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Different Position From the Others

Victoria

(From Thursday's Daily.) (From Thursday's Daily.) The mill: trust is showing its hand The brief examination which has yet the mill: trust is showing the price of this been given by representatives of ad-in in an increase in the price of this been given by representatives of ad-is necessary article of food. Within jacent municipal authorities to the the anal circular, each milkman is-the information comes to the public a small circular, each milkman is-the insome cases. These have been

aded to the customer by the driver reaches the government for their cones in some cases. These have been the route, and of course protest by sideration.

irate householder to him does not As one gentleman, who has taken a any good. While apparently the ac-prominent part in municipal politics on is individual the public believe for some years, said yesterday, the hat really it is concerted, and they municipalities may be forced to come uld seem to be perfectly justified in into the scheme, but it will not be of idea, from the fact that practically their own volition. The criticism of the the vendors have chosen the same report follows the lines rather of what e to make the increase, to say noth-of their vivid recollection of the the milkmen incautiously showed that nothing was said of what arrangements would be made for dis-isement of increased prices which placed officials, proper assumption of ight them within the scope of the financial obligations, and rearrangeinal law. he prices which the lords of the the needs of the outlying areas. The supply have laid down to be ex- report does not give the area, populad from their victims are as fol- tion or assessment of the districts proposed to be acquired, and before dele-

price for one pint daily remains gates would meet in conference they a month, which was an increase would want to know something more $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the price charged definite than at present is before then as to these crucial facts Discussion

\$3.50, or 16 2-3 per cent. in Au-consumers are now called upon y \$3.75 or \$4, according to who or two pints a day, increased from seems to unite in the view that there bits that the price in force and the price in the price in force and the price in t and the water question is also a deths ago

vidual or company quotation. The resputition in Esquimalt is some-ease in August amounted to 16 per what different, as the district is the on the previous price and the natural adjunct to Victoria, and lacknt rise is from 5 to 14 per cent. on ing municipal interests. When the fall price. Consumers of this quan-will have to pay after to-day at cent harbor at Esquimalt must be 22 per cent. more and in many treated as part of the area to be imCOMMENT LAIMEZ VOUS? YOUS NOUS FEREZ HONNEUR.

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TWICE-A-WEEK UIMES

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-Ottawa Free Press DR. SPROULE TAKES LESSONS IN FRENCH HON. F. D. MONK (the tutor)-I am so pleased to teach you. Indeed, we are all most pleased.



MAY OFFER SERVICES TO **NEW PRINCES OF CHURCH END CHINESE REVOLT** ATTEND CONSISTORY Japanese Officials Believe That Impressive Ceremony at the

MEDIATION DY

POWERS PROBABLE

Great Britain and U.S.

Will Act

Tokio, Nov. 30 .- It is believed in in-Rome, Nov. 30 .- The concluding and luential quarters here that the stage most impressive ceremony connected already has been reached in the situawith the creation of the new cardinals tion in China for mediation by the Powers. The opinion prevails that this took place this morning at the great afternoon Great Britain and the United consistory at the Vatican, when four-States would take concerted action for teen princes of the church, including restoring peace in China.

Missionaries Safe. Louisville, Ky., Nov. 30. - A cable invested with the red hat, indicating their rank. From early morning an message received last night by Rev. W. D. Powell of Louisville, secretary of the Kentucky Baptist board of mis-sions, told of the safe arrival of Dr. Powell's daughter, Mrs. Florence Powell Harris, and her husband, the Rev. H. M. Harris, missionaries sta-there of Kai Fong, in tioned at Kai Fung, or Kai Fong, in Honan province at Che Foo. The mes-sage merely stated that all arrived fely.

Troops Ready to Move. Washington, D. C., Nov. 30. - The United States is keeping in readiness at Manila an expeditionary force of

from 500 to 2,500 soldiers for immediate to witness the passage of the cardinals, dispatch to China to protect foreigners, the great clerical nobles, the ambasand to keep open railway communication between Pekin and the sea. tend the ceremony in the Vatican.

This, it was declared at the state de-Inside the Vatican unuusal excitepartment, was not to be considered an ntervening force in favor of the rebels or the imperialists, but was merely the United States' part in complying, tocurred at one time. gether with the other powers signatory

to the Boxer protocol, with the provisons of that document. The order for ions of that document. The order for starting the troops awaits only the word from American Minister Celhour word from American Minister Calhoun was to be held, was occupied at an

Chinese capital the information that the United States had the force ready, and that it would be sent immediately upon notification that the control of foreign secretaries at Pekin thought it was needed.

In view of the announcement of the Holy See and for the Roman ariston

the three American prelates, Cardinals Falconio, Farley and O'Connell, were

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THE RED HAT

dinal O'Connell is stopping, and about the monastery of San Antonio, where

Cardinal Falconio rests with his brother Franciscan monks. Thousands of people also gathered on

balconies and roofs along the streets sadors and the guests invited to at-

ment was evident, as for four years no onsistory had been held and for centuries not so many creations had oc-

Every available space in all the rooms and corridors along which the papal

at Pekin. Mr. Calhoun was instructed by the department yesterday to convey to his diplomatic colleagues now in the Chinese capital the information that

