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Turkey's Reply!

NOT FAVORABLE TO THE DEMANDS OF AMBASSADORS. THE SITUATION IS VERY CRITICAL.

Coercion or Cabinet Changes Must Occur. The Turks are Selling their Securities.

A cablegram of Tuesday from Constantinople, Turkey, says: Contrary to expectations, the decision of the council of ministers yesterday was not favorable to the demands of the ambassadors relative to the Greco-Turkish frontier negotiations. The situation, therefore, is regarded as very strained.

The Turkish reply is virtually the holding up of negotiations, and the powers must make concessions or adopt measures to force their decision.

It is reported that the Grand Vizier had declared to the Sultan that he will never sign an agreement based on the strategic lines as proposed by the ambassadors. At the same time it is thought in some quarters that the attitude of the Turkish government will incline the Sultan to yield by sacrificing some of his ministers, and rumors of impending cabinet changes are already circulating. Those at Galata are already affected by the situation and there has been considerable fall in Turkish consolidated securities. A goodly number of Turks are selling freely and some traders are expressing the opinion that Turkey will only yield to pressure of the European powers.

Our Supreme Need.

Ignorance and poverty are twins always and everywhere. Ignorant men, in most senses, toil for the benefit of others. They do not know how to make their labor profitable. They work with dull tools. They try to make bricks without straw. They dig and delve and die, leaving no assurance of better things to their children, though to give their offspring a better chance than they possessed was the chief ambition that stimulated their endeavors.

The children of these men are the hope of the Commonwealth. They cannot develop the resources of the State, they cannot fit themselves for the best that is in them, they cannot come up to the measure of usefulness for which they were created unless they are educated.

Education is the supreme need of the State. Like everything else that is worth having it costs money, time and labor. It is a priceless element that commends itself to the appetite. Better school facilities cannot be had without more money. Money cannot be had except by taxation. Taxation cannot be imposed except by the volition of the tax payers. In every township in the State, not now levying a special tax for schools, in August a vote will be taken to increase the public school term. The Constitution of the State guarantees a four months' term. In some school districts the term is only six weeks, and in some instances the money available does not secure first-class teachers. In those townships having a four months term it is often lengthened out by crowding too many children into small rooms, and expecting one teacher to do the work that it requires two to do.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Through the blunder of some unknown person, committed years ago, a glaring piece of inexcusable poor spelling is still on view in the Finance Committee room in the City Hall, and is the subject of much unfavorable comment by historical scholars. The portrait of Rev. Henry Augustus Muhlenberg, hung for many years in Independent Union Hall as a tribute to the presbyter patriot's services during the Revolution, with his name beneath it spelled "Hevory Muhlenberg." The same egregious errors are now visible in the City Hall. Rev. Henry Augustus Muhlenberg was one of the first Lutheran ministers in this country. On one occasion he carried his gun into his pulpit at Reading and at the conclusion of the services invited all his male parishioners to follow him to Valley Forge, which they did. Dr. Muhlenberg was also the first Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States after the Constitution was adopted in 1789, and his name is at least worthy of sufficient remembrance to be spelled correctly.—Philadelphia Record.

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Japan officially protests against the proposed annexation of Hawaii. This country does not favor it, and if the protest will prevent its consummation a good thing will be done. Japan, however, can have no part or lot in annexation for its own benefit.

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Obituary of Mrs. Jennie Scott.

In loving remembrance of Mrs. Jennie Scott, beloved wife of Mr. A. L. Scott, who departed this life Aug. 13th, 1896, aged 39 years, two months and 8 days, thus hath passed away a lovely Christian woman, who left the blessed assurance of her faith in her Saviour to carry her through the dark valley and shadow of death. We feel that His presence sustained her through the last sad hours, when parting from kind and loving friends and a dear, faithful husband, who waited on her with much love and patience, doing all in their power to relieve her sufferings, but all a kind husband, children and friends could do did not stay the monster, death. The Lord called: "Child of God come home." She leaves six children, four boys and two girls, to mourn the loss of a dear mother. She told me she hated to leave her girls so much more than her boys for they needed her company and protection and that they would be so lonesome without her. She said she was not afraid to die and that if she had any hope of her oldest son being saved she would be ready to go. She often prayed for Sam and asked others to pray for him. I hope her prayers will be answered in days to come. Mrs. Scott was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church, and her next oldest son and daughter are also members of the same church. She sang many precious hymns. One was:

"Jesus can make a dying bed,
Feel soft as downy pillows are,
While on His breast I lean my head,
And breathe my life out sweetly there."

Another was:

"Is my name written there,
In the lamb's book of life,
Is my name written there?"

She wanted Elders Castepens and Adams to preach her funeral and told how she wanted to be dressed. Her bible, she loved to read so well, she wanted laid on her breast.

I lived near Mrs. Scott for over two years and I cannot say enough in praise of her noble life. She was one of the most industrious women I ever knew and was a good neighbor, a kind wife and a loving mother and did all in her power to make her husband and children comfortable. Much more could be said of her devoted Christian life. May we all be as ready and willing to die as Mrs. Scott, is my wish.

Farewell dear mother, thou art gone,
Yes gone to thy heavenly home,
There we hope to meet thee,
Where we will all be as one.

Gone from a world of trouble,
Reached a farer shore,
Dear one we miss thee,
But we should weep no more.

For we know how thy tired spirit
Sighed and longed for rest,
Till God, in His mercy,
Slithered thee on His breast.

Thou art gone from us, dear Jennie,
To reign with angels above;
To rest forever with Jesus,
And sing redeeming love.

Written by a friend,
R. W. JONES.

Shook, N. C.
About One Hundred Thousand.

There are now on file at Washington more than 100,000 applications for office, and the rate at which they continue to pour in is said to be about 600 per day. The most thing that could happen to them would be to receive the appointments they seek. The best thing that could happen to them would be to be struck down by the conviction that if they were to devote a fraction of the energy and patience to individual enterprise which they apply in petty office hunting they could become prosperous and independent. Included with the thousands whose applications are on file are many who have wasted the best part of their lives in seeking to obtain appointments, and have bored out of all patience their friends and acquaintances, in public and private life, in their fruitless quest. It is a little hard to tell them that it would be much better for them and for those dependent upon them, if they were to swear off on public place seeking without further delay and direct their individual energies toward more profitable and independent accomplishments. It is of no avail to tell them this; their ambition seems to be a disease, which only two remedies serve to relieve—appointment or death.—Pittsburg Commercial-Gazette.

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North State News.

STATE ITEMS OF IMPORTANCE GATHERED FROM OUR MANY WIDE-AWAKE EXCHANGES.

Some People You Know and Others You Don't Know as Seen in Our State "Projectoscope."

The thermometer crawled up to 102 at Pinehurst last Monday.

Crop reports throughout North Carolina average up fairly well.

Raleigh's new 5 per cent. bonds brought 109. That's good for our capital city.

The Asheville Citizen actually does not believe in the madstone. Jimmy Albright does.

The man who some time last winter predicted a cool summer, ought to be run out of the State.

The Waynesville Courier says W. H. Cone, of New York, intends to plant an orchard of 5,000 apple trees in Watauga county next spring.

The Reidsville Weekly everlastingly skins the American Tobacco Co. Webster's hatred for trusts and combines knows no bounds and he is right.

Six car loads of chickens passed through Greensboro a few days ago for Northern markets. 40,000 chickens make a right good sized shipment for one day.

The Sun says a car load of sheep was left too near a railroad switch in Salisbury Saturday morning, with the result that the car was knocked over and 21 of the sheep killed.

Mr. Frank Leonard, who lives in the edge of Davidson county, several miles below Salem, lost his barn by fire Friday morning, together with 500 bushels of wheat and a reaper. It was accidental.

The Salisbury World says: Wm. Austin was at the depot Thursday night. He was from Albemarle, and stood exactly 6 feet 9 inches in his stocking feet. He was just 21 years old last April and weighs 232 pounds.

We don't see how a Christian denomination in the State or elsewhere for that matter can afford to receive gifts from a concern whose business destroys the youth of our land. Wonder what the religious papers think about it?

The twelve rum mills at Fayetteville, went out of business Wednesday night and the dispensary went into operation Thursday. The first day's sales were light. The rum mills dropped out and the dispensary began business at Lenoirburg on the same day.

The Democrat says three prisoners escaped from Boone jail last Thursday night. Trivett, charged with forgery; Puckett, with slander, and Jones, a negro, who was bound to next term of court for passing bogus checks. Trivett and Puckett were captured but the negro escaped.

The nineteenth annual Masonic picnic and reunion of ex Confederate soldiers will be held at Mocksville, on Thursday, August 12th. The annual address will be delivered by Mr. A. H. Eller, of Winston. The picnic will be conducted, as usual, in the interest of the Oxford Orphan Asylum.

On Turkey Creek, Rocky Point township, in Pender county, last week, a rattlesnake with two tails was killed by Mr. John R. Bolton. It had fifteen rattles on one tail (the rear one). The front tail was that of a gray squirrel that his snakebit had nearly swallowed. The largest diameter of the snake was three inches. He fought bravely, and it required the efforts of two men and a dog to kill him.—Wilmington Messenger.

The body of Henry McBride, colored, who was drowned on Wednesday while in bathing at Brittain's slingle mill, on the Northeast river, opposite Hilton, was recovered yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. When the tide went down he was found standing upright with his legs down in the mud. The bottom of the river at that point at high tide is swampy, and when McBride jumped into the water he sank into the mud. This accounts for the fact that he never rose to the surface after leaping into the water.—Wilmington Messenger.

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