THE BALKAN AFFAIR.

BULGARIA ANXIOUS ABOUT HER NEW RULER.

The Czar Requested to Show His Hand—Comments of the Russian Press—Foreign Notes.

SOFIA, September 7.—M. M. Stambuloff and Radoslavoff appeared at the Russian consulate in this city today and in the name of the government demanded; first, the name of the candidate for the Bulgarian throne whom Russia favors; secondly, a formal promise that Russia will not occupy Bulgaria; third, that the present constitution be maintained, the freedom of Bulgaria respected and the country allowed to manage its domestic affairs; and, fourthly, that if Russia sends a General to Bulgaria he must act merely as a Minister of War, and organize the army under Bulgarian, not under Russian officers. These demands have been telegraphed to St. Petersburg and an answer is awaited.

Bulgarian nobles have joined in a petition to the Czar. They ask whether Russia will allow the National Assembly to elect a successor to Prince Alexander, and whether Russia will grant Bulgaria a loan. If their demands are not acceded to the notables intend to oppose the departure of Prince Alexander.

Prince Alexander has twice met the officers of his army, who called to persuade him to remain on the Bulgarian throne. On each occasion he besought them to refrain from opposing his departure. The officers expressed deep sorrow, but promised to follow the Prince's wish. Prince Alexander will leave Sofia September 13th.

Troops for Bulgaria.

VIENNA, September 7.—The *Neue Freie Presse* says that many troops are being shipped at Odessa, ostensibly for the Crimea, but really, it is believed, in readiness for action in Bulgaria.

The *Fremdenblatt* says: Prince Alexander's abdication was not an act of self sacrifice for the Bulgarian people. It was a noble act to avert dangers from the country. We hope that the question of succession will be peacefully and legally settled.

The *Presse* urges the government to pursue a sound, vigorous policy of compensation and to avoid the suicidal policy of pulling either Bulgarian or English chestnuts out of the Russian fire.

The *Neue Freie Presse* says: Austria does not need to feel any anxiety, as she is not compelled to approve of every Russian act. Peace obtained by Europe yielding always to Russian demands would be a precarious peace, and such a policy of yielding to Russia in her smaller demands would only encourage her to begin to struggle for the greater objects she has in view.

The Railroad Closed at Philippopolis.

PHILIPPOPOLIS, September 7.—Surprise is expressed here at Turkey still refusing to reopen the railway to Adrianople, closed during the threatening state of affairs following the deposition of Prince Alexander. The enforced idleness of the railroad is greatly injuring the large trade which depends on the line of transportation.

The Government's Policy Approved

LONDON, September 7.—The *Daily News* approves of the government's attitude on the Bulgarian question as explained by Sir J. Ferguson, Under Foreign Secretary, in the House of Commons yesterday.

Austrian and Russian Interests in the Balkans.

BERLIN, September 7.—The *North German Gazette* disputes the assertions of the British press that Austrian and Russian interests in the Balkans are conflicting. "They can easily be reconciled if they are conflicting," the *Gazette* says, "and to reconcile them is Germany's aim. Prince Bismarck can unhesitatingly express the conviction that Bulgaria is of no importance to Germany. As Prince Bismarck plays his cards *sur la table* with the friendly imperial powers, it is erroneous to suppose that any estrangement will arise between the three empires when the question of the succession to Prince Alexander is up for discussion, in as much as under Alexander's reign no enmity existed between Russia and Austria, although Alexander in a secondary sense ruled under Russian influence. The German nation shares in the conviction of its government that the events in Bulgaria do not affect the national interests of Germany, and that Germany only follows the right path. There need be no fear of Prince Bismarck sitting between two stools. On the contrary he has chosen a sure foundation and has three stools for his policy."

Comments of the Russian Press.

ST. PETERSBURG, September 7.—The *Novoe Vremya* advocates the formation of a Bulgarian regency which shall enjoy the confidence of Russia and inherit Prince Alexander's right to govern Eastern Roumelia. The same paper discusses the union of Bulgaria and Russia, and descants upon the advisability of a "temporary Russian military occupation," and refers to the policy of Russia affording material support to the new Bulgarian government without interfering in the interfering in the internal affairs of the country, "so as to harmonize Bulgaria's foreign policy with Russian Pan-Slavist interests." "Bulgaria as vassalage to Turkey," adds the *Novoe Vremya*, "would afford convenient conditions to realize the above combinations if Russia bought or obtained by other means Turkey's suzerain rights in Bulgaria."

The St. Petersburg *Gazette* (German) says the most equitable solution of the Bulgarian problem would be for Russia to occupy in Bulgaria a position similar to that occupied by Austria in Bosnia and Herzegovinia, the powers consenting, as in Austria's case.

The Czar's Reply to Prince Alexander.

RUSCHUK, September 7.—The Czar's reply to Prince Alexander's letter of August 30 h was not made public here until yesterday. It raised a storm of popular consternation and indignation. Many officers of the army advocate resistance if Russia forcibly deposes Prince Alexander against the will of the people.

FOREIGN MISCELLANY.

A Montreal Failure.

MONTREAL, QUEBEC, September 7.—The liabilities of Leopold E. Isaacs, the absconding tobacco merchant of this city, exceed $160,000, with practically no assets. It is stated that several forgeries and other swindling schemes have been brought to light and that steps will be taken to secure Isaacs's extradition. He is in Philadelphia.

Discussing the Earthquake.

LONDON, September 7.—The cablegram sent here from Washington containing the views of Maj. Powell on the causes of the Charleston earthquake was read at today's session of the geological branch of the British Science Association. The meeting was crowded by scholars anxious to hear the contents of the cablegram, and the dispatch provoked a lively discussion.

Sensational Reports of Trouble in Northern India.

PARIS, September 7.—The *Journal des Debats* publishes today a sensational report about an alleged uprising of the people of Northeastern India against British rule and in favor of Russian invasion. The report says that a number of Indian princes have followed Dhuleep Singh's example in joining Russia and in exhorting the people to throw off the "hated English yoke." The *Journal des Debats* says that grave events are imminent in Central Asia.

Troops for Ireland.

LONDON, September 7.—The Second Battalion of the Grenadier Guards embarked at Woolwich today for Ireland.

British Imports and Exports.

LONDON, September 7.—The returns issued by the Board of Trade show that the imports decreased during August, as compared with last year, £1,490,000 and the export increased £250,000.

Suspected of Treachery.

SIMLA, INDIA, September 7.—The Indian government suspect that Dhuleep Singh prompted the composition and circulation of the seditious proclamation recently issued throughout the Punjab calling on the natives to rise up against British authority and help Russia take possession.

Accept the Gift.

EDINBURGH, September 7.—The Town Council of Edinburgh have instructed the Lord Provost of the city to cable to Mr. Andrew Carnegie, of Pittsburg, the thanks of Edinburg for his donation of $250,000 to found a free library, and an acceptance of the gift.

British Trades Union Congress.

HULL, September 7.—The British Trades Union Congress today resolved to urge the government to increase the number of factory inspectors. The resolution says that the various acts passed for the benefit of the working men and woman of Great Britain are becoming a dead letter and will become practicably obsolete unless their operation be more closely supervised.

Russian Military Maneuvers.

ST. PETERSBURG, September 7.—The Czar, Czarina, Czarevitch and the Grand Dukes, accompanied by an imposing military suite, started today for Welna and Warsaw to witness the forthcoming army maneuvers.

Cholera Returns.

ROME, September 7.—Cholera returns for Italy: Ferrara, 22 cases, 11 deaths; Putignaus, 19 cases, 18 deaths; San Marco, 18 cases, 8 deaths; other districts, 58 cases, 21 deaths.

Fatal Accident.

PARIS, September 7.—Five men were killed and seven injured today at Luneville by the bursting of a steam boiler.

Parnell and the Land Bill.

LONDON, September 7.—The government will give Mr. Parnell two days next week for the discussion of his land bill.

Irish National League.

DUBLIN, September 7.—At the fortnightly meeting of the National League to day Mr. O'Brien announced that £3000 had been received from America since the last meeting. Mr. Kenny, in a speech, said: "On no condition will we allow our fellow countrymen to be thrown into the roadside during the coming winter. We will oppose such attempts by all lawful means, and these failing, we will resort to other means, which cannot possibly fail if Mr. Parnell's bill proves successful."

The Rev. Dr. Leahy, of the Catholic Diocese of Dromore, whose illness was announced yesterday, is sinking.

Police Leaving Belfast.

BELFAST, September 7.—A number of the county police who have been here on riot duty have departed for their regular stations. A body of others will be dismissed homewards next week.

British Parliament.

LONDON, September 7.—In the House of Commons this afternoon, Mr. Sexton gave notice that he would question Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chief Secretary for Ireland, as to the truth of the statement that a reporter in the employ of the British Government had been following Mr. Michael Davitt in his trip through Michigan and had taken down his speeches in full.

Sir J. E. Gorst, Under Secretary for India, stated that it was not true that the government intended to impose an import tax on cotton goods into India.

Sir J. Ferguson, Under Foreign Secretary, replying for the government to interrogatories, stated that the government possessed no information tending to support the rumor that the members of triple alliance contemplate the partition of Southeast Europe between them. Sir J. Ferguson denied that the government had decided to abandon the Island of Port Hamilton.

Successful Close of the Apache Campaign.

CHICAGO, ILL., September 7.—The *Inter-Ocean's* Maricopa, Ariz., special says: Gen. Miles makes public the successful close of the Apache war in the following telegram, dated Fort Bowie, Ariz.: "The hostile Apaches surrendered on the 4th to the troops in the field as prisoners of war. I arrived here last night with Geronimo, Natchez and three others. Capt. Lawton brings in the remainder. All will be shipped out of the country about 2000 miles east. I am also moving all from Fort Apache in the same direction."

St. Louis Brewing Troubles.

ST. LOUIS, MO., September 7.—The troubles between the striking union brewers of this city and their former employers has taken an interesting turn, and the union men find it difficult to supply their demand for beer which is not boycotted by some one or other. The union has boycotted beer brewed by the firms against which they are striking, and the latter refuse to sell to the saloons who sympathize with the strikers. Beer made in other cities and by firms popular with the union is therefore in great demand.

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For the Port of Memphis—The Details of Geronimo's Surrender to Gen. Miles.

WASHINGTON, September 7.—The following appointments were made today: Thomas F. Tobin, of Tennessee, to be Surveyor of Customs for the port of Memphis, Tenn.; Thomas C. Manning, of Louisiana, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Mexico; John Drayton, of South Carolina, to be Consul of the United States at Tuxpan; Charles H. Simonton, of Charleston, S. C., to be United States District Judge for the District of South Carolina.

Geronimo's Surrender.

WASHINGTON, September 7.—The following telegram, confirming the press dispatches, was received at the War Department this morning from Gen. O. O. Howard:

"FORT MASON, SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 7.

"To Adjutant General United States Army, Washington, D. C.:

"Gen. Miles has returned to Fort Bowie with Natchez, the son of Cochise, Geronimo and his brother, with three other Apaches, all as prisoners of war. The surrender is unconditional. Capt. Lawton is following the remainder of the hostiles, thirty-six adults and three children in all."

General satisfaction was expressed at the War Department upon the receipt of the news of Geronimo's surrender. Great praise is bestowed upon Gen. Miles for the excellent conduct of the campaign. Gen. Crook's work is not forgotten. It said the result of Gen. Crook's campaign was of great value to Gen. Miles, and the latter has substantially followed the plan outlined by his predecessor. With increased forces it has been possible to guard every water hole, and effectually defeat any attempt of the hostiles to return to their reservations. Gen. Drum, Acting Secretary of War, was in good spirits after the receipt of the official dispatch confirming the press reports of the surrender. He said that this was the end of a war running, with brief intermissions, through twenty-five years, and Gen. Miles deserved credit for his vigorous work. Capt. Lawton had also distinguished himself as a gallant officer, and his pursuit of the hostiles under adverse conditions and hardships was thoroughly commendable. The Acting Secretary was not prepared to say what disposition would be made of the captives, but certainly, he said, nothing would be done in the matter until the President's wishes were known. The original dispatch had been promptly transmitted to the Adirondacks for the information of the President, and until he had been heard from the Indians would be held in confinement at Fort Bowie, Ariz. Other officers of the department were especially gratified at learning that Geronimo's surrender was unconditional. The opinion prevails in some quarters that the Indians will be transferred to the custody of the Interior Department for a time, and that Geronimo and his lieutenants will ultimately be surrendered to the civil authorities of Arizona and put on trial for murder, with a result that would require little effort to guess. An officer of high rank, however, inclines to the belief that the President will never consent to surrender Geronimo to the civil authorities, but will order his trial by court martial if it should be regarded as proper to try him at all. The same officer says that the successful ending of the campaign would be of inestimable value to the Territory of Arizona, as the hostiles had so ravaged and harried an area of rich country 200 miles square as to render it uninhabitable.

Railway Service Mutual Benefit Association.

WASHINGTON, September 7.—The twelfth annual convention of the United States Railway Service Mutual Benefit Association began its regular session here this morning. There was a large attendance of members. First Assistant Postmaster General, Col. Stevenson, was introduced to the convention and made a very pleasant address of welcome. The president, Mr. Butricks, then made his annual address. The secretary, Mr. Baughman, in his annual report, which was read, stated that during the past year $6128 had been paid out for benefits, 151 new members had been admitted, fifty-one had been dropped and there were four deaths. The remainder of the morning session was taken up with a discussion of the system of graded assessments.

Short in His Accounts and Missing.

HARTFORD, CONN., September 7.—Thomas F. Plunkett, president of the Hartford Silk Company, and treasurer of the Union Manufacturing Company of Manchester, has disappeared. He was in New York August 31st, and has not since been heard from. Resignations of his offices recently found indicate that he has gone away, and has not met with foul play, as was feared at first. A receiver was today appointed for the Hartford Silk Company. Mr. Plunkett was a prominent citizen and a director in a bank and other companies, and his disappearance is a great shock to his friends.

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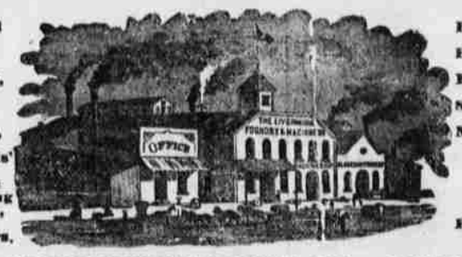

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BY order of the Board of Directors of the Memphis Gas Light Company, made July 5, 1886, a meeting of the stockholders of said company was called to be held on Monday, October 4, 1886, at the office of the company, in Memphis, at 12 m., to consider and act upon a contract made by the Board of Directors with Taxing District of Shelby county, a copy of which contract has been sent by mail to each stockholder. In further pursuance of said order of the Board, notice of said meeting is hereby given to the stockholders of said company, and they are earnestly requested to be present, or send proxies with their instructions as to the voting of their stock upon this proposition to accept or reject said contract.

JOSEPH CRAIG,
Secretary of Memphis Gas Light Co.
September 1, 1886.

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—OF—

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No. 5753, R. D.—Chancery Court of Shelby county.—State of Tennessee vs. Sarah Morrison et al.

By virtue of an interlocutory decree for sale entered in the above cause on the 8th day of December, 1885, M. B. 50, page 321, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Clerk and Master's office, courthouse of Shelby county, Memphis, Tennessee, on

Saturday, September 25, 1886,

within legal hours, the following described property, situated in Shelby county, Tennessee, to-wit:

N. ½ lot 51, fronting 21½ feet on the east side of Chickasaw street by a depth of 148½ feet, said lot being 71¼ feet south of Winchester street. Sold as property of the unknown heirs of J. A. Gaskett.

Part of country lot 528, fronting 37 feet on the north side of Auction street, by a depth of 148½ feet. Sold as property of Sarah Morrison and others.

Lot 179, fronting 37½ feet on the east side of Main street, by 148½ feet deep, 74¼ feet north of Auction street.

Terms of Sale—On a credit of six months, note bearing interest, with security, required; lien retained; redemption barred.

This 27th day of August, 1886.

R. L. McDOWELL, Clerk and Master.
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