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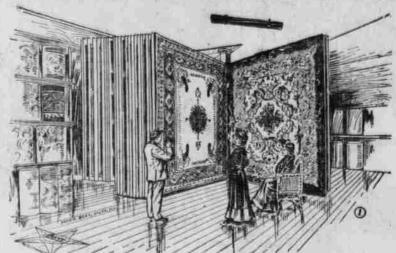
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Glasgow Presbytery Calls Attention to Cheap Lodging-Houses of City.

REQUEST POLICE TO ACT

Churchmen Assert That 1100 Rookeries Are Filled With Young Women and Girls and Their

Shoeking lumerality fostered by the cheap ledging beuses of Glesgow has been brought to the attention of the public by a discussion that occurred at the sessign of the Pre-bytery of Glasgow last week. The churchmen took the matter up bodily and discussed it in the plainest of language, colling particular attention.

week. The churchmen look the matter up holdly and discussed it in the platnest of language, calling particular attention to the fact that many of the 1100 "farmed-out" houses of the city, filled with girls and young women who are preyed upon by human vultures of the opposite sex, are owned and ranted out by cilizens who pose as respectable.

The Presbyttsry recommended stringent polics regulation of this class of logding houses, and further suggested that the chorch take up the matter of building and equipping respectable rooming-toness for the pooter classes. It was also recommended that the authorities make war to the bitter end on the workless vanisheds whe now live on the earnings of the young women they have foreign to lives of shame and that the police sufgruard innocent girls from the wiles of such men and their female accomplices in the work of debauchery.

# King's Chaplain Talks.

Dr. Donald Macleod, the King's chap-lain, addressing the Presbytery, said that the debaucking of counc womathood in Glasgow was awful. There were 1100 farmed-out houses in Glasgow, which he classified as hotheds of crime. No fewer than 9602 people were connected with these lodging-houses. The lodging-nouses were licensed and registered an-nually. Many of the smaller houses were simply disgraceful. He directed atten-tion to the fast that some of the men who went to these lodging-houses made from \$7.50 to \$15 a week. There were those, too, who had deserted their wives too, who had deserted their wive-

and homes.

Now, these were accommodate who ought to be prosecuted by the authorities. They should be compelled to discharge tight evic and other duties and if they would not, then they ought to be put into a labor colony, and made to contribute to the support of their wives and families. Then there were the "line" and "outs." It was absurd that ratepayers should keep up poorhouses for men who went out of them and contracted disease, and after their debaucheries retired again to the postbouse until they were fit for another outbreak. It was said there was a great deal that was too "mealy-mouthed" in this country. This idea of personal liberty could be carried to too great an extent. Habeas corpus might become a source of promoting crime instead of the welfare of the community. Parliament abould deal with these men in such a way that they could not continue those practices which were bad for the community.

# Bad Places for Boys.

Nothing could be worse than laying boys in these lodging houses, he continued. Boys ought to be excluded. Excluded was rather a severe word. They must do something to give accommodation to these boys, and at present they had ample accommodation in the social knows which they had set up for boys. These boys could be received there and brought under elevating influences. Then came the question of women's lodging-houses. These were in a shocking condition—centers of corruption, the means of tion-centers of corruption, the means of

tion—centers of corruption, the means of ruining many young women.

This raised another question. Take the farmed-out houses, where children and young girls were brought into contact with people who were using them for, inmoral purposes. The results were frightful. He had a statement that in one farmed-out tepement of it houses a member of that court found 25 young girls who admitted that they were carning their flying on the streets. He was also informed that within 109 yards of Glasgow Cross it was estimated that also informed that within 100 yards of Glasgow Cross it was estimated that there were 200 fullen girls under 17 years of age. Furthermore, according to the report of the Magdalen Institution bulf of the inmates who were admitted were ruined between the ages of 14 and 15.

These girls were not to blame. Society was to blame. The fact was that these women's lodging-houses, these farmedout houses, were farrible conspoods, into which young people had sunk and gone forth polluted to the streets. Take the Church of Scotland Home in Watson street. The superintendent had stated that in two years they had passed through their home II girls of 17 years of age and under and 8 of 18 years of age and under and 8 of 18 years and upward. Were these not appailing facisf it was for the citizens of Glasgow to say what was to be done. It had been stated, it was for the citizens of Glasgow to say what was to be done. It had been stated he said, that poor young servants from the country who came to the city to lead for places, and who happened to miss their trains, were brought into these ledging-houses and there corrupted by women who taught them lives of shame What appulling sacrifice of young woman-moul!

# Hotbeds of Vice.

These houses were a source of con-tamination. In which the worst types of character were present for the ensurage-ment of vice. What were the recommenment of vice. What were the recommendations they asked the municipal authorities to adopt? The first referred to farmed-out houses. They recommended that the definition of a farmed-out houses should be extended so as to include houses of any size similarly used. That was plain common sense. But they must remember that at the back of these farmed-out has plain common sense. member that at the back of these farmedout houses there was a large property
interest that would try to prevent it. It
would not be easily done, but it would
be done if they roused the people. They
also recommended that farmed-out houses
should be licensed. There was nothing
made him more suggy than to see brutal
outrages committed, and to note that the
men who committed them were only lined.
Why, they ought to be scoursed on their
backs. People who made immoral isse
of farmed-out bousses should also be proceeded against as well as the owner.
Then, there was that matter for the
corporation—the crection of houses which Then, there was that matter for the organization—the crecilon of houses which Eishops it is now proposed to present of giggles in a 10-cent gackage of chipped would take the place of these low houses one to the Hishop of Newcastle.

-houses where people would find cheap accommodation of a good kind. In re-gard to lodging-bouses, he approved of the recommendation in regard to the appointment of a chaplain or chaplains and a parish sister to visit them.

## Honors Them for It.

David Warson, of St. Clement's, sale hat since the last meeting of the pre-sydery their magistrates had taken to that since the last meeting of the presbytery their thagistrates had taken to
slumming at midnight—and he honored
them for it—with this result, that their
indictment of farmed-out houses had
been proved up to the hilt. Not a single
statement in the report they had drawn
up had been challenged, everything had
been corroborated. The unanimous verdiet of the visitors after they met and
compared notes was that there had been
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do exageration. The condition of things
was appalling. What was to be done?
He ventured to submit their recommendations indicated what ought to be done.
There was no other way of dealing with
farmed-out houses unless they suppressed them, which was impracticable.
J. C. Mardellan, of St. Mark's, called
attention to another aspect of the ques
ilon, namely, that the well-to-do young
men of the West End looked on the girls
of the artism, class as their legitimate
prey. They knew that those girls, when
they fell down, were damned and could
not rise, but they knew what the fathers
of those base-born children were rereleved in the drawing-rooms of the
West End. That condition of things
abould be made impossible. The law
which compelled a young girl to register
her base-born babe should also compel
the father to accompany her. These men
should be judged by the same standard
and made to atand with the same brand
of dishoner and diagrace as the poor girl
had at present to do alone.

A motion was adopted that the presbyters approve of the report and send
cropies to the Lord Provost, the members
of the Town Council and heads of departments and the Local Government
Board.

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PARISIAN ALLOWS RELATIVES TO BELIEVE HIM DEAD.

Falls to Undeceive Them When They Bury Stranger's Body for His. Still in Hiding.

PARIS. April 18.—(Special.)—Queerest of queer adventures is that which is mystifying the police of the Fifteenth Arrondlesement, and has set many tengues wagging about a man who was supposed to be dead for nine months and whom one of his relatives has just seen walking about in the streets of the city. The one of the soburbs, and his description published in the newspapers tallied so closely with that of the missing man that his wife, brothers, sisters and children went to the morgue, where the body had been laid out, and all declared that it was that of the missing man Por-

ment and considering the body thor-oughly identified handed it over to the family for burial. The corpse was in-terred with the usual ceremony, a brother of Portier, who is cure at Evreius, say-ing a mass for the repose of his sout, On All Souts Day, last November, the family went to the cemetery to lay flow-ers on the grave, which was also visited ers on the grave, which was also visited from time to time by his children. The other day, however, his sister, who is employed in an actilier in the Rue de Rivoli, on coming out into the street as ahe was leaving from her day's work was astonished to see her brother, quite hale and hearty, waiting for her at the door. She was terrified, and when he was about to seak to her the nearly Nothing could be worse than having fainted. When she had sufficiently re-

rainted. When she had sufficiently recovered to sisk him what he was doing
there, and why he was not in his grave,
it was his turn to be astonished.

He said that he had not been buried,
us far as he knew. On the contrary, he
had been employed at the Nanterre Asylum, whither he was returning. His wife
hurried to the asylum he had mentioned. hurried to the gaylum be had mentioned, and was told that in fact a man called Portice had been employed there, but that he had left on the 9th of this month.

Since then be his not been seen.

The question now is: Who is the man that was buried last August, and also what has become a second time of Portier, who is decidedly turning out to be

# GRAMMER OF THE YIDDISH Jewish Jargon WIII Be Raised to Dignity of Language.

# Bishops Use Motor Cars.

LONDON, April 18.—Motor cars have became quite necessities for Bishops who wish to economize time when making their episcopal visitations.

Several prelates now motor from place to place in their diocesses when performing their duties, among them being the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Bishop of London.

In some instances, as, for example, in the diocesse of Southwell and St. David's, the cars, have been presented to the

# MI-CAREME FETE

Participate in Mid-Lent Carnival at Paris With Joyful Abandon.

# THROW CONFETTI GALORE

Give Yankee Accent to Festivities in Heart of Gay French Capital. Natives Look On With Great Wonder.

PARIS, April IL-"Is It Pages Jupiter deking his geese on Olympus, or are the holy angels moulting?" speculated Francols Vilion, as he regarded the Paris snowstorm with irreverent fancy in the finest of all stories. "A Lodging for the

A pretty fancy, M. Villon, but the celer-tial plumage has been marvelously dyed geese have turned birds of paradise for he feather plucking of "Mi-Careme."

Paristans are pleased to lament the de-erloration of the famous holiday, like the idest inhabitant of an Iowa village telling marvellous, sad tales of the great shows of 40 years ago, or a fine, prim old among boys and girls.

No doubt "Mi-Careme" was grander No doubt "Mi-Careme" was grander, like everything eise in its prime, but to an American, of a race that is half starved of holidays and beauty and pleasure, the scenes on the boulevards were soul-saturying to a degree that should ease the compunctions of the Parisian who fears that he is perhaps not as pretty and as gay as he once was.

# Had Time of His Life.

Certainty Jupiter on Olympus never had a finer time plucking his plain old geess than the portly and prosperous American who stood in front of Olympia with a huge. S-franc sark of confettl on his shoulder, and pul a crimson halo around every pretty face that went giggling by. It was instructive to observe the way the vendors of confettl "spotted" that smilling gentleman. There was no limit

to the confetti and no bottom to the man's pocket. What more was required? They brought him the confetti in cartridges, in paper bags, in bempen sacks, in baskets. And he smiled on and "dug up," and bore the determined air of a Wallstreat broker placed on the firing line in a forlorn attempt to corner copper.

As the sun went down (If there had been a sun to go down) this American was still buying, and the confetti lay a foot deep all around him and the Parisian hastening for home perhaps regarded him with pity. No matter: it was fur, far cheaper than to stand kneedeep in confetti than kneedeep in ticker inpe. And what does a man come to Paris for if not te enter fully into the spirit of things—and buy?

Americans Spend the Mouey.

# Americans Spend the Money.

The center of the iridescent disturbances was, as usual, in front of the Cafe de la Paix. The money was france, but the accent was American—that is, chiefly. There was a Spanish group around one of the sidewalk tables, and some turbaned heads protruded from an upper window, and some of the waiters spoke French, but for the rest it was Boston, Scheneciady, Montpelier and Idado Storius. The

but for the rest it was Boston. Scheneciady, Montpelier and Idaho Springs. The
Spring influx has set in, and most of the
Americans in the conferti exclone center
had arrived since the Mardi Gras.
To these the conferti husiness was as
foreign as the Venus of Milo, though perhaps more decout. One very carnest young
woman, who looked like a scincima am
from Guernsey County, Ohio, read all
about it in a guide book, calmly wiping
the pages clean after each treat allower
of yellow or mauve or crimson confett.
The heart of the carnival at this place
of unrestraint was an American girl in of unrestraint was an American girl in black who wore a fur cap that just matched the color of her hair and who for laughter was unable to keep her lips closed.

# Crowds the Whole Show.

Afterwards, two hours later than it was expected, came the parade. Floats are much the same the world over, and those much the same the world over, and those in this procession, with an exception here and there, were far less interesting to the American than the crowds and the

LONDON April 18.—Yiddish, the jorgon spokes by thousands of Jews all the world over, has one disadvantage. It has no grammar, But a conference planaed for the Summer has in view the remedying of this defect and the placing of the Yiddish language on a more elevated plane.

The conference will be of an international churacter, and will devote much of its labors to the working out of definite grammatical rules and to the improvement of the orthography of the Yiddish language.

Other questions to be considered will be the advisability of producing a Yiddish dictionary, the position of the Yiddish stage and literature, and the recognition of Yiddish as a European language.

FAST OF SEVEN WEEKS
Lamb Lives Without Food or Drink 49 Days.

LONDON, April 18.—After having been locked in a barn for seven weeks without food or drink, a Scotch wether lamb was found alive.

The lamb was little more than a skeleton and unable to stand. It is now being fed with graid, and like owner is hopeful of its recovery.

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The lamb must have jumped into the barn was locked.

But the parade found its way to the barn was locked.

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But the parade found his way to the Elysee, where President Falliere's ascra-fary bestowed a gold bracelet upon the queen of queens; "Pers were stops at various newspaper offices, and there was the banquet given by the municipality at the City Hall.

The crawds on the benderada.

The crowds on the boulevards were greater than those of the Mardi Gras, and there was a higher spirit of revelry. Maskers in costume were seen here and there, but were indistinct in the vast throngs, whose expression of the carnival