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[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

TOULON, March 6.—The Naval powder magazine of La Goubran, in the department of war for southern France, exploded yesterday. All the soldiers on duty at the magazine were killed and a number of the inhabitants of the surrounding district also fell victims.

Forty corpses have already been recovered.

Rebellion in China.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

TACOMA, March 6.—Chinese advices received here contain the startling news that thousands of rebels in Central Chinese provinces of Hanan, Anhui, Kiangsu, Hunan and Hupeh have combined their forces and are wresting an immense territory from the authority of Imperial Government.

Late in January a series of battles took place about Kiangsu, in which 4700 rebels are known to have been slain.

Hundreds of Chinese troops were also killed.

The rebels were literally mowed down by quick-throw guns and magazine rifles with which several regiments of the Imperial troops succeeded in recapturing Hungy Chai and might have followed up their success by other victories had not several other regiments of raw troops become panic stricken and run away.

THUNDERSTORM IN MARCH

Man Killed by Lightning at Plymouth, Mass.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., March 6.—The unusual occurrence of a thunder storm in March was sadly emphasized by the death by lightning, of William H. Hoxie, who was struck down while ringing the bell of the congregational church in Chilteville yesterday.

Lord Minto Loses Paintings.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

OTTAWA, March 6.—By the wreck of the Labrador Lord Minto suffered the loss of two cases of paintings on ivory which were shipped by him.

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QUESTION TO PROF. ROBERTSON.

Sir,—At the close of Prof. Macoun's address at the agricultural meeting, he volunteered to answer questions. I asked, "In view of the fact that Canadian nurseries were infested with disease and in addition could or would not supply stock true to name, and being excluded from the American markets by the Government, where could we look for our nursery supplies?"

After an attempt was made to answer this, Prof. Robertson saw plainly that it was beyond Mr. Macoun's depth and vainly jumped to his rescue. His statement was that "you have six nurseries on the Island who cannot sell all their stock. When these are sold out it will be time enough to complain."

The question which I asked is still unanswered and I fear unanswerable. One of the largest nurseries in Toronto last spring while returning a portion of an order which they could not fill, remarked: "We have to get certain articles from the United States. The passage of the act prohibiting importation prevented our doing this. Do not blame us. Blame the Government."

Perhaps Prof. Robertson will let these Toronto men know that there are six nurseries on P. E. Island where they can get their supplies. I ask the Professor to name a nursery in Canada (P. E. Island included) where a general list of stock can be procured answering to the requirements of my question; and that question is based upon the standard fixed by himself. In the States I can name him a large number. In the interests of our fruit growers, Prof. Robertson should give an answer to the question, and if this is impossible then the Government should repeal this prohibitory act and open to us an honest avenue of supply.

L. P. TANTON.

A PROTEST AND SUGGESTION.

Sir,—I learn that on Saturday last the couriers at the Capes brought across from Cape Tormentine all the mail matter on hand there with the exception of one bag. In other words the stock on hand at Cape Tormentine on Saturday last was greatly reduced. Now, Sir, I desire to enter my most solemn protest against the action of the couriers and the Post Office officials. In my opinion there ought always to be kept at Cape Tormentine a good supply of mail matter so that on no day can it happen that the boatmen will be unable to cross for want of mails to bring over. I expect that during many days of this month and next month the roads will be so bad between Anzac and Tormentine that the Liberal mail-sleighs will be unable to get down to the Cape, and unless a good quantity of mails are detained there to keep the boats supplied there will be days when they cannot cross for want of mail freight, and then there will be a howl from the merchants and Board of Trade backed up by all the Tory press and Tory heeled in the country. This can easily be avoided by always keeping a supply of mails on hand at Cape Tormentine. A great risk was run on Saturday and should not be repeated.

PATRIOT.

MR. WISE'S RETURN.

Sir,—I have been much disappointed that no interview with Mr. Joseph Wise, M. L. A., our late ambassador to Great Britain and Ireland, has appeared in the columns of either of the grid-daily papers. The Guardian usually interviews people, the Patriot is not far behind its confrere in such matters—and they have both interviewed less deserving personages—but beyond announcing the fact that Mr. Wise has returned nothing has been said. As Mr. Wise's trip has cost the country a snug sum of money the taxpayers have a right to hear the result of his journey and to have his impressions of the Old Country duly chronicled. In anticipation of the papers referred to doing now what should have been done on Mr. Wise's arrival I would suggest that after the usual account of how Mr. Wise was received at the Court of St. James and how he found the Queen and Royal Family, and his impressions of Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, that he tell the public all about his trip in the Gaspesia and the condition of the live stock shipped here "in good order and condition" when they reached Liverpool, and why it was (as rumored) that fleas were imposed by the British authorities and upon whom they were imposed, and whether it is true that the trip of the Gaspesia injured our Island trade with Great Britain. If those rumors are untrue they should be contradicted, and Mr. Wise as the special representative of the Local Government, is the proper person to give the desired information.

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CHINA SUPPORTS GREAT BRITAIN

Regarding Recent Russian Protest.

RUSSIA OBJECTED TO THE APPOINTMENT

Of a British Subject as Chief Engineer.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, March 6.—China supports Great Britain against the protest of Russia regarding the terms of the Niu Chang railway extension loan recently subscribed in London.

The Russian objection was that a British subject had been appointed chief engineer.

THE CRUISER TALBOT.

To Take Lord Herschell's Body Home.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The British ambassador called on the Secretary of the Navy, and on behalf of his Government expressed thanks for the tender of the Brooklyn to bear Lord Herschell's remains back to England, but explained that the British Government had ordered a vessel, probably the cruiser Talbot from its North Atlantic squadron at Bermuda, for this mission.

Lord Herschell's Successor.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, March 6.—Lord Brampton, ex-Justice Hawkins, is mentioned as Lord Herschell's successor on the Anglo-American commission.

Kipling Getting Better.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

NEW YORK, March 6.—Kipling is far advanced on his way to recovery, but there is no change in the conditions of his two daughters who have pneumonia.

The Pope Improving in Health.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

ROME, March 6.—The Pope is in excellent spirits and doing well.

Dreyfus Despondent

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

PARIS, March 6.—Dreyfus has become despondent.

The Plague Violent.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, March 6.—Bubonic plague is raging with unparalleled severity at Bombay.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of Prince Edward Island, at its next Session, for an act to vest in the City of Charlottetown, the title to all that tract, piece or parcel of land, situate lying and being in the City of Charlottetown, being Town Lots numbers Sixteen (16), Seventeen (17), Ninety Three (93), Ninety-four, and part of Town Lot No. (18) in the 4th hundred of Town Lots, in Charlottetown, being the property known as the West Kent Street School land and premises.

Dated at Charlottetown this 1st day of March, 1899.

JAMES WARBURTON,
Mayor of Charlottetown
H. M. DAVISON, City Clerk.
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ITALY LAND GRABBING.

Following the Examples of the Other Nations,

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, March 6.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily Mail says that Italian warships have landed marines at San Numbay, thus actually taking possession. Italy will pay nearly £80,000 for the concession.

The Tsuny Li Yamen wishes to reduce the lease to 50 years.

PEKIN, March 6.—The correspondent of the London Times says it is asserted that since the Tsuny Li Yamen returned Italy's despatch, Sir Cloud Macdonald, the British minister to China, has presented a note supporting Italy's demand, and it is probably that Italy will now take possession of San Numbay, encountering practically no resistance.



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