

our help to the enlargement of your work shall go with you."

"The Sultan told the Russian

that he will be the last of the caliphs, and if it shall prove to be so, the extinction of the caliphate



THE CITY OF TREBIZOND, ON THE NORTHERN COAST OF ASIA MINOR.

In the background is the Black Sea, and in the foreground the only harbour that there is. This is open to the north-east, so that there is really very little protection. Trebizond was one of the first cities to suffer from massacre in the fall of 1865.

Ambassador—told Europe, that is to say—that he might be the last of the caliphs, but he would never be a khedive. It is to be hoped

will be by suicide. For it is a very gratifying reflection that the effective European concert, which political intrigue and management had