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European war as the result of the pres-

ent political muddle is not shared here

owing to assurances from Servia and

Bulgaria that these countries will not

take advantage of the present condition

of affairs to provoke risings. Even if Greece insists in the face of the pow-

ers and Turkey on the precipitation of

many have a distinct understanding that every effort will be made to local-

not last long, as Greece unassisted could not stand against the Turks, while

the latter have no great desire to carry

on a war with people who form so large a part of her population. England is blamed for not consenting last year.

when all the powers, England excepted, wanted to blockade Crete to prevent arms being landed. Now the powers find themselves in consequence of that

find themselves in consequence of that weakness face to face with an armed

and irresponsible Christian insurrection

The Novoe Vremya thinks the powers

are not in accord, while other papers

London, March 12.-The Athens cor-

respondent of the Times learns that

the Greek consulate to save the Mussul-

mans at Candamo, Col. Vassos demand-

ed a written understanding that the

Mohammedans should desist from out-

rages upon the property of Christians;

should be taken to Greece in Greek war-

ships and that the foreign admirals

The King of Greece, talking to a

not on account of the annexation of

Crete by Greece, but because events

rapidly mobilized fleet created jealousy,

because our rivals might seize upon the

pretext to destroy two of our first-class

M. Skouzes, Greek minister of foreign

affairs, has cabled the thanks of the

Greek government to the United States

senate for the resolution of sympathy

Greek press recommends that foreign

volunteers should await the formation

of a foreign legion before starting for

Greece. There is no cessation of mili-

lonica and in the interior of Macedonia

are making requisitions for large num-

Greek army in the island into gend'ar-

The English consul, Sir Alfred Billi-

otti, who has returned to Suda bay, re-

powers not to allow Mussulman Cretans

anywhere on the island to attack the

Christians, the Mussulman refugees are

COLLISION AT SEA.

British S. S. West Indian Damaged-

The Lake Winnipeg's Terrible

Voyage.

Liverpool, March 12.—The Beaver line

steamer Lake Winnipeg, Capt. Taylor, twenty-five days from St. John, N.B.,

the vessel had such a large quantity of

water in the engine room that the pas-

sengers were called upon to assist in

shifted during the heavy weather. The

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THE POWERS

Another Identical Note is Likely To Be Presented to Greece as a Final Warning.

A General Engagement Occurs Dur ing the Embarkation of Refugees at Selino.

Indignant Belgians Ttalians Don th Greek Flag-France Seems Reluctant.

London, March 12.-The regiment commanded by the Greek Crown Prince. says the Times correspondent at Atnens, will be raised from 1,500 to 3,000. It is stated that he will start for Larissa, beginning next week, with a battalion that all the inhabitants at Candamo consisting of his own regiment, seventy regiments of infantry and an artillery should pledge themselves not to hinder battery. Large consignments of clothing are being shipped daily from the Piraeus to Larissa. As the army takes quoted as saying: "Europe is alarmed. to the field without tents each man will be provided with a rough, heavy frieze have shown that Greece is an element of force in the Mediterranean. Our capote and blanket. The Italian volun- of force in the Mediterranean. teers at Athens, as a protest against I myself ordered the recall of the Hythe action of the Italian warships, have dra and Misoulis from Cretan waters, torn off the Italian national colors and wear the Greek colors only.

A despatch to the Times from Canea says that during the embarkation of the refugees at Selino a general engagement occurred. The ships fired their three-pounders. Commander Hewitt relieved the marines at the outposts, repelling the insurgents by volleys in extended order. H.M.S. Camperdown has tary provintions of Salonica. Troops been sent to assist the Italians at Her-

A correspondent of the Associated Press learns from a reliable source that bers of horses and mules, and organism-Press learns from a reliable source that the powers nave team, as the powers nave to pay next year's taxes in advance, sent a fresh note to Greece, netifying to pay next year's taxes in advance, and the infliction of spiritual penalties, her of the intention to carry out coercher or the intention to carry out costs ive measures if she still continues observed measures if she still continues observed in the Russian minister to popular government becomes a deliberation of the continues of the continue durate and enforce a blockade. It is next week from St. Petersburg, disapunderstood that France is the only pointed in his representations in behalf claims to have it on the best authority power reluctant to participate in the of Crete. He was coldly received at that the St. Boniface election will be begun without the Russian court. The Greek press protested. The grounds, it is undergrounded will be instituted in the protection of the best authority that the St. Boniface election will be begun without the Russian court. The Greek press protested. The grounds, it is undergrounded by the protection of the best authority that the St. Boniface election will be begun without the Russian court. her if she declines to give her consent.

ard states that Admiral Caneyaro, hav- ish troops. ing represented the urgency of landing strained to the utmost to make provitroops to suppress disorders in the interior of Crete, the cabinet council have decided to send a body of troops there. it is doubtful whether the country would to have said that if those who voted for The Brussels correspondent of the Standard states that 228 members of the Belgian chamber of deputies have signed a declaration to be sent to the Greek government expressing their indignation at Europe's abuse of power against Greece.

Athens, March 12.-The Cretan question is passing through a period of intrigue, or in other words a lull has followed the reply of Greece to the powers. and everybody is wondering where and five and wounding sixteen. Although when the storm will break out afresh. In spite of the repeated assertions made in the different capitals of Europe that the powers are acting in concert toward Greece, it is remarked here that if this is the case the threatened coercion of Greece would have been an accomplished fact long before this. There seems to be but three ways out of the present difficulty. The most popular one is that the powers must accept the offer of Greece to withdraw her fleet from Cretan waters and allow her army of occupation to remain, ostesibly under the control of foreign officers the British steamer West Indian, Capt. outranking Col. Vassos, to be used for Campbell, on February 19, about tenthe pacification of the island. When that is accomplished a plebiscite should decide whether or not the Cretans pre- other vessels were standing by fer annexation to autonomy. The sec- however, so the Pennland proceeded. ond solution is the coercion-real or half-hearted-of Greece by blockade, which may be effective. In the third arrived safely to-day. Capt. Taylor replace, Greece's final reply will probably ports a terrible, voyage, during which he the lighting of the fires of war in Macedonia and the beginning of a conflagration which might spread all over

Sofia, Bulgaria, March 12.-A sensation has been caused here by a prayer were thrown overboard owing to the used by the Bulgarian metropolitan in scarcity of water and the inability of the presence of the King of Servia and the engineers to work the condensing Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria during apparatus.

the former's visit to this city. The metropolitan, in offering prayers for the Czar, spoke of him as "the protorship over those people. The incident is regarded as highly significant in view of the eastern crisis.

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war, Russia, Austria, France and Ger-Archbishop Langevin's Latest Threat Against Those Who Won't Do ize it. Here the feeling is that such as He Says. can be done and that hostilities would

> The Globe Talks Plainly-Large Sale of Binder Twine by the Government.

Railway Men Interviewing the f ernment-Father Lacombes Halfbreed Colony.

Ottawa, March 12.—Mr. Hobbs, M. P. P., of London, purchased one thousand tons of binder twine from the rovernment to-day. This represents something like \$130,000, and is one of the largest deals ever made in the country. & Detroit River Railway, to complete its road from Ridgetown to St. The Messrs. Hyman, ex-M. P., McGregor, M. P., Casey, M. P., Hobbs, M. P. P., and McKeen, M. P. P., headed the dele-

Father Lacombe is here to see the government in the interests of his halfbreed colony.
Toronto, March 12.—The Globe, un der the heading "Clerical Intimidation," "Archbishop Langevin, accord says: ing to reliable reports, has declared the Catholics who voted for the Liberal candidate in St. Boniface will be re fused burial in consecrated ground if they die in their consequent spiritual condition. It is also announced that he has reserved to himself the hearing of all confessions of sin. This is carrying clerical intimidation to a length that the people of Canada will not This does not affect St tolerate. alone, nor is it confined to Boniface Quebec. It is a matter of vital in ance to the whole Dominion. If the of a large section of the Canadian peo-ple is allowed to dictate to its men ers as to what public mean and meaning

Winnipeg, March 12.-The Tribune generally counsels prudence on the stood, will be intimidation practised by Turkish frontier, where the Greek popu-The Rome correspondent of the Stand- lation is defenceless against the Turk- the protest can be filed is April 6. It The war department is St. Nobert, in the course of his address is expected on Monday. sions of arms and outfits for the retion in that constituency. He is reported The Canadian Design The Times correspondent thinks that the Liberal candidate died in the state famine fund. even tolerate the conversion of the they were now in, they could not be

they shalf support, and to enforce such

buried in consecrated ground. cases for confession to himself. The Orange Grand Lodge of Maniports that the condition of the Cretan on the school question in 1895 and 1896. lives, in the attempt to restrain their John Dilworth was elected grand master men, but were unable to prevent some and F. Schultz deputy grand firing upon the refugees as they were next meeting will be held in Winnipeg.

embarking. A soldier and a civilian were injured. The foreign marines re-SENATOR J. M. DOLPH DEAD. turned the fire in the warships, killing Did Not Survive the Shock of Amputa assured of the promise given by the tion of His Leg.

Portland, Or. March 12.-Ex-Senator N. Dolph died at 11:30 to-day. On beginning to be allowed to emigrate on Monday his leg was amputated in the the ground that it is unsafe for them hope of saving his life, which was threatened by blood poisoning, but the shock was too great, and at no time since the operation has there been a probability of his recovery. Joseph N. Dolph was born at Watkins, N.Y., in 1835, and came to Oregon in 1862. He was appointed United States district attorney for Oregon. Since his retirement Queenstown, March 12.-The Red from that office he was elected United Star line steamer Pennland, from Liv-States senator and served two full terms. He received the caucus nominalast night to report that she had spoken tion at the session of the legislature two years ago, but was defeated, after a deadlock, which lasted until the final miles south of Tuscar light. She had day of the session. Since his retirement from the senate he has practised law in been in collision and water in the engine rooms had drowned the fires. Two Portland.

CANADIAN NEWS

Premier Hardy and the Prohibitionists. The Crow's Nest Pass Road.

Toronto, March. 12 .- Mr. Boyd, formerly county judge, died to-day. Brantford, March 12.—The Sons England have decided to have an official organ and to meet in St. Catharines next year.
Dorchester, N.B., March 12.—Sullivan was executed this morning. The drop

fell at 8:15.

Winnipeg, March 12.-A dispatch from Lethbridge, N.W.T., to-day says; 'Dan Mann, the railway contractor, arrived here this morning. In view of the contemplated building of the Crow's Nest Pass road a staff of Canadian Pacific engineers, under the direction of M. H. Milford, has been engaged dur ing the past week in making a final se lection of the various projected surveys Charcoal, the Indian who murdered Sergeant Wilde, and has been sentenced to death, will be hanged at Macleod the Herald from St. Petersburg says:
The alarm as to the probability of an

lot-box stuffing in Nat Boyd's interest, only one conviction was obtained at the assizes. The one found guilty by the jury, George Saunders, has taken an appeal to the supreme court.
Winnipeg, March 12.—Rev. J. T. Mc-

Crossan, now assistant in the Metro-politan church, Victoria, B.C., is mentioned as a probable successor to Rev. J. H. Morgan in McDougall church. Henri Cherias has been fined \$10 by Police Magistrate Cyr, of St. Boniface, for using cancelled stamps on letters. It is reported that the Northern Pasystem will be extended from Portage la Prairie to Neepawa and oth r northern points during the coming sum-

S. E. Ritchie has been re-elected grand master for the Manitoba grand lodge, A.O.U.W.

Toronto, March 12.— tion of temperance men mier Hardy yesterday to protest against his license bill, and there was much warmth in the attitude of some of the more radical members of the deputation in stating their objection to the government's policy, and one or two hissed the Premier while he spoke. Hon. Mr. Hardy held that Sir Oliver Mowat had made no pledge to the temperance peo-A big delegation is here to-day from on division of eight or nine. With a crisis. It is admitted that the king took London and the surrounding district change of four or five in the house who the necessary measures for the increase asking for a subsidy for the Lake frie would not follow them on the bill, the of the army, but it is felt that the war bill would drop and so would they.

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ANOTHER TRAIN WRECK.

Seven Persons Injured in an Accident on a Georgian Railway.

Rome, Ga., March 13.-A frightful passenger train wreck occurred at an the utmost difficulty to keep the Greeks early hour this morning on the approach in check. It is feared that if the powto a high bridge on the Southern cailway over the Etowah river. The ongine plunged down a bluff sixty feet high into the river. The wreck caught fire and seven cars were burned. Seven persons were injured. The train which was wrecked was a passenger train from Chattanooga, due here at 3:20 a.m. The engineer stood at his post.

CANADIAN NEWS

Cotton Trade-Trains Delayed-Railway Officials Dismissed.

Halifax, March 13.—Many of the cotton mills in eastern Canada have decided to curtail production until the market improves. Several of them have been running on short time and to-day a notice was posted at the big mills of Several hundred employes are affected. Winnipeg, March 13.—The second reading of the school settlement bill has

been on in the legislature and a division at the church services, Archbishop All the trains were delayed yesterday The Canadian Pacific railway employes here have given \$1,500 to the Indian

Toronto, March 13 .- The investigation It is by Grand Trunk officials into the 1ffurther stated that he reserved all these fairs of the company at Guelph has resulted in the dismissal of Agent Savage and Cashier Creighton. Beyond saying toba, in session at Brandon, has reat that insubordination was proven against did their utmost, even risking their check the dismissed employees the officials here would give no explanation.

THE DINGLEY BILL

Ready to be Introduced in the House on Monday.

Washington, March 13.-Referring to said that the bill was ready to be introduced in the house on Monday. The administrative features have not yet been drafted, nor has the reciprocity scheme, although the features of it are decided upon. The may be presented as committee amendments after the bill gets before the house. The reciprocity principle which will be embodied in the bill will be that of lower duties on certain classes of goods in return for concessions to certain lines of American The principal lines of goods. goods upon which duties may be lowered by reciprocity treaties will be sugar, champagne, silks, gloves, mineral waters, chewing gum and crude tartar, which is one of the chief constituents of baking powder. The President will be empowered by the bill to enter into treatles by which the duties will be materially lowered on the importations of these goods from countries which make concessions to American cattle and other products. There will be no reciwhich involves placing any important classes of imports on the free lists, nor any authority given the executive to raise duties against imports from countries which refuse to enter into reciprocity.

A Ferty Year Old Grievance Removed In Bath, Ont., Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are a standard remedy, Joseph Gardner, of this town, suffered for 40 years with indigestion and its ever present accompaniments—constipation and headache. K. & L. Pills are the only remedy that gave him relief, 25s. s box, of all druggists. One pill a dose.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Commander of Greek Army Has Great Difficulty in Keeping His Men in Check.

Foreign War Correspondents Cordially Welcomed-Soverignty Over Crete Again Proclaimed.

Text of the Programme Drawn Up by the Admirals in Cretan Waters.

London, March 13 .- The Athens correspondent of the Times says dissatisple except in reference to prohibition, faction is beginning to express itself could go no further in the matter against the government for the failure of license reform than his supporters to make better provision for the present would follow him. He had a majority on division of eight or nine. With a department did not make proper preparations in the matter of equipments. This, however, is not sufficient to da np-

> The students of the university have issued a manifesto to the students, throughout the world asking for sympathy in the struggle against the despotic

Turk. The latest advices from the frontier indicate that the commander-in-chief has

ers really proceed to apply coercion

nothing can prevent a collision. The Turkish consul at Larissa is openarming the Benghazis. This act causes intense indignation.

Foreign war correspondents have been cordially welcomed by Greeks on the frontier.

It is reported at Athens that Colonel Vassos has issued a second proclamation of the Greek sovereignty over Crete. Athens, March 13.—The students have telegraphed their reply to the dispatch ation received from the students in Bulgaria. Athens, March 13.—The most danger

the hands of the powers in more ways international right there will always be than one by crossing the border, trying anarchy.' The solution of this dangerous and difficult problem is contained in the renewed rumors that King George of Greece may abdicate in favor of his eldest son, Constantine, Duke of Sparta, the crown prince, whose wife, Princess Sophie of of Germany. There are many people vho believe that the King's abdication the best means of clearing up the situation, while the stand taken by King George during the present crisis will undoubtedly improve his position among the Greeks. His abdication would be a popular step, as the populace have never forgiven the King for being a foreigner. The Crown Princess is known to be a trifle jealous of Prince George, the sailor prince, second son of the King, whom the latter always allows to be bracketed as equal with himself. The princess, it should be added. is said to be furious at Emperor William for having sided with Turkey against her adopted people. Her husthe new tariff bill, Chairman Dingley band is much admired and respected, but he is a man of silent, retiring disposition, and is disposed to ignore the shouts of the populace, while Prince George is of a different temperament. He is a popular idol and many would prefer him to the elder brother as King

Paris, March 13 .- The following semiofficial announcement was made yester-

"The powers, while united in principle, have not yet been able to reach a solution of the Cretan question. posals and objections are being ex-changed hourly. The programme drawn up by the admirals in Cretan waters is There have been scarcely any defaultas follows:

"First-Blockade of the island of Crete. "Second-Blockade of Piraeus and some other Greek ports.

the fleet of the telegraph offices at Sy-"Fourth-Any Greek warships en-Milo and kept there. "Fifth-Any Greek warships firing on any foreign warships are to be sunk and the act to be considered a casus belli,

"Sixth-Any Greek torpedo boat near ing a foreign warship is to be fired for the Turkish frontier. All who have "Seventh-As the blockade of Greece will require all the crews of the foreign warships, each power is to send to

Crete a battalion of infantry, not less of Paris has adopted a Socialist motion than 600 men in number. "Each of the fireign admirals telegraphed a cony of these proposals to his

government." Germany immediately telegraphed proposals down to the seventh. vould accent the seventh in principle, trin wired the powers that she would accept the proposals, but as Emperor of British Consul Billiotti had been of Francis Joseph was at Cape Martin, she no avail. must have time to consult with His Majesty. Italy telegraphed an acceptence of all the proposals, but it was added that they must be submitted to a cehinet council, which will be done within Price 25 cents.

three days. Russia, Great Britain and France were silent for a time, and then Great Britain proposed that a gendarmerie be organized in Crete by utilizing Greek troops not using Greek flag, and not using Greek officers in this connection. Russia eventually answered that, as the powers had presented their ultimatum to Greece, and Greece had replied by offering to withdraw her fleet, the answer was conciliatory and partly satisfactory. Therefore Russia proposed a further collective note demanding the withdrawal of Greek troops. France seconded the reply of Russia. During pour parler of a general agreement it was suggested that the powers should each advance a certain sum for pay of a gendarmerie and the expense of organizing an aumany on the ground that she was not willing to spend a pfenning for this purpose. France this afternoon proposed to the British foreign office that the

powers proceed to organize a gendarmerie, naming the governor of Crete from Holland. Belgium or perhaps Switzer-Several names were considered. land. Great Britain points out that members of the previous Cretan gendarmerie ran away and mutinied, and that the Greek troops are the best available for this purpose; consequently this proposal will probably be the modus vivendi by which the situation will be solved, as there is not a doubt that the Greeks will accept

New York, March 13 .- A dispatch to the Herald from St. Petersburg says Russia has not changed her ideas of the Cretan question. These reports are being spread by some revolutionary Slavonic societies. The government here is absolutely firm and unflinching in its attitude that there can be no negotia-tions with Greece until she has withdrawn from her position as an offender defying the powers. It is considered that were once a precedent given, all the small countries, would, when it pleased them, follow suit, and the powrs would absolutely lose all control.

Special importance attaches itself to leading article in the St. Petersburg Skya Viedomosti, as that paper has almost given up publishing anything but inspired articles. It says: "Greece is masked in sophisms of a very bad taste. Greece is trying to play blind man's buff with Europe. Her conduct must cut her off from all her friends. The ruse she uses puts her on a plane with Tur-

"Greece wishes to be an oracle and censor of the great powers. Greece has not worked for the pacification of the island, but for union to her. There is no sent in Greece saying it is her sacred cause to rescue Crete from Tur-Athens, March 13.—The most danger ous spot on the map of Europe at presont is the frontier of Thessaly. If ent is the frontier of Thessaly. If of humanity, but also of loyalty. If Greece is coerced she is liable to force we allow Greece to come out and usurp

the Hantax Cotton Company announcing a reduction of running time to three days a week until further notice.

The Hantax Cotton Company announcing to raise the Balkans and possibly to Novoe Vremya. It says: "The Greek answer will not all says: "The Greek answer will not all says: "The Greek answer will not all says." either of criticism of its correctness or of simple logic. It is laughable for the Greeks to say it is they alone who have the means to appease the island. Crete is well known.'

The Muskovie Viedomosti, in a strong Prussia, is a sister of Emperor William article, says: "Can we for a moment entertain the idea that little Greece is imposing her will upon the united powers. Greece, finding herself insolvent, sought to serve herself by some force majeur, which she now seeks in war. The demagognes of Athens, fevered with exaltation to the highest try to save the threatened dynasty which tries to escape fanaticism by some force majeur. That is war." The Novosti, Greece's champion, says

nothing. London, March 13 .- A great meeting was beld this afternoon at St. James hall to protest against the proposal of the powers to apply coercion to Greece. Resolutions denouncing this policy were adopted with enthusiasm. strong speeches by Herbert Gladstone, John Dillon, Henry Labouchere and others. Mr. Gladstone wired Cannes to the meeting: "God help your efforts."

Col. Metaxas, the Greek war minister, told the Times correspondent that he hoped the powers would urge Turkey to desist from massing troops on the fron-The excitement of the Greek tier. troops there is so intense that the slightest incident of a bostile character must provoke a collision. "The readiness with which the reservists have respended to the call of the government,' said Colonel Metaxas, "is remarkable.

In the lower house of the Hungarian Diet Premier Baron Banffy said that apart from the conflicts in Crete there was no cause for alarm, as in the Bal-"Third-Seizure by a detachment of kans Turkey to-day was strong enough to nip in the bud any revolutionary movement. He added that he had absolutely no knowledge of the alliance of unitered to be taken to the Island of the Balkan states, and expressed the belief that the nowers were determined to render the chance of a Greco-Turkish war impossible.

Eight hundred and fifty reservists have started from the island of Corfu purchased exemption in past years are now required to serve. In spite of the opposition of the prefect of the Seine, the municipal council to send the Greek government a mes-

sage of encouragement. A report was published that King George, while in conversation with a Danish colonel, said he had abandoned the powers that she would accept the all hope of help from his relatives. whose advice was not worth attention, and that he had lost confidence in the but had not a battalion available. Aus- Prince of Wales, since his earnest request to the Prince to obtain the recall