

THE CRIMINAL LABEL CUTS

Three of Them Dropped by the Government and Dismissed.

Turner and Pooley's Counsel Fail to Proceed Against Messrs. Bostock, Templeman and Coltart.

A Wretched Piece of Bluff That Could Not Stand a Show Down.

On taking his seat on the bench this morning his lordship Mr. Justice McCall...

MURDERED BY A WOMAN

Charles Kincaid; a Mulatto, Meets a Fearful Death Last Night.

A Jealous Woman Takes Deadly Vengeance Upon Him in His Lodgings.

The Woman Committed to Stand Trial at the Present Assizes.

Charles Kincaid, a colored musician, aged 28, residing at the Empire hotel, Johnson street, died last night about 9 o'clock from the effect of a wound in the neck inflicted with a razor in the hands of Bella Adams...

CUBAN CABLE CUT

Americans Succeed in Severing the Last Telegraphic Link With the Island.

Business of Serious Importance Is Expected at Any Moment.

Spaniards' Admirer American Adultery in Blocking Santiago Harbor Channel.

Of Santiago de Cuba, June 4.—(5 p.m.)—Per Associated Press despatch boat Verda.—The last cable strands binding Cuba to the outside world were cut this afternoon by a cable vessel covered here by the United States...

ABANDONED THE ACTIONS.

The actions for criminal libel against H. Bostock, M.P., Senator Templeman and Ian Coltart were to-day, during the sitting of the assize court, dropped at the instance of counsel for the defendants.

THE OPPOSITION CAMPAIGN.

With the opening of a central committee room in the Pioneer Hall, Broad street, the Opposition have taken the initial step in a campaign which will be a short and sharp one.

THE FAR EAST.

Britain and Russia Take Another Helping—Wooing Abandoned.

From news received by the steamship Victoria it seems that Britain is continuing to increase her possessions in the Orient.

THE SEAT OF WAR.

The latest mail advices from the seat of war in Asia indicate that the Philippine rebels are able to render absolutely no assistance to the Americans...

THE SH-SHI RIOTS.

Fears Entertained That There Will Be a Massacre in Hongkong.

According to advices brought by the R.M.S. Victoria, the rioting at Sha-Shi, the treaty port on the Yangtze-Kiang, was continued for several days.

PERU AND CHILE NEGOTIATE.

Buenos Ayres, June 2.—A despatch from Lima announces the publication of a protocol, signed on behalf of Peru by Senor C. E. Billinghurst...

THE BELVIDER'S SURVIVORS.

Philadelphia, June 1.—The Norwegian steamer Long, which rescued her deck here this afternoon at 12:35.

WAR CORRESPONDENTS FREE.

Havana, June 3, 9 a.m.—The English newspaper correspondents, Whigham and Robinson, recently captured in Cuba...

PLIMSOLE DEAD.

London, June 3.—Mr. Samuel Plimsoll, known as the "Sailors' Friend," and originally the famous "Plimsoll" line, died at 12:30 p.m. on Sunday.

PRESSMAN'S STORY

John H. Parrham, of "The Globe," Tells His Experience

Dodd's Kidney Pills in a Case of Embargo—They cured him, when Doctors' Remedies Failed.

Never Fails to Cure

LUNG TROUBLE AND CONSUMPTION IN ANY CLIMATE.

Eminent Chemist and Scientist Makes a Free Offer to Our Readers.

The distinguished chemist, T. A. Slocum, announcing a discovery of a reliable remedy for Consumption, Phthisis, Bronchitis, Lung and Chest troubles...

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS

Wholesale Dry Goods and Clothing Manufacturers.

Woolens' Outputs

A SPECIALTY.

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