

Struggle for Popular Government Began Year Alexander II Freed Serfs.

The demand for a constitutional gov-ernment in Russia, which has grown by leaps and bounds within the last three months, until it is strong enough to enist 400.000 workingmen in its be-half in the City of St. Petersburg alone,

In November of 1887 the stringent estrictions in the studies of the uni-resities led to insubordination among he students. Hundreds of students were arrested, and the universities of St. Petersburg, Moscow, and Odessa were closed. The students, however, continued their agitation for a constitution and popular government. On Oct. 29, 1888, another attempt on the life of Alexander III, was made. The inperial train was derailed, near Borki station, in Southern Russia, and twenty-one persons killed. The czar himself was slightly hurt. This attempt on the life of the czar was followed by still more repressive measures.

Beginning of the Alarm. In 1901 the popular agitation becames so widespread that the government began to show signs of alarm. The year began inauspiciously for the gov-ternment. First, the holy synod saw fit to excommunicate Count Tolstoi. This act was followed by riots in St. Petersburg, in which the Cossacks charged the crowds and attacked the people with the knout. Seven hundred students were arrested in St. Peters-burg and 1300 in Moscow, Odessa and Kharkoff. Beginning of the Alarm.

Kharkoff. The student riots continued thru the greater part of 1901, and eventually the czar, Nicholas II., appointed Gen. Van-nofsky, a Liberal, as minister of in-struction, with permission to grant con-cessions to the students and to reopen the universities

the universities. The year 1902 brought a still louder demand for representative government. For the first time in the history of the agitation the workingmen began to organize and to join in the demands for freedom of the people. A revolutionary demonstration in the Nevsky Prospect, in St. Petersburg. March 16, was made by the students and the workmen, in order "to make

and the workmen, in order "to make and the workmen, in order "to make the government acquainted with the demands of the people." As a result of this demonstration ninety-five students were exiled to Siberia and 500 or more sent to the prisons at Archangel, tho later in the year many of these were

set at liberty. M. Stpiaguine, minister of the inter-ior, was assassinated April 15, 1902, by a student at Kieff, who afterwards was hanged. Sipiaguine was succeeded by Won Plehve, the leader of the reactionary party. Workingmen Are Aroused.

In May, 1902, the workingmen of the cities of Southern Russia went out on a strike, and the situation became so

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ernment. The zemsivos' congress was a private, almost a secret, meeting, but part of its significance lies in the circumstance that it could have been alndered and was not. The zemsivos are elected provincial bodies invested with certain limited powers. They are charged with repairing the roads, pro-viding medical help for the rural popula-tion, organizing schools, collecting statis-tics, and keeping the thousands who leave their villages every year in search of work

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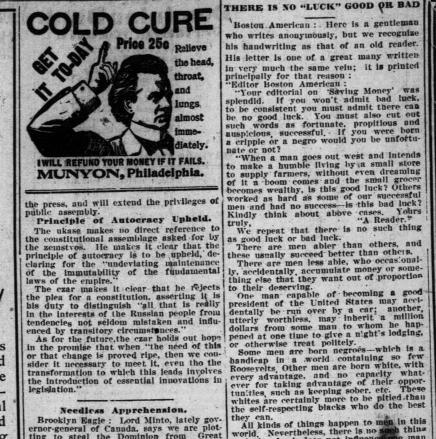
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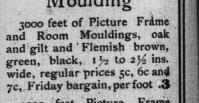
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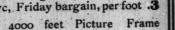
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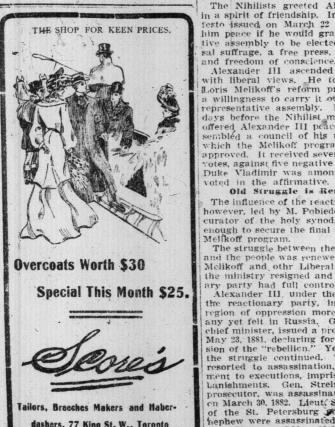
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The student conspiracy was followed by the Nthilist movement. In the lat-ter part of 1871, immediately after the Dolguscinzi'' was formed at Moscow, and in 1872 the important "Society of the Craikovzi'' was organized at St." Melikoff drew up a program of reformed Melikoff the total the cash and the people than did demands must be heard. Encouraged by Alexander II, Gen. the (Talkovil' was organized at St. Bether de the czar to call a constitu-Petersburg, with branches at Mos-cow, Kieff, Odessa, Orel, Tanganrog, and other Russian cities. Assassination of Alexander II. and other Russian cities!

Both these societies had for their purpose the revolutionary propagan la among the workmen and the peasants. five years these Nihilist socie ties prosecuted their work among the workmen^t and peasants, making little



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Reaction Rides to Its Fall.

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The Nihilists greeted Alexander III in a spirit of friendship. In their mani-festo issued on March 22 they offered him peace if he would grant a legisla-Mrs. Jacob Kaehler, Zurich, tive assembly to be elected by univer-sal suffrage, a free press, free speech, Ont., says that

Loris Melikoff's reform program with a willingness to carry it out and cait a representative assembly. In fact, two days before the Nihilist manifesto had offered Alexander III peace he had as sembled a council of his ministers, at which the Melikoff program had been approved. It received seven affirmative totes, against the seven affirmative

votes, against five negative votes. Grand Duke Vladimir was among those who

he ministry resigned and the reaction-ry party had full control. Alexander III, under the influence of Burdock Blood Bitters has saved me from a years of suffering. It is with the greatest reactionary party, inaugurated egion of oppression more severe than ny yet felt in Russia. Gen. Ignatieff. of pleasure and with a thankful heart any yet feit in Russia. Gen. Ignatien, chief minister, issued a proclamation on May 23, 1881, declaring for the suppres-sion of the "rebellicn." Year after year the struggle continued. The Nihilists resorted to assassination, the govern-ment to executions, imprisonments and lanishments. Gen. Strelnikoff, public that I give this testimonial, knowing that

nishments. Gen. Strelnikoff, public osecutor, was assassinated at Odessa Burdock Blood Bitters is the best blood March 30, 1882. Lieut/ Sudelkin, chief medicine on the market to-day, and is of the St. Petersburg police and his hephew were assassinated Dec. 28, 1884. Plots on Life of the Caar. composed entirely of roots, herbs, barks March, 1887, a plot against the end berries.

from falling victims to hunger and disease. For 20 years the zemstros have been or-ganizing and spreading education, at first rapidly, and then, owing to the opposition of the bureaucracy, slowly. The ministry bindered their work in work constraints their villages every year in sea communication: The eastern conflict has afforded a field for the exploitation of the system in war. The transmission of wire-less messages between the St. Louis ex-losition and Chicago indicated the pos-sibilities of the system as a practical me-thod of communication over long distances on lord hindered their work in every conceivable way. Still, in the face of this great grow-ing opposition, the zemstvos made headway.

Appeal to Czar in Vain.

Appeal to Car in Vain. The reactionary party did its best to pre-vent the zemstvo congress from assembling. Bureaucratic dignitaries and other parti-sans of the autocracy, pure and simple, hearing what was planned, grew alarmed. The assembly must be countermanded, come what might, Prevention is so much casier than cure. They made earnest re-presentations to the czar, one of the most influential among them going so far as to say that if the zenstvo presidents came to gether with the permission of the govern-ment, their assembly would be ythe begin-ning of the end." Thereupon the emperor summoned his-minister and learned that the 19th of No-vember was the date fixed, but that it might be postponed till January. He re-rused, however, to authorize it at all. "But the authorization has been already promised," urged Prince Sviatopolk.Mirski, "Well, later on we may see more clear-ity," replied the czar. This conversation was reported by the minister the same evening to M. Shipoff, the president of the assembly, whereupon the advantage of this procedure from the government point of view lay in the cir-

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Historic Day for Russia.

Historic Day for Russia. The 19th of November is henceforth an historic date in Russian annals - analogous, one might say, to the 4th of May in pre-revolutionary France, when the states-gen-eral met. On that fateful Saturday even-ing 98 out of the 110 invited zemstvo lead-crs gathere together in a house on the ers gathere together in a house on the River Fontanka and formed themselves in-

ers gathere together in a house on the River Fontanka and formed themselves in-to a preliminary pariament. They deliberated then and on the three following days behind closed doors, no out-sider being admitted. That was part of their compact with the minister of the in-terior. And the press was strictly torbid-den to publish any item recognizing their existence-that being one of the precau-tions taken by Prince Sviatopolk-Mirski. The result of the debates was that a large majority passed resolutions to the effect that the present regime was entirely out of harmony with the needs and aims of the Russian people, who must hencetor-ward be allowed to take an active part in conducting their own affairs. The future government, whatever else it might be or do, shall be based upon law and eschew ar-bitrary measures, and the woof and web of tegislation must be political equality of all Russian citizens, liberty of conscience, of the press, of public meeting, and the e-tablishment of a permanent representative assembly to make laws, vote the budget, watch over the expanditure, and see that ministers discharge their duty in the inter-exts of the nation. These resolutions were mofficially placed in the hands of the min-ister by the charman of the congress, and the minister undertook to lay them before the czar. The czar's answer to the demands of the zenstvos was published in an inperial ukass on Dec. 26, 1904. He granted some of the food; that is why cod liver oil is a powerful builder of flesh. Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil solves the problem of how to take cod

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The czar's answer to the demands of the zemstvos was published in an innerial ukase on Dec. 26, 1904. He granted some of the reforms asked for by the zemstvos confer-ence, which assembled Nov. 19, promis-ing to consider others, but ignoring the appeal for an elective-constitutional as-semblage. The zemstvos asked the czar to equalize the civil and political rights of peasants and to release rural self-governmeut from administrative (bureaucratic) tatelage. He promises this independence within legal limitations.

smaller zemstvos, to ensure the indepe ence of the peasants. The czar says shall be done.

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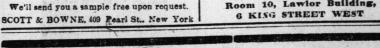
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