# LAURA HILL IS FREE.

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#### Judge Ewing Grants Her Liberty Because of Her Testimony

IN THE TRIAL OF FITZSIMMONS.

The Supreme Justices Prepare to Wind Up Their Work Here.

SPOKES FROM THE WHEEL OF JUSTICE

Laura Hill, the accomplice of Fred C. Fitzsimmons, is a free woman again. Her valuable testimony in the Fitzsimmons trial was responsible for her release. Since March last she has been an inmate of the county jail awaiting trial as accessory to the robbery of Schmidt's jewelry store at Homestead. Her case came up in Criminal Court vesterday, and the interest in the famous case brought a large crowd of peopie to the couri room. Her appearance has been little changed by long imprisonment.

When the case opened Mrs. Hill pleaded guilty. District Attorney Burleigh then asked the Court to suspend sentence on her. The defendant, he said, had proven a valuable witness in the Fitzsimmons case. She had told all she knew about the robbery and gave testimony which could not have been secured from any other person. She had made no effort to conceal her guilt, and had even admitted it. But owing to the valuable aid she had given the Commonwealth she should not be sentenced. Judge Ewing said:

"At the request of the District Attorney and with the full approval of the Court, sentence is suspended in this case. It is understood that it was the desire of the late District Attorney Johnston that this course should be pursued, and there being no other charges against the defendant she is released.

There was a murmur of approval in the crowd outside the rail as the Judge concluded, and all eyes were turned toward Laura Hill. She hesitated a moment, then rose and faced the Court and said: "I thank Your Honor and the District

Attorney.

With that she turned and left the courtroom, and the crowd stood aside to let the woman past who had figured so prominently in one of the most sensational trials ever before a court of Allegheny county. She walked quietly out of the Court House into the street, where she had not been for so long, and disappeared in the crowds.

Fred Fitzsimmons, the central figure in the story, has baffled his guardians and found freedom by his own daring and shrewdness: Mr. and Mrs. Clark are behind the bars at Riverside, Cora Wyatt has proven her innocence and now the curtain falls on the last act as Laura Hill thanks the Court and is free.

#### PREPARING TO QUIT.

general argument list for Allegheny county will appear on to-day's list and will be called. This will enable them to enter such non-prosses and continuances as are necescary, so it will be known exactly how many cases there will be to hear next week. There are about 28 cases remaining on the

Eight cases were argued yesterday. An argument wesheard in the case of H. J. Heinz & Co. vs Lutz Bros., appealed by the defendants from Common Pleas No. 2. The suit was brought by Heinz & Co., to restrain Lutz Bros., from issuing an alleged imitation of the plaintiff's label for fruit,

An argument was heard in the case of S. Dickson and wife vs McGraw Bros., ap-

pany. The plaintiffs, it is stated, have laid three gas pipes from Homestead across the Monongahela river to the Edgar Thomson Steel Works at Braddock to supply the lat-ter works with natural gas. The pipes are laid on the bed of the river, and are carry-ing gas at a high pressure. The detendants, it is charged, are dredging in the river and intend to raise the plaintiff's pipes about ten feet. This would cause a break. The defendants, it is asserted have no right to And Pleasing Is Easier if Color HOW TO USE LAST YEAR'S SKIRTS. defendants, it is asserted, have no right to do the work, and an injunction is asked to restrain them from interfering with the plaintiff's pipes. The Newest Evening Gowns and an Irish

OPENED THE ROAD.

The Pittsburg and Moon Run Railroad Thrown Open to Travel-Many Railway The dominant purpose in dressing is still Officials Present at the Ceremony-Open Oil and Coal Lands.

ever to captivate man's heart. Then let us emember, we that are fair, not to affect One of the neatest little lateral railways pale blues and violets that give an ashen

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Frieze Costume.

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in this country, the Pittsburg and Moon Run, was opened yesterday. It has traffic connection with "the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railway and connects with the latter at Groveton, about eight miles below the city. The length of the Pittsburg and Moon Run road is six miles, the southwestern terminus being at the Steubenville pike, near Remington postoffice. At that end is a fine farming country underlaid with excellent coal, which hitherto could not be gotten to market. The road will be a great help to farmers up Moon Run and petrol-cum operators in the McCurdv field. The principal men interested, that is

those who put the most money into the road, are General J. Casement, of Paines-ville, O., and Peter M. Hitchcock, of Cleveland. Mr. Hitchcock is Treasurer, and Mr. R. L. Casement, son of the General, Secre-tary, and Mr. N. Sanford, General Manager. A party of about 50 left the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railway depot at 10:45 A. M.,

and arrived at Groveton at 11, where they had lunch furnished by Caterer Kennedy. After being refreshed they started over the line in a special train and inspected it. The tipple near the Steubenville pike is pro-nounced the most perfect thing of the kind A Street Coat. And we that have red hair must choose ever in color and hue the deeper tints of reddish brown that modify and make glorious the in the country. The company has four pits open, and in a few days will be able to put brightness of our tresses. We that have florid complexions may wear shades of plum out all the coal wanted. Three passenger trains daily will connect at Groveton with norid complexions may wear stades of plum and heliotrope, and with a care certain shades of gray having a pinkish tint. We that are stout, alas! have no alterna-tive from dark, subdued colors, avoiding all the Pittsburg and Lake Erie. Among those present at the opening and inspection were, of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railway: John G. Robinson, Secretary and Treas-

eccentricities of dress and conspicuous adornment. We must wear few jewels, seurer; Frank A. Dean, General Freight Agent; J. B. Yohe, Master of Transportavere styles, high coiffures, and renounce the vanity of tight gloves. The artist's never-failing rule in color choosing is: Wear only those tints whose duplicates may be found tion; R. Evans, Purchasing Agent; 8. Fos-ter, Chief Clerk and General Superintendent; Fred M. Kennedy, Freight Agent, and Mr. Mackey, Chief Clerk in the Treasurer's in the hair, the eyes, or the complexion office

The accompanying "veste de matin" is an iron gray cloth, with decoupees basques and wide facings. The trimming is of narrow The P., C. & St. L. Railway was represented by G. S. Davidson, General Super-intendent; R. T. Hill, Secretary and Treasblack velvet ribbon. urer, and J. P. Hough, Train Master. It is an interesting and anomalous fact A. Anderson, General Manager of the Clinton Railway, represented that com-pany. For the Western Union Telegraph Company appeared C. O. Rowe, Superinthat as black becomes more disliked and discarded for mourning wear the love of it

tendent, and Thomas Benuett, Superin-tendent of Construction. The L. S. & M. S. representatives were H. J. Lawrence, General Agent, and George H. McIntyre, of Youngstown, O. On behalf of the N. Y., P. & O. Railway Company appeared S. P. Woodside, Gen-eral Agent, and George E. Hodges, Special

Agent. There were also a number of coal com-All Remaining Supreme Court Cases Will Be Called To-Day. The Supreme Court will likely conclude its session for this district insche early part of next week. All remaining cases on the

vantage.

Company. The special train on the Moon Run part of the trip was under the command of Conductor Robinson and Engineer Davis, Nature departed from her usual plan in this section by making the greater portion of Moon Run straight and without any tunneling and no cutting of consequence, the road is so nearly straight that more than half of it can be seen while standing at some points

### A FINE COURSE OF LECTURES

on the line.

To be Delivered at the Western University and the Fublic Invited. The course of Lectures Extraordinary at

other side that a woman inquiring in a smart Brussels shop for a black veil was told lottily "that a black veil was now so demode that madame must try elsewhere if the Western University is open to the would procure one." public Hon John Dalzell will deliver the first lecture this afternoon at 3 o'clock, upon "The Tariff." The lecture next Friday afternoon will be by Col. James Andrews on "Ship Railways." On November 20th Col. T. P. Roberts will lecture ber 20th Col. T. P. Roberts will lecture upon "Modern Waterways," on November 27th, Mr. H. McL. Harding, Superin-tendent of the Westinghouse Electric Com-pany, will lecture upon the "History of the Development of Electric Rilways." Mr. Harding was connected with the building of the first successful electric rail-way in America. On December 4th, Prof. M. B. Biddle will lecture upon the "History ed according to the vagaries of the most fantastic caprice. Here is one which a charming woman has evolved out of her inner consciousness and some bits of Marie Antoi-M. B. Riddle will lecture upon the "History of the Development of Hellenistic Greek." Students in the various educational in-stitutions in the two cities, and professional men are specially invited to avail them-selves of this course of lectures. nette brocade left in trust by some grand-aunt belle of beginning of the century fame, The brocade has bright flowers on a yellow egru ground, and with green leaves in the fig-ure whose vivid tint is

THE PITTSBURG DISPATCH, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1891. over to wear in the final set of "The Last Word." Felix and Worth are responsible for her costumes, and every one knows that one man's play in these days makes many a woman's work. WOMEN MUST PLEASE

The women of California have installed the widow of John C. Fremont, the famous pathfinder, in a pretty little home in the heart of an orange grove in Los Angeles as an expression of their love and gratitude to the man who did so much preliminary work toward the work of building up the magnifi-cent Commonwealth of California. It is just about a year since it became known that Mrs. Fremont and her daughter were practically without a home, and the effort was commenced to provide her with one and the means of maintaining herself in it with comfort, and all has been accomplished

with comfort, and all has been accomplished save the payment of a small amount on the

Irish friezes differ from the cheviots in being woven of twisted threads, which gives a durable firmness, but takes somewhat from the beauty of quality. They are in brown and white mixtures, and are \$2 50 a yard. There is also a serviceable freize made by the Scotch highlanders in their cottages. It is hand-made, of undyed wool, and very light gray. A costame made from it is trimmed with mink tails and brown velvet. A long skirted jacket opens with a rolling collar over a vest of the velhue to our delicate coloring, but to seek the setting of dark blues and rich greens and dull reds as our fitting background and framing, says a writer in the New with a rolling collar over a vest of the York Sun. And we that are dark must

It laps over onto the left side, be never forget that all double-breasted below the bust, where it is blind fastened, without buttons. It is edged all around with the mink tails, which form the tints of yellow, from palest cream to deepest gold, are ours



continuous roll. The bell-shaped skirt is slashed to the waist slightly toward the left side, and a velvet V is set under the slash. The skirt is edged clear round with the

Every woman adores love letters, and here is an extract from one embodying such a high ideal of womanhood that every girl and woman ought to paste it among her scrap book treasures: "There is no woman like you in this wide world. Who else has so much talent with so little self-conceit; so much reputation with so little affection, so much literature with so little nonsense; so much enterprise with so little extravagance;

Ada L. Tims enjoys the distinction of being the only newspaper woman in the world having the turf as a specialty. She is a bright, clever woman of about 20 years, well versed in pedigrees and records, but at at all "h



# WE ARE MAKING A SPURT

In Fall and Winter Clothing that is startling a great many people. Our stock is now complete, embracing a wonderful assortment of elegant Sack Suits at \$8, \$10, \$12 to \$20. Cutaways and Frock Suits, \$10, \$12, \$15 to \$25, and a handsome array of Overcoats, \$12, \$15, \$18 to \$40, and a grand assortment of Boys' Suits. \$5, \$10, \$12 to \$20. Children's Suits in variety unexcelled at \$2, \$4, \$5 to \$15. Underwear, Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Neckwear in endless assortment. Come in and we : promise to suit you in price. :

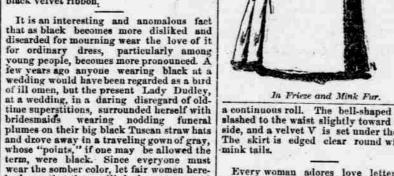
# DON'T FORGET

That we are still giving away those splendid DINNER BUCK-ETS to purchasers in our Men's Department, and also those novel DIME BANKS to purchasers in our Children's Department. All purchasers are welcome to them, and they

ARE REQUESTED TO ASK FOR THEM WITH THEIR PURCHASE.



Out of doors is never comfortablethe sun hurts his eyes. The hats we are displaying this fall have rims of the very latest patterns, which afford ample protection to the eyes. We have the Derby in several shapes, the Silk Dress in the latest styles, the Crush for office and travel and the slouch for the field and farm. Come in and examine our \$1, \$1.50, \$1.90, \$2, \$2.90, \$3.90 to \$5 hats.



plumes on their big black Tuscan straw hats and drove away in a traveling gown of gray, whose "points," if one may be allowed the term, were black. Since everyone must wear the somber color, let fair women here-by know that they will look younger and fairer in dead, lusterless materials like wool or velvet, while brunettes require the sheen of satin or gloss of silk to wear black to ad-vantage. Every one must remember, too, that cheap black is an abomination in the eyes of men and a vexation to the soul of woof men and a vexation to the does not pay, men. It will not wear and does not pay. Another thought in this connection. The black hat is to be supplemented with a cream veil of sprigged lace, which will be distractingly becoming to brunette beauty.

much enterprise with so little extravagance; so much tongue with so little scold; so much sweetness with so little softness; so much of so many things and so little of so many other things?" The letter was writ-Swagger girls are going without candy now for the sake of having the genuine point ten many years ago by the Rev. Dr. Stowe to his famous wife, Harriet Beecher Stowe. d'Alencon veiling, but only a connoisseur could distinguish the difference between the real thing and the Brussels net imitation. So firm a hold have these veils taken on the

cent yer annum.

stock on the market, namely, the Commercial. The two systems are as widely sep-arated as they could possibly be, the one operating in the far East and the other in he far West; nevertheless, they have many points of similarity. In extent they match each other very closely, the total mileage of the Great North lines being 6,110 miles, while the Commercial measures, with its land connections, 6,935 miles. Financially, they also present some curious parallels, their capitalization being as nearly as possi-ble alike, and their earnings, both gross and net, being very little apart.

In 1890 the Great Northern telegraph sys tem had gross receipts of \$1,400,000, equal to \$227 per mile of cable. In the same year the Commercial Cable Company carned \$1,932,-000, or at the rate of \$278 per mile of cable. The net earnings were respectively \$1.037,-000 for the Grand Northern and \$1,112,680 for the Commercial Cable. In fixed charges the older company has somewhat the ad-vantage of its junior, having been able to borrow at 5 per cent as against 6 per cent, which the Commercial Company has to pay. The amount of Great Northern debentures is also very small-£245,000-and it is being steadily reduced by annual redemption. The same policy is being pursued even more energetically by the Commercial Cable Company. It started with a debenture capi-tal of about \$3,000,000, which has already with a womanly dignity which always commands respect at the pool box, the track or the hotel corridor. She is a correspondent for about 15 dailies, including the Chicago been reduced by more than one-half. In 1890 bonds were redeemed to the nount of \$200,000, and at the beginning of the present year another \$600,000 was paid off. This reduced the outstanding sum to \$1,600,000, or £320,000. At least another \$200,000 will be redeemed at the end of the year, bringing down the debenture debt of the Commercial Company to about the same level as that of the Great Northern. In respect of capital stock and reserve the two undertakings are practically on all fours. The Great Northern's 6,000 miles of cable is capitalized at \$7,500,000, and has a reserve fund behind it of fully \$3,000,000. The Commercial Company has a capital of \$7,-716,000, and a reserve of \$2,480,000, or half

per cent, an odd contrast to the Great Northern Company's 90 per cent on practi-

cally the same kind of stock. Outside of the market there is no justification what-

Viewed as Investments Purely.

The Great Northern has for several years

past had a good solid income, ranging from £270,000 to £280,000 a year, the rate of in-

crease being merely fractional. In the same period the Commercial Cable receipts have increased nearly 100 per cent. In 1888 the

gross receipts of the company were \$1,189,-000; in 1890 they had grown to \$1,931,000,

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table:

In the official list of the Stock Exchange there are 16 or 17 companies quoted and of the whole number only three or four have escaped the evil of over-financing. The Indo-Enropean has always been conducted

shares which can be regarded as invest-ments is Great Northern, a competitor of the Indo-European. Although it is a for-eign institution, its headquarters being at Copenhagen, its business is so well con-Copenhagen, its business is so well con-ducted and its dividends are so invariably satisfactory that it holds a first-class posi-tion both here and on the continent. Retion both here and on the continent. Re-cently it has paid on an average 7½ per cent per annum and the shares have for years been steadily appreciating. From 13 they moved up with the growth of the dividend first to 15, then to 17, and after resting there awhile they got now to 19. Foreign as they are, they are one of the highest priced of cable stocks, the yield on their present quotation being under 4½ per cent. It has taken them, however, nearly a quarter of a century to work up to this high level. A very interesting comparison may be drawn between them and the youngest cable stock on the market, namely, the Commer-

Interesting Comparative Figures 10

on conservative lines, with the result that it is now a very solid institution, able to serve the public well and at the same time serve the public well and at the same time treat its shareholders handsomely. They can always count on it for 10 per cent divi-dends, and the shares in consequence com-mand a substantial premium. With £25 paid on them they have a market value of £42, the yield on which is about 53% per cent vacenous. Growth of the Great Northern. Another of the select circles of cable

as a Speculation.

holders and cable shares would have stood

in much better credit with investors. In

later enterprises these errors have been cor-rected and cable systems, prudently admin-istered, have been enabled to exhibit their

real earning power. But the fairly capital

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ealed by the plaintiffs from Common Pleas No. 1. The case was an action in ejectment. The case of L. E. Felty vs D, K. Calhoun, appealed by the defendant from Common Pleas No. 1, was argued. The suit was on an agreement to sell real estate. An argument was heard in the case of J.

W. Riddle vs W. L. Mellon et al, appealed by the plaintiffs from Common Picas No. 1. The suit was on an oil lease.

An argument was heard in the case of S. T. Ewing and wife vs the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railway Company, appealed by the plaintiffs from Common Pleas No. 1. The suit was for damages for illness occasioned Mrs. Ewing by a fright caused by a collision of freight cars, which were wrecked and thrown against the house, adioning the railroad. The case of Murphy & Diebold vs J. P.

Cappeau et al, appealed by the plaintiffs from Common Pleas No. 1, was argued. The snit was an action on a mechanic's lien. An argument was heard in the case of E.

R. Ayers & Co. vs. A. E. McCandless, ap-pealed by the defendant from Common Pleas No. 1. The suit was for damages for an alleged illegal sheriff's sale.

An argument was heard in the case of W. Sugden et al, vs M. E. McKenna, appenied by the defendant from Common Pleas No. 1. The suit was a dispute as to the title of property under the will of

#### SEVERAL SMALL CASES

#### Before Judges Ewing and McClung in Criminal Court.

In Criminal Court yesterday before Judges Ewing and McClung, John Mitchcowsky was tried and acquitted of stealing scrap iron from the yard of the Eliza Furnace.

William A. Diamond was convicted of assault and battery upon Luke Luckock at reaching it. Oakmont, May 14, and was fined \$10 and C0518.

John Gibson was convicted of selling liquor to minors at McKees' Rocks on October 15. He was fined \$50 and costs and sent 60 days to the workhouse.

Dr. T. D. Davis, of No. 6018 Penn ave-nue, was convicted of assault and battery Thomas Hays pleaded guilty to selling liquor without heense in South Fayette township. He was fined \$550 and sent to

the workhouse for four months, J hn H. De Carpenter and Robert Bennett were found guilty of obstructing

highway in Duquesne borough. Henry, Turner was acquitted of aggravated assault and battery on George Smith, and the costs were divided.

Andrew Kelly, Jr., a road supervisor in Elizabeth township, is on trial for refusing to open a road according to an order of

#### Rev. H. E. Southerland Fined. The famous case of Rev. H. E. Suther-

land, of Luzerne county, convicted at the last term of the United States District Court at Erie, of circulating improper mat-ter through the mails, was terminated yesterday before Judge Reed, who sentenced the defendant to pay fine of \$600. T. B. Alcorn, representing Mr. Sutherland, made a masterly plea for his aged client, and the case excited unusual sympathy for the deiendant.

#### To-Day's Trial List.

Criminal Court - Commonwealth vs Jos. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Nosie, alias Relerick, Kate Hanes, Alexander Anderson, Maggie Daley, George F. Miller and Patrick Smythe.

#### To Protect Their Gas Pipes

A bill in equity was filed yesterday, by the Carnegie Natural Gas Company against the Pittsburg Wire Company and the Monongahela and Western Dredging ComCALIFORNIA.

#### The Country of Delightful Winters.

green velvet vest over which the brocade is draped, The collar and corsage girdle are exquisitely em-broidered in dull gold and silver, picked California is the most attractive and de lightful section of the United States, if not of the world, and its many beautiful resorts will be crowded with the best families of out here and there with pink sparkling gems in happy accord with the dull rose du Barry crepon which the East during the entire winter. It offers to the investor the best open opportunity for 'safe and large returns from its fruit lands. It offers the kindest climate in the world to the feeble and debilitated; and it is reached in the most comfortable manner over the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad. Pullman vestibule sleeping cars leave Chicago by this line every day in the year and go without change or transfer through to San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego. This is a feature not offered by any other line. Write to Charles T. Appleby, Traveling Passenger Agent, Room 303, Bank of Commerce Building, Pittsburg, Pa., if you desire any further information as to the country and the accommodations for

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#### Horses and Mules.

starting in the evening. The auction sale of the Pittsburg, Alle gheny and Manchester Traction Company will continue until Friday night; there are 350 head of horses and mules yet remaining to be sold without reserve; no postpone ment from any cause. ARNHEIM LIVE STOCK COMPANY, LIM.

FREE TRAINS TO-MORROW

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Now does the wise virgin freshen up her last year's silk skirts with exquisite milli-nery in the way of dinner bodices or theater waist. They may be made of any rich gleam ing stuff, and decorat-

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# Tribune and Heraid, and has been made the representative of the Associated Press at Independence.

A new fraternal organization has been formed in San Francisco, composed of the wives of engineers of the Southern Pacific Railway. Its name is the Mrs. Leland Stanford Auxiliary No. 106, and it is auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engi-neers, whose entire order has over 2,000 members and more than 100 branches.

Annie Jenness-Miller has picked up her bifurcated garments and shaken the dust of New York from her common-sense boots a million sterling. forever. Her residence now is in Evans-ton, Ill., and her latest project is the founding of a national school of physical culture.

There are now 120 incorporated women's clubs in the Federation of Clubs, of which Mrs. Charlotte Emerson Brown is Presi-Barry crepon which forms the full sleeve dent.

escaping from the short brocade shoul-Phobe Holmes is one of the most proficient first violins of the Georgetown Order puffs, and lines chestra. the series of green

velvet loops which encircle the waist Portugal's first woman doctor, Amelia of 90 per cent. On the other hand, Commercial Cable Shares are quoted in New York about 120 and in London are nominally 123, but with-out sellers. Here the premium is only 20 Cardis, has received her degree. Her graduating thesis she dedicated to the Queen, and the royal lady accepted it.

The widow of Millet still lives at Barbizon, but not in the historic cottage where her married life whs spent. Money has been raised to purchase the house and pre-sent it to the widow, but the owners refuse to sell.

the market there is no justification what-ever for such widely different values. The Great Northern pays, it is true, a half per cent more than the Commercial, but that small advantage is offset by various other considerations. The Commercial, being the Miss Tillinghast, of New York, pupil of considerations. The Commercial, being the younger enterprise of the two, has younger and better cables. None of them are older than 1884, while the Great Northern cables are of all ages from 1884 back to 1868. In another important respect the junior is the better of the two, its traffic being by far the more more more respect. La Farge, the artist of the wonderful St. Thomas Church paintings, is one of the most successful woman designers of stained glass in the city, and is an architect of houses as well.

If you would surprise your dinner guests with the novelty of a frozen pudding served in a block of ice, this is how you go about it: Have the ice sawed the desired shape, fill

it: Have the ice sawed the desired shape, fill the mold in which the pudding is to be packed with boiling water, and place it on the ice until it melts out a hollow sufficiently deep to support it. Cover a platter with fine ferns and put the ice in among the green sprays. At the last moment im-merse the mold in cold water to loosen the pudding, slip it into the prepared recen-tacle, and you will have a dish as full of magic and mystery as was the famous pie of "four and twenty blackbirds." The newest evening gowns for young women are black chiffon or mousseline de soie, embroidered with a color and trimmed sole, embroidered with a color and trimmed with velvet the shade of the color. These dresses may be lined with black or a tint, according to the fancy of the purchaser. A very charming model is a black gossamer web, strewn closely with buttercups in the natural hue and brightened with yellow tilfne in the charger and with yellow

600; in 1890 they had grown to \$1,931,000, and this year they will probably be another \$500,000 up. Since 1888 they have more than doubled themselves, and from this point of view the Commercial's 7 per cent dividend should be obviously worth to an investor much more than the stationary 734 per cent of the Great Northern. At all events the two form an interseting counds A popular wall and ceiling decoration events, the two form an interesting couple, now is of daffodil yellow in the wall panels and has a frieze made of gold canvas painted and throw a very favorable light on each other. The figures summarized above may be more closely compared in the following

with garlands of roses, and a ceiling of clear, bright silver. It sounds a little like Aladdin's palace, or King Midas' castle, but softened under the 'electric light the effect is wondrously rich and not at all daz-zling

Its Excellent Qualities

Commend to public approval the California liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs. It is pleasing to the eye, and to the taste, and by gently acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels, it cleanses the system effectually, thereby promoting the health and comfort of all who use it.

Induig & Richter, Florista

Have a large stock of cut chrysanthemums and other flowers next week.



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# natural hue and brightened with yellow chiffon in the sleeves and petticoats and chemisette. The necks of these gowns are moderately high and the sleeves invariably long, which adds much to the quaintness of effect produced. Some of the skirts are made of three flounces, embroidered with trails of roses or other bright blossoms. The bodice may then be made of plain chiffon in the color of the flowers, or of black with smaller flower sprays. A favor-ite design is a bow knot of color embroid-ered upon the black, and this is extremely effective in the yellow, which promises to be the color of the scason here, as in Paris it now has the preference over all other colors.

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We who have not passed beyond the world of hats into the land of eternal bonworld of hats into the land of eternal bon-net will rejoice at the revival of the Tam o' Shanter hat, or, as it is called in London, the "Beefester," of some five or six seasons ago. Anyway, Ada Behan is bringing one

and complete the dainty thing. A dainty thing. A younger sister of this waist, less in-

tricate in its arrangement, is of pale blue crepe du chine draped to a V over an inner bodice of wonderbodice of wonder-fully wrought East-ern embroidery, gleaming with gold and jewels laid on a black velvet ground. Full soft puffs of the blue at the shoulder fall over tight sleeves of the embroidery, and any woman with a knack at dressmaking can pick up the materials on a bargain counter and transmogrify her old black silk or satin into a vision of beauty with the the little bodice. A girl managed to get one together, materials and all, in the in-terim between refeiving an invitation to the thenter at breakfast and the hour of starting in the evening.