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THE CZAR'S UNCLE DUKE SERGIUS

Blown to Pieces By Dynamite at Moscow, Sharing the Fate of the Czar's Grandfather in 1881—Ghastly Details of the Crime—Other Royal Grand Dukes of Russia.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—A St. Petersburg despatch says that a telephone message has been received there announcing an explosion in Moscow and the Grand Duke Sergius blown to pieces. He is uncle of the Emperor.

The late Czar Alexander III. father of the present Czar of Russia, died in November, 1894, leaving three sons, Nicholas, the present Czar, born in 1868; the Grand Duke George born in 1871 and died in 1899, and the Grand Duke Michael born in 1878.

The Czar has also one grand uncle (son of the Emperor Nicholas I) the Grand Duke Michael, born in 1832. He is a Field Marshal in the Russian army.

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If your little ones are cross, peevish and fretful, give them Baby's Own Tablets, and they will soon be cheerful, smiling and happy.

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INTERNATIONAL ETIQUET BROKEN

Officers of Russian Transport Break their Parole—Their Return to San Francisco Demanded

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—(Special)—The State Department has drawn the attention of the Russian Government to a serious breach of international etiquette.

He was on account of his overbearing manner most unpopular and was blamed by the revolutionary party for the massacre of workmen during the recent riots.

The Moscow revolutionists decreed that his death should follow any further acts of violence and as a result of trouble at Moscow this program was carried out.

A ghastly feature of the assassination was that the mass of Sergius' brains blown from his shattered head landed on the dress of a woman standing near by.

The survivor of three assassins expresses his gratification that the Grand Duchess Elizabeth was not with her husband.

In all the churches tonight prayers were read for the repose of the soul of Sergius. Many telegrams have been received from the royalties of Europe including King Edward expressing their horror and sorrow at the murder.

PERMANENT CURE FOR BRONCHITIS. "My second daughter was troubled with bronchitis from the age of three weeks. Offentimes I thought she would choke to death."

CONDUCTOR HIBBERT arrived at Cardigan at half past one this morning. He leaves again at seven for Georgetown.

THE SKATE AT ST. DUNSTON'S RINK last night was again postponed, it being impossible to secure a special train to go to the Colledge.

IN the case of Higgins vs. McDonald, in the Supreme Court, an application to set aside an ex parte garnishee order that service upon unnamed garnishees by publication in a newspaper was insufficient, thus invalidating a custom that has prevailed for many years.

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL. Few People Know How Useful it is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

MANITOBA ASKS FOR EXTENSION

Delegation Waits Upon the Premier Who Promises Consideration—The Territories Opposed.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.—(Special)—Sir Wilfrid Laurier today received Colin Campbell, Solicitor General for Manitoba and other delegates who had asked that the boundaries of Manitoba be extended north to Hudson's Bay and westward to take in a considerable slice of Assinaboin and Saskatchewan.

Sir Wilfrid promised to lay the matter before his colleagues to be considered along with the autonomy question. It is likely this application will be strongly opposed by the Territories.

YUKON ELECTION WAS EXCITING

Correspondence Brought down at Ottawa Yesterday Lays Bare a Dastardly Plot.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.—(Special)—The correspondence brought down today regarding the Yukon election lays bare a plot to defeat Thompson, the Conservative candidate, which failed through the firmness of Thompson's friends who in their efforts even had recourse to arms.

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PLEBISCITE TO BE TAKEN TO-DAY

The postponed plebiscite on the question "Are you in favor of City Ownership of an Electric Lighting Plant" will be taken to-day.

THE POLLING PLACES and returning officers are: Ward 1—John McQuillan's, Queen Street; P. S. Brown, Returning officer.

WARD 2—Mrs. Connolly's, opposite R. Heartz's; Michael Kelly, Returning officer.

WARD 3—Market House; James D. Taylor, Returning officer.

WARD 4—City Hall; James Edmonds, Returning Officer.

WARD 5, East—Mrs. Huestis house, Great George Street, near Wheatley's meat shop; Arthur Foster, Returning officer.

TWO PROVINCES IN NORTHWEST

Alberta and Saskatchewan, with Separate Schools Guaranteed is the Scheme Proposed.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.—(Special)—The North-west Territories are to be split into two Provinces to be known as Alberta and Saskatchewan.

The boundaries have not yet been made known but on Thursday next the bill providing for the Provinces will be introduced.

IT is understood that the Government will guarantee separate schools and this it is thought will create unending trouble.

A PATHEIC CASE

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Mother dying on a bare cot, father kneeling at the bedside, and three children crying for food was the scene the clerk from the office of George E. Clay, a real estate dealer, came upon when he entered the single back room home of the Delaney family, at No. 133 Borden Avenue, Long Island City yesterday.

ONE candle furnished light for the Delaneys. The furniture consisted of two cots, a chair and a wooden table. The glass in the solitary window was broken. Delaney said he had not a cent with which to buy food.

"I know my children are hungry," he said, "but what can I do? I've had two days' work in two whole months. That was driving a coal cart, and it netted me only a few cents. My wife I knew was dying. When I heard her cough I sent for a doctor, but he would not come."

"I sent for another, but we were too poor; he would not come either. My two little girls and the boy haven't had a bite to eat for days, and I—well, it's been a long time."

THE coroner's physician examined the children and found them in a badly emaciated condition. He said that it was remarkable that pneumonia, aggravated by starvation, had not long since attacked them. Robert Delaney told the physician that he had despaired of all hope days ago.

"On the day of the blizzard," he said, "I went out to look for some food for my wife and children. I couldn't find any, so I would help me. I saw a bill-board with a poster of a scene from a play. Down at the bottom was a line, 'Gee! Ain't it h— to be poor?' I sat down in the snow and cried."

THE children will be removed to a hospital.

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GRIPPENBERG VS. KUROPATKIN

Says the Latter Refused Reinforcements at Critical Time, and when Battle was Won Ordered a Retreat, Whereupon Grippenbergs at once Resigned His Command.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 17.—(Special)—General Grippenbergs in a lengthy telegram to the Emperor makes grave charges against Kuropatkin who, he says, was directly responsible for the Russian defeat at Sandepas.

Grippenbergs says that he succeeded in capturing a series of villages which he stubbornly held against repeated assaults from the Japanese.

YESTERDAY Conductor McDonald who was past Bloomfield early in the morning managed to reach Summerside last night arriving there at 7.15. He will return to-day.

IT'S WHEN YOU HAVE TOOTHACHE That the power of Nerviline quickly makes itself felt. Any aching tooth can be relieved by Nerviline in a few moments by filling the cavity with butting soaked in Nerviline. A good plan is to rub the gums with Nerviline also.

ON the night of the last regular meeting the members of Court Dalvay, No. 811, C. O. E., of Hunter River, met in their court room for the purpose of installing their officers for the ensuing year.

THE doctors believe another epidemic of Grippe is here, and already many are suffering. The medical men are not afraid of Grippe since Catarrhozone was introduced, and claim that no one will ever catch this disease who inhales the fragrant healing vapor of Catarrhozone a few times daily.

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