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churia.

tion to China.

Nevada, says:

dust and sand.

Russia.

Apparently our representations were

effectual, for the proviso touching on

the Russo-Chinese Bank was with-

drawn from the treaty, and the conven-

tion, save in some minor respects, was

regarded as unobjectionable. However,

it has been discovered that the Russi-

an Government, following a practice

known in European diplomacy, has

drawn up a secret agreement, with

China, conferring upon the Russo-

in the original treaty proviso. There-

fore the United States Government has

renewed its objections, not only ad-

dressing itself to the Russian Govern-

ment, but making a persistent objec-

TERRIFIC SAND STORM.

Sweeping Over the Desert of Central

and Western Nevada.

SETLLE THE WEST

THE HARRIMAN SYNDICATE WILL

DEVELOP THE COUNTRY.

Lecturers Engaged to Advertise Oregon

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CHICAGO, Feb. fl .- The Record-

Value of the Country.

Herald will say tomorrow:

and Other Western Lands-Stere-

opticans to Be Used in Showing the

Chinese Bank all the powers contained



to Protect China

FIRST TREATY OF THE KIND BE. TWEEN THE WHITE AND YEL-LOW RACES.

The Agreement is to Preserve the Chinese Empire and Corea-Independence and Integrity of These Two Countries Guaranteed by the Compact-A Direct Menace to Russia and Her Schemes in Asia.

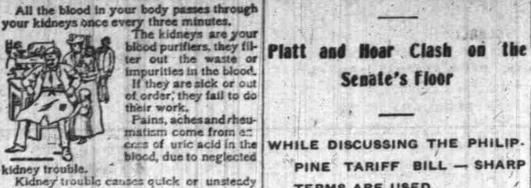
LONDON, Feb. 11 .- An important Parliamentary paper was issued tonight giving the terms of a practical alliance between Great Britain and out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Japan, for the preservation of China and Corea. The paper covers a dispatch sent by Lord Lansdowne, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, January 30th, to the British Minister to China, Sir Claude MacDonald, and comprises the signed copy of the agreement. In explanation the paper says the agreement may be regarded as the outcome of the events of the past two years. Throughout the Boxer troubles Great Britain and Japan had been in close and uninterrupted communication, and actuated by similiar views.

"We desire," says Lord Lansdowne, "that the integrity and independence of the Chinese Empire should be preserved, and that there should be no disturbance of the territorial status quo in China or adjoining regions."

The discovery that their Far Eastern policies were identical resulted in each party to the agreement expressing its desire that their common policy find expression insan international contract of binding validity.

Lord Lansdowne further says that the British Government was largely influenced in entering upon this important contract by the conviction that it contains no provision which can be regarded its aggressive or self-seeking. He says it is concluded merely as a measure of precaution, and in no way threatens the present position or legitimate interests of other powers.

His Majesty's Government trusts that the agreement will be of mutual advantage of the countries and maybe for the preservation of peace, and, should the pence unfortunately be broken, it will have the effect of restricting the sarea of hostilities.



heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidneypoisoned blood inrough veins and arteries. It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits Fit and is sold on ha in fifty-by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar siz-

es. You may have a sample bottle by mail Home of Swamp-Root, free, also pamphlet telling you how to find Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

such vessels and call the United States Marshal and revenue cutter to your assistance. Should you find after personal examination that any such yessel arrives in absolute distress you will allow her to obtain such relief only as will enable her to return to her home port."

Washington, Feb. 11 .- The Treasury afficials, when shown the dispatch rom Seattle, giving the text of a letter from Collector Ivy, of Alaska, to his deputy in Unalaska, regarding the setting of supplies to Canadian vessels, presumably engaged in pelagic scaling, terms, said that they had not received any information on the subject, but that if the information was correct as 'to the collector's action it would not meet with the Department's disapproval. Lieutenant Jarvis is now on his way to Alaska to relieve Mr. Ivy as col-

lector.



THE DEBATES It was quickly proved that the provision, if executed, practically would ex-ARE STIRRING clude Americans from competition in Manchuria, which is very valuable as a market for our manufactured cottons. Therefore Russia's attention was directed to our existing rights under treaty with China, and also to her own States Government during the early days of the Russian occupation of Man-

Senate's floor

WHILE DISCUSSING THE PHILIP. PINE TARIFF BILL - SHARP TERMS ARE USED.

The Philippine Commission Is Severely Criticized by the Massachusetts Senator - Constitutional Amendments Are Introduced-The Oleomargarine Bill Amended in the House-Its Strength Has Declined.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 .- A stirring debate on the general Philippine question was precipitated in the Senate late today, the principal participants being Platt (Conn.) and Hoar. Senator Teller had concluded for the day his argument against the enactment of the pending Philippine tariff bill. In response to some statements he made, Platt directed the Senate's attention to the situation in the islands, in which he viewed it, maintaining that great progress was being made by the Government in subduing the insurrection. Hoar ridiculed the statements of Platt, and in a facetious vein adverted to the efforts of the American Government to control the Filipino people.

The remarks of the Massachusetts Senator aroused Platt, who made a notable speech, in the course of which he referred to Hoar in pretty sharp

In reply Hoar delivered an incisive criticism of the action of the Philippiné Commission.

Early in the day the Senate passed a joint resolution submitting a constitutional amendment changing the time of the Presidential inaugurations and the termination and commencement of Congresses from the 4th of March, to the last Thursday of April.

#### The Oleo Bill:

Washington, Feb. 11 .- Voting on imendments to the eleomargarine bill in the House today indicated a considerable change of sentiment since the hast Congress, when the bill had 106 majority, and that the opposition to the measure has gained strength. While the passage of the bill is not endangered, it is not likely that the majority tomorrow, when the final vote is taken, will exceed thirty.

The opposition today was strong enough in the committee of the whole to adopt two important amendments,

in practical control of the commercial AFTER THE MORMONS and material interests of Manchurla.

THE MINISTERIAL UNION OF SALT

LAKE CITY

promises made directly to the United Proposes to Make a Fight Against Polygamy-They Assert that a Utah.

> Ministerial Alliance of Salt Lake has promise." unanimously adopted the report of the committee of that organization appointed to investigate and report on the alleged practice and teaching of ent time. This le ort is to he used as a petition for the parage of a consti- trai Committee, and one of the most tional amendment, prohibiting poly- prominent men in Western Montana. gamy, and will be sent to the judiciary committee of Congress.

The report, which is quite lengthy, It is expressly declared that in so sets forth that positive evidence can doing our Government has acted independently, though it is a matter of be produced that polygamy is both common knowledge that other great practiced and taught by the Mormons Crowhurst, in the Superior Court today, commercial powers whose interests in at the present time in open defiance Manchuria are almost as considerable of the laws of the state. The docuas our own, have addressed similar ment contains numerous quoted staterepresentations to both China and ments alleged to have been made by Mormon leaders, in which the practice former's wife.

and teaching of polygamy is advocated and urged, regardless of man-made laws to the contrary.

The document is the outgrowth of numerous meetings of the alliance, resulting several months ago in the appoint-

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Fem. 11 .ment of a committee to investigate special to the Herald from Reno, thoroughly the -reports of continued practice of polygamy, such evidence to Since early this morning the wide be used in the campaign for a constistretch of desert in Western and Centutional amendment against polygamy. tral Nevada has been swept by a wind-The ministers assert that the evidence storm that at times approached the is in such shape that it could be proproportions of a hurricane. Vast clouds duced as evidence in court if it became of sand, picked up by the gale, were necessary to do so. esides being sent hurled across the country with fearful to theh judiciary committee of Conforce, and at Wadsworth, Deseret, gress, the document, it is said, is to be Thistle and other towns, business was extensively circulated in the East to practically suspended, it being almost further the campaign for the antiimpossible for people to breathe while polygamy amendment to the Constitufacing the drifting, whirling walls of tion.

> The report, after quoting a number of Mormon leaders in favor of the practice of polygamy ,and giving the dates of the same, dwells at some length on the colonization schemes of | WILL ESTABLISH EXTENSIVE the church, which, according to the committee's report, have a two-fold purpose, namely, to enable the Mormons to practice polygamy "where they will be free from theh scrutiny of their gentile neighbors and to secure the balance of political power in the sparsely settled states of the West, thus blocking the way of any proposed hostile National legislation. The report sums up as follows:

"The returns coming from parties whose reliability can in every case be vouched for by members of this body, show the following conditions prevailing at the present time:

"First-Polygamous cohabitation as A novel plan for settling the lands in evidenced by the birth of children or rivers, about four miles from this city. Oregon, Washington, Idaho, California cerned or concurrent testimony of today, and the O. R. & N. Company has and other Western states, tributary to the lines of the Harriman syndicate, is neighbors, and sometimes by all of a spur almost completed to the proplied instances in Salt Lake City, Lo-

adequately prepared. Looking to this end, we shall have high schools in the island that will be a stepping stone to our universities.

"But Mr. Atkinson, Superintendent of Schools, tells me that-high schools will not be possible until next year at the earliest. In the meantime he is pushing ahead with primary schools. It is desirable, however, that a set of young leaders, who can return to the islands. be educated in this country as soon as it is practicable, in order that they may Plurality of Wives Is Practiced in learn the unity of American Institutions and get a grip on American life.

"I have given my promises to return to the islands by May 1st, which with mean my leaving this country on April SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 11 -- The 1st. I hope I shall be able to keep that

#### A MONTANA REPUBLICAN

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 11.-A special to the Miner, from Kallspell, Mont. polygamy by the Mormons at the pres- says, Hugh G. Swaney expired suddenty today of heart disease. Swaney was a member of the State Republican Cen-

#### HE WAS ACQUITTED.

OLYMPIA, Wash, Feb. 11.-The jury In the case of the state vs. Harry acquitted him of the charge of assault with a deadly weapon on Oscar Jacobsen, November 14th. Crowhurst shot Jacobsen during a quarrel over the

TOLSTOI IS DYING.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.-Count Tolstoi has suffered a relapse, and is dying.

### WILL BE PEACEFUL.

#### The Alliance of England and Japan Is Not Feared by France.

PARIS, Feb. 12 .- The view taken in diplomatic circles here is that the Anglo-Japanese alliance, being purely defensive, is in nowise a disquieting element in the Eastern situation. The alliance is taken to indicate that the result will certainly make for the peace of the world.

HARRIMAN LINES

### YARDS NEAR PORTLAND.

And a Big Packing House Is to Be Erected at Once-Land Has Been Purchased and a Spur Is Being Built to the Site.

PORTLAND, Or., Feb. 12.-The Harriman lines have decided to establish extensive stock yards on the peninsula, between the Columbia and Willamette the acknowledgment of parties con- One hundred acres of land was bonded posed site of the yards. Both the O. R. that one of the large packing houses of Chicago will establish an extensive plant here. The establishment of stock yards and packing houses will make this city the market for several hundred thousand head of live stock in the Northwest, which is now shipped to Eastern points,

The mar. issued after Paritament, had adjourned for the night, announcing the first important alliance between Western Nation and the yellow or Asian race, comes as a startling surprise to the public. Although the idea of the alliance is likely to meet with general approval, the outsome of this sensational departure will be anticipated with no little anxiety. It is regarded as a direct move against Russia, and to explain the abandonment of the colony of Wei, Hai Wei.

#### The Papers Startled.

London, Feb. 11 -- Referring editorfally to the British-shapanese alliance the morning papers to whom the agrees ment comes as a startling surprise, ask many pertinent questions concerning II. The Daily News says:

"Our magnificent-bolation has come to an end with a pretty sudden shock. Whether the treaty is indicative of an anti-British coalition in the Far East, wliether, it marks the tearing Ap of Anglo-American - treaty, THO: and whether the visit of Prince Henry to America is an answer to the new naval alliance, are matters of speculation. We hope the Government will lose no time in further elucidating the situation, which is fraught with the gravest con-##4113@13@091.7

# & PRINCE HENRY'S FAREWELL

The Kaiser Tenders Him a Dinner-Ambassador White Present.

BERLIN, Feb. 11.-At the farewell dinner, given last night by Emperor William to Prince Henry, Andrew D. have refused to make up or handle any White, the American Ambassador, occupied the sent on the right of His Majesty. After dinner Emperor Wil-Ham, Mr. White and-all others accomminutes after midnight.

# IVEY'S ACTION STARTLING.

He Closes American Harbors to Canadian Sealing Ships.

SEATTLE, Feb. 11.-The Post-Intelligencer, in a special dispatch from Unalaska, says that no more startling action has been taken in the muchtalked of sealing question than the following letter written by Collector J. the Chinese who destroyed the Fayen W. Ivey, of Alaska, to his deputy at-Una'aska:

"I am advised that British vessels from Canadian ports engaged in pelagic sealing in and about Bering Sea are in the habit of calling at Unalaska and Dutch Harbor for protection in bad weather, and the purchase of supplies and of enjoying the privileges of the port until the season opens for them to engage in the unlawful and barbarous extermination of the fur seal herd in violation of the laws of the United ; States and the international agreement with Great Britain. Until further advised on the subject you are in-'structed to cease the collection of tonnage duties on this class of vessels from all countries, and to refuse them the privilege of the port, water or fuel and treat them in all respects as vessets engaged in illegal poaching.

"Any such vessels arriving at your port shall be notified to depart forthwith, and in case of refusal to obey promptly, you , shall seize and delay

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Feb. 11. -The steamer Bertha, from Seattle for Valdes with forty-one passengers, was Charlotte Sound, Alaska, Sunday, The passengers all escaped with their baggage and freight. It is thought the vessel will be a total loss.

#### Killed by Snowslide.

Port Townsend, Feb. 11 .-- Chris Jensen, Thomas McDermott and James Lodge were killed by a snowslide near Ketchican, Alaska, recently.

#### The Ship Identified.

New York, Feb. 11 .- The schooner which was burned to the water's edge off Cape May, last night, was the Mary Graham, 195 tons, from Norfolk 10 New York, and the crew is safe, having reached here this afternoon.

### THE SWITCHMEN'S STRIKE.

#### Has Assumed a Grave Aspect on the Northern Pacific.

MISSOULA, Mont., Feb. 12 .- The switchmen's strike which was inaugurated here yesterday afternoon in the yards of the Northern Pacific Railway has assumed a grave aspect, and unless the officials of the company recede from the position they have taken a strike along the entire system is probable. Last night the night switching crew out of sympathy for the day men, quit work, and conductors and brakemen trains unless the switching is done by

the regular crews of the yards. The cause of the trouble was the disharging of two men who refused to panied Prince Henry to the railroad work with a road engine without sidestation, the train leaving for Kiel a few board attachments. The switchmen declare they are violating a state law in omplying with the order of the railway company. The statute in question provides that trainmen and vardmen who are injured while working in the yards on an engine without sideboards are alone held responsible for such injuries and can collect no damages from the

### CHINESE DUPLICITY.

company.

LONDON, Feb. 11 .- According to the Hong Kong correspondent of the Types mission are the same men who started the anti-Christian crusade of 1900. Fearing punishment, they joined the French Catholic church, continuing under its protection their hostility to Protestants.

FERRY'S SEEM The Farmer The Gardener The Housewife They cost a little more. They are worth a preul deal more han the ordinary kind. sold verywhere. 180 annual free. D. M. FERRY & CO. Detroit, Mich.

providing that nothing in the act should be construed to prevent the manufacture and sale of oleoniargarine The Harriman syndicate, through the in any state, for consumption entirely within such state, and the other to vrecked on Harold Island, Queen provide for the inspection and branding of renovated or process butter. The latter amendment was especially obnoxious to the friends of the measure, and when the bill was reported to the House a separate vote was demanded on it. That vote was pending when the land offered for sale, and the develop-House adjourned.

> Several committee adoptions adopted today, changed the phraseology of the bill, the most important being that making the 10 cent tax apply to oleomargarine made in imitation of butter

of any shade of yellow." Considerable feeling was injected into the proceedings today toward the The Presbyterian Committee Is Again close of the session.

#### THE PRESIDENT'S SON

#### Young Theodore Roosevelt's Condition Somewhat Improved Last Night.

GROTON, Mass., Feb. 11 .- Reports from Theodore Roosevelt Jr., who since Thursday last has been ill with pneumonia, at the Groton school infirmary, tend to show improvement, and at 8 o'clock tonight his condition was stated to be better than it was at the same time last night.

The crisis of the disease is still to come, and is looked for within the next 24 or 36 hours.

#### SHOT HIMSELF.

#### A Discharged Section Foreman Commits Suicide.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 11 .-A special to the Tribune, from Pocatello, Idaho, says:

Pat Neason, a section foreman, reently discharged from Lima, Mont., tonight, shot himself through the head, dying an hour later. He leaves a wife amigchildren, who reside at Union, Or.

#### STEAMER ON ROCKS.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 11 .- The steamer Grecian remains hard on the rocks off Sandwich Point, with tugs in readiness to make an attempt to get her afloat. The divers found two large openings in the steamer's bottom made by sharp rocks.' Some of the crew made matters lively after broaching cases of whisky in the eargo, and they were placed in irons.

## CZAR MEETS OPPOSITION.

United States an Obstacle to Russian Effort for Cinch Treaty with China.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 .-- Negotiations between the United States Government and the Government of Rusda relative to Manchuria are progressing with the exhibition of a great deal of energy on our part, though the exchanges are in the kindliest spirit. . The attitude of the Russian Government in this matter has shifted materially since the beginning of negotiations.

The treaty was drawn up practically between Russia and China, providing for the evacuation of Manchuria by tu-Russian troops, who have been in millitary possession of the country since the early days of Boxer outbreaks. This treaty contained a great many rather complex guarantees in Russia's favor but singularly objectionable was a provision placing the Russo-Chinese Bank

se railroads. A new method is to be used to influence this settlement. officers of the different roads, have engaged a corps of lecturers, who will travel over the East and Central Wes. iving free lectures on the subject of ettlement in the West and Northwest. These lecturers will Mustrate their pletures. Photographs will show the ment of the country. They will show he products, railroads, water faciliis and everything else that tends to induce moves from the older regions if the country to the promised land

### REVISING THE CREED.

Hard at Work.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 11.-The Presbyterian Revision Committee resumed its labors today, confining its attention to a brief statement of faith for popular use. The brief statement contains sixteen chapters or sections, which were formulated by the committee last December at Washington, D. The first three chapters, as outlin ed at the session in Washington, were reviewed today, and conclusions reached in the first two. The committee will not give out what was adopted, but it is understood no important changes have been made.

A Wretched Millionaire.

The story is told of the owner of several railroads who was unable to buy relief from the nerve-twisting agony of neuralgia. It is an unlikely tale. The sick man must have known hat Perry Davis' Painkiller would help him at once, as it has helped so many thousands of sufferers in the past sixty years. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.



LONDON, Feb. 11.-The British steamer Knight Companion, of the Portland and Asiatic line, from Port land, Or., for Hong Kong, which went ashore at Inudoye, on the coast of Japan, is regarded as a hopeless wreck. The salvaging of the carge has been undertaken on the basis of "no cure no pay."



ran, Birmingham City, Provo, Payson, & N. Company and the Southern Paci-Smithfield, American Fork, Price, San- fic will use the yards, and it is stated dy Tooele, etc., in Utah, and also in Paris and Montpeller in Idaho,

"Second - That plural marriages have been contracted since the (church) manifesto was issued is shown by the returns giving names of jatks with stereopticon and moving the above mentioned places, some of the new plural wives not having some to a marriageable age, as early as 1880, the date of that document.

> "Third-That the Mormon authoriies continue to publicly teach and inist upon the rigtfulness of polygamy 's abundantly proven by public utterunces of high officials."

Among the specified statements of hurch leaders on the questions dwelt sentatives has been held to arrange in in the report is the following: "Joseph E. Smith, formerly Chief Paterson fire, Instead of fifty or sixty 'ounselior to President Snow and now companies being concerned, it was

ous wives. Sam now."

ress, made the following statement n regard to this section of the report: "I wish to declare most emphatically that I never said any such thing, eithor at Payson or any other place, lave expressed my sentiments as to acted plural marriages years ago, ind take care of them in every proper way; I say so how, but the remarks men of Paterson. attributed to me about 'Uncle Sam' I never made, and the statement that I

did so is utterly and wickedly false." EDUCATING FILIPINOS.

#### Sovernor Taft Says That High Schools Must Be Established.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.-Governor Taft of the Philippines, has arrived in its city from Washington.

"My visit to this city is purely a amily affair," he said. "We have aranged a kind of reunion-my mother and aunt and my brother's family. I probably shall consult my physician within the next few days, but nothing will be done toward an operation until he Philippine committee has finished vith me. I am in improved health, but t looks as if an operation will be necessary later. I am due before the comnittee on Friday, so I shall have to eave for Washington Thursday.

"Meanwhile I am under orders to say nothing about the Philippine situation. Mr. Lodge wished me to discuss no phase of the matter as long as I am giving testimony. The prohibition includes the Philippine tariff bill, Presitent Schurman's speech, the extent of the rebellion, the reconcentration methods, and the interpretation of ultimate independence."

Governor Taft consented, however, to talk about native education. He said:

"You will remember that it was proposed to educate a few young Filipinos ut Yale as an experiment and perhaps nitiative. So far nothing has been Hadley the other day in Washington, and I may run up to New Haven soon, ication. He must be caught'young and president.

### PATERSON INSURANCE.

### Over One Hundred Companies to Pay About Four Million Dollars.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12 .- A preliminary meeting of insurance company represettlements of the losses in the great president of the church, said in 1896, found that there are over 100. Edwin shile dictating a meeting house in Quackenbush, secretary of the Under-Payson: "Take care of your polygam- writers" Association of Paterson, after We don't care for Uncle many conferences with insurance adjutsers, the owners of burned property. President Smith, when seen today by and an examination of insurance maps, representative of the Associated said the loss to insurance companies would aggregate about \$4,000,000.

The insurance men found that the burned district was more heavily covered, by fire than they at first thought, They estimate the loss at about \$6,000 000, and the insurance in shade less he families of men who have con- than 70 per cen of the total. The estimate of \$6,000,000 is from \$2,000,000 to hat they should provide for educate \$4,000,000 less than the figures fixed upon by officials and leading business

### SENSATIONAL KIDNAPING.

### Michigan Mother Has Had Her Son Stolen Twelve Times.

ST. JOSEPH, Mich., eb. 12.-Lawrence, the 6-year-old son of Mrs. A. J. Countryman, who has been a victim of twelve sensational kidnaping cases, has again disappeared from the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Countryman, of this city. He has not been seen since Monday morning. He left the house coatless and his whereabouts are unknown. For the last six years Mrs. Countryman lived in Chicago, where her hysband was employed in the Union Stock Yards, One year ago they quarreled, and the mother, with her two children, returned to this city to live with her parents. On July 4th the boys, Lawrence, aged 5, and Albert, aged 8, were mysteriously stolen in broad daylight from in front of the grandfather's home in a densely populated section of the city." Later the mother found her boys in Chicago and escaped to a boat with the younger of them after an exciting chase through the streets. Countryman pursued her to the boat, but the passengers prevented him taking the boy, who has since been living here.

#### WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE

Great Convention Now Being Held at the National Capital.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 .- The first International Woman's Suffrage Conione. But I had a falk with President ference, and the thirty-fourth annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, was beis the matter is of importance. Of nourse the difficulty is that a annot be suddenly imported to this ance. The convention was presided ountry and thrust into the higher ed- over by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, its

