

criptions for the Fund for Endowment of Beds in London Hospitals.

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TURKEY SNUBBED.

Her Proposals to Occupy Thessaly no Longer Receive Consideration by the Powers.

Peace Negotiations Favorable to Greece—Alarming Situation at Athens.

London, May 28.—The correspondent of the Times at Athens says: "Disparities which the government has received from a representative of Greece...

A SIGNIFICANT UTTERANCE.

The Globe's Timely Advice to the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The People are Convinced. When they read the testimonials of cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

HOOD'S PILLS are the only pills to cure the most distressing cases of Biliousness, Headache, and Indigestion.

THE CROW'S NEST RAILWAY. Reported that the Government will Soon Make an Announcement.

Montreal, May 28.—It is reported the larger government have made up their minds regarding the Crow's Nest railway.

Harsh parative remedies are fast giving way to the gentle action and mild effects of Hood's Little Liver Pills.

Windsor Salt. Ask your grocer for it. Baldness is nothing new. It dates back to the early ages.

A LARGE SHORTAGE.

Postmaster-General's Report Shows an Unexpected Deficit of Over \$600,000.

Hon. Mr. Sifton's Suggestion re the Alien Labor Bill—Date of Prorogation.

Ottawa, May 28.—The postmaster-general presented his annual report this afternoon. It shows a current public debt of over \$600,000, which was not known to exist.

ENTERTAINED AT LUNCHEON.

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LIKE HEAVY THUNDER.

New York State Visited by a Severe Earthquake Shock.

Elizabethtown, N.Y., May 28.—A heavy shock of earthquake was felt at this place at 10:15 o'clock last night.

Waterford, N.Y., May 28.—Jefferson county was the centre of a shock of earthquake last night which visited northern New York, Vermont and Canada.

Rome, N.Y., May 28.—A distinct earthquake shock was felt here at 10:15 last evening.

VERMONT SHAKEN. Slight Shock of Earthquake Felt Throughout the State Last Evening.

Rutland, Vt., May 27.—A slight shock of earthquake was felt throughout the state at 10:15 o'clock tonight.

Burlington, Vt., May 27.—The most pronounced shock of earthquake experienced in this city for several years was felt here about 10:13 this evening.

BRIDGING NIAGARA. Contract Will Soon Be Awarded for a New Steel Arch Bridge.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., May 27.—Bids for constructing a new steel arch bridge were opened this morning by the officers of the New Suspension Bridge Co.

The Best Remedy for Rheumatism. From the Fairbank, N.Y., Register.

Mr. James Rowland, of this village, states that for twenty-five years his wife had been a sufferer from rheumatism.

Montreal, May 27.—Mr. Tarte, writing from Ottawa, says a session will be called in December or January.

Baldness is nothing new. It dates back to the early ages. How to restore the hair is modern. Half's Hair Restorer.

A DESPERATE MAN.

Pietro Acciaro, an Iron Worker, of Artega, Province of Udine, who attempted to stab King Humbert on April 22.

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A BAD INDIAN.

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