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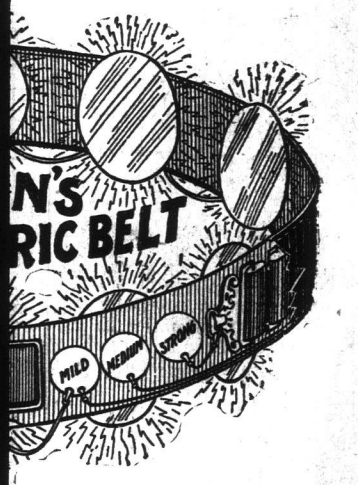
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BOOM! BOOM!! BOOM!!!

Big Guns of the Campdown Bombard the Cretons With Tremendous Effect.

Insurgents Wallop the Turks But the Powers Are Too Much for Them.

CANEA, Crete, March 31.—The insurgents by a bold stroke occupied the hill on the south side of Suda bay last evening. They were promptly shelled by the British, Austrian and Russian warships.

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Intelligence was loudly cheered. The captain general is reported as "satisfied" with the result, and has received cablegrams of congratulations from the Spanish minister of war and the Spanish premier, who commended him in the name of the Queen of Spain. Velasco will be honored with a title.

UNDER WATER.

JACKSON, Miss., March 30.—Telegrams to the Associated Press from Greenville, Mississippi, say: "At three o'clock this morning another crevasse occurred about 15 miles north of here. This, with the crevasse at Lake Lee, three miles below Greenville, will deluge the entire great Mississippi delta."

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TURKEY WARNED.

VENICE, March 29.—The speech from the throne at the opening of the reichstag to-day expressed the hope that the co-operation of the powers will lead to a satisfactory solution of the Cretan question.

MANTOYA LAWMAKERS FINISHED.

WINNIPEG, March 31.—(Special)—The Manitoba legislature prorogued yesterday when the schools settlement act was assented to.

"EDITH" WILL HELP.

SEATTLE, March 30.—A relief boat for the wrecked passengers of the steamer Willapa will leave here to-morrow for Bella Bella, and will transfer them to their original destination.

ALL LOST.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 30.—Lloyd's agents have received word that the four-masted British ship Lord Dufferin and the British bark Bankholm are missing.

POLICE IN THE YUKON.

OTTAWA, March 30.—(Special)—Mr. Davis will move in the house that the time has arrived when the claims of the Wood Mountain scouts to scrip or land warrants, for services during the rebellion, should be settled.

KIRKPATRICK DYING.

Word from London That the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario Cannot Live.

Conservative Caucus Declare That Tariff Should Have Precedence of Franchise Bill.

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ARCHBISHOP BEGIN.

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