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News From Ottawa

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Reported Purchase of the Great Eastern Road is Officially Contradicted.

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Both Bodies Found.

The Remains of Fisher and Howison Recovered from Burnaby Lake To-Day.

New Westminster, March 10.—Yesterday the search at Burnaby Lake for traces of the missing boys, Howison and Fisher, which has been continued ever since February 15th last, was rewarded by the fishing up by a party of the searchers in a boat of the two young men's remains.

Safe in Port.

The Pavana Returns to Liverpool After Exciting Experiences Affecting Scenes at the Docks.

Preparings to Advance.

United States Troops Are Now Getting Ready for a General Forward Movement in the Philippines.

March 11, 3:15 p.m.—Extended negotiations are being made for a general advance of the American forces. The movement will probably take place in the next few days.

At about the rebels were caught in a trench at Calocan, and were killed by a battery.

A batch of Spanish soldiers, 885 in all, were landed at a few days ago in the hospital on the transport Buena Vista.

The plan of Hilliards was introduced into the Knight Templars.

POOR KIPPLING.

The Unfortunate Novelist-Poet Knows Not Yet of His Little Daughter's Sad Death.

New York, March 10.—Rudyard Kipling passed a restful night. Mr. Doubleday said this morning that the author was a shade better than yesterday.

Ultimatum to China

Italy Insists on Her Demands Being Granted at Once.

The Situation Looks Critical and China's Emperor Will Probably Yield.

Peking, March 11.—The Italian minister here, Signor Martini, addressed a note to the foreign office yesterday making a request to take back the Italian dispatch asking for a concession, and notifying the foreign office to accept it as a demand, adding that he was willing to enter into friendly negotiations as to the details, but insisting upon an answer within four days.

AN ALARMING FIRE.

Parlow and Cordelia Vian Pay the Penalty For Their Crime.

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Americans Are Alarmed

Colonel Henry Says He Needs More Troops in Porto Rico.

Revolutionary Murder of a Soldier—Decapitated by a Treacherous Native.

Chicago, Ill., March 11.—The Tribune today publishes a long letter from a staff correspondent in San Juan, Porto Rico. The correspondent says that among the natives there are continual mutineries, and the greatest evidence of disloyalty at the American garrisons.

MATAAFA MAY FIGHT.

Should He Refuse to Surrender the German Admiral is Instructed to Proceed Against Him.

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Flames Break Out on the Selkirk White on Her Way From Nanaimo With Dynamite.

Vancouver, March 10.—Mr. C. A. Harrison, manager of the British American Steamship Company, says the Garzone will run from Vancouver in June next to St. Michaels. She will be there to meet the first miners coming on. Three river steamers will be run in connection and each will take a large provided with cold storage to take up fresh meats.

Latest Gossip From London

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Windsor on the day of the meeting prevented his attendance.

The secretary, who is a former mayor of Winchester, announces that a committee had been formed in America to co-operate with the movement here, and that its members include Colonel John Hay, secretary of state, Bishop Potter, and the presidents of Yale and Johns Hopkins University.

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Incendiaries Fire the Town and Many Buildings Are Destroyed.

Natives Annoy United States Soldiers, But Will Not Fight in the Open.

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