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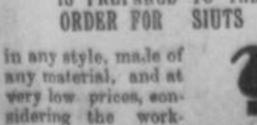
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I didn't steek these goods, but I home of Mr. William Smith, 4 h con- dreadful little rogue, rumor, has much to lought them much below the regular cession of Lausdowne, on the 24th of say. But this much lacks confirmation. price, and as a means of advertising January. Once more that bell of Yesterday it was the daughter of the Prince will sell them at the same rate while bells pealed out in electric tones on of Wales, to-morrow it is a Danish printhey last. Good material good work, the surrounding social quietness its story and another name. Indeed, the girl, done got thick wid dat dude, Mike name in many ways. and good finish. Don't boy roughly- thrilling notes of pleasure, happily heir to the throne of Russia is the most en | Casey, and shuck me dead cold. Dat's | Horne is an official name. Its original made go ds out of half-dry basswood disturbing many a maiden's heart by gaged, but by no means the most engaging, bad. I to't a heap o' dat girl. and pay two pelces for them at home, reviving her own happy future. That young man in Europe. while you can drive to town and get enrapturing, entrancing coremony, the some day to be the most powerful man in marriage rite, which takes place an- the world? He may become Czar of Russia nually in many homes in our fair at any time, should the anarchists or nihil dat is all bad enough, but when I sneaked Dominion, and arouses the deepest and ists succeed in their designs of killing the in de house las' night an de ole woman weetest emotions that can stir the present he d of the Romanoffs. Little is caught me an made me get into a tub o' human heart, was again celebrated in a to the throne, and in view of the uncer- heart. I want to die now. Jes' t'ink of manner and style truly befitting the tainty as to the life tenure of the Czar, it personal merit and worth of the line been the policy of Alexander III, to parties and colat that was a constant | keep the Czarowitz from any dangerous, or theme of admiration. Little sur even public post of duty. This accounts, in the main, for the fact that so little is

prises and incessant pleasantries fol known of the young man, who is now, by lowed each other in a way that swept | the w v + few months over twenty-five | down over his eyes and stole off up an the minutes and hours past as a years of age. dream, and the sixty-five guests . . . old, there is very little about present from Ogdensburg, Escott, from his position as the eldest son of the Lansdowne, Temperance Lake, and Czar. The Grand Duke, in fact, is a very other localities, seemed to enjoy the | coloriers youth indeed. He lacks strength occasion with a relish that was envi- mentally and physically. He has shown able. The guests were dressed with no talent for anything of conrequence. At the hour, of eight o'clock the These men have nearly all of them been of bride and groom, Miss Sara Smith and | the most impressive appearance. The mad GAY & McCORD, Principals Mr. Milton Mansell, advanced to their Emperor, Pani, was a fine looking man. positions with an easy grace and Assauder II was one of the handsomest

Rev. Mr. Frielie, Presbyterian min- in Europe. ister, of Lansdowne. Both bride and Gram Duke Nicholasis a weakling. He groom were dressed with good sense has neither the Romanoff face nor physic Black? as well as taste. The bride was actived in cream satin, which was superbly trimmed with lace and ribben, and had a bouquet of white, delicate flowers. She was certainly ing a large and well assorted vichly dressed and appeared very charming. Miss Maggie Smith, sister stock of Furs in all the leading of the bride, was bridesmaid, and in her beautiful cream-colored costume and fine personal appearance, the proof was foreshowed that she would soon be invited to follow in the footsteps of the bride. The groom was ussi-ted by Mr. O. W. Landon, who, with gracefulness, neted his part as well as it could be performed. To describe the repast would take us beyond the limits. Brief paper suffice it to say that it was equal to the best on such occasions.

Mr. Smith and his family have not one relative in this country. He | GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS, CZAROWITZ OF settled near Brockville many years ago. About 13 years ago he removed | que, but, instead, resembles his Danish to Lansdowne, where he has re- mother. Frequently there are rumors that mained ever since. He is a good the Czar has determined to use his aut. tarmer, and by his thrifty habits and cratic powers and name his robust second attentive industry, he made himself son as his successor. and amily an excellent home. They ports. The one soft spot in the character are held in high est em by all who of the present Czar is his love for his wife know them and well respected by the | Her influence over him is remarkable, and

been regarded as a model young man | be set aside if she can help it-and she in his locality. He resides on the probably can. home-tend of his father and grand- it appears true, however that though the Czar may ave his son well enough in tather, who at a very early dute a paternal way, he has no especial admir in all the qualities that make footwear A-1, located at Temperance Lake, and atton for him as a prospective ruler of morally and socially he is a credit to Russia. The massive, imperial crown of of our tost wear. Our Shoes look hand his name and to his neighborhood,

It pays to be well shod at all times, and es are too numerous to mention. Among the somewhat puny Grand Duke,

amid a profusion of good wishes, the Russia and against him. provided a is good value. Now, we make the bride and groom took a reluctant. Alexander III. cannot understand libleave to catch the midnight express, liberal ideas of his father, and he can understand still less those of his son.

go-shall come and go-and they positions, but he would be better pleased look back to the fading scenes in the if he could do without them. dim and distant past-on and on back | Another subject upon which the Czar to the rosy hills of youth, where life's ence to the Emperor of Germany. The bright morning dawned, may they see | Czir has no especial love for that chipper their path thickly dotted with acts, young monarch, Grand Duke Nicholas reverend, good and kind-acts that has, and has given public expression to his will live and shine when time shall be no more. And as life's evening lets making that has recently gone on between down its current of crimson, purple Russia and France would have been for and gold, and their last sun sinks on nothing. his couch of beauty and splendor to rest, may they too, without one regret, so pass into that glorious supposed to Have Lived on Western

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Concerning this fortunate woman, that

There is nothing of the Tartar about him. he s not at all a Romanoff in appearance. men, in point of physique and face, in dignity that added to their personnel. Europe. The present Czar is a veritable and were soon united in one by the Ajax, and is held to be the strongest man



RUSSIA.

There is probably nothing in these re she, woman ike, loves her first born chile, who has her face and amiable disposition Mr. Milton Mansell has always therefore she is not I kely to allow him to

Ru sia and the flowing rob s of state have The presents were select, well- looked impressive enough in such giants as the recent (zars of Russia, but the effect except when it is to be thoroughly well shod. chosen, heautiful and costly. They will be different when they are put on by footwear men sand boys, ladies and misses, them were a parlor set, a bedroom set. But this is not the worst. The Czar exact style of footwear they need or desire.

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Czarowitz is inclined to be a like the control of t As the festivities were closing, in the eyes of the Czar this a crime against

Lausdowne, for Montreal, where they | The young Grand Duke disagrees with will spend their honey-moon in sight | his father, in many essentials. His temseeing in the great commercial metro- perament is that of a scholar, and his tutors have made him a very fine one. The Czar does not like scholars in the abstract, And when the years shall erime and He has to have them about him in certain

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TOUGH TIMES.

W. S. Hough, In the rooms of Professor E. D. Cope, Lansdowne Station, at Philadelphia, the person fortunate enough to gain admission says the St. Itch of every kind, on humar of Louis Republic may see the creature which all naturalists are unanimous in pronounc-

Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Warranted by J. P. Lamb.

Now is the time to leave your who cares only for the fossiled bones, the orders for evaporators. I have specimen is perfet. It is not larger than Small's improved self-feeding and a yearling ealf, and not nearly so tall, regulating evaporators from Dunham. and was found in the Wind River country be a masquerade affair.

province of Quebec, which I will sell it Thenacodus primævus when it was Breech-It isn't. This is the costume at core prices. All sizes procured on first discovered, giving it as his opinion I always wear when I take novices out short notice. Leave your order early. that it was akin to a specimen which was gunning .- Puck. found several years ago in France (the paleotherium), and which gave Cuvier and English Spavin Laniment removes the other naturalists so much trouble to They have the best Assortmen of all hard, soft or calloused Lumps and classify. At the time of the discovery of Hardware, Tinware, Paints, Oils, Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, the French specimen the savants of Europe Varnishes, Calcimines, Glass, Silver Cuebs, Splints, Ring Bone. Sweeney, ware, Fishing Tackle, &c., in town, Stiffes, Sprains. Sore and Swollen is easily distinguished as being a type of and prices to suit the times. The Throat, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by the same is believed to be much more Daisy Churns-best in the market- use of one bottle. Warranted by ancient, Cope's curiosity was found in

rocks belonging to the cocene period and the time when it grazed on the western. Guns and ammunition of best quality | RHEUMATISM CURRO IN A DAY .- | prairies has been placed as far back as South American Rheumatic Cure for | 500,000 years. Every bone is perfect and Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically in place and the specimen could not be cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon purchased for \$10,000.

The Wors of a Small Boy as Related by The first dose greatly benefits. 75 The corner lamppost at West Madison cents. Warranted by J. P. Lamb. and Carpenter streets almost hid him from view. He was a mite of a thing, one would judge so from his soliloquy. He wore a pair of some one else's cast yousness, Weakness of the Stomach, off trousers, likewise a "hand-me-down"

at and a hat that permitted his eyes decorate your home. The soap is the lose only by the grace of his ears actheat in the market and it will only Ho smoked the butt of a cigar he had cost le postage to send in the wrap- cathered in from the front of a saloon pers, if you leave the ends open and between puffs and expectorations be berrailed his hard fate thus:

"Dese yer are dead tough times an dere's no mistake about it eider. De ole man done got a run to de pen an de ole lady is tempranced. Dat settles me beer

"Den dere's me chum, Jerry, he's packed his freight fer Kalamasoo, and tions of pagan. Jimmy, he's gone to Paris, me little sisworld, anyway), de ole cat's dead, an | and Coffers. some sneaker done stole me dog. What's

"Den dey had to go an change de cop- and Puliter. ers on our beat, an dat new cop gave | Mercer was a general storekeeper, and his me a camp in de pants last night dat memory is embalmed in the Mercers. Marloosened de front buttons o' my galluses. | cers and Marcys. Dere's no livin around where dere's a new | Clark was the village penman and the

"Yes, t'ings are gettin dead tough around yere. But what makes me feel Starch and Stark were synonymous, de worse ain't any of dese t'ings. No, which accounts for the abundance of the it! I was called 'dude' t'ree times comin t'ree blocks. I can't stand dat. I t'ink I'll have to hit de road." And lighting a fresh butt from the one

he had been smoking he pulled his hat alley.-Chicago Tribune.

Elderly Suitor (sarcastically)-How does your kindergarten get on, Miss | Faircloughs owe their names.



1. Ladies-"Oh, Tom! we want to sit and watch you unhitch." Tom-"All right."



Farmer (reading from newspaper to his wife, who is working about the room)-'Gosh, wife! but don't them city folks go it strong? Here is one gal who spent two thousand dollars on her weddin' trousers.'

The Hospitality of To-day,

What Il you hab, Jack-sub ob this



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. ORIGIN OF FAMILY NAMES. Inman and Taverner formerly entertained

Seamer and Seymour are the descendants Payne, Paine and the like are control-Tyer, Tyerman and their kinfolks were ter's skipped de gutter (too good fer dis once hairdressers; so also were the Coffers

Poulter was the man who sold fowls; als name may be recognized in Powiter, Public

owner carried the king's horn when maj-

Starks, formerly manufacturers of or deal-Heifer herds were yeat herds, hence the

Yeatmans and Yeaters, Cowherds, Coherds and Cowarts were the men who tend-Swain was formerly a man who kept hogs, and his descendants are the Swaines, Swaynes, and perhaps also the Swaims,

Swinnerts and Hoggarts. Church, Churchman and Churcher had a father who lived by the church; Brooks, Brooker, Brookman, by the stream; Wells, Weller, Wellman and Crossweller, by the Tiller, Tillman, Mowyer, Dyker and Dy-

kerman, Hedger and Ditcher are all derived from agricultural employments; so also are Marler, Clayer, Chalker, Akerman and Smith's former popularity is attested by Goldsmith, Arrowsmith, Billsmith, Spear- over on the riverside.

or Buckelsmith, Locksmith and many oth- | drop in soon.-Brooklyn Life. er compounds. Clough was once a narrow valley or cleft between two hills, and to this word the Cliffs, Clives, Clewes, Cliffords, Clevelands, Tunnycliffs, Sutcliffes, Radeliffs and

Hay was formerly a hedge, and the Hayes, Miss Black (sweetly)-Well, it is better | Highs, Haynes, Hawes, Lindsays, formerthan running an old man's home.-Life. ly Lindshay, Haywoods, Hayland, Hayleys, Hawleys, Haworths and other families thus found a name .- St. Louis Globe-

CROWN AND SCEPTER. The Princess of Wales is in her fiftieth

Marie Antoinette's chief delight was in

weaving a small blush rosebud into the corners of her handkerchief. Ex-King Milan of Servia has again come abdication he is alleged to have spent near- Weekly.

The Duchess of York is still receiving her wedding presents, the latest being a gift from the ladies of Surrey, through the Countess Lovelace, of a double seated Hooper brougham. Look Ya Toe, the king of Siam's eldest

son, who was proclaimed heir to the throns in 1887, is about to enter as a student at the University of Oxford. He is 17 years old and a bright and intelligent late. Princess Marie of Roumania, wife of the crown prince, has an unusual bobby-the collection of perfumery bottles. In this

she resembles her grandmother, the late

empress of Russia, who left a collection of beautiful perfumery bottles valued at \$20, There are three religious in the royal family of Roumania, Prince Ferdinand is a Roman Catholic; his wife, the daughter of the Duke of Edinburgh, is a Protestant, and their newly born heir was baptized by the metropolitan of Bucharest and will be brought up in the national Roumanias

SNAP SHOTS.

Professor Fritch of Germany states that his apparatus for photographing projectiles in flight is the invention of a little Scotch boy named Vernon, 12 years old. An Atlanta photographer has completed

cave in Georgia. The pictures were finished in six days, whereas it required 30 years to make the same number of pictures of Mam-If the dream of photographing in colors shall ever be realized, the application of photography to the matter of mercantile

a series of flashlight photos of the Saltpeter

samples will be wider than ever. Fairly good work in colored photographic samples is already done. In squeezeeing prints upon either ground glass or ferrotype plate there is often a tendency to stick; sometimes they will not come off themselves when dry. By passing a thin blade, as of a penknife, carefully around the edges it will frequently start

them and they will then easily peel off. RAILWAY RUMBLES. Seventy-one railroads went into receivers'

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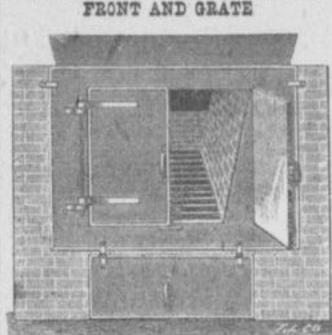
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