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Personal Narratives of Those Who Escaped From the Fiery Furnace—At No Time Were There Any Earthquakes, But Big Stones Were Rained Down and Fire Fell—The City Was Burned Everywhere at Once.

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The Associated Press steamer chartered in Guadeloupe reached Martinique at 6.30 Sunday morning. The lofty-filled island was hidden behind a huge vell of violet or leaden colored haze. Enormous quantities of the wreckage of large and small ships and houses were met with. Huge trees, itoating bodies, with flocks of sea gulls, soaring above and hideous sharks fighting about them, were found here and there. From behind the volcanie Williams of the state of the st

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"I never can forget the horrid, fiery, choking whiriwind which enveloped me," said Mr. Evans. "Mr. Morris and I rushed below. We were not very badly burned, not so bad as most of them. When not so bad as most of them. When the fire came we were going to our posts (we are engineers) to weigh anchor and get out. When we came up we found the ship all afire aft, and fought it forward until 3 o'clock, when the Suchet came to our rescue. We were then to raft."

"Ben" Benson, the carpenter of the Roraima, said: "I was on deck amidships, when I heard an explos-





"Am greatly touched by the mark of sympathy which in this terrible misfortune that has fallen on France, your Majesty has deigned to convey to me. I beg you to accept my warm thanks, and also the gratitude of the victims whom you propose to succor." POPE SENDS SYMPATHY. Rome, May 12.—The Pope to day summoned the French Ambassador to the Vatican, M. Nisard, and expressed to him his keen sorrow on hearing of the St. Pierre disaster. The Pontiff recontinued on Page 2. Summer is coming. Order on Year and bull in the town of Uxbridge was belled in the town of Uxbridge was summed to the cacaping mapter in the roll of the standard of the st. Directed in a body, ex-Warden W. J. Umphrey and many others. Ochern of South Ontario, opened the proceedings in two short, well-worded speeches. Mr. Hoyle, than whom there is no better speaker in the province, followed and occupied the close attention of the meeting for over an shour, in which the bogus referendum, the Ross-Gibson solution of the temperance question, was exhaustively treated. Mr. Hoyle is undoubtedly the most popular candidate with both political parties that North Ontario ever sent to Parliament. His reception was most cordial and his re-election is as certain as the advent of election day. Chicago, May 12.—Hugh Mann, one of owners and builders of the new Canad

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MILITARISM 'BOGEY MAN' FRIGHTENS SIR WILFRID

Fears That a Discussion of Imperial Defence Would Bring Canada Into Its Vortex-Hopes Time is Ripe for Preference in the British Markets.

Ottawa, May 12.—R. L. Borden, in the House, brought up the subject of the colonial conference at the coronation, and outlined in a gritty speech the view of the opposition upon what should be the Premier's stand as Canada's representative. He said that, so far as the question of Imperial defence is control of the colonial conference.

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The expressions in this matter of the question of Imperial defence is con-cerned, there seemed to be no reason why the government of Canada should why the government of Canada should the markets of the Mother Country, acted above the interests of party if

returned home, in the rear of 66 Markham-street, at an early hour this morning, and found his wife dead, kneeling beside the bed in an attitude of prayer.

He hurried out of the house to secure a physician and encountered Police Constable James Jarvis, who returned with him to the home. The constable afterwards notified Dr. W. Hamiton afterwards notified Dr. W. Hamiton afterwards notified Dr. W. Hamiton had been dead for several hours, the body when found being rigid. Dr. Hamiton summoned Coroner A. J. Johnson, who will investigate the circumstances.

The Opera House, which was more than crowded, and an overflow meeting convened in the City Hall. At the Opera House, Mr. Ross was the principal speaker, and at the City Hall A. F. Pirle of Dundas, These gentlement changed places for short addresses later on. Addresses were also delivered by John Brown and Valentine Stock, the Reform nominees for North and South Perth respectively.

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