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TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

THE STATE.

The state board of examiners announces the subjects of examinations for teachers and recommends books outside of those prescribed by law.

DOMESTIC.

The Tennessee courts have declared constitutional an act of the last legislature which will save to the people \$6,000,000 a year in office fees.

FOREIGN.

The negotiations at Constantinople have become quite acute, owing to the doubts as to the real intentions of the sultan, who affects to be greatly afraid of the Islamic party.

THE WILY SULTAN.

HE IS SCHEMING TO SECURE THE PROVINCE OF THESSALY.

The anxious stage reached in the negotiations at Constantinople—The Sultan Pretending to be Afraid of the Islamic Party—His Resistance to the Powers.

ABOUT THE CAPITOL.

Happenings in and About the Governor's Office.

(Special to The Messenger.) Raleigh, N. C., May 29.—Lieutenant Governor Reynolds will represent Governor Russell at the university commencement and present the diplomas.

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THE SENATE.

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Run Down on the Grand Banks. St. Johns, N. F., May 29.—The French hospital ship St. Pierre arrived at St. Pierre today.

Old People. who need an analgesic tonic to carry them in health through their declining years, should use Anheuser-Busch's Malt-Nutrine.

An Earthquake Shock. Athens, May 29.—A shock of earthquake was felt in various parts of Greece today.

CHANGING THE BOUNDARY. At El Paso, Texas, May 29.—This morning a mass meeting of the citizens of El Paso was held to organize for the relief of 1,800 destitute people.

The United Presbyterian Assembly. Rock Island, Ills., May 29.—In the United Presbyterian General Assembly today the first order of business was a discussion of the committee on theological seminaries.