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The Daily Note Book For Whig Readers to Post Themselves By. Victoria day celebration, Monday. Sons of England, St. Georgejs, 11 a.m. Big liberal rally, city hall, this evening. No Wing will be issued on Monday-Vic-

Garrison church parade at 11 a.m., to St. George's. Soldiers at Brock street Methodist church

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MAY 24th. ADDRESSES BY

6. 6. S. Lindsay, K.C., Geo. P. Graham, Ex M.P.P. AND OTHER SPEAKERS.



WHEREAS VICTORIA DAY FALLS Saturday, and it has been considered expedient by the council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, to have a local celebration on MONDAY, I hereby invite the citizens of Kingston to observe MONDAY, May 26th inst., as a public holiday. J. MORGAN SHAW,

Kings won, May 23rd, 1902.

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NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK

Of The Dead Miners From The Coal Depths.

THE HEARTRENDING SCENES AROUND MINES.

How the Catastrophe Occurred -Rescue Parties Are Hard at Work-Doing Everything Regardless of Expense.

Vancouver, B.C., May 24.-A despatch from Fernie says that only ten borlies of the victims of the mining disaster which occurred at the Coal Creek mines on Thursday night had been recovered up to late yesterday. From 125 to 150 men, according to the despatch, met almost instant death in mines Nos. 2 and 3. The explosion occurred in the depths of No. 2, and not a man of over 100 employed in that mine escaped to tell the tale. From No. 3 workings,

was a rush of coal dust and fire to a height of over 1,000 feet above the fans. Word was immediately sent to Fernie, five miles from the mines, and within twelve minutes from time the accident occurred relief parties were at work. The mine was full of fire damp, and every few minutes the men would collapse and be borne to the outer air their places being quickly

filled by volunteers. Several days will elapse before all the bodies are recovered. The names of the dead so far taken out Stephen Morgan, Joseph Sangala, William Robertson, Victor Johnston, John Leadbeter, Frank Salter, John McLeod, T. Ferafull, Thomas Johnson, and an Italian whose name is

unknown. The mine is free from fire, and the bodies will be removed as fast as the after-damp is cleared from the mine. The resoue parties are working four hour shifts and the company is doing all in its power to assist in the

Anxious friends and relatives of the imprisoned men surround the scene of the disaster, and many heart-rending scenes are witnessed. A relief fund has been organized to aid the families of the unfortunate miners, and contributions are rapidly pouring in. The cause of the accident is unknown, but the opinion of many of the miners is that it was the result of a shot from one of the machines.

Elias Roger, managing director of the company, will start for the west at once. The local managers have been wired to do everything that could be done regardless of expense for the relief of the sufferers. At The Head Office.

Toronto, May 24 .- The Crow's Nest coal companies' head office here have received word that up to a late hour last night seventeen bodies had been company's mines near Fernie.

Asking For Aid.

Whig has received this message: NGHT lect subscriptions and forward the same to the bank of Commerce relief funo at Fernie. The Whig will comply with the request and will transmit all contribu- of the general public.

tions sent to us. FAMILY'S AWFUL RECORD.

Nearly All Criminals and Cost the Nation \$3,000,000.

New York, May 24 .- Mrs. M. J. Annable, state superintendent of rescue work of the women's christian temperance union, gave some startling statistics before the New York county temperance union. She told of an immoral woman who died in 1827. Her descendants number eight hundred and have been traced. Mrs. Annable said: "Three hundred and forty-two of them are drunkards, acknowledged by all as such. One hundred and twenty seven are immoral women. Thirty-seven of them were murderers and were executed for their crimes. This family has cost the nation \$3. for their trials and executions."

Baseball On Friday. American league-At Boston, 6; Chi cago, 3. At Philadelphia, 6; Cleveland, 2. At Baltimore, 2; Detroit, 3. At Washington, 5; St. Louis, 7. National league-At Pittsburg. New York, 1. At St. Louis, 10; Boston, 6. At Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, Calam

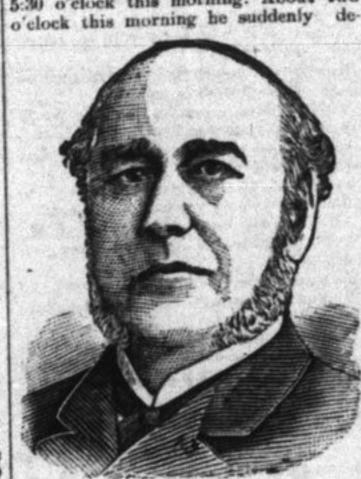
Eastern league-At Jersey City, 1 Providence, 9. At Newark, 6; Worces ter, 11.

Cornwall's Postmaster Dead. Cornwall, May 24.-George McDonban's church, and thence to Williams-

for service on both occasions. He ing position socially.

LORD PAUNCEFOTE DEAD. He Was the British Minister

Washington. Washington, May 24.-Lord Paunce- The Pica Sct Up By fote, the British ambassador, died at 5:30 o'clock this morning. About two



The first intimation of disaster able to rally him and he died peacewhich those on the outside received fully, not having regained consciousness from the sleep he fell into during

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Election of a Tory Government Would be a Calamity. Ottawa, May 23 .- (To the Editor) The cry of the tories that it is time for a change of government in Ontario recalls the fact that the line of demarcation between tories and reformers is the same now as in the past. Judging by the action of the tories when they were entrusted with power in Canada, they hold the same views in regard to taxation, the administration of the public domain, and privileges, that characterized the rule of their aristocratic predecessors in all

The tories held that the poorer the

No Other As Clean.

London News (Ind.) Make a careful examination and a strict, honest comparison, and you will find that the administration in the very best state in the union is corrupt and vile compared with the administration in Ontario; further, that in all Canw ada, in all America, there w is no other state, city or province where public afv fairs are as clean as in our

urgently call the attention of all the inion, whilst millionaires increased situation. people that a great calamity has rapidly. When Sir Oliver Mowat The only minister who remained overtaken the town by a mine explo- wrested Northern Ontario from the in London after the meeting of the sion; 150 men have been killed, and grasp of the tories, he found that cabinet was colonial secretary Chammuch destitution prevails. Kindly col- almost the whole of that vast terri- berlain, who remains in communicatory had been granted to the sup- tion with lord Milner. It is not likely porters of toryism. These grants were that another cabinet meeting will be annulled, and that great country is now being administered in the interest

Reformers hold that labor pays all taxes, with the exception of one impost; that the lighter the taxes better for labor; that taxation is a necessary evil.

Holding these views makes a govern-

ment careful in its administration of the public domain and privileges, and ingenious in devising taxes which relieve labor of its burden. Such an impost is the death duties; the only tax devised so far by the cunning of man that cannot be transferred to the broad shoulders of labor. It is for this reason that the tories are so bitter and unanimous in their con-

demnation of this tax. After thirty years administration of the public domain by the reform government of Ontario, during which time it has not only been made to produce a large revenue, which has been 000,000, this being the sum paid out applied to further relieve labor of its burden, but what is of far greater importance to the labor of the future, the actual area of this domain has been increased enormously, and its value enhanced by a judicious expenditure on roads and other improvements. A victory for the tories with their peculiar system of taxation, and narrow views of society, would be a calamity for Ontario .- H. WASHING-

MARRIED MOTORMAN.

Courted on a Car-Wedded Two Years Ago.

Hartford, Conn., May 24 .- It ha ell, postmaster, died Thursday night, been learned through an announceafter a few days' illness. He was ment placed for publication in the loeighty years of age. The funeral will cal papers to-day that Miss Emily take place on Sunday to St. Colum- Webster, Elisworth, a well known young woman in Hartford society. town. His widow and two sons sur- was married in 1900 to Julius Anvive him. The Sons of Scotland and derson, a motorman. He is a Swede St. Andrew's society will attend the by birth, blonde and good looking. Mrs. Anderson is the daughter of the late Dr. P. W. Ellsworth, who died | ment Joseph Best, an old resident of a few years ago, leaving a fortune. Brockville, died on Thursday, aged Her family has been well known in ninety-seven years. He was a veteran Connecticut since colonial times, posof '37 and '66, and received medals sessing wealth and occupying a lead-

Denison

IN THE FISCAL POLICY OF GREAT BRITAIN.

To Consider the Question Closer Union Between Various Parts of the British Empire - Curious Detail of Coronation Preparations.

terday, on the subject of British trade | she will need other repairs. relations with the colonies. His plea for the adoption of a system of preferential tariffs was listened to with sympathy and even enthusiasm. He warned the meeting that the Atlantic shipping combine would charge higher prices for bringing grain from the veloped a very weakened heart con- United States to England so as to be tell the tale. From No. 3 workings, veloped a very weakened heart able to send American manufactured dition and a consultation of his phywhich are connected with No. 2, abscicians was called. They were unspected as a lower rates. The next war Cleveland, Ohio, at the end of a fast Britain changed her fiscal policy sae could not hope to survive. Richard J. Sedden, premier of New Zealand speaking at Pretoria, on Tuesday, also advocated a change in Great Britain's fiscal policy.

Mr. Brodrick, last night, said the coming colonial conference would take into consideration the question of closer union between the various parts of the empire, but he avoided any reference to commercial relations. Lord Rosebery made an appeal for a

liberal reunion at the National liberal said, amid loud applause, the liberal ten round fight. party was bound to free trade. Among the latest arrivals from Canada are R. Roblin, premier of Mani-

president bank of Ottawa A curious detail of coronation prearations had been revealed. In the South Kensington museum there is a large tapestry, which it is sain would be used for decorative effect in the abbey at the coronation. It is a Spanish tapestry about twelve feet square, with crimsons and blues of exceptional beauty and richness, and a great deal of gold thread is woven with these colors. The tapestry is now in the museum, although no one is allowed to see it, but it is learned from good authority that the king has decided to use it at the coronation.

NO DEFINITE ANNOUNCEMENT Expected in Regard to the Peace

Situation. that the cabinet yesterday considered signal, "The enemy in sight." Strapcertain proposals made by the Boer | ppd about his body are all the acleaders, which lord Kitchener and lord coutrements carried by a soldier Be | 0000 Milner did not see their way either to low the statue on the granite base accept or to decline. Nothing has been are engraved the names of the Canamasses the easier they are to rule, allowed to transpise, officially, as to dians who fell in South Africa, and When they are entrusted with power what took place, but it is known in addition are four bronze medalions they therefore invariably impose taxes that a despatch was cabled last even- representing the departure of the solwith the object of impoverishing the ing to lord Milner, and it is presum diers from Halifax, the battles of masses and enriching their own class. ed that this was a reply to the Boer | Paardeberg and Whitport and the recovered from No. 2 shaft of the They teach that taxes are good in proposal. This communication doubtthemselves. After the enactments less, will be made the subject of fur- ture of the memorial is that the first governing taxation, put on the federal ther debate by the Boer delegates. name on the roll of honor under the statute books by the tories in 1879, it and it is, therefore, quite possible In connection with the above the will be remembered that wages fell and some days will elapse before the Lov- Carroll Wood, son of Capt. J. Taylor the value of farm land dwindled forty ernment can see its way to make a Wood, commander of the Tallahassee, "The Fernie board of trade would per cent. throughout the whole dom- definite announcement regarding the a confederate war vessel, who was a

held for sometime.

The duke of Devonshire, president of the council, who next to Sir Michael Hicks Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, is the chief supporter of peace was the only absentee from the meeting, Mr. Chamberlain, who is leader of the party that is determined to finish the war, irrespective of the convenience of the coronation, had air interview with the king after the meeting of the cabinet.

It is stated, in some quarters, that the cabinet is expected to make very important announcement garding the peace negotiations in the house of commons on Monday. The Daily Telegraph, however, says that the interchange of views between the British and Boers has been so incomplete that Mr. Balfour cannot make a statement in the house of commons on Monday. The Times concurs in the statement that there has been a hitch in the negotiations because some of the points raised were regarded as admissable. All this morning's newspapers, however, take a very hopeful view of peace outlook. Even the cautious Standard says the main lines of settlement appear to have been practically agreed upon.

All stocks in the Capel court yesterday were decidedly buoyant on the prospects of peace. The Kaffirs were especially. The houses which have been buying the stocks of late are mostly in touch with the Dutch ele-

Boys' rough straw hats, 50c. Bib

The trouble between the master bakers' of Toronto, and the members of bakers' union which has come to a pending for some weeks has come to a head and as a result the union bak ers in the employ of the Parry Webb company, the Nasmith Co. and two other firms have quit work until their employers recognize the union by signing the agreement. Some twenty-six firms have signed the agree-Ping-pong neckwear, only at Bil

During the heavy thunderstorm on Friday James Caughy, Boston, Ont. by the bolders of the Cataragui Conseter Company beautiful to the Cataragui Conseter Co at 4 o'cleck n.m., for the election of breets and for grucos nursuance nursuance of the company.

Porter & Sons, Minesing, Ont., were ly occupying the front seat in summer with contents were destroyed.

New golf caps, 25c., 50c. Bibby's destroyed by fire on Friday; loss ab-

MAY HAVE BEEN LOST. Struck by Lightning on Lake On-

Rochester, N.Y., May 24 .- A terri-

fic thunderstorm passed eastward

along the southern shore of Lake On-tario during Thursday night, doing considerable damage to crops ashore and charning the surface of the lake into mountainous seas. A schooner supposed to hail from Oswego and bound for Charlotte was struck by lightning a short distance east of Sodus Point, and burned to the wat-

er's edge. It has not been learned as vet if the crew escaped. The schooner New Dominion, from Toronto, outward bound from that city, was caught by the storm in the middle of the lake. She was forced to scud before the wind under bare poles London, May 24.-Col. Denison, To- and made Charlotte after great difronto, addressed a meeting of the ficulty. Her foresail was torn to Liverpool chamber of commerce, yes shreds by the force of the gale and

CORBETT GROGGY.

Fight With Broad Was a Hot

Denver, Col., May 21.-William H. Rothwell, better known to the sporting world as "Young Corbett," gained and furious ten-round fight last night Broad put up a very good fight and in the ninth round had Corbett groggy. but the Denver lad came back strong and finished the round fresh. At no time was there any time lost, both men being willing to lead and the fighting whenever necessary. The fight is the third time this pair

The first fight between these men was on March 22nd, 1901, when Broad scored a clean knockout in the fourth round. On July 26th, 1901. Corbett club last night. For good or evil, he gained the decision over Broad in a

FOREST FIRES

toba; J. S. Tupper, George Burn, Rain Averts Danger of Serious Disaster. Underskirts, New Ready-to-Wear Quebec, May 24.-The rain is report-

ed to have had a beneficial effect upon the forest fires raging during the past few days along the line of the Quebec & Lake St. John railway, and all danger of a serious disaster is passed. The damage already caused, however, is said to be considerable many thousands of dollars worth of timber having been destroyed. Nova Scotia's Soldiers' Memorial

Halifax, N.S., May 24 .- A handsome tribute to the Nova Scotians who have fallen in South Africa in the war against the Boers was unveiled today, with military ceremonies. The memorial is in the form of a bronze statue of a soldier modeled by Hamilton McCarthy. The statue represents London, May 24.-It is understood a British soldier in action giving the siege of Mafeking. An interesting feagiant figure is that of Lieut. Charles nephew of Jefferson Davis and grandson of president Zachary Taylor.

Collided With A Rig. About half past nine o'clock this morning, Harry Hughes, who lives on O'Kill street, was wheeling along King street, and when near the Whig office, he collided with the Imperial laundry delivery waggon. Rider and bicycle fell under the horse, which

ous position by those around, He fortunately escaped serious injury.

stepped upon and broke the latter.

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A Canadian's Death.

Ottawa, May 24.-Lord Minto has received word by cable of the death of farrier sergeant J. M. Margeson. of the 2nd C.M.R., of enteric fever, at Vryburg, on May 22nd. Margeson enlisted at Halifax.

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