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SEABROOK'S COMMITMENT TO STAND.

THE ACTOR MUST RAISE \$500 WITHIN TWO DAYS IF HE WOULD PLAY ON THURSDAY NIGHT.

The application to vacate the order of commitment issued by Justice Lawrence a year ago, under which Thomas G. Seabrook, the actor, has spent the last five nights in Ludlow Street Jail, after playing in "The Isle of Champagne" at the Broadway Theatre, was a deputy-justice watching him from the wings, was made by Justice Cohen in the Supreme Court, yesterday.

Seabrook was ordered to pay to his wife \$40 a week alimony, pending the trial of an action for a separation which she had instituted against him. He permitted arrears amounting to \$1,230 to accumulate, and Mrs. Seabrook's attorney then secured an order adjudging the city of contempt of court. Following that came the order of commitment.

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CONFERENCE ENDS TO-DAY.

GRATIFYING SUCCESS OF THE CHARITIES MEETINGS.

The meeting yesterday morning of the National Conference of Charities and Correction was among the most successful and largely attended of the gatherings since the conference was convened last Thursday morning. A delegate from the State of Virginia, who had been observed on previous mornings, had been observed on previous mornings.

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CHILDREN TO PERMIT THEM TO ASSOCIATE IN SPEAKING WITH OLDER AND MORE HARDENED CRIMINALS.

PRISON OF VIRGINIA'S PATRIOTISM, THE SPEAKER CALLED A STORM OF APPLAUSE.

Children, he said, "are immature savages in many respects. Some of the traditions of childhood are the result of the savages, have inherited their origin in hereditary influences existing for ages. In colleges and high schools it is to be expected that the children will be trained to habits of docility and usefulness. There is no one who has been so far from the average in him, and those who are not trained to grow out of savagery we call our criminals."

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One of our ambitions is to rescue this word from the degradation it has reached through persistent misrepresentation, by proving its dignity and honor when truthfully used. It has never suffered through us, and we insist that due honor be paid it here. Here are bargains;—real ones. To them we ask your earnest and respectful attention.

A Transaction This is a tale of a reduction of a third on a in China. widely assorted lot of Fancy China that was already priced low enough to suit people. This very reduction proves that, for the reduction is on account of the fact that the pieces are odds and ends of fast-selling lots.

- At \$10—Haviland China Ice Cream Sets, flowers in pink and gold; heavily gilded borders, with blue shading; 13 pieces; regularly \$10.
At \$4.50—French China Ice Cream Sets, handsomely decorated; 18 pieces; regularly \$7.50.
At \$3—Haviland China Ice Cream Sets; 13 pieces; regularly \$5.
At \$3—Berry Sets in six styles; all in French china; handsomely decorated; 18 pieces; regularly \$5.50.
At \$1—Salad Bowls in a variety of styles and decorations; all in French china; regularly \$1.75.
At \$1—Chop Dishes, tinted borders, beautifully decorated with flowers and gold; regularly \$3.
At \$1—Fish and Game Sets in Austrian china, handsomely decorated; good shapes; 15 pieces; regularly \$1.80.
At \$12.50—French China Sets, colored borders, gold relief work; handsomely decorated; 12 pieces; regularly \$20.
At \$60—A line of French and Austrian China Mugs, decorated in colors and gold; regularly \$1. At \$1; regularly \$1.50 and \$2.25.

A Tumble in Taffetas. A SHORT story, but a good one. There are a little more than three thousands yards in the lot concerned, and we have never had a better assortment of tints and hues in that many yards. Excellent, heavy, solid bodied silks, and with this very important addition: They are first-class 75c. values. They are selling for 55c. a yard.

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THE INCREASED USE OF GOLD.

IMPORTATIONS OF IT WILL EXCEED THOSE OF ANY OTHER FISCAL YEAR. AN UNUSUALLY LARGE COINAGE AT THE UNITED STATES MINTS—REMARKABLE INCREASE OF ITS USE IN BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.] Washington, May 24.—The increase in gold currency in the United States and the increased use of gold in business transactions are among the interesting and remarkable phenomena of the business year. The importations of gold during the fiscal year, which ends with the close of the fiscal year, are estimated to exceed those of any other fiscal year in the history of the country, and the coinage of gold by the United States mints will, with a single exception, exceed that of any year since 1882.

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