tory is a combination of science and temporary of insight and acumen

stantial correctness of Lord Hal- be found. makes the art of writing real histhe same time an artist, psycholo- under the chin or under the hair gist and sound generalizer, it is give character to such a hat. easy to see that very few ideal hisceptional. .

What, then, are the generality of touch to the bodice. intelligent men to do with regard . A good many of the new skirts to history? How are they to master its "lessons" and get at its true ser. But upon examination the efinwardness? The rough answer is fect is shown to be produced by that they must do with the past gathers, cleverly manipulated, and what they do, if they are wise, with The hip yoke on some of the new view, and form a sort of synthetic loose hip girdle. But it does serve politics, past economics, past con- factory. controversy in theology and science. The waistcoat is in line for much Time is a reconciler, healer and de- use. The waistcoat belt is a featstroyer. It settles many questions, and a most comfortable feature it but not all. Questions it leaves un- is, too. It is simply the bottom of settled each student must determine a waist coat, with the points that for himself as he does a current, extend below the waistline, cut off burning question. Not a simple and fastened to a belt. and stimulating.

COURT INFLUENCE.

Example of the Queen Is Reflected on the Whole Community.

It is well that society should have its periods of introspection. It is undergoing one just now. When we speak of the moral condition of society at the present day it should be remembered that society is composed of all sorts and conditions of rack rooms two cats by their re- make a handsome return of com- suffering with influenza will ask people as widely different as the Poles, says the Gentlewoman. First face to face across a line generally last links in the chain of Empire," up, in spite of the fact that influ-Queen cannot but have a good in- scratched each in the abdomen un- shoulders of the Sovereign. You Apropos of influenza, it is quite fluence on all in immediate contact til death ensued to one or both of have struck the 'Lost Chord' in the true that nobody likes it. It has with her. Then there are many them. The officers were made ac- Imperial Symphony, and one grand, not a friend in the world and every ent upon the Throne, therefore the put an end to them. For this purconditions of life at Court are reflected here to the benefit of the to report its state. The soldiers, uments in the world make friendlier ish catarrh, and Spain returns the is in London awaiting a claimant. whole community. In the widening to report its state. The soldiers, the determined not to lose the daily torcircles of society we then reach a ture of the cats, generally employ- correspondence. to raise themselves up into the atmosphere of the highest, and are careful not to do anything that will the officer was heard ascending the to Universal Penny Postage. At His Presence of Mind Saved His costracise them from the arena stairs while the cats were under- that time it was Mr. Sydney Buxfind that the influence of the Court of the troopers seized a sword from was given no loophole of escape. While a building was in course of is filtered down, and we realize the the arm rack, and with a single In proposing the penny rate be- demolition at Newton Row, Birresponsibility which attaches to the blow divided the tails of the cats. tween England and America Sir mingham, England, part of the up-Royal circle. We see how widely this The cats escaped through the open John was able to tell the Chancellor per floor gave way. One man, luck influence is felt and acted upon windows of the room, which was en- of the Exchequer that he would ily, got clear, but two failed to eswhen, as in the case of our own tered instantly afterwards by the place in his hands a bank guaran- cape, and one of them stood over Court, their conduct tends to raise the morals, and to make for all that is purest and best in life.

Hospitals of Olden Time. Hospital patients of to-day are better off than their ancestors of "the good old times." Mr. Wheatlev in his book on 'London, quotes from a Scottish act of parisment of 1386 to the effect that "gif ony man brings to the market corrupt swine or salmond to be ony question, sall be sent to the "tell me what an oyster is?" leper folke"; and if there be no The small hand of Jimmy Jones known," says Sir John, an Admin- But eventually he was released, lepers then only "sall they be de- shot into the air. stroyed utterlie." The same plea- "I know, Miss Mary! I know! always in the wrong, at his desk, he fainted from sheer exhaustion, the Russian gitt is surmounted by the Imperial arms of Russia, while sant custom obtained in Oxford in the fifteenth century, where all pute the fifteenth century is a fifteenth century. The fifteenth century is a fifteenth century is a fifteenth century is a fifteenth century is a fifteenth century. trid meat and fish were by statute nut." sent to St. John's hospital.

However much of a Suffragette a dear?" "Jack has thrown me over woman may be, she'll still wish for a girl with more money." "Oh, there was a man at home when a there, cheer up! That's no sign tramp comes to the does.

Fashion Hints

Tid-Bits of Information.

tradition for re-enforcement and colors. This is nothing to be that end till be drops. ashamed of-but something to be This man of vision, the eldest so

manently. In history, as in fiction feature of many of the street suits too, he received a popular, as well other heavy fabrics. The collar is and fashions. There is no disposi- made in many fashions, so that one tion, however, to challenge the .vb- becoming to every type of face can

dane's view. But how difficult it | For the young girl nothing prettier for summer wear could be found than a hat made of figured

Net embroidered with beads of colored glass, rhinestone, jet beads torians will be produced in any and tiny sequins of metal is much generation. The combination is ex- used. Sometimes it forms the whole bodice of a frock, sometimes it is introduced to give an interesting

have shown a silhouette which strongly suggests the Turkish troufolds of material about the ankles.

the present-hear all sides worth skirts is a marked feature. This hearing, compare and weigh evi- yoke is not tight. It really suggests dence, allow for bias and point of the same line given by the rather to hold in the fullness of the skirt at notion of things. History is past the waistline and it is quite satis-

ure of some of the summer frocks

task, this, but a fascinating one. It butterfly persists. It still appears I cannot allow the bald statement one of the most frequent causes makes history the more exciting in ornaments for the hair, in lace medallions on underwear and pers, to the effect that a penny head. blouses, and in designs in silk and postage rate is to come into force "Women with a bad cold think

STORY OF KILKENNY CATS. sian Seldiers.

The Oyster Defined.

"Why so gloomy looking, Madge that he doesn't love you."

NOTES AND COMMENTS | STR JOHN HENNIKER HEATON.

Father of Penny Postage Striving For Cheaper Rates.

The father of Imperial penny postage, having accomplished his aim of bringing about two cent postage between all parts of the British Empire, and also between Great Paris can never get away from Britain and the United Stacs, has black and white, and this year the now turned his attration to France, magpie combination is often seen. and before long it is probable that home of the patient. All surgeons Should every statement be based on It is always a good choice, especial- letters will ercos the Channel as prefer to operate in hospitals, when records or may the historian go to by for the woman who realizes that cheaply as they cross the pend. Sir they can, because there they find fiction, drama, press gossip, social she is not an adept at combining John's ideal is universal penny everything in scientific readiness al period. No events intervene be-

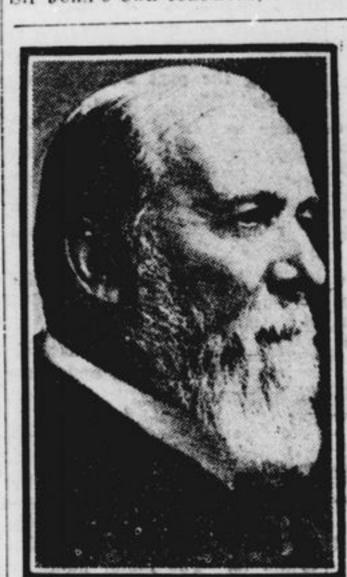
interpretation of records and dusty acknowledged and coped with wise- of Lieutenant-Colonel Heaton. R. ly. It may be a sort of color blind- E., was born in Rechester, Engalways sure to harmonize with each College, he turned to Australia, to create a situation and atmosphere. organdy or linen collar. The He must like an artist bull and atmosphere are immediate or the literal absorption of ments to hid welcome to Him who He must, like an artist, hold up the use of handkerchief linen with chif- founded and maintains a great Syd-

understands them. The truth of new hats. A certain red and yellow at the London Conference on that history is the truth of poetry and apple is especially popular. It apples the truth of mere science.

In this spiritual aloofness, or radiation of all he needs a quiet, self-controlled assistant who has plenty of coolled assistant who has plenty shape. Sometimes it is placed on a to tell Heaten the news that he had ness and common sense. If there is in this fact! shape. Sometimes it is placed on a band of ribbon about the crown, won. "I hardly slept that night," any choice in the matter, it is a Eateth with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly output to operate in the tion with the recielly operate to operate in the tion with the recielly operate to operate in the tion with the recielly operate to operate in the tion with the recielly operate to operate in the tion with the recielly operate to operate the recielly operate to operate the tion with the recielly operate to operate the recielly operate the recielly operate to operate the recielly band of ribbon about the crown, won. "I hardly stept that might, good plan not to operate in the tion with the socially outcast, respective prompting being the remembers, and at five o'clock room where the nation is to be gardless of the motive prompting being the remembers. the ribbon flowers, these fruits are Duke of Norio'k, who had previous-

used to trim evening frocks, negli- ly been officially opposed to him. likely that any particular theory gees, boudoir caps and thin blouses. crossed the floor to shake hands will prevail and hold the field per- The linen collar and cuff is a with the conqueror. On that day, and drama, there are tendencies of taffeta, gabardine, serge and as ducal, recognition. When he called a cab to take him home, and was about to give his address to the driver, that worthy interrupted him with-"I know, Sir; came name as yourcelf: Eadon Square!"

The Man of Letters.



Sir John Henniker Heaton, M.P.

March 25, 1905, Lord Stanley says so, and this dector knows. It is odd, by the way, that the wrote: "Dear Henniker Heaton,- "Kissing," says the doctor, with Australia on April 1, to be the nothing of kissing their own or anyfirst to announcement to you of the body else's children. They think fulfilment of one of your postal nothing of the chances of infecting dreams. You have worked for this the child with their own ailment, reform with untiring energy, and I although they know that there is Barbarous Act of Cruelty of Hes- think that I am the first, though I nothing more nagging and d sagreecertainly shall not be the last, to able than a cold in the head, which During the rebellion which occur- congratulate you." There was no lowers the system and makes a perred in Ireland in 1797 Kilkenny was April fooling about that and Sir son susceptible to other more serigarrisoned by a regiment of Hes- John at once sat down before a ous troubles." sian soldiers, whose custom it was spect of the familiar House of It is the same with influenza, this to tie together in one of their bar- Commons quarto note-paper to doctor affirms. A woman who is spective tails, and then throw them pliments. "You have forged the her friend to come in and cheer her used for drying clothes. The cats he wrote; "you have thrown the enza is one of the most highly innaturally became infuriated, and mantle of Imperial unity over the fectious diseases known.

spect each barrack room daily and to even better advantage. No doc- In France it has been called Span-

officer, who inquired what was the tee, "hearing names honored on the kneeling form of the other and cause of the two bleeding cats' tails every Exchange," for the amount supported as much of the huge mass being suspended on the line, and of the proved loss during the first of masonry as he could from falling was told in reply that "two cats had three years' working of the reduced on to him. If he had not had the been fighting in the room, that it rating. Heaton, moreover, had the presence of mind to do this his mate was found impossible to separate American Postmaster-General and would have been killed at once. them, and they fought so desperate- public opinion behind him. Mr. Thus, with this stupendous ly that they had devoured each Sydney Buxton and the Chancellor weight on his shoulders, with blood other up with the exception of their of the Exchequer did not, at the trickling into his eyes from a severe time, "see their way to accept his wound on the forehead, the brave offer." But within two years the man grasped the window-sill with thing was done; and now Sir John his hands and waited assistance. is all intent on France. What Post- This was some time coming, for the The teacher was instructing the master-General can evade him? work of rescue was difficult and sauld, they sall be taken by the youngsters in natural history. "Can Evasion always fails, though always dangerous, and there was also the baillie, and incontinent, without any little boy or girl," said she, tried. If it succeeds in the House danger of the hero giving way under

> or an after-dinner cup of coffee and cated collar-bone. a genuine Havana."

Operations in the Home. It is sometimes necessary to per- Lessen IV. The Lost Sheep and the form a serious operation in the Lost Coin. Luke 15. 1-10. Golden

ation. But many a country doctor | Publicans-Tax collectors for the performs difficult and dangerous the Roman government, and deoperations at a minute's notice, spised of the Pharisees because and under the most difficult and dis- serving the oppressors of the Jews. Lord Haldane contends that his- lack of taste. Black and white are House Grammar School and King's couraging conditions as to appli- Moreover, there existed in Paleances and help. He must often use stine the system of farming the other, and, pesides, they are always agriculture, and to journalism. In a smoking kitchen lamp because taxes, and the collectors could, if the special taxes, and the collectors could, if the special taxes, and the collectors could, if the special taxes are always agriculture, and to journalism. In the special taxes, and the collectors could, if the special taxes are always agriculture, and to journalism. In the special taxes, and the collectors could, if the special taxes are always agriculture, and to journalism. agriculture, and to journalism. In there is no other, forego almost all dishonest, demand too much money and fame. Here were people gather- by the very different shouts of documents, but he may hiss the One of the interesting develop- greatly that at one time he could attempts at surgical cleanliness beessence and spirit of a great change ments of the spring styles is the beast that he held \$15,000,000 in his cause there are none of the requisor event if he relies on documents blouse of chiffon or crepe de chine own name, and several newspapers. ites at hand, and make use of the Pharisees-Members of the re- doubtedly from foreign lands, to which shows a little tucked vest of His marriage with Miss Bennett Limbs and terrified people round ligious-patriotic sect dating back celebrate the great feast of organdy or linen with a folding or perpetuates his cornection with the Vet be after cause his perfect to the Maccabean Passover. And here they were ail

HEALTH

events and leading figures as a con- first, but the combination is really The great event happened on July dertaken in a cleanly private home, in their hatred of the Romans, and perhaps as the long promised Mes-12, 1898. Imperial Penay Postage When no nurse can be had, the sar- their attitude toward the common Him before and behind, as he made carried far after it is over.

sideration; the surgeon must have who found fault with Jesus for asall he can get. If the kitchen table sociating with publicans and sinhas to be turned into an operating ners. table, put it near the best light to | 4. What man of you-Jesus ap-

the assistant to keep in mind, -not have consisted in flocks and herds. a winter home on the Mount of ordinary domestic cleanliness, but One of them-Just one is lost and Olives in Jerusalem. Lady Hill a very different thing,-surgical so many remain, yet the utmost paid the tribesmen for their work cleanliness. Be sure that there is a concern is felt. Thus is the love of and brought the ikon to London. By an irony of fate, Australia, constant supply of boiling water God for each individual shown. and it is well to iron all the linen | tended and suffer no want. that is to be used with a very hot | And go after that which is lost, iron, just short of scorehing. Fas- until he find it-The search is conten sheets to the wall all round the tinued until the lost is found. table with glass puch pins, and clear | 5. Layeth it on his shouldersthe room of furniture, rugs, erna- There is no upbraiding nor murments, and pictures, as far as pos- muring at the trouble. The shepsible.-Youth's Companion.

Kissing and Influenza.

If you are of a warm and affectionate nature, if you have the inveterate habit of breaking into osculatory expression of your j. y and enthusiasm, you must make an heroic effort to conquer that practice during these days of uncertain weather-one day cold and the next vidual

"this abominable habit of indiscriminate kissing." you will either infect with or be infected by the horrid little germ of cold in against the panny rate, but on head. An eminent London doctor

which will appear in Monday's pa- infection in cases of cold in the

quainted with the barbarous acts of perfect chorus ascends over land country tries to make out that it is

A WORKMAN HERO.

Mate From Being Killed.

it melts away in private. "I have the terrible strain.

istrative Chief so 'stiff in opinion, and directly the rescuers freed him

Occasionally a man wins a fight because he hasn't the nerve to run laway. But the hasn't have a fool. Do I look like a fool? Daw-bit the hasn't the nerve to run laway. But the hasn't have a fool. But the hasn'

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON LONG

INTERNATIONAL LESSON. APRIL 26.

Text, Luke 15. 10.

Verse F. Now-During this gener

Therefore, when an immediate strict in the literal observance of ments to bid welcome to Him who and serious operation must be un- the Jewish law and ritual, bitter was now hailed for the first time

casts involved social ostracism. Light is a very important con- 3. Unto them-To the Pharisees

peals to their personal experience. Cleanliness is the great thing for The wealth of many of them may Hill, of Liverpool, who maintains

a careful and exact thinker and at Tie strings of velvet that go either Sir John's own continent, held out for sterilizing instruments. If water cannot be boiled in the operat- ninety and nine are not neglected, tion surmounted by the royal arms. ing room, you can set an alcohol but left in their usual summer The figure of the Saviour and His lamp in the bath tub, and put the pasturage, that is, the wilderness, disciples about the table are done sterilizing pan on it. Basins, nail or the uninhabited regions among in full relief in solid mother of brushes, and linen should be boiled, the hills where they are properly pearl. The work is very complete,

herd returns rejoicing that the lost one is saved. Note the contrast between the tender feeling of the shepherd and the cold indifference

of the Pharisees. 7. I say unto you-This note of authority is present in all the teaching of Jesus. Joy in heaven-The interests of

heaven and earth meet in the indi-Repenteth-Both in the literal sense of facing about from the

sixteen cents. Women of Palestine Branch with over 24,000,000 trees, shore and the birds asked if he wear strings of these silver coins all of which have been planted and would carry them over to Africa. hanging from the head as orna- most of which are growing up in But the sheep told them that he ments. Perhaps the lost coin had the form of woodlots and shelter- | could not swim, but wait until the been worn in this way.

9. A charming picture of simple it has been necessary to establish a small birds like you. village life in which the joys and branch nursery at Saskatoon. sorrows of one person are shared The opinion was once wide-spread heard a great rushing noise over-

10. Even so-In like manner not treeless, and many ingenious theo- flock of cranes flying very low over alone the angels, but the heavenly ries were advanced to account for the beach. And on every back were Father himself rejoices over one this treelessness. One was that the little birds hanging on tight with sinner that repenteth.

GIFT KING CAN'T ACCEPT.

Supper, Sent From Arabia.

outbreak of the late war with Italy. it cannot be presented to him, and, treelessness of the prairies is man, since no one else has a right to ac- not Nature. The fact that the Incept it, the ikon remains without a dians long ago were in the habit of

from the seashore. While the tribe was at work on the ikon one of its members, who paid a visit to his old home, and it? when he saw what was being done he insisted that it would be the difference between the two is that letters he used to write to me the Russian gift is surmounted by fore we were married."

Jesus' Humility in the Hour of Success and Courage in the Moment of Failure

ments upon the way; and others Jesus remained indifferent to the branches. . . . And they that went appleuse which was showered upon before, and they that followed, Him, unaffected by the proclamacried, Hosanna, blessed is he that tion upon a thousand lips of His cometh in the name of the Lord. Messiaship, and thought only of . . . Hosanna in the highest."- the great work which He had still

His way into the city, with dancing

to the valley to the city, gleaming do the work of God with a soul unwhite as alabaster in the blazing tempted by applause—this is "the sun, "and wept over it!" In the imitation of Christ."-Rev. John very midst of all this enthusiasm Haynes Holmes.

"And many spread their gar-jover his coming, in other words, to do, the far goal which He had It was a wenderful reception still to seek, and the probability of which Jesus received upon this fin- the disaster which these involved al occasion of His entry mto Jeru- He was as little affected by the salem. It marked without any ques- shouts of "Hosanna" which greet-

which fell upon His ears on the following Friday. In the one case as in the other He went His way with His heart fixed on that great end which gave Him humility in the hour of success and courage in the moment of failure. He was hited up above the equal perils of popular hatred by the steadfast purpose which bound His soul to God.

In this spiritual aloofness, or ra-'He drew nigh' he looked across tery and undaunted by hostility, to

The ikon is made in the form of even the smallest table utensils in mother of pearl occupying their ordinary place on the table. The workmanship is exquisite and the design excellently done. It is probable that if no means can be found for delivering the ikon to the King, it will find a resting place in some

ARE PRAIRIES PERMANENT? | sea long before we got there."

as "a level or rolling tract of tree to Africa?" cried the six little fat less land covered with coarse birds. "I will carry you to the grass." Strictly speaking, then, the very bottom of the sea," said the rigid self-control in the matter of wrong to the right and in the sense prairies no longer exist in Canada fish, and he darted down through of regret and sorrow for wrong- except locally, for there are no the water as swift as an arrow. longer any large areas exempt from "My!" said the little fat birds, 8. What woman having ten settlement and the settlers through- 'how glad we are that we did not pieces of silver-The silver coin is out the West have already been go with him !" the Greek drachma, worth about supplied by the Dominion Forestry Soon a sheep came along the belts. So successful have been cranes came. But the birds did not Light a lamp-A peasant's but these plantations and so great has know about the cranes, so the sheep the demand for trees grown, that told them that they were big birds Until she find it-As in the case the Indian Head Nursery Station, with long bills, long legs, and still of the lost sheep, the earnest, per- which has an annual capacity of ap- longer necks. "Once every year severing activity of the owner is proximately three million trees, can they come from the north and fly no longer supply this demand, and to Africa, and they always carry

that the prairies were naturally head, and, looking up, they saw a soil was too fine; a second that the beaks and claws. The fat little soil was all right, but that because | birds politely asked to be taken of the thick sod the tree seeds could with them; and one of the cranes not reach it; another theory was said. "All right, hold on tight," that there was insufficient rainfall, and soon they were on and off for Mother of Pearl Ikon of Lord's and still another that the dry win- Africa. Now, this part of the ter winds killed the buds and twigs. story is true, children, for cranes A mother of pearl ikon, of the But if any of these factors have do really carry small birds over the 'Lord's Last Supper," almost been detrimental to tree-growth on Mediterranean Sea every yearidentical to that presented to the the prairies in the past, the Fores but I'm not so certain that the growth is assured if the trees are

setting fire to the forests and grass-The history of the ikon began lands in order to afford better graz. amounting in all to more than began when Italy cast covetous eyes | ing, and that in the fall when these on Turkey's Tripolian possessions. fires were usually set, the prevail-'Lord's Last Supper' for present- has begun to recover lost ground, much ation to the Russian Emperor. It and, aided by artificial reforestaof pearl had to be carried a twelve- estry Branch, tree-growth will soon million pounds. Perhaps it has neday camel journey into the interior be as common on the prairies as on ver occurred to you that Britain's the farms of Eastern Canada.

Ever notice how much easier it had served in the British army, to buy experience than it is to sel

Young Wife-"What do you d grossest discourtesy to his royal when your husband gets cross and master if a similar gift was not wants to scold?" Experienced wife made for King George. The only _"I read to him one or two of the

Dubbleigh—Miss Sharp called me it and carried it away, but the Kocould get my affairs into a shape 000,000 to aid local purposes; £1,-

Once upon a time there were six little fat birds, and they sat on the shore of a big blue sea. One of the fat little birds said to the others. 'Let us go over to Africa to live. I hear the worms there walk right into your mouth as soon as you open it, and that they have a very fine flavor.

The other fat little birds said. We would gladly go, but our wings are so small, and it's so far to Africa that we should drown in the they talked it over and decided that Signs of Their Disappearance in the they would have to wait until some one came along to carry them over.

After a while a big fish came The dictionary defines a prairie swimming by. "Will you carry us

So the birds waited and soon they

JOHN BULL'S BILLS.

The most probable cause of the What Great Britain Will Spend In

Britain's national expenditure for the year 1913-14 involves a sum £195,600,000 (\$978,000,000)

One hundred and ninety-five mil The Sultan, in need of friends, de- ing winds were westerly, seems to lions! Such a figure is almost intermined to turn to his powerful prove that from the arid plains of comprehensible, and one may well neighbor on the north and in true southern Alberta and the United wonder how it is possible not only Oriental fashion decided to accom- States, the area of trecless land was to find but to spend so much money pany his overtures with a gift. He gradually extended by fire, hun- in a single year. After all, conordered the Kobi, an Arabian tribe dreds of miles easterly. But in siderably less than one-quarter of it celebrated for its mother of pearl Manitoba, since these fires have is accounted for by the cost of the work, to make an ikon of the ceased, the western fringe of forest Navy about which one hears so

was no small order, for the mother tion under the stimulus of the For- down for twenty-eight and a quarter land force is so expensive to maintain, or that the enormous German Army costs only half as much again as Britain's small force.

Then the Civil Services, as they are called, claim £60,000,000, old age pensions, twelve and a half millions; and some twenty millions are spent annually on schools, colleges, and museums.

And then, further, John Bull, of course, is heavily in debt. Interest on loans, in fact, costs him no less When the Russian gift was finish-d the agents of the Sultan paid for

The Fat Little Birds.

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School Girls and Boys of Russia Drink Vodka.

years old have been found drunk.

\$4,253 WORTH OF WATER. Drank by Civil Servants in Ottawa

Since Typhoid Epidemic. A despatch from Ottawa says drinking water from January 1, 1912, to March 1, 1914, was \$4,253, Since the typhoid epidemic in Ottawa, some two years ago, all civi servants in the Departments of State at the capital have been drinking spring or distilled water.

A cynic suggests the three quick est ways to send a message :- Tele graph, Telephone, and Tell-a-Wo