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Separate in France.

PROPOSED BY ROUVIER

WILL GIVE NO AID TO RELIGION

Concordat With the Catholic Church Will Be Abolished, No Financial Aid Will Be Given to Any Church.

PARIS, Feb. 9 .- The Rouvier Ministry today presented in the Chamber of Deputies the draft of a new bill for the separation of church and state. This measure has been anxiously awaited, owing to doubt raised by friends of former Predoubt raised by friends of former Pre-micr Combes concerning the sincerity of the new Ministry in carrying forward the rai Bayle reports that the cruiser is still policy of separation. When, therefore, Minister of Public Instruction Blenvenu Martin presented the bill in the Chamber of Deputies, it was greeted with long applaus

and conclusive, but omlts a number of details of the Combes bill which had aroused antagonism. The essential points of the new measure are:

First, abolition of the concordat whereby the relations of the church and state were established

Second, termination of all government aid and subsidies to religious sects or

functionaries. Third, formation of church associations into civil corporations amenable to the same laws as other organizations.

The bill comprises 23 articles and the text of article 1 follows:

"The state henceforth neither recognize nor contributes to any religious denomination. Public establishments of religion now existing are suppressed. All religious budgets and appropriations of government departments or communes are suppressed. The exercise of religion is hereafter free, under the sole restriction that exercise must accord with the public order."

The article abolishing the concordal BAYS "All laws and orders relative to the

public organization or recognition of a religious denomination are abrogated. particularly the law ratifying the convention made between the pope and the French government."

It is expected that the new bill will be adopted in the Chamber of Deputies after the income tax and other measures, upon which Premier Rouvier demands early ac tion, have been adopted. However, there is a strong pressure by the Combes ele ment for a speedy hearing, and this may lead to a determination to take up and debate the bill without awaiting action

on other measures

World's Conference on Agriculture. ROME, Feb. 9.-David Lubin, of Sac-ROME, Feb. 3.-David Lubin, of Sac-ramento, Cal., In a recent audience with King Victor Emmanuel, suggested the organization of an International Bureau of Agriculture. The King sent a letter to Premier Giolitti under date of Janu-ary 3, outlinging and heartily approving Mr. Lubin's suggestion, which the King said was placed before him with an en-thusiasm "born of sincere conviction." The King requested Signor Giolitti to sound the foreign Governments and se-cure their views. Signor Giolitti sent a long letter to the Italian representatives in foreign countries outlining the advanin foreign countries outlining the advan-tages accruing to the agricultural classes of the world as a result of such an ar-

rangement and requesting them to place the matter before the Governments to which they are accredited with the view Chamber of Deputies Receives Bill With Joy. essary plans.

but the military force is sufficient to awe

Wilson Favors King Victor's Scheme. WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.-The officials have not had time to consider fully the question of the organization of an International Bureau of Agriculture, which, ac-cording to a Rome disputch, has the ap-proval of the King of Italy. In a general way, and not committing himself on the subject-matter of the King's sugges-tion, Secretary Wilson, of the Agricultur-al Department, expressed himself tonight as beartily in favor of measures which will accrue to the advantage of farmers the world over. This, he believes, can be accomplished in many ways, principally by an exchange of information of the crops of the world.

French Cruiser May Be lost. PARIS, Feb. 9 .- Dispatches reaching the Ministry of Marine lead to fears that the

armored cruiser Sully, of the French squadron in Far Eastern waters, which, firmly fixed on the rocks, and that it has necessary to remove the Sully's

crew. (The Sully is of 9985 tons displacement, was built in 1961, and has two 7.5-Inch The text of the new measure makes the guns, eight 6.4-inch guns, six 3.9-inch separation of church and state definite guns and five torpedo tubes.)

Will Seek Hohenthal's Accomplices. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 9 .- The officials of the Secretary of State for Fin-land here are convinced that the assassination of Procurator-General Soininen was not the act of an isolated indi-vidual, but that a deliberate plot existed against the Procurator-General. The as-sassin, it is added, was either selected or volunteered to commit the deed. It is probable that the police of Heisingfor will soon commence search and arrest some of his follow-conspirators.

German Socialists Denounce Russia. BERLIN, Feb. 9.-Socialists held 21 nonster meetings in Berlin and its suburbs tonight to express "flaming indig-nation at the butcheries and massacres which the Russian government has performed on defenseless men, women and

children in St. Petersburg." Sh worded resolutions were passed. Sharply-The meetings were addressed by Herr Bebel leading Socialist members of Sviatopolk-Mirsky Fears Interviews.

St. PETERSBURG, Feb. 9.-Former ter of the Interior Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky informally bade farewell to his staff yesterday. Fearing interviewers, he has decided not to go abroad, and will leave St. Petersburg for his country rest dence. M. Bouligan, the new Minister of the Interior, will assume office tomorrow. In the meanwhile he declines to be Interviewed.

and other least

FOUND WITH SKULL CRUSHED Seattle Contractor Evidently Met

Foul Play at Oakland. OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 9.-Reuben G. Collins, a contractor of Seattle, was found sign of discouragement. at First and Jefferson streets shortly and talkative and retains the fullest comafter 8 o'clock tonight, unconscious and bleeding badly from a fracture of the posure during the long interrogations. In-deed, he is so self-possessed that he

Russian Soldiers Slay Many Polish Strikers.

GOVERNOR OF WARSAW KILLED

Conflict at Coal Mine Reported to Cause 150 Deaths-Strike Renewed at St. Petersburg-

THEY SHOOT TO KILL

Loyalty of Army in Doubt.

GOVERNOR OF WARSAW KILLED. LONDON, Feb. 10 .- Special dispatches from Warsaw, published in the morning papers here, report the death of Gov ernor-General Tchertkoff, of the Province of Warsaw, who was wounded in the leg in . an encounter between the troops and the strikers. The Governor-General's injury was received in one of the earlier encounters during the troubles in Warsaw, and, according to the Daily Telegraph, caused the amputation of his leg.

LONDON, Feb. 10.-(Special cable.)-The Warsaw correspondent of the Express reports that General Tchertkoff. r-General of the province, died Governo "It is freely stated," yesterday. added, "that death was the result of poison administered by the Governor's Poltsh cook." *********************

BERLIN, Feb. 10 .- Press dispatches from Sosnovice describe the bloody character of the conflict between the military and the strikers at the Kathereenen Iron Works. One correspondent telegraphs that 15 persons were killed and 35 wounded, while another gives the number killed

as 50. The military fired eight volleys. Another collision occurred at the Nifka mine, where, it is rumored, 150 persons were killed. A third collision occurred yesterday forenoon near Milovice, but this

affair was bloodless. It was feared that numerous outbreaks would take place last night in various parts of the strike district of Russian Poland, since strikers were gathered in

groups, gesticulating and talking in a threatening manner.

FINDS GORKY WELL TREATED Correspondent Interviews His Jailer,

and Learns Some Particulars. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 10 (12:35 A. M.) -The Associated Press was able yesterday afternoon to see Maxim Gorky and

can assure the author's friends that he the Court of Appeals, who is conducting the investigation of the charges of high treason against Gorky, refused the As-sociated Press permission to converse with the prisoner, as it is contrary to law to allow any one except relatives and coun-sel to visit political prisoners.

At noon a closed carriage in which sat Gorky, muffled in furs and attended by Gorky. a gendarme, drove out of the grim portal of the fortreas of St. Peter and St. Paul and proceeded at a rapid trot to a lonely building beyond the Tauride Palace, three

nlles distant, where Gorky, Kedrine and the' three professors who were arrested with them are almost daily conveyed and interrogated by the procurator's assist-

lated and heated with porcelain stoves. Each cell contains a lavatory, running

water and electric lights. It is true the

ant. The Associated Press followed and saw Gorky alight and enter the premises, where he remained for several hours. An

officer of the gendarmes said: "Gorky does not betray the slightest

workmen, though somewhat restive, is not showing a troublesome disposition. At the Putiloff works about one-third of the The Future is said to have quit work at the ex-piration of the eight-hour shift, quietly laying down their tools and walking out, Two battalions of troops are stationed at the works, but there has not been the slightest disorder. Four other establishments are idle, but

the rumors of a strike at the government arsenal, with which rumor the city was filled yesterday, are positively denied. The manufacturers were again in ses-sion yesterday, but came to no definite conclusion regarding the questions in dispute. It is practically certain that the wages of the unskilled laborers, which are rather low, will be materially raised. thus satisfying a large class of men who are easily influenced by the leaders. Con-cessions of strike pay will also be made, the point to be decided being the extent of this allowance.

CALLS CONFERENCES ON REFORM

Witte's Liberal Policy Pleases All Except Extreme Conservatives.

PETERSBURG, Feb. 9. - M. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 9. — M. Witte's policy favoring the widest dis-cussion of the reforms is giving the greatest satisfaction. It is understood that Privy Councillor Kobeko will summon a conference of editors be-fore proceeding to discuss the press reforms, and the Metropolitan of St. Petersburg is convoking ministers of all creeds, prior to the consideration all creeds, prior to the consideration by a special committee of the point in Emperor Nicholas' ukase dealing with religious tolerance. This liberality and energy displayed by M. Witte in directing the whole question of re-forms has startled the reactionaries.

Prince Mastchersky, editor of the Grashdanin of St. Petersburg, publishes an open letter to M. Witte, in which he points out that M. Witte has been given powers greater than those of a dictator, and beseeches him not to heed the clamor of the liberals and not to extend the powers and scope of the Zemstvos, which he says is not de-manded by the peasants, and would serve only to increase the powers of the irresponsible Zemstvo element. Prince St. Chrbatoff, a leading Mos-

cow reactionary, urges, with the same object in view, that M. Witte consult with peasant delegates before extend-

ing the powers of the Zemstvos. The proposed reopening of the universi-ties and other higher educational establishments recommended by Governor-General Trepoff has not met with opposition from the rectors or presidents of the colleges, who favor reopening February 28, but they have informed the Governor-General that it is not advisable to resort to compulsory measures if the students decline to attend the lectures.

MAY BECOME WORSE THAN EVER

Russian Official Says Seed of Revolution is in Army.

SPECIAL CABLE. LONDON, Feb. 10.—There is danger of the Russian strike breaking out afresh and in a worse form than the present trouble, according to the Copenhagen correspondent of the Morning Leader.

The propaganda being carried on by the Russian progressive party, the correspondent asserts, has been most success-ful. The police admit that there are no signs of an abatement of the agitation while a high official in the Russian capital fears the trouble will yet assume the prois well and cheerful. The procurator of portions of a general uprising, much bigger than the last. "The seed of revolution," he adds. "has

been sown among the soldiers with ap-parent success." This last statement is most sinister. Had even a portion of the troops joined the strikers when the trouble first started. Russia would undoubtedly now be in the throes of a revolution equaling, if not surpassing, French revolution. Even yet, should the disaffection obtain deep root in the army, the outcome would be appulling.

Forced to Pay Advanced Wages.

LODZ, Feb. 9.-At the Coalst thread allis and other establishments the strikers were today paid three days' wages as an advance, although it was claimed that nothing was legally due them. The managers of the Heinzetel's mills men threatened to wreck the place. The He is cheerful military prepared to ilre, and for a mo-ment the situation was extremely grave. but the management finally yielded and agreed to pay, provided the men promseems more like the examiner than like ised to return to work on Monday, Another manager refused payment to the The Associated Press later saw General strikers, but at the muzzle of a revolver



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Infants' Wear Less

It is expected that the bill will be discussed and voted on before the end of lying dead on the Southern Pacific tracks July

IN REVOLT AGAINST LEADERS

German Coal-Miners Ignore Orders to Resume Work Without Settlement.

ESSEN, Feb. 9.-A convention of dele gates representing the strikers of the Rhenish-Westphalian coal region adopted a resolution today to return to work at noon tomorrow. The resolution, which proposed by the executive committee of 70, was adopted with only five nega-tive votes after five hours' debate.

The prevailing view of the leaders ap-pears to be that the strikers' managed their campaign in such a way as to win public opinion and government support. Besides, the strikers had reached a highwater mark, and could safely trust the government to pass a measure making several of the points complained of filegal, such as not paying for coal containing stones and shortening the hours of labor first to nine and then to eight and one half in ordinary temperatures, and to six in high temperatures. In addition, the miners could strike again if they found the government's law inadequate.

Mass meetings of miners held here and in this vicinity this afternoon voted by a large majority to disregard the orders of the strike committees to discontinue the strike. The meetings were tumultuous in character. The operatives sharply de-nounced the committee of seven as trait-ors to the cause of labor and as having

been bribed by trust money. Similar meetings are reported from Gel-senkirch. Herne and Dortmund, where also it was decided by immense majorities to stay out.

The meeting of strikers at Alten Essen was closed by the police, because of its tumultuous character, before a vote was

Two great meetings at Oberhausen and two at Tsarbeck voted to stay out. Two meetings at Muelheim-am-Ruhr protested against the decision of the com-

protected against the decision of the com-mittee of seven for a resumption. A meeding of 8000 operatives at Bochum was addressed by Herr Sache, a member of the Belchstag, and unanimously re-solved to resume work tomorrow.

THROWS SOP TO FRANCE.

Will Buy Some of Guns There, and Yields Other Points.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 2.-Th Franco-Turkish dispute, it is now un 2.-Th derstood, will be compromised, France securing an order for a share of the new guns destined for the rearmament of Turkish artillery. Following the vigorous steps taken by Ambassador Constante, Tewfik Pasha, the Foreign Minister, submitted to the Ambassador fresh proposals, whereby the Germans will find the money to pay the Krupps the arrears owed b to pay the Krupps the arrears owed by Turkey for previous crmament and for a portion of the new batteries, while part of the loan to be contracted for by the Ottoman Bank will be devoted to purchasing the remainder of the guns in France. This, together with the set-

tlement of the Syrian rallway situation, will, it is believed, be satisfactory to the French demands. MANY STRIKERS ARE WOUNDED

Attack on Electric Works Provoka

Volley From Soldiers. SOSNOVICE, Feb. 9.-Strikers today attacked the workers in the electric static fired from the windows of th

unding many people The situation here is much disturbed

hase of his skull and other wounds about the head. He was removed to the Receiv-ing Hospital, where he died.

Papers found in his possession show that he had been a member of the firm of Derrick, Collins & Derrick, contrac-and accommodation of political prisontors in iron construction, with offices at ers. "I am sorry," said the General, "that 660 Pioneer building, Seattle, Wash, He apparently lived at 1019 East Thomas street, Seattle, was married and had two allow you to visit Gorky's cell, but no cannot depart from the regulations and children. Papers found on his person show that he left Seattle on February 2. stranger betskol bastion, where he is confined.

HIGH WATER THREATENS TOWN

Colorado River Rising, and All Yuma Works on Levees.

floors are asphalted, but this is a neces-sary precaution. Each prisoner is taken daily to the central courtyard. The ra-tions consist of tea and bread in the YUMA, Ariz., Feb. 9.-The Colorado River has risen 3½ feet in 24 hours. At morning, soup and meat at noon and an-other dish of meat in the evening, A midnight last night it registered 29 feet. which is the highest water since the 1891 prisoner may have tea at any time. The flood, when it was \$3 feet and the town government allows 15% cents daily, which was wiped out. Citizens with shovels and is ample, owing to the simplicity of the scraper teams have labored all day strengthening weak points. food. The rations are good and well cooked. The prisoners are also permit-The Government levee on the Gila is

ted to purchase extras through an offigenerally considered to be safe, but the embankments on the Colorado River are but are not allowed to receive any thing from relatives, as this is the means causing grave apprehension, as several breaks occurred there today. Had these breaks occurred at night, the loss of life invariably used for conveying intelligence surreptitiously. "The political dress of prisoners

the examined."

might have been great, but hundreds identical with the hospital garb worn by willing hands soon saved the town for the present. All points are being closely officers in the military hospitals. The prisoners, indeed, are cut off from the outside world and unable to see or talk guarded. with each other. They are taken out for air singly, accompanied by two guards,

SHAKES THE WHOLE COUNTRY Powder Mill Blows Up in Alabama

Without Fatalities.

guards constantly pick up scraps of pa-per with messages written upon them. This is the reason why Gorky is allowed BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 8-A terrific explosion at the dynamite plant of the Dupont Powder Company at Boyles Gap, books, but not writing materials. five miles north of this city, fonight, wrecked the plant and broke windows and extinguished all lights within a radius 'The commandant's statements are con roborated in every particular by former prisoners in the fortress who have been of two miles, but so far as learned no e was killed. interviewed by the Associated Press. The shock was distinctly felt from one Absolute secrecy is still maintained re-

and of Jones' Valley to the other, a disgarding the exact nature of the charges tance of 25 miles. against Gorky, but it is believed that it is an alleged attempt to induce troops

Says Dominicans Are Satisfied.

can government

to mutiny and to stir up a revolt of workmen. It has not yet been decided NEW YORK, Feb. 9 .- The action of the whether he will be tried by a military or United States Government in taking charge of the customs receipts of Santo a civil court, but it is practically certain Domingo is generally considered by the natives of Santo Domingo as for the best interests of the country, according to Judge John T Abbott, who arrived here that the charges against him do not in volve the death penalty. MORE STRIKE AT THE CAPITAL today on the steamer Cherokee, Judge Abbott is the representative of

Workmen Renew Demands, and Manthe Santo Domingo Improvement Com-pany, and since last April has been in charge of the custom-house at Puerto ufacturers Talk of Concessions. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 10 (11:35 A. M.) -The men in two more factories, one of which is a small concern employing only 200 hands, ceased work yesterday, and Plata under agreement with the Domini The United States Government took 200 hands, charge of all the ports of Santo Domingo on February 1, except Puerto Plata and Monte Cristi.

more of the employes of the Putliof Iron Works joined the strikers. The renewal of the strike has not yet gained a threat-ening form, and the general mass of the

Jury to Decide on Duke's Sanity. NEW YORK, Feb. 9.-The question of whether Brodle L. Duke, of Durham, N. 2. is competent to manage himself and Constipation his property, was submitted to a jury today by a decision of Justice Leventritt in the Supreme Coury. Headache, billiousness, beartburn, Indigestion, and all liver ills are cured by

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norrow. Employers are paying only as matter of expediency. morrow. The manufacturers were in conference all day and had frequent conferences with the Governor-General.

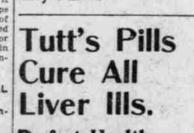
was compelled to promise payment to-

There were serious disturbances today at Pabianice. The troops fired on the workmen, killing one and wounding two. is ever admitted to the Trou-This bastion contains 20 cells, all over-ground, roomy, windowed, well venti-

Pabianice is on the Dobrzynka River, and is the seat of cotton, woolen and paper manufactories.

RHEUMATISM Get a 25-cent vial. If it falls to cure I will refund your unyon MUNYON'S KHEUMATISM CURE

There are ginger worms and whose duty it is, when the prisoner is returned to his ceil, to search the court-yard to see if any missive has been left red-pepper bugs-queer boardfor prisoners. Despite every precaution to prevent prisoners from writing, the ers-that have to be looked for, not in Schilling's Best, but in making it. There are eggs of these queer boarders, too small to be killed by grinding. Don't keep spices warm, or they'll hich !



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ulate the bowels and produce A Vigorous Body. For sick headache, malaria, biliousness, constipation and kindred diseases, an absolute cure TUTT'S Liver PILLS

To Help the Army to Celebrate.

Empress of Japan have given 100.000 cacles for the celebration of the national To Help the Army to Celebrate. yen (190,000) to the army and navy holiday, which will take place on Saine TOKIO, Feb. 9. - The Emperor and departments, to purchase wines and deli- day next, February IL.