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good furniture dealers.

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to try to make the public believe you sell your goods  
for less than cost. Philanthropists spend their  
money in different ways, but we know of none con-  
ducting stores. Either the customers pay the ex-  
penses, or the creditors do. We expect our custom-  
ers to pay ours, therefore we treat them judiciously.

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We open our new store next week.

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We have about 300 Rolls of Paper left over in  
lots of 8 rolls to 20, which will be placed on sale  
Friday morning at wholesale price. We are  
anxious to have the room for other goods.

**McLean's Department Store,** 565 Main Street.

## Holiday Suits.

The 24th of May is a good time to start a new outfit suitable to be worn  
without a Top Coat. Our stock of these suits for Men, Youths and Boys  
was never so large and well assorted as now, and our prices are acknowl-  
edged to be the lowest in the city. We make alterations when necessary, in  
every case we make every garment a satisfactory fit.

MEN'S SUITS, large assortment, from \$3.00 to \$14.00.

YOUTHS' SUITS, long pants, from \$4.00 to \$9.50.

BOYS' 3-PIECE SUITS, at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and up.

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**J. N. HARVEY,** Men's and Boys' Clothier,  
199 Union Street, St. John.

### MAKING FOR PEACE.

Consensus of Opinion Is That All  
Signs Are Propitious.

LONDON, May 22.—The consensus of  
opinion here is that all the signs are  
propitious, but up to two o'clock this  
afternoon the British officials had given  
no indication of the course which the  
negotiations between Lord Kitchener  
and Lord Milner and the Boer dele-  
gates at Pretoria, were taking. That  
conferences are occurring regarding  
the bases upon which peace shall be  
declared is the sum total of the  
information which the war office  
has vouchsafed up to the present,  
though it is intimated that a  
definite announcement of the  
result, peaceful or otherwise, may be  
speedily expected. The impression that  
peace is close at hand has obviously  
taken a strong hold of operators of the  
stock exchange. The buying of con-  
sols and gilt edge South African shares  
continues, it is believed, on behalf of  
well informed interests.

### GRAIN EXPORT.

Policies on Canadian Shipments  
Must Have Same Conditions  
as United States.

(Special to the Star.)  
MONTREAL, Mar. 22.—The board of  
trade has received notice from the  
London Corn Trade Association to the  
effect that policies on grain shipped at  
Canadian ports must contain similar  
conditions to those required from United  
States Atlantic ports as regards  
risks under negligence clause. The  
opinion is expressed that the London  
association has no right to insist on  
the insertion of this clause, seeing that  
the clause relates to an act of the  
United States government, but action  
is to be left for the corn exchange,  
which is more directly interested.

### LOUBET IN RUSSIA.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 22.—Presi-  
dent Loubet arrived here this morn-  
ing from Tsarskoe-Selo, and was ac-  
cording an enthusiastic and popular re-  
ception. The railroad station and city  
were lavishly decorated and men, wo-  
men and children thronged the streets  
waving tri-color flags and wearing  
Franco-Russian alliance souvenirs of  
all descriptions. The French president  
was welcomed at the station by the  
mayor of St. Petersburg, who offered  
him the customary bread and salt and  
heartily bade him welcome. M. Loubet,  
in reply, said he entertained no doubt  
of the cordiality of his reception in any  
part of Russia, as he knew the hearts  
of Russia and France beat in unison.  
Deputations of ladies presented M.  
Loubet with baskets of flowers, for  
transmission to Madame Loubet. After  
inspecting the guard of honor, M. Lou-  
bet proceeded to the Cathedral of St.  
Peter and St. Paul. He was acclaimed,  
along the route followed by enormous  
crowds of people.

### THE STRIKING MINERS.

WILKESHAIRE, Pa., May 22.—The  
executive committee of the three An-  
thractite districts of the united mine  
workers resumed their joint sessions  
today for the consideration of further  
business. Neither President Mitchell  
nor the committee men would say what  
matters would be taken up, but as the  
call for the proposed special national  
convention has not yet been issued, it  
is believed that this will be the prin-  
cipal thing to engage the attention of  
the meeting. President Mitchell was  
disinclined to talk on the proposition  
of calling on the engineers, firemen  
and pumpmen, unless they give an  
eight hour day at the present  
wages, except to say that he expects  
the mine owners to comply with the  
demands of the union.

### EXTENSION OF TIME.

COPENHAGEN, May 22.—The Pol-  
liten is authority for the statement  
that U. S. Secretary of State Hay has  
proposed an extension until July 2, 1903,  
of the time allowed for the ratification  
of the treaty for the sale to the U. S.  
of the Danish West Indies. There is  
little doubt, adds the paper, that King  
Christian will agree to the proposal.

### FROM MARCONI TO BOROS.

LONDON, May 22.—Miss Josephine  
Holman, formerly of Indianapolis, Ind.,  
(who was once engaged to marry Sig-  
nor Marconi, of wireless telegraphy  
fame), and Eugene Boros, of Buda  
Pest, Hungary, were married today at  
St. Mary Abbotts church, Kensington,  
this city, in the presence of the bride's  
mother and several friends.

### EX-MAYOR HAMILTON DYING.

(Special to the Star.)  
Halifax, May 22.—Jas. J. Hamilton,  
ex-mayor of Halifax, was reported to  
be dying this morning. He was a suf-  
ferer from cancer. Mr. Hamilton was  
a native of Cornwallis and for thirty  
years has been in this city, for the past  
twenty in business for himself.

### THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Eastern  
states and Northern New York—Fair,  
warmer tonight; Friday, fair, fresh,  
south winds.

### A LITTLE TOO CLEVER.

A student at the U. N. B., who comes  
from one of the eastern counties of  
the province, is likely to get himself into  
serious trouble, says the Gleaner. In  
fact is already deeply in trouble, ac-  
cording to reports going today. Of  
course, all concerned are very reticent  
in the matter. The story is that the  
student, while visiting the chancellor  
and later at the residence of Prof.  
Bailey possessed himself in advance of  
certain examination papers, which gave  
him an undue advantage in the termi-  
nal examinations now going on.

## DOOMED ISLE.

Inhabitants, Crazed  
With Fear, Seek  
to Escape.

Convinced That God Is Angry  
With Martinique and Means  
to Burn It With Fire.

Latest Eruption Has Turned St.  
Pierre, From a City of Death  
to a Hideous Amphitheatre  
of Fiery Destruction.

FORT DE FRANCE, Island of Mar-  
tinique, Wednesday, May 21, 4 p. m.—  
Streams of frightened refugees  
have been pouring into Fort De  
France from all the surrounding coun-  
try. These people are not destitute,  
but they are terrified. They want only  
one thing, and that is to be taken far  
away from this island, with which,  
they say, the Gods are angry and which  
they will destroy by fire before it sinks  
under the sea.

The consuls here and the officers of  
the war vessels in the harbor are way-  
laid by persons crazed with fear and  
begging to be carried away. The  
weather is now calm and beautiful, but  
the mountain is veiled in volcanic  
clouds, which often assume a very  
threatening aspect, and occasional  
rumblings are heard. Some heavy and  
very welcome rain fell this morning.

The United States steamer Dixie,  
Captain Perry, from New York, arriv-  
ed today after a quick and safe pas-  
sage. Her passengers include many  
world-famed scientists. Professor Robert  
T. Hill, government geologist; Prof.  
C. E. Borchgrevink, the Antarctic ex-  
plorer; Messrs. Curtis and George Ken-  
nan and many magazine writers and  
correspondents are also among those  
who are on the steamer. The Dixie be-  
gan landing her enormous cargo of  
supplies early and the storeshouses on  
shore soon became congested. This is  
the greatest difficulty of the adminis-  
tration.

This morning the United States  
steamer Potomac went to inspect St.  
Pierre. With the greatest difficulty the  
party succeeded in making a landing.  
The effects of the outburst of yester-  
day were tremendous. The huge bas-  
alt towers of the cathedral were pul-  
verized and the walls were hurled flat  
to the earth. The bombardment of  
volcanic stones is not sufficient to ac-  
count for this and all evidences point  
to the passage of a furious blast of  
blazing gas, travelling at enormous  
speed and with incalculable force. The  
deposit of boulders, ashes and angular  
stones is enormous. Not a living hu-  
man being saw what happened at St.  
Pierre yesterday. This second erup-  
tion was many times more violent than  
that which effaced St. Pierre and swept  
its people from the earth. Nor has all  
volcanic activity ceased. Vast columns  
of smoke and gas still pour from the  
great craters. New fissures have open-  
ed and are vomiting yellow whirlwinds,  
which rush from one point to another.  
Boiling mud is also thrown out at  
times in torrents that reach the sea  
and produce small tidal waves.

From a sombre, silent city of death  
and desolation, St. Pierre has become  
a hideous amphitheatre of fiery, roar-  
ing destruction. The people are con-  
vinced that God is angry with the is-  
land and means to scourge it with fire  
and then sink it.

Utter and unreasoning fear possess  
all kinds. Even Fort De France is be-  
lieved to be unsafe. The presence of  
the relief ships, however, is helpful to  
the people. The Potomac could not ap-  
proach close to St. Pierre. The Dixie  
will sail for St. Vincent, but the other  
vessels will remain here. The scientists  
who have arrived will examine into the  
question of the danger of the peaks of  
Cabet, near Fort De France, being  
very active volcanoes. The outburst of  
yesterday means probably a ruined is-  
land, as all confidence is lost.  
"We want not food, but only to  
leave," is the single and unanimous  
cry of all, rich and poor alike.

### ARRANGING TO LEAVE.

PARIS, May 22.—The minister of  
the colonies, M. DeCraix, has cabled to  
Governor L'Heureux, at Fort de France,  
instructing him to make all possible  
arrangements for the embarkation of  
the inhabitants of Martinique, in the  
event of circumstances necessitating  
the evacuation of that island.

PROTECT AMERICAN INTERESTS.  
PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, May 22.—  
The United States cruiser Topeka ar-  
rived here today from Port Royal, S.  
C., May 16, to protect American inter-  
ests. The presence of the warship in  
these waters had had an excellent ef-  
fect. The situation of affairs is im-  
proving.

The newest and most effective  
hosiery, in lace stripes, black gob-  
lin blue and cardinal shades has  
just been received at Dykeman's.

### ECONOMY.

(Washington Star.)  
Charley, dear, said young Mrs. Torkins,  
I did just what you told me to.  
You mean about economy?  
Yes. Instead of buying sirloin steak, I  
bought a porterhouse. It isn't nearly so  
large, you know.

LINDSAY, Ont., May 21.—Several  
houses, barns and stables in Hamilton  
terrace were destroyed by fire today.  
Nine or ten families were burned out.  
The loss is about \$30,000.

### TRIBUTE TO AN EDITOR.

English Papers Pay Their Respects  
to the Late E. L. Godkin.

LONDON, May 22.—The newspapers  
here regard the death of Edwin Law-  
rence Godkin, editor emeritus of the  
Evening Post of New York, who ex-  
pired at Brixham, South Devonshire,  
Tuesday night, as being a distinct loss  
to Great Britain as well as to Am-  
erica, and commented on his friendship  
for Great Britain. The Westminster  
Gazette says: "He was at one time  
the most powerful editor in the United  
States, and became one of the great-  
est champions of England at a time  
when to be her friend was not as easy  
as it is today."

The Daily News pays a tribute to  
him as its former correspondent in New  
York: "Who in the early days of the  
civil war furnished the Daily News  
with information on which the paper  
was able to foretell the triumph of the  
North. It was not the least of Mr.  
Godkin's services to the world that  
through him the cause of the North  
had at least one advocate in the days  
of its adversity."

### HANDSOME PRESENT.

Daughters of the Empire Will Give  
Coronation Contingent a Flag.

(Special to the Star.)  
TORONTO, May 22.—A beautiful silk  
flag will be presented to the coronation  
contingent by the Imperial Order of  
the Daughters of the Empire, to be  
carried in the coronation procession in  
London. It is expected that the pre-  
sentation will be made to Colonel Pel-  
let at the final review of the contingen-  
t at Quebec before sailing for Eng-  
land.

### INCREASE IN PAY.

Moulders of Ontario Will Get Five  
Per Cent Advance.

(Special to the Star.)  
TORONTO, May 22.—An increase of  
pay for the moulders of the province  
has been obtained of the International  
Moulders' Union. The increase is of  
five per cent and goes into effect on  
May 23 and will continue till April 1,  
1903.

### CANDIDATES SCARCE.

Not Enough Men Qualified For the  
Christian Ministry.

At a meeting of the general assembly  
of the Presbyterian church in New  
York, Rev. Dr. R. A. McKinley, of  
Steubenville, O., moderator of the Ohio  
synod and a cousin of the late Presi-  
dent McKinley, presented the report of  
the standing committee on education.  
The report approved of the work of  
the Board of Education and its recom-  
mendations. It expressed regret at  
the decrease of the number of candi-  
dates for the ministry and recommended  
that possible candidates be looked  
up. Dr. McKinley in presenting the  
report ascribed the scarcity of candi-  
dates to the courses of teaching in  
the colleges.

The Rev. Dr. Edward B. Hoge, sec-  
retary of the Board of Education, plead-  
ed that the church should maintain  
the high standard of education in the  
Presbyterian church. He was followed  
by the Rev. John H. Hatfield of Pon-  
tiac, Ill., who said that the commis-  
sioners ought to have heard the dis-  
cussion on the report in the committee  
room. He said that the lack of candi-  
dates was due to a lack of piety and  
prayer and the great restlessness that  
prevades the age. He said lawyers  
speak to lawyers about their business;  
physicians speak to physicians, but  
ministers never talk to ministers. Dr.  
Hatfield said that he had heard that  
in some Chicago saloons they conducted  
kindergartens where children were fed  
candy containing spirits, so as to teach  
children the taste of liquor.

"What is the church doing," he said,  
"to give the young people the taste of  
the church?"

Dr. Van Dyke, the moderator, closed  
the discussion by saying that it was  
the duty of the minister to find out a  
candidate for the ministry from his  
flock.

"The man who finishes his ministry,"  
he said, "without getting other men  
into the ministry has not had a full  
ministry."

### THE GATE OF EUROPE.

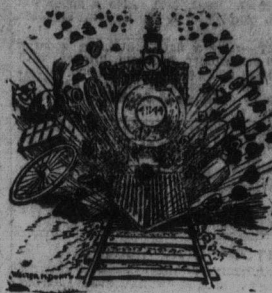
Buda Pesth, the Hungarian capital,  
is one of the handsomest cities in the  
world. Its wide streets, bordered by  
magnificent buildings, its parks, pal-  
aces, theatres, and, last but not least,  
its luxurious cafes, which have no  
equal, cannot fail to impress the visitor  
with its wealth and beauty.

The city is built on volcanic ground  
and the internal fires are still smoul-  
dering. A visit to the St. Lucas hot  
sulphur baths across the Danube at  
Buda might lead the visitor to think  
that the infernal regions are not far  
off, and indeed a humorous preacher  
could make good use of this when  
moralizing on the gay and luxurious  
life at the Pesth, half of the consoli-  
dated town. Another curiosity of the  
spot is the natural aperient waters re-  
nowned throughout the world, of which  
Apenta is the leading one. The Apenta  
accumulates in wells dug for the  
purpose, and absorbs from the soil the  
salts that make it a valuable purga-  
tive.

To one returning from the east by  
the Oriental express, Buda Pesth ap-  
pears like the gate of Europe, as it  
really is, for this was the last outpost  
of the Turks in their march westward.

### CLEVER PEOPLE.

(Philadelphia Press.)  
He says he met a few intelligent people  
when he was in Paris.  
I suppose he commended them intelligent  
because they pretended to understand his  
French.



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tunity to secure a high grade Derby  
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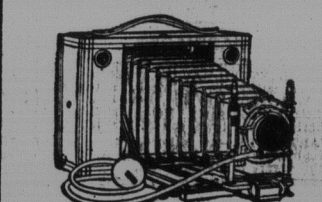
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