

DRIVE OUT MONKS

How French Government Will Carry Out Law.

ALL ORDERS MUST DISBAND

Teaching Orders Given Until July, Others Only One Month—Prefects Ordered to Stop Attacks on Lay Teachers in Provinces.

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NO STARVATION IN FINLAND.

Relief Committee Has Averted Danger, and None Has Died.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 27.—Dr. Julius N. Reuter, a lecturer of the University of Helsinki, who was detailed by the Finnish National Relief Committee to make a tour of inspection in every parish where there are 500 destitute persons, as has been stated.

LITTLE TROUBLE IN CHINA.

Returned Missionary Says Small Riots Have Been Exaggerated.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Rev. Dr. R. T. Ryan, of the Southern Baptist Church, who for the last 12 years, has been a missionary in China, has reached this city on route to his home in North Carolina.

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PEKIN, March 27.—The tone of the Official Gazette by the Chinese Government is giving increased attention to the rebellion in Kwang Si Province. An order was issued this evening to General Mel, who was dispatched months ago under an injunction to crush the disturbance, to return to Pekin and report immediately to the Dowager Empress, who desires to learn the exact situation, the reasons for the complications and the cause of his failure to carry out the orders given to him.

TO BE BURIED IN SCOTLAND.

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