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Vesuvius Quiet.

Naples, April 17.—The condition of Mount Vesuvius was unchanged yesterday. The volcano is still surrounded by a thick cloud of smoke, but ashes have almost ceased to fall.

Tornado in Texas.

Dallas, Texas, April 14.—It was reported yesterday that six persons were killed and several injured in the tornado which swept over Briggs, Texas, Thursday afternoon. A number of buildings in the district were destroyed. The volcano is still surrounded by a thick cloud of smoke, but ashes have almost ceased to fall.

Several persons were injured.

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The Budget Speech.

Ottawa, April 16.—It is understood that the budget speech will be delivered by Minister Fielding next week. He attended the Cabinet Council Saturday. The supplementary estimates were agreed upon and will be laid before the House on Tuesday.

TERRIBLE PAINS

ACROSS BACK

SUFFERED EIGHT MONTHS

WITH KIDNEY TROUBLE.

WOULD HAVE TO STAY IN BED

FOR THREE DAYS AT

A TIME

Doan's

Kidney Pills

CURED HIM

Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, Hazeldean, Ont., writes us as follows: "I was a great sufferer from kidney trouble for eight months. I had terrible pains across the small of my back. I would have to stay in bed for three days at a time and could not do any work. I tried several remedies but of no avail, and also plasters but they were of no use."

One day a neighbor of mine advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I was so much discouraged I told him I was tired of trying remedies, but he urged me to try one box so I purchased one, and before I was through using it, I found a change for the better so I got five boxes more, and I have had no trouble with my kidneys since. I would not be without Doan's Pills in my house."

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NEW KING OF THE DANES

FREDERICK VIII. BELONGS TO REMARKABLE ROYAL FAMILY.

Father and Mother Were Endearingly Entitled the "Grandfather and Grandmother of Europe"—Neither of Them Was a Dane, and Came to the Danish Throne By One of the Rarest Freaks of Fortune.

Christian Frederick William Charles, who has recently succeeded his father, Christian IX., on the throne of Denmark, under the title of Frederick VIII., belongs to one of the most remarkable royal families that have ever reigned in Europe. It cannot be affirmed, indeed, that the present Danish royal family has produced a wealth of conventional heroes or even one of sufficient prowess to make the family famous for all time to come. It has done infinitely better than that; it has been a model of respectability for all the courts of Europe and by the marriages and preterments of its sons and daughters has introduced the leaves of decency into more than one quarter in which it had been sadly wanting.

Our Christian, the dead monarch, was fortune's favorite, and he was worthy. He and his equally deserving consort, the admirable Louise, had the unique good fortune to see their children and their children's children become either possessors of thrones or heirs to them. All of these gifts of fortune were the conquests of love and peace; war had no part in them. Before they had reached the allotted threescore and ten they had acquired not only the proud distinction of being called the "father-in-law and mother-in-law of Europe," but also the more affectionate endearments of "grandfather and grandmother of Europe."

Neither of these estimable creatures was a Dane. They came to the Danish throne by one of the rarest freaks of fortune. When in May, 1842, Princess Louise of Hesse-Cassel was married to her cousin, Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glücksburg, he had little to recommend him but his

good looks and his hyphenated name. Each of the young folks had a remote claim to the Danish succession, but there were so many others who had a better that they did not worry themselves over it. They were fond of each other, and because of their youth and comparatively unimportant offshoots of royalty there was no state reason why they should not marry. The only obstacle was that they were too poor. Neither had any private means, and there seemed to be nobody among their relatives who was willing to help them.

They were married in spite of their poverty and at once settled down to a life of cheerful domesticity, although it was marked by the most rigid economy. The prince eked out his slender income by giving lessons in cogitation to the children of rich merchants, and he rather enjoyed the work, for he was young and very much in love. Their children were born between 1843 and 1858, six in all—three sons and three daughters. One of the boys, the second son, George, became a king before his father ascended the throne of Denmark. He was elected king of Greece in the spring of 1863, and his father succeeded to the crown of Denmark in November of the same year.

Even after Christian became heir apparent his housekeeping had to be conducted with the utmost prudence. Fortunately the princess was as resourceful as she was amiable. In those days the revenues were princely only in name, and they had to be husbanded shrewdly. It was then that the crown princess taught her daughters—now Queen Alexandra of England, the dowager Empress Dagmar of Russia and the royal Duchess of Cumberland—to make their own gowns and bonnets and to wash and iron their pretty muslin frocks. There was not money enough to hire special masters for these young princesses, and the prince taught them everything that the Louise did not feel competent to teach.

The boys went to school on foot, because the family kept no carriage, and cab hire was out of the question. Frederick, the eldest son, who is now the sovereign of Denmark, was educated for the army, as is the custom. George, King of the Hellenes, was taught to be a sailor, and Waldemar, the baby, who is now the father of five children, ranks as admiral in the Danish navy.

Half dozen who is not entitled to wear a crown, and his chances are by no means hopeless. Now that the supply of uncrowned Danish royalties has been diminished by five, it must not be feared that it will run short. There are an abundance of grandchildren available, one of whom, the second son of the new king, has recently been elected King of Norway.

When Prince Christian and the Princess Louise became the sovereigns of Denmark they did not branch out into extravagant ways of living. Their many years of close management had

habituated them to frugal methods, and they never abandoned them altogether. They went to live in a palace, but they always remained the same unassuming pair of gentlefolk they had been in the days of their obscurity. After Christiansborg, the old city palace at Copenhagen, was destroyed by fire they removed to the Amalienborg, a collection of four snug structures, concave fronted and inclosing a fine public space. Two of these buildings were occupied by their majesties, a third was allotted to the crown prince and the fourth is the abode of the Minister of Foreign Affairs.

The new king, who is now in his sixty-third year, is vastly more popular in Denmark than his father was at

the time of his coronation. The manner of Christian's selection had not been to the taste of the Danish people. At first he was very unpopular and was nicknamed "Prince Protocol." His predecessor, Frederick VII., had been elected by his subjects, and the advent of "the German," as they called the newcomer, almost bred a revolution. When he was proclaimed king from the balcony of the Christiansborg, the mob outside set up such a shouting that the new ruler heard them. He knew the import of the clamor, but that did not restrain him from observing sarcastically, "I suppose they are shouting, 'Long live the King.'"

"No, sire," replied the chamberlain, bluntly and honestly, "They are yelling, 'Down with the king and long live the constitution!'"

The unpopularity of those early days soon vanished beneath the kindly glow of the monarchy. The Danes have the champion royal family of the world. In past years when the great family parties have assembled around the hospitable board at Fredensborg, the king's country home, the passersby have been accustomed to look in at the windows approvingly and say with a chuckle, "It's a fine family—this family of King Christian!"

King Frederick has always been a favorite. He has acted as regent on several occasions, and the business of ruling is not new to him. His queen is also liked, although she has not always been a favorite. At the time of her marriage she was called eccentric and she could afford to be, for she was the richest princess in Europe, having inherited a fortune of \$15,000,000 from her mother, the queen of Sweden. She is the tallest queen in the world, being over six feet in height, very plain of feature, and she is the mother of eight children.

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THUG AT ST. CESAIRE, Q

Rodrigue Desaulles Charged With Strangling a Woman.

Desaulles Has Been Arrested—Prisoner, Who Is a Hunter and Trapper, Had Quarrelled With the Woman and Her Husband, Leopold Goudreau, a Bridge Keeper, Living About a Mile From the Village.

Montreal, April 17.—A despatch from St. Cesaire says:

About 6 o'clock Saturday morning passers-by on Notre Dame street, of this city, discovered the body of a woman near the convent. The body bore very evident traces of violence, and was recognized as that of Clara Ducharme, the wife of Leopold Goudreau, a bridge keeper living about a mile from the village.

Sunday a man suspected of the crime was arrested. His name is Rodrigue Desaulles, a hunter and trapper. The motive for the horrible crime is supposed to have been vengeance. He had lived with the Goudreau family till last Thursday, when, as a result of an altercation with the husband and wife, he was ordered to leave.

The woman was strangled to death.

WOMAN TEMPORARILY INSANE.

Shoots Top of Head Off Near Brampton, Ont.

Brampton, April 17.—Mrs. Frank Ruston, wife of a farmer who lives five miles from here, ended her life with a shot gun on Sunday afternoon.

She was suffering from temporary insanity, caused by illness. Careful watch had been kept over her, by her husband, but while he was at the barn getting a team ready to take her to Brampton to consult Dr. Sharpe, she secured an old shot gun, placed the muzzle to her head and fired.

The top of her head was entirely blown off.

The family are well-to-do people, and very great sympathy is felt for her relatives.

Shoots Just "To Spite" a Negro.

Montreal, April 17.—A white girl, Maggie Dean, met a colored man named Thompson last evening on St. James street and shot herself in the side, just to spite him, she said, because he had married another. She will not die.

Investigating a Death.

Ottawa, April 17.—Coroner Baptie is investigating the death of May Donnelly, the seven-year-old daughter of J. Donnelly, driver, of Rockliffe, who died Sunday at the family residence, as the result of falling into a pot of boiling water. The accident occurred one day about three weeks ago, and the child is said to have been terribly scalded. An inquest may be held.

TUG'S ERRAND OF MERCY.

Goes to Rescue of Man Who Was Terribly Scalded.

Owen Sound, April 17.—The steamer J. H. Jones made a special trip yesterday morning, bringing in a man named Joseph Collins, who was terribly scalded while loading a tug with wood five days ago at Rattlesnake Harbor. Collins had been in the hold piling slabs, when a flying slab broke a steam tap. Collins was horribly scalded, and for four or five days lay without medical aid, his comrades not daring to move him.

A message was sent to Gore Bay for a doctor, but he did not come. The officers of the Jones, hearing of the accident, made a rush visit to Rattlesnake Harbor, and finding the man's condition to be very serious, started for Owen Sound with him at once.

Collins is reported as resting more comfortably now, but is still in a serious condition.

KILLED BY A BULL.

Animal Had Been Dehorned, But It Used Its Feet.

Dauphin, Man., April 17.—William McFarlane, an employee on the farm of A. Bond, a few miles east of the town, was attacked by a bull on Saturday morning, and so badly injured that he died on Sunday night. McFarlane was herding the bull with other cattle when it attacked him. The animal was known to be of a vicious disposition, and some time ago was dehorned. McFarlane was knocked down by it and when lying prostrate on the ground it used its forefeet on him. Deceased was 45 years of age, and his home is at Venloo, near Gilbert Plains.

JUMPED OVERBOARD.

Capt. Martin, U. S. A., Under Guard as Insane, Drowned at Sea.

Honolulu, April 17.—Capt. Martin of the Light Artillery, en route home on board the U. S. transport Sherman, under guard as insane, jumped overboard during a storm on April 5, three days after the steamer left Nagasaki. His body was not recovered. Capt. Martin went to the Philippines about three months ago.

INSURANCE COMMISSION.

Judge MacTavish Still Indisposed—Date of Meeting Uncertain.

Ottawa, April 17.—It is uncertain when the Insurance Commission will reassemble. Judge MacTavish is still indisposed, and it is not known when he will be able to be out.

CALL FOR STEEL RAILS.

Railway Commission Wants Fifty Thousand Tons For Transcontinental.

Ottawa, April 17.—The Railway Commission will next week call for fifty thousand tons of steel rails. At the same time the commission will advertise for ties.

Tax Comes Off.

Washington, April 17.—The House of Representatives yesterday passed the bill permitting the withdrawal from bond tax free of domestic alcohol when rendered unfit for beverage or liquid medicinal uses by mixture with suitable denaturing materials.

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INSURANCE BILLS PASS.

Governor Makes Two More Laws—Senate Confirms Anti-Poverty Bill.

Albany, April 17.—Governor Higgins yesterday signed two more of the insurance investigating committee bills, as follows: Chapter 238, Senate bill No. 1,169, which will permit policyholders in stock life insurance companies to act as directors therein, regardless of whether or not they hold stock in the company. Chapter 239, Senate bill No. 1,155, which will prohibit any corporation (insurance or other) not organized for purely political purposes from making any contribution for political purposes.

This makes a total of five laws added to the statute books out of the total of nine bills introduced by the committee. Two others are in the Governor's hands awaiting his approval and two are still pending in the Legislature.

The Senate last night passed the so-called anti-poverty bill, proposed by the insurance investigating committee, the vote being ayes 23, nays 16.

SUNK FROM COLLISION.

Two Steel Steamers With Valuable Cargoes Lost In Soo Passage.

Detroit, Mich., April 17.—The most disastrous collision in years in the Soo passage occurred yesterday morning when the steel steamers Saxona and Eugene Zimmerman came together at the foot of the dyke. The Zimmerman sank at once in twenty feet of water on the Canadian side of the river. The crew are safe. The Saxona continued on down the river as far as Little Mud Lake, where she filled and sank on the west side of the river. The channel