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Reports from the East give evidence of a good deal of fighting going on between the Turks and the insurgents, but it is difficult to get at the truth. One dispatch from Constantinople states that Mukhtar Pasha reports that the sanguinary battle on Sunday last, the insurgents numbered 17,000, and lost 1,000 killed and wounded, in addition to 400 on the previous two days. The Turks throughout the expedition lost 85 killed and 161 wounded. He declares the victory was decisive, in his favor.

On the other hand, Slavonic accounts of the battle of Sunday assert that Mukhtar Pasha was defeated and compelled to take refuge in Gatchko, and that in the four days fighting he lost 2,500 killed, while the insurgents only lost 400. Thus both sides claim the victory. This reminds us of the conflicting dispatches daily received during the late rebellion in the United States.

The license commissioners have made serious inroads on the number of liquor shops in Toronto, and the rejected applicants have worked themselves into a fury over it. There were three hundred applicants for license, and one hundred and ten of them are left out in the cold. They are threatening dreadful things. A test case is to be put up to try the legality of the act, and a fund is to be raised to appeal it all the way through to the Privy Council. The services of Mr. Hilliard Cameron have been secured for the purpose. It is said that he has given his opinion that he will be successful in proving its illegality. We fancy the liquor sellers will have an uphill fight against the opinion of almost the whole of the intelligent people of the Dominion.

THE MACDONELL CASE.—Yesterday's Globe publishes over five columns of a report of the meeting of the Toronto Presbytery to inquire further concerning the views of Rev. Mr. Macdonell on future punishment, and the end is not yet reached. There appears to be small prospect of an amicable settlement of the difficulty, the majority of the presbytery not being yet satisfied with his amended statement. A resolution was adopted requiring him either to modify his statement or give a virtually unqualified assent to the doctrine of eternal punishment as laid down in the Confession of Faith. The minority, including Rev. Mr. Macdonell, entered their dissent, and secured the privilege of appeal to the Synod or General Assembly.

The citizens of Chicago have recently been thrown into a state of the greatest excitement and indignation by one of the most outrageous cases of ballot-box stuffing that ever disgraced the country. Four election bunnies of the worst class were elected to important official positions by the most shameless frauds that can be imagined. The honest public became alarmed, and a storm of popular indignation unprecedented in the West, burst forth in a public meeting in the Exposition building attended by forty thousand persons.

A New Dodge.—One of the latest attempts at a wholesale robbery of railway passengers on a night train was nipped in the bud, last week, on the Lake Shore railway, between Rochester and Oswego. A peculiar smell was noticed by one of the passengers, and a strange snore had come over us in our sleep. On looking around, a man was discovered in one corner of the car with a tin can containing chloroform, with which he evidently intended to stupefy all on board and then rob them. The culprit was seized and his tin can was found to contain enough chloroform to have stupefied a dozen barons of passengers.

The differences between Austria and Hungary have been settled. Both parties have made concessions for the general good.

In the House of Representatives, Washington, last week, Mr. Pierce, of Massachusetts, presented a memorial from 1,300 merchants and citizens of Boston, in favour of re-ignoring trade with Canada, which was referred.

The population of Cobourg is over 5,000. The County of Huron turned up five reduction cases at the Assizes last week.

The granger question is the leading one in the Orangeville neighborhood just now. Under the old regime there were 34 licenses issued in Stratford, now there are 17.

A Western paper says that Chatham has sixteen taverns licensed at \$330 each, and six shops at \$380 each. The first locomotive in China has made a trial trip of one mile on the tramway near Shanghai.

The census returns so far as taken, indicate that the population of Kingston will be nearly 14,600. The directors of the Hamilton & North Western Railway on Friday evening opened 126 tenders for the construction of the road.

The census of the city of Toronto as taken by the assessors, shows the population to be 71,663, against 57,000 when taken by the Government. The City Council of Toronto have refused to submit a bill to the freeholders of the city for the granting of the bonds asked by the Credit Valley Railway.

These is some talk of a sewing machine factory being started in Georgetown by an American firm. The factory is likely to be in Mr. Joseph Barber's machine shop. West Wellington has had in all 59 applications for tavern and 6 for shop licenses. Of the former 41 were granted and 18 rejected. All the applications for shop licenses were granted.

St. Catharines is to have a new Wesleyan church, on Welland avenue, to cost from twenty to twenty-five thousand dollars. F. F. Pole, jr., was found guilty at the Stratford assizes of uttering forged acceptances, knowing them to have been forged.

The other night some person entered the orchard of Mr. Michael Armstrong, on the Benson Farm, lot 24, 1st line east, in the township of Caledon, and wantonly barked about fifty dollars worth of choice fruit trees. It is now said that the Hon. Malcolm Cameron, of whose recovery there were very favorable indications a few days since, continues low, and that those attending him are somewhat apprehensive. He is still at Ottawa.

The Guelph School Board has accepted the tender of a Baltic firm for putting heating and ventilating apparatus into the new Central School building at \$3,885. The building complete will cost over \$50,000. The Georgetown Herald says diphtheria has carried quite a number of children to the grave, in that vicinity. It is said to relate that Mr. Wallace, a man living on the 7th line has buried four children, all having died by this fatal disease. He has but one child left.

The Guelph post office is to be removed in a few days to Hazleton block, Upper Wyndham street, where it will remain till the new government building is completed. The owner of the building in which it is at present situated wanted to increase the rent too high, and hence the removal. London has completed its assessment and finds its population to be 18,195. Real property is put down at \$6,778,622; personal property, \$1,402,050; taxable income, \$328,300; aggregate value of all property, \$8,508,972. The population is 217 less than last year.

It is stated that Mr. Henry R. Holt, book-keeper, of Montreal, has been declared heir-at-law of the famous Holt estate, which has just been thrown out of the English Court of Chancery. The estate has been in litigation since 1703, and is valued at sixteen million pounds sterling. Gilbert R. Elliott, of Norval, was recently arrested in Toronto by a detective on the charge of forging the name of Andrew Dolson, of Chinguacousy, to a promissory note to the amount of \$63. He was committed for trial, but being taken for his appearance.

The Pettit robbery case is again taking up the attention of the Court of Assizes. On Friday the Grand Jury returned a true bill against Thomas Leggo and A. Ruthven, who are alleged to have induced or assisted an important witness in the robbery case to leave the country. During the month of April, Canadian produce was exported from Toronto to the amount of \$189,332, against only \$17,643 in the corresponding month of last year. The increase in grain and lumber exports. In the former it amounted to \$179,502, against \$6,301, and the latter \$6,335, against \$2,032.

R. Matheson, a quack, practising in Mulmer, was brought before Mr. T. Hand, the other day and fined \$50 and costs for practising medicine without a diploma. Dr. Armstrong, of Rosenton, preferred the charge. Matheson, it is said, had victimized the people of Mulmer to the tune of \$200 before being fined.

According to a census taken in Walkerton for license purposes, the population is estimated at 2,239 inhabitants, being nearly double what it was in 1871.

On Friday evening a train on the Hamilton and Lake Erie Railway went from Caledon towards Hamilton, ran over and killed Thomas English, a man forty years of age. Deceased had got off a train at Rymal station in the morning, went into Young's tavern and got drunk, and then started on the track for his home in Glanford.

As Mr. Frayne, hitekeeper, of Rockwood, was driving under the railway bridge at Guelph on Friday night about nine o'clock, a passing train caused the horse to jump suddenly throwing him out the buggy on his head and neck, and picked up insensible, and was at first thought dangerously hurt, but he is now in a fair way of recovery.

St. Catharines is now a full-fledged city, and the new Council will be elected next week. The population is 12,870; assessed value of real property, \$3,610,455; personal property, \$630,900; income, \$185,000; total assessment, \$4,426,355. This is nearly half a million of dollars in advance of last year, and double that of three years ago.

A dispute exists between the School Board of Perth and the Council of the same town. The School Board applied to the Council for the funds necessary to purchase a site and erect a High School, which the Council refused to grant. An application has been made to the Court of Queen's Bench by the trustees for a rule nisi for a writ of mandamus, which was granted by the Chief Justice of Ontario on Friday.

The Huron oatmeal and gristing mills of Clinton, owned by Mr. Jas. Mahaffey, were destroyed by fire on Saturday evening; also a large quantity of wheat, corn, oats, oatmeal, etc., stored therein. The value of the mills was about \$12,000, insurance \$2,000; in the Western, and on the machinery \$3,000 in the Royal, and on the stock \$2,000 in the Provincial.

A churn-peddler has taken in several knowing ones in the neighborhood of Dickinson's Landing. On the pretence of letting certain people have a \$7.50 churn as a particular favor for \$5, paid by note, the Ottoman Empire has gone from one stage of ruin to another until from its rottenness it is falling to pieces. Fate has decided, and already Abdul Aziz is contemplating the possibility of becoming an insubstantial man.

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The Fate of Turkey. There is a question, first whispered in the most secret Cabinets of Sovereigns, then buzzed about through the saloons of State Ministers, and spreading downwards from mouth to mouth, is now awakening the curiosity of the civilized world?—What is to become of Turkey? It is evident that the mildly facetious yet shrewdly observant politician who said that ere many years had passed the Sultan "Abdul Aziz" would become "Abdul-as-was" is about to see if he has survived the utterance of that remark, a verification of his prophecy. Europe has grown tired of administering political medicine and financial broth to this invalid who never grows stronger, but who continues unrepentantly to indulge in unwholesome conditions that his doctors fear forbidden. Only the devotion of a mother or a wife can sustain the exigencies of such a sick bed; but Turkey's maturity is lost in the mist of ages, and however excellently bestowed the Sultan may himself be in the matter of exterior comfort, the station of which he is so proud, he is a weak and ailing friend, and only one very unskillful child at the other end of the Mediterranean. And this wretched creature, who cannot live, and will not die, is not only a burden to himself but a source of trouble, danger, and contention to his neighbors.

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