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Of the so-called bargains which prove to be left a sorry memory when examined. Here's a look at

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These are suits for men, extra heavy pure British yarn, fine color, regular size \$15. Check a few before

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VICTORIA DAY CELEBRATION

KINGSTON, 26th May, at the FAIR GROUNDS.

MILITARY TOURNAMENT.
HORSE RACES, 9:30, 2:30 AND RACING RACES.
LACHOSE MATCHES.
BASEBALL MATCHES.
Excursions on all boats and trains.
J. MORGAN SHAW, W. H. GODWIN, President, Secretary.

NEW BUTCHER SHOP.

FRED LALONDE HAS OPENED OUT a first-class butcher shop at 274 Ontario street, next to McLean's grocery, and will keep in stock from home and selected meats in kind. A sharp eye for public patronage is earnestly solicited. Orders will be delivered to any part of the city. Telephone 225.

A CARD.

MISS HANNAH WILL BE AT HOME to her old customers and as many new as desire exclusive styles and a military. All orders will receive prompt attention.

MISS HANNAH'S, 213 William Street.

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AN EXPERIENCED HOUSEMAID, APPLY IN the evening to 51 King street.

A GOOD COOK, APPLY MRS. JAMES Swift, corner King and Barry streets.

GENERAL SERVANT, NO WASHING OR ironing, apply at 55 George street.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT AT THE HUB, Market Street, Good wages to competent person.

A FEW SMART GIRLS AND ONE SMART boy for steady work. Apply KINGSTON BROS. & CO.

BOARDS—TWO NICE ROOMS, WITH good view, apply at 212 Street street, also table board. A GENERAL SERVANT BY JUNE 2ND. Good wages to a competent girl. Apply in the evening to Mrs. Ayles, 132 Wellington street. BY LADY CARTWRIGHT FROM BOTH MAY in experience. Apply in evening to Mrs. Hara, 45 King street.

LABORS AND GENTLEMEN ENJOY EVENING at home by making money dollars and cents. Apply to Mrs. Hara, 45 King street. YOUNG MAN FOR OFFICE WORK, MUST be good penman, quick and accurate. Steady employment, one with experience. Apply to Mrs. Hara, 45 King street.

TENDERS FOR THE REMOVAL OF THE frame house No. 79 Johnston street. The successful tenderer to proceed with the work immediately. For further information apply on premises. 4 BLACKSMITHS, 6 HELPFULS, 4 FINISHERS, 2 HELPERS, 2 SHARPERS and 2 POLISHERS, 4 WOODWORKERS. Steady job and good wages. Apply to SMITH BROS., Duke and Parliament streets, Toronto. ENGINEERS, MECHANICS, MACHINISTS AND Electricians, and for forty more positions containing complete list of vacancies. Write to Messrs. GEORGE A. ZELLER, publisher, room 521, 18 St. John street, St. Louis, Mo., U.S.A.

BARBARIAN DAY IN YORK AT 11 FLOW 8:30 to 10 o'clock. Special showings, including bands at 11 o'clock, rolls 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6:00, 7:45, 9:30, 11:15, 1:00, 2:45, 4:30, 6:15, 8:00, 9:45, 11:30. Tickets, 50c. Seats on first, second and third floors. Seats on first, second and third floors. Seats on first, second and third floors. AGENTS FOR THE ONLY AUTHORIZED Toronto, Ont., also St. Lawrence street, Montreal, P.Q., and 16 East Beaver street, Buffalo, N.Y. Write for particulars. Write for particulars. Write for particulars.

MAIL'S BARBER SCHOOLS, 244 YONGE Street, Toronto, Ont., also St. Lawrence street, Montreal, P.Q., and 16 East Beaver street, Buffalo, N.Y. Write for particulars. Write for particulars. Write for particulars. Top Save \$5. If you buy one of the \$10 serge suits we are selling this week, Jenkins. New Pearl Fashions. The largest stock at Campbell Bros.

LOCAL MEMORANDA.

The Daily Note Book For Whig Readers to Post Themselves By.
Jenkins my letter.
Head Livingston's advert on last page.
It takes the editor to make a long story short.
The need of an excise in the steamship of invention.
All day Saturday, great hat bazaar at Campbell Bros.
Crosby & Thornton's orchestra assembly Whig hall this evening.
The contagion of a great spirit is the greatest form of education.
The roar of the lion can be heard further than the sound of any other living creature.
Lionshormen vs. Odellshornen. First leaves game, cricket field, to-morrow afternoon.
"Yes," said his wife, prettily, "If I don't get you home I won't I'll keep you in hot water." "Then you'll find I'm like an ox, and that hot water will harden me."
The day in the world's history: Poor deluged at New York, 1900; Stowell Jackson died, 1863; 101 houses burned at Hull, Que., 1886; capture of Ratoche, 1885; Ben George Brown died, 1880.

Coronation Tumblers.

The Latest. Just Out.

ROBERTSON BROS.

If you see a man with a pleasant smile on his face, make up your mind he has on one of those comfortable suits made by

J. J. CRAWFORD,

Merchant Tailor,
Princess and Bagot Sts.

Registration of Manhood Suffrage Voters.

THE REGISTRATION OF VOTERS FOR Sub-divisions Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 will be held on the evening of the 12th inst. In the committee room, adjoining the Council Chamber from 7:30 until 9 o'clock for that evening only, instead of in the council chamber.

Ironworkers' Helpers' Union.

THE IRON WORKERS HELPERS UNION No. 8412, will hold a social meeting in the hall, Wellington street, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at three o'clock. All members will please attend. J. B. AHERN, President.

BRITISH SETTLE CLAIM.

Flagship Grafton Goes To Guatemala For \$1,000,000.
Victoria, B.C., May 9.—H. M. S. Grafton, the new flagship of the Pacific station, which arrived here yesterday, was at San Jose de Guatemala on April 18th, the day on which so many lives were lost. Some officers who were ashore at the time had narrow escapes from being struck by falling buildings.

RESULT OF FIGHTING.

Death and Capture of Quite a Few Boers.
London, May 9.—Lord Kitchener reports to the war office that in fighting on Wednesday the Boers had ten killed and 221 were taken prisoners. Yesterday, they had one killed and thirty-four wounded.

In Memory of McKinley.

Bismarck, N.D., May 9.—In response to the proclamation of Gov. White, today was observed as Arbor Day throughout the state. Under the auspices of various societies trees and shrubs were planted and in the public schools exercises appropriate to the day were held. In his proclamation today was observed as Arbor Day throughout the state. Under the auspices of various societies trees and shrubs were planted and in the public schools exercises appropriate to the day were held. In his proclamation today was observed as Arbor Day throughout the state. Under the auspices of various societies trees and shrubs were planted and in the public schools exercises appropriate to the day were held.

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Take Notice.
The Buckley hat made all others. Campbell Bros., sole agents.

DEATH BY EARTHQUAKE

Town Of St Pierre Martinique, Wiped Out

THOUSANDS WERE KILLED

A STEAMSHIP LOST WITH ALL ON BOARD.

Another Report Says The Town Was Destroyed by The Volcanic Eruption — The Steamer Lost Belonged to Quebec.
London, May 9.—The earthquake in Martinique destroyed the town of St. Pierre. Almost all its inhabitants, 25,000, were killed. The shipping was wrecked and the Quebec steamship company's steamer Normania was lost with all on board. A despatch to the Times, from St. Thomas, confirms the report that St. Pierre, Martinique, and its inhabitants, with all the shipping in the harbor, have been totally destroyed by a volcanic eruption.

Not Likely Many On Board.

New York, May 9.—The Quebec line steamship Normania, reported lost with all on board, in the harbor of St. Pierre, Martinique, sailed hence on April 26th for West Indian ports, with a general cargo and passenger, most of whom, it is thought, left the vessel before it reached Martinique. She was reported sailing from St. Thomas for St. Croix on May 2nd. From St. Croix she was scheduled to sail for Havana in the morning. It is likely that she touched at Martinique on her way back to touch this port. She was an iron, single screw, of 2,712 tons, and was 340 feet long. She was built at Guizot in 1883 and was originally the British steamship Ghaese.

Tidings From Fort De France.

Paris, May 9.—The commander of the French cruiser Sichel has telegraphed to the minister of marine, from Fort de France, island of Martinique, under date of Thursday, May 8th, at 10 p.m., as follows: "Have just returned from St. Pierre, which has been completely destroyed by an immense mass of fire in the morning. The entire population (about 25,000 souls) is supposed to have perished. I have brought back the few survivors, about thirty. All the shipping in the harbor has been destroyed by fire. The eruption continues."

Horrors Of Civilized History.

St. Pierre was located on the north-west coast of Martinique, one of the larger islands of the British West Indies, called by the natives Madiama. It was one of the most thriving ports of the whole island, and of late had become the chief port of commercial importance, although Fort de France was the capital of the island. The people of the city were well educated, outside of the coolie classes, a lyceum having been in existence since the decree of May 2nd, 1881. Two normal schools were located at St. Pierre, one for boys and one for girls.

Rev. Mr. Honking, a missionary, and two nuns, had been arrested, and were being held in the military guard house. The people were told to kill them. In the chamber of deputies at Rome, signor Prietti, the foreign minister said, in reply to an interpretation regarding the negotiations for a commercial treaty between Italy and the United States, that he had instructed the Italian ambassador at Washington to resume the exchange of pourparlers on the subject.

Lord Strathcona, the Canadian high commissioner, replying to the deputy minister, who waited on him to urge the claims of Liverpool as the English terminal for the proposed new fast Canadian line, promised to lay the arguments which had been advanced to him before the Canadian government.

Lost Her Propeller.

London, May 9.—A despatch to Lloyd's from Melbourne says a boat crew from the missing transport Boveric has arrived at Fremantle. The vessel lost her propeller when 1,500 miles from Fremantle. She is in need of assistance. The Boveric left Melbourne on Saturday, May 17th, and is expected to arrive at Durban, Natal.

Will Adopt The System.

Berlin, May 9.—It is stated here that the United States navy department has decided to adopt the Braun-Simons-Halek system of wireless telegraphy, and has ordered a large consignment of apparatus to be sent to Washington in June. The company recently received an order to install their system on all Danish warships.

Seized Smuggled Garments.

Detroit, Mich., May 9.—Special treasury agent Parker's office, in Detroit, has made a number of seizures of smuggled furs this week. The garments seized were all manufactured in Montreal.

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FITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest News Culled From All Over The World.

W. M. Horsey, former mayor, has been appointed police magistrate at Downsview.
The Toronto typographical union has come to a satisfactory arrangement with the various newspaper publishers.
West Simcoe Liberals have nominated William Williams, Collingwood, who will give his answer in a couple of days.
Lieut. Col. J. P. McMillan, of Quebec, will likely go to England with the coronation contingent. He is a veteran of '66.
The troopship Cestrian with the Canadian mounted rifles on board passed out of Halifax harbor at eight o'clock on Thursday evening.
It is announced that the socialists will have two candidates in Hamilton, Lockhart M. Gordon, in the east, and Robert Roadhouse, in the west.

Sir John's Opinion.

Sir John Carling, speaking at the convocation of the Western University, London, a couple of years ago, said of our school system: "It is the best in the world. No other can surpass it."

At Lewis, on May 29th, and sail on the 31st, and will arrive at Kingston on June 7th.

A. E. Hagerman, manager of the Yonge street branch of the Ontario bank, Toronto, has been appointed Toronto manager of the new Sovereign bank, and will assume his duties before the steamer sailing from St. Thomas for St. Croix on May 2nd. From St. Croix she was scheduled to sail for Havana in the morning. It is likely that she touched at Martinique on her way back to touch this port. She was an iron, single screw, of 2,712 tons, and was 340 feet long. She was built at Guizot in 1883 and was originally the British steamship Ghaese.

The executive of the Canadian manufacturers' association has decided to invite the premiers of the different provinces, and also a British representative, to the annual meeting in Halifax next month.

Samuel Neff, Troy, Ont., took a dose of carbolic acid in mistake, and although the doctors did all they could for him, he died yesterday. He was eighty-four years old. One of his sons, Charles, is in South Africa.

In the British house of commons, on Thursday, Gerald Balguy, said he had been asked by the board of trade on the question of the alleged combination of British ship owners to keep up the freights on British goods.

It is arbor day in Manitoba today and the temperature is very chilly, with a cloudy sky. There were several degrees of frost last night. Schools and banks observe the holiday, but nearly all business houses are remaining open.

Col. Stacey, Ont., May 9.—Lieut. Col. Stacey has received a letter from his son, Earl, now serving in South Africa, and who was through the severe fighting at Hart's River, in which the young man says, "All the men killed and wounded were killed or wounded inside of fifty yards of me, and those killed were within ten yards of me. I had to surrender at last. Only two of us were not wounded, Meach and myself. I fired all my ammunition. The Boers stripped me of everything and also stripped the clothing off our dead comrades."

An Alaska Story.

Vancouver, B.C., May 9.—G. P. Lische, the man who brought out the story of the finding of two petrified ships some time ago on the high mountains of Alaska, has arrived in Vancouver on the steamer City of Seattle. The story was received from Indians and was reported by H. Montford, agent of the N. A. T. company, at Port Yukon, who went up in the spring to investigate. A petrified forest is reported in the vicinity, 150 miles up the Porcupine river, then 100 miles north toward the Arctic on a bridge of the Rockies.

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THE SHIPPING COMBINE

The Text Of The Agreement Is Published.

INES CONCERNED IN IT

THE CANARD COMPANY LIKELY TO BE ABSORBED.

The Capitalization of The New Concern—The Big Slice That The Organizers Are to Pull Out For Their Service—An Arrangement Made With The Bel-last Firm.
London, May 9.—The text of the agreement between Mr. Morgan and the steamship companies, which have entered the great shipping combine, is published to-day. It is noted that the companies concerned are the White Star, Dominion, Atlantic Transport, Leyland and Riggs, Mills & Co. The Canard line does not appear in the list, but a belief still exists that it will, eventually, be absorbed. The object of the agreement is stated to be the acquisition before December 31st, of the maritime properties and business of the companies named by a corporation to be organized by J. P. Morgan & Co., under the laws of the state of New York or any other state of the American union.

It has been announced that the total capacity of the new corporation is \$70,000,000, of which \$60,000,000 is ten per cent. common stock, \$50,000,000, six per cent. cumulative, preferred, and \$50,000,000 four and one-half per cent. debentures. The valuation of the properties to be acquired is fixed at ten times the net income of the companies for the year 1900. The Morgan receive for their services \$50,000,000 of debentures, \$2,500,000 of preferred stock, and \$25,000,000 of common stock.

A DELIBERATE MURDER.

The Murderer Has Been Convicted at Kamloops, B.C.
Kamloops, B.C., May 9.—At the spring assizes for the district of Yale, in progress here, before justice Walkem, Louis Paquette was found guilty of murdering Frederick Legere, the jury being out only ten minutes. His lordship passed sentence until the close of the assizes. The crime for which Paquette was found guilty was committed on April 6th and was a most deliberate one. Paquette shot Legere as the latter was engaged in making a shakedown for him. Paquette tried to murder Legere's wife also, but she escaped from the house. The only excuse he gave for the crime was that he was in love with Mrs. Legere. Paquette is about fifty years of age and, it is said, that he comes from a prominent French-Canadian family in Quebec.

BOERS TOOK EVERYTHING.

They Even Stripped The Dead Soldiers.
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A Story Denied.

Rome, May 9.—According to a letter received here from Turin, king Victor Emanuel was attacked by a workman while walking yesterday. The assailant, the latter says, was arrested before doing his majesty any harm, but subsequently escaped. Court officials here deny the story.

Charged With Embezzlement.

Washington, May 9.—H. A. Barrows, late disbursing officer of the census bureau, was arrested here, charged with the embezzlement of \$7,500 in government funds.

A Case Of Diphtheria.

Halifax, N.S., May 9.—Hospital Sergt. Pringle, of the C.M.R., who comes from Ottawa, has been removed to the infectious hospital, suffering with diphtheria.

An Inch Of Snow.

Winnipeg, May 9.—It has been snowing in Brandon all morning and there is now over an inch of "beautiful" on the ground.

Strawberries, Dr. Carnovsky's.

During Moving Days

Send the family washing to us, and save yourself all the worry and labor. Our rates are reasonable, and the quality of our work unsurpassed.

Kingston Steam Laundry

(Successors to Baker's)
Phone 73, Princess Street.

THE MINERS WAITING.

For the Operators to Decide as to Arbitration.
Scranton, Pa., May 9.—The executive committee of the United mine workers met, in secret session, at Carpenters' hall, at 9:15 o'clock, this morning. President John Mitchell declared that so far as he was able to say the situation was unchanged. He refused to say whether or not he had received any replies from the anthracite operators on the arbitration proposal made at yesterday's conference. The whole situation now rests upon the operators' replies and is very uncertain.

The Answer Received.

Scranton, Pa., May 9.—The anthracite operators have refused to arbitrate. The miners representatives are considering the advisability of a strike.

GERST PAYS \$1,000.

Buffalo, May 9.—Former city treasurer Philip Gerst, indicted for complicity in the defalcations in his office, which resulted in his bondsmen being forced to make good to the extent of about \$10,000, pleaded guilty to violating section 470 of the penal code, which provides that any official who misappropriates public money, or causes others to misappropriate it, is guilty of a felony.

AN UNIDENTIFIED BODY.

Remains Had Been in Water Some Weeks.
Toronto, May 9.—Early this morning the body of a man was found on the south shore of Toronto island, near the Eastern gap. The body, which had apparently been in the water about three weeks, is now at the morgue, unidentified. It is that of a man of about forty, five feet, eight inches tall, about 150 pounds weight, clean shaven, slightly bald, and fairly well dressed. Some of the pockets were turned inside out and the nose was badly bruised.

COURT ADJOURNED.

And Several of the Arbitrators Have Gone Home.
Montreal, May 9.—The arbitration proceedings in the case of the C.P.R. trackmen's grievances have been adjourned for a week or ten days, and chancellor Boyd and Mr. Wilson, of the trackmen's union, have gone to their homes. When the court is reopened the case of the men of the Pacific division will be taken up.

Danger At Cape Race.

St. John's, Nfld., May 9.—The spring navigation through northern waters has now begun and Cape Race is again a danger spot. During the dense fog last Monday a large, four-masted steamer almost ran ashore near Rensselaers, a few miles north of Cape Race. A fishing boat signalled the liner as she passed her danger and this only saved the steamer, which had to go astern full speed to escape the rocks.

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A Farmer Drowned.

Hastings, Ont., May 4.—Richard King, a farmer of Percy township, was accidentally drowned late last night. King had been running an engine which was being used to pump out the locks, where new gates are being put in. Nobody saw the accident, but it is supposed that the man fell from a high plank when walking across to the dredge float, on board of which he slept. The body was found. King leaves a wife and family.

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American Alpine Hats.

In young men's shapes, all the new colors \$2. Campbell Bros.

Paul Leicester Ford, the author, was shot and killed at his home in New York city, on Thursday, by his brother, Malcolm, who then shot himself.

Livingston's trouser sale is the talk of the city.

A Special Favorite

In a Gentleman's Watch is our thin model Plain Gold Case fitted with one of our special movements. No charge for engraving a monogram on it.

A. C. JOHNSTON & BRO.

The Goodness Of This Store Shows

Not here or there, but everywhere, in every part of the building, the real excellence and economy of Steacy's Merchandise must at once appeal to all discriminating shoppers.

We are experts in the matter of store keeping, and are ever busy with modern ideas, like the skilled art of who is inspired to new touches.

Do you wonder why so many buyers turn to this store? Because there's character in every bit of merchandise, because there are also the virtues of newness, individuality and fairness.

New Shirt Waists.
New Undergarments.
New Hosiery and Gloves.
New White Underwear.
New Tailor-Made Separate Skirts.
New Ready-to-wear Hats.
Children's Headwear.

Everything that is new and worth having in woman's and children's wear can be found at

Steacy's THE WOMAN'S STORE

DIED.
O'DONNELL—In Kingston, on May 9th, O'Donnell, ex-actor-manager of provincial penitentiary.
General Privates.

THE BELL TELEPHONE CO. OF CANADA.

A NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY IS NOW in course of preparation. Orders for new connections, additional equipment, changes of firm names, duplicate names, etc., should be placed at once to insure insertion in the book.
H. W. SMELLING, Local Manager.
Kingston, May 7th, 1902.

An Equilibrist's Awful Fall.

Nashville, Tenn., May 9.—While eight thousand persons were watching the feat of Achille Feliou, at the Eagle's carnival, the equilibrist fell from the cable at the top of the spiral tower, and plunged headlong to the platform beneath. He clutched frantically at the cable and wires as he fell, but failed to grasp either. His head struck a ladder on the platform, fracturing the bones on the right side of his face. It is feared his injuries are fatal.