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Kind and grateful women throughout the world take pleasure in recommending this 'Celery Compound' to their sisters. The marvelous medicine promptly gives that health and that all worn, nervous, despondent and broken-down women should.

Provincial Auction Sale of Pure Bred Stock

OF PURE BRED STOCK

WILL Offer for Sale at NEW WESTMINSTER

Friday, 15th March, at 1.30 p.m.

Following stock imported from Ontario. No reserve price on the stock.

COAST-KOOTENAY LINE

Conserv Liberal Association Asks Dominion Government to Subsidize Building of Road by V. V. & E. Company.

(Special to the Times.) Vancouver, March 1.—The Liberal Association meeting last evening a resolution was unanimously passed asking the Dominion government to subsidize the building of the Coast-Kootenay line of the V. V. & E. Railway Company.

G. H. HADWEN, Secy-Treas., Duncan's Station.

You Want Sell

part of my farm? If so, list your property with me. I am making a speciality of selling lands, and at the present time prices are

J. E. CHURCH,

14 BROUNCE AVE.

NOTICE.

is hereby given that the Canadian Railway Company, incorporated by and under the Statute in British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to

H. B. M'IVERIN, Solicitor for Said Company.

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is hereby given that thirty (30) days after date 1. The undersigned, intending to apply to the Minister of the Interior for a license to prospect for and work for land known and situated as the North Half of Section 17 (7) and the North Half of Section 18 (8), Township 29 (29), Range 12 (12), County of Vancouver.

A. J. BRIGGS, Victoria, B. C., Jan. 28th, 1901.

SALE—Oak Farm.—Lake District. This is a beautiful farm, with 500 acres of land, comprising 500 acres, mostly situated, and good buildings. For further particulars apply to John Black.

Wanted—Bright men and women capable of "Queen Victoria, Her Life and Reign." Introduction by Lord Dufferin, a thrilling new book. Sales everywhere. The Queen as girl, wife, mother and monarch. Ready like a romance. Handsomely illustrated. Big commission. 500,000 copies on time. Lots of money in it. Free prospectus. The Linnet Publishing Co., Toronto.

Freight For Victoria

Traffic Arrangement Between C. P. R. and R. & N. Becomes Operative Next Week.

Tag and Barge to Leave Vancouver for Ladysmith Every Morning.

Cars Will Arrive Here the Same Afternoon—Details Have Been Settled.

(Special to the Times.) Vancouver, March 2.—While the new traffic arrangement between the C. P. R. and R. & N. railways came into effect on March 1st, it will be Monday or Tuesday before active operations on the new schedule are commenced.

Details of the arrangement were made Friday by Assistant-General Freight Agent Peters, of the C. P. R., and Geo. L. Courtney, Barge Transfer Agent, and tug Pilot has been taken over by the E. & N. from the Union Colliery Company, and will leave at 8 o'clock every day, arriving at Ladysmith at noon.

All Victoria freight will in future be sent through in unbroken carloads, and saving in handling, time will be made by transportation, and the former charmer will carry no more freight.

Shipments from Victoria to Los Angeles will follow the same way.

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AGUINALDO'S ORDERS.

Murderers and Brigands to Be Summarily Shot.

Washington, Feb. 28.—A recent edition of Filippino Anti-Empire, an organ of the Filipino insurgents, published at Madrid, contains a proclamation issued by Aguinaldo, under the date of November 4th, 1900, which sets forth that inasmuch as "the invaders gave as a pretext for their cruelty and for the present war, that we are an undisciplined and ungovernable people," etc., Aguinaldo, making use of the extreme powers granted him by the constitution, orders and commands among other things, "that all people who commit murders, violate women, commit acts of brigandage as well as all traitors, shall be summarily shot." It is also prescribed that all priests shall yield allegiance to the Filipino authorities, secretly, if necessary, and that all persons who commune with alien priests, together with all prisoners, shall be severely punished. All priests who fail to yield obedience to the Filipino authorities are prescribed as "enemies," and treated accordingly.

List Not Completed

Ministers at Peking Discuss Question of Demanding Punishment of Provincial Officials

Foreigners Uneasy, as They May Be Compelled to Move Outside Fortifications

(Associated Press.) London, March 1.—A dispatch from Peking to Reuter's agency, dated February 28th, says a diplomatic meeting on that day discussed the list of provincial officials whose punishment will be demanded, which was not completed.

It is also decided that Italians are to retain the customs property which is seized on the ground that the customs are a purely Chinese institution and should be retained within Chinese territory.

Reducing United States Force.

Washington, March 1.—Carrying out the policy inaugurated by the state department when it changed its military force in China into a legation guard, the War department has sent orders to Gen. Chaffee to still further reduce his force.

South African Police.

Canadian Members to Sail From Halifax About March 20th.

Ottawa, March 1.—The Montfort, with recruits for the South African police force, will sail from Halifax about the 20th of March. The steamer has left Liverpool for Halifax, and will reach there on March 8th.

TO KEEP THE TRADE.

Port An Prince, Hayti, Feb. 26 (via Hayti cable).—There is no truth in the report published in New York that Hayti and Santo Domingo are preparing for the purpose of reconstituting the empire at Dajabon. The affair is a private quarrel and is without importance.

Royal Visit To Canada

No Information of Any Change Having Been Made in the Programme.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall Will Reach Halifax in September.

Petrolia Oil Men Oppose the Proposal to Abolish the Duty.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, March 1.—So far there is no information of any change in the programme of the visit of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall to Canada. The understanding is that they will reach Halifax the middle of September, and spend about a month in the country.

The Duty on Oil.

Petrolia oil men are here to-day opposing the taking of the duty on coal oil. There will not likely be any change this season.

Started for Pacific Coast.

Lascelles Carr, of the Western Daily Mail, Cardiff, Wales; W. L. Griffith, Canadian agent, Wales, and J. Turiff, Dominion lands commissioner, left today for the Pacific Coast. They will visit all the leading points en route.

Wesley Blair, Vancouver, has been appointed railway mail clerk. Peter Herman has been appointed postmaster at Port Essington.

Mr. Costigan's Resolution.

Hon. John Costigan in the House today moved his resolution on motion to go into supply for an address to His Majesty, petitioning for the elimination in the coronation ceremonies of certain words which were objectionable to Roman Catholics.

Mr. Costigan said that the change he asked for did not at all refer to the coronation oath. He would not for one moment ask for any change in the oath, he wished it to remain intact, and would not ask that it be changed to the crossing of a "t" or the dotting of an "i."

Belleville, March 2.—The body of the late Major Cross, formerly of the N. Y. M. P., who died at Gathrie, O. T., will arrive here to-day. The funeral takes place to-morrow afternoon.

Barris's Marriage.

Toronto, March 2.—It is announced that Dr. Howard Barrie, who represented the Y. M. C. A. in South Africa, will shortly wed Miss Macdonald, daughter of the late Senator Macdonald, of this city. Immediately after the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Barrie will go to Shanghai, where the former has been appointed to take charge of the Y. M. C. A. work in China.

LOST NO TIME.

Carrollton, Ills., March 1.—Guarded by four companies of state militia to protect him from a mob determined on lynching, Albert Shenke, who on December 25th last criminally assaulted the 16-year-old daughter of Chas. H. Diller, of Carrollton, was to-day brought to Carrollton. Within an hour after his arrival, Shenke had pleaded guilty, been given an indefinite sentence by Judge Thompson, and was on his way to the prison at Chester.

INTEREST NOT PAID.

Baltimore, Md., March 1.—The interest on \$750,000 six per cent. bonds issued by the Maryland Brewery company, due to-day, was not paid, and the probabilities are that the concern will shortly pass into the hands of a receiver for the purpose of foreclosing the mortgage and re-organizing the company.

CAPT. JOHNSON DEAD.

Vancouver, March 1.—Capt. Wm. Johnson, pilot, died this morning after a short illness.

WILL RETAIN HIS POSITION.

Interesting Fight Will Follow Signing of the Pittsburg "Ripper Bill."

Pittsburg, Pa., March 1.—The Pittsburg "Ripper Bill," which passed the legislature yesterday, will be fought vigorously by the city officers of Pittsburg and Allegheny, who, under the provisions of the new act, are legislated out of office. Mayor Wm. J. Diehl says he will retain his position as Mayor of Pittsburg until the highest courts declare otherwise.

GUARDSMAN'S CONFESSION.

Heard Rio's Signals But Did Not Arouse the Life Saving Station.

San Francisco, Feb. 28.—Edgington, the guardsman connected with the Fort Point saving station, who was on duty at the time of the wreck of the steamer Rio de Janeiro, February 22nd, has made a confession in which he says that he heard the Rio's signals of distress but placed no importance in them, and for that reason failed to arouse the life saving station.

Capt. Hodson, in charge of the station, has suspended Edgington and will make a thorough investigation.

It has been claimed by people who were on the wrecked steamer, and by others, that if the crew had been made aware of the disaster that many lives could have been saved.

MANITOBA PROHIBITION.

Deputation Ask Premier Roblin to Refer It to Privy Council for an Opinion.

Winnipeg, Feb. 28.—Another delegation of temperance people waited on Premier Roblin to-day in regard to the recent decisions of the judges of the Court of King's Bench in the Liquor Act. Several members of the deputation addressed the Premier, urging on him the advisability of submitting the Liquor Act to the Privy Council for an opinion as to its constitutionality.

Murder and Incendiarism

German Farmer Killed His Son and Afterwards Cremated

Murderer Was Burned to Death—Woman Shot in San Francisco.

Deniston, Iowa, March 2.—Henry Warn, a German farmer living six miles south of Deniston, killed his son William, cremated the body in the house, which he fired, set fire to his cattle sheds, corn cribs, bath and every building on the place, and then shot himself in the burning barn, where his headless and charred remains were found by searchers yesterday.

San Francisco Tragedy.

Bliesz shot and killed a woman known as Rose Thomas, or Rose Thomie, in a Taylor street lodging house shortly after 8 o'clock last night. He fired three bullets into her head.

Bliesz then placed the muzzle of the revolver in his mouth and fired a shot into his own head, which will prove fatal. Bliesz is said to be a wealthy Eastern man.

New York, March 2.—George Gola, a laborer from Providence, R. I., lost his life in a cheap Bowery restaurant this morning because he could not pay six cents for food he had just eaten. Gola went into the place about 7 o'clock and ate a supper of 20 cents' worth of food, and then told the cashier that he had no money. He was immediately set upon by several waiters and roughly handled. One man hit him on the face, knocking him against a counter, which his head struck with great force. He fell unconscious and was dragged to the sidewalk where a policeman found him. An ambulance was sent for, but when it arrived Gola was dead. Four waiters employed in the restaurant, James Francis, William Dennis, Isidore Spellman and Wm. Allen, were arrested.

Negro Murderer Lynched.

Camden, Mo., March 2.—Dewey Smith, a negro miner, who yesterday shot and killed Chester Stanley, a white miner, at mine No. 4, four miles south of Richmond, Mo., was captured late last night. He was taken back to the scene of his crime and lynched.

Costigan's Resolution

Supported in Dominion House by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and R. L. Borden.

Leader of Opposition Hopes the Race Cry Will Be Dropped.

Motion for Address to the King Carried by a Vote of 125 to 19.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, March 1.—In the House today Dr. Kendall, Cape Breton, seconded Hon. John Costigan's resolution for an address to His Majesty, petitioning for the elimination in the coronation ceremonies of certain words which were objectionable to Roman Catholics.

He did so because he represented a constituency which was instrumental through its representatives, Mr. Uinacke, in the local legislature of Nova Scotia in 1892, in bringing to the attention of that assembly a declaration which Roman Catholics had to take before taking their seats. On that occasion Mr. Kavanaugh, a Roman Catholic who was elected with Mr. Uinacke, a Protestant, for Cape Breton, refused to take the declaration, which was offensive to his religion.

On the motion of Mr. Uinacke a petition was forwarded to the Queen, and in 1893 Mr. Kavanaugh was allowed to take his seat without making the declaration he complained of. There was only one Roman Catholic in the legislature, and the petition was carried unanimously.

Dr. Kendall said that he was a Protestant and Protestants, but could not deny to Roman Catholic subjects the privilege which he demanded himself.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier followed in support of the resolution. He said that it was no party matter; was a subject which was not within the purview of the Canadian legislature; yet Canada, from time to time had passed resolutions in the same direction. He cited a resolution passed on Home Rule, and in favor of the Uiltlanders.

The Premier gave a history of how the declaration was adopted in England, and showed that the struggle which took place before Catholic emancipation was brought about. The King only consented to emancipation on the strong remonstrances of the Duke of Wellington and Sir Robert Peel.

He said that it was a matter that he felt in Britain at one time that the Pope would interfere in secular matters. Let it be understood that the Pope had nothing to do with secular matters. The Pope's work was purely religious.

Shipments from the States.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Secretary Gage to-day submitted to the House a reply to the resolution of inquiry as to whether the ports or waters have been used for the exportation of horses, mules or other supplies for use in South Africa.

Mr. Gage says: 1. Our ports have been used for the exportation of horses, mules and other supplies for use in South Africa.

2. Between October 1st, 1899, and January 31st, 1901, horses, mules and other supplies to the extent of \$28,595,092 were sent to South Africa.

3. No steps have been taken to prevent the lawful exportation of horses, etc.

4. The number of horses and mules shipped from other points during this period was 76,022.

ROCKHILL'S INSTRUCTIONS.

Will Oppose Any Action Pending to Delay Present Negotiations.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Special Commissioner Rockhill at Peking has been instructed to make it known to foreign ministers that the president strongly deprecates any action that will tend to delay or check the present negotiations there, and especially as he desires for London, there shall be no further unnecessary bloodshed. It is confidently believed that our commissioner will be able to secure the support and co-operation of the punitive demands which it is believed by officials here are not only unworthy of civilized nations, but threaten to drive the Chinese to desperation, and thereby cause a renewal of armed resistance on their part.

London, March 1.—A Shanghai correspondent of the Standard says reports from native sources assert that Li Hai Chun, a protégé of Prince Tuan and Gen. Tung Fu Sheng, has started a rebellion with 50,000 men near Lan Chan Fu, province of Kan Su.

RESOLUTION APPRECIATED.

Washington, Feb. 28.—When the senate convened to-day the president pro tem, Mr. Frye, presented a letter from the Marquis of Lansdowne expressing the appreciation of His Majesty King Edward VII. for the resolution of the senate adopted on the occasion of the death of the Queen.

MILNER GOES NORTH.

Capetown, March 1.—Sir Alfred Milner has started northward with a view to take up his new duties as governor of the Transvaal and Orange River Colony.

BUSINESS PORTION BURNED.

Grand Forks, N. D., March 1.—Fire which started last evening and burned half the night consumed the business portion of Park river, causing the loss of property valued at over \$100,000.

THE POPE'S BIRTHDAY.

Ninety-one Years of Age—Is in Marvellous Health.

New York, March 2.—The Pope will celebrate his ninety-first birthday to-day, says a Rome dispatch to the World. Dr. Mazconi said: "His Holiness is in marvellous health. He shows no signs of diminishing vigor, a miraculous thing in a man of his age."

It is said that the Pope had a narrow escape from a serious accident while celebrating mass on Wednesday through the accidental falling of a heavy brass candlestick which had been insecurely placed on the altar.

INVESTIGATION AND RESULT.

Washington, March 1.—Senator Platt, chairman of the Senate committee on relations with Cuba, to-day submitted to the Senate a report of that committee upon the results of its investigations into irregularities in Cuba. The committee details the extent of its investigations, but makes no recommendation beyond that connected with the following paragraph: "In the opinion of the committee the information obtained is so full and specific as to render further investigation and enquiry unnecessary, especially in view of the fact that the alleged frauds in connection with the postal revenues are now being investigated by the courts of Cuba." The investigation cost \$14,334.

Forced From Cape Colony

Dewet is Again North of the Orange River—Lost 200 Men.

Eighty of Kitchener's Scouts Ordered to Surrender After a Severe Fight.

Outsehorn, Cape Colony, Feb. 28.—Gen. Dewet, it is officially asserted, having failed to cross the Orange river at Daluorspoort, is hurrying to Koentfontein.

Not Yet Complete.

London, March 1.—The Daily News says: "We learn that Commandant-General Botha offered to surrender on certain conditions, and that our paragers are still in progress. It is believed that Mrs. Botha brought proposals from her husband to Lord Kitchener."

Go East on Saturday.

Winnipeg, Feb. 28.—One hundred and fifty men have been accepted here for this connection with the expedition to go East with other Western recruits on Saturday.

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Outrage Frustrated

Conspiracy to Take the Life of the King of Italy.

Man Sailed for Rome, Where He Intended to Wreck the Palace.

Confession By Italians at Rio de Janeiro Led to His Arrest.

(Associated Press.) New York, March 2.—A special cable to the Herald from Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, says: "The police have arrested here two Italians, Corra and Donaldo, who sent a letter to the King of Italy announcing that a conspiracy had been formed to take his life."

"Both prisoners denied at first that they knew anything about the letter, but the chief of police pressed them until they confessed. They said that a man named Lavechia, who had sailed for Monte Video with the object of embarking there for Genoa, had planned to put dynamite beneath the Quirinal and explode the palace."

"The authorities immediately cabled to Rome. The chief of police of Genoa replied that Lavechia has been arrested."

THE NEXT ECLIPSE.

Three Expeditions Leave the States for the East Indies.

(Associated Press.) New York, March 2.—Three expeditions from this country to the East Indies to witness the total eclipse of the sun on May 17th have already started, and forthwith leave to-day on the steamship Glengarry. This includes the professor, David P. Todd, of Amherst college, his wife and daughter, and Percy Wilson, who represents the New York Botanical Gardens.

Prof. Todd will make his observations and photographs on the little island of Sinkan, south of Singapore. The belt of totality is about 130 miles in width. The Amherst party will be only 20 miles from its central line. The duration of the eclipse, it is expected, will be about 6 minutes and 15 seconds at that point.

EXPLORERS AT WORK.

The Body of Duncan Munro Taken From Shaft No. 6—Remains of Fifteen Victims Have Been Recovered.

(Special to the Times.) Cumberland, Feb. 28.—The explorers have resumed work at the Union mines, the scene of the disaster on Friday, February 15th. The inflow of water, which was turned on several days ago, has moved the gas, making it possible for the workers to advance a little further from shaft No. 6.

The body of Duncan Munro was recovered about 3 o'clock this afternoon. A coffin was in readiness at the pit head and the body was put into it as found.

This makes fifteen bodies now taken from shaft No. 6. A horse brought the corpse to town, thence to the cemetery at 6 o'clock.

Part of the cage in No. 6 shaft has been pulled up, badly smashed. Both cages are now at work raising water in large buckets.

IN SINKING CONDITION.

British Steamer Sighted off Coast of Sussex—No One on Board.

(Associated Press.) London, March 1.—British steamer Indian, from Venice January 15th via Messina for London, was sighted off Worthing at daybreak this morning in a sinking condition. A strong sea was running, and a lifeboat which was sent out failed to discover any signs of life on the steamer. It is believed she has been in collision in a fog. Hopes are entertained that