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BALKAN WAR REGARDED AS VIRTUALLY ENDED

Deadlock Over Settlement Thought Impossible

TURKEY MAY ENDEAVOR TO HOLD THACALAJA OWING TO SUCCESS

Of Her Defenders at That Place—The Serbian Demand for Ports on the Adriatic Sea Has Not Yet Been Solved—Bulgarians Have Ceased Firing.

Berlin, Nov. 21.—The Balkan war was considered here, to-day, definitely over. Small skirmishes by detachments of troops in remote corners of Turkey might occur, it was thought, but no more real battles.

A deadlock between the Turkish and allied representatives was deemed impossible. They were believed certain to arrive at some sort of a peace agreement.

Messages from Constantinople said the condition of the Turkish army is frightful. Between the losses in battle and the ravages of disease the number of the sultan's troops has been cut in two since the war began. The cholera epidemic grows more serious daily. All public and private schools in Constantinople are closed on account of the disease. It was not thought possible here that the sultan should refuse to come to terms.

May Want Thacalaja. London, Nov. 21.—There is a possibility that Turkey may decline to surrender Thacalaja. While her western army has been completely defeated, she still possesses, according to the correspondents at the front, a homogeneous army behind the Thacalaja fortifications, largely composed of sons of her best fighting material from the Asiatic provinces, which has not yet been in action.

Moreover, the demoralization and disorganization which followed the Kink Kiliseh and Luleburgaz retreats appear to have been remedied and the army is now well supplied with food and ammunition.

Under these circumstances the Porte may be induced to make a further stand in the hope of securing easier peace conditions. Evidently Bulgaria has brought up all her available forces to attack Thacalaja, including some of the Serbian troops, but the task of crushing the Turkish defenses may prove a difficult one.

Deny Turkish Claims. Sofia, Nov. 21.—All the reports emanating from Turkish sources, alleging that the Turkish troops had gained victories over the Bulgarians along the line of fortifications at Thacalaja, are officially declared untrue by the Bulgarian war office.

This is the only information given out thus far in regard to the three days' operations of the Bulgarian army before Constantinople with the exception of yesterday's announcement that battle had been engaged at the advanced points of the line.

Still to be Solved. London, Nov. 21.—There is nothing yet to indicate a solution of the question of the Serbian demand for ports on the Adriatic sea. If, as is threatened, she diverts her army, released by the fall of Monastir, to the country of the Austro-Hungarian will, it is thought, be further imperilled.

Meantime, however, the reports that orders for the mobilization of the Austro-Hungarian army had been issued are, to-day, officially declared untrue.

The more amenable attitude of Serbia is doubtless partly due to the action of the German and Italian governments also affected, as the Germans and Italians as friends are under the protection of the Austrian consulate.

Bulgarians Cease Firing. Sofia, Nov. 21.—Pending peace negotiations, the Bulgarian troops at Thacalaja were ordered, yesterday, to cease fighting and merely hold their positions.

Peace Negotiations. Constantinople, Nov. 21.—Actual peace negotiations between Gen. D. Savoff and Nazim Pasha, commander-in-chief respectively of the Bulgarian and Turkish forces, began today, at the village of Haeanku, within the Thacalaja defenses and about eighteen miles from here. There are unconfirmed rumors of the massacre of Christians, near Jaffa, not far from Jerusalem.

What is the Outlook. Berlin, Nov. 21.—Danger of a general European war over the Balkan was, to-day, considered over. A few chronic pessimists insisted on worrying last Serbia goes back on her compromise with Austria, but the best opinion is that all is, at last, satisfactorily settled, so far as the great powers are concerned. As for peace proceedings between the Turks and Bulgarians that is another matter. The Balkan demands are great and the Turk's concession few. There are also indications that the Balkan war still has difficulty in dividing spoils without fighting among themselves.



MRS. HETTY GREEN.

BAKED ONIONS THE SOURCE OF LONG LIFE

This is What a Wealthy Woman Enjoys—Gives Her Health and Courage.

New York, Dec. 21.—Mrs. Hetty Green, the wealthiest woman in the world, celebrated her seventy-eighth birthday to-day, at her office lending her money to bankers and brokers who had the necessary collateral to pledge. In her annual interview, she never takes time to talk to newspaper men except on her birthday, she ascribed her long life and big wealth largely to eating baked onions. She says they gave her health of body and mind and courage to fight those who try to get the best of her in any deal. As she said this she took a nibble or two from a bag of baked onions on her desk.

REBELS SEIZE BIG RANCH

American Driven From 2,000,000 Acre Property in Zacatecas.

Montrey, Mex., Nov. 21.—The million-acre ranch, embracing two million acres, owned by the international rubber company of New York, known as an Aldrich-Rockefeller concern, has been taken possession of by rebels and the manager and all foreign employees upon the property have been forced to flee for their lives.

The ranch is situated in the state of Zacatecas and is the chief source of the guayule shrub supply for the rubber factories of the company in Mexico. It is stated that bands of rebels have been occupying portions of the ranch for several months and recently they burned several smaller buildings and began hauling off the guayule shrub.

A few days ago word was sent to the ranch headquarters by the rebel leader that an attack would soon be made upon the foreign employees. It was then that the exodus started and the property is now completely in possession of the rebels.

HUNTING FATALITIES

In Wisconsin Alone Twelve Sportsmen Have Been Killed.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 21.—A compilation of Wisconsin hunting accidents to date shows that twelve have been killed and ten seriously injured while in Michigan the accidents have been more frequent. In one county there were four men, killed by mistake for deer in three days and there has hardly been a day since the opening of the season without a fatal shooting.

Loves Wife, Therefore Beats Her. St. Catharines, Nov. 21.—"I did it because I love her," was the excuse given by Joseph Gillam to Magistrate Campbell in answer to an enquiry as to why he had beaten his wife this morning until she fainted, requiring two hours to revive her. Gillam, who hails from London, Ont., has been married but three months.

He was given a twenty-one day term in jail with the prospect of six months in the Central on his next appearance.

Bullet Wound Fatal

Hailybury, Ont., Nov. 21.—George Thompson, aged twelve, died in the hospital from a bullet wound received on Thanksgiving day. The bullet passed directly through his head with out striking a vital part, but complications caused death.

New Wife, Babe and Self

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 21.—John Wood, a grocer's clerk, killed his wife and four-month-old baby with chloroform during the night, and then ended his life in the same manner. A note found by a thirteen-year-old daughter, Gladys, when she awoke, told of the crime.

\$20,000 Fire at Soo

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Nov. 21.—The warehouses of the Superior Oil company here were damaged by fire to the extent of \$20,000, including \$10,000 loss on patterns belonging to the Algoma Iron works, stored with the oil company.

TO ASSIST AGRICULTURE

Plan Successful—May be Continued on Larger Scale.

Ottawa, Nov. 21.—It is understood C. C. Bennett, deputy minister of agriculture, who has been working on a plan for carrying out the government's policy of assisting agriculture, has submitted his report to the minister.

Mr. James made a tour of the dominion and visited the various provinces, conferring with the various governments. Last session appropriations in the shape of subsidies to the provinces, the money to be spent under an agreement with the dominion, was voted. This plan has worked satisfactorily and it is understood, Mr. James will recommend subsidies to be granted in the future on a larger scale to be spent by the province under arrangement with the dominion, and subject to general supervision by the federal department of agriculture.

SISTERS WED BROTHERS

Sextette's Ceremonies Take Place Same Day.

Owingsville, Ky., Nov. 21.—Cupid had his day in Owingsville and last night six of his "victims" were receiving congratulations, while a minister's purse was being buzzed with coin for having officiated at a triple wedding—three sisters to three brothers.

The principals in the triple wedding were Misses Olive, Sarah and Katherine Story and Messrs. Leonard, John and Graham Perkins. The brides are the only daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Story, fifteen, eighteen and twenty years old, respectively.

The bridegrooms, all stalwart and highly men, are the only sons of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Perkins, aged seventeen, nineteen and twenty three years, respectively.

OBJECTION FILED

International Dam at Kettle Falls Objected to.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The Canadian government, through its minister of justice, Hon. C. J. Doherty, filed objection to the proposed construction of an international dam at Kettle Falls, the outlet of Rainy lake on the Minnesota-Manitoba boundary.

The Canadian government protested that the dam would affect the levels of the Lake of the Woods, which is now a matter of arbitration between the two governments.

THE GOVERNMENT HAS ROUNDED UP THE FAKIRS

U. S. Postal Inspectors Busy in Leading Cities Throughout Country.

Washington, Nov. 21.—Post office inspectors and United States marshals in seventy-two leading cities of the country began yesterday practically simultaneous raids for the arrest of 173 persons charged with using mail to promote criminal, medical practices or the sale of drugs and instruments used for illegal purposes.

Many of the persons to be arrested are prominent, commercially and socially, in their communities. Some are leading physicians, others are rich and influential business men, yet others are men who live by their wits and are comparatively little known outside their own small circle of associates, and one is a Chinaman, who is alleged to have practiced his calling upon women of his own race and upon those of the opposite sex.

Approximately ninety of the persons arrested already have been indicted by United States grand juries in various parts of the country.

TIDAL WAVE WIPED OUT TWO JAMAICA TOWNS

One Hundred People Killed—Governor and Military Force to Rescue.

Kingston, Ja., Nov. 21.—A great tidal wave practically wiped out the town of Savanna la Mar, on the southwest coast, and Lucea, on the north-west coast of Jamaica. One hundred people were killed by the hurricane in Montego Bay. Forty bodies have been recovered.

Floods which accompanied the storm caused immense damage, a hundred houses being blown down. Telegraphic communication is still suspended.

The governor of Jamaica, Sir Sydney Olivier, has left on a special train, accompanied by a detachment of artillerymen, who have taken with them 200 tons and food stuffs as in certain sections the people are homeless and destitute.

The gale began on Nov. 15th and continued in increasing fury for several days. Vessels arriving in port reported that the wind was blowing over 100 miles an hour.

Lucea, a small town of 2,000 inhabitants on an inlet on the north-west coast of Jamaica, while Savanna la Mar is a seaport with the same number of inhabitants on the southwest coast, almost directly opposite, on the other side of the island.

PITH OF NEWS

Despatches From Near and Distant Places.

THE LATEST TIDINGS

PRESENTED IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

The Whig's Daily Condensation of the News of the World From Telegraph Service and Newspaper Exchanges.

Canington carried a Hydro-Electric by-law by 140 to 3. A \$3,000,000 hotel is to be built on King street, Toronto.

James Coult, a well-known Milverton driver, fell from his buggy and was picked up dead.

Proton and Toronto firms are associated with an \$8,000,000 United States concern in a big merger.

Armand Lavigne has handed to the opposition leader, Teller, his resignation as minister of rail in the Quebec legislature.

William Favcott, a pioneer of Minto township and a veteran of the Fenian raid, died at his home near Palmerston, at the age of ninety-four.

George E. Foster sailed for home on the S.S. St. Louis, on Wednesday, in order to be present during the discussion on the naval policy.

William Henry Beatty died at his residence, 6 Queen's Park, Toronto, on Wednesday. In law, commerce and public affairs he was for many years a leading spirit. He was born in Toronto in 1835.

REFUSED PROPOSALS

Constantinople, Nov. 21.—It is stated here that Turkey has emphatically rejected Bulgaria's proposals of peace, and has ordered Nazim Pasha, commander-in-chief, to resume operations immediately. This news, this afternoon, caused a sensation where 'twas hoped that war was over.

NOT FOR ANNEXATION

Former Minister of Railways Addresses Canadian Club of Boston.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 21.—There is absolutely no sentiment on our side of the line for annexation, said George P. Graham, former minister of railways for Canada, to members of the Canadian Club of Boston at the club's dinner last night. Mr. Graham discussed the relations between his country and the United States at some length. Among the other speakers were Capt. G. W. Murray, military aide to the governor-general of Canada; George M. Hall, industrial commissioner for Edmonton; T. Kennard Thompson, president of the Canadian Club of New York; and Thomas H. Bueck, president of the Canadian Club of St. John, N.B.

A DIVORCED BISHOP-ELECT

Barred From Consecration by Albany Episcopal Diocese.

Albany, N.Y., Nov. 21.—By resolution the Episcopal diocese of Albany at yesterday's session of its annual convention endorsed the action of the convention's standing committee in refusing to consent to the consecration of Rev. Dr. H. B. Silver, of Topeka, Kan., the newly-elected bishop of Kansas, because he is a divorced man.

When a clergyman is elected to the bishopric in the Episcopal church his election has to be confirmed by the other dioceses of the country. The standing committee refused to consent to confirm Dr. Silver's election.

Fined for Selling Liquor

Belleville, Nov. 21.—For offering for sale liquor without a license, John A. McDonald of Frankfort, Sydney township, was fined \$100 and costs. Frankfort is situated in a local option town ship.

INTERESTING PAPERS

To-day's Whig is an interesting one, and should be read carefully and thoughtfully read. In addition to all the local, district and telegraphic news, a number of special articles appear. On page 6 will be found a splendid article from the pen of Dean Ellis, of the Faculty of Education of Queen's University. Page 9 has a series of sketches of Kingston's industries; page 10 has a review of Greece coming into her own again, and on page 12 is a sermon by Rev. Byron Stauffer, of Toronto, which every man and young man especially should read with care and ponder over. There are a dozen other special features, making altogether one of the best issues of the Whig of the year.

Appointed Y.M.C.A. Secretaries

Toronto, Nov. 21.—The national council of the Y.M.C.A. meeting here to-day appointed C. M. Coleman national secretary for Ontario and Quebec, and Taylor Statten national boys' work secretary for the provinces.

Concentrated essence of vanilla. Gibson's.

STRANGLED A GIRL

On Total for Murder Seven Years Ago.

Augusta, Maine, Nov. 21.—Circumstantial evidence will be depended upon largely to convict Mrs. Elsie Hobbs Raymond of the murder, seven years ago of Mattie Hackett, of Redfield, according to the opening argument of County Attorney Williamson at the trial.

The Hackett girl was found by the roadside with a cord tied about her neck on August 17th, 1905, and died soon after of strangulation. Mrs. Raymond, who was a neighbor of the Hackett's at the time was arrested last June charged with committing the murder.

After the jury had been selected the county attorney outlined his case against Mrs. Raymond. He declared that he would introduce evidence to show that the defendant was jealous of the Hackett girl that she had threatened to kill her and that two days before the murder, she had followed the girl and Bert Raymond, the defendant's husband, as they were driving together.

Seize Seven Trap Nets

Brookville, Ont., Nov. 21.—Game protector Northrop seized seven trap nets in Chippewa Bay on the St. Lawrence. About one thousand pounds of fish, including bull heads and pickered, were freed. Four men are implicated in the netting and they will be arraigned.

"STARVE THE FLY" THE LATEST SLOGAN

The Greater Results are Obtained by Cleanliness and Stricter Sanitary Regulations.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 21.—In presenting the report of the fly-fighting committee of the American Civic Association, Chairman Edward Hatch, Jr., expressed the hope that there may be no more fly-killing contests. This sentiment took the assembled fly-fighters by surprise, which was disappointed, however, when Mr. Hatch said: "We cannot insist too much or too often upon cleanliness as the beginning, middle and end of the fly-fighting campaign. 'Starve the fly' as a slogan must give way to 'starve the fly.' The latter is more euphonious and infinitely more practical."

The report made a feature of the fact that in cities in which substantial cash prizes were awarded, in no case did the number of flies killed in the whole of a campaign exceed the quantity which would have been reared from an average-size pile of stable refuse in the course of a few weeks. While the educational value of such fly-killing campaigns cannot be overestimated, the report said it would seem that greater results might be obtained by conducting campaigns against dirty stables and back yards, garbage heaps and dumps, and all places that produce flies and supply them with infection.

STOLE AND SOLD COCAINE

Montreal Authorities Make Interesting Discovery.

Montreal, Nov. 21.—It has been brought to light that much of the cocaine and morphine that has been peddled around Chinatown and the "red light" district here, has not come from across the line, or been sold by local druggists on "false" prescriptions, but came from the Notre Dame hospital.

Alexis Demoules, twenty-eight years of age, employed as an orderly in the Notre Dame hospital, was taken into custody last night by Lieut. Sevard. It is alleged that Demoules has been stealing the cocaine and morphine from the hospital. He assisted in the pharmacy of the institution, where he could obtain cocaine and morphine. When he was arrested last night by Lieut. Sevard and taken to police headquarters it was stated that packages of cocaine and two bottles of morphine were found in his possession.

ENDS LIFE IN BARREL

Despondent Girl Evades Watchers and Commits Suicide.

Seaford, Nov. 21.—Miss Margaret Landsborough, daughter of Mrs. James Landsborough, of Tuckersmith township, committed suicide by drowning herself in a barrel of water. She had been despondent for some time, and was being carefully watched, but managed to get away from the house yesterday, and was found ten minutes later in a barrel of water near the house.

KILLED BY FALSE TEETH

Russian Prince Cut Internally by Swallowing Gold Plate.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 21.—Prince Viasamsky, first secretary of the Russian embassy at London since last summer, died at an hospital here as the result of swallowing the small gold plate of a false tooth. The plate cut the intestines severely, and a surgical operation which was performed, was unsuccessful.

Bellevue About Complete

The C.G.S. Bellevue is about completed at the wharf of the Kingston Shipbuilding company, and a view of her it will worth while. If General Manager Smith, of the Collingwood Shipbuilding company, and the representatives of the government are on hand, it is understood that the semi-final trip of the new steamer will take place in the harbor the first of the week, and that the trial spin will be run off in the lower St. Lawrence, for which service she has been built.

McLeod's Bronchial Lozenges, for hoarseness, coughs and colds, 10c. box. McLeod's Drug Store, Brock street.

BRILLIANCE ATTENDED OPENING OF PARLIMENT

By the Duke of Connaught Thursday Afternoon

INDIAN SUMMER DAY

FAVORED THIS GREAT EVENT AT OTTAWA.

The Ladies' Dresses Were Magnificent—Mrs. W. F. Nickle Wore White Satin—Two Little Pages Attended the Duchess of Connaught.

Special to the Whig. Ottawa, Nov. 21.—Beautiful Indian summer weather attended the opening of parliament this afternoon by His Excellency the Duke of Connaught. They were the usual ceremonies, a dashing guard of Princess Louise Dragoons, the firing of guns, and altogether an eminently brilliant spectacle. The Royal Highnesses attended receptions held later in the afternoon by the speakers of the senate and the House of Commons.

W. F. Nickle, Kingston's parliamentary representative, and Dr. J. W. Edwards, M.P., for Frontenac, were in their places when the parliamentary session was opened. The opening was most brilliant, in every way. The galleries were crowded with magnificently costumed ladies.

Mrs. W. F. Nickle, of Kingston, was dressed in white satin, draped with a rich black anion. She wore pearls and carried a large bouquet of American beauty roses.

The brilliance of the scene was contributed to by the hundreds of exquisitely beautiful and superbly rich toilettes worn by the ladies on the floor of the house and in the dress gallery.

The Duchess of Connaught was attended by two little pages, Masters Edson Sherwood and Lawrence Sladon, in red cloth coats with white breeches, white satin vests and silk stockings. Her loyal Highness wore a handsome gown of gold tissue with overdress of hot heavily embroidered in gold. The court train of white and gold brocade was lined with pale yellow satin. Among the special orders worn were the ribbon and order of Victoria and Albert, H. M. King Edward's family order, H. M. King George's family order, the Crown of India and the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

The Princess Patricia was stately in a dress of white and gold brocade and the orders worn by her were those of Victoria and Albert, the crown of India and that of St. John of Jerusalem.

Included in the party of guests from government house, who were present were—Lord and Lady Hyde, Lord Somers, Mrs. J. L. Ross, Mrs. Matthews and Mr. McManis of Montreal, and Sir William and Lady Macenzie.

Amongst those present were—Mrs. K. L. Borden, in a handsome gown of white satin with tunic of black lace and trimmed with black velvet in Irish design and touches of white chiffon and tiny ornaments of steel and jet combined, diamonds and pearls, pink roses.

Lady Laurier, rich gown of heliotrope chiffon embroidered in silver, over heliotrope satin. She wore diamond ornaments.

Miss Winnifred Claxton, Kingston, wore pink duchess satin with overdress of Dresden chiffon and rosebud trimming. Mrs. John Webster, of Brockville, mauve satin, veiled in black chiffon and jet trimming. Miss Gabel Webster, Brockville, draped gown of pink brocade satin trimmed with pearls; Miss Marie Davies, Brockville, white satin veiled in lace and trimmed with swansdown; Mrs. Daniel Derbyshire, Brockville, grey costume of king's blue satin, the corsage trimmed with Persian embroidery and shadow lace and amethysts.

\$5,000 FROM ROCKEFELLER

Money is to be Distributed Among Sufferers.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The sum of \$7,000 was called to the Balkan and Turkey by the members of the Red Cross for relief work, and \$5,000 of this sum was a donation from John D. Rockefeller. In sending his contribution, Mr. Rockefeller directed, through Rev. Peter J. Murphy, that the money was to be used in Red Cross work "without regard to race, creed or color." Mr. Rockefeller has frequently aided the American Red Cross with contributions to its funds. The money will be distributed among the relief organizations of Turkey, Serbia and Bulgaria.

NEW HOTEL FOR TORONTO

Toronto, Nov. 21.—Ernest G. F. McConkey last night announced that he would build a twelve-story hotel, at a cost of two million dollars, on the land leased by the Dominion Bond company, adjoining the Bank of Toronto's new building, at the southwest corner of King and Bay streets. Mr. McConkey would not say, who his financial assistants were, he would appear as proprietor and manager of the new place, which will be called Hotel McConkey. Local interests are chiefly responsible.

A Good Fellow

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 21.—A good fellow is usually a man who can pay ninety cents a round for drinks because his wife does her own washing and makes her own waists.

A decollete gown ought to be the proper garment for a coming out party.



ARCHBISHOP McNEIL, OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, Recently appointed to Toronto, and said to be due for the Canadian cardinal's hat.

FIREIGHT STATION FIRE

Canadian Pacific Structure at Ogdenburg in Ruins.

Ogdenburg, N.Y., Nov. 21.—The Canadian Pacific railroad freight sheds containing ten railroads of freight, the docks in front of the freight office, five loaded freight cars, and the Canadian customs office were destroyed by fire last night. The damage on the buildings is estimated at \$3,000, while the loss on freight will amount to a much larger sum.

The fire was discovered at eleven o'clock and spread rapidly through the long freight building, 200 feet by 50 feet and two stories high. The building was a landmark in this city, having been the landing place for many years of the boats of the Richfield and Ontario Navigation company and other steamers.

The origin of the fire is unknown. There is a general strike along the Canadian Pacific railroad, and the men of Prescott, Ont., have been out several days.

At midnight the fire was under control.

Wants Canal Information

Ottawa, Nov. 21.—Among many other interesting questions on the order paper of the commons is one from Hon. Charles Murphy as to whether the government has done anything towards the construction of the Georgian Bay canal, and what progress is being made on the Welland canal.

To Succeed Ex-Senator Sullivan

Chatham, Ont., Nov. 21.—The name of Philip Bowyer, ex-M.P., of Ridgeway, is being prominently mentioned for the senate in succession to Senator Sullivan, Kingston, who will be retired.

BORN

NOELER—In Kingston, Ont., on Nov. 21st, 1912, a daughter, Mrs. J. J. Norris, 35 Clergy Street, a daughter.

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