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board of them and Larkin was at once put on the delinquent list. He had been dissatisfied because of his relegation to the bench. Had he been more content with his position he would have come to the New York team.

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RADICALS ON DECK. The International Society Rears Its Head in Europe Again.

A NUMBER OF ARRESTS MADE. Three Old Women Patients in a French Hospital Are Suffocated.

A REVOLUTION AT THE VATICAN. (BY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.) PARIS, Jan. 5.—The police has just discovered that the International is revived. This is one great association, which includes Russian, French, French Anarchists and Italian and German Revolutionaries.

THE KILLING OF INDIAN WOMEN AND CHILDREN TO BE INVESTIGATED—Some of the Officers' Comrades Say That He Could Not Have Prevented It.

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THREE LIVES LOST. Old Women Patients in a French Hospital Die From Suffocation.

PARIS, Jan. 5.—A terrible accident happened at the Moreau Hospital here this morning. Several women were sleeping in the same room, in which a heated stove was placed. A Sister of Mercy opened the room and found three of the patients dead and the others restored to life with the greatest difficulty.

CLEANING THEM OUT. All the Italians in the Pope's Domestic Service Dismissed.

ROME, Jan. 5.—A remarkable domestic revolution has been effected in the Vatican to-day. Every Italian in the service of His Holiness, save the Pope's domestics, and the duties of the Papal domestic, both in the interior and in the ante-chamber, have been transferred to foreigners.

NINETY DEATHS FROM TYPHUS. Florence, Jan. 5.—An epidemic of typhus fever is raging here. Ninety civilians have died within a few days from the disease, and one incident has had every man but four on its roster sick at one time with it.

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FRONTIER FIGHTING. (Continued from first page.) something was to be done as quickly as possible.

COL. FORTSHE RELIEVED. The settlers do not seem at all disturbed over the situation, believing in the ability of the Government to subdue the excitement here among Indians, who include more civilized and friendly than the Northern Sioux.

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ASSUMING THEIR DEATHS. Archduke Johann and His Actress-Wife Are Registered as Deceased.

VIENNA, Jan. 5.—The death of the Archduke Johann, who, under the name of John Orth, was captain of a Brazilian merchant vessel, is assumed as proved and the necessary legal steps toward registering the deceased have been taken this week.

SECRETARY NOBLE TALKS. He Thinks His Indian Policy Has Been the Proper One.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Secretary Noble was questioned to-day by the Senate in relation to the recommendation of General Miles that the Indian agents of the South Dakota agencies be relieved from further duty and that the present Indian military officers be retained.

THE AGENT SAID HE HAD DIRECTED THE KILLING OF SITTING BULL. CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—The News says: It is stated on definite authority that complaints of a series of murders in the case of the late Agent McLaughlin, who directed the killing of Sitting Bull.

A PRINCESS' PRESENCE OF MIND. BELLEVILLE, Jan. 5.—A fire broke out in the palace of Princess Frederick Charles on the Wilhelmstrasse, early this morning.

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THE PEOPLES STORE, FIFTH AVENUE, PITTSBURGH.

OUR JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE. Has begun in earnest, and the bargains are fetching hundreds of customers daily, who go away well pleased with their purchases.

Bargains in Cloaks and Wraps, Bargains in Made-Up Suits, Bargains in Dress Gowns, Bargains in Flannels and Linens, Bargains in Calicoes, Muslins and Ginghams, Bargains in Winter Underwear, Bargains in Hosiery and Gloves, Bargains in Boys' Clothing, Bargains in Carpets and Lace Curtains.

CAMPBELL & DICK. YOU Shall have exactly what you want, and pay only a fair price for it.

WHISKY, Ask for OLD EXPORT at JOS. FLEMING & SON'S, Wholesale and Retail Druggists, 412 Market Street, Cor. Diamond, PITTSBURGH, PA.

Burdock BLOOD BITTERS. The Soft Glow of The TEA ROSE Is Acquired by Ladies Who Use POZZONI'S MEDICATED COMPLEXION POWDER TRY IT.

W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 SHOE. Sold everywhere. A pair—fine Nottingham Curtains, beautiful patterns, on which former prices were \$9, \$8, \$7, \$6, \$5 and \$4. This is the greatest bargain lot any certain department ever offered.

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THE OPENING UP OF OUR JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE.

Has thronged our stores with buyers during the entire day. Two-days' business have verified the fact that there are a great many wise and shrewd buyers in these cities who know quickly when they see a bargain.

SILKS. COLORED DRESS GOODS. One special! All-wool Stripe Dress Goods at 50c; sold at 75c early in the season.

GINGHAM BARGAINS. We place on our counters to-day Over 100 pieces SCOTCH GINGHAM, finest quality made, AT ONLY 15c A YARD.

LINENS! The best 50c a yard, 60-inch Cream-bleached Damask ever offered. Two-yard Cream-bleached pure Linen Damask at 75c.

And all grades from \$1 a dozen up reduced the same way. Present reduced prices on fine Cloths will deserve your notice.

And everything in Linens, including sheeting, pillow casings, made sheets, madras, pillow cases, and made bolser cases, seamless pillow linens, etc., etc.—now all at reduced prices during these great sales.

IN THE CURTAIN ROOM! A large lot of beautiful, in quality and patterns, Chenille and Tapestry covers—for stands, tables, pianos, etc. Note these reductions—the same through the stock:

Irish Pointes: At reduced prices; real Irish Pointes begin at \$4.50. Example reductions: \$9 Irish Pointes at \$6.75, \$12 Irish Pointes at \$7.75, \$18 Irish Pointes at \$12.

Swiss Muslin Curtains: That were \$3, reduced to \$2.50. That were \$4, reduced to \$3. That were \$5, reduced to \$4.50. That were \$6, reduced to \$5. That were \$8, reduced to \$6.

Swiss Tambour Curtains: That were \$12, reduced to \$7. That were \$10, reduced to \$7.75. That were \$11, reduced to \$12. That were \$16, reduced to \$12.

Brussels Pointes: Fine and sheer, beautiful patterns. \$15 Curtains reduced to \$10. \$22.50 Curtains reduced to \$15. \$25 Curtains reduced to \$15. \$30 Curtains reduced to \$22.

BARGAINS IN LADIES AND MISSES' HOSIERY. 1 Lot Ladies' English Merino: In good dark colors at 50c a pair, 3 pairs for \$1 (reduced from 50c).

1 Lot Misses' Wool: Heavy and strong pure wool, suitable for school wear, plain dark colors, at 50c a pair (reduced from 50c).

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