#### A WARNING TO CANADIAN GIRLS

Pleasant employment in excellent homes is speciously offered to Cana-dian young women by agents who travel from city to city and from viltravel from city to city and from village to village in the Upper Provinces
for the purpose of securing victims
to a life worse than death, says the
Toronto Presbyterian, which advocates stringent measures for the repression of this abominable traffic. We
read in this leading organ of the
Presbyterian Church in Canada:

"Some of the Buffalo newspapers
have laid bare a hellish systematized
scheme for luring Canadian girls to
American cities by attractive advertisements offering pleasant employment as ladies' maids or companions
at good salaries, the real object being to secure them for immoral purposes. The agents employed in the

### Natives Enjoyed Paying Taxes.

A resident of Selukwe, South Africa, rites: "The township is beginning wear an air of excitement in conse-uence of the natives coming in to ay their hut tax. By their singing nd extravagant antics you would fan-y our dusky brothers were highly elighted to come into town and pay he pound demanded by our retrenchnent seeking government."

Salt Along the Congo.

Along the central part of the Con-go river there are a number of salt marshes. The Africans dig shallow holes in these, whence issue streams of hot water which, on being evaporated, leaves a residue of salt.

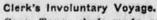
#### Sea Air Good for Cows.

West Australia some farmer end their cattle for about six week oliday to the seaside each year. Th change of air and food is said to be extremely beneficial to them. The extremely beneficial to them. The with saline, and has the effect of a tonic on the animals.

Experiments on Neuralgia.

Successful experiments have been made in the treatment of neuralgle and hysteria with radium at the Sal petriere Hospital, in Paris.

Horrible Example for the Rhetorics. To most people a man is worth what he will let loese of .- Atchison Globe



A Cape Town clerk made on involuntary trip to England recently and was arrested on arrival at Southamp-ton for traveling without paying his He explained to the judge that he had boarded the vessel in the South African port to see a friend off, had some drink and fell asleep. When he awoke the vessel was at sea. He had no desire to come to to England. He was remanded for inquiries.

Rapidly Drifting.

Man, like the Indian, is dying out and being driven away. In 1890 there were 3,914,571 women employed in gainful occupations in America. In 1900 the number had increased to 5,329,807. The birth rate among the female population is increasing, and the death rate decreasing. It is just the reverse among the males. We are rapidly drifting to the age of the eternal feminine," when man will be a back number.—Literary Digest.

#### Benefits of Fresh Air.

Keep a healthy child shut up for several days in a warm room in winter and he becomes fretful and peevish, if not actually sick; he loses his appe-tite and will seldom ask for a drink of water. But send him out into the cold fresh air to romp, and he will return with cheeks aglow, a voracious appe-tite and nearly always thirsty, his romp having created an appetite for the life essentials.

What He Was Thinking Of.
On the links—"I can't imagine what
you were thinking of to let your uncle
beat you so badly." "I was thinking
of a codicil."—Brooklyn Life. -0-

Pity the Poor Clerk.

An advertisement from the Yorkshire Post: "Would any lady of
means care to marry poor- crowdedout clerk, age thirty-seven?'

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business are women of good address who visit the towns and villages and smaller cities and engage attractive-looking young women by the promise of honorable work and alluring compensation. The girls are met at Buffalo or Niagara Falls by appointment, and from thence distributed to various American centers, only to find out how cruelly they have been deceived. Here is a field for remorseless detective work. There is no punishdetective work. There is no punishment too severe for those who would lure unsuspecting girlhood to lives of infamy and shame. The movements of any alleged employment agent in a town or village should be carefully watched by the authorities and her credentials rigorously examined. ined. The arrest and punishment of a few of these female pimps would put a quietus upon the business. Any such offer should be regarded with the greast suspicion."

#### Useless Advice to Soldiers.

The London News calls attention to the fact that when the building that is now Wellington barracks, Dub-lin, was a jail it had the words, "Cease to do Evil—Learn to do Well," chiseled over the gateway. When it became a barracks the authorities, perhaps realizing the uselessness ofsuch advice in some cases, had the words removed.

#### Growth of State Universities.

President Pritchett of the Massa chusetts Institute of Technology in an article in a recent number of the Attantic Monthly, says that the most re-markable educational fact of the last lifteen years in this country has been the marvelous growth of the state university. Of the twenty largest institutions in this country twelve are state universities; of the first five three are state universities.

#### An Illustration.

"This question whether should have its adverbial or its adject ive form seems to me to have little to do with the sense. Now what is the difference between loud talking and talking loudly?" "No difference," re-plied the pedagogical friend. "But look here; for a large fee you give le gal advice freely, but you don't give it free. I think that will retain you for a while."—Youth's Companion.

Eucalyptus Banishes Cancer.
The sanitary influence of the eucalyptus tree is said to render native born Australians immune to cancer.

### Invitation to Other Sinners.

Father Taylor, the famous Seamen's Bethel's preacher in Boston, when a pompous man from upper-tendon appeared at his prayer-meeting and pro-ceeded to deal out advice to his boys, squirmed till the speaker sat down when he broke out: "If there is any other old sinner from State street wishes to confess his sins, let him speak now."—The Sunday Magazine.

#### Double Egg.

An egg within an egg was brought to Smith Center the other day by C. I. Buswell, a farmer. The outside egg measured eight inches in circumference the long way and seven inches the other way. Inside of this was another perfect egg, shell and all, being separated from the big egg by about a half inch of the white of the egg. It was laid by an ordinary hen, a mixture of Plymouth Rock and Leghorn. -Kansas City Journal.

Your Teeth and Honey. If your teeth hinder you from eathoney, get your teeth fixed, as it will be far the cheapest in the end. Honey is a valuable food.-Orvice Sis-