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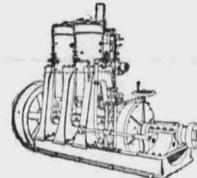
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### EXPORT TRADE REMAINS ACTIVE

Prospects of General Business of the rattroads bearing rates of interest over Country Steadily Improving.

REVIEW OF THE EASTERN WAR

Compact of the Powers. According to Bears Clews, Stronger Than Ever to Maintain the l'eace of Europe

and when the combatants have exhaust- of duty.

policies and ambitions.

siderable establishment of mutual those of sellers. onfidence between the Powers, Preedents have been established for future guidance at the most sensitive point in European politics; which will tend to facilitate future action in this always Washington, April 29.-Senator Orville unsettled question, And,-which is H. Platt, of Connecticut, was married still more important—the supposed de- today to Mrs. Jennie P. Hoyt, of Upper funct earlier concert of the powers has Mont Claire, N. J., at the home of the minister of finance, M. Simopoulo; minbeen invested with new life and has bride. Few of Senator Platt's colnarmonlous co-operation for the main- nuptials enance of the peace of Europe, Lord Salisbury comprehended the practical mportance of this peace-protecting Federation of Europe," for such it virtually is;-a union for the protection of continent against wanton intrusions

and thereby impart an important stim- Pacific. ulus to forms of enterprise which have at no very distant date, prove to be Europe. In any event, that is about time." the conclusion Wall street has reached; and it is therefore disposed to concentrate its attention upon influences pearer home and dismiss the Turks and

ourse of investments There are plenty of home tendencies ust now to occupy the hopeful atten- speed tion of the Stock Exchange. The stendy drift of investments to a lower rate of interest is a matter very directly affeeting the future market price of Central companies for converting each the widow of the late General Phil Sher- Greek positions at Pharsalos. 100 millions of their mortgages into idan, and that the wedding will take The Daily Mall's correspondent says bonds bearing 3½ per cent, is a striking place in the near future.

### affairs become more settled here and among foreign holders of our securities

The amount of our bonded debt of our per cent, was in 1895 as follows: From 4 to 5 per cent..... \$1.171,600,000

1.096,900,000 6 to 7 528,000,000 7-40 8 8 10 9 27,000,000 9 to 10 ... 13,400,000 10 per cent, and above 11,800,000

This shows that there is outstanding 1.196 millions, or 40 per cent., of our entire railroad bonded debt, now bearing rates of interest over 4 per cent. This Americans last Saturday and Monday, the first place, it will leave a larger tive atmostphere has cleared up, with next, it tends to increase the price of of the Eastern question, London, Paris reached a point in the development of

sufficient reason why the financial mar- that is expressed in some other circles. kets of the world should be held in The senate is showing more desire to lations and to pay indemnity.

w existing by mutual understandings; of all theoretic differences about rates ed themselves they will fall as the pot- The expert trade remains active, the ter's clay into stronger hands, to be shipments for March having exceeded easily molded into such readjustments those for the same month of any year as the Powers may think most condu- in the history of the country. Concive to international peace. It thus tracts have been made for shipping turns out that affairs have drifted into large amounts of produce so soon as and dangerous derangements. When to be continued. The light stocks of New spark device; no internal spring that final adjustment comes, it may wheat in Europe and the expected faitvantages. Pending their discussion, are factors in favor of full prices for in high quarters, where it is declared and almost everywhere made possible cleared off level as a table, and reness We are building these new style, self- the Powers have had to show their wheat; which would benefit this counhands to each other quite plainly try, especially should the weather con-There has been an indirect reveiation of duce to some recovery of our wheat crop state policies, and the different govern- prospects. Taken as a whole, the asments now understand each other's at- peets of the present outlook appear, in suggested and urged that Cape Punta, egations on off days and with other peo- the dead. Excited negroes who had titudes on questions which have long my view, very favorable to a steady kept them jeajous of each other's improvement in the market for securi-

> HENRY CLEWS. SENATOR PLATT MARRIED.

OPPOSITION LINE.

Francisco With Coast Branches.

upon the public peace by small and ill- ship line is to be established between the Turkish army beyond Velestino, in the broad corridor, into which it opens, traffic since the flood. regulated governments. It does not San Francisco and Japan, to be known direction of Aivaile. A battalion of from an ordinary ball to a charming seem too much to hope that this achieve- as the San Francisco and Yokohama Evsones and a battery of artiflery have sitting room, with old furniture, much ment will henceforth tend to establish Transportation Company. A monthly been sent to reinforce the Greeks, whose of it historic, that Mr. Arthur picked better relations between the great pow- service is to be established between the positions appear to be favorable. ers and to deminish that paralyzing two points via Honoiulu. Five first- The Greeks have captured a magaapprehension of impending war which, class steamers will be operated and zine at Philipania, with a large quanyears past, has returned every probably a branch line will be main- titly of ammunition and 10,000 shells. spring. The mitigation of that political tained between Yokohama and Seattle There have been a number of minor distrust may easily have most import- and Portland. The first steamer of the skirmishes today along the line. ant effects in the restoration of finan- new line, the Hakusan Maru, left Hocial confidence. It is calculated to notulu April 5 and is nearly due at this abate the reservations maintained port. The new company will be in opamong the large European bankers position to the existing lines across the

PRESIDENT WINTERS RESIGNS. the direct cause of a great revival of President Winter's resignation it was France and Rusisa at Constantinople, industrial and commercial confidence. said in railroad circles today that at- have asked the Turkish government to It is probable that these foreshadow- tempts would be made at today's meet- grant. Greece an armistice, ings from current events is at the bot- ing of the Northern Pacific directors tom of the recovery of steadiness on to accept President Winter's resignathe European bourses. The events of tion and elect Colonel Lamont, A promthe war are now having little effect on | inent director in the company said on those markets, apparently because the this point: "There may have been some much relieved by the change of minisconclusion has been reached that the hope in the minds of certain persons ters, and it is now believed that all Powers have the whole matter in con- to elect Mr. Lamont in Mr. Winter's serious danger of internal disorders is trol, and that, when they choose to place but that is as far as the matter removed. Owing to the absence of M. intervene, the flual settlement will be went. No decision with regard to the Teotoaki the new cabinet will not take nade in the interest of a more satis- election of Mr. Winters' successor was the oath until tomorrow. fastory basis of the future peace of arrived at and may not be for some

#### CENSURE THE COMPANY,

Greeks as factors of but second or third today completed the investigation of the to the defections from their opponents. rate importance in determining the street car disaster of last Tuesday, They returned a verdict that the car was traveling at an unsafe rate of

#### MARSHALL FIELD TO MARRY.

### SULTAN'S TERMS OF PEACE KNOWN

Crete---Greece to Pay Indemnity.

But the Turks Are All But Winners of

the Contest -- l'owers Will Interfere, says the powers will oppose by force, Senator. if necessary, the blockade or bombard-

peace, in the hope of preserving the territorial integrity of Greece spondent at Berlin, is of the interven-

tions as a basis for peace from Crete and the re-establishment of the frontier of 1831, Greece to be for the report, and say it may be held tained all during the weary night. For excluded from all advantages of capttu-

TURKISH VICTORIES.

ish victories have enormously raised the military spirit of the Turks and the confidence thus inspired in Turkey's vitality is removing the dissatisfaction Party of Teachers Call at the White felt with the present regime, while at

Empire harder of realization. Out of all this will come some con- buyers as being more promising than quired to pay a big indemnity.

#### GREECE'S NEW CABINET,

Athens, April 29.-The following Is corrected this evening: Premier and minister of marine, M. Ralli; minister of war, M. Tsamovos; ister of education, M. Carapanos; min-

#### GRECIAN VICTORIES.

Athens, April 29.-11 a. m.-A corre-

#### AN ARMISTICE ASKED

Berlin, April 29.-The Frankfort Zeltung publishes a dispatch from Constantinople saying that owing to the Greek foreign minister having made a request to the Russian minister at Ach-New York, April 29.—In reference to ens, the ambassadors of Great Britain,

#### QUIET IN ATHENS.

Athens, April 29.—Public tension

M. Delyannis appears to be assured by a majority of the legislative assembly, but it is possible that he will support the cabinet. The new ministers, on the other hand, are confident of 75 and 76c; Walla Walla, 73 and 74c. Portland. April 29 .- The coroner's jury continuing a working majority, owing The city tonight is quiet.

AFFAIRS ALARMING.

London, April 29,-The Athens corre spondent of the Standard says: The Turkish army, or its advance guard, has Chicago, April 29.-The News says It followed up the success before Larissa Walter C. Smith and wife to L. E. nents of the Lake Shore and New York cles that Marshall Field is engaged to day) began an attack in force on the

the news from Greece continues alarm-

ing, as he understands that a Russian ship is lying at Piracus, the port of Athens, ready to embark the royal fam-

VETOED CURFEW BILL.

Lansing, Mich., April 29.-Governor Greek Troops Must Withdraw From Pingree vetoed the curfew bill, which provided for the arrest of children allowed on the streets after 8 p. m. The governor characterized the act as interference by the state in matters of pure 347,200,000 NEW MINISTRY AT ATHENS by domestic concern.

TURKS ADVANTAGE

Both Turks and Greeks Have Made Victories Athens. April 30.-I a. m.-A dispatch from Pharsalos dated yesterday (Thursday) at 4 p. m. says that a Turkish army corps from Larissa has occupied Trikkala unresisted.

TARIFF BILL DELAYED.

to Stop Legislation.

merce. It is believed in Rome that the new Greek ministry will treat for Nevada, who holds the balance of pow. seems a certainty that the loss of life er, has joined with the democrats of the in the deluge will not exceed twenty. All talk now, says the Mail's corre- porting the tariff bill direct to the day to have been drowned, have been members. This move is a disappoint- wood down the stream on the west quences of defeat, and it is said in Ber- the administration. The bill will have miles. lin official circles that the powers will to be reported to the full committee. During the greater part of yesterday intervene of their own initiative if and the democratic members of the a roaring torrent of water cut off com-Greece does not invite them. Accord- committee say that, while they do not munication with the submerged district, ing to a Constantinopie dispatch the intend to obstruct the measure, they and in the general excitement the death sultan will accept the following condi-propose to take time for its careful con-The withdrawal of the Greek troops before the senate. The democrats re- trees, overturned houses, or timbers in

#### THE SCHOOL MISTRESS.

House and See Mrs. McKinley.

Washington, April 29.-It is not the schoolmaster, but the schoolmistress, Great guiches had been wa The advantages which Turkey will de- that is abroad in the land. The teachers streets, gardens were devastated, fruit rive from the war are already discussed come from the East and from the West trees leveled, lawns and flower beds that Turkey should in any case be re- by distance to spend Easter holidays in completey gone. leased from the obligations imposed Washington. Of course they "take in" All day the rescuers worked incesupon her in regard to Crete and the the White House, and, it may be added, santly, and every house, drift pile and rectification of the frontier. It is also the president, who receives them by dei- tree was closely examined in search of opposite Prevesa at the entrance of the ple on the regular reception days. They climbed to the roof of a house held an Guif of Arta, should be restored to are not always so certain of seeing the all-day prayer meeting, and their shoutties, and we regard the prospects of Turkey, and that Greece should be re- president's wife, and when this pleasure ing could be plainly heard in Guthrie. is given it completely rounds out their They were all finally rescued. the official list of the new cabinet as President Carfield was one of the first tained by the crops may be several visitors. Mrs. Garfield, who has spent times greater. a month in Washington with her daughter, Mrs. J. Stanley Brown, left the city yesterday. During her stay she has been delightfully entertained at say goodby to Mrs. McKinley.

ombination when he called it "the Steamers Between Yokohama and San spondent of the Associated Press says received, and where she likes to see her swept away, however, and the highways that a dispatch from Pharsalos says friends informally. It is a bright, sun- are practically impassable. It will be that General Smolentski's brigade has my room, and it was made attractive by some days before ordinary business can San Francisco, April 29,--A new steam- been engaged in a tierce conflict with President Arthur, who also transformed be resumed. There has been no railroad up about the White House. The library joy the opportunity of meeting the pres- miles wide.

#### CREATED A SENSATION.

militee to investigate the charge re-ury. ently made that certain members of that body had attempted to extert money from persons as the price of their favorable votes.

#### THE MARKETS.

San Francisco, April 29.-Hops-Sc and

New York, April 29,-Hope-Dull. London, April 29.-Hops-60s and 80s. Liverpool, April 28.-Wheat-Un-

Portland, April 29.-Wheat- Valley

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

In the recorders' office yesterday the following deeds were filed for record: The Grimes Grove Land Co., plat opening twelve blocks to Bala and dedicating public streets in

Parsons, lots 1 to 8, 41 to 48, Astor addition to Astoria..... \$ 5 Fred H. Renaud to Loyal Loomis, bond for deed to lots 14 and 29, block 6, O'Hara's ...... 100 00 CO., NEW YORK.

# OF THE CALAMITY

Pifteen Hundred People Homeless---Blocks of Houses Swept Away.

LIST OF DEAD NOT SO GREAT

Rescuing Parties Doing Good Work-Loss to Town Property and to the Farms Will Be Very Great.

Guthrie, O. T., April 29.-In the floodstricken valley of the Cottonwood river nates whose lives were still endanger-Chicago, April 29.-The Post's Wash- ed and for the relief of the hundreds ington special says: Senator Jones, of of destitute and hungry, Tonight is finance committee in objecting to re. All day missing peops supposed yesterenate as framed by the republican found clinging to the bushes of driftment to the republican senators and to bluffs, or scattered in farm houses for

sideration before permitting it to come found dozens of people still clinging to fuse to let the republicans name a day perilous positions which they had madnin the committee for two or three miles along the scene of devastation weeks. The chances for the early pags- fifteen hundred people, homeless and age of the bill are diminishing and it half ill from exposure and hunger. may be August before it goes to the passed the miserable night. There was a confused mass of debris and overturned houses scattered over the valley where last night was a sea of water. The banks were littered with the carcasses of horses, cattle, hogs and chickens. Whole blocks where yesterday stood a home on nearly every lot are stripped bare; huge trees, torn up

visit to the natonal capital. On Friday It is still impossible to accurately esa large party of these clever young timate the loss to property and crops. women came just in the nick of time The damage to property will be in the to meet Mrs. McKinley. The widow of neighborhood of \$100,000, while that sus-

#### WATERS RECEDING.

El Reno, O. T., April 29.-The flood the White House, and her call was to of the Canadian river is falling almost as rapidly as it rose, and tonight the A number of the teachers were pres- water has so far receded from the botsented to Mrs. Garfield before going toms that the farmers are returning up to the library, where Mrs. McKinley to their homes. All bridges have been

Independence, Kan., April 29.-Tonight has a homelike atmosphere, and is es. it is reported that four feet of water pecially pleasant for Mrs. McKinley's surrounds the depot at Elk City and small, informal and almost every-day that the Verdigris river has risen there receptions. Though in no sense puble until the greater part of the town is receptions, neither are they by card in | inundated, Further west the Caney rivvitation, but in the hour from 3 to 4 er is out of its banks between Peru and strangers who accompany friends en Caney, and at Caney the stream is two The Verdisris river is still rising slow-

It is said that Mr. Gage has a thorough knowledge of the Greek classics. That Dover, Del., April 29.—A sensation was is not a serious drawback, however, proreated today by the action of the house vided he also has a knowledge that will of representatives in appointing a com- enable him to darn the hole in the Treas-

ly at this point,



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