CENTRAL AFRICA.



ton, the well-known ethnographical collector and explorer, has just returned to England from an adventurous honeymoon spent in the heart of wildest Africa. In order not to interrupt the plans laid for his journey, Major Powell-Cotton's bride left England and journeyed to East Africa, where the marriage took place in 1905. Mrs. Powell-Cotton then accompanied her husband through the pigmy forest, the journey occupying twenty-seven months. Mrs. Powell-Cotton is the youngest daughter of William Slater, of Bassenthwaite, Cumberland, Major Powell-Cotton says that the excitement of the pigmies when they first saw his wife was extraordinary, for they had never previously beheld a white woman. "Perhaps," he said, "the chief ty with the forest tribes, some of whom I employed as hunters. Occasionally spect by the people.

source of wonder was her long hair, which for the special benefit of the when away I would leave my wife alone. She had learned a little of their dwarfs she would let down while they crowded round our tent in speech- language and did excellent medical work among them. In my absence she less wonder. During our many months' stay we never had the least difficul- took charge of the caravan and was always treated with the greatest re-

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Colonial government derives no small carry him to the bottom, where the state diver diverged it is passed through a scheme of dipping my finger tips in a colorless and extremely bitter composition, so that when I put my nails to the pearl fleet's daily wisit to a state of the double rope. PRECIOUS GEMS COME FROM

Found By Native Divers—Oysters | Salawatorre, a small village on the rapidly into the bag, and when he has congealed dew drops which the god time I employed the plan of keeping chasers May Be Lucky or Unlittle place, consisting of a single no longer he gives the rope a strong row of mud huts, standing in hot and pull to give himself an impetus up-Flashed under the ocean comes the of shady palms near them. As far as while his comrades haul in the oys-

RAO BAHADUR, PRABHASHAN KAR PATTANI, LEWAN OF

The above is a striking portrait of one of the most distinguished politicians in India, who has grappled successfully with serious famines, and has a firm grasp on financial matters.

BHAV NAGAR.

price up to the highest possible mark, shone brilliantly in the rays of the nosed boats slip noiselessly land-ward.

EAST INDIAN ISLAND.

trader its value is always known, and nut fibre, of sufficient length to reach tioned or kept by the owners, who sell moderate driving.

During a visit to Adipo the writer tion was invited by the superintendent of . The diver takes his basket, lies flat the pearl banks to accompany him to on his face and sweeps the oysters dusty solitude, with occasional groves ward and then floats to the surface, of the eve could reach inland or coastchance, the Criental pearl, will ad- wise there was nothing to break the When the day's work is over the vance in price like the diamond, and endless monotony of palm covered fleet start shoreward, and, taking adalso like the diamond will it be held plains save the white walls of the lof- vantage of the freshening breeze, up by a powerful syndicate and given to ty stuccoed government building in go the long spider rigged masts with the public in small lots to kep the the distance, which glistened and their wide winged sails, and the sharp Canadian Courier.

duct of the pearl fleet's daily wisit to The stone is pulled up and taken in lustre to the pearl and none is lost minded of my resolution by the bitter

The pearl oyster auction is undoubt- preciation of the retort. edly the most uncertain form of hazardous result of these sales may be seen at a glance, as one large oyster Give Up Cosmetics and Seek the may contain a pearl of great price; another may have a full half dozen gems of value, while the next one been opened without finding a single foolish to plaster on cosmetics?

attend these sales jewel merchants, who only purchase the pearls from the cost; men who have begged or bor- ion to be proud of. rowed the means of bidding at this intoxicating auction; men who have left their poor famished families with-

Some return rich beyond their most extravagant expectations, but many either to back ruined, unable to pay at every pearl fishing and is not to he prevented.

the boat, thus keeping up the connection or broken, as would be the case if taste of my fingers. But I found it the oysters were opened as if for about as hard to remember to keep

The natives of India believe that the was to remember not to bite showers on the sea, and that the my finger tips encased in thin patent oysters catch them while floating on metal tips, made for the purpose, but the water, and the priests get many these things aroused so much curiosity charity oysters in the hope that the among my patients and forced me to next season will be rich in pearls as answer so, many questions that I had

Not In His Class.

During the session of 1903, the members of the Ontario legislature gem of adornment and was in all At the end of the fourth day spent When the pearl fleet reached shore, discussed in committee the regulation the school children of France are adprobability the first gem worn by wo in palaver, publishing notices and is the poens with a squad of Malay rifle of automobile speed. Col. J. M. Gib dicted to the practice of biting their man; its use is as old as man and in suing instructions, the first diving day men cleared an open space between son, at the time the attorney-general finger nails, and the article expressed almost every record of the dim and was fixed and two hundred boats were them and the crowd on the beach so admitted that after indulging in con- the writer's alarm over this fact as which the German Emperor intends to misty past the pearl is referred to. It ready for the treasure hunt and in- as to allow the unloading of the boats siderable automobile exercise he had showing that nervous disease must be bronze figure, nine feet in beight, and is is the emblem or purity and sorrow, structed to take on board their divers which was at once begun. The oysters somewhat changed his views regard. undermining the French race. While I the work of Herr Baucke. Sir Henry the Tears of Buddha, the Souls of the and leave at midnight with the off- were divided on the sand into four ling stringent legislation in the mat-Angels, often given in exchange for shore wind, which would bring them equal parts, three of which went to ter. Then arose an energetic member part of this, the showing is certainly that it would be placed near the orangthe fair white slave or the dusky Nu- un to the banks with the first gleam the government, while the remaining of the conservative (then the opposition girl desired for the household of of daylight. fourth is shared among the boatmen, tion) forces. He is a physician with tion of the school children in this the wealthy Oriental, frequently the The preparations for diving are exransom of a captive chief or the price ceedingly simple, no head gear or div- divers receiving rather more than the as an excellent horseman. He pro- goes, bite their nails. But I do not Canadian Courier. of a human life. No matter if this ing dress being used. The native has others, All the government oysters are tested warmly against reckless chauf- believe that nervousness has any gem be dangling from the beautiful each his diving stone, which is a conithroat of a society belle, folded in cal shaped piece of granite of about enclosures, where they are kept to be hour is a satisfactory speed for auto-bit." enclosures, where they are kept to be hour is a satisfactory speed for auto-bit." sold at auction on the following day. or in the filthy leather bag of an Arab rove a double rope of coin or cocoa. The fishermen's fourth is either auc- greater enjoyment that comes from

chance taking known to man. The IMPROVE YOUR COMPLEXION.

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When it's so easy to bring back the hundred may contain nothing. As bloom of youth, to remove the blemmany as two hundred oysters have ishes and fill the hollows, isn't it most alarming aerial flights. But its people and their ways of thinking

will feel when those pimples and mur-

Read what she says. "My friends all admit that I have a very delightful complexion. This I owe positively to Dr. Hamilton's Pills. might be jaundice. There was sim- ago that the date is of small conse-

fore. Ur. Hamilton's Pills have also little dog trailed along at their heels, Some conception of the immense given me a good appetite and improv- and, becoming weary of much lovemass of owsters which lie putrifying ed my general health also." on the burning sand at these times of the body is strengthened, ar shellfish which he captured and demay be formed by the estimate that each boat will brine on shore in one to from ten to twenty thousands of oysters, making a daily total of from one to two millions for the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use of the whole their use. Sold in yellow boxes by all their use of the whole their use of their use of the whole their use of their use of their use of the whole their use of their use of their use of the whole their use of their use of their use of the whole their use of the whole their use of the whole the box their and their use of their

HEREDITY BLAMED.

Physician Scouts Nervousness as New Profession Found For Engr-

New York Herald.

'Meredity? Look at these finger nails of mine," said a physician of somewhat stolid exterior to a Washington Post reporter. "Observe that every one of them is bitten down to the quick. They've been bitten down to the quick ever since I can remember and in spite of everything I could do. I've tried most all the schemes that have been invented to stop folks from gnawing on their nails, and yet here are my disgracefully bitten nails to show how ineffective such schemes are in my case, at any rate.

"Now, my mother bit her finger nails in precisely the same fashion. She had a beautiful pair of hands, with long, slender, tapering fingers, and it was one of the mysteries of her existence that she simply could not get away from the habit of ruining her nails by biting them. Not only that but my mother told me that her father, in turn, told her that his mother had tried all of her life without success to do away with the habit of biting ther nails.

me to investigate it in the cases of tice, who had the nail-biting habit, and I found that in every case I tack-led their immediate progenitors, on one side or the other, had the nail-"There's no reason whatever why I

should bite my nails. It is asserted by some specialists in nerve diseases that the practice springs from a cer-tain form of nervousness, but I doubt if that can be true for I am actually the least nervous person on top of and there are some fine athletes among the globe so far as I know. My them. They include several good cric mother was one of the most composed keters, one young lady having persons of her sex I eyer knew. I oped into a really good bowler. have long since given up trying to break myself of the practice, which, being an involuntary and unconscious one, is almost impossible to control. I have with the greatest difficulty con-trived at times to let four or five of my finger nails grow, permitting them to attain an almost foolish length because I was so proud of them but at the same time that these long ones looked like the hooked finger nails of a Buddhist anchorite the other ones were gnawed down to the quick my fingers dipped in this fluid as

a reward for the faithful who contri-bute to the temples. The same difficulty about remembering to keep the unhandy things on was "I recently saw it stated in

French medical iournal of the greatest reliability that fully two-thirds of all

Modesty versus Money. it is probably the most frequently the bottom. One end of this rope the pearls after the fish are cleared of "But, doctor," said a genial reform | When the wind was in its most cap very well to say that "the governmuslins, and on her head she wore a that wharf which never has any shi to do stunts.

Sallowed skin and fallen in cheeks hat, kept on as stubbornly as pay-roll as Whitney's kept critic.

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many poor natives with small sums you ought. Use Dr. Hamilton's Pills draperies in a tight embrace, "you bined are valued at 203,500,000 year-scraped together at every possible and very soon you'll have a complex- are probably not aware of it, but 000. your skirts are above your knees." Just imagine how much happier you "I don't care," retorted the other. never moving a finger from the flowerladen bonnet. "I've had those legs out the means of obtaining a mouth-ful of rice, who tore the gold bangles and ear-rings from their wives and children to deal in this maddening

Story Of Cloth Dye. I used to look so yellow I thought it | cloth. One afternoon, so many years of replacing moneys taken from ply no color in my cheeks at all. To- quence, a noted man and his sweetday my skin is clear and never gets | heart went for a walk along the sands that murky, dull appearance it had be- of the seashore in a far-off country, A making, finally ran ahead and went

WOMEN ATHLETES

success to do away with the habit of are eighteen when they start. A pre-"So you see that in my case the quired to make sure that they are sail-biting habit is distinctly heredifit for the lengthy course. Here are

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There are also games to be learned -cricket, hockey, and basket-ball Swimming and rescue work are taught. The girls enjoy their labors keters, one young lady having devel-



KAISER'S GIFT TO ENGLAND:

Leader Graham's Stand Off.

It is fine to see genial George Gra ham refus to let the government sal ary him as leader of the opposition There is something incongruous in spectacle of an organization paying a bartered gem in the world.

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