LORD SALISBURY ON ARMENIA.

Massacre Reports Correct, but Despotic Governments Are Feeble.

LONDON, May 23.—Speaking at Bradford, Lord Salisbury said that he did not doubt that the reports of the Armenian massacres were, in their main features, correct, but he doubted whether the Turkish Government was answerable for the outrages.

He warned against indulging in threats or protests which were powerless of enforcement, because this would only exasperate fanatical feeling and aggravate the sufferings of the Armenians. If it were possible forcibly to interfere, if there were just cause therefor, and if there was a prospect of genuine benefit resulting, he would urge that this be done.

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