-At Tokio last year 10,240 persons were cremated. Only 891 had died from infections diseases.

-Norway has a battalion of armed skaters, who maneuver readily on the ice or snow. Their skates are six inches wide and nine long.

-The beautiful young women of Shun Te in the province of Quantung have league I themselves into a society under the solemn yow that they will not marry, or that if they marry they will not live with their husbands until every member of their society has married too.

-The people of St. Petersburg are extremaly fond of attending theaters. In one month 34 220 persons visited the Russian Opera, 32 000 the Alexandrovna Theater, 22 972 the circus and 17 500 the Michael Theater. The average attendance is about 4 000 per night all the year round.

-The Crown Prince Nich las of Russia, who is now seventeen years warn-hearted boy, who is a great favorite with every one, and who possesses democratic notions. At the same time he has his father's imperious will, and does not like to have his plans interfered with.

-A great deal of interest has been excited in Europe by the assertion that there has been a gradual decrease in blondes in Germany. Almost 11,- A PLEASURE SHARED BY WOMEN ined, and the result showed that Switzerland has only 11.10, Austria 19.79. and Germany 21.80 per cent. of pure blondes.

-Modern' Greek 'women excel not only to personal refinement, but in general intelligence and desire for self-improvement. The Greek women of the upper class are generally clever. well-informed and might rival in accomplishments, culture and conversational powers their sisters of the West.

-The Hakka, or highland people, of Kwangtung province, China, furnish more literary men to the National academy than any other class. They are the only people in Southern China who do not bind the feet of their women, and their character is vigorous and independent. The American Baptist Missionary Union has a mission a few years old among this interesting people.

-Forty-three persons or firms are entitled to mak the boast of being "Purveyors to H . Majesty" in the city of London alone. These include four jewelers, five wine merchants, one herald's painter, one bedding manufacturer, one hatter, two linen drapers, one mercer, one maker of "daylight reflectors," three lock and safe makers, two coal merchants, one furniture | cinter, one mustard manufacturer, one ironmonger and brazier. one robe maker, one manufacturer of cellar implements, two photographers, one opticiar, one baker, one purveyor of surtle, one lithographer, two type founders, two grocers, one umbrella maker, one waterproof cothing maker, one trievels manufacturer, and one purveyor of dogs' biscuit. This does not include the list for the West End.

-Soft water should be used in cooking vegetables, and the only way city folks can soften water is to add a little salt to it. Six or eight potatoes will need a teaspoonful of salt to the water: turnips and paranips require about the same—that is, a teaspoonful of salt to a quart of water. If any seum should happen to rise to the surface when the vegetables are boiling, it must be carefully skimmed off.

Corn Biscuit. - Scald two cups" of corn meal in one pint of sweet milk. Then stir together three-quarters of a cup of butter, two cups of sugar and a little salt, and add to it. Then add three eggs well beaten, a little flour and a half cap of hop yeast. Let it rise the second time; then roll out, and let rise the third time. Bake and send to the table hot. This amount makes about twenty-five bisenits.

## A LUCKY FIND.

He Draws \$5,000 in the Louisiana State Lottery. the Russ Lumber and Mill Company Garmans see in this the destiny of in this city is undoubtedly "a lucky Prince William, who was born with man." Just before the drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery in New Orleans on January 10, he bought half of ticket No. 6,419, which drew the fourth capital prize of \$10,000, so now Mr. Treanor is the happy possessor of \$5,000, less Wells, Fargo & Co.'s commission for collecting the same. He stated to a Bee reporter yesterday that The Louisiana State Lottery Company had paid the amount promptly, and that he now has it, but has not decided what he shall do with his for Animals that the seals of the Society tune. He says that the other half of were designed and engraved by the the ticket was sold in fifths through- late Frank Leslie, who was one of the out the United States and he says he earliest sympathizers with Mr. Henry does not know the holders of them. Berch in his humane undertaking. Mr. Treanor has been book-keeper for the Russ Lumber Company for five years, and when he drew his \$5,000 was worth in real estate at least \$10, 000, so, that, although very welcome it will not raise him from poverty. He resides at 343 Tenth street with his mother, his father being dead, and supports her. He is an intelligent young man of about 30 years, wears gold-rim med spectacles, and is slight of stature. He has tried his luck often before, having purchased over 100 tickets, and has been uniformly successful in drawing small amounts, ranging from 05 to \$100. These winnings have ker thim even with the amount expended for tickets, and he acted upon the adage, "Nothing venture, nothing have," to quote his exact words.—San Diego (Cal.) Bee, Feb. 3. 417 Sansome St., SAN FRANCISCO fast or ten dish.

CATARRH.

-All the eight bridesmaids of the A New Home Treatment for the Cure of Cararrh, Catarrhal Deafness and Hay Fever.

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been no return of the disease, So highly are these remedies valued that ignorant imitators have started up everywhere pretending to destroy a para-site, of which they know nothing, by remedies, the results of the application of Rassia, who is now seventeen years which they are equally ignorant. Mr. old, is described as an affectionate, Dixon's remedy is applied only once in warm-hearted boy, who is a great two weeks, and from one to three applications effect a permanent cure in the most aggravated cases.
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his new treatment on the receipt of stamp to pay postage. The address is A. H. Dixon & Son, 303 King street west, Tor-onto, Canada.—Scientific American.

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A carious story of a picture dealer's sharn practice is thus told in Sir Fred-

old of motera picture-dealers' fraudbrother of Sir Elwin, painted a piet-ture called "Edgebilt," which I believe consisted of the figure of a peasant girl, or one or more figures, in the seene of the battle. It was on the wall of the Academy exhibition, when ome one, on the artists' day for varnishing, retouching, etc., noticed a part which wanted filling in. Sir Elwin good-naturedly said he would put in a couple of dogs on the spot, which he did, of course in a slight manner, and the picture was much improved. The story got wind, and the picture was af erward sold at a high price on the ground of the dogs, by Sir Edwin, CATARRH HAY-FEVER Some time afterward a dealer brought to Sir Elwin a sketch of dogs and asked him to authenticate it as his. Sir Edwin said be could not under ake to remember having painted them, but said they looked like his. Lately the present owner of the "Edgehill" picture, a gentlemen at Clapham, and who had paid a large price for it, chiefly for the sake of the reputed Sir Elwin's dogs in it, begged of him to BYRON JACKSON, BAN FRANCISCO. dition. He went, saw the picture, and at once detected what had been done; the dogs had been cut out of the picture, replaced by a bad copy, and no doubt were the dogs (mounted on a fesh canvas) which had been shown to him. This is supposed to be the cleverest case of dog-stealing recorded.

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> -Baked Fish -Take two sifces of halibut, one inch thick; between them put cracker crumbs, pepper, salt and fat pork chopped fine; put the same on top, using butter instead of pork. Lay them on a small pan turned upside down in a larger pan, and put a cup of boiling water into the large pan. As the drippings run down baste the fish with it. Bake till well done and the crust is brown.

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