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M. Deroulede's Charges Against the French Royalists. Paris, March 2.—The speech of M. Deroulede at St. Sebastian, accusing the Royalists of betraying his attempt to overthrow the late President Faure in 1899, has aroused the keenest interest, which is heightened by the emphatic denial of M. Deroulede.

REMARKABLE CURES OF RHEUMATISM. From the Vindictor, Rutherfordton, N. C. The editor of the Vindictor has had occasion to test the efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice with the most remarkable results in each case.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. SOMAS RIVER BRIDGE, ALBERT DISTRICT, B. C.

Sealed tenders, properly indorsed, will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Wednesday, the 20th March next, for the design and completion of a bridge over the Somas River, near Albert, Albert District, B. C.

W. S. GOBE, Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 19th February, 1901.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE. GASSIAR DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given that the reservation placed on Crown Lands in the Bennett Lake and Little Lake Mining Divisions of Cassiar District, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated 13th December, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

W. C. WELLS, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 30th January, 1901.

APRIOL & STEEL REMEDY FOR IRREGULARITIES. SUPERB RITZER PATENT. CURE FOR ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY SYSTEM.

McKinley's Inauguration

President of United States Enters Upon His Second Term of Office.

Changes During Past Four Years—A Surprise Instead of a Deficit.

(Associated Press.) Washington, March 4.—Wm. McKinley, of Ohio, was inducted into the presidential office, being the sixth of the line of presidents of the United States to be honored.

The ceremony that marked this second inauguration was most impressive and full of suggestion of the development of the Republic during the past four years. On the whole the weather favored the inauguration.

The civil contingent was quite up to the average point of numbers, yet by actual count made by the marshals, the men in military uniform outnumbered the civilians by more than three to one.

The states of the union rendered their tribute to the President, and during the ceremony more than a dozen warships more than have assembled in the Potomac since the days of the civil war.

The President's Speech. President McKinley spoke in part as follows: My Fellow Citizens—When we assembled here on the 4th of March 1897, there was great anxiety with regard to our currency and credit.

Crowded With Activity. Now is well employed and American products find good markets at home and abroad. Our diversified productions, however, are increasing in such unprecedented volume as to admonish us of the necessity of still further enlarging our foreign markets.

Four years ago we stood on the brink of war without the people knowing it, and without any preparation or effort in preparation for the impending peril.

Now we are at peace with the world. It is my fervent prayer that if difficulties arise between us and other powers, they may be settled by peaceful arbitration, and that henceforth we may be spared the horrors of war.

"POWERFUL" LAMBTON, Has Been Appointed to Command the Royal Yacht.

London, March 2.—The appointment of Capt. Hedworth Lambton, the former commander of the British first-class cruiser Powerful, whose bluejackets rendered good service at the siege of Ladysmith, and who was defeated at the polls in his contest for the representation of Newcastle in 1900, to command the royal yacht, now definitely though unofficially announced, restores to favor a war hero who offended many high personages by his vigorous anti-government speeches at the time of the last election.

As heretofore, so heretofore, will the nation demonstrate its fitness to administer upon it, and in the fear of God will "take occasion by the hand and make the bounds of freedom wider yet."

Dr. Dawson Dead. The Director of the Geological Survey Passed Away Suddenly on Saturday—Death Resulted From Bronchitis.

Ottawa, March 2.—Dr. G. M. Dawson, director of the geological survey, died suddenly on Thursday, when he was 60 years of age, and the result of a long illness.

Best Interests of Cuba. The peace which we are pledged to leave to the Cuban people, must carry with it the guarantee of their independence.

RUTHVEN ARRESTED. (Associated Press.) London, March 4.—An infuriated mob at Shanklin, Isle of Wight, yesterday stormed the platform from which the ex-Minister Ruthven was delivering an anti-Catholic lecture.

FISHERMEN RESCUED. (Associated Press.) Silver Creek, N. Y., March 4.—The four fishermen, Henry Turner, John George, James McBratne and John Ludwig, supposed to have perished on an ice floe in Lake Erie, were rescued by Captain Desmond and crew after midnight and landed at Irving.

PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES. (Associated Press.) Valparaiso, Chile, March 4.—The Chilean presidential convention today selected candidates by ballot in the following order: Claudio Vicuna, Fernando LaZeno and Augusto Matte. The first named held all ballots.

CIVIL SERVICE ESTIMATES. London, March 2.—The estimates for the civil service for 1901 and 1902 were submitted today. They total £40,000,000, an increase of £1,307,000.

Japanese Certificates

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Lost Men And Stores

Dewet Escaped From Cape Colony but His Commando Has Been Reduced. How the Burgers Crossed the Orange River Near Colesberg Bridge.

London, March 4.—Gen. Dewet lost heavily in men and stores by his incursion into Cape Colony, but he seems to have made a clever escape with the bulk of his commando. Apparently Commandant Hertzog crossed the Orange river with him.

NEW MANAGER APPOINTED. Capt. Troup Formally Given Charge of C. P. N. Business This Morning.

Capt. Troup, formerly superintendent of the C. P. N. business, was this morning formally appointed general manager of the C. P. N. Company. He has just returned from a trip East, and with other C. P. N. officials came down to Victoria this morning.

SEOT HIS SWEETHEART. Kansas City, Mo., March 2.—Both noted, 18 years old, was shot and killed, on the street this afternoon, by Ed Taylor, 20 years old, a baseball player, formerly her sweetheart, with whom she had quarreled.

PERSONAL. J. B. Ferguson, managing director of the State Lake Power Co., has just returned from the South cities, where he has been looking into the various franchises under which companies in those cities do business.

WALL STREET. New York, March 2.—The opening prices were higher throughout the list, the futures and important industrial leading. The stock market opened strong.

A GOOD COUGH MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN. "I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a well known and popular baker, of Chambersburg, Va.

W. B. Robertson, Indian agent at Dunsmuir, is in the city on his regular tour. He is at the Victoria hotel. Mr. Robertson went out to Saanich last Saturday night, some grievances among the Indians of that district.