

The Old Law and the New Life .---

Matt. 5: 17-26.

Commentary.-I. The authority of the law (vs. 17-20). 17. Jesus wished it distinctly understood that he was in no way opposed to the law. The charge was made that he was not in harmony with Jewish law and custom. He would make it clear that he respected the law. He did not come to bring a new relig-ious system by overthrowing the old. To fulfil.-The law with all the system of sacrifices and all the ordinances pointed to something better. His mis-sion was to make real all that for which the law stod. The law was good, but the gospel was its fulfilment and an advance upon it. 18. Verly.-The translation of the Greek word. "Amen." translation of the Greek word. "Amen." It emphasizes the correctness of the foregoing words, and affirms the truth-fulness of what is to follow. Till heav-en and earth pass—Heaven and earth are considered the most abiding of tem-poral things, yet they are to pass away. More abiding than they are the law and the prophets. They are to have their perfect fulfilment. Joi-The small-est letter of the Hebrew alphabet. Tit-tle—The smallest point used to distin-guish one letter from another. The law must have its perfect fulfilment. 19. Shall be called the least in the kingdom of heaven—Commentators dif-fer widely in their explanation of this

Ringdom of heaven—Commentators dif-fer widely in their explanation of this passage. This much, however, is clear, that he who wilfully breaks the law of God is by that het excluded from the kingdom of heaven. Jesus emphasizes the importance of every part of the law, and the violation of any requirements contained therein must no pass un-noticed. We give below the views of several writers upon this point. "He noticed. We give below the views of several writers upon this point. "He shall have no part therein. He is a stranger to the kingdom of heaven which is on earth."--Wesley. He who, by his mode of acting, speaking, or ex-plaining the words of God, sets the holy present edde or explaine mere it. precept aside, or explains away its force and meaning, shall be called least, shall have no place in the kingdom of Christ here nor in the kingdom of glory above. —Clarke. The thing threatened is not -Clarke. The thing threatened is not exclusion from heaven, and still less the lowest place in it, but a degraded and contemptuous position in the present stage of Christ's kingdom.-J., F. & B. Our Lord's phrase is here adopted by him for the purpose of the antithesis, the violator of the least shall himself be least. Wheten be least .--- Whedon. 20. Your righteousness shall exceed

20. Your righteousness shall exceed— It is a lamentable fact that the right-cousness of the scribes and Pharisees consisted principally in keeping the let-ter of the law, but at the same time they explained away the more import-ant portions of the law. Jesus empho-sises the necessity of observing not sim-ply the letter of the law but also the month of it. Jesus pronounced a woe sises the necessity of observing not sim-ply the letter of the law but also the spirit of it. Jesus pronounced a woe-upon the scribes and Pharisecr, not for giving attention to the smaller matters of the law, such as paying "tithes of mint and anise and summin," but for omitting "the weightier matter of the law, judgment, mercy and faith." They should have paid attention to both the great and small. Ye shall in no case enter into the kingdom of heaven--No impossibility was required of the scribes and Pharisecs. He was able to keep the law iso as to please the Lord, hence, if he was excluded from the kingdom of heaven, it was because he refused to do and to be what God required of him. In connection with, and more important than, the keeping of the law outwardly is having the heart brought into harm-mony with God. This is the great con-dition of entrance into the kingdom. II, Righteousness and the Law (vs. 21, 22). 21. said by them of old time--In the instruction received in the syna-

## sult that the farmer is compelled to start over again the next spring in his efforts to secure help. Having regard to these facts, I beg to make the following suggestions, the adoption of which we are satisfied would go a long way towards relieving the stringeney which exists at the precent time: OLD LADY ALMOST

CRAZY WITH ECZEMA A Remarkable and Convincing Statement of the Success of Cuticura

stringency which exists at the precent time: 1. First and foremost, arrange to em-ploy a man by the year. We have found that the farmer who employs his help by the year, especially if he is able to supply a house and a small piece of land, is the farmer who has the least trouble over the help problem. It is the better way for the man as well as for the farmer. If you feel your work does not warrant the employment of a man the year round, you might be well advised to consider the question of taking up a few more branches of farm work or handling additional live stock, and in this way we feel satisfied you would more than make up the extra cost of the help. 2. Do not be too exacting about get-Soap and Ointment in the Treatment of the Pain, Itching and Burning of Eczema Burning of Eczema "I, the undersigned, cannot give enough praise to the Cuticura Remedies. I had been may foot. I had tried doctor after doctor all on a vail. When a young gild I sprained inv a solution to it, when five years ago a small spot short diagon my left ankle. The work door is the size of an small bone and about the size of an small bone the eczem Are done the time. "My husband and my sons were up night would sit for hours at a time in front of the first would lose my reason for hours in was so intense I was almost crazy, in fact, would lose my reason for hours in the work done don't district the cuticura to show the sole of the size of an inger to state the sole of the size of the fore the size of the size of the size in was so intense I was almost crazy, in fact, would lose my reason for hours to some the work don't due the bone of the size of the size

The help. 2. Do not be too exacting about get-ting an experienced man. Experienced farm laborers are rare at the present time, as there is a large demand for them in the old country as well as on this side. If you take an inexperienced man, recognizing that he is unfamiliar with the conditions and methods in this country, and devote a little attention to training him for a few months, you will find, in nine cases out of ten, that he will prove very useful to you. Teing reasonably generous in the matter of treatment and wages is essential if hired help is to be retained. We beg to submit these suggestions to the farmers of the province, feeling sat-isfied that if they are acted upon the re-sults will redound to the personal ad-vantage of the farmer as well as to the prosperity of the province. Yours truly, H A Magdomedi

Prosperity of the province. Yours truly, H. A. Macdonnell, Director of Colonization, Parliament Buildings, Toronto. ran, 2234 Heneri St., St. Louis, ato., star. 7, 12. Cuticurs Soap and Olniment are sold throughout the world. Send to Poiter D. & C. Corp., 47 Columbus Ave. Boston, U.S. A., for free sample of each with 32-p. book.

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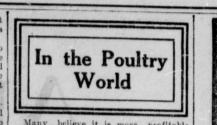
## Church Will Continue Work in Catholic Countries.

way. Go thy way-Make an effort. It costs something to keep the way open to the altar. Be reconciled. Meet him more than half-way. Do all in your power to have all differences removed. Offer thy gift-If your brother is sat-isfied, well and good; if not, you have done your duty, therefore present your-self before the Lord as a sincere wor-shiper. 25. Agree with thin adversary -Settle the case that your accuser has against you before it comes before the judge. According to Roman custom the accuser and the accused went in com-pany to the court and had an opportun-ity to settle their differences "whiles in the way." If they failed the case went before the judge and must take its course. The "adversary" stands for God who has been sinned against. "Whiles" and "in the way" stand for our period of earthly life, the "judge" is Christ at his coming and the "prison" is hell. We are warned against allowing the wrongs of our lives to remain untorgiv-en. 26. By no means come out. the uttdrmost farthing-The penality for the wrong must be fully inflicted. The sentence of the court must be executed. The farthing was equivalent to two-fifths of a cent. In temporal things Minneapolis, May 13 .- Without de bate, but in a slightly modified form, the general conference of the Methodist form, Episcopal Church, in session here today, adopted the resolution presented on Monday by W. F. Rice, in Chili, which protests against the action of the ecumenical missionary conference in Edinburgh recently, which set aside all Protestant mission work in Greek and Roman Catholic countries, and which caused strenuous discussion at that time. The resolution in part is as fol-"Whereas, in all those lands which

The farthing was equivalent to two-fifths of a cent. In temporal things there was release from imprisonment when the sentence was fulfilled, but in spiritual things, the sentence passed upon the finally impenitent is eternal punishment. "Whereas, in all those lands which form a large part of the missionary field of the Methodist-Episcopal Church, the teachings and practices of Roman-ism deprive the people of the Bible, pervert many of the fundamental doc-trines of Christianity and foster sup-erstitions which alienate thinking class-es and bind heavy burdens upon the poor; therefore be it. punishment. Questions.—Of what discourse does this lesson form a part? What position did Jesus assume with reference to the law? What would be the condition of those who break the law? How could one's rightcourses exceed that of the couples and Phenisses? In what did

scribes and Pharisecs? In what did their righteousness consist? How did Jesus' words differ from those that his

hearers had heard from the Jewish teachers? What is meant by bringing gifts to the altar? When is the best time for those who are at enmity to settle their differences?



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**TORONTO MARKETS.** 

FARMERS' MARKET

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Many believe it is more profitable to sell eggs when the prices are high, than to turn them into broilers or to sell eggs when the prices are high, than to turn them into broilers or roasters, and using the eggs for incu-bation only when there is a decline in price. It is thought that everything should be governed by both the mar-ket and the facilities of the poultry-ment. It has been proved that com-binations pay better than a single branch.

Forthry meat farming has been made a profitable occupation since the inven-tion of reliable incubators and brooders, but, of course, along with these ma-chines must go good judgment and ex-perience

perience. WATCH THE MARKET.

WATCH THE MARKET. It is all important that we know the condition and the demand of the market we wish to supply. Some markets give better prices for broilers, and others ex-cel in roasting fowls. At the beginning of each year, in nearly all the large city markets, there is an increased demand for soft roast-ing fowls. weighing from four to six

is an increased demand for soft roast-ing fowls, weighing from four to six pounds each. At this time, foo, there is a reasonably good demand for broil-ers. Beginning about the middle of January up to the first of May there is a call for squab broilers—chicks weighing eight ounces dressed—for which as high as ninety cents a pair has been paid. een paid. The New York Produce Review says

the cause of considerable poultry arriv-ing in bad order is the fault of the ship-per, either by not having cooled out properly, putting too much in barrels without sufficient ice, or muggy weath-

### POULTRY SHOULD BE WELL COOLED.

COOLED. Poultry that is to be tanked down in ice water before shipping should be well cooled out by putting in three changes of fresh well water before placing in ice water; this takes the animal heat out gradually, whereas if placed in the ice water too quickly it drives the animal heat to the entrails, making a condensed and extreme temmaking a condensed and extreme tem-porary heat, which sours the contents of the crop and entrails, and which in of the crop and entrails, and which in reaction gives a strong and unsavory smell to the poultry, and almost invar-iably gives a greenish cast to that thin portion of the birds at the lower point of breast, which, of course, affects the selling price. This mistake of improper vooling occurs more with winter and the inexperienced shippers than with those wha ship the year round. However, it frequently occurs even with those who have used too much haste, or dressed too close up to shipping time.

too close up to shipping time. USE STRONG BARRELS.

USE STRONG BARRELS. Strong, sound barrels should be used in shipping, and the carcasses packed with ice. On the bottom of the barrel place a good layer of broken ice, then a layer of noultry, beginning in the mid-die and packing in a circle, with heads lown, backs up and feet toward the centre. Then alternate layers of ice and noultry, until the barrel is filled to "Whereas, in all those lands which not of a large part of the missionary field of the Methodist-Episcopal Church, the teachings and practices of Roman-ism deprive the people of the Bible, pervert many of the fundamental doc-trines of Christianity and foster sup-erstitions which alienate thinking class-es and bind heavy burdens upon the poor; therefore be it. "Resolved, that the Methodist Episco-pal Church recognizes its plain duty to prosecute its missionary enterprises in Greek and Roman Catholic countries with increasing zeal and, be it. "Resolved, that it is our duty to op-pose the machinations of Romanism and to counterat its attempts to gain an ever increasing control of our pub-lice schools, to use the public funds for sectarian schools; and finally, be it. "Resolved, that we feel the deepest sympathy and love toward the priests and people within the Greek and Rom-an Catholic ehurches who are working toward a more splitual interpretation of the Christian faith." The conference, in a din of cheering which hasted for several minutes, also

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East Buffalo despath—Cattle — Re-ceipts, 200 head; slow and steady. Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active and steady; \$4.50 to \$8.50. Hogs—Receipts, 3,700 head; fairly ac-tive and 10 to 15c higher. Heavy and mixed, \$8.20 to \$8.25; yorkers, \$7.26 to \$8.25; pigs, \$6.85 to \$7; roughs, \$7.10 to \$7.20; stags, 5 to \$6; datries, 7.75 to \$8.10. \$12 0 0 3 0 2

2 00 0 60 13 50 9 50 11 50 10 00 13 00 Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 8,800 Sheep and lambs-receipts, \$3600 head; good, active; common, slow. Lambs, 25c higher; sheep steady. Lambs, \$4 to \$8.75; a few \$8.85; yearl-ings, \$6.75 to \$7.25; wethers, \$6.50 to \$6.75; eves, \$5.50 to \$6; sheep, mixed, \$2 to \$6.25. LIVERPOOL PRODUCE.

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE. Wheat-Spot, firm; No. 2 red western winter, 8s 6d; No. 3 Manitoba, 8s 4d; fu-tures, firm; May, 7s 30 3-4d; July, 7s 30 S-8d; Oct, 1s 7 1-4d; Corn-Spot, steady; American mixeo, new, 6s 5 1-4d; old, 6s 11 3-4d, new kill, dried, 6s 8 1-4d; fotures, firm; May, 6s 8 1-2d; Sept, 5s 4 5-8d. Linseed oll-43s 6d. Flour-Whiter patents. 9s 3d. Hops-In London, Pacific Coast, filo to 10 5s.

## Montreal reports to Bradstreet's say

trade is steady in character and the 6 75 trade is steady in character and the volume of business moving is, on the whole, quite satisfactory for this time of the year. Good weather is resulting in an excellent movement of genera-lines at retail here and at other large provincial centres. Roads have not yet dried up thoroughly and country trade is still quiet on that account. The harbor and river are reported to be wretty well 6 00 6 50 3 00 6 00 4 75 and river are reported to be pretty well free from ice, and ocean steamers may be expected to arrive in the course of 00 00 6 75 a short time. There is every indication that the season's traffic will be heavy from both import and export freight. Local factories continue busy. Toronto reports to Bradstreet's say there has been little change in the gen-eral condition of trade there during the week. Spring lines of dry goods are

week. Spring lines of dry goods are moving freely and sorting orders coming forward are very satisfactory, both in

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Beel-Extra India mess, 1175 6d.
Pork-Prime mess western, 55s.
Hanns-Short cut, 30s.
Bacon-Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 10s.--55s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 10s. 35s; clear middles, light, 28 to 34 10s. 55s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 10s. 55s 6d; short clear backs, 52s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 10s. 45s.
Lard-Prime western, in tierces, 52s 6d; American refined, in pails, 55s 9d.
Cheese-Canadian finest, white, 7s 6d; do, colored, 74s.
Tallow-Prime city, 32s 9d.
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## 8 50 3 00 OTHER MARKETS.

UNITER MARKEIS. MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN. Minneapolis- Wheat - Closed: May-\$1.16 3-8 nominal; July, \$1.16 7-8; -Septem-ber at \$1.08 3-4. Closing: Cash-NO. 1 bard, \$1.19 3-5; NO. 1 northern, \$1.18 7-8; NO. 2 northern, \$1.17; NO. 3 wheat, \$1.15. Corn-NO. 3 while, \$4 1-2c to 55c. Rye-NO. 3 yellow, 7c to 78c. Gata-NO. 3 while, \$4 1-2c to 55c. Rye-NO. 3 yellow, 7c to 78c. Bran-First patents, \$5.30 to \$5.60; sec-nd patents \$4.56 to \$5.20; first clears, \$3.70 to \$4.65; second clears, \$2.60 to \$5. DULUTH GRAIN. Dulut - Wheat - Closed, NO. 1 hard,

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less. LIVE STOCK. Toronto report: Prices on the west-ern cattle market have advanced about 25 cents on yesterday's prices, and are still on the rise. A few light butcler cattle, not weighing more than 550 pounds. sold at \$7.50, and the less choice pounds, old at \$7.50, and the less choice qualities sold very strong, ranging from \$6.50 up. Teeding steers and stockers have not became any easier, though they are fairly plentiful. Heavy bulls are selling very strong at good offerings. Sheep and lambs are scarce again to-day, and are from 10 to 15c higher. Calves are very plentiful, with prices unchanged. Hogs, fed and watered, are 10c higher also. Receipts, 90 cars, consisting of 904 cattle. 529 sheep and lambs, 2,000 hogs

21, 22). 21. said by them of old time— In the instruction received in the syna-gogue, and perhaps in the home, they had heard the words of the law and the prophets. thou shalt not kill—The sixth commandment of the decalogue is quoted (Exodus 20:13). Human life is safeguarded and held sacred. is danger of the indement—There was a level of the judgment-There was a legal course according to which the punish-ment due should be inflicted. Death

ment due should be inflicted. Death was the penalty for murder, 22, but I say unto you—There is a sharp contrast between the doctors of the law and the "T" of this expression. He who gave the law was perfectly competent to in-terpret it. whosoever is angry with liss brother—The letter, but Jesus says pun-ish the murderer, but Jesus says pun-ith the one who has the disposition to in-jure another, emphasizing the fact that the one who has the disposition to in-jure another, emphasizing the fact that is lis the intention rather than the out. ward act. The word "brother" here used includes all. without a cause-This does not mean that there is any case where one is justified in desiring case where one is justified in desiring to injure another. The term "anger" is sometimes used to denote displeasure to injure another. The term "anger" is sometimes used to denote displeasure at injustice or wrong. It is right to be displeased with wrong, but it is wrong to desire another's hurt, judg ment—The lower courts. According to the true interpretation of the law, he ment-The lower courts. According to the true interpretation of the law, he the true interpretation of the law, he who is angry with another and would injure him is guilty of crime and worthy of punishment. raca—The word is used to discredit one's intelligence; stupid, blockhead. The wrong here is a desire to injure another's reputation. council —The Sanhedrin. fool—The scriptural force of this word is not only intellec-tual deficiency, but more correctly moral lack. It means one who is implous, vile.

lack. It means one who is implous, vile. He who uses this term with reference to another shows that there is intense hatred in his heart. in danger of hell fire—The extreme penalty is due the transgressor. Reference is made to the fires of the valley of thinnom which fires of the valley of Hinnom, which were constantly burning to consume the refuse of the city and the bodies of cer-tain classes of excented criminals. The comparison of judgment, council and hell fire indicates that future punish-Leather Label ment is adjusted according to the siu of the condemned." Death was the punishment in each case above. III. Righteousness and conduct (ve.

11. Righteonsness and Constant made to the Mosaic form of worship When one would worship God he brought his satrifices to the temple, to be placed on the altar. That was his way of approaching God. Ought against thee—Not, that thou hast aught meanst thy brother, 24, Leave there thy gift before the altar—Do not give up the worship of God or the approach to Him because there is something in the Town......

**TO THE FARMERS** Few Hints to Help Solve

the Labor Question.

it seems to be increasing. Our observa-tion and experience convince us that, while there may be many explanation of this regrettable fact, the one out-standing reason is the practice of em-ploying men for six or eight months of Hundreds of Bodies Floatmonths and remain there, with the re British Fleet Sails With

DON'T waste your time figuring out why a black hen lays a white egg. Get busy and jump into your LEATHER LABEL OVER-HAULS and get the egg.



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of the Christian faith." The conference, in a din of cheering which lasted for several minutes, also adopted a resolution presented by Rev. Robert Stephens, of Danville, III., which prohibits the election of any officer of the general conference which includes secretaries of boards and editors of church papers, who use tobacco in any form. It is eaid that the adoption of this ruling may play an important part

this ruling may play an important part in deciding some positions in the coming election.

SHOT FOR THEFT

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Indian Troops

Hong Kong, China, May 13 .- Thous

ments could be timed so that they will reach destination not later than Friday and never ship at the end or latter part of the week, except by special order, as the stock should not be allowed to remain in the coops longer than is act-nally necessary. As there is a certain amount of shrinkage in all shipments of live poultry, exact returns for the full weight at time of shipment must not be expected. The number of pounds of food ele-ment we buy in a ton of linseed meal is 564.4 muscle makers; 65.8 fat form-ing: 130.0 pure fat. In a like quantity of bran we have 223.4 muscle makers; 1,985 fat forming and 70.4 pure fat.

FINGER PRINTS

For Protection of Depositors in New York Banks.

New York, May 13.—The finger-print system for the identification and the protection of deposits is being rapidly adopted by New York banks. The North Side Bank is the latest institution to adopt the finger print system, regarding which Secretary Arthur Emersch said to day: "It is not the Bertillon system used

"It is not the bettered devised by an by the police, and that devised by an Englishman named P. A. Flack, who for fifteen years was employed by the fifteen years was employed by the British Government at Singapore, India. Instead of the thumb we take the im-print of three flugers of the right hand - the tips of the index, middle and

-the tips of the index, modele and third fingers. "We provide blanks for our deposi-tors, upon which they write their sig-natures and leave their finger prints. These we keep on file, to have in case of emergency, as for instance, the gen-nineness of a signature may be quesof energency, as in a signature may be ques-tioned. We have yet to come across a depositor who objects to this. In fact, they seen to like the idea immensely."

Apposed they seem to like the new A little fellow who had just felt the hard side of the slipper turned to his mother for consolation. "Mother," he asked, "did grandpa thrash father when he was a little boy?" "Yes," answered he was a little boy?" "Yes," answered he was ther, impressively, "And did his bark. Dr Sun Yat Sen is refiring to Mac 10, the Portuguiese dependency on the Can-ton River, where he plans to reside. asked, 'did grandpa thrash father when he was a little boy?" 'Yes," answered his mother, impressively. ''And did his father thrash him?" 'Yes." A pause. --MeCall's Magazine.

Duluth — Wheat — Closed, No. 1 hard, \$1.19 1-2; No. 1 northern, \$1.18 1-2; No. 2 northern, \$1.16 1-2; May, \$1.18 bid; July, \$1.18 asked; September, \$1.09 3-4.

CHEESE MARKETS.

CHEESE MARKETS. Kingston-At the Frontenac Cheese Board meeting this afternoon cheese sold at 13 5-16c; 190 boxes of white and 35 box-es of colored were boarded. Alexandria-The first meeting of the Alexandria Cheese Board this season was held to-night and the offering was 160 boxes of cheese, of which 54 boxes were colored; all sold at 13 5-16c. Wankleek Hill, Ont.-Five hundred and fifteen boxes of cheese were boarded, and all were sold at 13 15-16c. Brockville-At to-day's Cheese Board meeting the offers were 1,250 boxes of colored and 680 boxes of white and the sales were 1,180 boxes of colored and 680 boxes of white at 13 1-8c. WINNIPEG GRAIN ARMKETS. Prev.

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the matter of Lumber and volume. An excellent business is also reported in housefurnishings. The demand for paints and kindred lines is active.

Winnipeg reports say that an excellent business is now moving throughout the west. Farmers are busy on the land, and it is evident the area put to seed will show a substantial increase over that of last year. Vancouver and Victoria reports say

trade there is brisk. Spring lines moving well in all directions, and whe salers report excellent orders for sorting parcels.

Hamilton reports say a good stoady trade of rather better than average volune is reported. Retail lines are mov-ing well and wholesalers report satis-factory sorting orders for all classes of goods. Trade in the districts con-tinues good. Deliveries of country sup-plies are increasing. London trade is steady. Better wea-ther is resulting in a broken macrosco

London trade is steady. Better wea-ther is resulting in a brieker movement of seasonable goods at retail, and whole-salers report this to be case in all parts of the country. Quebec reports to Bradstreet's say: Little improvement is noticed in whole-sale circles over that of the preceding week. Local industries continue to be well employed.

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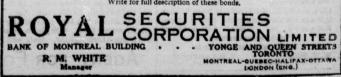
## VICTORY DENIED.

Rome, May 13.—An official note to-day declares that the pretended Turkish de-spatch received from the Governor of Rhodes to the effect that the Turkish troops had won a great victory there and captured 1,000 Italians, is false. On the contrary is is staled that the Turkish the contrary, it is stated that the Turk-ish Governor of Rhodes and his secre-tary are prisoners of the Italians and will be sent to Italy.

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A former governor of Canton has been made commander-inschief of the armed forces, and he is proceeding to exterminate the pirates on the Weet River. Men caught stealing trifling sums are shot daily. Hundreds of bod-ies can be seen floating near the banks of the West River. Some of them have been in the water for weeks. Foreigners in South China expect a renewal of the recent anarchical condi-tions now that the funds of the Goven-ment treasury are depleted. The British fleet has sailed for the North of China with thousands of

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