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Noon Dispatches.

FOREIGN.

Denial of the Reports About the Deposed Sultan-Servia Won't Recognize the New Sultan-Another German Conference-Reports of Another Massacra.

London, June 2-The Post says it earns that Abdulaziz, late Sultan of Turkey, is confined in a splendid pal-A Fine lot of CIGARS from 2½ to 15 cents at Retail. Also, a good assortment of CHEWING TOBACCO—low for cash.

T H AUSTIN. ace called "The Cage." The Pest also says it has reason to believe that his lifelis perfectly safe, and adds that it is understood that Queen Victoria, immediately on learning of the deposition of Abdulaziz, took steps to obtain a satisfactory assurance of the personal safety of her former guest.

A special dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette, from Berlin, says: "It is stated here that Servia refuses to recognize the new Sultan of Turkey on the ground of his irregular accession to the throne, and declines to pay her tribute, two installments of which are ahead of time. The run from Chicago in arrears."

The same dispatch says Prince Bismarck will accompany Emperor William to Ems, where a fresh conference will be held between Prince Bismarck, Prince Gortschokoff and Count Karoli, Austrian ambassador at Berlin.

Washington, June 2.—The Turkish in 2 minutes. Minister, has recieved from the Turkish Minister of Foreign Affairs, the following: "Rumors inspired by ill will, having been spread relating to the fallen monarch, I hasten to deny them in the most express manner. His Majesty, the Sultan Murad Khan, as soon as he was proclaimed governor, of his own initiative ordered that his uncle should be surrounded with the respect and honors due his person. He has assigned for his residence a pavillion adjoining the imperial palace of Icheragan. Abdulaziz at once addressed to His Majesty an autograph letter to acknowledge his accessionand declares that he relinquished the throne aspiring to repose. He wished to live in his retreat.

London, June 2 .- Specials report a massacre at Trebizon. No particulars are allowed to transpire at Constanti-

NEW YORK.

Plain Testimony From Dan Drew How He Managed Business. NEW YORK, June 2 .- The examina-

tion of Daniel Drew, in bankruptcy began yesterday. He stated under oath that he had not transacted any business for a year prior to the filing of the petition. He did business previously in the offices of Boyd, Vincent, Johnson, Chase & Co., Dickerson & Co., and Whitely & Nelson. He always did his own business; had no one in his employ. Had a statement of accounts from those brokers, but never looked them over. Trusted to their honesty. Had collaterals with those brokers, but they did not surrender them. They used them up to a mere nothing. Was well enough off a year ago. Never kept any check book. Had a small account with the Manhattan Bank, but it was settled up long ago. Never had much of a bank account.

In reply to a question as to how he would make payments, Mr. Drew said: "These men would charge me in these transactions. If anything went against me they would charge it, and I always trusted to their honesty. He was not in the habit of giving notes; gave some; might have paid them by giving checks on some of the brokers, but on no bank except the Manhattan. Did not keep any record of the notes; and when asked how he knew when they were due, replied he generally carried those things in his head. He once had a great deal of property, and could tell when he lost it all. Had several millions at one time, and could tell of what it consisted by making out a statement, and would not be assisted by a paper or memorandums. He "carried those things in his head."

WASHINGTON.

Harney Sticks to It-Blaine Not Done Consulting-Mulligan Before the Real Estate Committee-Robeson Explaining.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The Senate, in the morning hour, passed a number of bills for the relief of various persons. The cross-examination of Harney is progressing, but with no developements. He adheres to his statement that he paid Mr. Kerr the money | him not to produce the letters, on the for Green's commission.

Blaine had not concluded consultation with his lawyers, and the investigation adjourned till 2 o'clock,

Mulligan has been summoned by the Real Estate Committee, whose powers include the investigation of all kinds of mis-conduct of past members of Congress.

Robeson is showing by his chiefs of bureaus and others, that he seldom interfered in contracts, and when he did it was for the public good.

FLASHES.

BOSTON, June 3.—Postmaster David Boynton, at Haverhill, has been ar- his support. rested on the charge of embezzling

CONVENTIONS.

Minnesota Democrats for Tilden-New York Greenbackers Sent to St.

tions adopted were that gold and silver are the only legal tender contemplated in the Constitution; favor the resumption of specie payments as soon as the business interests of the country will permit it. Tilden was endorsed.

NEW YORK, June 2 .- The Greenback Convention assembled here to-day, 125 delegates were present, and elected delegates to St. Louis on the greenback platform.

ILLIFOIS.

Progress of the Fast Train-212 Miles in 2 Minutes.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Garret & Palmer's fast train left here for Council Bluffs, via Chicago, and the North Western Railroad, at 10.30 p m-15 minutes to Carrol, 400 miles, was made in 8 hours and 58 minutes. The train reached Council Bluffs at 2.29-39 minutes ahead of schedule time. The fastest time made since it left New York, which was on the Chicago and North Western Railroad, was 21 miles

Mid-Night Dispatches.

WEATER IRCEABILITIES.

WASHINGTON, June 2. For the South Atlantic States stationary temperature and pressure southerly winds, warmer, partly cloudy weather and occasional light rains. +0+

WASHINGTON.

Congressional Proceedings - Father Testimony in the Kerr Case-Blaine Under Advice, Refuses to Surrender the Letters, &c., &c.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.-House. -On the Indian Appropriation Bill Mills and Thockmorton spoke regard- The A. M. & O. Case Continued One ing the Fort Sill reservation. The clerk having proceeded to read the bill ment was not reached when the committee rose and the House took recess. Night session for speeches.

SENATE. - The bill to exempt all vessels engaged in the navigation of the Mississippi River and its tributaries above the port of New Orleans, from entries and clearances, passed. The bill fixing the time of holding the Circuit Courts in the Fourth Judicial District, passed. The district includes North and South Carolina, Virginia, and West Virginia. Robertson presented a petition of colored laborers of South Carolina, remonstrating against the ratification of Hawaiian treaty, so as to admit rice free of duty; referred. The Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Bill was taken up. The bill as amended increases the amount as it passed the House, by about two and a quarter millions. The first amendment, restoring the salaries of Senators and Representatives to \$5,-000, passed. Considerable progress was made in the bill. All the amendments reached were adopted. Ad-

Confirmations: Gov Griffith, of Ken. tucky, Consul to Apia; Chas E Mayer, Attorney for Southern and Middle Alabama. Boutwell's Mississippi Committee leaves Monday, to take testimony in that State.

Nomination: Rebert J Alcorn, Receiver of Public monies, at Jackson,

Mississippi.

The Court of Claims decided to appoint a receiver of the Hot Springs Ark.) reservation, to collect rents for the government.

Mr. Blaine, before the committee stated that he had consulted Matt Carpenter and Jere Black. They advise ground that to compel their publication would be unjust and tyrannical. They also hold, Mr. Blaine continued, after reading the fifteen letters submitted to them, that they have no allusion to the matter in hand, and the committee would decide the same way if

the letters were shown them. In the course of his cross-examination, Harney testified that he worked for Green, from friendship and never expected to make anything out of it. He had never told a member of Congress that he could make money for C. S. HOLTON & CO. himself by securing an appointment, or that his salary was inadequate to

Myer Strouse, of Pennsylvania, testified that he was a member of Con-

gress from the Schuylkill District, in 1866. He knew Lawrance Harney, who was Assistant Doorkeeper at that ed witness to use his influence to procure his friend Green an appointment ST. PAUL, MINN., June 2 .- In the in the army. Harney spoke of Green's Democratic Convention, the resolu- character as a soldier, and witness wrote a letter to President Johnson in favor of such appointment. He only said to witness, "You have influence with the President and had always been the soldier's friend; and can help Green by writing a letter." Harney said to witness that he (Harney) could make a little money, probably four or five hundred dollars out of the business. Witness told Harney that he (witness) had nothing to do with the financial phase of the business. Witness was very intimate with Mr. Kerr, but never saw him have any intercourse with Harney. Harney was very courteous and friendly with witness. He rather liked Harney, because he attended to his business obligingly. Harney was a Republican with Democratic proclivities; and as President Johnson was a little shaky, Harney

> The Blaine examination was canfined to the \$64,000 affair. Nothing startling was elicited. The opinion, as signed by Messrs. Black and Car penter, as read, is substantially as reported by Mr. Blaine. It concludes "As a result of this, it follows that Mr. Blaine, having the letters and papers in his possession, is not bound to surrender them, referring to Mr. Blaine's private affairs, and being wholly beyond the range of the investigation which the committee is authorized to make. It would be most unjust and tyrannical, as well as illegal, to demand their production. We advise Mr. Blaine to assert his right as an American citizen, and resist any such demand to the last extremity.

told witness it was necessary that

Green should have a little Democratic

influence.

Mr. Hunton-Do you wish the committee to understand that you decline to produce the letters? Mr. Blaine-Yes, sir.

VIRGINIA.

RICHMOND, June 2.- The case of the by sections, Mills, of Texas, offered an Atlantic, Mississippi & Ohio Railroad, amendment providing for the removal on motion of the trustees under the 15 of the Apache Indians from the Fort | million mortgage for foreclosure and Sill reservation to the Baxter Springs appointment of reciever, was up in the reservation in the Northeastern part A nited States Circuit Court to-day. of the Indian Territory. Bland, of Counsel for defendants demurred to the Missouri, raised the point of or- bill of complainants, on the ground that der that the amendment proposed to the plaintiffs represented too small an change an existing law, and did not interest to give them standing; likeretrench expenditures, and was there- wise on the ground of a want of equity. fore not in order. The chair ruled After argument pro and con, leave was that the point of order was well taken, asked to withdraw the demurrer and and that the amendment was not be- that further time be given to file an fore the House. The section trans- answer to the bill. The court allowed ferring the bureau to the War Depart- the withdrawal of the demurrer, and continued the case till to-morrow.

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