

## AN CONCERT.

Athens, Sunday.

h Turkey is increasing  
uring fresh troops into  
ilitary preparations by  
arding the British fleet in  
the evident restlessness  
a, notwithstanding the  
abinets of Sofia and Bel-  
supposed symptoms of rest  
occupy the attention  
, some of which seem to  
rupture in the European  
dently anticipated before  
to take place, and that  
fit from the impending  
out, at least, cherishes no  
to the advantage to be  
a complications. It has  
Greece to Europe, and,  
ergetically against the  
of Turkey, leaves the  
entirely in the hands of  
standing the disquieting  
it, there is no reason to  
is or Serbia will abandon  
erto followe l.  
ers roaming through the  
ases taken to brigandage.  
f a merchant was captured  
se ransom two thousand

## THE SULTAN.

usa correspondent says:—  
bed as the inner circle of  
ce is a revived report of an  
egotiated between Russia  
ruxer's friendly acquisition  
d coaling station in the  
would jump to the cony  
is meant, but the report  
her rumour just now cur-  
formed circles is to the  
he conditions of peace have  
etween Turkey and Greece,  
uestion of the free passage  
d the Dardanelles for her  
alleged that there will be  
ning the Sultan's firmness.  
his question is that Russia  
privilege of the passage of  
tain that she would prefer  
ather than accept it now on  
or all of the other Powers  
t of sending their warships

## OR TURKEY.

Paris, Monday.

ndon published here states  
of gold which were made  
for Russia, were in reality  
The latest shipment was  
riday, when £250,000 were  
ish capital on orders from

OWN LEATHER BOOTS.—C  
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eason's stock in the newest  
tylish shapes in pointed,  
toes, prices 8s 6d, 10s 6d,  
ies from 14s 6d to 30s; also  
ure, perfect fit guaranteed.  
ery, gloves, shirts, ties  
g goods. Latest specialit ie

tion. The Sultan is now face to face with the  
European Powers; Greece is beaten down, and  
Turkey is triumphant so far, but recollections  
of Armenia have not yet quite passed out of  
memory, and a combined fleet at Constan-  
tinople would easily produce a moderating  
effect on the minds of the Turks.

We publish in our fourth page a report of an  
important case relating to the vexed question  
as to the maximum standard of water in butter.  
This case was heard at Royton (Lancashire)  
Police Court, and it would appear from it that  
the most important point to be borne in mind  
is that prosecutions are now going on where  
even less than 18 per cent of water is found in  
butter. Here it was contended that sixteen  
per cent was more than an ample allowance of  
water in salt butter. The magistrates were  
divided on the question, but the lesson for  
Irish butter makers is that every care should  
be taken to keep the moisture within the lowest  
possible limit.

The drawing in connection with the Garryowen  
Football Club has been postponed until July 1st.

His Honor Judge Henn, Q C, Recorder of  
Galway will resume his judicial duties imma-  
diately, being completely restored to health. It  
is intended by the solicitors of the county to en-  
tertain him to a dinner this term.

The Great Southern and Western Railway  
Company will run an excursion on Sunday next  
to that pretty seaside resort, Youghal, at ex-  
tremely moderate fares, as may be seen by  
reference to the public posters. The train leaves  
Limerick at 9.15 a.m.

ROYAL NAVY.—At the recent competitive ex-  
amination held in London for Surgeons in the  
Royal Navy, we are pleased to see that Surgeon  
Henry Hunt, son of Mr E. Langley Hunt, 67  
Pembroke Road, Dublin, was successful in obtain-  
ing his commission.

POLICE COURT.—Mr E. F. Hickson, R.M., and  
Mr P. E. Bourke attended at the Police Court  
this morning. Edward Bourke, labourer, was  
charged by Night-watchman Fahy with drunken-  
ness, and as there was no previous record against  
him, he was discharged with a caution.

FOUND DROWNED.—About six o'clock last  
evening Michael Liston, a farmer residing at  
Ballynoe (West), about two miles from Newcastle  
West, was found drowned in a shallow stream of  
water adjacent to his house. He was of weak  
mind, and had been confined in an asylum for  
some time, but was considered by his friends to  
be recovered, and capable of taking charge of  
himself. Dr J. M. Ambrose (the coroner of the  
district), has been communicated with.

CARVING AND GILDING.—P. O'Connor, 7  
Catherine street, Picture Frame Maker.]

close on the 5th June.

Over twenty classes are set apart for Poultry.  
For Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Langshans,  
Minorcas, Leghorns, and Orpingtons there are  
two classes each—one for cocks and one for hens;  
while for Dorkins, Brahams, and Game there are  
single classes each. The other breeds are all  
relegated to a variety class. There are two classes  
for turkeys, and one each for geese and ducks,  
and there are also two selling classes. The prizes  
are 15s, 10s, and 5s, for a 3s 6d entry fee, and  
entries are to close on the 5th June.

List of prizes, entry forms, and all information  
can be obtained on application to Mr M J Kenny,  
18, Upper Mallow-street, Limerick.

## BOY WORRIED TO DEATH BY A DOG.

A shocking occurrence is reported from North  
Tipperary. During the training at Nenagh of  
the Militia on Wednesday evening, Timothy  
Dwyer, of Birr road, a boy of ten years of age  
was watching the drill from a corner of the gar-  
rison field when a large dog attacked him, tore his  
clothes off, and began worrying him in a fearful  
manner. The little fellow was quite unable to  
defend himself, and when attracted by his cries  
some of the militiamen ran to his rescue, he was  
so horribly mangled that he died shortly after-  
wards in the Infirmary where he was attended by  
Dr Morton. The latter found that there were  
twenty-eight wounds on the boy's body, portion  
of the flesh having been bitten off at each. The  
dog was shot immediately after the occurrence.

## A CHILD ATTACKED BY A DONKEY.

Yesterday afternoon, at about four o'clock,  
child named Jeremiah Kelleher, aged six years,  
residing with his parents at 86 Burnt lane, Corl  
was attacked by a vicious donkey and disfigure  
in a shocking manner. It appears that the in-  
jured youth was playing with a number of  
children in Fair lane, when the donkey, which  
was owned by a Mrs Murphy, made a snap at him  
and cut away the greater portion of his nose,  
at the same time inflicting ugly wounds on his left  
cheek. The injured child was immediately re-  
moved to the North Infirmary, and was being  
treated for the injuries, when a messenger  
arrived with the portion of the nose which was  
bitten off by the donkey. Medical examination  
showed that the injuries are of a serious nature  
as some arteries have been severed. However, it  
is expected that beyond permanent disfigurement  
the child's health will not be imperilled.

## THE CROSS-CHANNEL TUNNEL PROJECT.

The Daily News says—Steps are being taken to  
approach Her Majesty's Government with the  
object of securing their aid in the carrying out  
of the project for constructing a tunnel between  
Ireland and Scotland. It is confidently assumed  
that with a Government guarantee of a small ra-  
of interest the capital would be speedily forth-  
coming. In Belfast a local committee has been  
formed to promote it. A London committee  
also in course of formation for the same purpose  
and the following gentlemen have already  
joined:—Sir Richard Tangye, Sir Roper Let-  
bridge, Mr Arnold Forster, M P; Major Gener  
Hutchinson, and Mr J Ferguson Walker.

The toreador, Fabrilo, who was wounded in  
bull fight at Valencia last Sunday, died on Su-  
day evening from his injuries.