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cause all who have ever used them ly 50 years since a dreamer of dreams are familiar with their merits. They first propounded the policy of old age them refused to accept a farthing of are grounds in the purest White Lead pensions, urging that this reform of and the colors are of the very best. State-aid was due to pensioners of Only the finest Linseed Oil is used the ploughshare as well as those of and they are so carefully packed as to the sword." The idea was ridiculed be kept entirely free from any foreign and dismissed; but just as the para- sion because she believed it came out not despised.

> tainable, the larest returns from post- ing left but the workhouse and death offices throughout the United King- among strangers. dom and Ireland show that of the Dublin numbering 4,500, most of whom received the maximum of 5 shillings, to about \$1.25.

> Remarkable scenes have attended the inaugural of the old age pension payments throughout England, Ireand and Wales. In London many Give Them Help and Many Astoria pathetic figures presented themselves at the post-offices, and some of the old folks were so overjoyed that they brought with them presents to the sympathetic government officials. In several instances the joy of the aged recipients was so great that they were overcome by the excitement and have since died.

> It was a wonderful sight, this marshalling of the old folks to pay them their benefits. No gathering of the old can ever be devoid of interest, but from the verge of despair. how intensely interesting was one made up of men and women who had ble. faced the world for seventy, eighty and ninety years on slender incomes, sometimes facing starvation and those them the roes of which contrasted goes on without ceasing, in court, and alley and street, for the bard necessof contentment which comes from a supply. As stated above they coma mellowed outlook on the long road pletely disposed of my trouble." of the years through which they pas-

along the street seeking the postoffice report. at which he was to draw his first pension. He was deaf and very feeble, cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, guaranteed to be first class. Esti- but nothing would do but that he must New York, sole agents, for the come himself and draw his first mon- United States. ey. The young woman who greeted Remember the name-Doan's-and

ENGLAND NOW PAYING ter came forward and helped the old man make his mark, for he could not write. This done she put his book back into his pocket and his money into a much worn purse which he carried; then assisting him to the por while the others waited patiently, and bade him a cherry good-bye, Curious scenes were witnessed in Ireland, where the old people were immensely pleased with their new found wealth. At Galway old women from the Claddagh Settlement got the impression that in return for the pen-LONDON, Jan. 18.-It is now near- right of enforced military service for sion the government claimed the their sons. For this reason some of their due until they received explicit assurance that their "boys" would not have to go and fight the blacks." One old person in Dublin refused a pendoxes of one generation become the from the Salvation Army, such being accepted policies of the next England prejudical to her religious faith.Here, is today giving this needed support again, were two sisters, left alone in to her "veterans of industry." The the world years ago. They were both dawn of the New Year, 1909, marked nearing 80 years, and had supported a memorable spoch in the lives of themselves after a fashion by needlethousands of Great Britain's old peo- work. But the struggle was fast bele, broken on the wheels of industry coming impossible. Eyesight was The bleasings of this money distri- bit the little household goods had pas- this office. ution can hardly be estimated, sed on to the pawnshop. A few weeks While no exact figures are yet ob- more and there would have been noth-

For them it will hereafter be ten 690,027 claims received up to Decem- shillings every week. Why, it is GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL ber 31 last, more than 500,000 persons wealth belond the dreams of avarice. officers. It is computed that for these seemed to sit with something aphalf-million claims thirteen tons of proaching jauntiness on their silvered avenue, corner 17th street. alone during the first week of Janary more than 30,000 pensioners re-ceived an average of \$1.00. In Ire-pavement surely there were not two land \$250,000 was paid to 150,000 aged happier souls among all of King Edpersons, the successful claimants in ward's millions of subjects, rich or

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