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BANKING POWDER Absolutely Pure

Sensor Sherman said that he would press the treaty at all other legislation except application bills.

THE BUBONIC PLAGUE Official Report as to the Number of Deaths Occurring.

London, Feb. 17.—An official dispatch from Bombay says that 1893 deaths occurred during the week ending Feb. 12, of which 819 were due to the plague.

CHASE CURES OTHER AND CHILD with afflicted with Eczema. A very troublesome type cured in a remarkably short while.

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Victoria Times

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THE CROW'S NEST RY.

Government Considering the Matter—Strong Opposition Against the C. P. R. The Corliss Bill—Uncle Sam Will Likely Get a Dose of His Own Medicine.

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—The government has not yet considered in council how the Crow's Nest Pass railway is to be built.

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TROOPS FOR CUBA

Big Expedition Sails Secretly From Caballo Pass to Aid Cuban Patriots. Recruits and supplies have been gathered up quietly in past thirty days.

Seville, Feb. 19.—The deep fall of snow in the Rockies and Cascade mountains continues to interfere with overland traffic.

WAR IN PHILIPPINES. The Revolution Has Infected All Classes of Society. New York, Feb. 19.—A dispatch to the Herald from Manila says: Gen. Lachambre, who has occupied Santo Domingo, is now advancing on Siling, Cornell and Marina.

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MEETING POSTPONED

Parliament Not to Meet Until March 25th—Another Application for a Railway Charter. Return of Heyd, South Brant, and Graham, North Ontario, is Gazetted.

THE SNOW STILL DELAYS. Transcontinental Lines Are Still Having Trouble. Seattle, Feb. 19.—The deep fall of snow in the Rockies and Cascade mountains continues to interfere with overland traffic.

PROTECTION FOR COAL. Restoration of the McKinley Rates on Coal and Coke. Washington, Feb. 20.—The republican members of the ways and means committee took an important step in their work on the new tariff bill by denouncing the McKinley rates on coal and coke.

STRAINED RELATIONS. Lord Salisbury's Refusal to Fall in With Germany's Scheme Makes Emperor Angry. Greek Army Takes Offensive and Attacks Turkish Outposts—Reserves Called Out.

GOOD-BYE TO GROVER. Record-Breaking Crowd at Cleveland's Last Reception. Washington, Feb. 20.—The last reception of this administration was given by the president and Mrs. Cleveland at the White House last night.

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CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and Lung Affections, like, positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, and the best of all, the most powerful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make known to the world, in order to relieve human suffering.

THE BUBONIC PLAGUE. Proceedings at Recent Sessions of the Plague Conference. New York, Feb. 20.—A special to the Herald from Venice says: At recent sessions of the plague conference two bodies were formed, one diplomatic and the other medical.

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