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SOUTH CAROLINA.

Gov Hampton Accepts the Offer of Mr Hayes, and will go to Washington.

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 26.—Gov. Hampton received yesterday, Sunday, the letter of President Hayes, inviting him to Washington to-day.

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 26, 1877. To his Excellency R. B. Hayes, President of the United States, Washington, D. C.:

Sir: I have the honor to acknowledge your communication of the 23rd inst., addressed to me by your Private Secretary. As you express a desire for a personal conference with myself...

I accept, through motives of proper courtesy to yourself, the invitation you have extended, though I cannot hope by going to throw additional light on the questions which have already been so ably, and thoroughly presented, and the solution of which is so obvious and simple.

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THE EASTERN MUDDLE.

France and Germany More Friendly-The Great Boat Race a Dead Hitch-The Balance Leaning in Favor of Peace-The Pope Seriously Ill.

BERLIN, March 26.—Prince Bismarck at a diplomatic dinner alluding to MacMahon's birth-day congratulations to Emperor William, expressed great satisfaction that the friendly relations between France and Germany, had so far improved as to enable the President to send a special envoy to the Emperor.

LONDON, March 26.—Mr Chitty, umpire in the University race, sustains the judge's decision that the race resulted in a dead hitch.

An Odessa dispatch reports Grand Duke Nicholas convalescent. The Vienna correspondent of the Times reports the situation as follows: "Russia has never yet said anything officially which would make it appear that she considers the conditions attached to disarmament are to be taken as final, and there is always a chance of inducing her to listen to some compromise, so notwithstanding the alarming statements current in Vienna, it may be safely asserted that England has insisted neither on introducing a disarmament clause into the protocol, or on submitting the protocol to Turkey."

All England demanded was that Russia should engage in some form or other to disarm, after the signing of that paper. Russia retorted, she could not enter into such an engagement until peace was concluded with Montenegro and Turkey, but likewise consented to disarm. The object of continuing the negotiations is to secure these primary results. Russia's desire for peace being regarded as sincere, an arrangement is more probable than a rupture.

A dispatch from Rome to the Daily News says: The condition of the Pope's health is serious, despite optimistic bulletins. Cardinals Linconi and Valetta are already preparing for the conclave.

LONDON, March 26.—Negotiations between the Porte and Montenegro have been interrupted. The Rome correspondent of the Daily News writes that the Pope, amid feverish excitement and unremitting labor at Vatican, relative to consistory, etc., has fallen ill again: certain that after secret consistory on the 12th inst., he fainted and had to quit reading the allocation.

These fainting fits have recurred and the Pope has remained unconscious longer each time. He does not like for his illness to be perceived, and makes a strong effort to hide it. These produce a painful reaction. The moment he gets back to his private apartments he sinks into a chair and remains motionless, with his eyes closed like a corpse. The recent excitement has told upon him, and indeed on several occasions during this spring which is always a dangerous season for him, his life has been almost despaired of. Physicians regard the fatiguing receptions of pilgrims with great apprehension. Foreigners who see the Pope at intervals, notice a great change in him. One of these visitors recently said to me that the allocation of March 12th, would probably be the Pope's last formal utterance, meanwhile, the Pope's advisors are endeavoring by every means to get France and Austria to revive the Roman question. It is hoped to induce Italy so far to recognize the Pope's temporal power as to cede the Leonine City to the Holy See, where all religious orders expelled from Rome could find an asylum.

A Daily News Rome dispatch states that the Archbishops of Naples, and Perugia and Vicar of Rome, are confidently mentioned as candidates for the Papacy.

A Reuter from Vienna states that the Turkish Ambassador had an interview of an hour's duration, with Gen Ignatieff to-day.

The painting of the Virgin and Child by Jan Vaneyok, (John O Bruges) has been stolen from the Berlin National Gallery.

A dispatch to the Times says the Pope was sufficiently well Saturday, to give an audience, but had to be carried.

COLORADO. Murdered and Robbed. DENVER, March 26.—W Maxwell and his son, aged sixteen, stockmen, lately of Stuart, Iowa, located in Colfax county, New Mexico, were murdered on Friday by a negro, who has been arrested. Robbery was probably the cause of the deed.

FLASHES. COLUMBIA, S. C., March 26.—Chamberlain left last night for Washington, in response to the invitation from the President. Gov Hampton is still here.

CHESTER, PA., March 26.—Thatcher & Son's cotton mill at Darby, was destroyed yesterday by fire. Loss \$30,000. Insurance \$25,000.

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