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ROUND TRIP TICKETS WILL BE ISSUED AT

Single First-Class Fare turning until May 25th, 1900. Ticket Office, Ontario street. B. W. FOLGER,

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40-day we received our first shipment of that ASPARAGUS. from now on you can look to us for all the early fruits and Vegtables, etc. Of course we have stramberries. Try a box

Wolferstan Thomas, Bank Manager-Accused of Embezzlement summer. -Did He Violate the Agree-

Montreal, Que., May 18.—The remains fof the late F. Wolferstan Thomas, general manager of the Molson's bank, who died early this morning, will be crema Birthday ted according to his wishes and will be taken to Boston for that purpose, there funeral service takes place to morroy

James Gavin, a collector for the Shed den forwarding company, has been ar rested on a charge of embezzling + Going May 23rd and 24th, re- company's funds to the extent of \$400. . The curator of the insolvent estate of Full particulars at K. & P. and C.P. Hector Prevost, dry goods merchantf is suing five fire insurance companies for a total of \$14,300 and the companies have put up the defence that Prevost in effeeting his insurance signed a stipula-

ERIE HAS NO CHANCE.

Why Connors Syndicate Invested in Montreal.

members are anuch interested in des patches from Montreal stating that t harbor board there had accepted t plans of the Conners syndicate to built a 1,000,000 bushels elevator at that port with storehouses attached having a storage capacity of 2,000,000 bushels. It is understood that the balldings are to be ready in time to handle this season's

which I got the land concessions has a dominion charter and it will be known Las the Canadian inland transportation company. We are figuring on elevators at Montreal and Port Collegne by August, and on twenty-one boats by 1901seven steamers, filmeen-feet draught, 3. 500 tons, each, and fourteen barges of l Single First-Class Fare canal draught of 2,400 tons each. We expect to put \$4,600 into the business. The steamers will carry 100,000 bushels and the barges 80,000 bushels each. The steamer and two barges can make the Valid returning from destination on or | round trip between Induth and Montreal in eighteen days and carry 250,000 bus els. At seven cents per bushel freight would be \$17,500 and expenses at \$200 per day would be \$3,600. That is prett good business, and all my figuring that our company will have a share of Steamships: it. I don't see what chance Buffalo and

the Erie canal can have in scaboard shipments, while the canal, is in its present shape, and it cannot be improved for five years. In that time a good company, with full swing over a 14-foot can-

al, can make a lot of money." Fatality At Cobden.

Cobden, Ont., May 15. - Archibald | Hamlins. Blackwell, son of George Blackwell, \$37.50; single; \$71.25 return. Steerage | the place in which it was to be piled, of the Schmulback colts will do to take To Liverpool, London, Londonderry, when by the truck leaving the rails he to the races. ed. The body fell into the water, but it | was recovered a few moments afterwards. D. TORRANCE & CO., General Agents, the lumber company for a few hours, when the fatal accident occurred. He was twenty-one years of age.

Changes At Stations.

Leo Murphy, Bay of Quinte RR, agent at Tamworth, has resigned his position to accept another on the Canada Atlantic H. C. Martin, acting as agent at Picton and intermediate Bay of Quinte Eriesville, has been transferred to the agency at Tamworth and E. D. Clarke Tamworth, has been appointed agent at

Willie Wilson, B. of Q. agent at Stoco, has accepted a position on the Canada Atlantic RR. His position at Stoco will er's Gazette. be taken by Bert. Patterson, Harrow-Commencing April 29th will leave for smith, employed for some time in the

The Missionary's Bone.

ondon Chronicle. A grim relic has just been presented to a San Francisco museum. It is a back-scratcher," once the property ers carly in the century. The late owner inherited the item from his grandia: ther, but his newly wedded wife would not permit him to keep in the house an article possessed of such gruesome at sociations, and so it was sent to the

Beginning Of England's Sea Power. Bordeaux La Petite Gironde.

If England rules the seas more than ever Neptune did, it is because a man guages, and riding, painting, rowing, had been found of remarkable depth of sketching, swimming and tennis are spirit, who had, in the seventeenth century, the ideas of drawing up the navigation act. It dominates the policy of on the mustache. He says: "It is the the civilized world, to-day. Europe is privilege of a man and his duty. It is forced to rest in the month of April, the emblem of the strength, the superior-1900, silent, with arms folded, before the ity, of his sex." Oliver Cromwell dipped his pen in the member of the Hungarian nobility and link on Oct. 9th, 1651.

barracks without leave and who now ec. cupy the cells at the guard room, blame a non-commissioned officer of French descent for their trouble. The non.-com. they say, was harsh upon them, and Every woman likes to talk of the "gray being recruits, and not accustomed to monotony" of her life. such a life, they made up their minds | Every man with curly hair spends too not to stand it. Lieut. tol. Stone is at | much time in combing it. present at Ottawa, but when he returns | Don't work a friend in the interest of he will investigate the complaint made a stranger. Lots of people do it. by the men.

Death Of An Old Resident.

An old man by the name of Redmon a respected resident of Kingston Mills for many a long year, died yesterday, aged eighty-two years. His demise of curred at the home of his son, Joseph Redmond, a farmer residing not far from the Mills.

.. Horse And Buggy Stolen. A horse thief stole a horse, buggy and THE DRESSY WOMAN.

French milliners will continue to use bright combinetions on spring hats. Now come tucked and machine stitched spring and summer hats in straw, velvet and tulle.

Lace waists in delicate, lovely designs will be among the prominent features of fashion among evening toilets for the

Deft French gathers, perpendicular tucks and underfolded side plaitings appear at the back of some of the latest Paris made dress skirts.

pretty flare. heavy applique patterns, wrought on del- | at once.

icate net meshes, are much used by pastel tints. The new spring jackets for youthful wearers are very simple-some double breasted with turn down collar and hand out notifying them, which it is alleged some buttons, others single breasted with

strapped revers. The extra deep front

gives a remarkably graceful curve to the Tailor costumes with some added decoration are to be seen among the new spring fashions, but for those who make one or two stylish gowns for an entire season the plainer skirt and jacket, made by a first class tailor or modiste, is de-

cidedly the wisest choice. Recamier folds, draped berthas, narrow venise lace yoke pieces at the tops of decollete bodices, accordion plaited fronts of diaphanous textiles, Greek draperies brought from the right shoulder to the waist and terminating in long scarf ends and fichus of lace or chiffon are in the highest favor for elegant evening toilets .- New York Post.

TAKING THE REINS.

Walter O. Parmer, the Nashville horse man, says he has cleared \$30,000 on mules inside of a year. Alta McDonald predicts that Coney. 2:07%, will be a good and consistent race horse this season. He has wintered in

grand shape. The famous kite track at Columbia Tenn., is going to ruin. But one meeting was ever held there, and it is now used as a cattle yard.

The Detroit Driving club announces that the entrance fee will be 3 per cent of the purse in all early closing races for the grand circuit trotting meeting Northumberland, by Trevillian, 2:081/4.

dam Gladsome, by Dictator, is one of the handsome youngsters at Penn Valley farm, as well as one of the most promising, being capable of 2:25 now. Lady of the Manor, 2:0414, the champion pacing mare, has been permanent-

ly retired from the turf and bred to Di-

rect Hal, the \$10,000 pacing stallfon re-

cently purchased from Ed Geers by the Ben Kenney is probably the only light-Rates of passage from Montreal: First Bryson, was killed in Savage & Cutter's | house keeper in the world who devotes | Cabin-\$60 and upwards, single; re- sawmill, on Thursday morning. He was his spare time to the handling of the pushing a truck loaded with lumber to light harness horse. He thinks that some

was precipitated twenty feet. His head | W. H. Jackson Junior's string is com-Midship saloons, electric light, spaci- struck a pier and he was instantly kill posed entirely of 2-year-olds, and the sweetest looking member of the lot is a racy looking filly by Tenny, a horse that J. P. Hanley, J. P. Gildersleeve, Was recovered a few moments and water.

Agt., G.T.R. Station. 42 Clarence St. Deceased had only been in the employ of out of Ma Belle. John Brannon is train-

THE PARIS SHOW.

The personally conducted tour of the clubwomen of New York to the Paris exposition promises to be one of the most notable of the exhibits illustrating this country's advancement.

Alvin S. Sanders of Chicago, who has been appointed a United States commissioner to the Paris exposition, will be the special representative of the live stock interests of this country in the exposition. He is the publisher of The Breed-

A plaster paris design for an "Uncle Sam" hat-probably the largest in the world-containing within its crown practical models for upward of 200 distinct styles of hats worn by 23 nationalities, will be sent from Philadelphia to the

Paris exposition. There will be over 7,000 exhibitors at of the Paris exposition, and the United the wife of a Filipino chief, which is States is in the first rank of the exhibit. An adjourned liquor case was called at made from the leg bone of a missionary ors. The display will be strictly repre- the police court this morning, but on who was killed and eaten by the island- sentative and will show in an adequate account of absence of a necessary with minner the excellence of our productions. | ness the case was again postponed. In 1873 we had less than a seventh as many exhibitors.

THE ROYAL BOX.

Queen Victoria still adheres to a set of dietary rules and health prescriptions given her many years ago by Sir William. The empress of Russia speaks five lan-

among her recreations. The kaiser has again been commenting

Chevalier Michel de la Zarovitsch, of Servia, is a member of a Hungarian | nent cures from a resemblance.

THE CYNIC.

All the grand stand players in the conntry are not in the baseball business.

know on a man When a man engages in politics, he stant weariness banished. There will wrong a friend as quickly as a mas been no dropsical symptoms since who is trying to sell stock in a mine. When a new family moves into a neight acquisition if the furniture wagon shows

a stepladder .- Atchison Globe.

WORKED AT POLITICAL MEETINGS.

Lawyer Who Talked to Let the People Hear Him and Ascertain His Abilities as an Advocate.

At a meeting of an upper west side political club a few nights ago, after the double width silks both plain and bor- long silence was broken by a man who box plaited skirts and circular over- a few words. He was young, with a face not overattractive, and his clothes were Fan shaped side plaitings of ak or seedy. He attacked the unimportant wool or a mixture of the two fabrics ar- | cal subject with the ferocity of an orator ranged in clusters of five, next to a single | upon whose words the fate of nations | of miles. box plait, around the entire skirt from | might have hung. He talked glowingly, the belt down give the demitrain a very | continuously and uninterruptedly for many minutes, and in that time he man-Russian and Venetian guipure laces in | aged to be on both sides omthe question

French tailors and modistes for trim- offend either the supporters or the oppointo history and quoted authorities upon abstruse topics, which he managed somehow to make fit the trivial issue. In the | er. There is no place to flee from before pears to me so and so."

led to the discovery that he was one of a crew cling desperately to whatever holdclass of men who belong to numerous small political organizations for the purpose of advertising their business at the meetings. The words. "I, Mr. Blank," and "I, as a lawyer," form the key to the | the normal ebb and flow of the ocean method employed.

chance that at the meeting some one will | ters would be placed to their account. gal profession. As long as the man's re- | and Ascencion are visited at irregular insuppress him. He is looked on, however, | waves (rollers) that deal havoe among as one of the evils to be shunned, and | the smaller shipping and look as if they cret are weighed down with despair and | tion is that these stupendous waves are helplessness .- New York Tribune.

Russia's Great Library.

the year 1700 and has today about 1,155,-000 works in it, as well as over 26,000 | Spectator. manuscripts. This cannot be considered bad for a "benighted country." And it is noteworthy that every facility is given for the use of these by the people of St. Petersburg, who use the library in no small measure. The czar and czarina take much interest in its increase and progress and often give their advice and help in connection with it.

So advanced has Russia become under this library that there is a regulation that the imperial library is to be open to any Russian boy over the age of 12 years who may wish to avail himself of its help. Even the British museum has not so far arrived at this stage of encouragement and trust for youthful students .- Chicago News.

Information Wanted.

A small boy living in Mount Salem, Mich., was asking his father questions the other night.

"Pa." he said, "what is dehorning?"

the world are you asking so many questions for?

er day where a general detailed a whole | step, and it is the most violent of exersquad of his men. - Detroit Free Press.

Achill Island.

seen the island of Achill can forget its | former often follow. The heart is a mountains green and smiling, bogs clad in | as its weakest part. purple and pink heather and the whole picturesque island in sunshine, the place is a wonderland.

Feminine Intuition. Hattie-I'm positive George loves me and wants me to be his wife.

Ella-Has he told you so? Hattie-No; but he has taken such a strong dislike to mamma. - Chicago Tribwith the same of t

Old Backs, Young Backs, Weak Backs, Strong Backs,-Few Escape, for Backache is Kidney Talk.

that Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tab related to the royal family of Obreovitch | medicines, producing quick and permaorchestra in New York. He claims kin- ferers from kinney complaints and bring The five men who left tete de Pont ship with King Milan, to whom he bears conviction of merit because of the quick relief gained in unexpected cases. The backache kidney sufferer only doubts their worth before using, for a few doses imparts a sensation of relief that foretells the story of cure. It did not take Mrs. John Slimmons, of 152 Duf- became heated, and one turned to the late I am sorry and want it earlier, and ferin street, kingston, long to find this bottle of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets, and this is her report; gave Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney most satisfactory results followed

Tablets that J. H. McLeod; the drug-My daughter had suffered from kidney It is not necessary to die to prove and dizziness. We had the best physifriendship; just refuse to tell all you cians treating her before that. She was bornood, it is regarded as a valuable tom of Kidney or Bladder trouble you trial package of Dr. Pitcher's Backache There is just a possibility that "A" Kidney Tablets absolutely free by en- to two years in the Central prison harness from James Hawley, a farmer at field battery may not turn out on the closing two cent stamp for postage to burglary.

TIDAL WAVES.

Something About These Marvelous Upliftings of the Sea Bosom. What of the tidal wave, that mysteri-

ous, indispensable swelling of the waters that, following the "pull" of the moon, rolls round this globe of ours twice in wherever access is available and doing within its short lease of life an amount of beneficent work freely that would begto undertake if it must needs be paid chairman had asked if there were any re- for? Mysterious it may well be called, From Lyons looms this season come | marks on a question before the house, a | since, though its passage from zone to zone be so swift, it is like all other waves, dered to be used for the new kilted and arose and said that he would like to say but an undulatory movement of that portion of the sea momentarily influenced by the sunsion of the planet-not, as is vulgarly supposed, the same mass of water [] vehemently carried onward for thousands | 6

To meet a tidal wave at sea is in some parts of the world a grim and unforgetable experience. Floating upon the shining blue plain, with an indolent swelling of the surface, just giving a cozy roll to It was evident that he did not want to your ship now and then, you suddenly see in the distance a ridge, a knoll of waming handsome cloth gowns in the soft | nents of the measure. He went back | ter that advances, vast, silent, menacing. Nearer and nearer it comes, rearing its apparently endless curve higher and high-

> course of his remarks he repeated many its face. Neither is there much suspense, times the phrase "Now, I, as a lawyer, for its pace is swift, although it appears believe so and so," or, varying it, said; so deliberate, from the illimitable gran-"My friends come to me and say, 'Mr. | deur of its extent. It is upon the ship. Blank, what is your position on this ques- | She behaves in accordance with the way tion?' As a lawyer I answer that it ap- | she as been caught and her innate peculi-cities. In any case, whatever her When the man sat down, no burst of bulk, she is hurled forward, upward, applause greeted his efforts, but that did backward, downward, as if never again not seem to disturb him. Investigation could she regain an even keel, while her ing place they may have reached.

> Some will have it that these marvelous upliftings of the sea bosom are not tidal waves at all-that they do not belong to that owns the sway of the moon; if so, The hearers are left in no doubt as to | they would be met with more frequently the man's pursuit, and there is always a | than they are at sea, and far more disasbe present who will need legal assistance | This contention seems reasonable, beand may be deceived into the Belier that | cause it is well known that lonely islets, the orator is a man of standing in the lee | such as St. Helena, Tristan d'Acunha marks are in order the chairman cannot | tervals by a succession of appalling when he gets up to speak those in the se- | would overwhelm the land. The suggesdue to cosmic disturbance, to submarine carthquakes upheaving the ocean bed and causing so vast a displacement of the Russia's imperial library dates back to ocean that its undulations extend for several thousands of miles. - London

RUSHING INTO THE GRAVE.

Persons Who Make Unnecessary Haste Only That They May Die. "Why will elderly and especially portly persons who have suspected cardiac disarrangements persist, in spite of the numerous examples of sudden death that are recorded almost daily in the papers. the beneficent reign of the present ezar | in actually rushing themselves into the in respect to such educational projects as | grave?" said a well known physician. "Surgeon General Hammond died after a hurried run up stairs, and Herbert Spencer, though warned by his physicians that death would follow any undue exercise, persisted in an effort to vault a stile, which he finally did, only to expire from heart disease a few hours later. He might have lived many years.

"I cannot understand why men and women of all ages and degrees of health will race after street cars as though their lives depended upon catching a particular car when it is common knowledge that the cars are run on a leeway of Father-Why, it's cutting the horns off from one to three minutes. It is the same impelling reason, I presume, that Boy (after reflecting)-Pa, what is de- | will cause a man who is being carried past his station to leap from the moving Father (growing irritated)-What in electric or steam car to certain injury or

"In running the body is entirely thrown Boy-Well, I saw in the paper the oth- I from the ground for an instant with each cises. The heart and lungs are suddenly called upon to respond to the unusual and violent strain, and hemorrhage from the There are few people who once having | letter and rupture of the valves of the beauty. The island lies close to the west | tough muscle, but it has its limits. The coast of Ireland. When the skies are blue, | body, after all, is like a cable—as strong

"This is well exemplified in autopsies upon the bodies of athletes. In many cases of perfect muscular development the lungs, heart or kidneys have been found so diseased that had not death resulted from other causes this diseased condition would soon have produced it.

"In portly persons, in addition to the pressure of tight clothes, especially stays, fat fills up the thorax, crowds the lungs and heart and interferes with their natural functions. Undue exertion causes 'shortness of breath' or a 'queer feeling' in the region of the heart. This is nature's warning, when she condescends to give any at all, to go slow or else stop in at the undertaker's on the way and arrange for the funeral."-Washington

Queer Auctions. A Dutch auction at Cape Town is frequently exciting. If a house is to be sold, the auctioneer offers "50 golden sovereigns for the man who first bids £5,-000." Nobody bids. A pause, and then "Fifty golden sovereigns for the man

who first bids £4,900." This is kept up until a bid is secured. £4,400 is the first bid. The auctioneer

£25 is offered for a £4,550 bid. If there the house. Otherwise he pockets his bonus and gets off free of it all.

The Only Way. Two tramps were discussing as to how they might earn a living. The discussion

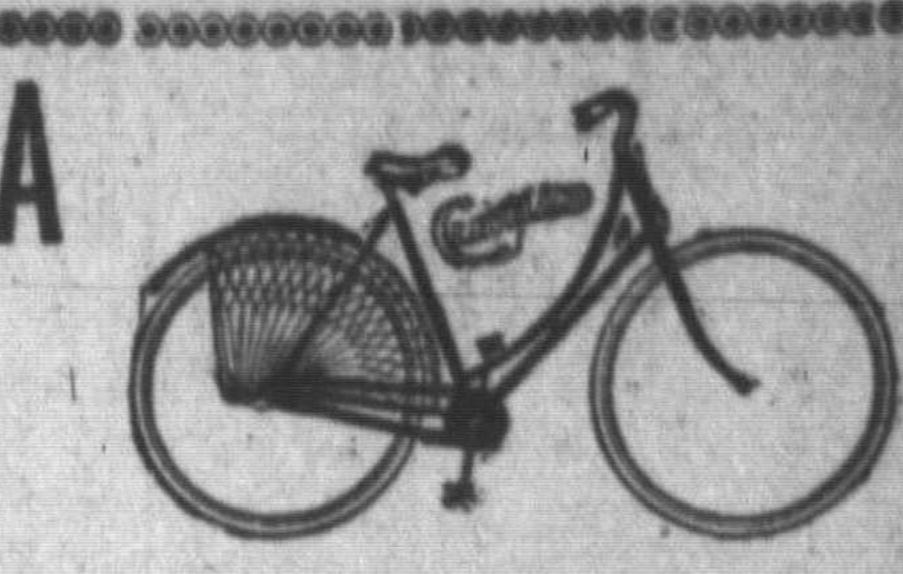
"The only thing you are fit for is for me to lead you around the streets as a performing monkey tied to a string." "But," said the other quietly, "you would want another man." "Why?" said the first.

"To point out which end of the string

other exclaiming:

the monkey was."-Buffalo Commercial.

Canada and England. In China the members of a man's family are held responsible for his debts. Albert Allen, Havelock, was sent



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was issued to-day, inasmuch as the reserve account has been increased by one

million dollars, making the reserve \$7,000,000 in place of six millions

There is a marked change in the statement of the Bank of Montreal, which

The annual statement of Canada's foremost financial institution is for th

year ending April 30th. It shows that during the year the bank has earned \$1,524,388, after the charges of management have been deducted, and after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts. This sum added to the balance of profit and loss account, April 30th, 1899, gives a balance of \$2, With a capital of \$12,000,000, a reserve of six millions has always been considered all that could be desired, but evidently the management were not of this opinion, for now they have added another million, and made, as it were,

assurance doubly sure. The statement, with comparative figures from last year's statement, are as Balance of profit and loss account, 30th April, 1899 1,102,793.72 Profits for the year ended 30th April, 1900, after deducting

charges of management, and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts\$ 1,524,388.08 Dividend 5 per cent., paid 1st December, 1899 \$600,000.00 Dividend 5 per cent., payable 1st June, 1900 600,000.00 Balaoce of profit and loss carried forward ...

GENERAL STATEMENT. 30th April, 1900. 30th April, 1899. Half-yearly dividend, payable June 1st, 1900..... 600,000 00 Deposits not bearing interest 10,709.069 34 Deposits bearing interest. Balances due to other banks in Canada...... 15,549 28

\$78,852,197 40 Gold and silver coin current.....\$2,309,209 19\$ 2,958,707 77 Government demand notes...... 2,814,430 00 Deposit with Dominion government

required by act of parliament for security of general bank note Due by agencies of this bank and other banks in foreign countries, 11,640,790 26 Due by agencies of this bank and other banks in Great Britain 4,008,131 55 Dominion and Provincial govern-United States railway bonds . . . 1,570,865 25

Notes and cheques of other banks. Bank premises at Montreal and branches 600,000 00 Current loans and discounts trebate interest res reed), and other securities and assets..........\$53,430,332 13 Debts secured by mortgage or Overdue debts not specially secured

\$78,859,197 40 Market price of Bank of Montreal stock, 30th April, 1900, was 262 per cent. (equal to 2524 per share); ame date last year, 251 per cent. The bank's profits this year are far in advance of last as far as the year ending April 30th, 1899, the net profits were \$1,350,582, as compared with \$1,524,388 for the present year.

ZANZIBAR SULTAN'S CLOCKS.

(loss provided for).......

How Time Is Regulated In the Domains of That Potentate.

spent some months in Zanzibar. In speak- | INSTANT, at 12 o'clock noon ing of his experiences there Mr. Crawford said:

way between the entrance to the gulf of Parcel 2.—The two storey Double Aden and Delagoa bay. While I was Frame Dwelling House and premises ad there I became very friendly with the joining the above and fronting 66 feet sultan, and one day after we had become on Main street; rental of each, \$4.00 well acquainted, when I was calling on him, he led me to a room in a part of the palace in which I had never before been, saying we could talk more quietly there. "We were enjoying a tepid peg when clocks began striking in an adjoining But it by no means follows that the apartment-first a sharp tingaling, then I house is sold to this bidder. No, the auc- an alarm went off, then the boom, boom,

tioneer is then at it again. Say that of what could only have been grandfuther's clock. Finally I could stand it no longer and asked him what it was, 'Have "There are 25 golden sovereigns for I never shown you my clocks?" he questhe first man who has the courage to bid | tioned as his face lit up with pleasure. £4,600." Perhaps no one has it. Then | He led me into the next apartment. The walls were literally lined with clocks of is eventually no bid above the £4,400, the all sorts, sizes and descriptions and of man who made that bid is saddled with every manufacture. America was represented, and so, too, was every other country. All were ticking merrily, but no two kept the same time, and so I asked him

why he didn't have them regulated. "'Oh, I do that on purpose,' he airily replied. 'You see, some days when I rise vice versa. Then I come in here and glance at one of my clocks that I know to be either fast or slow, and there you are. The time is as I want it. You see, I reg. | sleep producer, and rose lest ulate time like everything else in Zanzibar.' With a dazed feeling that I was in | The following notice is posted on . Queen in 'Alice In Wonderland' I belp | hawkers and other lessly asked him what he meant by regu- | not allowed." Inting time for the island.

come from Corinth. They are a variety from a clock on the tower opposite the luck for a bare to cross the read in from We of the grape family. The currants grown palace. The sultan asked me what time of a traveler. in America come from north Europe, I would like it to be, and upon my saying A child in Arkansas recently having moned the official timekeeper and said: held an inquest over the body and 'It is now 8 in the morning. Act accord- making out the certificate of death state ingly!" And in a few moments I'm bless- that the child was unmarried and that ed if the hands of that dizzy old clock its occupation was "keeping its parents weren't turned back to 8 o'clock!"-New | awake o' nights." York Tribune.

AUCTION SALE.

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