AGENTS MAKE MONEY Atlan Boer and Briton. could not move Buller, so the king him.
St. Paul Globe: England wants more troops. But the old ones are not yet paid.
Nashville American: General Buller should send his mouth to the guard-house.
Houston Post: Buller will now have ample time to reflect on the diplomatic things he might have sald.
Philadelphia Public Ledger: The British in South Africa are diligently hunting the Boers, and the Boers are successfully finding the British.

Minneapolts Journal: British agents are buying several more shiploads of Missouri and Texas mules for South Africa. No wonder so many Tommy Atkinses are carrying around Victoria medals and assorted contusions.

Chicago Inter-Ocean: It is hoped by King Edward and his court that the Boer war will be over in time for the coronation, but the Boers are a
stili-necked race, and they do not stin-necked race, and they do not
seem to care whether the coronation seem to care whe
comes off or not.

Washington Times: It is pretty certain that Buller is not worthy of all the blame he has received. There is it ought to be unloaded from his shoulders and distributed among imbeciles at home and inefficients who were with him in Natal.
Pittsburg Dispatch: Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the chancellor of the exchequer, upon whom devolves the finding of the money, is reported to have formed a strong party within the cabinet iserm thich is favor of offering terms to the enemy. But what terms can be proposed which the
Boers can accept and which-England, Boers can aceept and which England,
without grave loss of prestige, can submit?
Philadelphia North American: Several Boers have been court-martialed and shot in South Africa for wearing khaki, which is notice to the world that in order to secure belligerent rights the enemies of Great Britain must not only conduct their campaigns along lines laid down for them by British commanders, but must wear clothing approved by the British. The next step in order will be to forbid the Boers to use captured Lee-Metfords and to shoot all who are captured with British cartridges in their belts. Chamberlain's suggestion of greater severity in dealing with the Boers is obviously unnecessary.

## Points About People.

Seth Low has been made a doctor of laws seven times.
American contributors in London have given $\$ 75,000$ to the Queen Victoria memorial fund.
Captain Dreyfus has been living at Cologne, but will soon make his home in Alsace, where he was born.
Emperor William sleeps on a regulation camp bed and the bed clothing is of the rough regimental pattern.
King Edward is having electric lights placed in Buciingham palace and American companies are doing the work.
Seth Abbott, father of Emma Abbott, the famous singer, died recently in Chicago. Under his daughter's will he received $\$ 400$ a month while he lived.
Lee Chop, a Chinese merchant of San Francisco, has amassed a fortune of $\$ 150,0$ and will soon return to him in America.

Dr. Ernest Leibman, a German nerve specialist, has startled the scientific would by declaring that bad grammar
is a disease that may be cured by proper remedies.
Lord Lonsdale of England is an enthusiastic sportsman. He owns the splendid boxer hounds in England, is a splendid boxer, rides and drives to perrection, is an expert yachtsman, a He is also patron of forty chur note. He is also patron of forty church livings.

Perils of Civilization.
If we are to be driven to the hard labor of opening oysters for the sake of avoiding preservaline and to milking cows to keep clear of formaldehyde, it is evident that the higheat civiliza. tion has not lightened our burdens, but rather added to them. By the way, embalmed beef has gone out of fashion, hasn't it?-Detroit Free Press.

## A Tiny Planet.

The astronomer in charge of the Harvard Observatory, at Arequipa Peru, announces that he has succeeded in obtaining four photographs of the recently discovered planet Eros. This tiny orb-a veritable toy world, it might be called-is only about nine interest attaching to it is that it is the nearest to the earth, and nearest likewise to the sun, of all the minor planets. In 1894 it was only $15,000,000$ miles away from us, a mere trifle of distance from an astronomical point of view, and this month it will approach within $8,000,000$ miles.

Books Received:
Moody's Manual of Corporation Securities for 1901, a volume of fifteen hundred pages, giving information in regard to the personel of the corporaform of the country, 'together with information in regard to the amount and by John Moody \& Co., 35 ' Nassau st., by John M
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Wresident, a tragedy in Making of a President, a tragedy in four acts, by
D. T. Callahan, Cambridge D, T. Callahan, Cambridge EncycloThe Science 62 Reade st., New York. The Science of Money and Exchange, by E. L. Rector, San Saba, Tex.; published by the author.
The Square Root Delineator in the Art of Framing, by Alfred W. Woods, architect; published by C. M. Osborne, Lincoln, Neb.
The Fluctuations of Gold, by Baron Alexander Von Humbolt, and The Law of Payment, by Franchoise Grimaudet, both in one volume, translated into English, revised and annotated by Willfam Maude; published by the Cambridge Encyclopedia Co., 62 Reade st., New York.

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