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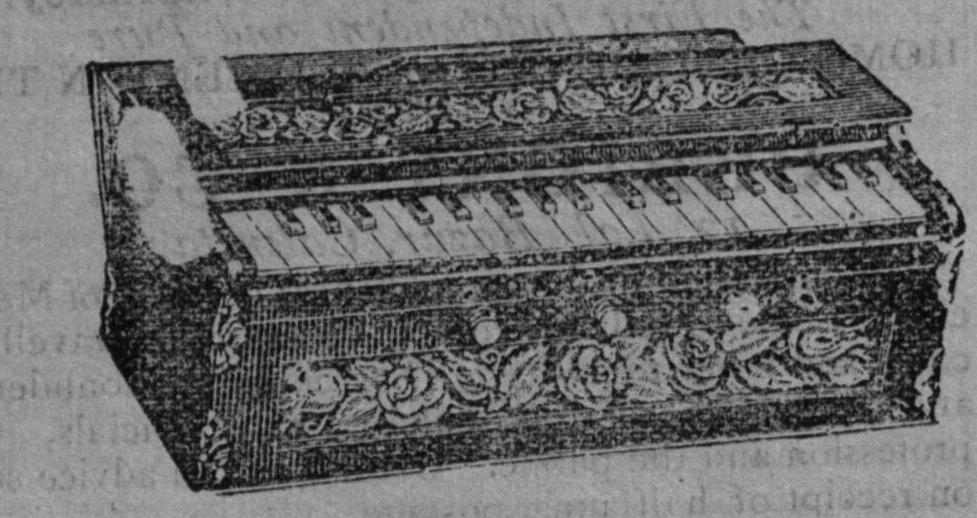
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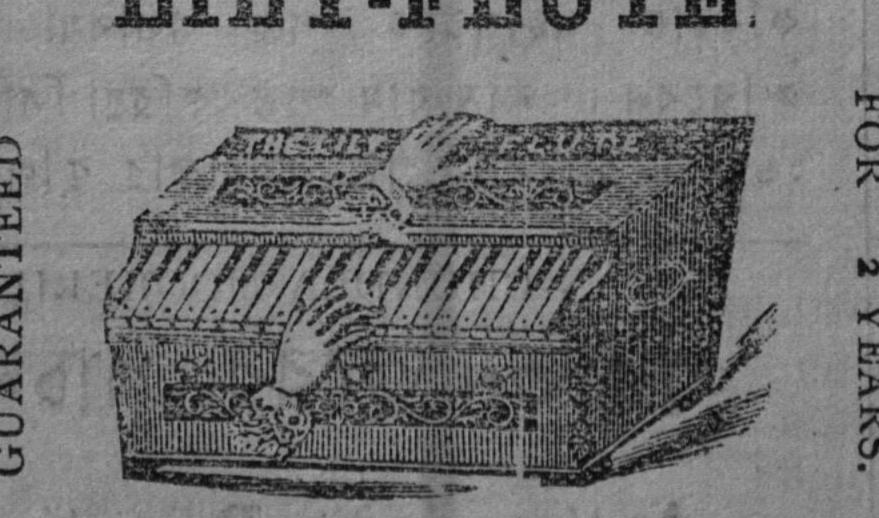
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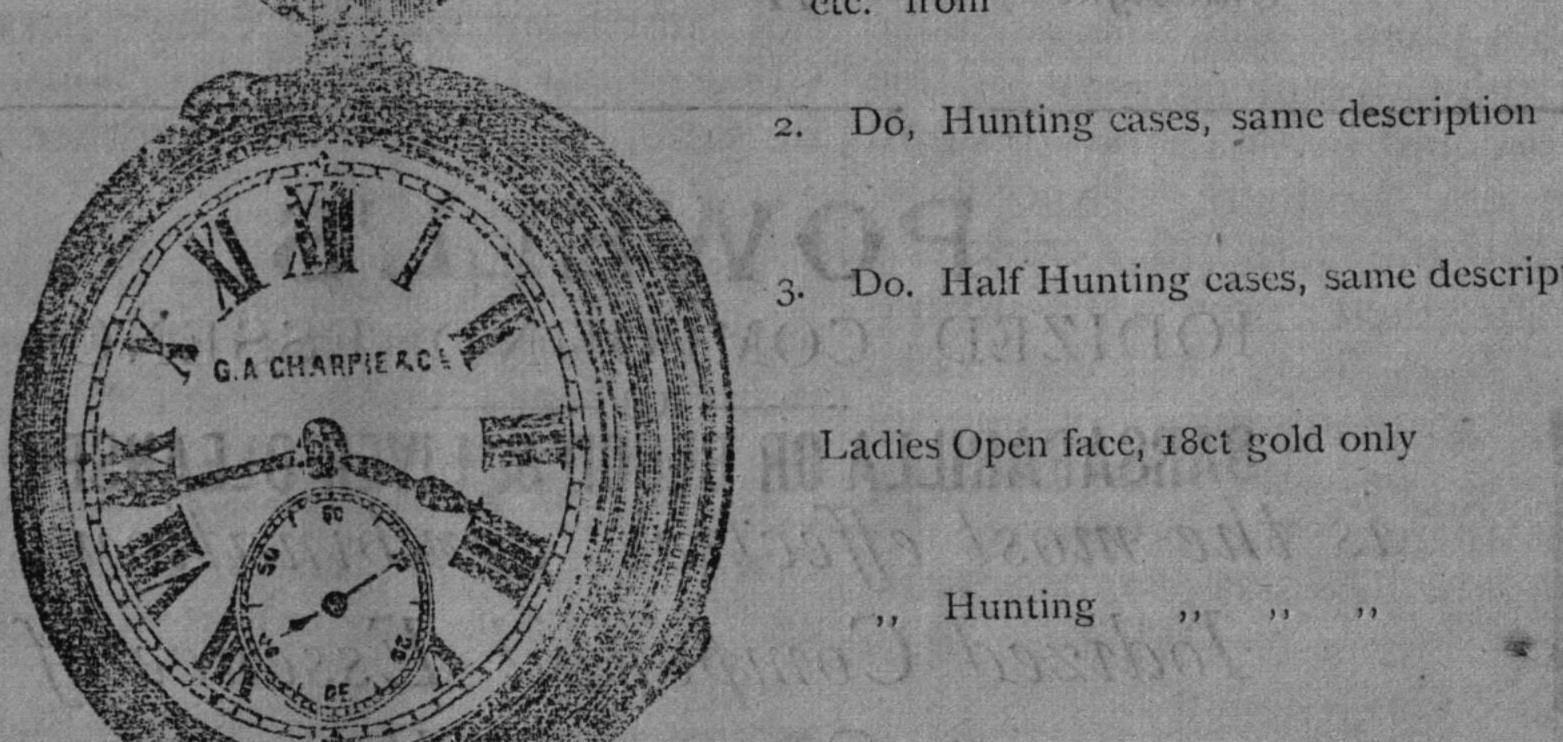
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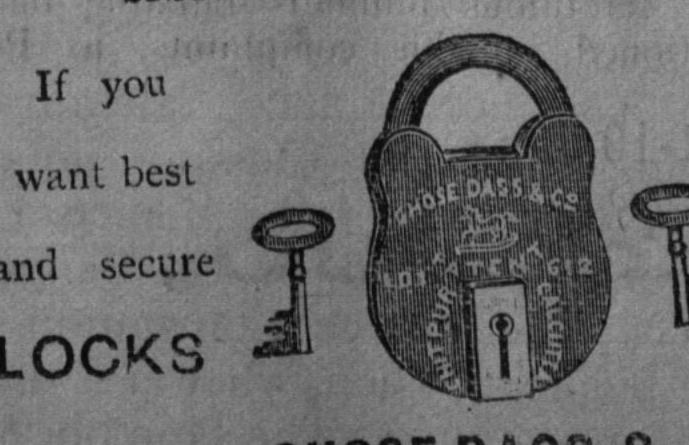
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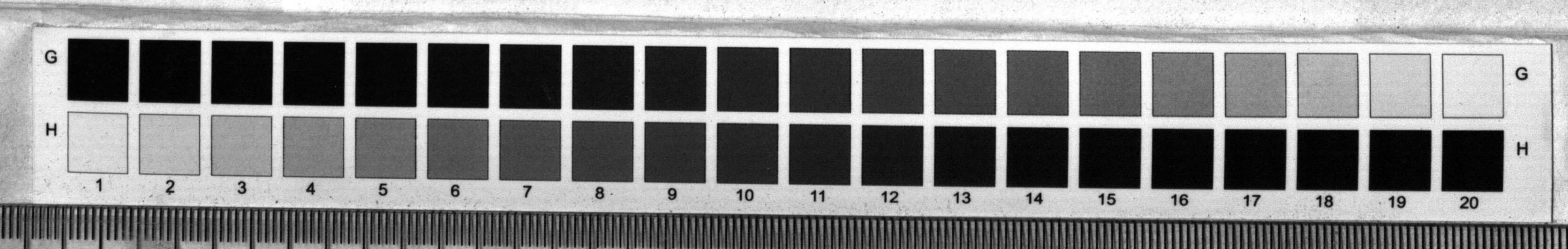
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BOWLING AND BATTING BY THE SAME PARTY.

the ruled, and the latter are those who The Natus, however, came to know that

diately sent to jail. In the same manner,

hold the bat. But if he himself throws the ball, and at the same time manages the bat, | how is the wicket to be defended? course, it was a mere suspicion that the Hon'ble Mr. Risley was actually doing what was attributed to him. Our main object in giving publicity to the rumour, was to give the Hindoo Patriot an opportunity of contradicting it. But why does not he do it? notice. We hope he will do it this time, and contradict the rumour in unmistakable language.

We allude to the above fact at all, because, a similar rumour has again taken possession of the public mind. It is that the Hon'ble Municipal Secretary of the his sentiments. This would be bowling the last moment, let it come without the visitation policy without making such an as Lord Elgin himself is. and batting by the same party. aside the metaphor, let us explain the position in plain language.

Segregation is for the benefit of the segregation. Firstly, because, it is of doubt- prayer with scorn, and they then ceased cealing the me. Such being the case, is it Maharatta papers. Yet it is not likely that by the Tribune: Europeans. In proof of this we point nor throw out the brothers. Everybody, out that all the organs of public opinion, however, saw that the authorities could not and all medical men, competent to pass an continue to keep their prey long within tion falls to the ground if it can be shewn situation for the Government! that, though the Englishman is carrying it, the drum is actually being beaten by the Hon'ble Mr. Risley with the help of a handful of export merchants.

By the way, whom does the Hindoo Patrio represent? Certainly not the Hindu community, nor any section of it, nor even the Zemindars of Bengal. For, the other daywe had a talk with Maharajah Jotindra Mohun Tagore and a few other leaders about opposed to it as Dr. Weir or the Editor of the Indian Daily News. The Government should take note of the fact that in this matter, the Hindoo Patriot does not reflect the views of the Indians, though it may those of Mr. Risley.

We hope, the Englishman will also be pleased to contradict the rumour that he is it; for, if the rulers take upon themselves to do both the bowling (here we again come to rules were enforced with the best of motives : the metaphor) and batting, the wicket be- that Mr. Rand was selected with the best of this

of themselves. But they found that they in England, but even the strongest ventilated room in his house if one is the purpose of calming public feeling. did not know why they were in jail. The supporters of his policy, Lord Elgin available, or in a newly-built hut or room on same question was asked of Lord George and the Times of India included. It its open flat roof. This is what the people THE following particulars regarding the Hamilton, viz, why were the Natus in jail? is only from a fear of hurting the sus- want; and it is difficult to understand why Moulavi, whose name is Mahomed Yusuf, Lord George Hamilton did not know what ceptibilities of the Bombay Government Wall, and it is difficult to did not know what ceptibilities of the Bombay Government will not agree to such a reason- and who is aged 50 years, have been sup-THE inhabitants of this country are di- to say. So his Lordship asked Lord that Lord Elgin has not been able to take able proposed mat hospitals plied to us by our local correspondent. vided into ruled and rulers. To the query, Sandhurst to frame an answer for him. a part in the matter. If Lord Elgin had with straw thatch in the compounds or open He recently came to Agra, and at first what is the definition of a ruler, we reply, Lord Sandhurst and his Council sat to Device the spaces will, as a rule, prove charnel houses put up in the Jumma Musjid, which is now it is similar to the definition of an active frame an answer. After much discussion, Bombay Government, his Lordship would both to the patients and their attendants. under the control of a local Agency, appointverb. Grammarians define an active verb an answer was at last framed and wired to have long ago shown the much-needed Then, if the bacilli are bred in the soil, ed by the Government under Act 20 of to be a word that tells, commands or asserts | Lord George Hamilton. But was it not clemency. Let the other Natu, Mr. Tilak those who will nurse the patients in these 1860; but owing to some differences with or acts, there being always an object behind. queer that the parties, who had been sent and other editors be released; and we can hospitals will run the risk of being attacked some of the Mahomedan members of the In the same manner, the definition of the to jail, should not know why they were guarantee that whole of India will forget with plague. The terrace hospital being Board of Agency; he left the Musjid and ruled is something like the definition of a there? And was it not queer also that the situated far above the soil, is free from this took his abode in the Subji Bag Mobulla, passive verb. parties, who had sent them there, were in a towards Lord Sandhurst. Let us define the distinction between the fix, when asked to explain the deportation .

defend themselves as best as they can some one had brought an accusation A RUMOUR was very extensively circu of plague in Calcutta. If by Mahomedans, and dwelt on the necessity against these missiles. But this is perhaps against them. But who was he or she? lated the other day in the town to the effect the people are, however, allowed to build of Hindus and Mussalmans making up an inelegant way of explaining the situation The prisoners even could not imagine who that the plague policy of Sir John Wood- their own hospitals in the terrace of their their differences and acting in concert. It A more respectful way would be to liken their accuser was! They at last came to burn having been vetoed by the Govern- own houses, they will manage the matter any is said that during the last holi, he succeedthe rulers to bowlers and the ruled to learn from newspapers that it was a nurse, ment of India, His Honour has resigned how. We sincerely trust that, both in its ed in inducing lower-class Hindus a d batsmen. The batsman tries his best to one Mrs——, who was their accuser. She the Lieutenant-Governorship of Bengal! own interests and the interests of the Mussalmans to observe the festival together, defend his wickets, and the bowler with was a tenant of one the brothers, and did not Though the rumour was absurd on the people, terrace hospitals will be allowed in and restored friendly feelings between the his ten assistants surround him and try pay rent. So he sued her, but Mrs—— face of it, it was believed by many, and Calcutta. By the way, an ardent two communites by giving the assurance that to knock his wickets down.

told the Court that she had paid the rent. there was a further exodus from Calcutta. advocate of segregation like the Mussalmans would not henceforth kill cows.

compose the population of the country— maltreating a Maharatta Princess who was was due to two facts. One was the in- even more necessary than segregation, in Magistrate and requested him to bind down the ruled and rulers,—the distinction being seriously unwell. Colonel Creagh, her ability of the Lieutenant-Governor to re- preventing the spread of plague. well understood. Each has its own func- official superior, heard of this case, apologis- ceive the deputation of the Municipal Comtions, and one is not permitted to en- ed to the Rani, and dismissed Mrs——. missioners, and the other was the proposal of WE hope, the Government will institute a croach upon the functions of the other. If It was upon the one-sided statement of this house-to-house visitation. It was urged that thorough inquiry into the causes which led which led to his arrest.

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just set at liberty, the Government, indeed, practice in the town, assure us that

feeling of indignation, evoked by the murder of Mr. Rand, obscured the judgment of a class of Englishmen. The mist has disappeared, and every one now sees end. It was a mistake to enforce the and to deport the Natu brothers.

end. It is not we alone that feel in this manner; but we believe, every one, including carrying the drum and Mr. Risley is beating the Viceroy and the Governor of Bombay, does it. It is quite true that the plague

whole batch of writers in India combined, Lord Sandhurst has his excuses, and preventive measures adopted with regard is not a match to cope with him. The fact | very good ones, too. His advisers | to is, segregation is, at least, of doubtful urged him to adopt strong measures, advantage; for, men like Dr. Blaney, Dr. and the Anglo-Indian press goaded him (c) Disinfection, Weir, and Dr. Cook denounce it as wholly to take violent steps; and Lord and the measures prescribed with regard to worthless. Let the Government trust the George Hamilton, on the other hand, the departure of ships and the export of people, and we can guarantee that they will sent his ukases in the same spirit. Left susceptible articles.

RELEASE OF ONE OF THE NATUS. | ship now is to show clemency all round. | of the members of the patient's family he ought not to have been sent to jail at

one belonging to the ruled, takes upon himagainst one of the brothers, Sir John Woodburn was quite willing to act to the disaster at Garhshankar in the which is an self to impose and spend taxes, which is an that both the Natus had been de- cede to the proposal of the Commissioners, Punjab. The official report is that nine enquiry, which is neither costly nor trouble-In the case of the Tatya Saheb Natu, some. Medical men, who have large

of the people in Bombay. The intense that its provisions had been broken and to the vernacular papers. So the vernacular e declare an absolute quarantine against papers of Poona will now have to write goods and vessels coming from Calcutta." at the dictation of the City Magistrate So, for the sake of Mr. Simson and a few or the City Inspector, and their opinions dozen more exporters, whose goods will not will pass for the opinions of the people! that it was a mistake from beginning to be allowed to sell in Europe, segregation The idea is, no doubt, excellent; but should be enforced and lakhs of men sub the difficulty is that no journalist, who segregation; and we found them as strongly plague rules; it was a mistake to engage jected to untold sufferings! How unselfish has a drop of independence and self-respect Mr. Rand, of all men, to do it; it was a of Mr. Simson! But the importers, whose in him, will agree to work on these terms. mistake to employ British soldiers; it was goods come from Europe, do not want If a Committee of Censorship have really a mistake to post the punitive police force; segregation. So, at least, half of the Euro- been established, the only course, left for it was a mistake to send the Editors to jail pean merchants and tradespeople are with the Poona press, is to close their concerns, the residents of the town in this matter. and telegraph the fact to England. Thus it was a mistake from beginning to And has not France already declared quarantine against Calcutta goods though all the provisions of the Venice Convention comes at once insecure. If the Hon'ble motives; and British soldiers were employed in his letter to the press, describes them or lowering its prestige. If the Government be shortly promoted to the higher grade.

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not betray the trust. We have many other alone, Lord Sandhurst, a liberal-minded There is not a word of segregation in objections to segregation. Segregation nobleman, would have never proceeded the above. The Convention insists on means possible riots. destruction of trade, in a way which ran counter to his liberal "isolation," which means the isolation

But, we think, it is not necessary to hunt The Court disbelieved her, and decreed the The genesis of the rumour cannot Pioneer has at last come forward to con- When the local police came to know all this, after definitions of the two elements which case against her. We see the same Mrs—be exactly traced; but, possibly it demn quarantine which is considered they reported the matter to the District

namely, that the segregation policy should be were shot down and twenty-seven wounded.

ful advantage; secondly, because the method troubling it about them. But, like a snake not unreasonable on the part of the such a sensational news would have been He sent his chuprasi to recall the

Mr. Risley has anything to do with true that the subsequent steps taken by

The reports concerning the outbreak and foolish utterance of a foolish speaker, it will

The inquiry into the case of the three the inspiration in the columns of the true that the subsequent steps, taken by course of the disease should be as complete find itself involved in a labyrinth of intermi- soldiers, who are said to have murdered Dr. Englishman, we hope the Hon'ble mem- Government, were due to panic and pre- as possible. They should, in particular, state nable difficulties. The Maulavi, no sooner Suresh Chunder Sarkar, of Barrackpur, on ber will be graciously pleased to leave us Judice and a feeling of vindictiveness, and the measures taken to check the spread of was he arrested, was converted into a Saturday 30th April, was held hero, though the probabilities are that by the District Magistrate, Mr. M. C. Allen there is nothing of the hero in him. himself, in the Barrackpur Station Hospital. But, it seems, he did not preach any sedi- The enquiry was begun on the 5th instant, tion at all. Yet he was tried under section and concluded on the 7th, when the Magis-107, and asked to furnish heavy securities | trate framed a charge under sections 304 for which he failed to do, and was, therefore, culpable homicide and 325 for voluntarily marched to jail. That nobody chose to causing grievous hurt and under section 11/ stand security for him, is probably due for abetting one another in the commen to the fact that none dared, consilision of the said offences. All the dering that the man had been charg- accused have been committed to led with sedition. We think, however, Court, under section 147-of 11.11

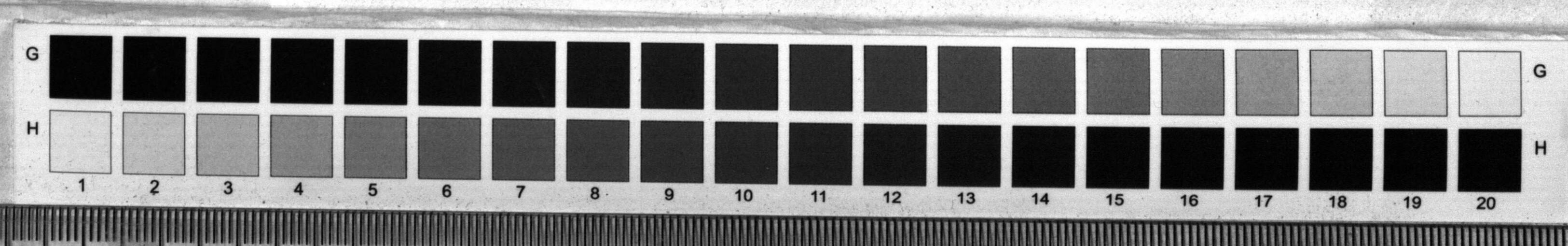
So, one of the Natus has been released! For, if his Lordship takes that step, it in a camp. And the best way of isolating a all. A more generous and confiding policy Why are we in jail?"—asked the brothers will not only please Englishmen here and patient in Calcutta is to keep him in a well- has now become absolutely necessary for

disadvantage; on the other hand, a patient where he used to deliver lectures to the From the telegram published elsewhere, will get there ample light and air, so neces- Hindus for the purpose of forming an ruled and rulers, by another way. The rulers are those who throw brickbats at to give an answer? It will be seen that the other Natu has also been released it will not be possible for Government to In these lectures, he spoke very strongly provide hospitals if there is an outbreak against the adoption of European habits the Moulavi under section 107 of the Cr. P. C., because they feared, the lectures might.

THIS is how the Deputy Commissioner Here is then a further complication of done away with; but that the India Govern- The casualties suit more a battle than a of Gurgaon, who is reputed to be a if one, belonging to the class of rulers, hides the case. Both the brothers were deported, ment stood in the way, and the good Lieumere riot in a village of a few thousand zabardust official, was prought on his his badge of office and plays the role because one was complained against by tenant-Governor of Bengal would rather give inhabitants. It is stated that the Police had knees. The local Sessions Judge lately set of one of the ruled, he is or ought to Mrs—; but now one is released, and the up his post than see his people molested in provocation and that volleys were fired with- aside the finding of this official in a certain other is yet kept in custody! Some mad any way. As regards the house-to-house visi- out orders. It must be inquired into whe- case, and sent it back for re-trial. Accord-It was thus there was a hue and cry acts are sometimes excused, because of the tation proposal, it has really alarmed the ther the provocation was sufficient to justi- ingly, the case was sent to an Extra Assistant raised when it was believed that the method with which they are performed; people. It is quite true that the visitation will fy such drastic measures. It must be Commissioner for trial. But the Deputy Hon'ble Mr. Risley was supporting the but the policy which has guided the Bombay be carried on by the representatives of the borne in mind that the people were in a Commissioner withheld the order of the Calcutta Municipal Bill through the columns Government in this Natu affair, has not people themselves; but every measure of state of frenzy and that they had some Sessions Judge; and we might say, he of the Hindoo Patriot. It was contended even this redeeming feature—it is without Government now-a-days is looked upon with reasons to be in that state of mind. The had good reasons for doing so, for, it conextreme suspicion by the illiterate masses, fact of the matter is, the populace of India tained some remarks not at all complimendoing it, he was taking an undue advantage. The Bombay papers say that a largely- and we are afraid there will be another stam- are in a state of frenzy everywhere, where tary to him, and he very naturally oid not signed petition is to be presented by the pede as soon as search parties commence ever there is any apprehension of plague. like these to be seen by a subordinate of his. citizens of Poona to the Governor of Bom- their work. Now, we cannot afford to create They are ignorant and suspicious, and they The Extra Assistant Commissioner, however, bay to release Mr. Tilak and the editors of a third scare; so, what we beg to suggest have some excuses for overlooking the would not proceed with the case, unless the Pratod and Mod Vritta. Who is getting is that before adopting this measure, the benevolent motives of the Government. But furnished with the order, as the authority for up this petition? Is it the police? For, Government should satisfy itself whether what do we see in the metropolis of India? the fresh trial. The Deputy Commissioner if any one is interested in getting up such a there is any necessity for it or not. The pick of Calcutta society,—Hindu, however, wrote back, asking the Extra Assispetition, it is the Government. There was a The object of the measure is to prevent the Mussalman and European—have arrived tant Commissioner to try the case without time when the people humbly implored the concealment of plague cases; but, first of all, at the conclusion that the plague policy of it. The latter happened to be a gen-Government to release Mr. Tilak, the Natus let it be established beyond all doubt that the Government is not based upon wisdom tleman of independent spirit, and would on Perhaps our paragraph has escaped his listoned to the property of the people that their really concealed and but upon blunder! That was what the cit no account agree to act illegally. The attilistened to the prayers of the people, that their number is considerable. This fathers said in effect in meeting assembled. tude of his subordinate disturbed the mental that would have been a quite different can be easily done by watching the dead Is it, therefore, a wonder that the half-civiliz- equilibrium of the Deputy Commissioner thing. But now the prisoners have well bodies in the burial-grounds and the burn- ed inhabitants of a small town in the back- who sent for him to his own house, took him nigh served out their terms. What will it ing ghats. Let a few competent medical ward Province of the Punjab, should present severely to task for his impertinent conduct avail whether they come a few weeks men be specially appointed to examine the a hostile attitude when they find a posse of and threatened to stop the leave for which before or after? This "largely-signed peti- corpses for a week or ten days, and the police constables invading their houses? We he had applied. But all these vigorous steps tion" means an opportunity given to the real truth will at once come to light. appeal to the Government in the name of all had no effect upon the Extra Assistant Government of Bombay to show its Indeed, in our humble opinion, the that is sacred, to put a stop to such drastic Commissioner. He firmly but politely Bengal Government is defending segrega"clemency". The clemency ought to have Government will commit another blunmeasures. The inhabitants of Garhshankar refused to obey the illegal order. The and making the Hindon Patriot echo come before; and if it is to come now at der if it inaugurates its house-to-house are as much the subjects of Queen Victoria Deputy Commissioner then and there suspended him by word of mouth! The Extra Assistant Commissioner made over charge of the Treasury which he also held, to an-WE can hardly believe the statement of other officer, and went home. After he had finds itself in a most queer position. The there is absolutely no ground for suspicion our Bombay correspondent, that a Com- left, the Deputy Commissioner gradually people. We see the same people, who are public at first prayed for the release of that plague cases are occurring in any ap- mittee of Censorship have been established came to realize the significance of his acts. interested parties, say that they don't want the brothers. The Government treated their preciable number and that people are con- in Poona for the purpose of controlling the What followed is thus graphically described

is obnoxious. We say that segregation is seizing a mole, the Government to insist on the house-to-house published in the Advocate of India unless Extra Assistant Commissioner, who pleaded opposed universally both by Indians and to realize that it could neither swallow down visitation and give rise to another panic? there was some foundation for it. It will inability to call again, being under suspenbe remembered that some time ago, the sion. The next day (27th April) the editor of the Mah tratta was summoned by Extra Assistant Commissioner did not attend court, and the whole day passed WE did not know who Mr. A. Simson the District Magistrate of Poona to call on in correspondence between him and the Deputy opinion on the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- their mouth. They have at last been the subject from actual ex- the subject from ac perience, say so. But suddenly the obliged to relieve themselves of one of that the terms of the Venice Convention in connection with certain remarks he had at home; but about noon a deputation of a Englishman appears on the stage to the brothers who proved such disagree- would be violated if segregation were about not a deputation of a light of the brothers who proved such disagree- would be violated if segregation were about not a deputation of a light of the brothers who proved such disagree- light of the bro speak on behalf of segregation, which able victims to them; the other is also lished. The Indian Daily News informs us villager had been killed by a soldier. It sioners waited upon him and begged him to goes to suggest that there is a party of bound to be quietly disposed of in the same that the Magistrate behaved overlook what had happened, and expressed Europeans who are for it. But that suggescan now understand why he is so much like that the distribution for the Commissioner at first can now understand why he is so much yet, as we pointed out at the time, his inter- refused to resume charge until re-instated by We think there is no Englishman against non-segregation; for, in that case, he ference was a kind of censorship. No Government with an expression of opinion as the either here or in England, who approves fears, the Powers might be led "to refuse wonder that a regular Committee of officials to whether he had been in any way to blame; of the proceedings that led to the repression to observe the Convention on the ground have now been organized to control but importunities at length prevailed and he went to court at about 3 P. M.

Nor was this all. The attitude of his subordinate had so unnerved the Deputy Commissioner that he knew not how to get over his troubles. In distress, he had sent telegram after telegrm to the Divisional Commissioner to come to Gurgaon. Accordingly, the latter actually left for the place; but before he reached there, the Deputy Commissioner had made up his difference with the Extra Assistant Commissioner, and ha then sent another telegram to him not to come to Gurgaon. Those Deputy Magistrates who tremble before their superiors and carry out their mandates at the sacri-So, the Agra Maulavi was arrested on fice of their conscience and self-respect, have been observed by the Bengal Govern- a charge of sedition! If the man had really ought to profit by t'e example of the Punment? The Venice Convention is thus a uttered any foolish thing, the Government jab Extra Assistant Commissioner, who mere bugbear. Then, what are the terms of might have dismissed him with a warning, has not only not lost his appointment by his this Convention? The Hon'ble Mr. Turner | without in any way endangering the Empire | independent conduct but, will, we dare say,



WE sincerely trust that the Government We shall enumerate some. First, the mem- in the city to be segregated.—Your, etc., bers of the search-parties will not be allowed to enter the zenana of any Hindu or Calcutta, May 7th, 1898. with the sure prospect of the patient, who may be a young lady or a child, being of his letter. forcibly taken to the isolation hospital, and themselves segregated in a segregation camp. plague cases and creating another scare.

Since the above was in type, we learn from our Simla correspondent, whose telegram is published elsewhere, that the Govof the India Government in this matter. yet commenced their work.

like him, have not lost their common sense. he has done considerable good ment will not give way in the matter of the full term of two years. segregation; for, says our coutemporary,

Indian Daily News :-THE SEGREGATION FARCE. TO THE EDITOR OF THE Dian DAILY NEW - UT

ed with serious difficulties of various kinds. will only be established when no one remains EXPORT MERCHANT.

plague in any house or not, as it trade or the entire evacuation of Calcutta? tisement. Export Merchant", who has been able to We hope, the correspondent will inform will be short but decisive.

Secondly, considering the present temper | NEEDLESS to say that the whole of the | WE had a notion that the Corporation knack of always upholding a wrong cause. of the illiterate masses, specially the Mus- Muffasil in Bengal has been convulsed over of Calcutta would be entrusted with the task salmans, the inquisitiveness of the members | the plague question in Calcutta. In Dacca, of combating the plague; but, it seems, of the search-parties may result in riots here public minds were so exercised over it that the business of the Commissioners is not to some competent medica men, who may be for, it is connected by railway with Calcutta. for, it is possible, the Commissioners, back after good deal of trouble. The Deputy appointed at the half-a-dozen burial and A Midnapur correspondent is simply in if entrusted with the duty, might have Commissioner personally visited the bazar and cremation grounds by the Municipality despair because of the appearance of plague, done a mistake here and there; and tried to convince the ignorant masses of the The general impression among the appears to be seditious, the alleged sedition then rendered the existence of the whole very poorly attended on Sunday medical practitioners is that there is being that the writer does not think Bengali nation miserable. For instance, no plague in Calcutta, and there is abso- that the spread of the disease can be if their action had created the recent scare, lutely no necessity, for the present, of such effectively checked either by isolation they would have been simply devoured a drastic measure as house-to-house ins- or segregation. At Tamlook, so great is alive by the irate members of the Anglopection. The Vigilance Committees may be the panic that servants are deserting Indian community. They cannot, howappointed to report on the insanitary state their masters. At Maimansing, Faridpur ever, now vent their anger upon the Babu the topic of general conversation.

ernment of India have directed the Bengal as the Sheriff of Calcutta will, we need Government to commence house-to-house hardly say, give universal satisfaction in the visitation. We deeply deplore the decision Province. He belongs to a very respectable and wealthy family in Eastern Bengal, but John Woodburn and his councillors; and, months. Maulvi Syed Abul Mansoor, Rural Already people have commenced leaving that is not his chief recommendation. He Calcutta, though the search-parties have not is a highly-educated man of culture and experience, who has devoted the greater appeal to his generous instincts can never of Dacca, is allowed leave for thirteen days.

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The portion of his life to the service of Dacca, is allowed leave for thirteen days. portion of his life to the service of the country. There was scarcely a public of Bengal are entirely in the hands of Sir leave for six months. THE Englishman opposes non-segregation movement in which he had not taken some John, Mr. Risley, Mr. Finucane and Mr. E. A. LeFeuvre, Assistant Inspector on behalf of the export merchants; but, prominent part. As Honorary Secretary of it appears, all the export merchants, the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce, well protected. Judging from the annou- leave for two months. It is really difficult to understand how any intelligent man can advocate segregation the Choice of the Government could be it would be better that the India Government has difficult to understand how any intelligent man can advocate segregation the Choice of the Government could be it would be better that the India Government has difficult to understand how any intelligent man can advocate segregation the Choice of the Government could be it would be a constant that the India Government has difficult to understand how any intelligent man can advocate segregation the choice of the Government could be in the choice of the Government could be intelligent. intelligent man can advocate segregation The choice of the Government could it would, however, appear that even the Babu Banamali Pramanik, Sub-Dy. Collr. recommend it. It is quite true that the as the successor of the Hon'ble Mr. notion was that it could check the spread Turner who has left for England to give of the plague baccili; but, it has failed so evidence before the Currency Commission. signally in Bombay, Poona, Karachi and Babu Sita Nath has been appointed for the other places that it is a matter of wonder unexpired portion of the shrievalty of Mr. that the Government has not yet given it up. Allan Arthur; but, there is no doubt that he The Englishman says that the Govern- will be asked to continue in the post for

straw, the Englishman leans on one "Medi- His Lordship, some time ago, gave to of the public as representing "medical opinion | He said that they were deported because perience of plague, in support of segregation, this by drafting off as many of its and isolation hospitals. the non-segregationists have secured the members as necessary for plague duties ardent support of such well-known Doctors in various parts of the Province. But the as Dr. Blaney, Dr. Weir and Dr. Cook, who force consisted of too many—one hundred cutta naturally disconcerted the people of in Simla on Friday. following export merchant against him, tinued till the expiry of the contracted leading men in the metropolis and the dis- age stamps. whose letter we reproduce below from the period, for the benefit of these Europeans at the cost of the Indian rate-payers!

the second warder, instead of causing him Calcutta I have joined in several combined at permanent appointment. Why is not the new themselves for attending the Dacca meetthe second warder, instead of causing him hurt. May we ask what punishment the Poona Judge would have inflicted in case? We fancy, he would have been tenced to be hanged twice!

The point of the part of European merchants to core the native into amending a trade custom appointment. Why is not the new hurt of European merchants to core the native into amending a trade custom appointment given to one of them? Surely, have resumed their arrangements, which had been temporarily suspended, with vigour, and hope to complete the whole time been baffled by the passive-resitance, and in one case, the fight of the native traders concerned.

Similarly Lam convinced that the Course are the fight of the native traders being superseded, and an outsider is being taken in. This mystery can be explained to the new are glad to hear, have resumed their arrangements, which had been temporarily suspended, with vigour, and hope to complete the whole time been baffled by the passive-resitance, and in one case, the fight of the native traders core the native into amending a trade custom appointment appointment. Why is not the new appointment. Why is not the new appointment appointment appointment appointment appointment appointment appointment. Why is not the new appointment appointment. Why is not the new appointment ap Similarly I am convinced that no Govern- in one way. The outside public may not know has kindly agreed to preside. A better will not insist on the house-to-house ins- ment will ever be able to establish anything so it; but all the same, it is a fact that a circular selection could not have been made. pection until the fact has been clearly es- repugnant as segregation is to the inhabitants like the famous Westland Circular, which formpection until the fact has been clearly established that plague cases are being really of Bengal. In Bombay, the natives resisted; in led the subject ωf a series of articles in the Poona they murdered; in Calcutta they will Patrika, and upon which the Hon'ble Mr. concealed by the residents of Calcutta to simply take to flight. There is no dealing with Charlu asked many questions, has recently been an American gentleman of the United States, any appreciable degree. The step is attend- this last form of resistance; and segregation put in force in this office, ruling that Eurasian from which we extract the following: outsiders should, whenever opportunity arises, The chances are that Congress will declare be appointed on Rs. 50 to 75 in supersession war with Spain to-day. Intense excitement of the claims of the apprentices and junior prevails. No doubt, you are acquainted with clerks. Is then the new appointment reserv- the details of the misunderstanding. However, Mussalman. It will be thus not possible for A transfer to the details of the misunderstanding. However, them to ascertain exactly whether there is do you want? A temporary loss of export they were ashamed to say so in the adver- have been thoroughly under-estimated by

the last three lines of the opening paragraph apprentices. We dare say, Sir John Wood- tice of the American cause, we had our P. and S. burn will not tolerate such jobberies.

> n shoals, and, though many of them celled. think, the Bengal Government at least in the Home Department. should have been left quite free in the Babu Bepin Mohan Sehanavis, Spl. Subin spite of our difference with the Hon'ble Sub-Regr. of Gaibanda acting for him. others, the interests of the Province will be of Schools, Bhagulpur Division, is allowed ncement that the India Government has dito act with perfect independence in this two months and three days. matter. This we consider a great misfortune; for, it is not possible for the Simla Siwan, Saran, is allowed leave for five weeks. authorities to control the Calcutta plague without committing serious blunders.

his whole family, including servants, was leave for two months. the vast mass of Europeans in this country." dence of any general conspiracy having prehending a possible row, the Rajah ramluk in Midnapore. Of course, the voice of the Indians in this existed, leading to these (Poona) murders, took the precaution of making police Europeans only, though this might cost them the city of Poona Rs. 230,000, Lord George lass Mussalmans, assembled near his on leave, acting for him. untold sufferings? But is it a fact that Hamilton said:—"I do not consider that house, to watch the process of inoculation. gation? Where are they and who are they? for maintaining a special force of police." would, they explained the matter thus. of the Khurda Tahsil in the district of Puri. serum prepared: one was meant trict of Rungpore. generally, and the vast mass of Europeans." there was no evidence against them to which brings on a little fever; and the Surgeon-Captain C. R. M. Green on the fore- ture prevailing throughout India. This "Medicus," who has not ventured ensure a conviction before a court of law! third, which is deadly poison, is meant for noon of 24th April, 1898. to appear in his real name, "demolishes," We don't know if Lord George Hamilton is the poor people, and which, when injected Asst.-Surg. Annoda Prosad Ghose of the "Medicus," this was tried both in Bombay since then; and everybody—even that blind gation; and he chose the former. Now School, is allowed leave for two months. and Karachi on the second outbreak of the supporter of the Bombay authorities, __ that the Rajah has shown the way, we doubt has got one "Medicus," who is evidently additional force at Poona. Nay, the Gov. or may not escape from plague, but save May 24th. a Calcutta medical man and has no ex- ternment itself has given an indication of themselves from the horrors of segregation

ARAB ROWLA caused the death of one warder and inflicted serious injuries to another in the Yarrowda Jail. For the first offence, he was adjudged to be hanged, and for the second, got 6 months with hard labour. Now, suppose Rowla had murdered labour. Down at all see the necessity of advertising for the post. There are already several apprentices in the office;—young men holding university degrees, who are serving in the office for more than 3 years without any themselves for attending the Dacca meet.

**Calcutta Labour Down and though my firm would suffer severely were to our goods, I am to 75, and goes on to observe:—

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By the last mail we got a letter from

foreign countries; therefore, in case of war, it

doubts; but they were dispelled when we came to see that the Times was against the informs us that the Railway authorities United States. The Times has a happy have adopted the name of "Rishra" for the

THE scene of Calcutta is repeated at and there, thus endangering their limbs the promoters of the ensuing Conference command, but to obey. Indeed, in all the Darjeeling. Great unrest is occasioned by The Medical College.—The Calcutta and lives. Thirdly, a panic may be imme- telegraphed to some leading men in Cal- plague measures hitherto adopted, they were tion which is believed to be forced on the mence on the 15th June next. Students who diately created amongst the ignorant popu- cutta to know whether it should or should not even consulted, as a matter of courtesy. natives, resulting in death in two hours. may be desirous of commencing their studies. lace; and the respectable residents, both not be held owing to the breaking-out of It is the Chairman who is issuing out orders, In spite of the authorities are requested to apply to the Principal between Indian and European, subjected to further the plague. The question of the holding of and the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of and the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the Commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the commissioners are receiving direct- to pacify the minds of the holding of land the commissioners are received by the land the commissioners are troubles. Is it not, therefore, reasonable the Conference has not yet been settled. A jons to give effect to them. The Calcutta about two thousand men, chiefly consisting of 1st June. that before the adoption of the step which is fraught with so much evil, the fact of the issue an extra, giving the latest inforbecome law of the land. We do not become law of the land we coolies bolt.

A PORTUGUESE HOLIDAY.—Under instructions from the Government of India, Home that before the adoption of the step which Barisal correspondent has urged us to Municipal Bill, which vests all executive Napalese, are reported to have left the town. alleged concealment of plague cases should mation on the subject of plague. In become law of the land. We do not, of the Rungnut garden, found 200 coolies boltbe definitely proved by the testimony of Khulna, the people are terror-stricken; however, complain of the arrangement; ing at midnight; but he managed to keep them and empowered to examine all corpses? and asks us not to publish his letter, if it our Anglo-Indian friends would have absurdity of the rumours. The market was

GAZETTE NOTIFICATIONS.

matter. For, the people have faith in Sir Regr. of Rangpur, is allowed leave for three

go in vain. Indeed, as long as the affairs shidabad Nawab's Madrasah, is allowed

Rai Keshori Narain Chadha, Assistant Opium

Maulvi Mahomed Lateef Alam, Sub-Dy. Coll,

tempore, Sub-Dy Collr, Patna Division, is posted to the Siwan Sub-division of the district of Saran.

Babu Akhil Kumar Chatterjee, substantive matter goes for nothing. For, were they and if not, whether he would now direct the largements; and he acted wisely, for Parganas is allowed leave for one month.

60,000 to 100,000 square feet of canvas.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.-Mr. Ray is posted as Assistant Accountant General, Bengal, and Mr. Gordon succeeds Mr. Ray in the North-West Provinces.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.—Sir Francis Maclean is appointed Vice-Chancellor of the Calcutta University in succession to the Hon. Mr. Justice Trevelyan, who resigns from the 10th

CALCUTTA MEDICAL INSTITUTION. - Fiftyseven candidates have passed the first V. L. a family will tell them the real truth, keep his head cool and his heart untainted us if the post is really filled up by an Yes, the resources of America are not M. S. Examination of this institution, which is by selfishness, has answered the question in Eurasian, superseding the just claims of the known to foreign countries. As for the just being ably managed by Dr. B. Basu L. R. C.

> NEW RAILWAY STATION. - A correspondent new Railway Station besween Mahes and Konnagar.

Department, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a holiday on the 17th May 1898 to all Portuguese subjects employed under this Government who may desire it, on account of the celebration by the Portuguese Government of the 4th centenary of the discovery of the Cape route to India by Vasco de Gama.

MORTALITY AMONG CROWS.-A Kula correspondent says one thing that has happen-Babu Shama Dhub Roy, Dy. Magte. and ed pretty frequently of late, that is somewhat Dy. Collr., on leave, is posted to the head-quar- unpleasant in time of plague, a cur ous mortaters station of the district of Hooghly. lity amongst the crows, numbers of whom have The order of the 14th April, 1898, appointing suddenly fallen dead from the trees. The of the town, but they should not be en- and Jessore, a feeling of uneasiness prevails. Commissioners, though they see that their Babu Haris Chander Rai, Dy. Magte. and behaviour of the other crows is suspicious, they trusted with the delicate task of hunting out In villages and hamlets also, plague is now coachmen, syces, khansamas, baboorchees Dy. Coll., Cuttuck, to have charge of the do not circle round cawing, as they do when and other servants are leaving them Khurda Tahsil in the district of Puri, is can- one of them is shot, but fly off in a body at once as if aware there was something very wrong. perhaps will have to cook their own food The services of Mr. G. A. Grierson, C. I. E., The same thing has been noticed prior to, and THE appointment of Babu Sita Nath Roy and draw their own water. But, we sheriff of Calcutta will, we need think the Bongal Covernment of the Government of India Indies.

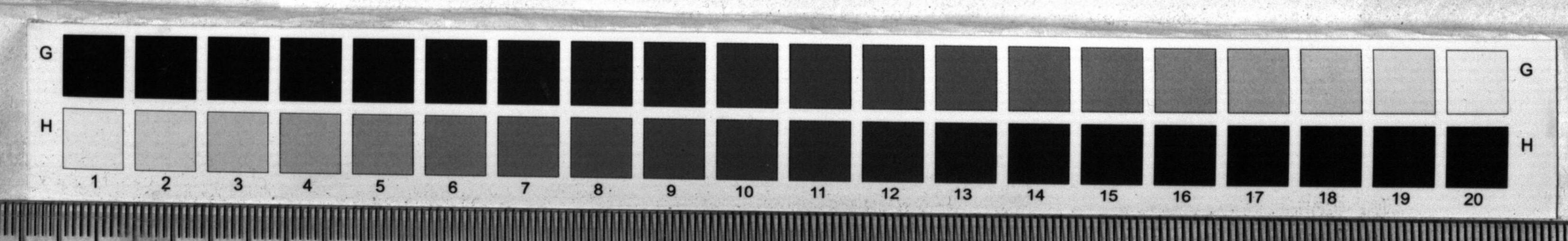
> EDITOR PUNISHED FOR DEFAMATION.—The Editor and Proprietor of the Bombay Sultanul Akhabar and Mumbai Panch Bahadur Hakim Abdul Hamid Farrokh, has been sen-Mr. Risley in some matters, we know, an Maulvi Syed Aulud Hossein, Spl. Sub-Regr. tenced by Mr. Sanders-Slater, Chief Presidency Magistrate of Bombay, in the defamation case brought by Mirza Abdulla Haji Ahmed Khandwani, to two months' simple imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 400, in default of payment, to a further term of two months' simple imprisonment. Rs. 250 of the fine, if paid, was to be awarded to the complainant as | compensation.

A MONSTER FISH.—At Penang, on April when it has not one redeeming feature to not have fallen upon a better man Government of Bengal would not be allowed leave for 22nd, a large sword fish was caught by some fishermen, and the capture occurred in a very strange manner. The fish, which had managed to enter the well in some fishing stakes, Maulvi Afzalur Rahman, substantive pro was found lashing its tail against the poles, so that at first it was thought to be a crocodile. At low tide, the men went to examine the place and found that the monster had quite exhaust-RAJAH BENOY KRISHNA BAHADUR, with Maulvi Masudul Hosain, substantive pro ed itself in its attempt to escape. Its head also tempore, Sub-Dy. Collr., Monghyr, is allowed had become entangled in the nets. A noose was soon placed round its neck, and it was "Sir John Woodburn is supported in his In reply to the question of Sir William inoculated with Haffkine's serum on the Maulvi Mohammed Faizullah Khan, Sub-Dy. dragged ashore. It measured from head to action by medical opinion generally, and by Wedderburn as to whether there was evi- Collr., Sandip, Noakhali, is transferred to tail 14 feet and 2 inches, and the sword was 5 feet long. - Penang Gazette.

not born to serve the interests of the withdrawal of the punitive police, costing about two thousand people, mainly low. Babu Bhoopendra Nath Roy Sub-Dy Coll. Babu Bhoopendra Nath Roy, Sub-Dy. Coll., telegram expected from Seychelles has not yet arrived, but Mauritius and Zanzibar news Maulvi Syed Azızuddin Mohamed Abul points to the South-East trades blowing strongmedical opinion generally" and "the vast the absence of evidence of a general conmass of Europeans" are in favour of segre- spiracy in any way disproves the necessity two hours, as they firmly believed he Collr., on leave, is appointed to have charge Rain has fallen generally in Burma, and there gation? Where are they and who are they? for maintaining a special force of police." Would, they explained the matter thus.

Like a drowning man catching hold of a The reply is on a par with that which of serum prepared: one was meant of Serum prepared: one was me cus" and Mr. Simson, and flaunts them before justify the detention of the Natu brothers. for the Sahebs, which is quite innocent; Asst-Surg Nobin Chundra Dutt took patam, seven at Madras, and over six at another is meant for the Bengalee Babus, charge of the Darbhunga Jail from Silchar, a clear evidence of the high tempera-

we are told by the Englishman; "all the aware of the real cause of the difficulty that into the system, kills one in two or three Raniganj Sub-division and Dispensary, is apwe are told by the Englishman; "all the aware of the real cause of the difficulty that arguments brought forward against segregation arguments brought forward against segregation of the Burdwan Dispensary. Assistant Surgeon dates to fill vacancies in the rank of Sub-Instion." We have carefully read the letter but in India the secret has oozed out. Krishna for the courage he has shown in get- Suresh Chunder Bannerjee, Assistant Superin- pector of Police will be held on the 25th and of the "Medicus" in the Englishman; and The Poona tragedy had thrown the author- ting himself and the members of his family tendent of Emigration at Kaniganj and Asan- 26th July 1898 at the following centres:—At the only argument he brings torward, is that, ities into such a state of panic that they inoculated with a virus which has not yet sole, is doing his duty. if segregation can be rigorously adopted as not only quartered a police force at Poona, Passed the stage of experiment. It is, indeed, Assistant-Surg. Chunder Coomar Gupta, Rajshahi and Burdwan Divisions; at Bankisoon as a few plague cases have appeared, but entered into a contract with its memthen the spread of the epidemic can be such bers to entertain their services for a period such a risk. The choice lay between long of the Burdwan Dispensary, is allowed leave pore for the Patna, Bhagulpur and Chota
Nagpur Divisions; at Dacca for the Dacc then the spread of the epidemic can be suc- bers to entertain their services for a period such a risk. The choice lay between Asst. Surg. Jogendra Nath Ghosh, and Chittagong Divisions; and at Cuttack for cessfully checked. Unfortunately for the of two years. Scarcely a year has elapsed the two dangers—inoculation and segre- Teacher of Midwifery, Campbell Medical the Orissa Division. The following classes of candidates will be admissible to the examination:-(a) Persons who have passed the plague without, as everybody knows, any the Times of India—has come to realize not, many leading men of the Calcutta, success whatever. But if the Englishman that it was a mistake to locate an follow his example. By so doing, they may of the Queen-Empress will be kept in India on Allahabad or Punjab University, provided they are not less than 21 nor more than 25 years of age on the 30th June. (b) Persons THE highest masts of selling-vessels are now serving as head-constables and writer-confrom 160ft. to 180ft. high, and spread from stables in the Police, who have obtained the permission of the District Magistrate to appear THE Maharaja Scindiah, accompanied by at the examination, provided that they are not THE announcement of plague in Cal- Colonel Newill, Resident at Gwalior, arrived more than 30 years of age, and are of not are authorities on the subject. So much and fifty—and the Government does not find Dacca, and they did not know whether to NEARLY 1,200,000lb of colours are used by does not satisfy the following conditions: for "general medical opinion" of the Engits way how to utilize their services in other
hold or stop the Provincial Conference. the United States Government annually for (I) That he has no disease, constitutional Accordingly, they wired to a good many printing paper money, and revenue and post- affection or bodily infirmity, unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for police duties, and that he tricts, asking their opinion. The majority A SHORT time ago a Mahomedan of the Lu- is up to the physical standard prescribed by are not for postponing it, and the dhiana district assaulted a Mission Lady in her Government circular No. 4436J., dated the Conserence is thus going to be held verandah and knocked her down. She received 7th December 1892. (11).—That he is of good A CORRESPONDENT has drawn our atten on the dates already fixed, namely, who was recently tried by the Sessions Judge respectable family. (IV).—That he produces



correspondent informs the Rangoon Gazette much facilitated by the example shown by that "a gentleman from Ceylon is on a visit | the Raja. to Rangoon with the object of introducing new patent machinery into rice mills. The new machinery according to his description, is wonderfully simple only one floor being required for the one process by which the paddy is converted into white rice. He states that very much less rice is broken in the new machine, which occupies very little space, the broken rice in another, and the coarse to these machines."

Richardson, presiding over the Alipur Criminal | vernment and President Plague Committee, has Sessions, disposed of a case in which been issued for general information: one Nilmoney Mondal and eighteen others "This is to certify that no one shall be inocuwere charged with having committed dacoity lated unless he expressly desires it." in the house of Babu Mohesh Chandra Dutt, a rich money-lender of Baruipur. The accused, The following circular has been issued by it appears, on the night of 21st February Mr. Greer, Chairman of the Coporation of last, forcibly entered into the house and after | Calcutta :brutally assaulting the inmates of the house car- 1. The public are requested to report to the Indian ports. All steamers and passengers in a boat, the Manji recognised some of them | 2. The Health Officer will undertake the lent to the Burma Government. ed them and found lots of stolen properties of an application from the house-holder. of the prisoners and "not guilty" against the advisable that dead rats should not be touched stamped out each time. verdict, sentenced the first six accused to ten | safe and simple mode of destroying dead rats. years' each and the rest to five years' rigorous imprisonment.

BENGAL CROP AND WEATHER REPORT.-The following is the general summary of the May 9:—There was rain over almost the of Jessore. The whole city is convulsed. I took against Calcutta, similar to the Aden rules. The cases were declared to be sporadic. whole of Bengal Proper, Bihar, and Chota a tour round the city this morning and was Healthy ships are to have communication Nagpur during the week. No rain has been much struck with the desolated appearance of with Colombo, suspected and infected vessels reported from Orissa. Ploughing and early it. Neither a single fisherman, nor a single must go to Galle for quarantine. showing are in progress, but more rain is still milkman, nor a solitary vegetable dealer could No vessels are now allowed to enter the show that the Americans were well out of ihe The less frequent symptoms, perhaps depending was cattle-disease in the dirtricts of the 24- oculate them against their will. The Magis- Elephant Point. Parganas, Nadia, Jessore, Khulna, Shahabad, trate has caused notices, signed by him, to be Bhagalpur, Angul, Lohardaga and Manbhum. stuck on public roads informing the public Insufficiency of fodder-supply is reported what he himself had said before the Rangpur, and Palamau.

THE PLAGUE IN CALCUTTA.

PLAGUE RETURNS.

to Municktolah from 170 Lower Circular how it could best be stamped out. I feel penny for eight eggs.

A COOLIE DISCHARGED. The coolie, working in the Clive Jute Mills, these difficulties. at Garden Reach, who had been removed to

THE EXODUS. on every day.

INOCULATION BY DR. COOK.

Officer, it is said, had inoculated as many as 50 of this sort of conduct on the part of the station the members of the Sadharan Brahmo Somaj master gave rise to some difficulty, as the asand 8 outsiders at 13, Gornwallis street, where sistant station master was ordered to be ar. suffer at the quarantine camp. 63 members of that samaj were inoculated on rested, but the interference of the station masthe 1st instant. A large crowd had assembled ter has amicably settled the matter. An young plague epidemic exceeds that of any previous to witness the inoculation. The number man, Babu Surendra Nath Bhattacherjee, was outbreak. For the week ended April 16th inoculated came up to nearly 200; all of them assaulted by the police at the Hoar Miller there were 97 cases and 92 deaths. The Chinese are doing well.

Bahadoor for having got himself and the mem- ready instituted a criminal proceeding against patients has been provided, where patients are kine serum. Their idea is that when a man I. P. Code. The matter is sub judice and we their own methods. were set affoat by those who did not abuse. like the action of the Rajah. One said that and that he himself was laid up with a severe wrote to the Chairman of the Corporation of parts of India. Dr. Bannerman has Commanders and Prefects. He orders inflex. three months.—Lancet, April 2, 1898. attack of fever. Indeed a gentleman ran all Calcutta the following letter, dated the 7th maintained the manufacture of a prophylactic lible rigour in suppressing the agitation. Disthe way from Sova Bazar to our office to give instant:us this information. Another said that many I am directed to forward the accompanying acquainted with the methods employed by and Naples, where a number of barricades ed on the charge of severely beating a prisoner in the of those who had been inoculated at the in- copy of a telegram received from stance of the Rajah had got the real plague and Government of India in which the hope on his arrival in Calcutta will be deputed to several conflicts with the police and the that they were being removed to the segrega- is expressed that systematic house-to-house make this valuable material. tion hospital at Manicktollah! Even some visitation by Ward Committees will be comeducated men were highly disgusted with the conduct of Rajah Benoy Krishna; and one of them wrote us a furious letter charging us with having density of the disturbances are permitted to the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, to the Secretary, Colombo, to the Secretary, Bengal Government, Calcutta. The television results of a telegram dated the 8th of May, 1898, from gravity of the disturbances are permitted to the Colonial Secretary during the stay they are obliged to make there the appointment of the Ward Committees being the confiscated. with having done an unpatriotic act, carried out immediately, and the Committee gram reads: Ceylon is issuing revised and less because we had admired the courage of the set to the essential work with which they have stringent quarantine regulations, practically LONDON, MAY 10. Rajah. Indeed, the animosity of the general pub- been entrusted: "From Simla to Calcuttalic, it appears, is yet very strong against the from Home to Bengal, dated 6th May, 1898. adopting the definition of the Venice Conven- Begano, has stated that it is intended to the question of Council meetings on the Hills. Haffkine inoculation, and, we fear, it will Number 1145, Sanitary.—Your telegram of tion. Healthy ships can be landed and take establish an Italian Republic similar to that We believe it has been the custom hitherto for continue yet for a long time before it is 5th Preventive measures against plague, delivery of cargo and passengers at Colombo of Switzerland. availed of by a large section of the communi- Calcutta. Government of India trust that without limit of time, subject to certain A Chinese mob has burned the Custom ty. Raja Benoy's example is, however, likely systematic house-to-house visitation by Ward precautions. Suspected and infected vessels House and foreign property at Shashi, near its stay on the Hills to depend upon accomto be followed by many, and the system gradu- Committees will be commenced as soon as must go on to Galle and there undergo ten Hankow. ally introduced into the country in a natural possible." way. About sixty persons were inoculated at the Rajah's place on the 10th instant MR. ARTHUR CHALK, of Church-place, Highand they were all doing quite well. The Rajah street, Wapping, England, has invented a new A CELEBRATED family of lion-tamers are had a slight fever, the temperature being bullet which, it is said, goes round corners, suddenly reported to use electricity. A live wire is

IMPROVED RICE-HUSKING MACHINERY. -A tem introduced in Calcutta it will be very

DISINFECTION.

by the Corporation of the affected houses. No 5 account of the plague. Amratolah Street, a very spacious building where two dead rats were found ontthe 11th instant are again very satisfactory, there being only was thoroughly disinfected. A European lady nine attacks and 14 deaths reported. residing at Chowringhee on the 11th wrote an PLAGUE has broken out again at Chota morning in pursuance of Government order. have been destroyed by heat in the serum, it has and the distributor attached to the machine and ejects the husk in one direction.

Which occupies very little space, and the area of the Health Officer requesting and the distributor attached to the machine ing him to immediately send his disinfecting measures to meet the emergency.

He had applied for a transfer, as Ahmedabad yet to be seen whether these inoculations may climate was severe. He was lodged at Mr. not predispose and lead to developement of the machine ing him to immediately send his disinfecting measures to meet the emergency. separates and ejects the husk in one direction, staff to her house. On arrival the disinfecting Inspector inquired of the lady for the reason from the fine in the most perfect style. Besides the same horse-power engine which a mill told the inspector that as rats were found in the told the inspector that as rats were found in the in Rangoon may now be using, will drive a house she thought that the Municipal officers number of these new mills, turning out fifty should come and seize them so that they might per cent more white rice than has hitherto not die on the premises and thus spread the Punjab. No fresh villages have been attacked Council, the outbreak of plague in Calcutta plague. It is not reported what the inspector in the Jallandar district for the last nine days was discussed. The Council suggested to the

AN INOCULATION CIRCULAR.

CONVICTION OF A GANG OF DACOITS. - After | The following circular over the signature of 54 villages on the list. a protracted hearing of two weeks Mr. T. D. the Hon. Mr. H. H. Risley, Secretary to Go-

FINDING OF DEAD RATS.

and gave information to the police who arrest- cleaning and disinfecting any house on receipt

five others. The Judge agreeing with the by the hand. Burning with kerosine oil is a 4 It is hoped that the public will co-operate with the Health Officer in carrying out this

important preventive measure.

PANIC AT JESSORE. Our local correspondent writes under date the to stay in the town. We should thank the infected with plague. Circular Road, near Entally. One of the proves effective we shall gladly be inoculated, for Natal was also quarantined. patients was removed to the Campbell Hospital otherwise not." They have come to believe so THE farmers around Blackpool, having ed.

GREAT SENSATION AT TAMLUK. glandular swellings, was discharged perfectly take down the name, father's name, and resi- Port Commissioners. dence of the passengers coming from Calcutta steamers to this station. We are told that the The exodus from Calcutta is steadily going E. B. S. Ry. station master did not allow the police to go on board the steamer as he thought that that sort of interference will cause unnecessary detention of the steamer as well On the 7th instant Dr. Cook, the Health as of the passengers. We are aware also that

IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

THE PLAGUE.

THE Ceylon Government have imposed Disinfection is being carried on vigorously quarantine on arrivals from Calcutta on

THE plague returns in Bombay for Tuesday

It is proposed to encourage the importaany danger of plague from the Calcutta rice to Dharwar.

THE CALCUTTA PLAGUE QUESTION. usually eaten by the coolies.

THE plague is rapidly declining in the up to the 9th instant. Till the 5th instant there Government of Bengal a house-to-house visihad been 2,382 cases and 1,465 deaths in the tation by Ward Committees.

all arrivals from Karachi in order to safeguard | the Currency Committee.

On and after May I quarantine rules have been enforced at Rangoon, Maulmein, Akyab and Bassein against all arrivals from all

A CASE of plague is reported from Ganespet,

of State, and arrived in India about the 15th a battle is imminent. of February.

ternation has been so great that many have left from here. The Italian Government has also many with indifference. the town already, and a few are bold enough declared the Ports of the Bengal Presidency Bombay, May 10.

and indetatigable energy with which he is Madras roads on the 9th inst. as having come conditional on Natus not leaving Belgaum dis- Nursing mothers have been inoculated without trying his utmost to pacify the popular mind. from the plague infected port of Calcutta. The trict for some time. Tilak's release on similar any disturbance to the child and pregnant women Leading men of the town are doing also to S. S. Jupiter, with a cargo of coals, was the conditions are rumoured. THERE were no fresh cases of plague on the produce the same. The popular feeling is first to be quarantined. The Nawab, which 7th and 9th instant, but there were two deaths to the following effect: "The efficacy of ino- arrived on the 7th was the next though The American torpedo vessel Windslow lation it is subsequently increased in quantity. Sexual on that day at the Isolation Hospital. On the culation has not yet been demonstated. first some of the passengers were allowed to land fought a brilliant minor engagement on excitement has been mentioned as having occurred in 8th there were two fresh cases—one in No. 15 try it on the Sabibs, then on the hakims, and go on their journey to Coonoor. The Sunday off Cardenas on the Cuban coast, a few cases. Waris Bagan Lane and another in Lower thereafter on the vakil and amla Babus, if it emigrant vessel Pongola, calling for emigrants tackling three Spanish gunboats and dis- It is not surprising on comparison with the effects

and the other to the Medical College Hospital. many wild rumours that no amount of argu- suffered from what is termed a sparrow plague, same day there was a death in the Isolation hurry. They should not produce unrest in year 34,000 sparrows and eggs were destroyed war for the (uban insurgents also taking a stated that they have improved in their general) Hospital at Manicktolah of the man who their zeal. If it be the will of God to visit us The rate of payment is one penny for two old mall escort of American troops. was removed first to Cambbell Hospital then with plague, we shall then and then only see birds, a peny for four young ones, and a

the Manicktolah Isolation Hospital, on the On 1st May last the Sub-divisional Officer refused to adopt the rigid quarantine measures delay. 29th April last, suffering from fever and of this place gave orders to the local police to urged by the Municipal Committee and the

the operation. The people are still leaving Florence and Leghorn. It is believed that the

in his position has yielded there is no escape shall refrain from passing any opinion on it. THE Government of India have applied for for others. Absurd as it may seem to be, the After the occurrence we are glad to hear that the services of Surgeon-Major Bannerman, the inoculation of the Rajah led a good many per- the Sub-divisional Officer has withdrawn the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner of Madras. quiet. sons to leave Calcutta. Various rumours power conferred on the police seeing its gross This officer has only recently returned to this Presidency after undergoing a course of trainon his own responsibility, and is, therefor, fully turbances were continued to-day in Milan the Dr. Haffkine. It is probable that this officer were erected in the streets by the rioters and jail.

> days' quarantine. Passengers, other than first class, will be disembarked at Galle only.

101, and he suffered from no other uneasy shoots up in the air and descends point first on stretched across the cage, and serves as an

Telegrams.

[INDIAN TELEGRAMS.]

THE NATU BROTHERS.

BOMBAY, MAY 9.

SIMLA, MAY 9. At last Friday's meeting of the Executive

THE MAHARAJAH OF SCINDIA.

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR.

LONDON, MAY 8. ried away cash and jewellery worth about Rs. Health Officer the appearance of dead rats will be inspected on arrival. For this work, has left Hongkong. It is believed that she has slight red blush at the site of inoculation. The

Hubli, on the Southern Maharatta line to off the Haytian coast, and it was supposed Weakness is sometimes very marked and the pulse in their possession. The jury returned an 3. Householders are recommended to catch Bangalore. So far all cases reported from that the American and Spanish fleets had is feeble. Headache is often very severe. Locally unanimous verdict of "guilty" against fourteen and destory as many rats as possible. It is this place have been imported and successfully met, but a French steamer reports having an inflammatory infiltration develops which becomes sighted the American warship Montgomery, extremely tender. This extreme tenderness is as BESIDES Doctor Clemow, Miss Christie, a which was being chased by a powerful Span- characteristic after inoculation as that of the enlarged lady doctor, and five nurses have arrived in ish cruiser. It is believed that a naval duel glands in plague. No enlargement of the adjacent Calcutta from Bombay. They were sent out had taken place. This indicates that the lymphatic glands occurs and only very occasionally specially for plague service by the Secretary rival fleets are nearing each other and that does suppuration ensue at the site of inoculation.

LONDON, MAY 9.

required in parts. Condition of young sugar- be seen in the market. The rice and cloth port of Rangoon until they have been granted range of the Spanish guns, and that the action upon personal idiosyncrasy, are very interesting. cane, china millet and indigo is good. Harwesting of spring rice and tobacco is still going merchants had kept their shops closed up to 8 pratique by the Port Health Officer. Should any
was simply a target practice on the side of the minor complaints are joint pains without any
was simply a target practice on the side of the minor complaints are joint pains without any vesting of spring rice and tobacco is still going and the cotton crop in Orises is flowering A.M., when Mr. Halifax, the District Magis- suspicious case be found on board any vessel victors. The Spaniards made a most gallant swelling, lasting perhaps a fortnight. There is an over the on, and the cotton crop in Orissa is flowering. trate, came to the Bazar and expressly told it will be sent back to Elephant Point and put attempt to close with the enemy, but the Ameri-No important change in the price of the shopkeepers that there was not the least in quarantine and the case segregated. A can fire was concentrated upon each vessel as No

these districts and in Hooghly, 24 Parganas, A few sections have struck work. The cons- nine days' quarantine is imposed on vessels of the Islands by either France, Russia or Ger-

LONDON, MAY 11.

THE RIOTS IN ITALY.

LONDON, MAY 7. officer attending at each place performing tion is most grave, notably at Pavia,

LONDON, MAY 8. bers of his household inoculated with the Haff- the police officer under Secs. 342 and 352 of being treated by their own doctors according to but it is now officially reported that all is

LONDON, MAY 9.

LONDON, MAY 10, MIDNIGHT.

those now in force (at Aden), accordingly The Socialist Deputy, who is a refugee at but it is nevertheless a considerable factor in

LONDON, MAY 11.

Bulgaria charges Servia with intercepting Hill, the Maharaja of Vizianagram's sensation than a little headache. If the top of a town or anything, or flies round and impassable yet invisible barrier which protects a rupture of relations. Servia denies the either left or sold, and Native

THE HAFFKINE INOCULATION.

DR. MOHENDRA LAL SIRKAR has the following in his "Calcutta Journal of Medicine" on the above subject :-

The following extract from the Lancet will show how far these so-called prophylactic inoculations are the harmless and innocent things they are Sardar Natu was brought here yesterday described to be. Though the germs are said to Bruin's bungalow, pending further orders. plague in exceptionally susceptible individuals, tion of Rangoon rice into Ceylon to prevent The younger Natu was removed from Thana and in that case how terrible must be their consequences. Are people to be blamed if they fear that the plague, though it was non-existent in Calcutta, has been introduced potentially by the first inoculations performed in the city?

THE SYMPTOMS FOLLOWING INOCULATION FOR PLAGUE WITH M. HAFFKINE'S PROPHY-LACTIC FLUID.

As might be expected the symptoms following M. Haffkine's prophylactic inoculation vary considerably in different individuals. There are many OWING to the recrudescence of the plague at | His Highness the Maharajah of Scindia is symptoms, however, which are more or less common Karachi and at the segregation camp at Malir, not likely to stay long here as the Government to all. It would be likely also that the chief symp. a quarantine of ten days has been established cannot suggest any solution of the currency toms would resemble in a very minor degree those at Sharig, Baluchistan, from the 1st instant, on difficulties of the State, finding the report of of plague itself. There are, however, symptoms in plague which have no representatives, so to speak, among the symptoms following inoculation. The first indications of systematic affection occur within six hours after inoculation and consist of a sensation of chilliness, with headache, a rise of temperature and pulse, and a general feeling of malaise. There The American despatch vessel McCulloch are no local symptoms at first beyond perhaps a the services of three medical officers have been gone to Mirs Bay to await instructions from general symptoms increase and continue generally Washington. Heavy firing was heard on Saturday night rises beyond 103 F., more frequently it is below 102. Desquamation of the cuticle over the inflamed area frequently follows. The local symptoms linger Four American sailors, forming part of the for several days after the patient has apparently An official communique at Colombo on crew of a Spanish prize craft, were found suffer- recovered his usual health, which is most comcrop and weather report for the week ending 8th: A panic has seized the people of the town 7th inst. announces less stringent quarantine ing from yellow fever on arrival at Key West. monly in form four to eight days. The local and general symptoms are sometimes very slight, whilst at other times they are not only very severe but last perhaps eight days or more and are followed

lerythematous rash more or less all over the body and sometimes a distinct urticaria is seen. rice has been reported since last week. There was concentrated upon each vessel as the intention, on the part of Government, to inspect that the case segregated. A certain amount of another been observed.

Segregation Camp has been constructed at she approached, literally pulverising every one. A certain amount of another been observed. The Times in a leading article says that occurs in a few people, and some complain EGYPT has enforced plague rules against the occupation of the Philippines by the Uni- that they have never felt well since the inoculation. arrivals from Calcutta. A telegram received ted States is the best temporary solution of General weakness, loss of appetite, and constipation from Nadia, Jessore, Tippera, Noakhali, and shopkeepers. A drummer is continuously from the Colonial Secretary of Singapore says the situation in that quarter, and that Eng- for some little time afterwards have been mere fre-Sonthal Parganas, and of water-supply in beating his drum and assuring the people. that Calcutta has been declared infected, and land would be unable to regard the acquisition quently complained of, and a weakness in the lower extremities has been occasionally observed. A few people seem to, develop mental excitement and a feeling of unrest; other become irritable in temper for a week or more. Confusion of ideas, a Sirdar Natu was released to-day at Belgaum nasty clammy taste in the mouth, and a dry cough new Magistrate for his prompt measures THREE vessels were quarantined in the on parole. It is reported that his release was lasting for about a week are comparatively common. have not developed any untoward symptoms. The menstrual period seems sometimes to be anticipated.

abling one, and coming out herself unscath- of other toxin feverish attacks to find that certain ailments should be actually improved. Some asthma-The American Navy Department has tic patients seem considerably relieved and even On Tuesday there was one fresh case reported from 19 Waterloo Street. The patient died before removal. On the mittee should not be in an unnecessary holidays and evenings in this work, and last patient died before removal. On the mittee should not be in an unnecessary holidays and evenings in this work, and last from Tampa with stores and munitions of apparently healthy people have even voluntarily

Such are the symptoms following what is practically Road. The total number of deaths from all much pleasure to let you know that we are A MEETING of the Rangoon Chamber of It is generally agreed that the Spanish culture of the plague bacillus. The severer symptoms causes was 45. The average of previous five exceedingly happy to see the calm and serene Commerce was held one Tuesday which was Supposed to of plague itself are probably explained by the more but firm attitude with which the present largely attended by the representatives of the have gone westward, intends remaining at frequent and larger dosage of the toxin into Lieutenant-Governor is trying to get over import and export firms. A strong resolution Cadiz. The changes in the situation leave the general circulation and perhaps to the was adopted, one member dissenting, respect- the Americans free to attack Puerto Rico actual presence of the bacilli in certain parts. fully asking Government to reconsider its and invade Cuba with a large force without The enlargement of the lymphatic glands so characteristic of plague appears to be due to the presence of the bacillus, as it does not occur after inoculation. Blebs on different parts of the body as well as the cellulo-cutaneous infiltration TUESDAY'S plague returns at Karachi are Notwithstanding the abolition of the followed by sloughing, both of which are common unsatisfactory, 96 cases and 77 deaths being duties on grain and the reduction in the in plague, have no representative symptoms after recorded. Inoculation is being carried on at price of bread, riots in different parts inoculation. The so-called pulmonary veriety of various centres of the town, the medical of Italy are increasing, and the situa- plague, attended by extensive lobular pneumonia and cedema, with the presence of bacilli in the sputum, is also unrepresented among the symptoms and are anxious to get away, notwithstanding riots are political. Serious conflicts attended bility, the mental (confusion, the chilliness (which the inconvenience and discomfort they have to with loss of life have taken place between the in plague itself is a frequently recurring symptom), troops and the people at Milan where the the vomiting, the joint pains, the weakness, and THE virulence of the present Hongkong rioters barricaded the streets with overturned the general symptoms of adynamic fever which trains and furniture. follow inoculation are all prominent symptoms of the disease. The preparation of M. Haffkine's prophy-A force numbering eight thousand troops lactic fluid, as well as the statistics relating to Company's station ghat on the 3rd May last with more reasonableness than the natives now occupies Milan. Fugitives from the city plague inoculation, have been described The feeling amongst the populace when he was coming from the Railway steamer of Calcutta, are doing their best to state that the was very bitter against Rajah Benoy Krishna in company with others. Surendra Babu has al- the scourge. A hospital for Chinese plague were killed and one thousand wounded. The dose injected for adults varies from 2.5 to 5 c. c. disturbances were renewed this morning, and for children o'r c.c. is calculated for each year of age. If a definite reaction follows one inoculation it is generally considered sufficient, otherwise a second dose is administered after a week's interval. Re-inoculation is almost certainly The latest from Milan states that all is required the following year, but with a recurrence of the epidemic a shorter interval is imperative. It is unknown how long the protection lasts. As a second attack of plague has in several cases been Martial law now reigns throughout the known to occur within six months it would be ing under the famous bacteriologist, Dr. Haff- greater part of Italy. A circular has been probably safer for those who are more particularly three members of his family had already died The Secretary to the Government of Bengai kine, during Dr. Haffkine's emplyment in issued by the Marquis Rudini to the Military exposed to the contagion to be inoculated every

THE District Jailor of Elichpoor has been suspend.

THE Madras Mail understands that the military occurred. The losses are unknown, Native Members of the Legislative Council THE Bengal Government have issued a copy as only official statements minimising the are experiencing great difficulty in procuring This may be viewed as a small matter perhaps by others who are not in the same predicament, Native gentlemen who have been obliged to visit the head-quarters of Government during modation provided for them by the Maharaja of Vizianagram, the Jagirdar of Arni, and other Native noblemen who have houses on the It has been arranged that Japan evacuates Nilgiris. This in itself is an obviously undersi Wei hai-wei in a month's time. rable condition of dependence, but probably LONDON, MAY 10 | great evil resulted from it. Now, however,

THE RISING IN THE SIERRA LEONE HINTERLAND.

company of the West India Regiment to support | tribe. - St. James's Budget. the Frontier Police in quelling the disturbance and capturing Bai Bureh, in order to bring him in for trial. Major Norris, D.S O., accordingly embarked in the colonial steamer Countess of Derby with a detachment of the 1st West India Regiment.

The police force at Karene consisted of Major Tarbet, the Inspector-General, and seventy-three non-commissioned officers and men. On arriving, Major Norris took command and proclaimed martial law. He then replaced ten of his men by an the Indian Medical Service, is published in the equal number of the Frontiers, and left Karene for Gazette of India: -Port Lokko, in order to make the latter place his base and to establish communication with has been the approbrium of the medical profession, Freetown. During the whole of this march he was attacked by men in am ush, and sharp fighting took that it is so still. The case mortality, both in China place. In the course of the day six villages and in 1894-96 and in India 1896-98 has ranged from 70 they remained. gun. Some of the towns were stubbornly defended of inherent power of resistance rather than by the enemy, who appeared to be present in consequence of medical skill, although isolated 86 per cent. large numbers. The conduct of the troops throughout was admirable. On our side the casualties ment. It is only since 1894, however, that the true were:-Severely wounded, Surgeon Captain Scott and three men; slightly wounded, Lieut. Faunce and four men of the West India Regiment, Frontier Police and twelve carriers. The enemy's losses were very heavy, sixty killed being known, though many more were probably carried off into the bush. Port Lokko was found to be in a state of panic, and almost deserted by its inhabitants. A laager was built near the Mission House, and the bush round it at once cleared. The Rev. Mr. Allan and Mrs. Allan and Miss Hickmot were found safe in the Mission House, the two ladies subsequently rendering valuable assistance in nursing the wounded officers and men.

On March 4 messengers were sent to Bai Bungara, the chief of old Port Lokko, telling him This speedily proved that the theories were right and to come in as a loyal subject for a palaver. The envoys were, however, received with threats, and curative treatment based on scientific principles might the negotiations fell through. Early in the morning be worked out. This could only be done by exveyed by a naval contingent under Lieut. Gibbons, preventive, some as curative, some as both. It must have been most carefully verified: of H.M.S. Fox. The "F" Company had been be remembered, however, that all these methods are the remainder of the journey being accomplished the fact that they are experiments in the in boats. After a short consultation Lieut. Gibbons right direction, and that we may hope for ultimate shelled Old Port Lokko, which was soon in flames. and a third company, under Major Back, left especially that this note is intented to call attention. Freetown on the 10th, the plan being to keep one The idea is to combine a preventive and curative Karene Major Stansfield was not fired upon, but the individual by inoculation with attenuated common March. All these have recovered, and the hospital ing are very large—thirty-two to one. enemy made an attempt to burn out the troops by bacilli, so that when exposed to attack his authorities at Parel were not quite sure that they were setting fire to the bush to windward, the system can resist and kill off the invading mic- cases of plague. If they were, they were so much grass being at this time of the year very dry. robe in its natural condition. The result is modified as to be with difficulty recognisable. I saw Karene was reached on March 8, when it diminished susceptibility, and a consequent re- two of them and they looked to me like mumps. was ascertained that an attack had been made on duction of the absolute mortality; but when an inocu- Both parotids were equally affected (a rare thing in the station two days before, but had been repulsed lated individual does get the disease the case mor- plague).

return to the latter place at daybreak on the 25th, so far arrived at go far to show that M. Haffkine is that the inoculation saved 26 lives out of this smal. rings are called articulate or jointed animals. On hearing of this check the Governor, who had gone to Port Lokko on the 25th in order to attempt there is reason to hope that still better results may lated had 28 cases or 6'4 per cent. and 26 deather the contempt there is reason to hope that still better results may lated had 28 cases or 6'4 per cent. and 26 deather the contempt there is reason to hope that still better results may lated had 28 cases or 6'4 per cent. The mouths of insects the mouth. The mouths of insects which would be understood by them.

It is under contemptation

He served in the Western District, and then for Before discussing such questions, however, it will died out of a family of three. In hut 8, war 1 1, ments. In addition to the two large compound eyes, over five years in the Bombay Presidency, accombe well to briefly record the results already attained four inoculated persons escaped, while the one the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, to the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead, the discording the fly has several short-sighted eyes in its forehead. panying the Chitral expedition in 1895, of which he in different places where the inoculation have been who remained uninoculated contracted the disease which are called ocelli (little eyes). The compound

WOULD not be without Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy for its weight in gold," writes D. J.
with a cough for nearly two years. I tried various patent remedies, besides numerous prescriptions from p physicians, all of which did no good. I was at last me of a severe pain in my back. I think it O. K." been recommended to him, he have it a trial and to there is a nerve which leads to the head nerve-

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was severely wounded near Karene. His leg was teachers and students of the Grant Medical the inoculated died. seen to clean its wings as if nothing had broken in two places by a shot; another passed College being done in their presence to encourage In hut 20, ward 3, one of three inoculated contracted happened.

ANTI-PLAGUE INOCULATION. NOTE BY DR. HARVEY.

THE following note on Anti-Plague Inoculation Surgeon Major-General R. Harvey,

From the earliest times the treatment of plague cause of pligue has been demonstrated as due to pathogenic microbe. This was discovered Hongkong by Kitasato, and his observations have now been fully confirmed by other observers. Some such cause had for years been accepted by the so-called zymotic diseases, and the results of bacteriological work had led to that belief that a remedy might be worked out on bacteriological lines similar to that found in vaccination against small pox, and the preventive inoculations against anthrax, cholera, diphtheria, etc., No practical work could, however, be done until the theory had been proved to be discovery until the outbreak in Hongkong in 1894. gave a great impetus to the hope that a protective and success. The most promising results so far attained In order to bring the operations to a close, Colonel

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Surgeon-Captain B. Hopton Scott, who has been mentioned as wounded in the above expedition, unplatable restrictions on these who have submitted the Army Medical Staff in February 1887. In hut 26, also in ward 4, one inoculated person escaped, two uninoculated the tube into the mouth and stomach.

The eyes of the fly are very wonderful instru-

persuaded to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough For lame back, rheumatism, neuralgia, swellings, his great surprise, three doses of that remedy effected centre. The nerves of insects spring from little end of May, 1896, Sardar Gurdial Singh had Remedy, which promptly relieved the cough. The sprains, bruises, burns and scalds and no other liniary a permanent cure. Mr. Wm. McNamara, a well-nerve-knots, or gangalia, as they are called, which accepted bribes, ranging in value from Rs. econd bottle effected a complete cure." For sale ment can approach Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It is known merchant of the same place, is well acquainted are scattered about in the creature's body, the princi-

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Cardew, was compelled to call upon the officers. He stated that the tribe from which the Lower Damaon experienced a very severe visitation | the case mortality. This was 37.5 per cent, among oil closes the spiracles, and the insect dies from want commanding the troops at Sierra Leone to send a new regiment is to be mainly formed is the Mundi of plague in the cold season of 1876-97, The history the inoculated against 92.85 in the uninoculated. of air. o epidemic was very carefully investigated by Sur- | Suleiman Mussalmans at Baroda, a population | Air vessels occupy a large portion of the fly's geon-Major Lyons, and the figures show that some of 404, living in an extremely dirty crowded locality. body. The openings to the larger air vessels are 2,197 person were inoculated, while 6,033 remained By the influence of their headmen and mullah, 322 on the under side of the body, and are ten in uninoculted. Between the end of March and the end of these people have been inoculated, and no plague number in the male and eight in the female. of May, 1897, no less than 1,482 of the uninoculated has occurred among them, although cases have been The mouths of these spiracles are covered died of plague. The inoculted lost only 36, whereas prevalent all round about them. They have been with a branching growth, effectually preventhad they suffered at the same rate as their uninocu- taken into camp in batches, while their houses have i g the entrance of dust. When the insect lated neighbours, they should have lost 332-a saving been cleaned, disinfected and whitewashed. This is flying, the small air-tubes in the body

> assistants inoculated :23 persons in the two wards | The Khoja community of Bombay has been largely suffocation, if it were not for the little hair-spring most severely infected with plague, 377 other remain- inoculated, but the figures are not yet available. It in each of the tubes which gives them strength to ing uninoculated. Among these there were sub- is believed, however, that only some 20 cases of resist pressure and retain their original shape. The and the results of recent experience seem to show sequently 78 cases and 158 deaths, while among the plague have occurred among the plague have occurred among the plague have occurred among several thousands in great muscles of the back, which move the wings, inoculated there were only 14 cases and 7 deaths, oculated, and that only three or perhaps four have compress the air-tubes, and in that way pump the

Kirki had a severe epidemic in the autumn of disease was exceedingly severe. the total of 1,530 individuals," to quote M. Haffkine, to do as many as possible the followinnt day. them by 60, that is by 77 9 per cent."

with loss. On March 13 Major Buck, with a force tality has so far been little affected. In his anti- Undera, a village about six miles from Baroda, was structive. of 100 West India Regiment and twenty Frontier plague inoculation he uses the bacilli of plague to attacked by plague in January 1898. On the 5th Police, set cut from Port Lokko with one 7-pounder confer a bactericidal power which shall enable the February a careful census was taken and showed number and character of their wings. Many insects Owing to their guide losing his way the column but goes a step further and by injecting the toxines made a march of twenty-five miles before reaching secreted by the bacilli in the cultivating medium people to be dealt with. Of these 513 were inocu-Mafourri, which town was destroyed, together with in which they grow, he strives to produce an anti- lated, leaving 437 unioculated. As far as possible head, the chest, and the abdomen or belly. several others, some of which were strongly fortified toxic effect in the tissues which shall enable the an equal number of each sex, age and family were At this point a halt was made for the night, and a to his system and so reduce the case mortality. He clothing sto the heat and mortality during her short life-time. These eggs are placed sunset. laager of stones built, owing to the carriers giving frankly states that the process is based on hypo- clothing. etc., the case is the best and most conclucarefully side by side by means of the ovipositor, hour while crossing a swamp. Another guide was ment alone can prove the validity of his conclusions all were on the same and in a few days the larvæ or maggots emerge been presented to a French cathedral. The obtained, and the march continued till 4 p.m., sions. It must be obvious that an experiment of hold of the place. The little fly-grub has a body stone is nephrite, found in Siberia, and so the 15th the column left Rutien and burnt several be met and must be disposed of before we are moved to hospital and every effort made to pair of feet. When the head is extended, villages, the enemy firing on them from both sides of entitled to say that events; following inoculations combat the disease in the usual way. The inoculations it has the power, when alarmed, of drawing in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the tath but the following in the lations were done on the l the path the whole way. Rotigon was taken, and are effects and not sequences. Thus plague may lations were done on the 12th, but the following head and first joint. on the advanced guard leaving the town they were at- disappear from a village immediately after inocula- figures are taken from the 15th so as to elimi- The grub rapidly grows, takes the form of a small storm of low intensity, but caused rain tacked in force by the enemy, who occupied five stock- tions have been done. It by no means follows nate cases incubating plague at the time of the chrysalis, and in a few days it bursts open the lid in Burma and should extend over Cachar. ades placed in the bush on both sides of the road, that the inoculations have been the cause of inoculation. Three deaths occurred among the and emarges from the shell a perfect fly. thus bringing a heavy cross-fire to bear. Sharp the disappearance. The disease may have come uninoculated between the 12th and 14th inclusive, After escaping from its prison house, the fly putana, and the Punjab, the thermometer fighting continued for an hour and-a-half before the enemy were dislodged. Our casualties were: — lations be no more than a coi cidence. Similar-lations be no more than a coi cidence than a co killed, one private; severely wounded, one sergeant ly the exemption of a jail or other inoculated com- have been due to diseases other than plague have Before describing the various portions of the fly's

an important trading station about thirty-five miles reported to be progressing favourably.

from the day after the inoculations, till the epidemic occur among the inoculations are stated to the epidemic occur among the inoculations are stated to the epidemic occur among the inoculations. distant by river from Freetown, are forthcoming | Colonel E. R. P. Woodgate, C. B., of the ended 8 days later:

place. In the course of the day six villages and three strongly fortified towns were shelled and three strongly fortified towns were shelled and admitted that such cases as recover do so in virtue.

Similarly out of some 600 inoculated dependants they remained as susceptible as their uninoculated of His Highness Agha Khan at Poona all are beburnt, the troops being provided with a 7-pounder of inherent power of resistance rather than as a lieved to have escaped plague, though mixing freely it forward to a distance of five feet; but when

analogous cases of small pox, anthrax, and other longing to the same families living under the same families living under the same families living under the seas of hearing. roofs, having the same food-drink, etc., and subject, and Undera have been carefully varified by independ- The foot of the fly is a very interesting structure. to the same general preventive measures adopted by ent observers, while some of the others have been The fly is enabled to adhere by its feet to smooth the military, remain uninoculated. From the time already published, and have not been challenged. surfaces, such as glass, by means of a sticky fluid of inoculation up to the end of the epidemic, How long the protection lasts can only be establish. that exudes from the pads under the claws, and by the 859 uninoculated had 143 cases with 98 deaths. ed by time, but where it only for a few months, we the little suckers which fringe them. Of these there Seeing the absolute similarity of the conditions, the should have a valuable aid in saving people from are about 1,200 on each pad. But, firmly as these 671 inoculated should have had proportionataly 112 attack during an exsting epidemic. There is reason suckers cling, the fly is able, of course, to become a fact, and the general absence of plague in cases with 77 deaths if they had remained as to believe, however, that it lasts much longer than stuck and unstuck at will. centres of scientific medical activity delayed the susceptible to the disease as were their uninoculated this, for the large number inoculated during the first. Flies are frequently attacked with a kind of brothers, sisters, parents, wives, husbands, children, epidemic both in Bombay and Poona have, with mould which eventually kills them. Before this Instead of that they had 32 cases with 17 deaths. very few exceptions, escaped the disease during the happens they are rendered so weak by the pro-

The position, therefore, seems to warrant Govern- exert sufficient muscular force to detach their feet These cases all occurred before the recent re- ment in extending facilities for inoculation and induc- from the surface on which they rest. They therefore of the 5th an attack was delivered on the laager, periment and by practice and time was required to crudescense of plague in Bombay. A large mass of ling the people to accept it by all legitimate means. become glued to the spot and die there. Dead flies which had been made very strong, from the direction prove its efficacy. Numerous experiments have been additional information has since been accumulated, The serum takes some six weeks to prepare, and the may sometimes be seen thus fixed, the still spreading of Old Port Lokko, but the enemy were driven off made both in the laboratory and in plague-striken but has not yet been worked out, although it all technique of the process requires great care, and can fungus forming a whitish patch around their bodies. with a loss of forty killed. At 5-30 P. M. boats districts, some of which have been failures, others appears to point in the same direction. The two only be carried out by experts, but the actual inwere seen coming up the river with troops, con- more or less successful. Some have been intended as following instances, however, are complete, and oculation can be done by any medical officer accord- in the creations of the despised house-fly as in the ing to printed instructions. The operation is pain- structure of the mighty elephant. Umarkadi Jail.—Bombay was attacked by plague less, but the serum causes a certain definite reaction, despatched under Major Stansfield in H. M. S. tentative, that the experiments are only begin- in January, 1898. About half the inmates had pre- in which the temperature rises to about 102 F., and Alecto, which carried the troops as far as Maferri, ning, but the analogies mentioned above point to viously been voluntarily inoculated, the numbers on local irritation at the seat of infection usually 1st January being uninoculated 203, inoculated 198. lasts for some days, and is frequently severe. to have ceased to be Cantonments. A number of men were released during the month, This make people say of undergoing inoculation others were inoculated and, on the 30th there were unless they have something to gain by it, and the Major Stansfield was ordered to proceed to Karene, are those of M. Haffkine, and it is to this method loo uninoculated to 134 i loculated. Cases occurred fear of plague is in many instances insufficient to da mines. Four men were killed by an throughout the month, ten in all with six deaths all overcome these objections. Most people take an explosion. in uninoculated prisoners. No inoculated person optimistic view of their chances of escaping plague company at Port Lokko, another at Kerene, while method which shall eliminate or greatly diminish the was attacked, and the disease, was believed to have as Young says "all men think all men mortal but the third was to be employed as a flying column to risk of contracting the disease, and at the same time disappeared. Since then, however, there have been themselves"—and considering that the total mortality operate in the disaffected district, each company reduce the case mortality. In his anti-cholera in three suspicious cases among inoculated persons, one in both the Bombay outbreaks has been little more taking its turn for this duty. In the march to oculations a bactericidal power is conferred on the on 10th February, one on 18th, than 3 per cent., the chance of an individual's escap-

THE HOUSE FLY.

Insects are distinguished from one another by the | ber. individual to resist the same in its natural form, a population of 1,029. Up to and inclusive of 14th have four wings; the house fly has only two. It THE closing of the leaves of plants as the evening comes on was at first supposed by The body has the three important divisions; the botanists to be due to the difference in tem-

Bosworth, commanding the troops at Sierra Leone, never been introduced in which case there could have regard as its skin, but which, to an inclined to time. At last he was caught red-handed poison. Bosworth, commanding the troops at Sierra Leone, decided to take command in person, and accordingly a fourth company embarked on the 9th, accompanied by Colonel Bosworth, Captain Morley (Adjutant-by Captain Morley (Adj General), Captain Macdonald (Regimental-Adjutant), gether under similar conditions in the midst of together as already said under exactly similar control of the together as already said dependence of the existing epidemic ditions, save that some were, and others were not, and the wingribs, or nervures, by a thickening and his feet in their fury. The perpetrators command of this company, arrived at Karene on the on the two classes; and it is only when a dividual of all and the same material. The second or middle are to be prosecuted. 23rd with a convoy. He encountered serious opposi- number of instances like the above have dividuals of all ages, 71 of whom had been inoculated ooat contains the colouring-matter, and the third is so tion, and his casualities were as follows:—severely shown that under similar conditions, similar results and 64 not. The 71 inoculated had 8 cases with 3 closely connected in the full-grown fly with the wounded, Lieutenants Laurenson and Craig-Brown invariably appear, that we gradually substitute the deaths, while the 64 uninoculated had 28 cases with second as to be inseparable. The shell of the fly and four privates; seven carriers killed and missing, relation of cause and effect for that of mere sequence; 26 deaths. Had the inoculated been as susceptible is tough, and jointed like a coat of armour, and Venk teshwar Press, stood charged with and twenty-one wounded. According to orders every additional instance strengthening the induc as the uninoculated, they should have had 29 deaths in the thorax, or middle portion, there are no selling and publishing an obscene book, received at Port Lokko Captain Cane-Smith started to tion until we arrive at scientific proof. The results instead of three, and the inference seems irresistible less than fifty-one pieces. Animals having these entitled "Kam Rutnam," resulted in an

to pacify the country, returned to Freetown on the follow from further experiments and observation; or 5'9 per cent. just ten times as many. The proare of two kinds—the biting mouth as in the follow from further experiments and observation; or 5'9 per cent. just ten times as many. The proare of two kinds—the biting mouth as in the follow from further experiments and observation; or 5'9 per cent. just ten times as many. The proare of two kinds—the biting mouth as in the follow from further experiments and observation; or 5'9 per cent. just ten times as many. The pro-27th, and two more companies, under Major Bourke, and that in time it may be possible to expect as much tective influence of the inoculations is brought out cockroach, and the sucking mouth. The house of the leading Vakils of Madras, to establish, D.S.O., are embarking as I write for the scene of from inoculation in the suppression of plague as we still more strongly in some particular instances. fly has the latter. The fly can take nothing at an early date, an Association to be designated action. Captain Tyler, R. E., accompanies this now do from vaccination in the stamping out of Thus in hut 84, ward 4, five persons were inoculable but liquid food or foed that it can soften "The Southern India Bar Association," conforce, as does Surgeon-Major Crofts, A. M. S. small-pox. At present, however, the process is too ted and five uninoculated in a family of ten. The with its own saliva, such as sugar. The fly sisting of all the Advocates, Vakils, and Plea-It is anticipated that with the force now in the Port crude and imperfect to justify any compulsion on the has a little trunk, somewhat like that of the ele- ders in the Presidency, whether in or out of Lokko district the present rising will be put down at part of Government, though it might well consider of the five uninoculated got plague and died. In phant. It widens out into two broad divisions at practice. It is also intended to locate the the advisability of holding out inducements to hut 18 of the same ward three inoculated persons the bottom. It can be let down or drawn up as parent Association in Madras and to affiliate

in 1896, and since then has been on the medical staff Bombay House of Correction.—Plague broke out united together, yet each divided from the others by appointed by the Government of India to in 1896, and since then has been on the medical staff at Portsmouth. He arrived at Sierra Leone on February 19, and it was only on March 3 that he culation was offered to the prisoners, a number of culation was offered to the prisoners, a number of the prisoners of the intended especially for these diseases and is famou with Mr. Peterson and attests to the truth of this pal ones being situated in the thorax and head. fixed the 23rd May as the date for the comstatemen. This remedy is for sale by all dealers. If our head is cut off we die at once. If the heads mencement of the trial at Mooltan. There are of insects are cut off, the remainder of the body about one hundred and twenty witnesses for

across his chest inflicting a graze, and a third them. Six additional cases, 3 fatal, occurred the plague but recovered, while one of four uninoculated The circulation of the blood in a fly being very through his helmet. Notwithstanding his own same day among the noni-nocula ed, and three of got it and died. In two out of the three huts where slow, the insect is splendidly equipped with apparatus DETAILS of the disturbances in the Hinterland of injuries, he continued to attend to the other wound- the inoculated a death for supplying its blood with oxygen, thus Sierra Leone, including the serious fighting which ed who were brought to him for that purpose. evening and also occurred among the uninoculated, and in only giving to it a sprightliness and high vitality took place in the neighbourhood of Port Lokko, Surgeon-Captain Scott is now in hospital, and is ed in the following figures, which show the results one would scarcely have expected in a

from a correspondent in that colony, under date of Freetown, March 28. Information was received days ago on Messrs. Elder, Dempster & Co's While two uninoculated escaped. These figures from ours. We take in air through the nose towards the end of February that a rising had taken place in the Kassi district, under a chief named Bai place in the Kassi district, under a chief named Bai train a West African Regiment. This new regiment, and seen to me to prove that while inocular breathing holes ranged along the body, with tubes Burch, who, supported by large numbers of Timinis, which is the third West African one that is being population of about 1,000; 7 cases occurred among tion as at present practised is not an absolute to take it inside. We die if our mouth and nose had resorted to arms to oppose the levying of the raised, will be recruited in the Sierra Leone colony. All recovered. During the protective either against seizure or death, it is of are closed. Insects die from want of air if the hut tax. The revolt quickly assumed such a Colonel Woodgate is taking out with him seven same time there were 25 attacks among the uninocu. Immense value both as a prophylactic and as spriacles are closed. One of the easiest ways to serious aspect that the Governor, Sir Frederick special service officers, and nine non-commissioned lated part of the population 24 of which proved fatal, modifying the severity of the disease and reducing kill lice is to put plenty of oil on the head. The

D., F. R. C. P., Officiating Director-General of of close on 90 per cent. aLnauli.. - In July, 1897, M. Haffkine and his inoculation. air throughout the body.

with the general community among whom the alarmed, this can be increased to thirty or thirtyfive feet, which is about one-third of the speed of 1897 in which the followers belonging to the Royal | The people at Undera are thoroughly convinced of a race-horse; and it has been estimated that if a fly Artillery suffered heavily, in spite of all possi- the efficacy of inoculation, and those of a neighbour- were increased in bulk, and with speed in proporble precautions taken by the military autho- ing village (Jotai), where plague is now prevalent tion to the size of a horse, it would be able to go rities. These people numbered 1,530 living sent in a deputation of their headmen to implore round the world with the swiftness of lightning. in about 40 barracks on the Kirki maidan. 'Out of that they might be done. Arrangemeens were made Beneath the wings are two little members called haltere:. These are rudimentary wings. At the profession as a matter of theory, founded on the formulation, while 859 be- It seems to me that these cases go very far to show root are a number of sensitive organs which are

The number of 77 deaths was therefore reduced for recrudescence.

MOULMEIN and Myingyan are to be declared

A SERIOUS accident occurred at the Golcon-THE death of Sergeant-Major F. L. Wilkin,

1st Battalion, Royal Highlanders, occurred at Sitapur on Monday last, of heat apoplexy.

THE Government of India have sanctioned the grant of a plot of land in the Cantonment of Mandalay, for use as a park in commemoration of the Queen's Jubilee.

NEXT cold weather the reliefs will be so THE structure of the common House Fly is well arranged that two battalions of British Infandeserving of study. It is both interesting and in- try now in India will be sent to Wei-hai-wei, the newly-acquired Chinese port, in Decem-

with stockades erected on the various approaches. patient to throw off the poison if it should gain access conditions as to a sanitary surroundings food drinks at the leaves closing at out. On the next day the column was delayed for an thetical considerations, and that time and experisive example yet available of the result of inoculation. or egg-placer, on any moist decaying matter,

A WINDOW made entirely of stone has just

when a larger was formed at Rutien. All through this kind must be tried on a large scale before any hold of the place. The usual sanitary prediction divided into thirteen rings. The head is furbeautifully transparent that when placed, as it the might the camp was fired into by men concealed in the bush, the attack continuing till daylight. On many difficulties and possible sources of fallacy will ball-like feelers, and the second ring or joint with a moved to hospital and every effort made to

THE case in which Khemraj Shri Krishnabut met with much resistance after proceeding a working on the right lines; that he has already ob
The head of the fly has three important organs: book was a medical work, and was not one short way, and was compelled to return to Karene. I tained a measure of success which would justify the number inoculated, 513 had 8 cases or 1.56 per centthe trunk, or tongue, the eye, and the feelers. Which would be read by ordinary people or

Surgeon-Captain B. Hopton Scott, who has been inoculated died out of required. The food, when softened, is drawn up as parent Association in matter and to amnate to it the tube into the mouth and stomach. Presidency. This is the outcome of the recent resolution of the Barristers to have an Associa-

India and England.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

LONDON, APRIL 15.

have so rapidly matured during the last lew days between the United States and Spain.

All diplomatic relations between the two the blockade of Cuba, American troops are politics. being massed in Florida, and as soon as the transports are ready, Cuba will be invaded, and a joint attack of army and fleet will be made over the other. The opinion of the world at itself that the experience, gained by the policy when the House reassembles, it will have belarge as to the final result, may be measured by of closing the mints, proves that the rupee can come ancient history. the fact that Spanish 4 per cent. bonds, which | be permanently determined in value by limiting | thave always paid their interest when due, are the coin circulation and proposes to accumulate quoted to-day at £30 and are likely to be so be- 10 crores of rupees, melt them into ingots and fore long. But I adhere to the opinion, expres- | sell them in the open market. It then proposes | sed in my recent letters, that America will not to borrow 20 millons of gold to be brought out find it easy to subdue all at a blow, a desperate to Calcutta, to be used for getting in the rupees nation fighting for its last colonial possession. the British sovereign to become current coin in However, the war will not seriously or percep- India. It is further proposed that this gold tibly affect India, and your file of British loan shall be guaranteed by the British Governjournals will give you the history of the week, ment. without my repeating it here. There has never These proposals appear simply outrageous little practical value,—and it is quite impossible the effect on the silver market of the sale of ten that these papers were to be delivered early in the the plague regulations has ceased to exist. to predict the result of naval campaign between crores of rupees? At what price will they have vacation. (Hear, hear.) the 400 millions of the British Empire and impossible to fix the value of the rupee think we might with advantage take the Colonial vote of the hinese Empire the 100 millions of the United States, with by counting the number in circulation without next Friday. their enormous material wealth would be keeping in stock enough gold to exchange for a combination that might bid defiance to all rupees whenever demanded. A shilling remains THE FAR EAST.—Sir H. Vincent asked whether the Treasury whether he had received confirmation the rest of the world. Neither nation has an unchanged in value, simply because everybody assurances of the Russian Government, that the ships of the report that Wu-sung would be declared aggressive policy; and if they chose to act who accumulates 20 of them can change them lies was and an analysis and if they chose to act who accumulates 20 of them can change them lies was and an analysis and if they chose to act who accumulates 20 of them can change them lies was and any next Purish to the chinese Government, jointly, they might dictate disarmament and for a sovereign. But the mind of an Indian lien-wan, and any ports Russia had acquired or might and if so, whether it was to be attached to universal peace among nations.

THE BUDGET.

House; for, no one expected that there would be garbled in transit. Every one of them are agreed restriction or disability; and in such case whether her port and to establish a Customs station there. any surplus available for purposes other than that its adoption would be followed by one of Majesty's Government would invite the Government ever, that was a pleasant little surprise in store be entrusted with the future solvency of India tions for a like arrangement with respect to British growing feeling that quarantine regulations found him with tears running down for the tax-payer; for, after the sums already and its responsibility will be enormous. I trust allocated to increased army and navy expendi- the Government will compose it with wisdom ture had been met, there was a modest little and strict impartiality, carefully setting aside surplus of a million and a half for the Chancel- every bi-metallist crank or any other person lor of the Exchequer to play with. This en- with schemes and preconceived notions. abled him to relieve tobacco-smokers of 6d. per lb on the tobacco duty, reducing i from 3-2d per lb to 2-8d. This absorbed £,1,000,000. The small balance was employed in giving little concessions of income-tax to small incomes and to small payers of deathduties. It is a curious fact that the whole of this unexpected surplus is due to the brilliant financial operations of Sir William Harcourt's famous death-duties Budget, as the Exchequer during the year had a windfall of no less than £1,400,000 from probate duties on the swollen estates of nine millionaires. No greater illustration of the enormous and ever-increasing wealth of the United Kingdom could be furnished than the fact that the aggregate revenues of the past year reached the enormous total of over £116,000,000, while the subscriptions through every imaginable chantaxation is so evenly distributed over direct and indirect tax-payers, that no "grievance" of any kind exists, and that when the Chancellor has a million or so much he has only to decide whether he shall give it back to tea-drinkers, beer-drinkers or tobacco-smokers. Nobody is pleased with Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's disposition tuencies, I believe it would be quite possible to allow me, I will send him a memorandum on the records his pleasure at meeting Dr. Lefevre of the surplus. The Radicals are wedded to members don't believe that 6d a pound on past has deplored the lamentable slackness of tobacco, sold in ounces and half-ounces, will the Front Opposition Bench, especially with requestion.

ever filter down to the working-classes, but gard to Indian opportunities. I am pleased to THE Du will be absorbed by the rich importers and find a loud echo of my opinion in this April Mr. Samuel Smith asked the Secretary of State for John Bowring's hands some observations he reported from the Khyber. Three Sapper manufacturers; Liberals are displeased that issue of the "Reviews", where Mr. India whether the Indian Government are proposing had published in Bombay in 1840 where were blown down the khud, and one of the there should be so manifest a disposition W. T. Stead writes as follows: to modlfy Harcourt's death-duties; and borough Tory members would have liked the whole sition Bench so exasperating is that the Fates have amount used on relief of the small payers given them all ready accoutred the very battle-horse of income tax, who form the main body of which they have been praying for. Why don't they their supporters. The simplest and undoubtedly take up the question of India? Here is an Adminis the most popular method of disposing of this tration defying the vote of the House of Commons surplus would have been to have granted the and the direct instructions of the Chief Secretary on a whole to India in relief of the charges of the moral and administrative question which appeals most Frontier Campaign, which, I am certain, would strongly to all that is best in the Liberal ranks. But fraud have been welcomed with strong approval in our leaders are as mute as mice. Here is a Governevery quarter of the House of Commons and ment which has deliberately reversed the policy on the by every section of the community. But North-West Frontier which the late Cabinet with provided the plague in the lines of the member refers has been altered by the Select epidemic and without any more precautions against the new 5 per cent customs duty. then, that would have given a fresh occasion trous and bloody war has been waged, which its authors for Indian debate,—that "bogey" of the Front can only defend by promising to abandon the Bench. SIR HENRY FOWLER.

the debate on the Budget, Sir Henry Fowler was seized with sudden faintness and had to sit down for a few minutes to recover; the arbitrarily arrested native editors and keep them House waited sympathetically and he was able to this day in prison without bringing them to trial. THE PLAGUE AT POONA.—In answer to Sir W. not have dared to emit so decided an opinion to continue what he had to say. The Right Surely, here is a splendid field for effective opposi- Wedderburn, Lord G. Hamilton said: I am aware - an opinion respecting the soundness of Hon. gentleman is far from well, and needs tion. What better cry could Liberals have taken place at Poona which I do not entertain the slightest doubt."

THE CURRENCY QUESTION.

ANOTHER BY-ELECTION.

Another by-election is about to take place his questions. in West Staffordshire, owing to the death of Mr. firm of Burton Brewers, who has sat for the cons- ther he can state the number of evictions for non-pay- tine, however strict. During the outbreak in also enjoyed his dinner again. tituency since 1885. He was unopposed in 1895, ment of land assessment in the Presidency of Madras Ahmedadad district in 1817 strict quarantine This is the other part of the story: In 1867 but in 1892, he defeated his Liberal opponent by during the last ten years and the previous ten years, was enforced by the Collector at all there was a merry picnic in a wood. Among 2400 votes. Since then, the Liberal party in the and the amount realised by the sale of the personal the neighbouring villages, but these "harsh the guests was the lovely seventeen-year-old constituency have been thoroughly disheartened and real property respectively of the defaulters; and stringent measures were powerless Countess L, with whom the young Prince fell everybody as an impregnable stronghold of Toryism and Beer. A local Liberal has however pluckily come forward to contest the ever pluckily come forward to contest the vacancy; and it will be interesting to see what vacancy; and it will be interesting to see what classified; whether the classification of soils for land will be the result of Liberal reaction in such a assessment in the Madras Presidency is made on the Plenipotentiary in China. The visit took were found with their hats full of strawberries. constituency. The late Mr. Pass has demoraliz- same principles as in the Bombay Presidency, and, if place in 1858. Twenty years previously Sir which they were merrily eating. The next momen nel. I venture, however, to predict that although under the notice of the Madras Government repeated- the terrible visitation of Egypt in 1835, Countess was sent to the Convent this is perhaps the most forlorn hope in the ly during the last six years, and, if so, what was their and who by devoting his life to the Misericorde, where she has remained up to country that could possibly have created a by- reply; and whether he can state the quantity of study of this day. During the few days throughout which election, that the majority even here will be arable land lying waste and available for cultivation in obtained an experience probably unrivalled in the King had shown such unfavourable symptoms of the land lying waste and available for cultivation in obtained an experience probably unrivalled in the King had shown such unfavourable symptoms. appreciably reduced. If only the Liberal lead-ers in Parliament were as alert to their opportu-the Madras Presidency were due encouragement of the agricultural superior to take it up nities as the Liberal rank and file in the consti- population to take it up. get this wretched and incompetent Government subject of the many questions he has put to me, as it in the Phillippines, and at finding that his old past has deplored the lamentable slackness of within the limits of a reply to a Parliamentary sions as to the efficacy of quarantine regula- Executive Council during the current Similar gard to Indian opportunities. I am pleased to The Duty on Acknowledgments of Debt. - was unchanged. Dr. Lefevre placed in Sir A PREMATURE explosion of gun cotton i

What makes the recklessness of the Front Oppounique unanimity adopted, with the result that a disasprinciples on which it was ordered. But beyond a field-day on the Address, they have made no use of so agreement they are bonds and must be stamped as to the scourge; if, finally, since that epoch I I am sorry to say that during his speech in splendid an object-lesson. Finally, the Indian Governrest. He has devoted himself recently to the that of British Government for British India? to express the gratitude of the native community for | - The Pioneer.

is suffering from overstrain. I understand on Russian principles. They are suppressing free- his colleagues have suppressed the plague in that that the Chairmanship of the proposed Indian Currency Committee has been offered to Sir Henry Fowler, and no better man could have heen shown to take the chairmanship of the proposed Indian And yet our leaders sit dumb! Sir Henry Fowler was much perturbed by what I said in January about the impotent state of the Liberal Party. I heen shown to take the page in that town and its vicinity, and I read with special interest one of the statements made by the head of the municipality to this effect: -" Of the soldiers and the valuable services rendered by them and the valuable services rendered by them been chosen to take this onerous and respon- hope he will pardon me for saying that his failure to the city and their kind behaviour towards murder of two Lance-Corporals of the K. O. L. S. sible position. I sincerly trust, his health may to make use of so great an opportunity has done the poor natives whose houses they helped in Regiment, petitioned H. E. the Governor-in-Council permit him to do so; for, whatever one may more than anything else to confirm my estimate of searching and white-washing I cannot speak too praying that the sentence of death passed upon

THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR.

There is very little material affecting India

There is very little material affecting India one is entirely absorbed in the events which have so rapidly matured during the last few learn nothing about the composition of the

to leave Cape Verd; and it is difficult to by a telegram which has been sent from force from Poona, and that in all these matters the city of Poona 320,400 rs.

INDIA AND THE EAST IN PAKLIAMENT. HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Monday, April 18.

THE DEBATE ON CHINESE AFFAIRS.

Tuesday, April 19. finding out. Not a few of the Indian Bankers British goods should never be taxed at such ports Custom House. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach introduced his here declare that the details of the scheme, as beyond the five per cent. levied under treaty at the commercial influence by the Emperor of China.

Mr. Balfour: I think it would be better if my hon.

found in the mode of assessment, he recommended of opinion on this subject quoted from "A disappeared with her into the wood. As the young that the whole of the soils in the delta should be re- visit to the Phillippine Islands" by Sir John couple did not return, and it was getting late, the

that all acknowledgments of debt exceeding 20 rs., vessels from the Red Sea were subjected unfortunate men was killed outright. which, under the existing law, are liable to a fixed duty to sanitary regulations. Sir John Bowof 1 a., shall, when attested by a witness, be liable to into consideration that poor persons will suffer plague, but much to encourage its propagation. North-West Provinces and Oudh. heavily by the payment of heavy stamp duties, or He complains of the deafness and incredulity otherwise be deprived of an important safeguard from of those whom the examination of a thousand

Thursday, April 21.

closest consideration of Indian questions, and At present Lord Elgin and his advisers are governing the skill and success with which Colonel Creagh and contrast to the conditions existing a few months. The following is the text of the petition which of the Sirdars Natu. As I have before said, the Mahomed Ali, alias Soudagar, who was sentenced

mitted the murder had not been discovered.

Mr. Provand asked the First Lord of the sider whether he should accept the verdict.

Budget for the year last night in a scanty telegraphed here, must be either imaginary or port and to establish a Customs station there

Lord G. Hamilton: If the hon, gentleman will the treatment of diseases. Sir John Bowring had become aware of the fact. tions, so really useless, costly, and vexatious," Session of Government on Friday. indisputable facts will not convince, and he three thousand more troops have arrive Lord G. Hamilton: The provisions in the Bill to thus concludes: "If I had not with peculiar to operate against the Tangistanis. At Bushin amend the law relating to stamps; to which the hon. attention studied the plague in the midst of an the merchants are plotting a riot as a protes Committee. All acknowledgments will now con- than if the danger was nothing; if subsetinue to be liable to a duty of I a. only unless they quent to the terrible visitation of 1835 in tinue to be liable to a duty of I a. only unless they include a promise to pay or some agreement of that nature. If they contain such a promise or to the second of the se such—under the old law as well as under the law had not given myself up with all the warmth now proposed. I do not understand that the of passion to the constant study of this malaexamination of all sorts of objections, I should

A PETITION FOR MERCY.

All diplomatic relations between the two members of the present Cabinet, regard to the further detention of the brothers tranquillity will not be endangered by their release. Taylor, on the 9th of March last, petitioned His Exceldor to Spain has gone to France, and the Span- possibly Lord Balfour of Burleigh or Mr. Natu; and Lord George Hamilton merely re- Sir W. Wedderburn asked the Secretary of State lency the Governor on Monday last, praying for a ish Ambassadar at Washington has removed to Ritchie, as well as several experts upon curren-Canada. The American squadron has begun cy questions, entirely unassociated with party Mr. HerbertRoberts' Amendment to the Queen's that Damodher Charles and the drawn up by his counsel, Mr. Kazi Kabir-ud-Din, the Government of Bombay are satisfied that of Mr. Rand and Lieutenant Ayerst, had been ed with murder it became necessary that definite the public tranquillity will not be endangered that the public tranquillity will not be endangered general conspiracy having existed leading to those produced by the prosecution. The Police enquiry by their release. In reply to a further question, murders; and, if not, whether he would now itself showed that the prisoner could not have been FINANCIAL authorities are much fluttered he again refused to withdraw the punitive police direct the withdrawal of the punitive police costing guilty of this offence. The prisoner's name was put forth because the three witnesses in the understand why the American fleet, so much Calcutta, summarising certain currency pro- he had no intention whatever to interfere with Lord G. Hamilton: I have not received any biscuit-walla's shop at Grant Road wanted to stronger in battle-ships, should not endeavour posals of the Indian Government, which are to the discretion of the news referred to in the save themselves at any cost. They had in fact been to intercept the Spanish, instead of beleaguring be submitted to the Committee Lord George do not think any good end will now be served first branch of the question, nor have I been officially arrested for the murder, and, five days after, were Havana. However, the passion and patriotism Hamilton is about to appoint; and, if they be by further Parliamentary action on behalf of Put the miraculously removed to the witness box, while of both nations is thoroughly aroused, and no founded on actual fact, which by no means the Natus. They will probably be released in But the question at issue related to Chapekar alone, the petitioner was arraigned in the dock fourteen effort will be spared by either belligerent to follows with regard to Indian telegrams, "the August, after the House has adjourned for its and I do not consider that the absence of evidence of days after the murder. These witnesses showed secure some early and decisive advantage Indian Government appears to have convinced autumn holidays, and six months after that, situ for maintaining a general conspiracy in way any disproves the neces-unanimously that the petitioner and the other four Sir W. Wedderburn asked whether the police were ed the soldiers, that one of the victims was pursued not placed in Poona because the person who com- and beaten by these five, that they at the same time attacked the other man in the shop and that Lord G. Hamilton said there were various reasons | they ran away together while the crowd remained for placing the force of police, but the hon. member there. Out of the six persons produced by the was not quite correct in the conclusion he had drawn. | Crown only two were independent witnesses. One In answer to Mr. MacNeill, Lord G. Hamilton of these witnessed the scene from the middle of said: I have already stated, and have to-day repeat- a balcony on the second storey of a house. The ed in reply to the question of the hon. member for balcony was covered with chicks and curtains Banffshire, that the detention of the Sirdars Natu which rendered it a physical impossibily for him to will continue until the Government of Bombay is see. The other witness said that he could not satisfied that the public tranquillity and order will not | identify anybody and this was the more plausible be endangered by their release. I have no intention | version having regard to the fact that the soldiers of interfering with the discretion of that Government; were surrounded by an immense crowd who been any serious naval warfare since the great to the leaders of Finance in this country, and but I will add that I am not aware of the reasons were flourishing sticks. The evidence of the development of modern war-ships except in the are represented by them as being mere counsels of the Treasury when the papers relating to China which the hon, member has for stating that the ap-Japan-China war, -an experience which is of of despair. What, it is reasonably asked, will be will be in the hands of members. We understood prehension that they would impede the execution of servants, petitioner submitted, was inconsistant, TRADE WITH CHINA.—Mr. Johnson-Ferguson cution rested on the shop witnesses who could not two fleets of such equal power as those of the to be bought and sold? There must be a loss of Mr. Balfour. As the hon. gentleman is well aware, asked the First Lord of the Treasury whether the have been in a position to identify anybody because United States and Spain. Although the Ameri- at least sixpence on each rupee, with a market it is impossible to publish papers dealing with ne- treaties between this country and China secured at the time Corporals Evans and Taylor came can fleet may be considered the strongest, it has depreciated by such a mass of silver dumped gotiations of the character in question without making to the trade of this country with China most-favour- before the shop the servants were at the back far more to do with it. Not only has Cuba to be down upon it. Ten crores of sixpences means reference to the foreign concerned. Sixpences means reference to the foreign concerned to the people rushed are more to do with it. Not only has Cuba to be down upon it. invaded and the Spaniards driven out, but the 2½ millions sterling, which will make a very and the Russo Chinese Government and the Russo Chinese Royald ment and the Russo Chin invaded and the Spaniards driven out, but the United States have a free board of 4000 miles of coast, which it will be impossible to defend successfully from the attack of Spanish cruisers. The war will not be a short one. Both nations cleared out of its 20 millions to be hoarded or the papers to members before Thursday afternoon or should pay respectively an import or export Chinese untrustworthy and dangerously conflicting. One are ill prepared, the States especially. No other exported to be followed by fresh gold-loans and Friday morning. That obviously makes it very duty to the extent of one-third less as compared witness said that as soon as the soldier was great Power is likely to intervene; and steadily-increasing sterling demands upon the inconvenient to discuss foreign affairs on Friday with the duty imposed at Chinese seaport Custom- dragged out, the shop was closed, and if this was so anything in the shape of a European Indian Government. 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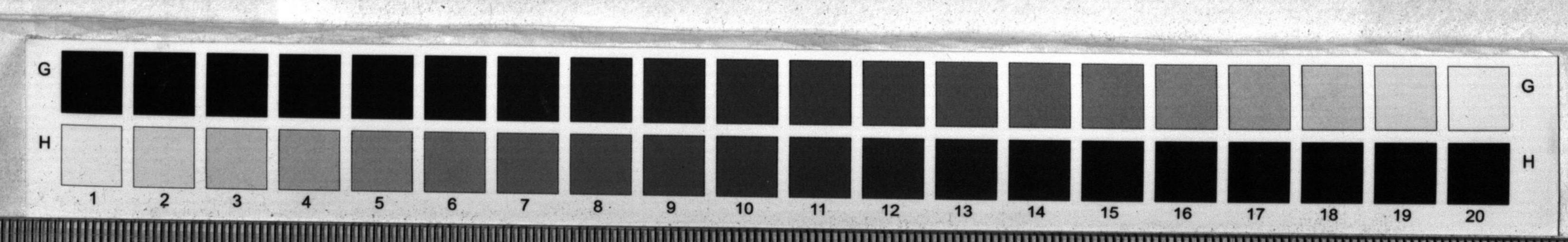
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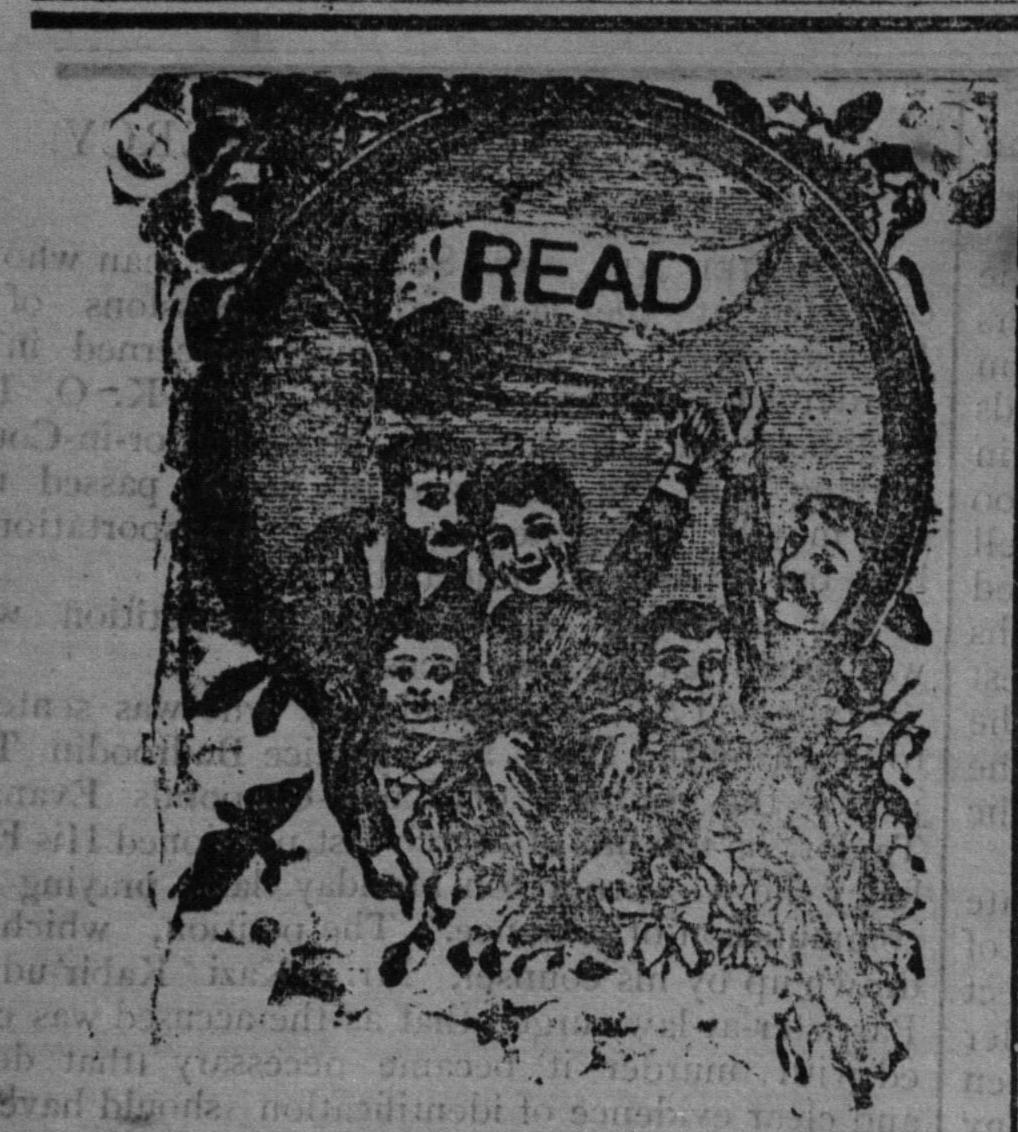
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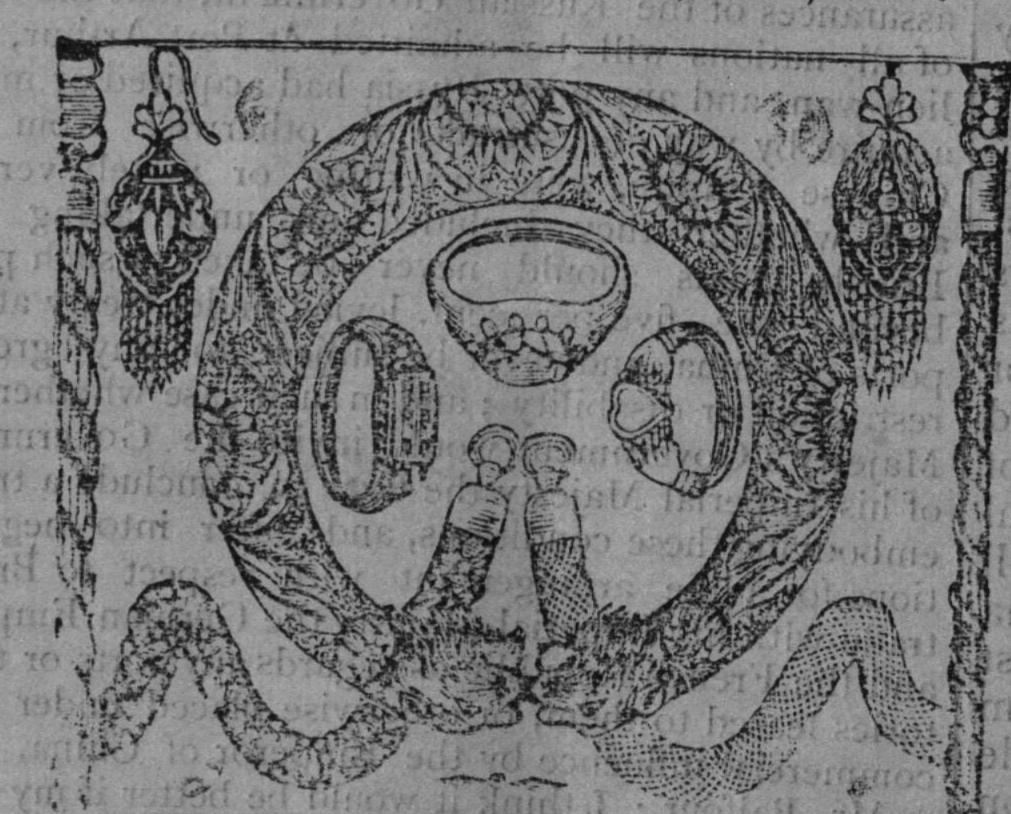
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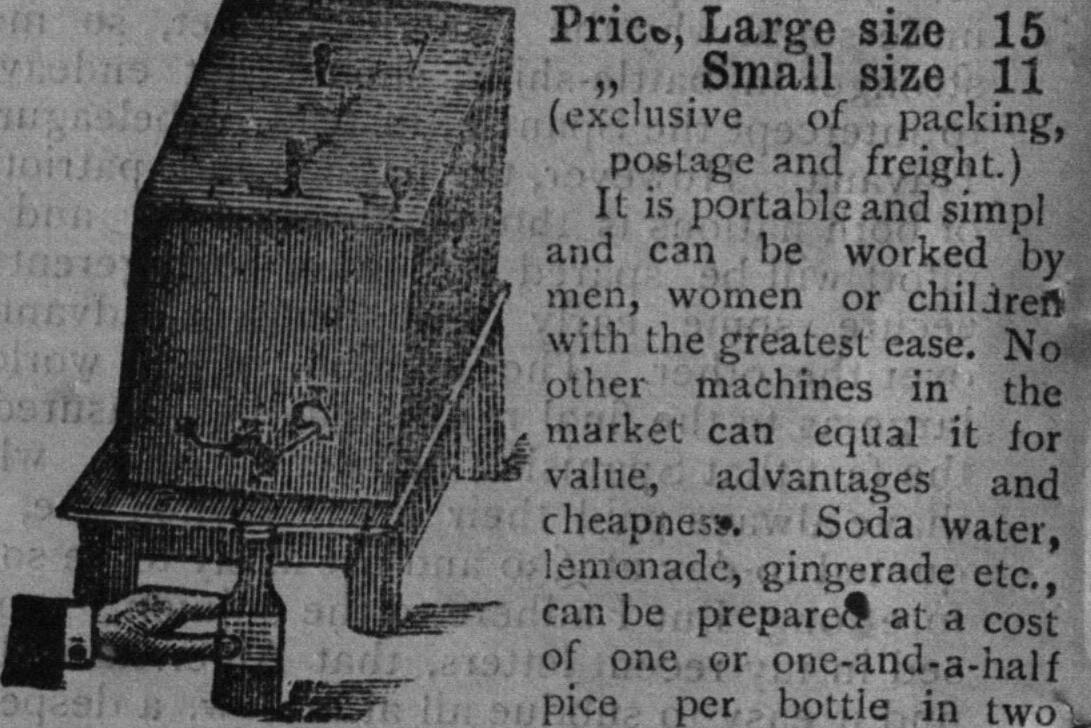
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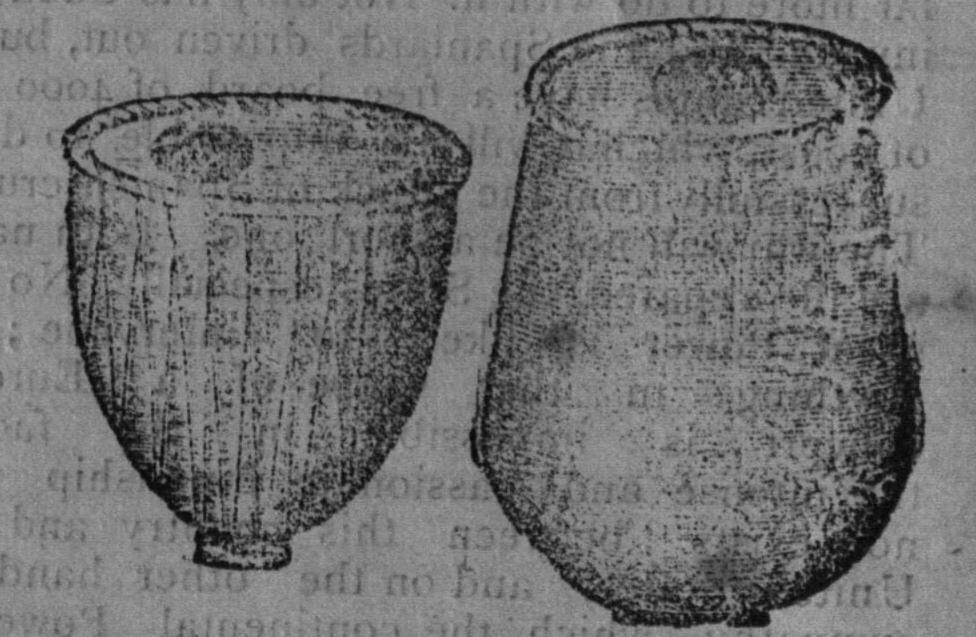
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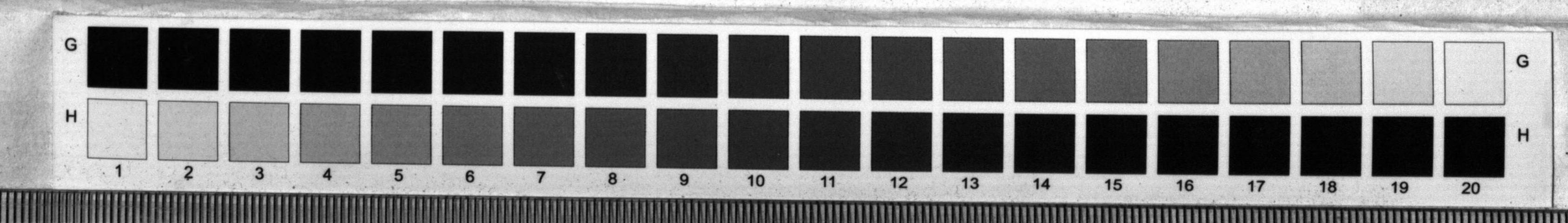
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