



tes today for \$13,000. The purchaser was a bookseller, who Was reported to be acting in behalf of an American collector, but the book-seller denied so doing, and said he thought the document ought to remain in England, adding that he was ready to hand it over to the British museum for \$18,000.

### CHINESE REBELS EXECUTED.

Canton, March 14 .- The leader of the rebels of Kuang SI province and three others who were implicated in the at-tack on the house of the Rev. Dr. An-drew Beattle, the American missionary st Fatl, in February, were beheaded March 12 March 12,

## WILL FIGHT A DUEL.

Madrid, March 14.-Col. Primo Riv-era, nephew of the general of that name, who formerly commanded the hame, who formerly commanded the Spanish troops in the Philippines, has stranged to fight a duel with Deputy Sognano, who yesterday was savage-ly assaulted by the colonol for criticis-ing acts of the Spanish general in Cu-bs and the Philippines.

## SCHOONER MAY BE LOST.

Halifax, N. S., March 15,-Since the h schooner Carrie Easler sailed Canso for Halifax about three weeks ago, nothing has been heard awa her. As Canso is but 130 miles from Hallfax, marine interests are at a loss to account for the delay in her her atrival. The schooner, which was owned in Liv-

rpool, N. S. loaded coal at Port Hast-fass, C. E. during the last week in Pebruary, and was towed through the straits between the northern end of



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testimony before the senare committee on inter-oceanic canals, in support of the majority report of the board of consulting engineers which advocates the construction of a sea level canal. Alfred Noble, one of the signers of the minority report, will testify tomorrow.

## DEMONSTRATION FOR MOYER, HAYWOOD, ET AL.

New York, March 14.—The Industrial Workers of the World, the new labor or-garization, in joint conference with the Socialist Labor party, held parades and a mans meeting at the Plaza on Union Square tonight to protest against the ar-rest of Charles H. Moyer, president; Chas. D. Haywood, secretary, and Petithene and St. John, members of the Western Fed-eration of Miners, in connection with the murder of former Gey. Steunenberg of Idaho. About 2000 persons took part in the parade through the East Side streets, and attended the Joint meeting at the Flaza. Red flags were carried by the par-aders, and one of the transparences read: "Our brothers, Moyer, Haywood, Petithone and St. John, must not be mur-dered. Show the master class your

show the master class your birdt." Resolutions denouncing the arrest of the officers and members of the Western Fed-eration were adopted.

dom in Europe. As stamp collectors know, for many years some of these kingdoms were noted for the poor quality of their postal supplies, but no one of them was ever accused of no one of them was ever accused of producing an adhesive stamp to use which it is necessary to buy a bottle of muscilage. One of the hotels here in Washington has such a bottle on its counter and every time a postage stamp is sold, the patron of the news-stand is advised to use the muscilage brosh so as to insure the adhesion of brush so as to insure the adhesion of the stamp to the letter which he de-sires to send off. TEN MILLION DOLLARS. It is probable that Congress will this year appropriate something like \$10,000,-000 or \$12,000,000 for the construction of public buildings in various parts of the country. It is three or four years now since a bill of this character was

brought through, and the result is that the supervising architect's office in the the super department has practically been without work for the last six months. That is to vay, the force of expert draftsmen and civil engineers which had come to be regarded as about the best force in the country has had so little to do during the past year that a very large proportion of the men have resigned and found positions elsewhere. The total number of these employes who have voluntarily severed their con-paction with the convenient is 5 and who have voluntarily severed their con-nection with the government is 55, and if the ourshous bill new in course of construction by the committee on build-ings and grounds is put through, it will be exceedingly difficult for the super-vising architect to secure the necessary men to design the buildings which will be thus authourzed. There is not a city in the country where architects are not be thus authoused. There is not a city in the country where architects are not busier than they ever were before, and the domaid for expert architectural draftsmen has been greater during the past 12 months than ever before, so that men who would otherwise be only the past 12 months than ever before, so too willing to accept government posi-tions, are now chary about leaving po-sitions in which they receive better pay, in many instances, and which are cer-tainly more satisfactory in most ways. tainly more salisfactory in most ways, to rome back to the treasury depart-ment for what may be only temporary employment. It would be far better if Congress would adopt some method of appropriating for public buildings year by year, as was the custom before the omnibus scheme went into effect, than to put one hig bill through once in five or six years, and then have the treasury department people attempt to rush

manufacture to a minimum, and there-by make a showing of economy, the director of the bureau of engraving

and printing seems to have produced as poor a lot of stamps as were ever turned out by the cheapest little king-

the material from the watery part of milk. He has demonstrated, it is said, that it will soon be possible to distrib-ute pure milk in powdered form, need-ing only the addition of water to return it to its natural form. The pro-



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