

NEWS CONDENSATIONS.

FOR COMPRESSING AIR.

1900 JANUARY 1900

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NAMED HIS SUCCESSOR.

Pope Leo clearly designated Cardinal Gotti as the man to succeed him. ROME, Jan. 1.—It is asserted that the pope, after the recent ceremony of opening the holy door at St. Peter's cathedral, addressed his intimate entourage and said:

"I thank Divine Providence for granting me the strength of being able to celebrate this great function, and I wish for myself grandeur and a long reign to the greater glory of God. My successor will be young as compared with my own age, and will have time to see many glories of the papacy and the church."

Later Leo clearly designated Cardinal Giordano Maria Gotti, prefect of the congregation of indulgences and sacred relics, as his successor. Cardinal Gotti, the famous Genoese monk, is a man of great piety and modesty. Now about 64 years of age, he has always lived the life of an ascetic, and despite the dignity of a prince of the church he always sleeps in a cell and on a hard mattress.

OPEN DOOR AGREEMENT.

Secretary Hay says Five Interested Powers Give Favorable Replies.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—The session of the cabinet was brief, but it was the occasion of an important announcement by secretary of State Hay that the negotiations with the great powers of Europe and Japan to secure a common understanding for a continued "open door" policy throughout China had been eminently successful, and that favorable responses had been received from Great Britain, Germany, France, Russia and Japan. The only country addressed which has not yet responded is Italy, and a favorable answer is also expected from her.

Secretary Hay's statement to the cabinet fully confirms the information sent out from this city last Saturday. The announcement of the success of the negotiations was extremely gratifying to the president and cabinet as it insures to the United States a full share in the future development of commerce with the great empire of China. Secretary Root was not at the cabinet meeting and therefore none of the matters which usually occupy such a large share of the attention of the cabinet was considered.

Anti-Saloon Fight Abandoned. DES MOINES, Jan. 3.—The anti-saloon fight in Des Moines is practically abandoned. The pro-saloon petition has been filed with about 1,500 more signatures than the law demands.

LATE MARKET REPORT.

Duluth Grains.
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