

appears genuinely in the dark as to the real significance of Count von Walder-Count von Waldersee's recent orders. Morrison, wiring to the Times see's last orders. It is hoped that by Dr. Friday information will be forthcoming from Pekin yesterday, says: to enable Great Britain to decide as to what is really going on in the Far East. has yielded and consented to the inflic-tion of the punishment demanded, petitioning however, that the sentences on Chao Shu Chiao and Ying Ninin may be At present she is not more anxious than the United States to take part in an extended campaign into the interior strangulation instead of decapitation. To this the foreign envoys have agreed. The of China, but the reports from the seat of action are so contradictory that Lord question, therefore, is and a raison d'etre for the Tai Yuen Fu Lansdowne refrains from sending mandatory dispatches or committing him- expedition ceases to exist. self to any definite line of international

1.1.4.4.4.4 action. says: The United States opposition to Count

on British oncers and soluters. "Don't insult us," should sar Robert A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company, from Pekin, dated yesterday, says: "The Chinese have yielded on the believ Continuing, Mr. Chamberlain said ne believed that, with the development question of punishments, and it is an-| South Africa, persons of Britash origin of the court has not yet been communi-cated to the legations, but it is known to have been received by Prince Ching and be restored to something like its normal condition. I believe the Boers know well the terms offered them. The time is The Pekin corespondent of the Morn-ing Post, wiring yesterday, says: "At perhaps not opportune for taking further steps to make these terms known, but I their last meeting the foreign envoys agreed to compromise. They propose to It originated in the determination of the Boers to secure the ascendancy in South Africa. I believe that in spite of the sacrifice made, this country is of the ame mind as when it entered upon the struggle, and will spare no efforts to oring it to a close, and will support no the party which seeks to stultify the object

Boers have spoken and not a single Lib-

eral Imperialist.

'that there is no other name for the men who believe Every Scandalous Libel language." would be fully complied with. The reply of the court has not yet been communi-cated to the legations, but it is known for Colorial Scoretary "the country must her for Northell-Wildow Altrea Milner with a view of taking ad-vantage of any opportunity that might present itself. The struggle had to come. It originated in the determinative come. Abraham had merely introduced a quotation from the Welsh language, and

the Irish tongue, greatly to the delight of the Nationalists around him. The Sir Robert Keid objected to the tern "pro-Boers," but Mr. Chamberlain stuck Speaker severely requested him to dehis guns. "I maintain, I maintain." he said. Mr. John Redmond, the Nationalist eader, said: "There is no written or unwritten rule, against a member using language which is most familiar I once heard a member of the New Zealand House speak in the Maori The Speaker-"There is no rule on during the existence of the House of cently visited Sir Harry Johnston the Commons for a member speaking any- special commissioner for the Uganda Mr. Edmund Leamy, Nationalist mem-Colonial Secretary, "the country must ber for North<sup>®</sup>Kildare, pointed out that the whole tribe of forest dwarfs went to be restored to something like its normal the Irish chieftains, before the Act of the border near Mengo, and refused to Union, were invited by the Heuse of Commons to speak Irish. The Speaker—"Not in the one hundred

tectorate, say the trouble threatened over the collection of taxes has been surmounted. The Uganda natives have paid in full for the current year, ap proximately £60,000. A 'considerable cortion was paid by the King. Th airman of the Chinese commission, and moound surrounding the governmen alk over with him any labor matters adquarters at Port Alice resemble ffecting British Columbia. coological garden, the contributions in W. W. Forester, New Westminster, cluding five elephants, some zebras, chimpanzees, hogs, antelopes, porcu

pines, snakes and monkeys.

here to-day from Mergo, Uganda Pro- Ralph Smith Will Confer With Chairman of Chinese Commi on Labor Matters. (Special to the Times.) Ottawa Feb. 20.-Ralph Smith left for ronto to-night to meet R. C. Clute,

has been appointed census commissioner I heard of without permanent help, until James Brodie, Quebec, has been ap-pointed secretary of the Canadian ex-libit at Glasgow. Robt Hamilton Canadian exfor New Westminster district. A band of Congo forest dwarfs

urging the King to arrange for this ex-I now welcome you to the nsion of their trip.' of the ninth parliament. THEIR CLAIMS SET AT REST. Since your last meeting v The claim of other cough medicines to be

deplore the loss of our b eign Queen Victoria, who and beneficent reign. as good as Chamberlain's are effectually set ared to the hearts at rest in the following testimonial of Mr. In no part of C. D. Glass, an employee of Bartlett & Dennis Co., Gardiner, Me. He says: "I had kept adding to a cold and cough in the lities as a Queen and a highly admired, or has her winter of 1897, trying every cough medicine



von Waldersee's reported action receives cordial sympathy from the British, thought they are inclined though i to doubt whether the right construction to doubt whether the right construction of the legations, but it is have been received by Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang, and it probably will be record as opposed to aggressive military operations in China that officials here scarcely conceive that Count von Waldersee would issue orders so utperly variance with the attitude of Great Britain and the United States.

permit the imperial court to commute the sentences of the decapitation in the cases of Prince Tuan, Duke Lan and Pekin, Feb. 19 .- The foreign envoys have given the Chinese authorities eight days in which to issue satisfactory edicts.

municated to-morrow.

Berlin Feb. 20.-Further particulars

New Year's rations and copper coins Were presented yesterday in the district strangle themselves, and Chi Hsian and under American supervision to four Hsu Chang Wu to be beheaded. thousand Chinese. Gen. Chaffee gave court advancing no new obstacles, \$400, and Prince Ching and Li Hung negotiations on the first point of the de-Chang an equal amount. Four soup mands of the powers may be considered kitchens were busy serving all the closed." Legation Fortifications.

afternoon. Waldersee's "Bluff."

London, Feb. 19.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail claims to have official authority to deny that it is seriously intended to send any expedi-tion into the interior of China. He suggests that Count von Waldersee is trying to expedite negotiations by "bluf-fing." moat and glacis beyond and protected by barbed wire. Each legation will be the

The blue book reveals the fact that Queen Victoria declined to reply to Emperor Kwang Hsu's letter in July, be-in the Tartar wall, defended by bas-in the Tartar wall, defended by bas-in the Tartar wall defended by bascause she was distressed at the continu-ed murders and ill-treatment of mission-Tartar and Imperial cities. The bared murders and ill-treatment of missionracks are to accommodate two thousand aries in China.

Military Preparations.

men and, in a pinch five thousand. The Frankfurter Zeitung says an ex-pedition into the interior would be ad-Pekin, Feb. 18 .- Apparently the only Pekin, Feb. 18.—Apparently the only commanders who are prepared for a long campaign are the American, the British and the Japanese. The others are deficient, especially the Germans, the danger Germany ran in avenging the murder of Baron von Ketteler. The Lokal Anzeiger, commenting on although Count von Waldersee believes the report that the United States objects in a few days he will have all the sup- to the expedition, says: "The United plies necessary. He thinks it will be States is merely pursuing purposeless better to secure the great part of the and ill-timed intrigues, which make a Most of the generals, however, think it unwise to take so great a risk. The British will rely almost out of the diminutive military force of the British will rely almost out of the diminutive military force of the

it unwise to take so great a risk. The British will rely almost entirely upon pack trains. Any other method of trans-portation through the mountain passes would probably be impossible, as the Chinese have blocked every possible pass with big boulders in order to render possible. The people in Pekin say that Count The people in Pekin say that Count

Amid ringing cheers Mr. Chamberlain "the head and shoulders of the war," as Mr. Dillon described him, resumed his

seat, and the house adjourned. Previous to Mr. Dillon's question privilege and the taking up of the war emendments to the address in reply to the speech from the throne, the debate in the Commons had been chiefly con-

fined to China. Sir William Vernon Harcourt asked. "Is it not true that an expedition into

Interior of China

had been ordered by Count von Waldersee, and if so, how does the order affect our troops? At the end of such an operation we might find ourselves in another guerilla war among a population far greater than the Boers?" Lord Cranborne replied that so far as

the government was aware, no power was contemplating an expedition into the interior of China. If it was so, the British commanders would require fresh in structions. Lord Crenborne also ob

served that the government did not con sider suicide a proper alternative for th death penalty in the case of the Chinese implicated in the Boxer outrages. Lord Stanley, the financial secretary to

the war office, imparted the informati that the government had purchased for the troops in South Africa 113,975

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ish King, and brand as false the repre years of union has an Irishman tried to speak Irish in this House until now." sentations made to them that the se environs Africa.

**On Her Feet** in 1886 in Welsh. To this the Speaker replied that Mr.

All day long and racking with pain from her head to her heels. That is what many a self-supporting girl must experihe insisted that Mr. O'Donnell could On those ence.

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not be allowed to proceed. Mr. O'Donnell began to speak in days each month, English, and re-asserted his right as the when in other cirwhen in other ch-cumstances she would go to bed, she must still be at the desk or representative of an Irish constituency, and as a member of a nation still pos essing a language of its own, to address he House in his native tongue. At this point the Speaker stopped him the Hor counter and struggle through the eremptorily Several other Irish members de day as best she

may. Backache, neadnounced the limitation to English imposed by the Speaker. ache, and other pains caused by womanly diseases

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Leavenworth, Kas., Feb. 19 .- Mrs. Rose Hudson, wife of John Hudson, a "joint" keeper at Milwood, fourteen the cause of these pains. It estab-lishes regularity, miles north of this city, was shot and instantly killed last night during a raid upon her husband's saloon. One of the aiders was slightly wounded.

KNELT BEFORE MIRROR And Blew Out His Brains After Killing

weak women strong and sick women well. His Wife.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 18.-In a fit of ienlous rage to-day Chas. E. Bent, of 2.424 Laclode avenue, killed his wife and then committed suicide. After fatal ly wounding his wife he knelt before a mirror and blew out his own brains.

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CANADIAN BRIEFS. The body of Wm. McIntyre, farm l

COMMERCE OF CHINA. er, beheaded and dreadfully mangled vas found on the railway track south International Trust Formed Which Will f Meaford, Ont., on Monday. It is apposed he was struck by a train while alking on the track

The 19th annual meeting of the grand (Associated Press.) London, Feb. 20.-The Brussels corn

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uncil Royal Templars of Temperance Intario, convened at Toronto yesterday President Buchanan, in his opening ad pondent of the Daily Mail describes a trust formed by leading financial houses in ress, arraigned the Dominion and On-Europe and the United States through the tario governments for failure to carry instrumentality of Col. Thys, with a view The supreme council of the Indepen-He says that the King of the Belgians i of controlling all the commerce of China. lent Order of Foresters on Monday the secret promoter of this gigantic under ight tendered a banquet to Hon. Dr. taking, which will be called the Interna-Montague, ex-minister of agriculture in tional Company of the Far East.

the Conservative administration, at To-ronto, who is leaving for Australia on a "Belgian interests intend to play a prominent part in China in the future, rip in the interest of the order. Dr says the correspondent. "M. Francqui, former Belgian consul at Shanghai, leaves Montague was presented with a silver tea service enitably inscribed to-morrow for China. He has been ap Andrew Allan, senior member of the firm of H. & A. Allan, Montreal, the pointed agent-general of the International Company at a salary of £4.000 a year. He well known steamship owners and agents of the Allan line, and one of the pioneers will be accompanied by railroad and mining engineers and other officials. The c of the Canadian-Atlantic steamship ser pany has bought at Shanghai a large hotel, rice, is dangerously ill. where fetes and receptions will be given Hebert's statue of Queen Victoria with a view of enlisting the sympathy o which is to be erected on the parliament

mandurins and Chinese traders grounds. Ottawa, at a cost of \$25,000. "The construction or acquisition of has arrived at Portland, en route to roads in China, as well as the con Ottawa. lines of steamers, forms part of the com In the Ontario legislature yesterday pany's programme. The advocates of this afternoon Mr. Whitney, leader of the

pposition, said he desired to ask if the the finonopoly consider that the fact of Premier was willing to say whether the probabilities were there would be an robabilities were there would be anpeace in China.' other session of the house. The Premier answered: "We have no present

ntention of going to the country nother session of the house has been held "

KING'S VISIT TO IRELAND.

cially received at Belfast, Dublia and

Waterford.

(Associated Press.) New York, Feb. 20 .- It was semi-officially nnounced in Ireland, says the Tribune's ondon correspondent, that King Edward will carry out, in the course of the spring, the engagements he made while Prince of Wales for visiting Ireland. He will be entertained by three peers and will be offi-

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