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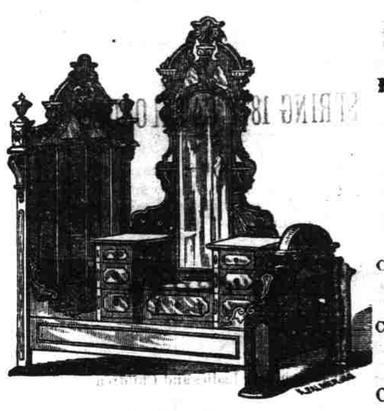

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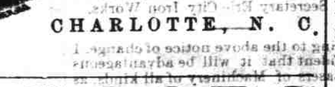

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

THE EASTERN WAR

Turkish Gunboat Silenced.

Russians Defeated.

The Sultan Pleased with Lord Derby's Note.

Russians Encountering Obstacles.

A Petition from the Universities.

War Items.

Two Turkish gunboats bombarded Ottentza four hours to-day. The Roumanians replied. It is reported that they silenced the gunboats, and ignited Turtukai on the opposite bank of the Danube. No loss ensued in Ottenitza.

The Turkish bombardment of Ibrail on Wednesday destroyed some large granaries. The shops are closed, and the town deserted.

At the request of England, the Porte extends the time for closing Russian ports in the Sea of Azof.

2,000 Circassian rebels are under arms in the Southern provinces of Russia.

The Russians have been unable to force the Sezhaule pass, and await reinforcements.

The Czar has presented Prince Charles of Roumania with 2,000 horses and 36,000 rifles.

The Russian government has declared the three provinces of Caucasus in a state of siege in consequence of a Mussulman uprising.

LONDON, May 11.—The *Daily Telegraph* publishes an extra edition containing a special dispatch from Pera, dated yesterday afternoon which says: "Intelligence has been received from Sulina that on Wednesday the Russians attempted to Cross the Danube at Reni. They threw a bridge over the river, but were met by the Turkish infantry and artillery, assisted by three gunboats. The bridge was broken, and a large number of Russians killed and captured. The Russians were completely defeated.

The Sultan was much pleased with Earl Derby's reply to Prince Gortschakoff's circular, and has ordered the Porte to officially thank the English government. He has also sent Said Pasha, his Aid-de-Camp, to thank Mr Lazard.

A Reuter telegram from Constantinople says: The Russians encounter great difficulties in their attempts to force the passage of the Danube.

HALIFAX, May 11.—The schooner *Codseker* capsized off Cape Sable. The Captain and two of the crew were saved and thirteen drowned.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 11.—Chefket Pasha will go to Kars.

Some of the Constantinople papers announce that the Russians have not only withdrawn from the environs of Kars and Ardatan, but also from Bayazid and Kagisman.

LONDON, May 11.—In the House of Commons this afternoon, Mr Gladstone presented a petition signed by a majority of the junior fellows of Trinity College, Cambridge University, deprecating the enmity of England, and saying the peace of Europe cannot be maintained so long as the Ottoman empire exists in its present form.

It is thought that the Russian reconditerng expedition to Thiacet is the precursor of a serious attempt to cross over in force and capture Matchin. Russian commanders are evidently taking every precaution to bring their armies to the Danube without fatiguing men or animals. The condition of the troops shows their efforts to be successful. A majority of the cavalry passing through Bucharest, walk leading their horses.

The military Officials of Dalmatia believe the occupation of Bosnia and Herzegovinia has been definitely determined upon, and movements will begin about the 20th of May, or possibly later.

ILLINOIS.

Indians Becoming Turbulent.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Advices at Gen. Sherman's headquarters represent fifteen hundred hostiles lately surrendered, as becoming turbulent. The Indian Department at Washington is charged with having made entirely insufficient preparations for their sustenance. The Indians begin to feel the pinching of hunger, and are giving demonstrative expressions of their disgust.

KENTUCKY.

Threatened Conflict Between State and Federal Courts.

LOUISVILLE, May 11.—Writs of habeas corpus have been served on Captain Poe, by orders of Judge Ballard of the United States District Court, for the purpose of securing the release of Deputy Marshals from the custody of the State authorities. The result of their service is looked to with interest.

WASHINGTON!

DISAPPOINTED SEEKERS FOR OFFICE.

OUT OF PATIENCE WITH MEXICO.

PRESIDENTIAL PARTY BACK AGAIN.

MANY SPECIAL MAIL AGENTS TO BE DROPPED AT THE END OF THE FISCAL YEAR.

GEORGIA REPUBLICANS CALL ON HAYES.

WASHINGTON, May 11.

The office seekers are making no progress, and many of them are preparing to go home, while others are in consultation with the pawnbrokers.

The Cabinet, at its last session, showed but little disposition towards further forbearing with Mexico. An article in the *Republican* on this subject, concludes: "The probabilities are, that Gen Ord will soon receive instructions to cross the Rio Grande in pursuit of the banditti, whenever they attempt to commit their outrages."

The Presidential party returned this morning, and the Cabinet meeting is progressing.

Midnight.

WASHINGTON, May 11.

Postmaster-General says that Col Butler's vacancy as Special Mail Agent will not be filled. Many special agents now employed, will be dropped at the end of the present fiscal year.

Capt Adams will have charge of the Lake and Mississippi Surveys during the absence of Maj Comstock, who has a year's leave.

There was an informal meeting of the Cabinet to-day.

The President to-day received a delegation of Georgians, composed of W L Clark, editor of the Atlanta *Republican*, Judge Fisher, President of the Southern Republican Association, Col Tanner, Collector of Internal Revenue at Atlanta, and J E Bryant, Chairman of the State Central Committee, who called to pay their respects and to talk over the condition of the Republican party in the South, but especially in Georgia, and to make some suggestions in relation to the appointment of government officers in that State.

Secretaries Sherman and Evarts are in New York.

MARYLAND.

Considering a Basis of Re-union of the Methodist Church.

BALTIMORE, May 11.—The Conventions of the Methodist Church and the Methodist Protestant Church to consider a basis of union, met to-day. The first named met at Green street church, and the latter at Asquith street church. At the Methodist Convention, Rev Burns, of Pittsburg, was elected temporary Chairman and J B McElroy, President of Adrian (Michigan) College, Secretary. The religious services were conducted by Rev J Smith, of New York. After the services the roll was called, and delegates from the Districts in Nebraska, New York, New Jersey, Iowa Ohio, Indiana, Pittsburg, Michigan Minnesota, North Carolina, Kansas, Illinois and Missouri responded. Commissions were appointed on credentials and Permanent organization, and Revs H H Bassett, of Ohio District; T B Appleget, New Jersey; and T H Calhoun, Pittsburg, were appointed a committee to examine the reports of the various Conferences on the subject of re-union. After which it adjourned until 3 P. M.

At the Methodist Protestant Convention, (Asquith St Church) Judge B S Gibbs, of Alabama, was electey temporary chairman; Rev M L Barnet, Secretary, and Rev R H Mills, assistant secretary. Religious services were conducted by Rev J W Bates. Roll called and the following conferences were found represented: Alabama, Maryland, Louisiana, Tennessee, Georgia, Virginia, Indiana, North Carolina and West Virginia, 31, Laymen and 35 Ministers were present from the above mentioned Conferences. After four ballots for President of the Convention, Rev Dr Lawrence W Bates, of Light Street M P Church, Baltimore, was elected. The Convention then adjourned until to-morrow 9 o'clock.

The owners of the bark *Azow* have sued the the steamer *Nuremberg* for $35,000.

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PENNSYLVANIA

Fraternal Relations with the Church of England.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—In the Fifth General Council of the Reformed Episcopal Church, fraternal relations with the Free Church of England were reported. An application of T H Gregg D D, late Vicar of East Harborn, England, to be admitted to the meeting of the above body, was acted on favorably.

PITTSBURG, May 11.—The six story brick building, used for manufacturing the Excelsior coffins, was burned to-day, the falling walls killing one and hurting several.

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