

MYSTERIOUS TURKISH MOVE.

A despatch to the London Standard from Constantinople says: It is reported that orders have been sent out for the mobilization of the fifth and sixth army corps reserves stationed at Bagdad and in Syria, and for the immediate despatch of fifty battalions to Kouieh, from which point they will be taken to Ismeed, in Asia Minor. These preparations, which involve an expense that Turkey is quite unable to bear, cannot be required against Greece and they excite anxiety as indicating that Turkey is preparing either to confront a more formidable foe or to place herself in such a strong position that she will be able to ignore the Powers and their plan of mediation. Three staff officers have been sent to the depots of the fourth army corps at Erzeroum and Erzingen, to report whether there is a sufficient supply of arms and ammunition to mobilize the reserves of that corps. Six officers of the Turkish troops stationed at Janina, together with the commandants at Louros, Philippadia and other stations have arrived here in chains. They will be tried for neglect of duty in face of the enemy.

See our list of bargains for Saturday.—Moore & McLeod.

A lot of new handsome laces received and opened today.—Moore & McLeod. Baby bonnets, Scotch bonnets, sailor caps, gleggery caps, yachting caps, velvet caps, etc., at low prices for cash at Paton & Co's.

Another opportunity.—Blouse buyers will have another chance to purchase blouses at reasonable prices this p. m. at Paton & Co's.

Hosiery, 3 pairs for 25c. Also, the finest cashmere (all wool) hose in this city at 25c at Paton's.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of J. M. McLeod and Co has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The wholesale business of the Amherst Boot and Shoe Mfg Co. is assuming such proportions that it demands all my attention, and in order to be free to devote my entire attention to this trade, I have withdrawn from the firm of J. M. McLeod & Co, transferring all my right, title, and interest in the said firm to Mr Arthur A. Alley, who will conduct the business as heretofore in the name of ALLEY & CO, and who is authorized to collect all debts due the late firm of J. M. McLeod & Co.

While thanking you for the patronage bestowed on the late firm, I solicit a continuance of the same to my successors.

J. M. McLEOD, & CO.
Ch'town, May 6-'97.

Referring to the above we solicit a continuance of the patronage given the late firm of J. M. McLeod & Co., and to assure you that the same will be most gratefully appreciated.

The Slater Shoe Department will be increased by the arrival of several cases on Saturday, and all other lines of stock will be kept up as heretofore. Accounts will be sent out at once, and it is especially desired that prompt settlements be made.

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

ASSIGNMENT.—Messrs. John Silver & Co., of Halifax, have assigned.

C. O. F.—Regular meeting of Court Charlottetown at 8 o'clock tonight.

S. of E.—Orient Division will meet this evening in the Masonic Temple at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

If you make arrangements to go to the country on the Queen's birthday be sure and be back in time to hear the Fisk Jubilee singers in the Opera House. See large posters in windows.

LEG BROKEN.—A sailor named Alex. McInnis, of Port Hawkesbury, from the schooner Gertie Evelyn, got into a row at Souris, yesterday, and in the scuffle which ensued had his leg broken. He was taken to the American House, where Dr. McIntyre set the limb.

A COMMENDABLE IDEA.—The Masonic conference in Moncton a day or two ago was called for the purpose of considering the feasibility of establishing a home for the aged and infirm and widows and orphans. It is understood that a report will be made to the Grand Lodge in favor of the proposal, and the committee will also submit a scheme for raising the necessary funds by subscription and otherwise.

BODY FOUND.—The remains of a human body were unearthed by workmen excavating on Dr. Botsford's premises on Alma street, Moncton a few days ago. From the appearance of the bones, some of them being intact, the remains were those of an adult buried probably 100 years ago. The substance taken for the human remains was found at a depth of about eight feet. The body is supposed to be that of one of the early settlers of the country.

A DISASTROUS ACCIDENT.—A very serious accident occurred on Wednesday afternoon at Armstrong's lime kiln, about four miles from St. John. Thomas Love, James Cody and Wellington Turnbull were engaged in blasting rock and Cody was taping the fuse in place, when an explosion took place. Love was killed outright. At latest accounts Cody was dying, and Turnbull was seriously injured. Cody is a brother of Mrs. Anthony Dougan, of Charlottetown.

FROM BOSTON.—The steamer Halifax arrived from Boston last night about ten o'clock. Her passengers included: M. F. Plant, H. L. Chipman, L. Hesslein, J. A. Flanders, J. D. Ritchie, F. W. Warren, Wm. Murray wife and child, D. McLeod, Patrick McCleary, Miss A. McCleary, Jno. Burns, Jno. Hazzard, Mr. Cunningham. The Halifax sailed on return to Boston this afternoon. Her outward passengers included: Laurence H. Collins, Artemas Trowsdale, Thomas Durant, Constance King and John Paul. Captain Pye, mate Ellis, purser Cook, steward Noyes and the other efficient officers are again on deck, and all received a hearty welcome from their hosts of friends at this port.

CREAMERY FOR SUMMERSIDE.—The Farmer says: Since the scheme of a joint stock company to start a creamery has practically fallen through, Mr. Ronald Campbell of this town and Mr. Daniel McDonald, of Hampton are about starting a creamery with possibly some of those who subscribed for stock in the first project also taking shares. On Monday Mr. Campbell was in Charlottetown and bought the machinery used in the Central Creamery there for the past two years. Mr. Campbell's grist mill will be turned into a creamery and it is expected that it will be ready to operate about June 1st. Mr. McDonald is a practical butter and cheese maker of several years' experience, and no doubt will turn out a "gilt edged" article.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—A poor house is called for by the Police Committee of Montreal. The Liberals are in again!

—Goldwin Smith has discovered that "Canada is today more loyal to Great Britain than ever before," and the St. John Sun remarks that "it is a pity that Canada cannot truthfully return the compliment."

—Judging by the results of the small amount of tariff tinkering undertaken by the Liberals, it is well for the country that they did not go into the business as extensively as they promised they would.

St. Louis, Mo., footpads a few nights ago attacked and robbed a landscape gardener named Thomas Brady. They afterwards tied him to the suburban railway track. Before the oncoming car could be stopped it had struck and badly mangled the unfortunate man.

Robert H. Martin, who has been treasurer of Columbian University, D. C., for a number of years, is under arrest on the charge of embezzling \$20,850 of the funds of the institution.

The Paris disaster is a warning against the use of any but fire-proofed wood and cloth in the construction of booths and decorations.

The Raines law, New York's temperance charter, is now struggling through the courts on questions of procedure. But an abiding faith in the omnipotence of legislation is still firm.

Experiments by Italian scientists have shown that the X rays have no power to destroy germs in an infected body. Robust imaginations can create theories regarding the X rays faster than the scientists can disprove them.

It is now stated on senatorial authority that the new United States tariff will not go into effect before July. In the meantime the importation of foreign goods is on an almost unprecedented scale. Last week the imports at New York aggregated \$18,328,000 against \$14,756,000 the previous week, and \$9,745,000 in the corresponding week of 1896.

Humors, pimples, boils, are very annoying. They quickly disappear when the blood is purified by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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GUNN & Co., LIMITED, has been incorporated by special Act of the Legislature of Nova Scotia, March 1st, 1897, and under the provisions of its charter it is empowered to purchase all the Mills, Warehouses, Properties, Good Wills of A. GUNN & Co., Campbell Road, Halifax, N. S. and BRIGHTY & PAGE, Upper Water Street, Halifax, N. S., and these properties have been taken over by the Company with a view of further developing same.

A few of the shares or bonds are still unallotted and the Directors beg to draw the attention of merchants and others interested in P. E. I. produce the advantage of being connected with this company. Each share or bond holder will be advised weekly the state of the European and Local Markets. Hay is a special feature in the business of the company, and their Cold Storage arrangements both on this and the other side of the water will enable them to handle all perishable produce more profitably than hitherto. The Secretary of the company is now staying at the Davies House, Charlottetown, and is prepared to give any information respecting the business.

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