## BRITAIN'S POSITION

The Cretan Question Discussed Very Fully in the British House of Commons.

Statement by the Parliamentary Secretary for the Foreign Office, Mr. George N. Curzon.

London, April 12.-Discussing the Cretan question in the house to-day, Sir Charles Dilke said he believed the majority of the nation supported the Liberals on the Eastern question. A blockade of the Piraeus, he contended, though it might upset the king and teachers plenty of time to attend the kingdom of Greece, could not restore meeting of the institute and get back order in Crete. While the government's policy of granting autonomy to Crete programme: was honest, it was not clear whether the other powers were equally honest in this matter. Both the Sultan of Turkey and the King of Greece had stated that they were negotiating in regard to the future of Crete, when they were brought to the verge of war by the action of the powers. The speaker pointed out that the concert of the powers did not come into existence for the purpose of dealing with Crete, but to deal with the Armenian question, with which the the Armenian question, with which the psychology, O. H. Cogswell; 2 p.m., powers had been fruitlessly struggling piano duet, Misses Barron and Gardinfor two years past, when they were stirred out of sluggish action by the dispatch of Prince George of Greece with the Greek torpedo flotilla to the island of Crete and by the landing of sell; composition, W. C. Coatham; 8 Greek troops there. He concluded with p.m., piano solo; geography, E. Caspell; commenting upon the imbecility and helplessness of the concert until the King of Greece forced their hand.

The parliamentary secretary for the foreign, office Mr. George N. Curzon, replied for the government. He said no one could rightly complain at the lack of opportunty to discuss the conduct of the government. There had been many discussions on the subject and on the speeches of the Marquis of Salisbury, although it was true that there had not been a vote of censure, the government having failed to persuade the Liberal leader, Sir William Harcourt, to repeat in the house the martial oration so much admired at Norwich, while in the debates on Cretan affairs in the house the matter had only been raised twice, and in the French chamber of deputies only once.

Continuing, Mr. Curzon said that in

ments of their government policy hadbeen reiterated so frequently as to become tedious. Sir Charles Dilke complained that autonomy as proposed for Crete was not clearly defined, but Mr. Curzon pointed out that the proclamation stated that it implied freedom from all control of the Turkish govern ment in the internal affairs of the istroops from the island of Crete, Mr. pacific settlement of the question.

Since the blockade, Mr. Curzon pointed out, many thousands of helpless and defenceless people have been protected by the forces of the powers, and their might have been another fatality. The the relief of the beleaguered and the saving of them. But in the face of explicit warnings the insurgents had persisted in their endeavors to starve out the Turkish garrisons at outlying posts and obtained command of the outposts commanding the towns occupied by the forces of the powers.

In the meantime active discussions were proceeding among the powers relative to the question of appointing a life of helplessness." governor for the island of Crete, and instituting militia on the basis of autonocert had saved Europe from a general ance on the Greco-Turkish frontier. He will serve a whole family. thought than no one would deny that the policy of the government, peace in Europe and the liberation of Crete, was good one, but if the opposition had an about the house hear it. ernative let the house hear it.

Mr. Curzon was frequently cheered during the course of his speech. In reply Sir William Harcourt said that although the government declined his challenge, he would not decline its this time, using various remedies rechallenge now made, although he was of the opinion that the matter was of greater importance than to have been discussed on a definite issue. He complained that his motion was not sufficiently censorious, but if the motion had been arrived at it would have turned out the government. What more did Her Majesty's government want? Why did not the government substitute for it a vote of confidence? The reason was, Sir William Harcourt said, that the government would not face the question of the forces of the crown he ing employed against Greece. Never before, he asserted, had a government declined to meet such a motion or shrunk from such an issue, and it was now the duty of the opposition to record the views of the united Liberals.

PROVINCIAL TEACHERS Meeting of the Association to be Held

A committee of the city trachers met last evening for the purpose of perfect-ing arrangements for the first annual meeting of the Provincial Teachers Association, which is to be held in the South Park school on the 20th, 21st and 22nd of April. The committee, with the consent of the other teachers, arranged for a conversazione, will also be held in the assembly room of the South Park school. The provincial teachers will be the guests of the city teachers. An excellent pro-gramme will be provided and refreshments will be served by the lady teachers. It is expected that the teachers from the different schools in the province will be present, as the education department has granted an Easter vaca-tion extending to the Monday following

C. Strachan; primary geography, L. E. any special interference on the part of Knapp; vocal solo, J. H. Monk; "Stepping Stones to Success in the Teachers' versazione.

er; "Rousseau and his Emilie," F. M. Cowperthwaite; reading, Miss A. D. Cameron; practical lesson in addition, reading, Miss E. G. Lawson; patriotism, J. M. Campbell: vocal solo, Miss. F. E. Hartt; and "A plea for a closer union of the past and present methods," A. Robinson

Thursday-10 a.m., plano solo; "Minor Mistakes in School Management," S. B. Campbell; "Kindergarten and Other Useful Dexices," Miss A. Russell; "The Dignity of the Teacher's Profession, and physical drill, Mr. St. Clair: 2 p.m., question drawer, conducted by the suerintendent of education, and general discussion of educational topics; and, 8 p.m., public meeting in the A. O. U. W. hall, to be addressed by several, includ-

DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

Grateful Letters From All Parts of the Power-As a Spring Medicine They Surpass All Others.

land. He therefore could truthfully say more to alleviate suffering than any oth- order that the same may be admitted as there was no ground whatever for the er medicine yet discovered. They have one of the states of this union." suspicion of Sir Charles Dilke that this effected cures in hundreds of cases proautonomy which the government desired nounced incurable by physicians, and are but two futures before Hawaii." to make simple and clear was regarded they have be ught rejoicing into the said Lorin A. Thurston, ex-minister of from any other point of view by the homes of thousands throughout the Do- the islands, who is here in charge of the other powers. Referring to the negotia- minion. Among those who speak of this annexation propaganda. "The group of tions which are said to have taken wonderful medicine in terms of grati- islands must be annexed to the United blace between Greece and Turkey direct tude is Mr. Lemuel McCready, of Shan- States or Asiatic influence will become for the settlement of the Cretan ques- non, N.B. He says: "A year ago I was supreme. We do not fear any forcible tion, Mr. Curzon remarked that the netaken with pain in my hip, which gradinvasion by the Japanese, nor do we gotiations might have occurred on the ually worked down the knee where it fear the forcible possession of the island subject between the Sultan and Greece, settled. At first I thought it an attack by any European country. If we are but Her Majesty's government knew noth- of rheumatism and treated it with the ing about them. Touching upon the medicine ordinarily used for that trouble, the rapid increase of the Asiatic popuques ion of the withdrawal of the Greek but with no benefit. The knee began to lation will swamp us within a few Curzon said that it would open a door I wasted away to a mere shadow, and cial conditions. The planters are the eading to an almost immediate and was no better than a cripple. I then controlling influence on the island.

for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Wil-

Mrs. A. Inveen, residing at 720 Henry street, Alton, Ill., suffered with sciatic rheumatism for over eight months. She doctored for it nearly the whole of commended by friends, and was treated the physicians, but received no relief. She then used one and a half bot-tles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, by classification, or by having been born is published at her request, as she social cleavage, but solely because you wants others similarly afflicted to know daily do some sort of real, honest, and what cured ner. For sale by all druggists. Langley & Henderson Bros. wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancou-



The McKinley Cabinet Said To Be Heartily in Sympathy With the Scheme.

Movement To Be Pushed With Vigor as Soon as Tariff Bill Is Disposed of.

Chicago, April 12.—The Chicago Chronicle's Washington City correspond-April 12.-The Chicago

ent sends the following: The administration is heartily in sym pathy with the scheme to annex the Ha-Easter Monday, in order to give the waiian Islands. The movement will be pushed with vigor as soon as the tariff meeting of the institute and get back bill is out of the way. The president to their schools. The following is the will send a special message to congress on the subject, if necessary, but it is Tuesday—10 a.m., organization; 2 believed when congress takes the matter up it will be speedly settled to the satwriting, by L. Tait; recitation, Miss J. isfaction of the annexationists without

Minister Hatch and Attorney-General Profession," Miss I. Lyons; 8 p.m., con- Smith, representing the Hawaiian government, have been actively at work Wednesday—10 a.m., "Agriculture in Schools," Paul Murray; vocal solo, John Brandon; "Do We Teach Children to frequent conferences with President Me-Read?" Miss M. Lawson; a lesson on Kinley, Secretary Sherman, Speaker psychology, O. H. Cogswell; 2 p.m., Reed and the members of the foreign affairs committees of both houses of congress. They urge that annexation is necessary to save the island from Japanese domination.

The plan agreed upon for annexation is similar to that followed in the case of Texas. The independence of Texas, like that of Hawaii, was secured mainly through the assistance of citizens of the United States. The movement for the annexation of Texas first took definite shape in the congress of the United States. A resolution providing for annexation passed congress in 1845. The president of the Texas republic immediately called a convention, which accepted the resolutions and adopted a constitution which was satisfactory to Syrup from Messrs. Robinson & Co., the authorities in this country and an chemists, Hunslet Carr, and after taknexation followed.

The plan to be observed in regard to Hawaii is embodied in a resolution which ing Hon. Col. Baker, who will speak on was presented in the house, March 29, by Spalding, of Michigan. It is an exact copy of the resolution which was used in the Texas case, except that the word "Hawaii" is inserted wherever the word "Texas" occurred in the original resolution. The first section of Spalding's resolution provides that congress Austria, Italy and Germany the state EASILY OBT LINED BY THE USE OF consents "that the territory properly included within and rightfully belonging to the government of Hawaii and commonly known as the Sandwich Islands, Dominion Testify to Their Wonderful may be creeted into a new state to be colled the State of Hawaii, with a republican form of government, to be adopted by the people of Hawaii by deputies, in convention assembled, with the Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done consent of the existing government, in

Washington, D.C., April 12.-"There swell and the pain became excruciating. years. This is inevitable from commerconsulted a physician, but still got no Hawaii is to remain outside of the relief. Then I went to a hospital at St. United States and be subjected to the John. The physician who examined me possibility of high protective duties on there said my trouble was consumption her commodities the planters must necof the blood, and that it might be neces- essarily protect themselves by employing sary to amputate my leg. Thoroughly the cheapest of cheap labor. There is discouraged, I returned home. Then my nothing between Hawaii and the United mother urged me to try Dr. Williams' States now but a mere treaty, which Pink Pills. After using two or three tan be abrogated at any time by act of boxes I found the pain greatly diminish- congress. Once in the United States ing, and by the time I had taken seven the planters could afford to pay Ameriboxes, the limb had regained its normal can rates of wages, because their procondition, the pain had all disappeared, ducts would not have to pass through I had gained greatly in flesh and was the custom house. So long as they are as well as ever I had been in my life. at the mercy of changing political con-I feel very grateful for I believe Dr. ditions in the United States they must Williams' Pink Pills saved me from a centinue to employ cheap labor. The result will be that unless annexation It is such wonderful cures as Mr. Mc- comes speedily the islands will be over-Cready's that have given Dr. Williams' whelmed with Asiatics, who, in the na mist contribution promised. Mr. Curzon Pink Pil's their great reputation and tural course of events, must sooner or then turned to the question of the pos- made them the favorite medicine in later assume control. We do not ask sibility of war between Greece and Tur- thousands of families throughout the for admission as a state, nor do we He insisted the government had land. They are especially intended for want it. Annexation on such terms strained every nerve to prevent an out- purifying the blood and strengthening would be particularly disastrous to break of hostilities, which he claimed the the nerves, and at this season of the Hawaii and would give to America an government could only regard as calmi- year, when most people are feeling lan- undesirable state. If annexation is to tous to Greece and as constituting a guid as the result of close confinement come at all, it should be on the basis grave menace to the peace of Europe. during the winter months, a couple of established in the case of Florida and Mr. Curzon assured the house that from boxes of Pink Pills will give renewed Louisiana or on the lines originally laid information which the government had life and energy. Do not be persuaded down for the Northwest Territory. The received, the Greek raid in Macedonia to take any of the numerous pink col- island could be acceptably managed by was entirely unauthorized by the Greek ored imitations, which some dealers, an appointive governor with an advisory government, and was not participated in whose only thought is there own profit, council. The islanders need not have as by the Greek regular troops. Mr. Cur- try to impose upon the public. If your much legislative power as is now grantzon devied that the concert of the dealer will not give you the genuine Dr. ed to the organized territories of the powers had been helpless. During the Williams' Pink Pills they will be sent United States. We would be perfectly past few months, he insisted, the con- post paid at 50c. per box or six boxes willing to accept he conditions usually imposed upon unorganized territories, war, had prevented greater bloodshed liams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. As and they would, in fact, be the very best in Crete, and had localized the disturble a spring medicine a half dozen boxes for Hawaii for years to come. On the other hand, for the reasons I have indicated, absolute political urion with the United States must come at once or it will be too late to put a stop to cheap Asiatic labor. With annexation we can support hundreds of thousands of prosperous citizens and develop the islands enormously. Without it American interests there will soon have to be abandone ...

A SHORT TALK ON BEING TIRED Are you a working man, or a working effected a complete cure. This on the sinister side of certain lines of useful work? Yes? I shake your hand. I hope you manage to live by it without overdoing, and that (being still hearty and healthy) you sometimes find your-self tired, dog tired, and hungry as a wolf, with plenty of good feed for sup-per. Then hev! for bed and a genuine sleep of eight hours; to jump from bed in the morning, both feet on the floor at That's the right kind of "tired" nd the heaven descended brand of rest. It is a blessing in itself and bears others in its train. But the variety of fatigue so many

people are all the time writing about is different. Lasten to this one, for in-stance: "In September, 1898," he says, "I was overcome by a fuling of languer. I was easily tired and comparatively slight efforts served to exhaust me completely. Indeed I never seemed rested at all, and was as tired in the morning as when I went to bed Both muscles and mind were inert and relaxed. At the same time my appe-tite seemed to be tired too. I had no relish for food, and after eating felt un asiness and distress in the stomach and pain at the chest. My skin was sallow also, and there was a dull aching at my right side in the region of the

liver. "I was constantly beaching up a sour fluid and my food would sometimes 'repeat' or rise into my mouth. All I could to to rectify this miserable state of things I did, acting upon the sugges-tion of friends and others, but failed to come across a remedy for my complaint, which meantime obtained a stronger

hold upon me. "On account of my inability to eat and digest food my flesh fell off until I became so thin that you might have fancied me as having gone into a uecline. And I was so weak I could scarcely get about. I remained in this condition month after month, unfit, of course, for work and virtually a man out of the world's fight.

"The doctor who prescribed for me probably understood my case, but he was not able, apparently, to cure me And I notice it is in illness as in business; unless one holds his own he is bound to be falling behind, which made me anxious to obtain relief soon, lest I might pass beyond the reach of it. And in answer to the hope finally came the help I needed.

"In July of last year (1894) I read about Mother Seigel's Syrup in a small pamphlet which was left at our house. The book described my symptoms perfectly, and stated the disease to be indigestion, with dullness and inactivity of the liver, the latter condition as result of the former. The weakness and loss of weight is explained, naturally enough, to be the effect of want of proper nourishment. Cure the stomach trouble in such cases, said an article in the pamphlet, and the consequence es will vanish of themselves. "On this I procured a bottle of the

ing it for a few days, I found myself much better. My food now ceased to give me pain, and I gained some and the following substituted in lieu strength with every meal. No better thereof: proof of the power of this medicine could ask. I continued the use of it; the bad symptoms abated and no longer have deposited with the minister of fintroubled me, and in a few weeks I felt as vigorous and well as ever I did. could work as before and experienced that kind of fatigue only which promotes rest and is relieved by it. I have since enjoyed good health and you are welcome to publish this short account of my case. (Signed) Percy Hardaker, 42, Woodhouse Hill road, Hunslet Carr, Leeds, March 29th, 1895,'

Mr. Hardaker is agent for the Pearl Assurance Society, and is well and selves into an association, to be known widely known. His own intelligent comments upon his complaint render any words of our quite needless. private conversation he said he looked sociation, yearly, while we continue upon that unnatural "tired" feeling as a warning that none should neglect. It means, not the effect of work but of exhaustion through that subtle disease, indigestion. Mother Seigel's Syrup should taken then, as he would have taken t then had he heard of it. We hope Mr. Hardaker's timely words, based as Act, 1892, and the following is substithey are on an instructive experience, will be heeded by all to whom they ap-

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DAIRYING AND EDUCATION.

Bills Introduced to Amend Dairy and Public School Acts.

The act to amend the Dairy Association Act, which was introduced by the premier yesterday, provides that an association formed under the provisions of the amending act for the manufacture of cheese or butter, or both, may extend its business so as to include: (1.) The keeping of swine and the

manufacture and sale of the various products resulting therefrom; or (2.) The dealing in swine or cattle foods for the purpose of supplying such foods to the patrons of such associations; provided the shareholders shall, by a majority of shareholders present in person or by proxy, representing at least twothirds in value of the subscribed stock of said company, at a general meeting of the company duly called for consider-

The second bill introduced by Premier Turner enacts as follows: "Sub-section (a) of section 2 of the Dairymen's Association Act, 1894, is hereby repealed,

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The board of trustees for each city schol district shall be elected in the marmer hereinafter provided by the votes of electors possessing the qualifications prescribed in section 5 of the Municipal Elections Act. 1896, for electors entitled to vote for mayor; and when preparing under the provisions of the Muricipal Elections Act, 1896, the annual voters' list in cities where said section of said act is not in force, and does not govern the election of mayor, | berlain's Cough Remedy is a household separate list shall be prepared and kept by the same officers at the same time and in the same manner as the said annual voters' list on which shall be placed the names of those entitled to vote for school trustees, but not for

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ton, of 701 St. Emanuel street, Houston. Tex., recently caused an advertisement to be inserted in a local paper, in which she offered to pay liberally any lady who would consent to lose a middle finger at the middle joint in a nicrosis, or bone grafting operation. response to the advertisement. Miss Grace Dinsmore, of Binghamton, N Y., is at the Grand Union hotel in this city and will, it is said, part with the required part of a finger to-day. For this sacrifice she asks \$1,000. interview last night she said that she was an orphan and that she needed money to complete a musical course in order to be able to support herself.

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Work of the Flood in Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska. Sioux City, Ia, April 10.-Forty live

FORTY LIVES LOST.

at least have been lost in the floods in South Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska. Tw persons have been known to be lost the Floyd, three have been reported drowned on the Big Sioux, two on the Missouri and two on the Coon, all is this immediate vicinity. Cases of a similar character are be-

ing reported every day from points farther away and a sharp watch is being kept by the local authorities for in the Missouri. Many people are missing of whose death their friends have no positive information. Most them have probably been carried down victims were brought into Sioux City last evening-Dan Ford Magee and while attempting to ford the Elkhorn river in Nebraska. There has been a general fall in all

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THE SEAL QUEST

British Government Objects Indiscriminate Search of ing Schooners.

> United States Insist Tha arms Shall Be Place Under Seal.

Washington, April 11.—The recointment of ex-Secretary Fos Assistant Secretary Hamlin sident to assist in the nes low in progress with Great Br pecting the Behring sea seal indicative that this long-stand matic issue has at last assum oriance and that an earnest e made to end the present tory state of affairs or to eject on such a footing befor ning of the approaching open will prevent it from passin ore serious phase. The diplomatic correspondence past year makes it evident that

train was placed upon the pa officials of both the Unite he officials of both the given quietly, yet firmly, by the premi r that further proceeding. American revenue cutters in the last year's programme would no erated, and the intimation from tary Olney that there would change unless additional revere imposed upon the British ressels, hold out latent possibili ious entanglement of the tw powers unless some arranger nade before the end of May the reason that ex-Secret was familiar with the eart negotiations leading arhitration, while to exlin is due to a large me dit for the conduct of the neg the last administration on they have been chosen in removing this threater

trouble appears to he oally through the refusa authorities to renew regulations requiring Briti into the seal waters to ems under seal, to give el regulation prohibiting to weapons in killing se tion was laid down on a large proportion of the guns sank and were ne involving wasteful mor British having refused arms, the United State adopted the plan of making ugh search of every sealing Behring sea. There was ju the search in the regula the British government ing that British vessels w subjected to unnecessary ous detentions, and hes were overhauled and the onfusion, and that the o the discovery of one skin American boarding officer v a shot wound and of a days in arrears in ent result twenty-six out British vessels in the se searched eighty-two being boarded six times i

retary Olney, on the oth pointing out that all o els were convicted He also gave some sta show the need of add regulation which he British government to acce count he showed that than 28,000 dead seal on seal islands which look starvation, because their een killed at sea by seali t was stated that in the the vessels had taken 44.1 gainst 31.585 in the prev Secretary Olney asserted was to go on at this ra lestruction of the seal h complished in the course ore seasons.

make the showing worse point of view, it was s catch of the sea! isls fallen off. Efforts were a way of insuring the use of firearms it they came to nothing was that both sides s British warning us agains riminate search of Britis Secretary Olney standing at to make it. Meanwhile, an expert comm

ut by both governments mad ustive report tending to sus Olney's assertions rega obable extermination of the present conditions, and i on this basis that negotiation ow proceed.

THE SABBATH DAY . Dr. Campbell's Lecture servance.

On Sunday evening Rev. Dr. a lecture on the observan ath, taking as his text Ex Thou shalt keep the Sabba that as he had already giv on the change from the under the Old Testament inder the New, he would another phase of the ques ath is not a Jewish as some maintain, pass the Mosaic economy, for i tuted in the Garden of Ed orial of the Creation, and isands of years later place ral code as a memorial of the of the Israelites from "The Sabbath was made for m or the Jew, nor for the Gentile and m all ages. No expr mand was needed in he Ner ment, for the law having been rounced and never having been continues in force, as does other commands of the D Paul takes this for granted "I had not known lust," he law had said "thou shalt no othing can account for the observance of the Sabbath from the present but that it is a day ed by the authority of God. N