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Lake Nyassa region, in South Africa, has developed extensive coffee growing. It was discovered by Dr. Livingstone

The statement of the London board of trade for the month of April shows increases of £3,264,900 in imports, and

£3,187,600 in exports. The National bank at East Brady, Pa., was robbed on Friday night, and

While riding in front of the Horse Guards, Saturday, lord Wolseley's horse fell, throwing the rider to the pavement and severely injuring his left arm. In the senate Sir Mackenzie Bowell withdrew his motion for further correspondence in connection with Lieut.-Col. White's retirement from the staff course. A ternade struck San Antonie, Tex., Monday morning. Terrible destruction is reported in the city but particulars

The resumption of the West Elgin investigation was delayed on Monday by the late arrival of his honor, judge

are meagre. Several lives are said to be

The three boys arrested recently at

petition is being circulated and largely signed in North Grey, asking

Hon. William Paterson, minister of customs, to again be the liberal candidate in the next election. Madame Sarah Bernhardt and Couque. it is announced, will make a tour the United States, to last six months.

The actors will leave Paris for America at the end of October. William Patton, Peterboro, was held up at the point of the revolver on one of the principal streets on Friday night. Some persons happened to be coming up the streets, and the highwaymen made

An old resident of Peterboro, Joseph Delaire, sr., died on Friday, aged eighty-eight years. He had been a resident of Peterboro for fifty years. He leaves a large family. He was a native of Que-

Richard Harding Davis had a long interview with president Kruger, and it is MESSRS' WACKS BROS American people apropos of the mission of the peace envoys.

At Yarmouth, N.S., Mrs. Porter

about \$1,000,000.

far this year is 11,948.

Mrs. Louise Faiare, Sioux City, Ia., has came so badly frozen that amputation

ishment by the czar, and visit her na- The hard and heavy

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- - \$5,836,071.00 | 1895, - -

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6,512,327.00 | 1897, - - -

6,793,595.00 1898, . - -

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The market values of the stocks of the British Companies

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1891, - - 6,168,716.00 1896, - -

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20,684,785.30

\$.8,953,265.39 Increase in ten years,

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December 31st, 1898,

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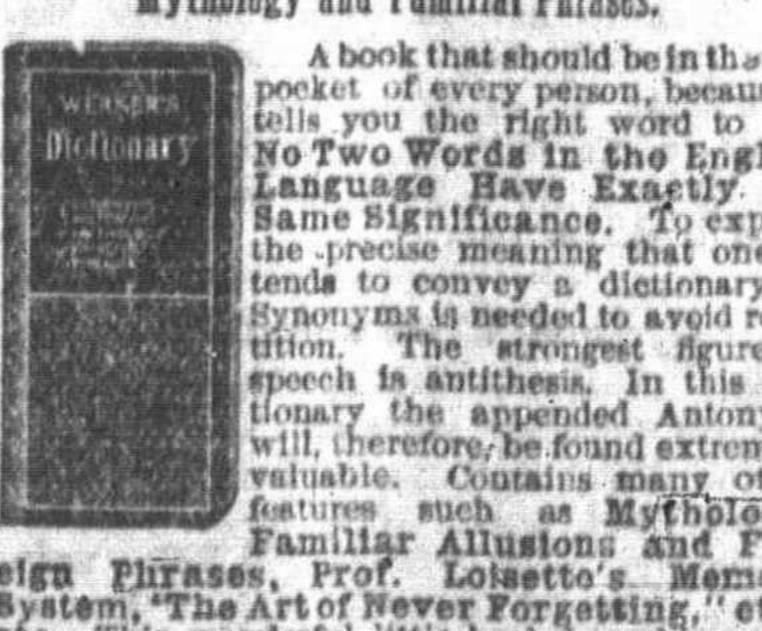
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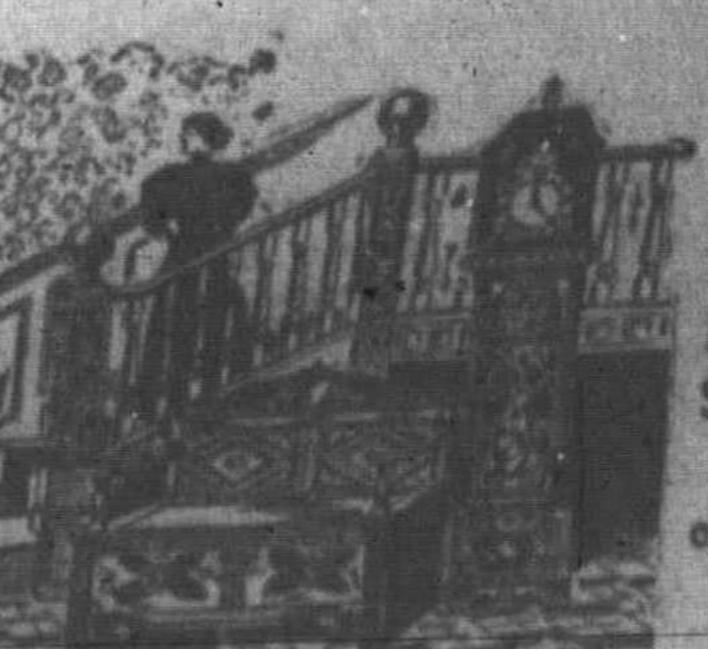
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