AN INSURGENT VICTORY

Spaniards Repulsed at Purgatory Hills.

WERE DRAWN INTO AMBUSCADE

A Withering Fire Was Poured Upon the Spaniards From All Sides-Loss Was Heavy.

New York, May 3 .- A Herald ois-

patch from Havana says: The engagement which the Spanish had with General Roderiguez in the Purgatory hills, and which was reported as a decisive Spanish victory, turns out to have been the reverse.

The Spanish columns encountered the insurgents and attacked sharply, relying on their superior forces. The cade. General Castillo arrived with reinforcements while Roderiguez was engaging the Spanish and fell on their The fighting lasted five hours, and in killed, wounded and prisoners, the Spanish lost 280 men.

News comes from Santiago de Cuba satisfied with the conduct of the Spantsh authorities, and believed that Gar cia would succeed in retaining his supremacy in the eastern province.

The situation at Banes continues to command attention. Four cruisers and several gunboats have been ordered there to land a force to march on the port in the direction of Holquin. The rebel force in and near Banes is esti-

General Weyler came quietly back to Havana yesterday morning after a six week's trip to Santa Clara, during which, if he accomplished anything from a military standpoint, the fact has been most effectually concealed. It is now reported that he is going to Spain soon, but the report is probably due to the fact that his son sailed April 30.

It was reported last night that an insurgent chief of importance had been sent to Pinar del Rio. He is believed to have been Quintin Bandera, but the statement lacks confirmation.

From Matanzas and other towns in Havana, Santa Clara and Pinar del Rio comes the news that starvation and disease are on the increase.

A Cuban Officer Captured. New York, May 3 .- A World dis-

patch from Havana says: Advices from Sagua la Grande say that Rafael Fernandez, adjutant on the staff of the insurgent General Roban. has been captured. He is an American. He is confined in the military prison at Sagua. His case is receiving atten-tion at the hands of Consul Barker.

Cuban Reforms to Be Applied. Madrid, May 3 .- The queen regent, at the cabinet meeting today, signed a decree providing for the application of from Captain-Weyler announcing the western part of the island was pacified.

AMERICUS CLUB'S BANQUET. Decorations Were Burned, but the Speeches Were Made.

Pittsburg, May 3 .- The eleventh annual banquet of the Americus Club, in memory of General Grant, was held tonight, in spite of the fire in the banquet hall which destroyed the decorations and threatened for a time to put a stop to the ceremonies. The club had made great preparations for the event, and the decorators had been at work for several days and had adorned the ceiling with four rows of inverted pyramids, constructed of red, white and blue bunting. The pyramids, several hundred in number, entirely covered the ceiling, and the points of them extended to within about eight feet of the floor. An electric light was suspended from the top of each, and a bunch of smilax festooned from point to point. The effect was very beautiful. windows were artistically draped, and in the center of the north wall was a difesize portrait of the hero of Appo-

mattox. The club management wished to secure a photograph of the decorated hall, and in the attempt to secure a flashlight picture an explosion occurred which was followed by flames which practically destroyed the entire decoration of the hall. Men were at once put to work to remove the debris, and the banquet was delayed only an hour, the dismantled condition of the room proving but a slight detraction from the evening's enjoyment.

There were 324 diners seated at the table, with U. S. Trent as toastmaster.

Fatal Sawmill Explosion.

Pittsburg, May 3 .- A boiler explosion at Alderman's sawmill in the Kanawah valley, W. Va., last night, killed two men and seriously injured five. The killed are: Perry Devers and George Conley. The injured are: W. Hickman, Thomas Hickman, William Balton, William Alderman, John McCauley. The three former will probably die. The mill was badly wrecked, and the loss will be heavy.

Petition for a Duty on Hides. Coulee City, Wash., May 3 .- The Stockraisers' Association of the Big Bend has sent a petition to Washington asking that congress place a duty on hides. Eastern Washington cattlemen want the Dingley bill amended.

Dr. Traell Green Dead.

Easton, Pa., May 3 .- Dr. Traell Green, an eminent physician and fa-Green, an eminent physician and fa-mous scientist, died today at his home over two hours. Its usual speed is five the embezzlement of \$250,000 of the in this city. He was 84 years old

FISHERMEN DROWNED.

Capsized in the Breakers at Clatsop Spit.

Astoria, Or., May 3 .- The first drowning of the fishing season occurred about 8 o'clock this morning, when one of Seaborg's boats capsized in the breakers near Clatsop spit. In the boat were John Hendrickson and his boatpuller, August Koshela. The wind was blowing heavily at the time, and when Hendrickson's Loat overturned few men had their nets out. The boat nearest the capsized craft went to its the boatpaller, but Hendrickson sank. It is probable the body will never be recovered. The deceased was a Russian Finn, about 35 years old, and unmareight years, and had a brother and sister living in Astoria.

News was received here late this afternoon of the finding of a body of another fisherman. One of Kinney's boats drifted up on Long Beach, near Ocean rebels retreated toward their camp, and Park. The net was fast to the boat, succeeded in playing their old trick of and tangled in the web was the body of drawing the Spanish into an ambus- the unfortunate man. His name was not learned. It is probable the boatpuller was also lost.

It is reported tonight that one of Booth's boats capsized this afternoon learned nothing more.

TOUGH ON AMERICANS.

Alien Miners in Rossland May Have to Become British Citizens.

Rossland, B. C., May 3 .- The proposed law as to alien miners having to tificate is causing much talk here, and legislature. Strong petitions against pick up more on the way. it are going up from all parts of British It is proposed to organize Columbia, the principal argument being that without American energy the mining wealth of the country would Eighty-three Americans today applied for miner's licenses at a fee of \$5 each per annum, some for one year, some for two, and some for three years. There can side who have previously taken out will be. licenses for several years, and these, the new law, if it becomes a law, will not be able to touch. There will probably be a rush of American miners at other points to get miners' certificates before the law is signed.

THE GUTHRIE CALAMITY.

Five More Bodies Recovered From the Debris.

Kansas City, May 3 .- A special to the Times from Guthrie, O. T., says: Five more bodies were recovered from The action was due to the receipt of a river. The bodies of Henry Simmons front truck was broken at the reverse and Mrs. Watson and child were found her breast, in which position both met death. Scores of organized searching parties are at work, but progress is slow, since tons of debris must be dug rison street. over in the search. It is believed the rushing waters of the Cimarron conceal many corpses. The Cimarron is two miles north, and when the flood came the waters of the Cottonwood joined it. The Cimarron's bottom contains quicksand, and it is one of the most treacherous streams in the country. It flows into the Arkansas in Pawnee county, and it is believed several bodies, if not buried in the sand, have been carried to the Arkansas, which is also very high.

THE PRESIDENT ASSENTS.

General Miles Will Go to the Seat of War in Greece.

today received the formal assent of the president for his projected trip to Tur- morning. It is of Texas granite, the key and Greece. The order read:

The president grants you permission to proceed, as soon as practicable, to the seat of war in the Levant, and by the respective governments con- ton. cerned, to visit the Turkish and Greek armies, or both, as, in your judgment, may be desirable. The president furmay, in your opinion, offer the best opportunity for military observation, and at such times as you may deem

most expedient." General Miles will be gone two or three months, as in addition to making a personal study of the mititary features of the contest between the Turks and Greeks, he proposes to inspect the military establishments of the principal European powers-Germany, France and England, and possibly Russia. The result of his observation will be embodied in an official report to the president.

Alonzo Lowe of Greenfield, Ind., has lifted one of his horses clear of the ground, and he can shoulder alone and carry a barrel of sugar.

A Severe Earthquake.

Washington, May 3 .- The United States consul at Guadeloupe, West Indies, has telegraphed the state department, under date of April 29, from Pointe-a-Pitre, as follows:

"A severe earrthquake occurred here, The loss is heavy and many were in-

Seven miles an hour is the camel's limit, nor can it maintain this rate of Commerce, was tonight convicted of miles an hour.

A CO-OPERATIVE SCHEME.

Chicago Unemployed Propose to March to Utah.

Chicago, May 3 .- The Record says: Another movement similar to that which General Coxey organized a few years ago, and which is designed to take an army of unemployed men on a long trip across the country, is being quietly organized, and it is said that in June it will "move," having its starting point in this city.

It differs from that which was productive of the famous "keep-off-theassistance, and succeeded in rescuing grass" by-term, in that it does not have the national capital as its objective point, and it is not designed to ask the national government for aid for any one. If the present plans are carried ried. He had lived in this country out, when the "army" reaches the end of its destination it will at once go to work as a co-operative commonwealth, and the leaders will attempt to prove that the working people can provide for themselves out of the abundance of the their labor.

It is said that with the adjournment of the convention of the American Railway Union, which will meet in this city in June, the time will have arrived for the order to march, and it is further said that President E. V. near Clatsop spit, and that both captain Debs and other men prominent in railand boatpuller drowned. The report road organizations are among the prime is evidently true, although neither the movers in the scheme. Utah is to be that 200 volunteers headed by a priest number of the boat nor the names of and a prominent physician have joined the men were given. The report was the haven of rest, and once there every man will be on an equal footing with brought up by a fisherman, who had councils to do business with when publie improvements are needed and the people decide to make them. The people will do this themselves.

It is said that figures have been gathered which show that there are now 100,000 men and women out of employment in Chicago. It is not expected declare intentions to become citizens that anywhere near this number will before they can take out a miner's cer- make the trip to Utah, but it is believed by men prominent in the movethere are still hopes that it will not be ment that the army will move with

It is proposed to organize the cooperative commonwealth along the same lines as those laid down by the socialists, the means of production and disnot have been discovered, and without tribution are to be the common propit this wealth cannot be developed, erty of the community, and may be used by any member thereof.

Whether the proposition will be submitted to the convention of the railroad organization has not been decided, but are many prospectors from the Ameri. it said that it is more than likely it

SPEED WAS TOO GREAT.

Reason Assigned by Jury for Portland Street-Car Accident.

Portland, Or., May 3 .- The coroner's jury impaneled Wednesday to hold an inquest over the bodies of Catherine Baillie, Newton Hansen, W. W. Blanchard and M. C. Benninger, who died from the effects of injuries received in the street-car accident on East Morrison street last Tuesday, rendered a verdict yesterday afternoon in which they found that the accident was mainly due the debris left by Wednesday's storm to the high rate of speed traveled by under a pile of hay near the Cimarron. tions of having first left the rails. Mrs. Watson had her child clutched to Much evidence was taken during the day from both persons on the car at the time, and from others familiar with mechanics and the track on East Mor-

The majority of those on the car stated that it was traveling faster than is permitted by the city ordinances. One witness, Mr. Philip Flood, who stood on the front platform with the motorman, stated that the car was not going faster than was customary at that point, and that it was thoroughly under the motorman's control until the curve was reached.

CONFEDERATE MONUMENT.

Unveiled at Dallas With a Eulogy or Jefferson-Davis.

Dallas, Tex., May 3.—The Confederate monument erected through the Washington, May 3 .- General Miles efforts of the Daughters of the Confedshaft being fifty feet high. At the top of the column stands a private. At the base on four pedestals are life-sized statues of Jefferson Davis, R. E. Lee, if authority therefor be granted to you Stonewall Jackson and Sidney Johns-

Jefferson Davis, jr., pulled the cord that unveiled the statue of his grandfather. Lucy Hays did the same for ther grants you authority, while in Robert Lee, and a little grandaughter Europe, to visit such other countries as of Stonewall Jackson completed the unveiling by pulling the cords which removed the veils from the statues of

Jackson and Johnston. After the young ladies representing Southern states decorated the monument with flowers, John H. Reagan, the only surviving member of the Confederate cabinet, delivered a eulogy upon President Davis.

Went Through a Bridge. Warrenton, O., May 3 .- An engine and fourteen cars of a freight train, on the Wheeling & Lake Erie railway, went through a bridge near here today, and plunged into a creek. Engineer James Garletter was scalded to death. Fireman Edward Munn and Brakeman C. E. Keyser, both received broken legs and were otherwise injured severely.

Uruguayan Revolution Failing. Buenos Ayres, May 3 .- The Urnguayan insurgents accuse the revolutionary committee here of inaction. The leading chiefs are withdrawing

from the movement, and its failure is freely predicted. Banker Convicted of Embezzlement.

New Orleans, May 3 .- William P. Nichols, president of the defunct Bank bank's funds.

NORTHWEST BREVITIES

Evidence of Steady Growth

and Enterprise.

ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST

From All the Cities and Towns of the Thriving Sister States -Oregon.

Wild pigeons are flying along Coos river, and the gunners are out. Six carloads of wheat were shipped

from Eugene to Portland last week. There is much activity in Douglas county hopyards this year, and few, if any, yards will go uncultivated.

In digging a well on the Warm Springs reservation recently, George earth without dividing the products of Krause found human bones and teeth at a depth of forty feet.

Six or eight Greeks in Astoria sold out their nets and other fishing gear last week, and, with the money, started back to aid the mother country in her struggle with Turkey. The semiannual statement of the

March 31 last showed that the county's liabilities amounted to \$136,004, and the resources to \$87,944. Two pairs of Mongolian pheasants from Oregon have been turned loose in Rockbridge county, Virginia, where

financial condition of Grapt county

they will be carefully protected in the effort being made to propogate them. The firm to secure the government work of the upper Coquille is arranging for the commencement of the work. The improvement will be confined largely to points between Robert's landing and Rackleff's mill, or about one

mile below Myrtle Point. Hood River has doubled the acreage come a law, although it has passed the several thousand men, and that it will of its strawberries this spring. The new plants will not bear this year, but next year should have a full crop, and this next year should furnish 1,500,000 pounds of crimson lusciousness, or 750 tons, says The Dalles Chronicle.

Dairying in Curry county is in full blast. The number of cows has not been decreased by the hard winter, but, owing to the inreeased demand for eattle and the better prices paid, more calves will be raised and the output of butter will probably not equal that of last year.

The Tillamook Lumbering Company is operating its water pipe factory night as well as day, for the purpose of filling an order for about 21/2 miles of pipe, which is required to extend the water system at Kalama, in Washington. It will require about 50,000 feet of lumber. The pipe will be shipped on the

steamer Harrison. Union county butchers are becoming somewhat uneasy over the prospect of securing beef cattle for this season's business. Heretofore it has been an easy task to secure all the beeves they needed at any time, but the unusual dein West Guthrie. The bodies of car No. 52 at the time of the accident. Change former conditions. Not only An opinion was also expressed in the are haves purchasing all the salable the agreed-upon reforms for Cuba. were found on the west bank of the verdict that the forward axle of the are buyers purchasing all the salable steers they can find, but they appear

Washington.

Potatoes are plentiful in the Kittitas valley, and are selling at \$9 a ton.

The business men of Snohomish are working to get a hospital for that city. A farmers' institute will be held in Ellensburg during the first week in June.

A movement has been started in Oakesdale to raise a fund to help the Greeks.

Frank Terry is to be the new Indian agent for the Crows at Puyallup Indian reservation.

Klickitat county farmers shipped three tons of bacon from The Dalles to Rossland last week.

Mate Jenner, an old '49er, drowned in Pemiahmoo bay, near Blaine, last \$21; feed meal, \$21. week. His boat capsized during a heavy wind.

Stevens county millmen are beginning to ship their lumber to British Columbia. A great deal of brick and lime goes the same way.

The monthly report of the Spokane public schools for April shows that the enrollment is 556 larger than that at the end of April last year.

A \$10,000 damage suit against the town of Asotin was decided last week by a jury in favor of the town.

Tekoa is said to have a Young Ladies' Pedestrian Club, the members of which get up at 5 o'clock in the morning and take walks for their health.

The injunction restraining the construction of the Snohomish county rutabagas, per sack, 50c; carrots, per courthouse has been dissolved, and once sack, 40@50c; cabbage, per 100 lbs, more Everett will try to get the county \$1.50; onions, per 100 lbs, \$4,25. seat on a firm foundation.

The corporations throughout Washington are generally complying with the new law requiring the payment of an steers, 7c; cows, 6 ½c; mutton, sheep, annual fee of \$10. Last week in one 8 ½c per pound; lamb, 5c; pork, 6 ½c per day \$40 was received from this source pound; veal, small, 8c. by the secretary of state.

Indian Commissioner Barge has re turned to North Yakima from Montana, and will be joined this week by Commissioner Hoyt, when negotiations with the Yakima Indians will be re- salt sides, 61/4c per pound. sumed. Commissioner Goodwin has gone East on a leave of absence.

A resident of Walla Walla last week took 1,300 stock hogs to Nebraska. The hogs were bought for 3 cents a pound by a Nebraska man, who bought 30,000 bushels of corn at from 10 to 11 cents a bushel before the hogs arrived.

The experts at work on the books of per cental. Whatcom county have finished the work in all the county offices except the treasurer's, and are at work in that de partment now. The work in that office will take about two month's time, as there are over 16,000 receipts to check

WEEKLY MARKET LETTER.

Downing, Hopkins & Company's Review

With a large cash demand for wheat at all points, with stocks being reduced to a lower point than in years by the end of the crop, and with prospects for an average crop of winter wheat very poor, it is enough to warrant the maintenancee of present values, and also the prevalence of good prices for wheat for the coming twelve months. How high prices will go depends on three things—speculation, crop prospects, and the war. There will be a short crop of winter wheat for the third consecutive year. The conditions are also uncertain for as large an acreage of spring as was expected earlier in the season, owing to the wet weather and the latenes of the seeding in some sections. High prices, however, will stimulate farmers in the Northwest to get in as large an acreage as possible. There has been a good deal of seeding, but in the Red River valley, where a large part of the crop is grown, there is too much water to admit of early seeding. Kansas gives good promise, but a change for the worse may come. The only things that can injure the crop are hot winds and sand storms. The outlook in California is uncertain. Reports say that hot winds have deteriorated the crop. Latest reports from France and Russia are against large crop of winter wheat, but in the other foreign countries there is promise of about an average yield. Stocks, however, are low, and consumers will go into the new crop with less then the

usual quantity. Greece and Turkey are not important factors as wheat growers, the former raising 4,800,000 bushels, and the latter 24,000,000 bushels. Bulgaria, Servia, Roumania, and Montenegro raise 125,000,000 bushels. A liberal proportion of their crop is exported to the continent. If Greece has a navy of sufficient strength to prevent a free export movement of wheat from these countries, it might make a great difference in the supplies of the continent.

Market Quotetions.

Portland, Or., May e, 1397. Flour-Portland, Salem, Cascadia and Dayton, \$4.00; Benton county and White Lily, \$4.00; graham, \$3.40; superfine, \$2.75 per barrel.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 78@74c; Val-

ley, 76c per bushel. Oats-Choice white, 38@40c per

bushel; choice gray, 37@39c. Hay-Timothy, \$14.00@15.00 per ton; clover, \$12.00@13.50; wheat and

oat, \$12.00@18.50 per ton. Barley—Feed barley, \$16.50 per ton; brewing, \$18@19. Millstuffs - Bran, \$14.50; shorts, \$16.50; middlings, \$26.

Butter—Creamery, 35c; dairy, 25@ 27½c; store, 17½@30c per roll. Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 50@65c; Garnet Chilies, 55@65c; Early Rose, 80@85c per sack; sweets, \$2.75 per cental for Merced; new potatoes, 8c

per pound. Onions-\$2.50@2.75 per cental Poultry-Chickens, mixed, \$2.75@ .50; geese, \$5.00@7.00; turkeys, live, 12%c; ducks, \$4.00@5.00 per dozen.

Eggs-Oregon, 10@11c per dozen. Cheese-Oregon, 11 1/40; Young America, 12% per pound. Wool-Valley, 12 1/2 per pound; East-

ern Oregon, 6@8c. 200 Hops—4@7c per pound. Beef — Gross, top steers, \$3.50; cows, \$2.25@3.00; dressed beef, 4@

6c per pound. Mutton-Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, \$3.50@3.75; dressed mutton, 6c per pound.

Hogs-Gross, choice, heavy, \$4.00@ 4.25; light and feeders, \$2.50@3.00; dressed \$4.50@5.25 per cwt. Veal-Large, 31/2 @40; small, 4@ 6 per pound.

Seattle, Wash., May 4, 1897. Wheat—Chicken feed, \$28 per ton. Oats-Choice, \$28@24 per ton. Barley-Rolled or ground, \$20 per

Corn-Whole, \$21 per ton; cracked, Poultry-Chickens, live, per pound,

hens, 10c; ducks, \$6 @ 6.50 Flour-(Jobbing)-Patent excellent, \$4.80; Novelty A, \$4.50; California

brands, \$4.90; Dakota, \$5.65; patent, \$6.40. Millstuffs-Bran, \$14.00 per ton; shorts, \$18.

Feed-Chopped feed, \$18.00 per ton; middlings, \$22; oilcake meal, \$30. Hay—Puget sound, per ton, \$12.00; Eastern Washington, \$15.

Butter - Fancy native creamery, brick, 18c; ranch, 14@15; California, 934. Cheese—Native Washington, 12c.

Vegetables-Potatoes, per ton, \$14.00 @14; parsnips, per sack, 75c; beets, per sack, 60c; turnips, per sack, 60c; Sweet potatoes-Per 100 lbs. \$4.00.

Eggs-Fresh ranch, 131/6@14c. Fresh Meats-Choice dressed beef,

Fresh Fish - Halibut, 416@50; salmon, 6@8e; salmon trout, 7@10e; flounders and soles, 3@4c. Provisions-Hams, large, 1116; hams,

small, 11%c; breakfast bacon, 10c; dry Fruits-Lemons, California, fancy, \$2.50@3; choice, \$; Cal fornia fancy navals, \$3@3.50.

San Francisco, May 4, 1897. Potatoes-Salinas Burbanks, 90c@ \$1.10; Early Rose, 60@70c; River Burbanks, 50@65c; sweets, \$1.40@1.60

Onion#-\$2.25@3.00 per cental. Eggs-Ranch, 101/2 @ 12c per dozen. Butter-Pancy creamery, 13@14; do seconds, 13@13%c; fancy dairy, 12c; seconds, 11@12c.

Cheese-Fancy mild, new, 61/4 @7c; fair to good, 51/66e; Young America, 1@8c; Eastern, 14@14%c.

THE TURKS REPULSED.

The Gracks Held Their Own at Velestino Junction.

Athens, May 3 .- A telegram just received here says a great battle has been fought at Velestino, between a Turkish force of 8,000 and General Smolenski's brigade. The dispatch states that the repeated charges of the Turks were repulsed with enormous losses.

The headquarters staff of the Greek a-my at Pharsala has been completely changed. General Macris and Colonela Saponulzakis, Mastropas and Antoniades have resigned and started for

Battle Raged All Day.

Athens, May 8 .- The battle of Velestino raged fiercely from sundown until 10 o'clock this morning. The Greeks have been reinforced, the reinforcements arriving at a critical stage of the fight. General Smolenski telegraphs that the Turks will be unable to capture Pharsala because the Greek position is strong and the morale of the Greek troops completely restored.

Why the Turkish Attack Eailed. London, May 3 .- The Chronicle's correspondent at Pharsala telegraphs:

The Turks attacked Velestino Junction Tuesday night with four squadrons of cavalry and a battery of horse artillery. The large force of Greeks beat the Turks off, but not before they had displaced half a dozen rails and cut the wires. The latter were repaired and on Wednesday the train service was resumed.

Fighting was renewed Wednesday night, but without special results. On Thursday night, the Turks assembled in great force in the direction of Veles-tino. The Turks made an attack before dawn, but were successfully repulsed. Three times in the course of the morning was the attack repeated, each time from a different direction, and each time the result was a repulse. Apparently it was intended that the at-tacks should be simultaneous, but this plan failed, owing to lack of proper organization. The Turks, however, pushed the attack with the utmost determination for six hours, and only abandoned the attempt to seize the

junction about noon. The Greeks behaved well. The third brigade and artillery particularly distinguished themselves under General Smolenski. The Turkish losses were beavy. The Greek loss was much lighter. Colonel Janninosta, with the Eighth regiment, pursued the Turks several miles.

Full-grown and mature men, well armed, though without uniforms, are arriving here with every train. They are supplied with ammunition. The transport service is improving rapidly. Heliograph and night watching signals have been established, covering the entire territory occupied by the forces. An excellent spirit animates the men, who work hard from 5 in the morning until 7 in the evening, besides sleeping on their arms at night.

The Turks Claim It.

Constantinople, May 3.—The Turk-ish government has issued the follow-ing annuncement: "Far from being repulsed at Velestino, the imperial troops continued their victorious march

Another Retreat Probable. London, May 8 .- The Times correspondent at Athens says: "The news from Thessaly is unfavorable. Fighting at Velestino was resumed this morning. The Greek right repelled vigorous cavalry charges, but their left was compelled to retire. It is feared their position at Pharsala will be outflanked. thus compelling a retreat to Demokos.

Turkey's Terms of Peace. New York, May 3.-A World special from Washington says: The terms of peace which Turkey has offered Greece have reached the Washington legation.

They are as follows: The restoration of the boundary fixed by the treaty of 1831, which gave to Turkey all of Thessaly, including its extensive seacoast; the evacuation by Greece of Prevesa and other points in the province of Epirus; the withdrawal of Greek troops from Crete and the acceptance of the plan of autonomy offered the island by the porte, and the payment of a war indemnity large enough to cover the expense of the mobilizing of the Turkish troops.

Both Want to Fight.

London, May 3 .- It is semi-officially stated that there is reason to believe that European intervention between Turkey and Greece in the present position of affairs is regarded as wholly impracticable, both Greece and Turkey having resolved to continue the war. The powers are thus obliged to stand aside until one of the combantants is finally defeated.

Americans Had the Advantage.

London, May 3 .- In the house of commons today the presidentt of the board of trade, C. T. Ritchie, replying to Sir Charles Howard Vincent, conservative and free trader, said the government was not prepared to compel companies applying for new railway charters to buy their equipment in the United Kingdom. In the case of the Waterloo City railway, Mr. Ritchie added, twenty-two cars had been ordered in America, because out of seven English firms tendering bids for the work, not one was able to deliver the stock in the time required by the railroad company.

Sisterville, W. Va., May 3 .- Last night Mrs. Shock, an aged lady living at Adonis, was tortured and robbed by a negro and white man, who forced an

Aged Woman Tortured by Thieves.

entrance into her home. The fiends brutally beat her bare feet with switches, burned them with candles, and also burned the hair from her head and roasted one ear. The woman finally told where her money was hidden, and the robbers secured \$500 and escaped. The woman will probably die.