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WILL REFUSE MINERS' ARBITRATION OFFER

Coal Barons Will Announce This at Conference This Afternoon

Have a Counter Proposition Which Will Bind Each Side to More Than a Two Years' Agreement and the Settlement of Any New Grievances—Operators Still Maintain That Strike Commission Has Passed on All Points of Present Dispute.

New York, April 9.—At the joint conference of the sub-committee of the anthracite coal mine owners and their employees, to be held tomorrow, the operators will decline to accept the arbitration plan as presented last week by the mine workers and will in its stead present a counter proposition which, if agreed to by President Mitchell and his men, will bind each side for more than two years. The operators have been working on the new plan ever since the adjournment of the joint conference of last Thursday and the inability of the presidents of the hard coal carrying railroads to complete minor details caused a postponement of 24 hours of the conference scheduled for today.

The exact nature of the counter proposition was not made known by the operators and they do not intend to permit it to become public property until it shall have been presented to the miners. It is said, however, that the offer involves an arbitration plan very different from the one presented by the miners; one that will call for the settlement of any new grievances that may be found to exist, after an impartial investigation has been made.

CHARGE AMERICAN WARSHIP WITH HEAVY SMUGGLING

Goods Said to Be Worth \$750,000 Brought Ashore at Frisco by Oregon's Launches.

San Francisco, April 9.—The Evening Post publishes a story today to the effect that a strong belief that dutiable goods valued at about \$750,000 were smuggled ashore in launches from the battleship Oregon, just before she departed for the Bremerton navy yards. It says that an order has been issued instructing the inspectors at Bremerton to delay every man of the battleship until the whole matter has been sifted to the bottom and the customs authorities throughout the country have been notified to find and examine the questionable packages if possible.

MAINE STREAM DRIVER SUICIDES

Bangor, Me., April 9.—Harold Egerly, 25, single, of Greenville, committed suicide this morning at Roach Pond, by shooting. Egerly had just arrived at the pond, where he was to join a log driving crew, when he seized a rifle that was in the camp there and shot himself through the head. No cause for the suicide is known. Egerly, although it is said that Egerly had been drinking.

SCOTCH HERRING EXPERT TO TEACH GASPE FISHERS

Ottawa, April 9.—(Special)—The minister of marine and fisheries has authorized the engagement of the services of Mr. Cowie, the Scotch expert in the curing of herring, for instruction work at Gaspe next during the coming season. Mr. Cowie will have with him a number of Scotch girls to assist in the demonstration.

MUTUAL LIFE AFTER McCURDYS AGAIN

New Suit for More Than \$1,000,000 Brought by Company Monday Against Father and Son—Alleges Conspiracy in Payment to Young Man of the Enormous Commissions on Foreign Business.

New York, April 9.—Charges of conspiracy in the appointment of Robert H. McCurdy as superintendent of the foreign department of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, were made in a new action brought by that company today against Richard A. McCurdy, formerly president of the company, and his son Robert. The complaint alleges that the two McCurdys conspired to enrich Robert H. McCurdy by maintaining his compensation on a commission basis at an exorbitant rate.

MANY HUNDREDS PERISH IN VESUVIUS ERUPTION

Terror-Stricken People Flee to Churches Only to Be Crushed to Death

Four Feet of Ashes on Roofs Cause Edifices to Collapse—Streets Impassable on Account of Depth of Lava—Whole Towns Devastated—King and Queen of Italy Visit Scene and Progress is Stopped by Shower of Fire—Heavy Rain Lends Some Comfort.

Naples, April 9.—This has been a day of terror for the cities, towns and country about Mount Vesuvius. Unconfined reports place the number of dead and injured at several hundred, but not many facts can be obtained upon which to base an accurate estimate. At midnight the situation appears more alarming, the lava streams having diminished in volume and in some directions having stopped altogether, while a copious rainfall has cooled the lava where it lies stationary.

At Ottajano five churches and ten houses fell under the weight of ashes and cinders which lie four feet deep on the ground. In the fall of the buildings about twelve persons were killed and many were more or less severely injured. The village is completely deserted by its people. After the evacuation of the place the barracks and prisons fell in.

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PRINCE ARTHUR GOT BIG RECEPTION AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, April 9.—(Special)—Prince Arthur of Connaught arrived here today and was greeted by a large assembly of citizens. He was escorted by the mayor, citizens and soldiers to the city hall, where he was presented with an address.

SCOTCH Closes Maine Woolen Mill

Madison, Me., April 9.—The mill of the Madison Woolen Company was shut down tonight and 300 hands were thrown out of work on account of a difficulty with the spinners, 25 per cent of whom have demanded an increase in wages of from 2 to 20 per cent according to the goods on which they work.

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Prince Arthur of Connaught's Mission to the Mikado



LIVELY DEBATE OVER G. T. PACIFIC ROUTE

Crocket and Carvell Both Condemn Chief Engineer's Report.

Maintain That the St. John Valley is Far Superior to Central in Every Respect—Member for Carleton Declares St. John is Bound to Get the Heavy Freight of the New Road—Mr. Emmerson Explains His Connection With N. B. Petroleum Co.—Other News of the House.

Ottawa, April 9.—(Special)—In the house today Hon. Sydney Fisher introduced a bill to amend the fruit marks act. He said that the bill had been in force five years and on the whole worked very satisfactorily. The trade justified some steps in advance.

Mr. Crocket, who is a member of the St. John Valley, in which he said that the commission would be ready to make a choice of routes in two months. Not only did they wait two months, but seventeen months in addition, and still there was no selection. The statement that owners of the land on the centre route were clamoring for the road was not correct, because the owners of the land along the proposed line were opposed to it. In reply to the agitation in favor of the St. John valley route, new surveys were ordered, but notwithstanding the open writer these surveys were stopped. The surveying parties in the first instance must not have done their work accurately when a survey was needed. It was his belief that the valley surveys were not genuine surveys. He disputed the figures given by the minister of the centre route would give in distance which the centre route would give as compared with the I. C. R.

Mr. Emmerson's Connection With Oil Company

Hon. H. R. Emmerson, replying to Mr. Fisher, said that he (the minister) had retained any active connection with the New Brunswick Petroleum Company in April, 1904. On becoming minister of railways he resigned the presidency. His resignation, however, was not accepted until March of this year. He was nominally president when the company sold out to the Intercolonial.

Wreck Puts Railway Out of Business

A serious accident occurred on the York & Carleton railway this morning. The train was making its regular morning run from Stanley to Cross Creek to connect with the I. C. R. express for this city. When within forty or fifty rods of Cross Creek, without any warning, the train, with the exception of the locomotive, left the rails and rolled over an embankment between thirty and forty feet high.

St. John Must Get the Freight

No matter how the engineers might attempt otherwise or how politicians might talk, St. John would have to get the heavy freight traffic from this line. As soon as the road was completed there would be a fast line of steamers to Halifax. The mail and perishable freight would land there, but St. John would have the heavy freight. There was no politics in St. John. It was Liberal one time and Conservative another. The only politics was the port. And St. John deserved great credit for their port. No city in Canada spent so much of their own money on its port. They put \$1,000,000 into it.

Quebec Woman Burned to Death

Three Rivers, April 9.—(Special)—Mrs. Massicotte, an aged lady, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed her home late yesterday afternoon. Neighbors noticed flames issuing from the windows and entering found the woman in bed dead and partly consumed by the flames.

WOULD EXEMPT SMALL INCOMES

Fredericton Property Holders Willing that Under \$400 a Year Should Escape.

A NICE ARRANGEMENT

Would Tax Real and Personal Estate at 20 per cent. of its Valuation, reduce the Poll-Tax and Let Companies and People Working on a Salary Bear the Burdens—Other News of the Capital.

Fredericton, N. B., April 9.—(Special)—The real estate owners represented by J. H. Barry, K. C., appeared before the tax commission this evening at the city hall and presented their views on the taxation question.

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FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

BORDER TOWNS

St. Stephen, N. B., April 3.—Mrs. A. E. Neill entertained the ladies club of which she is a member on Friday evening, and on Saturday afternoon she again entertained a party of lady friends with "bridge."

SACKVILLE

Sackville, April 4.—Mr. David Spicer returned to his home in Berwick (N. S.) on Monday, after spending some days in the guests of his sister, Mrs. H. E. Boyer.

HILLSBORO

Hillsboro, N. B., April 4.—Mrs. Wilfred Corey and son, Arthur of Havelock, returned on Monday after spending a few days in town the guest of Miss Emma Lewis.

WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, April 3.—Mr. John S. Leighton, of St. John, spent Sunday in town the guest of Mrs. J. T. Stevens.

STANLEY

Stanley, N. B., April 5.—Miss Klarye Macdonald, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Murray, at the Rectory for some weeks, left yesterday for her home in Stanley (Que.).

HAMPTON

Hampton, Kings county, April 4.—Mrs. Sherman Rogers, of Amherst (N. S.), was the guest of Mrs. M. C. McCully Black for some days in town.

CHATHAM

Chatham, April 3.—Mrs. Albert E. Shaw, of Newcastle, spent part of last week with friends here.

DORCHESTER

Dorchester, April 6.—The benefit held in the rink last Thursday night for Mr. F. O. Chapman, caretaker of the rink, was in every way a great success.



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PROTECTION, NOT PRECAUTION

The British device to protect their own cattle interest from Canadian competition and that the embargo is a protectionist rather than a sanitary measure was shown pretty clearly in yesterday's debate in the British House of Commons.

Mr. Thomas Cairns said a great deal in a few words when, arguing for the repeal of the embargo, he showed that of 1,230,000 Canadian cattle landed in Great Britain in the last ten years, not one was suffering from foot and mouth disease or anthrax, while for one of our cattle killed because of tuberculosis 100 British animals had been destroyed.

Mr. Wesson, who favors the embargo, said the question was one between farmers and did not concern the public at all. This view Mr. Hamar Greenwood, a Canadian, proved to be absurd. The farmers do not eat all their own cattle. The removal of the embargo would lessen the price of a common article of diet.

THE HILL PROJECTS. The Hill invasion of the Canadian West is attracting more attention at Ottawa and must soon become the subject of parliamentary discussion. The East will naturally be inquiring for particulars as to the Canadian charters the Hill interests are acquiring or have acquired.

MORE "YELLOW DOG" EXPOSURES. There is another insurance Richmond in the field. Like "Andy" Hamilton, Thomas D. Jordan and Andrew C. Fields, insurance exiles, have "come back," and are some primed for trouble and ready to tell all they know.

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publication of the Mutual Life Company of New York the allegation that it is a misfortune that any policyholder should be so ill-advised as to lapse or surrender his policy—a greater misfortune to himself than any one else's. That is true. But it is further said: "It is nevertheless true that many, alarmed by the misrepresentations of sensational papers, have lapsed— that many more will lapse. There may be alarm among policyholders, more likely than is questioning, regarding the solvency of the company, which is every- where admitted, but regarding another matter, and is this due to the misrepresentations of sensational papers? What are the papers and what the misrepresentations?"

Table with 3 columns: British, American, and a third unlabeled column. Rows include Premiums, Total Income, Paid to policyholders, Expenses, Total disbursements, and Per cent of expenses.

THE PRICE OF GAS. Montreal is likely to have gas at a flat rate of seventy-five cents, for all purposes, without any charge for meter, if the Canadian Journal of Commerce is well informed.

NO "CLOSED SHOP" AGREEMENT. John Mitchell's proposal that the freedom of the coal operators to employ union or non-union men shall be submitted to arbitration excites much adverse comment.

NOTE AND COMMENT. Vesuvius is a terrible neighbor. The valley route gets a black eye in the latest report of the G. T. Pacific survey.

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shirts happen to know they are innocent? He hastily disposes of some very black looking evidence. The New York Globe reminds the Socialist journal that the prisoners will have a jury trial like anybody else. It says: "Wilshire's clear, whether we should all strive or fret to death because the men are innocent; or whether they deserve this supreme mark of honor because they are guilty—because 'soldiers of the common good' who courageously blew up an obnoxious upholder of law and order."

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Further surveys have been made. Luncheon was made before a new location survey was ordered. For all that the commissioners appear to be more favorably impressed by the central route. And Nova Scotia influence is in that direction, though as a matter of fact the choice will not make much difference to Nova Scotia.

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Store open evenings till 8 o'clock, Saturday 11. St. John, N. B., April 11th 1906.

Fifth Anniversary Sale Continues all this Week

Five years have past and five successful years they have been. Since we opened this store there has never been a business in this city that has made such progress as this, we started in a modest store with a comparatively small stock since then we have added Two Extra Stores besides Extra Rooms Upstairs and all are full with the most up-to-date stocks of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings; Hats, Caps, Trunks, Bags, etc., to be found in Eastern Canada.

We mention only a few of the sale prices, we want you to come and see the rest for yourself. In our Gents' Furnishing Department we have everything a man wears except the boots, at prices away below what you usually pay.

Men's \$6 Suits for \$3.95, Men's \$5 Suits for \$3.00, \$7.50 Suits for \$6.00, \$12 Suits for \$8.75, \$10 Suits for \$7.50.

A Big Showing of Our Special \$10 Suits, \$13.50 Suits, \$15.00 Suits, Sale Price \$12. Ladder Brand Overalls, the best on the market, warranted not to rip. Regular 75c. Black, Sale Price 50c. Regular 50c. White, Sale Price 39c.

Sale ends Saturday next, April 14th. J. N. HARVEY, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Hats, Caps, and Furnishings, 119, 211 and 207 Union Street.

The Man Who Buys Oak Hall Clothes This Spring

Will not only get clothes for 25 to 30 PER CENT. LESS than any other store's prices, but he will also get AS WELL TAILORED CLOTHES, AS THOROUGHLY STYLISH CLOTHES, AS PERFECT FITTING CLOTHES, AS GOOD WEARING CLOTHES.

As can be bought in any store in this or any other city. And not only this—but he can choose from assortments that are unmatched in extent and variety outside this store. Surely no man who wants to get the most for his money is going to ignore these advantages. Everything that's new and correct for spring wearing is here.

Suits begin at \$5.00 and up to \$25.00, Top Coats begin at \$8.50 and up to \$15.00, Rain Coats begin at \$8.50 and up to \$18.00.

Bring Your Boys to Us and Let Us Fit Them Out in Easter Clothes

You'll Get the Right Clothes for Them. Clothes made so well and of such good materials that they'll give the best wear possible—and so stylish in appearance that the dressiest boy will be pleased with them. At OAK HALL prices, of course, which means much less than elsewhere.

Buster Brown Suits, sizes 2-12 to 7 years, \$3.50 to \$8.00, Russian Suits, sizes 21-2 to 6 years, \$4.25 to 7.00, Sailor Suits, sizes 3 to 10 years, .90 to 7.50, Single and Double-breasted Suits, sizes 9 to 17 years, 3.00 to 9.00, Top Coats, sizes 3 to 18 years, 2.00 to 12.00, Rain Coats, sizes 7 to 18 years, 3.75 to 15.00.

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Dear Island Notes. Deer Island, April 8.—Mrs. John Emery and children, George and Phyllis, having spent a week with relatives at Cumming's Cove, returned to their home at Kendall's Head on Tuesday last.

Indian Island News. Indian Island, N. B., April 3.—The fine weather the last week gave the fishermen an opportunity to paint their boats and get them ready for the coming season.

Don't Wait! SEND TODAY! Telegraph Publishing Co. ST. JOHN, N. B.

CHAIN OF LAKES, MADE BY NATURE, ADD TO NATURAL BEAUTY OF ROCKWOOD

Five Bod of Water Soon Where First Was Only One

Two Artificial Lakes Completed and Two More Are Planned for Near's Work—Much Done by Hard Labor Prisoners—Cultural Association's Plans for Park Improvement This Year Have Promising Features.

There is a man in nature to be seen in Rockwood Park. Large stone blocks have been placed on each side, the thoroughfare is being widened and once this heavier part of the work is finished it is hoped to have a growth of trees along the bordering slope.

The approach of summer Rockwood is more than ever the most beautiful of local parks. The work of the local public works department in charge of the work of the park has been very successful. The work of the park has been very successful. The work of the park has been very successful.

A SCENE IN ROCKWOOD.

cellent judgment, and what has already been accomplished is worthy of every praise. Nature has done much for Rockwood, but without the work that has been done by the laborers acting in directions from the association, it would doubtless have remained much as any other tract of forest land.

The Making of Lakes. The new upper lake lies in a shallow depression about three-quarters of a mile and a half from the inlet on the north side of the lake. It is possibly a quarter of a mile longer than Lily Lake, but which is deeper south lies the lower of Lily Lake.

Both of these lakes were made by the work of the laborers acting in directions from the association. The work of the park has been very successful. The work of the park has been very successful.

Mark of the Beavers. There is also an excellent reservoir system at the upper and lower lakes. It may be of interest to say that at one time beavers were very active where these lakes have been made.

EZRA CUTS UP REAL ROUGH

Man from Harvey Bank Gave Policeman Lively Rump

SHED CLOTHING AS HE FOOTED IT Pursued by Copp and a Cop Through North Street Only to Be Captured and Placed Behind Bars.

Ezra White is a husky young granger all the way from Harvey Bank (Albert county), and when he came to town Friday, he did not suspect that he would be one of Chief Clark's guests in King street jail for the night.

He had been a trifle thirsty during the afternoon and along toward sundown was standing near the corner of Mill and North streets chatting with William Copp, also from the banks and braces of Albert.

Presently he doubled back, and as he rounded into the ankle-deep mud of North street, he removed his overcoat, and with a gestureavoring of the "I'll sell me life dearly" spirit, flung the garment into the mire.

L. C. R. BRAKEMAN ACCUSED OF THEFT

Frank LeBlanc Arrested at Campbellton Charged With Stealing a Watch Chain from Fellow Worker.

Campbellton, N. B., April 6—(Special)—L. C. R. Brakeman Frank LeBlanc was arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out by the police for stealing a watch chain from a fellow worker.

MORAN HAS HIS N. B. FARM LEFT

Boston, April 3—John A. Moran, an engineer in the Boston Public Library, was ordered by Judge McKim in the Suffolk county court yesterday to pay his wife, Jennie G. Moran, \$100 for her share of the property.

Harcourt News.

Harcourt, April 9—On the 7th inst. Harcourt, Division No. 438, S. of T. elected the following delegates to district division, which meets at Diebichetto next Friday: H. H. Stuart, Ernest and Thomas Buckenfield, Leslie J. Watson, Harry Kewick, Miss Jessie P. Dunn, Miss Margaret McKay and Miss M. Alberta Washen; also the following alternates: Benj. B. McLeod, Mrs. W. G. Thurber and the Misses Jean Thurber, Lena E. Ingram, Mary Kewick and Clara M. Call.

High-priced Cattle.

Toronto, April 7—James Yule, manager of the William Van Horn's Northwest farm, has just returned from a purchasing trip to Great Britain and reports having bought a bull from King Edward's stock for \$1,000, and a bull from a private party for \$8,000. He offered \$12,000 for a Shorthorn bull from the famous Wiltshire herd, but the owner of the animal demanded \$18,000.

CANADA'S NEW IMMIGRATION ACT MORE STRINGENT

An Arrangement Has Been Reached With United States to Enforce the Law Strictly.

Ottawa, April 8—(Special)—The new immigration act, of which the minister of the interior has given notice for a number of important changes, is designed to render it more difficult for undesirable immigrants to locate in Canada.

An arrangement has been reached with the United States by which citizens of either country of the vagrant or criminal class who cross the border will be taken back when convicted to the boundary line. This can be done any time within twelve months from the time that the undesirable enter either country.

HAVELOCK NEWS

Mrs. Olive Wright, Who Figured as Witness in Stepson's Trial for Murder, Dropped Dead—Other News of Interest.

Havelock, April 9—Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Carson left today for Bangor, where they will probably remain for the summer. Mr. Carson has let his farm to his son, William Carson, for the year.

Mrs. Howard Alward arrived home on Saturday from Montreal, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Smith, and others.

Mrs. C. H. Keith also returned on Saturday from visiting friends in Montreal. Mr. C. H. Keith is employed in the mill and will return to his surveying at Milltown during the week.

Mr. Wright, who has been afflicted with heart trouble for several years, dropped dead on Monday, March 26. The funeral took place on the following Wednesday at 10 o'clock and was very largely attended.

Mrs. Wright, it will be remembered, was a witness in the murder case which took place in Hampton, N. B., in January, when her stepson, Oscar Wright, was tried for killing Wm. C. McKnight, and her sudden death recalls that well remembered tragedy.

The bridge known as the Coates bridge, just below the village, has lost its railing and is in a dangerous condition. Mr. Howard and Mrs. Howard visited Petoski last week, the guests of Rev. E. C. Corey, Mr. Howard occupied the Bayou pulpit while the Rev. Myrtle Clark and her brother, Oly, went to Auburn (Me.) last week to visit their aunt, Mrs. Billing.

The W. M. A. S. Society will meet Wednesday in the vestry. The mission band intend holding a tea at the home of Mrs. C. H. Keith on Thursday evening, April 12.

Chas. Mills, whom it is alleged, also has three deer recently, has not yet been captured.

F. V. Freese had a large sale of stock and farming implements last week. He purposes leaving for the west at an early date, and will locate there in case the country suits him.

HAS A NEW TOOTH AT AGE OF SEVENTY-ONE

It is not often, even in books of medical science, that cases of persons of more than 70 years of age and ten cutting new teeth are reported. Mrs. James Belyea, of the Old Fort, Carleton, is in her 71st year and has just cut a hard double tooth in the upper jaw. Mrs. Belyea is usually smart for her years. She has had four men boarders all winter and has had all his own bread and pastry. Mr. Belyea has been very sick all winter. Indeed he has not been able to get out of bed more than half a dozen times since last fall.

Are You Going West

To Reap the Rich Harvest of Swiftly Increasing Land Values? If so, The Land Department, Union Trust Co., Ltd., Toronto, offers you terms and facilities more generous and helpful than can be obtained elsewhere.

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MOUNT VESUVIUS IS STILL SPOILING FIRE

One Whole Town Has Been Totally Destroyed by Molten Lava

Naples, April 8—The hope that Mount Vesuvius was becoming calm was dispelled today when the volcano became more active than ever.

The past has proved to Naples. Two strong earthquake shocks, which shattered windows panes and cracked the walls of buildings, were experienced today. The entire population rushed to the streets in terror, many persons crying "the Madonna has forsaken us, the end of the world has come."

No trace remains of Basotroscane, a commune on the southern declivity of the mountain, where up to forty-eight hours ago 10,000 people lived, and Torri Annunziata, on the shore of the Gulf of Naples, one mile to the southwest, is almost surrounded by the invading lava, and has been evacuated by its 30,000 inhabitants.

The people were brought to Naples by train, street cars, military carts and steamships. Similar scenes of transportation are being used to take the people out of Torre Del Greco. The police and carabinieri are guarding the abandoned houses and several members of the government are there.

A telegram from the mayor of San Sebastiano, a village near the observatory on the northwest declivity of Vesuvius, says the lava is approaching rapidly, and that the people are terror-stricken. They have been for nights without sleep, he says, are destitute, and beg for assistance.

The work of rescue is hampered, owing to delays in the railway service, which is interrupted by red hot stones falling on the tracks.

Can't Count New Craters. As yet it is impossible to count the craters that have opened and from which streams of lava have flooded the beautiful, prosperous and happy land lying on the southeast shores of the Gulf of Naples.

The atmosphere is heavily charged with electricity, and now and then the flashes of lightning are blinding, while the detonations from the volcano resemble in sound a terrible explosion.

The striking contrast, the sulphureo-colored Mediterranean, the violet-tinted mountains of the Sorrento peninsula, and the top of the Capri in the tranquil sea.

Considerable apprehension is felt because of the earthquake shocks, which are growing stronger and are felt even at Castellana, fifteen miles southeast of the city. Each shock is accompanied by deep and prolonged detonations.

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CHAPTER XLV (Continued)

But however excellently Queretero served as a base of military operations, as a besieged place pocketed among hills...

On this side investment began with the arrival of General Riva Palacio. The Republicans numbered fifteen thousand...

CHAPTER XLVI A Bazaar and a Battle. "The inclination to goodness is imparted deeply in the nature of man."—Bacon.

But the day came when they began to starve, and being hungry took the heart out of many things. It took the heart out of Miramonte's...

American. "But—why, homaire, I haven't seen the old kid since—since his death. I both were confidential in his life."

CHAPTER XLVII Blood and Noise—What Else? "On stubborn foes he vengeance wreaked, And laid about him like a Tartar."

CHAPTER XLVIII "The inclination to goodness is imparted deeply in the nature of man."—Bacon.

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BIRTHS.

ARMSTRONG—On Monday, April 9th, 1906, Mrs. Armstrong...

MARRIAGES. HUMPHREYS-SHERWOOD—At the home of the bride's parents...

DEATHS. McCAW—In this city, on April 10th, 1906, infant son of Fred and Eva McCaw...

IN MEMORIAM. RODEN—In loving memory of Francis Roden, died April 8th, 1906.

SHIP NEWS. PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. Friday, April 6. Stmr. Lake Champlain, 4644, from Liverpool...

DEPARTING. Saturday, April 7. Stmr. Donavita, 337, to Montreal, Quebec, and St. Lawrence...

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IMMIGRANTS AT SAND POINT TELL OF MASSACRE HORRORS

Some Who Saw Odessa Slaughter Are Here; Near Relatives Killed by Cossacks—More Than 3,000 New Comers Saturday and Sunday.

Two more big liners arrived in port today, the C. P. R. liner Montreal, Captain Boothby, from Antwerp, and the Allan liner Tunisian, Captain Beane, from Liverpool...

The delay in landing the immigrants caused considerable inconvenience to those who were on board ship. On the part of the steamer there was nothing to do but wait...

Another man heard an ugly cry. He, with many others aboard, has been a member of the party since he was a child. He has seen the horrors of the massacre...

At a certain point the royal party were struck by the protection of the country in the form of a line of sentries...

At the death of Mrs. Stephen Goodwin, of Baie Verte, occurred Thursday night of a lingering illness, resulting from a fractured hip, deceased attained her 81st year...

About 150,000 refugees from the district of Vesuvius have sought shelter here and elsewhere. Four thousand persons are lodged in the granite barracks, this city.

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I. C. R. DISMISSALS TO BE DISCONTINUED. Hon. F. J. Sweeney Wires from Ottawa Meeting. Moncton, N. B., April 9.—(Special)—Dismissals from the I. C. R. above still being laid off tonight.

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.

NO ONE WHO HAS EVER SEEN OR HEARD THE HELPLESS CHOKING OF A CONSUMPTIVE CAN THINK LIGHTLY OF A COUGH. DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP is rich in the lung-softening virtues of the Norway pine tree...

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TWO TRINITY COLLEGE STUDENTS DROWNED. Toronto, April 9.—William Hart, of Guelph, and Aheigh Moorehouse, son of Dr. H. H. Moorehouse, Toronto, were drowned on Saturday afternoon while canoeing on the lake.

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BRITISH PORTS.

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