes hint that a Large more frequent change of pillow slips would be advantageous. More likely mothers and fathers who look out they think a great deal and say nothare inexpensive and easily washed.

comfort and convenience.

local improvements which might be a to estimate how many will be needed. be ended.

## SOME GOOD RECIPES.

Nut Bars-Carmalize two tablespoon-The truth is, Paris is politically hys- cupful of flour, one-eighth teaspoonful under way. It will be arranged with this, to a visitor, seems astounding. halves of walnuts and bake in a mod-

eggs for 15 minutes, add one-half pound sioners. One of these, appropriately But up to date, Mr. Lockroy's crusade of powdered sugar and the beaten enough, comes from the Cognac district, sole owner of a claim that will mixture use the ammoniacal copper for the treatment of the plum. Third the most absurd manifestation of scare. add the rind and inject of one half lam. for the treatment of the plum. Inite spraying: Bordeaux mixture in two or spraying: Bordeaux mixture in two or half teaspoonful of rose water. Fold It calls for the erection in Paris of a in one and one-third cups of bread colossus bestriding the Seine, as the flour. Turn into a deep pan, dredge Colossus of Rhodes bestrode the narrow with powdered sugar and bake about entrance to that ancient harbor. The an hour.

Chocolate Sponge Cake .- This is not a genuine sponge cake, as baking powder is added. Cream one-half cup of the head and so on. butter, add one-quarter cup of cocoa, Another project demands the erection the beaten yolks of three eggs, one of a Garden of Eden on a large scale, cup of sugar mixed with one teaspoon- with Adam, Eve, the snake and the apful of cinnamon, and one-quarter tea- ple tree all complete. It might be urgspoonful of clove; add one-half cup of ed on the other side that the snake water. Beat the whites of three eggs is always sufficiently in evidence in and add to the cake, alternately with Paris. one cup of bread flour into which has In the serious work on the buildings From a window which commanded been sifted three level teaspoonfuls of there is good progress. This country baking powder. Bake in small pans 15 will be well represented, and only the

three-quarters cups of sugar with one disappointment at the failure of the cup of water until it threads; pour slowly out to four squares of chocolate which have been melted and stir until it thickens. Add a few drops of

Sugar Fingers .- Cream one-half cup milk with one-eighth teaspoonful of so- recently appeared in the Dutch newsda. Mix one-quarter teaspoonful nut- papers setting forth that a man had meg with two and a half cups of flour drowned himself in the Rhine and ofand add to the first mixture with one- fering a reward for the body. The dehalf teaspoonful of vanilla. Roll out, scription ends with: "Age about for-

"Very well," said the joker; "I've sugar, one-half cup of milk and two what dialect it speaks? lost my bet." Next morning he ap- and one-fourth cups of flour sifted peared in court and paid \$2.50 in fines, with one-quarter teaspoonful of soda and three-quarters teaspoonful of cream-tarter. Add the beaten whites The other parties to the wager were of five eggs, beat thoroughly and bake

To find the rarest bird in existence of water until it threads. Pour it totally unbearable, abdicated his

SEASONABLE SALADS.

At this season a salad of some sort ther it is good for her or not

sweet cream or fresh butter sed in the dressing is particularly healthful, as the system now demands the crisp greens and acids.

It is not necessary to have the salads expensive, and it is not desirable to have them too strongly acid, nor, of a fiery flavor.

The dictum of polite society is, if sufficient to make work easy. it is not a dinner is to be given, to serve the salad as a separate course with crisp crackers or delicate biscuit or thin, narrow strips of bread.

Many a housewife would neglect this course unless it was optional to serve with the meat; the mistress of a family can determine what she shall prepare for her table, and how she shall serve it, but she should not, nevertheless, strike off salads from the bill of fare

Vegetable and fruit salads give zest

Everything used in a salad should be of the best quality and perfectly

When salads are to be served each day, it is a good plan to make a quantity of dressing from a good recipe, and

In mixing salad dressings it should

### BRITISH PENSIONS

Sums Will Be Saved When the Present Recipients Die.

England is relieved of the payment ing. Bolsters and bolster cases are not of \$15,000 a year in pensions by the on the hunger of their famished babes, in as general use as formerly. Some- recent deaths of Sir Henry Havelockcodling moth, bud moth, tent caterwith President McKinley's decision to vided, and sometimes forms made of out an end to the system under which pasteboard are set at the head of the third in succession to the first Visbed, covering the pillows in use, but count, who was Sir Stapleton Cotton, leaving space for ventilation. This is and received the pension for services in fy. Six towels for each room, are not the Peninsular war. When the Duke too many if they are in constant use; of Wellington dies a yearly pension indeed, twelve are better. Some house- of \$90,000 will end, while \$65,000 a keepers provide small towels, which year will be saved by the nation at the Where one uses the towel a dozen times death of the present holders of these a day the laundering of large and titles: Viscount Hardinge, for serthe periodic British scare about an in- heavy towels becomes burdensome. vices in India, Baron Seaton, Colborne, Small towels stay clean almost as long for Waterloo, Baron Keane and Visas large ones, and the gain in labor count Gough, for services in India, is perceptible. The kitchen should be Baron Raglan for Waterloo and the supplied with roller towels of good Crimea, and Baron Napier of Magdala, size, Small ones are troublesome and for Abyssinia. Pensions of \$3,600 to not worth while. Many families do not the heirs of the Duke of Schomberg. use them at all, but this is probably William III.'s General, of \$10,000 to because they do not appreciate their the successors of Lord Rodney, and \$25,000 to all to whom the title of Earl Six roller towels are not too many Nelson shall descend will continue to When that ill-fated ship was wreck- if the family numbers more than four be paid indefinitely. When Viscount wards, lost heavily. The scab appear- ed the brave fishermen of Ushant saved very late in the season last year, ed many lives, for which Queen Vic- between wash days. If a clean one is and received the pension for services in toria thanked them, and money was put up every morning it does not re- 1885 it was understood that the syssubscribed by Englishmen for use in quire much mathematical calculation tem of long-continuing pensions would

# PARIS EXPOSITION.

Queer Notions That Have Been Made Known to the Commissioners.

The Exposition of 1900 is already well exquisite taste, but this will not be

the fault of the cranks. Some of the queerest notions that ever emanated from cracked brains Sponge Cake .- Beat the yolks of five have been made known to the commis-

interior of the colossus might be used to house the savans who will attend the Exposition doctors in the legs, chemists in the stomach, metaphysicians in

Germans probably, because of their an-Chocolate Frosting .- Boil one and cient rivalry with the French and their Berlin show are holding aloof.

# A DUTCH "BULL."

The Irish race are not the only people capable of perpetrating those deliciously humorous witticisms known as "bulls." A grave official notice has cut in squares, roll in sugar and bake. ty, height 5 feet 8 inches, speaks the Pistachio Cake.-Cream one-half cup dialect of Gelderland." But how is the of butter add one and one-half cup of finder of the corpse going to know

## QUEEN NATALIE.

Queen Natalie of Servia is about to in larger cake pans. Put the following say farewell to the world and hide frosting between and over the cakes. herself and her troubled life in a con-Pistachio Frosting .- Cook one cup of vent. Her husband, ex-King Milan, is confectioner's sugar with one-third cup whom the father, having made himself

## ABOUT THE SIZE OF IT.

Little Nephew Elmer-What is a model husband, uncle? Old Uncle Grout.-One that arways lets his wife have her own way, whe