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# SAYS J. P. MORGAN

Great Financier Declares Money Monopoly Is an Impossibility

Disclaims Any Knowledge That He Wields Vast Power and Tells Investigating Committee He Favors mbination

pent Morgan today told the Money withstood a fire of questions that cov- to and from the Isthmus. ered many phases of financial operaresentative of the element which the Arkansas seeks to probe to the innermost reresses the conditions under which vast but that he "preferred combination,"

evident willingness to answer, there in the President's honor at Secretary. He added also that evils complained was not a moment when interest lag-

Mr. Morgan gave a ready response and effect of various financial condi-

tions and operations. interchange between the noted financier and Mr. Untermyer, the latter that Mr. Morgan was opposed to competition. The witness denied this, but said he favored "co-operation", adding that he was in no way opposed to comnetition and in fact "liked a little competition." He disagreed with the

tion of interlocking directorates, which he common to several corporations. You and Mr. Baker (George F. Ba-

views of Mr. Untermyer on the ques-

road situation, do you not?" asked Mr. Untermyer at one point in the exam-"I do not think we do," said Mr.

"At least if we do I don't Morgan Your power in any direction is entirely unconscious to you, is it not?'

It is, sir, if that is the case," said

lower in any department of industry in this country, do you?" Not the slightest.'

And you are not looking for any?' "I am not seeking it, either." This consolidation and amalgamabanks does not look to any concen- the defendant's testimony. tration, does it?" asked Mr. Untermy-

No. sir," answered the witness. ing the interests that you do amalga-

are, is it not?" If it is good business for the interrests of the country to do it, I do."

No. sir. You think that you are able to just- foré leaving here. and impartially differentiate, where own interests are concerned, just

And you are acting on that assump- fail to do so. all the time, are you not?"

always do, sir.' ater Mr. Untermyer touched upon

pasis of money control. The control of credit involves the ontrol of money, does it not?" he

iderable, is it not?"

Not always," said the witness. cide.

gold and nothing else." (Continued on Page Eight.)

President Departs for Key West and Will Sail Saturday for Panama to Make Short Inspection of The Canal

Washington, December 19.-President Taft left at 10:30 o'clock tonight over the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad for Key West, Fla., to sail Saturday on the dreadnaught Arkansas for Colon. After a three days' inspection of the Panama canal, the President will STUDYING return to Key West. He is due in Washington again December 31st.

The President left suffering from a President-elect Will Recommend Radi slight, but persistent cold. The trip South, it was believed would cure it. although it already has shown signs of yielding to treatment. Before going aboard his private car, the Presi-Washington, December 19 .- J. Pier- dent attended the cabinet dinner given by Secretary of State Knox.

Trust Investigating Committee of the son; the secretary to the President, for several hours here today the cor-House that all the money in Christen- and Mrs. Hilles, the assistant secre- poration laws of New Jersey, with a dom and all the banks in Christen- tary of the navy, and Mrs. Beekman Winthrop; Major Thomas L. Rhoades. dom could not form a monopoly that U. S. A., and Lieutenant Commander would control money. Mr. Morgan John N. Timmons, U. S. N., aides to worked most of the day in his capadisclaimed any knowledge that he the President; three secret service city as Governor, he listened to a walked with painfully blistered feet, wielded a vast power in modern finan. men, and a White House stenographer comprised the official party which will cial circles and declared emphatical- board the Arkansas. Two railroad of- tor Overman, of North Carolina, that that he sought no such power. For ficials and a half dozen men who ac- Josephus Daniels, National committeenearly five hours, the chief witness companied the President will be quarcalled by the committee in its probe tered in the battleship Delaware, desig- years, be appointed Postmaster Genof the intricacies of modern finance, nated to act as convoy on the voyage eral in the Wilson cabinet. The Pres- stoutly replied the suffragette leader.

En route to Key West the Presition. In some respects it was one of dent's train will stop at Jacksonville an for the first time since the election kill in a downpour of rain, which was the most remarkable hearings about and Miami, Fla. In Jacksonville the on Saturday or Sunday either at Tren- soon succeeded by flurries of snow. the halls of Congress in recent years, President will attend a reception and ton or Princeton with Mr. Morgan as the type and em- make a speech and at Miami he will nodiment of financial operations on a talk to citizens from the rear platform ed for the most part on the trust ques- 1 o'clock, having walked 10 miles in collossal scale and the committee's of his car. He will deliver another counsel. Samuel Untermyer, the rep- address in Key West before he boards during the National campaign by both through hilly country, took five hours

Discusses (Mexican Conditions. lion absorbed much of the time of the which Mr. Morgan submitted with an cussed at a dinner which was given gramme of reform.

Knox's home. While no statement regarding the conference was given out there is rea-10 questions, although there was of son to believe that when the ambasten a battle of wits as to the meaning sador returns to Mexico he will bear with him instructions from the President and Secretary of State, calculat- would begin it if he could get a Legis-The question of competition and ed to induce the Mexican government lature that was Democratic in both combination brought about a lively to renew its efforts to terminate the branches. His wish being fulfilled, rebellion or at least to greatly en- the Governor started to work in earnlarge the military forces which are opening the tilt with the suggestion supposed to be protecting the prop- Walker, chancellor of the State, and erty of foreigners.

WIFE MUST PAY COURT COSTS

Justice Barnard Establishes Precedent In Divorce Litigation

Washington, December 19.-Dismissing the suit for divorce brought forms the basis for a large part of by Mrs. Julia Miller Rauscher against the statistical evidence that makes up her husband, Rene C. Rauscher, bethe record of the money trust investi- cause of the wife's failure to estabgation up to date. Without actual con- lish her case, Justice Barnard, of the this mass. Both Judge Van Syckle and trol, Mr. Morgan claimed, there is no District Supreme Court, yesterday es- Chancellor Walker are experienced control, although some directors may tablished a precedent for the local and have had lots to do with decijurisdiction by assessing the entire costs of the case, which will probably so they are valuable guides to me." ker dominate the anthracite coal approximate \$500, against the wife,

the costs of litigation against her husband.

The Rauschers were married in this city on June 14th, 1909. Six months later Mrs. Rauscher left her husband generalship," said the Governor, and You do not think you have any and has since lived apart from him. In June, 1911, she filed suit for a divorce cut my hair.' on statutory grounds, and the testimony was heard before an examiner. Mrs. Rauscher filed her testimony last Summer, and in September Attorney James S. Easby-Smith, representing ion of systems, and authorities and the husband, completed the filing of the postmaster generalship is the first

TAFT READY TO MAKE SALE

It is for the purpose of concentrat- Will Let Phillies Go If Anybody Offers Him \$425,000 for Club

Philadelphia, December 19.—Charles P. Taft, real owner of the Philadelpiha has not seen the Governor since. ball club, arrived here tonight for a But. Mr. Morgan, is not a man conference with Horace Fogel. The to his home in Princeton, saying he clared such a monopoly was an impos- masters. asked the lawyer, "quite sub- latter had an option on the club, expected to spend the evening with sibility. consciously, to imagine that things are which expired on Saturday, and still his family. or the interests of the country when has some claims that must be settled. Mr. Taft is anxious to dispose of the property, and probably will do so be

Cohan & Harris have offered \$300, 000, and a local syndicate is willing as obearly as though you had no inter- to give \$350,000. Mr. Taft says he will British armored cruiser Natal was at stake, do you?" continued Mr. not take less than \$425,000. He ex- moored this morning alongside the jet- only a short time yesterday, the Turk- clared that the Senate had always fol-Exactly, sir," replied the witness. of the latter size, if Philadelphians convey the body of the late Ambassa- instructions had been dispatched from postoffice appointments on the recom-

NOTED BONIFACE A SUICIDE.

Jean Wetzel, Manager of Four Paris Hotels, Lost Fortune.

No." said Mr. Morgan. "What I known to travelers from all over the in which the coffin will rest during the money is the basis of banking." world, was found in the River Seine voyage. But the basis of banking is con- today. He disappeared November 9th. The warship will sail early Saturand will recommend sweeping chang- Presidents, met a sharp reply from paid several weeks ago.

not the money itself. Money is condition, but it is understood that he half mast throughout the voyage. had been speculating and had lost his Out of the discussion that followed entire private fortune. He was adween the lawyer and the banker, ministrator of four of the largest ho at Peterson & Rulfs. Open until 10 and 1.08 1-2. Corn steady, 56 3-4. months of the last Congress of the at Peterson & Rulfs. Open until 10 ed also that three Turkish destroyers tels in Paris.

# CALLS ON WILSON

Pleads for Josephus Daniels' Appointment as Postmaster General

cal Changes In Corporation Laws of His State-Will Meet, Bryan Tomorrow

Trenton, N. J., December 19.-President-elect Wilson perused studiously view of recommending radical changes in them to the Legislature. After he man from that State for nearly 20 asked. ident-elect made no comment. He added also that he would meet W. J. Bry-

The Governor's day was concentrat- the Hudson river from West Point at tion. Colonel Rocsevelt and Governor Hi- of muddy plodding. ram Johnson that Mr. Wilson had they marched kept up their spirits Washington, Dec. 19.—Unsatisfacto- failed to put into effect any legisla- with songs, gave their suffrage yell financial operations are conducted. ry conditions existing in Mexico as a tion curbing trusts that were chartered and distributed suffragette literature. Mr. Morgan gave at length his views result of the continuance of the rebellas New Jersey corporations. Though Tonight Mrs. Jessie Hary Stubbs his opponents devoted many speeches tion and control in industry and fi- President today, notwithstanding he to this argument, Mr. Wilson never men, while Miss Lavinia Docks talked mance, particularly the latter. He de was making every effort to close up made a speech of reply. Once he tele at a gathering of local suffragettes. clared he "did not mind" competition, many matters of importance before graphed briefly to Senator O'Gorman. his departure for Panama. He had in- of New York, however, an answer in his operations. He was emphatic terviews today with Secretary Knox that was made public, in which he dein his declaration that "there is no and Henry Lane Wilson, American clared that as the State Legislature Case Went to Jury at 9 O'clockway one man can get a monopoly of ambassador to Mexico, who is in always had been Republican in one Washington on leave of absence and or both branches he had been unable Throughout the long examination to tonight the subject was further dis- to put through his promised pro-

> of in connection with the trusts mostly concerned Federal jurisdiction. The Governor took no further cogni paign, telling his friends, however, that

> he always had intended reform and est today, calling to his aid Edwin Judge Bennett Van Syckle, formerly of the State Supreme Court. These men, with Governor Wilson, will draft the new legislation.

> "We went over an infinite lot of de tail." said the Governor, after he had spent nearly two hours with them. statutes have been amended and added to until they have become badly complicated. We hope to disentangle sions relating to the corporation laws,

On National politics the President-On several occasions the members elect was most reticent. He had nothof the District Court ave assessed ing to say about his approaching meetthe costs against correspondents, but ing with Mr. Bryan and in re-counting ing with Mr. Bryan and in re-counting this is said to be the first case in the events of the day passed quickly which a wife was called upon to pay over the mention of cabinet appoint-

"Senator Overman came with a gen erous list of representations in sup port of Mr. Daniels for the postmaster added abruptly, "Then Sam Gordon

Gordon is the Governor's messenger

barber to New Jersey Governors for a score of years. The name of Mr. Daniels urged for that is definitely known as having

any cabinet office. Though Mr. Daniels was close to the Governor throughout the cam- was learned yesterday. paign, having been chairman of the

The Governor at dusk motored back

NATAL WILL SAIL SATURDAY.

Reid's Body to America. Portsmouth, England, Dec. 19.-The pects New York people to make a bid ty in the dock yard in readiness to ish delegates announcing that fresh lowed the precedent of confirming dor Whitelaw Reid from England to Constantinople. That the delegates mendation of the sub-committees or

Abbey on Friday. A host of carpenters and decorators

Christmas Slippers 3t. (Advertisement.) Turpentine easy. Rosin firm. P. M.

## SUFFRAGETTE ARMY FOOTSORE BOTH

Two Hours After Dark and Snowing When March to Fishkill, N. Y., is Completed-Four Out of 34 Holding Out.

Fishkill, N. Y., Dec. 19 .- It was two hours after dark and snowing when the "suffragette army" that is on its way to Albany to deliver a message to Governor Sulzer, marched into this city tonight. Winding roads stretched 16 reputed miles into 22 and the four HOUSE COULDN'T GET QUORUM survivors of the band of 34 women which started from New York on Monday limped in here at 7 o'clock President's Message Could Not be Retonight, scarcely able to drag their feet another step.

It was the first day of actual hardship which the marchers have experienced, and up and down hill journey over muddy roads in rain and snow. The last six miles were made in pitch darkness, ankle deep in mud and in the face of a bitter northeaster. The foot-sore women refused offers of a lift from two passing automobiles, for they have vowed to travel the entire !. distance to Albany afoot.

Miss Rosalie L. Jones, the leader of the expedition, who, for two days has formal appeal by United States Sena- almost collapsed when she led her followers into the hotel where they

stopped for the night. "Will you go on tomorrow," she was

"We will march until we drop," Miss Jones went immediately to bed. The day's start was made at Peeks-The women reached Garrison, across Repeated charges were made three hours. The remaining 12 miles,

veteran fire

NO VERDICT IN BLAIR CASE

Locked Up at Eleven

Greensboro, N. C., December 19.-The case of the State against William 11 o'clock no verdict had been reached and Judge Whedbee ordered the jurors locked up for the night. Throughthe defense plead eloquently and earn- be disposed of early in January. The estly for and against the life of the House was unable to get a quorum and prisoner. Solicitor Gattis making a wipe out the impression in many ident's message. minds that in North Carolina a rich man of good family could not be sent to the electric chair.

BARON DEAD IN AUTO SMASH

Secretary of Late King Leopold and Princess' Lady In Waiting Hurt Antwerp, December 19.-Baron He-

the president of the French Automobile fought over the filling of Presidential Club, was killed today by the over- offices, with the debate carried on beturning of his automobile at Waterloo hind tightly closed doors. It was not

the two other occupants of the motor car, Mlle. de Bassompiere, lady in waiting on Princess Clementine, and Baron Goffinet, who was private secretary to the late King Leopold and is now attached to the household of the King of the Belgians.

### OUTLINES

of President Taft's time yesterday. The suffragette army marching to ington for the vacation. at the State House who has acted as Albany, N. Y., reached Fishkill two hours after dark last night.

President Taft left last night for stored, was frustrated by the discov- er expires December 31st. Senator for buying and selling other necessi- in Turkey with the great powers. ery of the plans two weeks ago, it Hoke Smith, acting for many Demo- ties.

adjourned for the holidays, the House ments had not received consideration teers was not economically sound and remaining in sesion only 17 minutes by the full membership of the Post- of no particular benefit, as prices for lack of a quorum. The Senate office Committee, drew the declaration would rise when the supply is exhaust- lil Pasha, formerly minister of marine Warship is Being Prepared to Bring held a lively executive session at from Senator Lodge, that if this point ed. Mrs. Derr defended the action of in the Turkish cabinet, was killed in which confirmation of Taft's appoint- was forced, it would be embarrassing the league as practical if not scien- the naval engagement between the

ments was taken up. America after the great memorial ser- will be empowered to proceed with individual Senators to which they comes from the capital.

immediately upon the vessel's arrival called on Governor Wilison yesterday er postoffice appointments. Spot cotton closed steady, Flour quiet. President Cleveland sent in but 400

# CONGRESS RECESS

Lively Session Precedes Adjournment of Senate for the Holidays

ceived-Senate Goes Into Executive Session Over Appointments.

YESTERDAY IN CONGRESS

Senate Went into executive session to consider confirmation Presidential nominations.

Court of impeachment resumed trial of Judge Archbold at 1:30 P. M., and adjourned at 3:46 P. M., until January third.

Message from President Taft pertaining to postoffice, interior, agriculture and commerce and labor was read. Adjourned at 4:45 P. M., until noon January 2nd. House

Convened at noon and adjourned at 12:17 P. M., owing to lack of quorum, until noon, January 2nd.

J. P. Morgan continued his testimony before Money Trust Investigating Committee, which adjourned to January 6th.

Interior Department Expenditures Committee adopted reentine, former Commissioner of Indian Affairs, for his conduct prior to his resignation.

Washington, Dec. 19.-Congress adjourned for the Christmas holidays toto the jury at 9 o'clock tonight. At record, secure action on the President's recent appointments and bring proceedings in the Archbald impeachout the day counsel for the State and ment trial to a point where they may passionate appeal for justice. He told adjourned after a 17-minute session the jurors to take this occasion to without even having received the Pres-

The message waited for four hours to secure entrance into the Senate. When that body convened at noon the Republican Senators asked for immediate consideration again of their demand for an executive session to take up appointments. The Democrats consented to the plan and until the impeachment trial automatically took the floor at 1:30 o'clock the Senate until the impeachment court adjourn-Serious injuries were sustained by ed about 4 o'clock that the President's

message was received and read. Both Houses of Congress adjourned to meet on Thursday, January 2nd. peachment, will re-convene Friday, January 3rd. The House Money Trust Committee, winding up its session with J. P. Morgan at 3:30, adjourned until 1 o'clock Monday, January 6th. Practically all business of Congress will stand in abeyance throughout the Mexican conditions absorbed much holidays and a majority of the members of both Houses will leave Wash-

The Senate confirmed but one apcrats, offered a resolution for the con-

Objections by Senator Hitchcock, Both Houses of Congress yesterday Democrat, that the postoffice appointthroughout the administration of tific. The peace conference was in session Woodrow Wilson. Senator Lodge de-

Wheat irregular; No. 2 red 1.07 1-2 appointments during the whole three first Cleveland term.

## DYNAMITE PLOT FRUSTRATED SHORT

Plans for Destruction of Denver Mint Where \$500,000,000 Is Stored, Discovered Two Weeks Ago -Precautions

Denver, Col., December 19.-A plot to dynamite the Denver mint, where approximately \$500,000,000 is stored. was frustrated by the discovery of the plans two weeks ago on the floor

Federal building. It became known today that the plans had been turned over to Federal officials and that Washington authorities had ordered the doubling Turkey Will Empower Delegates to of guards at the mint. It had been planned to wreck the building with nitro-glycerine. Nothing tending to

of the public comfort station near the

found. Director Not Worried Washington, December 19.-Director of the Mint George E. Roberts is not seriously disturbed over the plot to blow up the Denver mint with dy-

identify the conspirators has been

ing plot were received by Mr. Roberts by special courier, therefore, adjournsome time ago. They were written on two sheets of paper, the author of ment unti Saturday was taken, by which was not disclosed, and accord- which time the instructions should ing to Mr. Roberts outlined the plot in a vague way. It did not show how the plot was to be carried out, Mr. Roberts said, and looked to him a good deal like a scheme to create a sen- powering the delegates to proceed

carefully, Mr. Roberts advised the su- ries. This decision tends towards perintendent of the Denver mint to peace, as there has been a suspicion take special precautions.

### BATTLE WITH POSSE

Of Memphis Tragedies Memphis, Tenn., December 19.

Patrolman Jesse Wooten are in the cisive blow. hospital probably fatally wounded and Rechad Pasha strongly recalls the bodies of Adolph J. Boehler, tinner, Count Witte's shrewdness, while the and his young wife are in the morgue, Greek Premier, Venizelos can be com-Memphis beginning last night with the cool attitude and unshakable calmmurder of Mrs. Boehler, and ending ness. There are other very interestwith the death of Boehler who was ing personalities. Dr. Daneff, chief of shot by a squad of policemen in a room the Bulgarians, is like an American in which he had barricaded himself politician; Novakovitch, the ex-preearly today.

in the hands of a sergeant of police kovitch, a keen diplomat. Southern Railway division freight day after some lively maneuvers to He was shot while the officers were at the way affairs were dragging, agent, George G. Thompson, was given get President Taft's message into the endeavoring to capture Boehler, who while five armies and three besieged

she had applied for a divorce. Boehler ensconced himself in rooming house on the principal busi-

ly noon today. police fired through the ceiling in the lous danger to the Turks. room below that where Boehler, who through the floor. Meanwhile, a squad ple within a few days. through the rear windows. Finally a tervention by the powers. of his fusilade a quantity of formal- Empire. hyde poured into the opening. When it was believed Boehler was suffi- the Servians and Montenegrins, exciently overcome the aperture was pressed dissatisfaction with the state-

widened. ing to the fumes of the drug he rais- minister, concerning the aims of the ed his weapon but at that instant the Triple Alliance and remark that Italy watchers above riddled his body with had a unique position towards the Bal-

bullets

### but died on the way. ANOTHER CUT IN EGGS.

Philadelphia Women Will Sell Them egates point out that the Italian gov-

for 22 Cents Today. Philadelphia, Dec. 19.-Another cut ly favorable to Austria by renewing in the price of storage eggs was de- the Triple Alliance several months bepointment, that of John H. Brown as cided upon by the Housekeepers' fore the date of its expiration. postmaster at Concord, N. H., in the League here today and tomorrow the The Greek proposals will be more Key West, Fla., to sail tomorrow on hour and a half of executive debate. product will be sold by its members complicated than those of the other the dreadnought Arkansas for Colon. No action was taken on the re-appoint- for 22 cents a dozen. It was decided allies, because they include the ques-A plot to dynamite the Denver mint, ment of Edgar E. Clark, whose term to hold a mass meeting early next tion of capitulations, which Greece been considered by Mr. Wilson for where approximately \$500,000,000 is as inter-State Commerce Commission- month to discuss co-operative schemes along with the Balkan States, enjoys

A feature of the campaign to reduce on Turkey by the republic of Genoa J. P. Morgan, star witness yester- firmation of army and navy appoint- the high cost of living was a debate in 1553, include exemption from taxacampaign committee on publicity, he day at the Money Trust investigation, ments, but the Republican Senators today between Mrs. Derr, leader in tion for foreign subjects, special courts told the committee there could be no insisted on starting at the head of the movement, and Dr. Clyde L. King, and other privileges. Greece is ready such thing as a money trust and de- the list for the consideration of post- professor of political economy at the to accept a clause in the treaty with

University of Pennsylvania. Dr. King declared that the selling of right to capitulations when the other eggs or other commodities by volun- powers do the same.

### LAST ALLEN REWARD PAID.

Expenditures on Account of the Hillsville Tragedy \$25,000.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 19.—The State board the flagship Kheyr-Ed-Din Barvice has been held at Westminster the negotiations is the news that were referred. Senator Hitchcock of Virginia yesterday mailed to the barossa, which, according to the same finally withdrew his objections, but Baldwin-Felts Detective Agency, at authority, was very seriously damag-Senator Overman of North Carolina no action was taken on any of the oth-Roanoke, a check for \$250, which is ed. It was necessary to use collision the last of the rewards for the cap- mats to keep the vessel afloat. Paris, Dec. 18.—The body of Jean started upon the construction of a and asked the President-elect to ap- Figures presented by Senator Smoot ture and conviction of Wesley Ed- Four other officers aboard the flag-Wetzel, a Parisian hotel manager mortuary chapel on the quarterdeck, point Josephus Daniels Postmaster to show in previous changes of admin- wards, the reward of \$500 for informa- ship were killed and a large number General. The Governor spent most of istrations the Senate always confirm- tion leading to the arrest of Sidna Al- of sailors were killed of wounded. A the day studying the trust question ed the appointments of the retiring len and Wesley Edwards having been hospital ship was sent to take care

It is assumed that he committed sui- day and naval honors will be paid to es in the corporation laws of his State. Senator Hoke Smith. He declared The total expenditures by the State Three of the other Turkish ships the dead ambassador as the cruiser | New York mrakets: Money on call that President Taft had sent over 1, in rewards and in prosecution of the engaged in the battle sustained severe That is an evidence of banking, but His accounts were found in perfect puts to sea. She will fly her colors at leasier, 4 to 4 1-2 per cent; ruling rate 300 appointments to the Senate dur- Allen clansmen has not ben made pub- damage. The flagship was pierced

> Christmas Slippers P. M. 3t. (Advertisement.) were hit during the fight.

# PEACE CONFERENCE

Adjournment Taken Till Saturday to Get Instructions From Turkey.

Proceed With Negotiations With Greek as Well as Balkan Plenipotentiaries.

London, Dec. 19.-The peace conference was in session ony a short time today. The Turkish delegates announced that fresh instructions had The plans of the proposed dynamit- been dispatched from Constantinope reach London.

News comes from the Ottoman capital tonight that the government is emwith the negotiations with the Greek After he had scrutinized the plans as well as the Balkan plenipotentiathat the Turks were maneuvering for time so that they might strengthen

their army. The conference now is in exactly the Two Killed and Two Injured In Series same position as to the Portsmouth conference after the first week's work. The different parties are daily Spaulding I. Parsons, drug clerk, and feeling the way before striking a de-

mier of Servia, is an experienced Parsons was wounded by a riot gun statesman; the Montenegrin, Miyus-

After the sitting today some of the Wooten has a bullet in his right lung. Balkan delegates expressed disgust a few hours previous had killed his towns were enduring all the sufferwife by cutting her throat because ings of war and the prospective countries were the prey of desolution, misa ery and death.

A Bulgarian delegate observed that ness street of Memphis, and armed the Turks were much mistaken if they with a rifle and two pistols engaged delayed the conference hoping to in a desperate battle with the officers strengthen their army with troops from 3 o'clock this morning until ear- from Asia. These reinforcements were chiefly composed of undisciplined Ba-In their efforts to dislodge him, the shi-Bazouks, who would prove a ser-

In the meantime, the allies are conreturned shot for shot, had taken his centrating greater forces along the stand. Shifting the base of operations Tchatalja front to enable them, if war to the story above they first shot is resumed, to arrive at Constantino-

of men stationed on an adjoining roof | The prevailing opinion is that the riddled Boehler's room by shooting various postponings are aiming at insheet of iron was obtained, a hole hopes to obtain better terms through bored through it and the floor above the powers, some of whom have prethe man at bay, and amid the roar dominant interests in the Ottoman

The Balkan delegates, especially ment made Wednesday by Marquis With a last effort before surrender- Di San Giulano, the Italian foreign kan States, having herself risen from Boehler was hurried to a hospital, nothing to a nationality through the union of kingdoms. They are exacting her support in a similar movement by

In voicing their objections, these delernment has followed a policy strong-

The capitulations originally Turkey promising to renounce the

Turkish Admiral Killed. Athens, Dec. 19.-Vice Admiral Ha-Greeks and Turks off the Dardanelles December 16th. This is the report from a Greek captain who has just arrived from the Dardanelles and made public through a semi-official agency. Vice Admiral Halil Pasha was on

of the wounded.

4 1-2; closing bid 4; offered at 4 1-2. ing three weeks of this session, while lic, but will aggregate at least \$25,000. by shells on both the port and starboard sides. Fire broke out, but was controlled. The Greek captain assert-