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"I'm pretty hard to suit—I'm a crank," said a customer last Saturday. "We aim pretty high—guess we can fit you all right," said the salesman, showed him six suits, his kind was there and his fit. Time: Ten minutes. 'Twas a Sovereign Brand suit he bought—

Get the action, you must see Sovereign Brand—\$14 to \$22.

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Devonshire Resigns. London, May 4.—(C.A.P.)—The Duke of Devonshire resigned the presidency of the British Empire League to-day, and the Earl of Derby was elected in his stead.

THE FOOD ROUTE. Is the safest way to steady health. Many people are kept ill because they do not know how to select food that their own particular bodies will take up and build upon.

Cooked Fruit Dish of Grape-Nuts and Cream. 2 Soft Eggs. 1 Cup Postum Coffee. Slice of Toast, no more, Man! but a diet like that makes one feel good after a few day's use.

Grape-Nuts. "There's a reason." Get the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each package.

NO OFFICIAL NOTICE YET OF EXPROPRIATION PLANS

Mayor Wants to See Plans Before Deciding on City's Attitude.

The civic authorities have as yet received no notification of the application made to the railway commission by the C. P. R. and G. T. R. for the expropriation of the Esplanade property.

The Railway Act provides that the companies may expropriate such lands as are necessary for the extension of their premises to meet the requirements of their trade, but the owner of the property affected, which in this case is the city, must be notified and may appear to oppose the application.

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BOILERMAKERS STRIKE.

Five Thousand Now Involved and Others Will Follow. New York, May 4.—All the large shipyards in the Metropolitan district, except that of the Boston Drydock Co., in Brooklyn, and the yard of Tilden and Lang, in Hoboken, are today tied up, as a result of a strike of the Brotherhood of Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders of the United States and Canada.

OUT AT PITTSBURG, TOO.

Pittsburg, May 4.—A strike which is expected to be an international movement against the American Bridge Co., was ordered to-day by the local union of structural ironworkers and bricklayers, and over 600 men in this district will go out to-morrow.

DID NOT COME UP.

St. Catharines, May 4.—(Special.)—The separate school board resolution regarding the division of bonus taxes did not come up at to-night's council meeting.

Medium Weight Underwear

Fine imported lines \$1.10 to \$10.00 per suit. See our unshrinkable lines of pure undyed natural Llama wool underwear, prices start \$3.50 per suit.

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LEAVE TO APPEAL GRANTED TO CONVICTED OFFICIALS

After Three Hours Argument, Court Consents in Application on Behalf of the Grays.

"Leave to appeal." These three words mean a great deal to those who were convicted in the election trials, and those who have still to face a judge and jury on the same charge.

WEIRD SEA MONSTER.

Paris, May 4.—The officers and crew of the French gunboat Decade, on the Indian Ocean station, reported having seen a weird sea monster in the Bay of Along near Hainan.

FAST FREIGHT WRECKED.

Windsor, May 4.—The fast freight, leaving Windsor at 10:30 p.m. for London, Ontario, was wrecked on the R.C.R.C. bridge about twenty-three miles from Windsor.

Pedro Match and Banquet.

A Pedro match was played last night in the clubhouse of the Royal Canadian Bicycle Club, in Toronto.

DADDY OF THE EARTH.

London, May 4.—Patriotic songs are getting a new boom now, and two that hold prominent places in "The New Barmald," at the Kensington Theatre, this week are making very decided hits.

ONE REGIMENT LOST 2000 IN BLOODY YALU BATTLE

Major-General Kashtalinsky Reports the Grievous But Glorious Fight of Russians.

St. Petersburg, May 4.—The Emperor to-day received the following despatch from Gen. Kuropatkin: "Major-General Kashtalinsky reports as follows: 'I consider it my duty to report the circumstances of the great, yet glorious, battle fought by the troops under my command with the superior forces of the Japanese.'

"Early in the morning of April 30, the Japanese began to oppress our left flank, but the previous evening occupied the heights, after an attack, in consequence of which I ordered the 22nd Regiment, which had occupied Khassan, to retire across the Ai River to our position at Potentskaya.

"The morning of the same day an extraordinarily prolonged and violent bombardment of our whole position at Chlutench commenced from Wu. I foresaw that the Japanese after the bombardment, in which over 2000 projectiles were discharged, would take the offensive.

"The Japanese took the offensive at 6 o'clock in the morning, despatching at least one division of infantry, which, advancing in column, sustained enormous losses, but crossed the ford at the position, which was exposed to the fire of 36 field guns and siege batteries.

"Towards noon I ascertained that the Japanese had routed the battalion of the 22nd Regiment posted at Chingow, and turning my left flank, they were reinforced by two battalions of the 11th Regiment and a battery commanded by Lieut.-Col. Moravsky, which were sent from the reserve by Lieut.-Gen. Zaslitsch, with orders to hold their ground until the departure of the 11th and 12th Regiments from Sakhaba. I ordered the 11th Regiment to occupy a commanding position in the rear, from which they could fire on the enemy from two sides.

"I held Lieut.-Col. Moravsky's battery in reserve, and ordered the 12th Regiment, the third battery and the quick-firing guns to retire under cover of the 12th Regiment.

"My chief of staff led the rear guard to its position. 'At 4 o'clock the Japanese approached so close to the position that the 11th Regiment could not pass along the cross-fire, and took up a position in a short distance from the Japanese for the remainder of the fight, losing its commander, Lieut.-Col. Moravsky, a company with quick-firing guns was brought up from the rear-guard, and the officer commanding this, foreseeing the difficult situation of Moravsky's battery, took up the position on his own initiative.

"The 12th Regiment, which held its position until 10 o'clock, was ordered to retire to the shelter of the hills under the Japanese fire. The quick-firing pieces discharged 35,000 bullets.

"The 12th Regiment cut its way through, and the 12th battery of the sixth brigade, having attempted to join the 12th Regiment, was ordered to retire to the mountain slopes with only half its horses, and retiring to its original position.

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ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

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Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

FOR HEADACHE, FOR DIZZINESS, FOR TORPID LIVER, FOR CONSTIPATION, FOR SALLOW SKIN, FOR THE COMPLEXION.

QURE SICK HEADACHE. AMUSEMENTS. GRAND OPERA HOUSE. MAJESTIC.

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SNEA'S THEATRE. Week of May 2. Matinee 2:30. Evening 8:00 and 8:30.

STAR. Matinee Every Day. ALL THIS WEEK FRED IRWIN'S BIG SHOW.

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BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS. RICHARD G. KIRBY, 533 YONGE ST., CONTRACTOR for plastering, painting, and general jobbing. Phone North 591.

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MONEY TO LOAN. ADVANCES ON HOUSEHOLD GOODS. pianos, organs, horses and waggons. Call and get our estimate of value. Money can be paid in small monthly weekly payments. All business confidential. J. McLaughlin & Co., 10 Lawler Building, 6 King West.

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JAMES BAIRD, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, notary, 104 Queen Street West.

R. L. DEPIERRE, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, notary, 231 Broadview Avenue; phone Main 2102. Money to loan at current rates, 8 1/2.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, ABLE to invest hundred and fifty dollars for part interest and take charge of contract work outside city; good for a hustler; rock work preferred. Salary, railway fare paid. Box 77, World Office.

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