

NO VISIBLE PROGRESS IN THE PEACE EFFORTS

Fighting Continues Along the Tchatalja Lines

THE SERBIAN FORCES

ARE MEETING WITH HARD- SHIPS IN MOUNTAINS.

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London, Nov. 23.—The efforts toward peace in the Balkans made no visible progress yesterday. Exchange of artillery fire and infantry reconnoissances proceeded along the Tchatalja lines and Nazim Pasha, the Turkish commander-in-chief, in a despatch to Constantinople, claims that an infantry battle occurred in front of the centre of his position, and that the Bulgarians left several thousand dead before the Turkish outer works. Not much credence is placed in this report, however.

Elsewhere in the war zone, the military situation remains unchanged. The Serbian forces advancing towards the Adriatic are meeting with hardships in the barren, mountainous country, which is buried deep in snow, and the allies are still harassing what remains of the Turkish army that was driven from Monastir. The Bulgarians have occupied the important town of Dedaghat, the terminus of the Salonika railway on the Aegean sea. The Turkish cruiser Hamidieh came into port at Constantinople yesterday, escorted by a Bulgarian torpedo boat. The Turks claim that the ship sank two Bulgarian torpedo boats which she engaged, has not been confirmed.

To Negotiate Armistice.

Sofia, Nov. 23.—Dr. S. Danoff, president of the Bulgarian parliament, General Savov, the Bulgarian commander-in-chief of the Bulgarian army, have been appointed plenipotentiaries for the negotiation of an armistice between the Turkish and Bulgarian armies. They will proceed immediately to the Tchatalja lines to meet the Turkish plenipotentiaries there.

No Generals Captured.

Belgrade, Serbia, Nov. 23.—None of the Turkish generals alleged to have surrendered at Monastir are in the hands of the Serbians. David Pasha, commander of the Seventh Turkish Army Corps, cut his way with his troops through the investing lines. Fethi Pasha, commander of the Sixth Turkish Army Corps, was killed or escaped in disguise. Kara Pasha, Kara Halil Pasha threw up the sponge and retired from the scene three days before the city yielded.

The Serbian light brigade has reached the environs of the Turkish city of Dibra, whither it is believed many of the Turkish troops retreated.

The Judgment of History.

Paris, Nov. 23.—The editor of the *Matin*, who has just left Constantinople, describes a farewell visit which he paid to Kiamil Pasha, the Grand Vizier.

"You see I await the end," he said. "History will judge us, but it will also judge Europe. It will say if Europe has ever seen in us a people to be instructed, or simply a people to be exploited. It will say if Europe has demanded as many reforms as concessions from us. It will say if for a century any interest has been shown in anything but our spoils."

"I hope France and England will not regret some day having abandoned Turkey."

HAVE BOUGHT CLAIM.

English Capitalists Interested in Gillies Limit.

Cobalt, Nov. 23.—Another sale has been completed in Gillies Limit in the transfer of the claim held by C. E. Powell and Julius Messer to an English capitalist. The claim disposed of is 11,890, and adjoins the Hull and Reeves claims, the former of which has become well known through the strong value uncovered on it since the striking last August. On the claim just sold there is a healthy-looking vein, which it is believed will produce good values with further work.

Fur-lined Coats.

For ladies and gentlemen. See the wonderful values at Campbell Bros.'s, the manufacturing furriers.

In Hamilton, Bermuda, President-elect Woodrow Wilson had a lively dispute with an American photographer, which led to the exchange of blows. The photographer insisted on taking a snapshot.

Cambridge University has rescinded the regulation debarbing the conferment of the degree of doctor of divinity on Non-conformists.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

At Campbell Bros. You will find Hats and Ties of every kind. "Dion O'Leary, Grand Opera House, 111 St. George Street. See People's Forum, 222. See top page 3, right hand corner for probabilities. St. Andrew's Society returns to St. Andrew's Church, 2 p.m. Sunday. Miss Baker, 16 "Seven Ages of Woman," Wednesday and Thursday.

WILLIAM P. HUDSON DEAD.

Former Member of Ontario Legislature Passes Away.

Belleville, Nov. 23.—William P. Hudson, aged seventy-one, ex-M.P.P. for East Hastings in the legislature, died Thursday afternoon after being ill for some time. Previous to taking up his residence in this city Mr. Hudson resided in Roslin, Thurlow township, where he conducted a carriage business. For years he was a member of the township council, and from 1885 to 1894 represented East Hastings in the legislature. Deceased was a member of the city board of education, having been chairman last year. He was an elder in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Mr. Hudson was a member of the Masonic and the A.O.U.W. societies. Mrs. Hudson and two daughters survive.

CANADA HOLDS FIRE RECORD.

Losses Greater Than in Any Other Nation.

Montreal, Nov. 23.—Heavier losses from fires have been suffered in Canada during the past few years, in proportion to the population, than any other country in the world, is the statement made by Chief Tremblay, of the local fire department.

After a great deal of work he has received figures from the various European countries and in fact practically every country on the map.

Canada's losses from fires, according to the statistics of the Montreal chief, average about \$3.40 per person, while the United States, average is nearly \$3 per person.

SHE SECURED THE DOG.

Dog's Skin Successfully Grafted on Woman.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Announcement is made at a south side hospital of the successful outcome of a case of skin grafting in which a large piece of the skin of a skye terrier was placed over a wound on the arm of Mrs. H. W. Johnson, of Menominee, Wis. The wound had been left after an operation for tubercular ulcer. The operation, said to be the first of its kind ever performed, took place ten days ago and to-day Mrs. Johnson returned to her home, taking with her the dog which had contributed to her convalescence.

CHANGES HAVE BEEN MADE IN RUBRIC

Canon Feared Conditions Were Dangerous for Making Alterations in Holy Writ.

Ottawa, Nov. 23.—A London cable says: In a convocation of Canterbury yesterday there was a hot discussion on the Dean of Westminster's proposal to amend the rubric, "Do you unfeignedly believe all the canonical scriptures, the old and new testaments?" by eliminating the word "all" and adding "containing all things necessary to eternal salvation through faith in Jesus Christ."

The dean said the amendment would remove the conscientious scruples to many candidates for holy orders.

Denouncing it as a blow to the Bible, Canon Gebbell said it would be dangerous to make an alteration at a time when Englishmen were losing belief in holy writ, when soldiers are no longer listening to sermons at St. Paul's, and when John the Baptist and Christ figure in a cinematograph production.

The change was adopted, forty to thirty.

Carried by Flirting Porpoise.

Los Angeles, Nov. 23.—Miss Caroline Kimball, of Chicago, believes in sea serpents since yesterday, when she floated in the air after being carried several feet on the back of a large playful porpoise.

After the regaining of consciousness and the passing of the hysterics Miss Kimball declared that never again would she attempt surf bathing.

When a large school of porpoises came rolling in Miss Kimball, not being quite sure about the intentions of the intruders, started for the beach. One of the largest of the fish dived near her. She jumped and got in the direct path of the porpoise, which carried her along on its back a short distance. She screamed and then fainted.

Cut Mare's Throat.

Woodstock, Nov. 23.—Lying dead in a pasture field with her throat cut clear across, a young and valuable mare belonging to Cecil Kirk, who is present working for his uncle, Charles Kirk of Maplewood, was found when her owner went to look for her. A veterinary surgeon said there was every indication that the deed had been performed with a knife, but no clue has as yet been found as to the perpetrator.

Lashes for Wife Beater.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Nov. 23.—One year in the Central prison and fifty lashes was the sentence imposed on Michael Leticich on conviction of wife beating. The prisoner had, according to the testimony of his wife, pulled her out of bed three days after the birth of her infant and trampled on her.

Asking for Aid.

Lochester, N.Y., Nov. 23.—The Federation of Labor has decided to ask the unions in the United States and Canada for money to defend the Indianapolis dynamiter.

What About a New Derby.

We have every good style, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$4, Campbell Bros., Kingston's hat store.

WHO GETS IT?

An Estate That Seems Quite Tangled Up

WHICH DIED FIRST

MAN AND WIFE DROWNED WHILE OUT FISHING.

Fifty Thousand Dollars are Involved—Legal Complications in the Winding Up of an Estate—An Action Has Been Launched at Osgoode Hall.

Toronto, Nov. 23.—Legal complications, which will be most difficult to untangle, have cropped up in connection with the estate of the late William McCaffrey and his wife, who, with their children, and Mrs. McCaffrey's mother, were drowned while fishing from a canoe near Omeame, on September 28th.

The question which must be settled, before anything can be done in the way of winding up the estate, is whether Mr. or Mrs. McCaffrey died first. If Mr. McCaffrey died first, his estate, amounting in all to about \$50,000, would go to his wife and her heirs, but if Mrs. McCaffrey died first, the heirs of Mr. McCaffrey will inherit the estate.

In order to settle the question an action was launched at Osgoode Hall, yesterday, by heirs of Mrs. McCaffrey, to issue a writ nisi to prevent the winding up of the estate until the question of the priority of the death of the husband or wife is settled.

CHOSEN THE LEADER

SIR GEORGE W. ROSS CHOSEN BY LIBERAL SENATORS.

He Accepted the Position and Expressed Deep Regret Over the Demise of Sir Richard Cartwright—Resolution of Condolence.

Ottawa, Nov. 23.—Sir George Ross, ex-premier of Ontario, was yesterday chosen, by a fully attended caucus of the liberal senators, to lead them in the upper house in support of the late Sir Richard Cartwright. Hon. Mr. Bostock of British Columbia, was also nominated for the position but the choice of the majority fell upon the veteran ex-premier and the decision was made unanimously.

Sir George was most cordially received by his fellow senators when he joined the caucus in response to the invitation. In announcing his acceptance of the offer of the leadership he expressed, at the same time, his deep regret at the loss to the senate and Canadian public of the late leader, Sir Richard Cartwright.

The caucus passed a resolution of condolence to the family of the late Sir Richard Cartwright, expressing the deep sense of loss in the death of one who had so long and ably upheld the best traditions of public life.

CHINESE EAGER TO FIGHT.

Army Now on Way to Retain Hold of Mongolia.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—A special dispatch to the Chicago Daily News from Canton, China, says: The governor-general has designated Lieut.-Governor Chang Wing Ming, commander of the Cantonese forces going to Mongolia, to hold the territory for the republic. Red Cross societies are preparing to follow the army.

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Secures Information For Civic Authorities of Kingston—Cost of Maintenance Small.

Watertown, N.Y., Nov. 23.—The motor fire engine which the city purchased last spring and which has been in use since June 15th, has entailed an expenditure of just \$21.34 to meet its up-keep and running expenses for five months.

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The engine in service here is known as a triple combination pump, chemical and hose wagon, and is capable of throwing 870 gallons of water per minute and of carrying 1,000 feet of hose. It has displaced five horses, a steam engine, a combination chemical wagon and three men. With less than \$25 for gasoline and oil spent, the mayor believes that when the other fire engines of the city are no longer serviceable that they should give way to the motor apparatus.

Annual Tea and Sale.

The Church Woman's Aid of St. George's cathedral will hold its annual tea and sale on Thursday, Dec. 5th, in St. George's Hall.

Will Make Hens Lay.

Newly crushed oyster shells, 10c. package, at Carnovsky's.

A home of your own will be a source of pleasure and satisfaction now and a comfort in old age. Go to McCann.

WAR LONG FORETOLD.

Ancient Jewish Literature Tells of Fall of Constantinople This Year.

New York, Nov. 23.—A London cable says: The Jewish World prints the following:

It has been pointed out that in the cabalistic work *Kochar*, which is so revered by the Chasidim and the other Jewish mystics, there are statements referring to Ishmael in the Biblical portion of the *Vayers*, that in the Jewish year 5673 (1912-1913 our calendar) there will take place a great war against Turkey, and that a gathering of a number of kings will take place in the captured Turkish capital, Constantinople.

SLEW HIS NEIGHBOR AND BURNED THE BODY

A Young Farmer Confesses That He Killed Him in a Jealous Frenzy.

Warsaw, N.Y., Nov. 23.—If a sworn statement made to the district attorney here yesterday afternoon, Althous Prince, the young Wyoming county farmer, admitted that he murdered his neighbor, Frank Bentley, in the woods near North-Java on Saturday afternoon and attempted to destroy evidence of his crime by burning the body.

Jealousy because of Bentley's friendship with Prince's young and pretty wife, Prince said, was the cause.

From the details of Prince's confession, other evidence in the hands of Sheriff Bauer and the results of the autopsy held this afternoon, the authorities believe there was a death struggle in the woods between the two men for the possession of Bentley's shotgun, in which Prince gave the victor, and then, with Bentley at his mercy, Prince shot him in the back.

LATE MRS. JAMES CAMPBELL.

Of Beverly Street, Who Died on Friday Evening.

Mrs. Sarah Campbell, wife of James Campbell, Beverly street, died at her home on Friday evening at eight o'clock, aged seventy years. She had been ill for about seven weeks, the end being due to a general breaking up of the system.

She was born in Lansdowne and during her life had resided in Cross street, Jones Falls and Seely's Bay, but with her husband, had made her home in Kingston for twenty-seven years. She was a Presbyterian in religion, being a member of Chalmers church. The funeral will be held from her late home on Monday afternoon, at two o'clock.

Her husband, five sons and two daughters survive. They are William, of Pittsburgh; Harvey and Samuel, of Barre, Md.; John, of Kingston; Joseph, of Syracuse, N.Y.; and G. H. Alister, Barre, Md. Mr. W. H. Moore, of Watertown, N.Y. One brother, William Mason, of Jones Falls, and two in Sheldon, Iowa, with two sisters, Mrs. A. Ross, of Ogdensburg, N.Y., and Mrs. M. Willett, of Rome, N.Y., also survive.

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WAR IS STILL STORMING IN THE BALKAN STATES



CARMI THOMPSON, Secretary to President Taft, will be appointed treasurer of the United States to succeed Leo McClung, who resigned last week.

IN MARINE CIRCLES.

Movements of Vessels Reported Along the Harbor.

The schooner Ford River, cleared Saturday afternoon, from Richardson's wharf, with a cargo of feldspar, for Charlotte.

The schooner Abbie L. Andrews, arrived at Rockwood Hospital, with coal, from Charlotte.

The steamer Tagona arrived from Fort William, and is discharging 110,000 bushels of oats, at Richardson's elevator.

The C. G. S. Bellechasse will steam out of the harbor next week down the St. Lawrence, between Montreal and Quebec, as it was for the work on this part of the river she was built. The men of the Kingston Shipbuilding company are rushing her at the wharf. A number of workmen will accompany her. The Bellechasse will be tried out in the harbor on Monday or Tuesday.

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The steamer North King was floated at the shipbuilding company on Friday afternoon, and is now moored at the Cereal company's wharf. M. T. company's barges and the Calvin company's barges will be docked before the ice takes.

The steamer Missisquoi arrived at the wharf of the Kingston foundry, where she will lay up for the winter, and repairs will be done.

The steamer City of Hamilton passed down on Friday night on her last trip of the season.

The steamer Dundurn went west on Saturday. She will make another trip before going into winter quarters.

The steamer Keybelle, which blew out a cylinder head, near Cape Vincent, after temporary repairs, came on to Kingston Shipbuilding company wharf, on Saturday morning, for repairs, under her own steam.

STEAMER TOILER ASHORE.

The steamer Toiler, grain-laden, from Port Colborne to Montreal, is reported ashore at the foot of Wolfe Island, having run on during Saturday morning.

PRINCESS THEATRE.

Change of Management of This Popular Theatre.

Commencing Monday, November 25th, the Princess will, under the new management, go back to their old system of giving the citizens of Kingston the best show in the city for the price. Don't fail to see the famous George Massoti, the best of all comedians, and four reels of pictures for 5c. Come one and all—we will make room for you and welcome old and new alike. Don't forget Monday, 25th. Change pictures three times a week.

Embargo on Cattle.

London, Nov. 23.—An influential deputation waited upon Premier Asquith in the commons last evening on the question of the embargo on cattle at British ports. The premier promised that in conjunction with the president of the board of agriculture he would consider all points raised with a view to removal of restrictions at the earliest possible moment.

A member of the deputation informed the C.A.P. that they expect the embargo will be removed within the next month.

Michael Fraser Dead.

Midland, Ont., Nov. 22.—Michael Fraser, aged eighty-three years, a wealthy retired farmer, whose marriage in 1907 to Miss Hannah Robertson, his nurse, resulted in much litigation, and is still before the courts, died at his home here yesterday afternoon. Litigation over the estate will still go on.

Buy chamouis vests. "Gibson's."

Sunday May Bring More Definite Assurance

HEAVY MORTALITY

ON BOTH SIDES FROM DISEASE AND POOR ATTENTION.

The Turks Have Everything to Gain by the Present Delay—Bulgarians are Far From the Base of Supplies—Britain's Stand Assures Peace.

London, Nov. 23.—This week closes with the war still storming in the Balkans. There were some prospects that Sunday would bring more definite assurance of favorable negotiations, but, this morning, advices tell of nothing better than a terror of mortality, on both sides, from disease and the poorly attended wounded.

The Bulgarians have not gained an inch all week and the Turks have everything to gain by the present delay with the Bulgarian army so far from the base of supplies.

Peace experts profess to see a silver lining to the clouds to-day. They think the greatest preventative of the big war is Great Britain's avoidance of continental alliance. They think Britain's continued neutrality is the best assurance of peace among the great powers.

TO CAUSE BITTER FIGHT SOON AT WASHINGTON

Is Uncle Sam Belittling Himself in Still Holding Out the Offers?

Washington, Nov. 23.—The appeal for Canadian reciprocity, which still stands on the United States statute books, despite the defeat in Canada, is likely to be the cause of a bitter fight in congress this winter, according to the house leaders assembling here to-day. Some congressmen think Uncle Sam is belittling himself to other hold out offers of reciprocity to Canada.

Ralph Connor's New Book.

Just issued to-day, "Corporal Cameron, of the North-West Mounted Police," by Ralph Connor, author of "The Sky Pilot," etc. Never before has the author had a more picturesque subject, and not in any of his earlier books has he risen to the opportunities and possibilities of his theme. It is a novel to inspire and to thrill and to satisfy.

Now ready for sale by R. Ungewick & Company, Telephone No. 25/ for a copy.

Pension for Carnegie Family.

Madrid, Nov. 23.—The dual title and an annual pension of \$6,000 were conferred on the family of the late Premier Canalejas, who was assassinated on Nov. 12th.

McLeod's Little Liver Pills, 10c. a box, 3 boxes 25c. McLeod's Drug Store, Brock street.

Buy Red Cross Cold Tablets. "Gibson's."

DIED.

BERNARD—At Wolfe Island, on Nov. 22, 1912, Margaret Berry, aged 52 years. Funeral from her late residence, Sunday afternoon at two o'clock to the Church of the Sacred Heart, Wolfe Island, where a solemn service will be sung. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend.

CAMPBELL—In Kingston, Ont., Nov. 22nd, 1912, James Campbell, beloved wife of James Campbell, Beverly Street. Funeral from her late residence, Monday afternoon at two o'clock in Calvary Cemetery.

RUTAN—At 55 Hamilton on Thursday, Nov. 21st, 1912, Charles Rutan, aged 80 years, 11 months and 15 days. Funeral from his late residence, Swedenham, Sunday, November 24th, at 9 p.m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. No flowers.

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