

YOUNG TURKS MAKE ADVANCE ON PALACE

Resolve to Depose Abdul and Enthroned Mohammed.

OPEN ATTACK AT MIDNIGHT

Majority of Parliament Votes on Change After Talk With Heir.

ARMY OCCUPIES CAPITAL

Panic Seizes City as Troops Take Advance Posts.

GENERAL TELLS PURPOSE

Scheffket Says Salonican Army Will Punish Men Who Tried to Over- turn Constitution—All Way of Escape Blocked.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 24.—Fighting between the army of investment under General Mahmud Scheffket and part of the troops faithful to the Sultan began at 5:45 this morning in the southwest part of Pera near Yildiz Kiosk.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 23.—A significant dispatch from Constantinople received at Vienna tonight says: "The advance upon Pera and the coast appears to have been begun. Suspicion is current that today's events and announcements were merely feints intended to lull all parties to tranquillity. It is believed that action against the Yildiz Kiosk may be taken tonight."

A dispatch from Salonica declares that after a consultation of Scheffket Pasha and the Assembly with Mohammed Rehad Effendi, heir apparent to the throne, it was decided to demand that the Sheikh-ul-Islam issue a decree proclaiming Mohammed Rehad Effendi Sultan. The dispatch adds that an assault on the Yildiz Kiosk was arranged to take place at midnight.

Sultan Only Calm Person.

These reports cannot be confirmed and the only thing that comes with any distinctness of the perplexing situation is the fact that the Sultan, who has not a reputation for personal courage, faced his subjects at today's Semamlik with a calmness that betokens the conviction that the throne was unshaken.

"I saluted the Sultan with great respect. He was the only person showing a perfect calm; the others were very nervous."

The foregoing is the comment of an Englishman who witnessed the Semamlik ceremony today and points in a word to what appears to be the pivot of the bewildering situation at Constantinople.

ALBANANS FIGHT YOUNG TURKS

A dispatch to the Times from Constantinople reports great unrest among the Albanians. It is rumored that they have risen at Avlona, a seaport in the Adriatic with a population of 6000, and captured the officers of the garrison and several members of the Committee of Union and Progress, whom they are holding as hostages for Ismail Kiamil Bey and Mufid Bey.

YOUNG TURKS ENTER CAPITAL

Panic Seizes City—General Pro- claims Purpose of Army.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 23.—The advance of the concentrated army of investment was begun today. While the favored troops of the Constantinople garrison were giving homage to the Sultan on Yildiz Hill, there was a forward movement of the Constitutional forces to within two and one-half miles of the Yildiz Kiosk. Cavalry went out to reconnoiter and soldiers were sent to picket the bridge across the Sweet Waters.

Panic Seizes City

A party of 50 American tourists, just arrived, were turned back by the soldiers. Infantry was then observed advancing and rumors spread throughout the city that the army was about to enter the capital and fighting was inevitable.

There was a great panic. Shopkeepers in a large part of Pera put up their shutters. British Ambassador Lowther was caught in the swirling crowd near the embassy and hundreds of frantic persons poured into the embassy compound, imploring asylum. The gates of

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CUBIC FOOT AMPLE SIZE FOR ANY HAT

ILLINOIS SOLON PROPOSES RE- FORM IN HEADGEAR.

Bill Limits Beam to 18 Inches, Over- hang to Six Inches and Bars Snakes, Birds and Pins.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 23.—(Special.)—Illinois promises to lead in a reform that is demanded by the entire country. This is the regulation of the size, the shape, consistency and ingredients of women's hats. Representative George C. Hilton, of Chicago, is the author of the bill and speedy action is promised for the measure. It is entitled "A bill for an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale or use of unsanitary, dangerous or deadly headgear for hats, and to regulate the exhibition thereof."

The proposed law limits the size of hats to 18 inches in diameter, forbids alpacas, feathers, pins or other adornments projecting more than six inches beyond the crown, which shall not exceed one cubic foot in size, nor weigh more than five ounces.

The bill prohibits the use "of any dead body or stuffed skin of any bird, snake, lizard or other animal, reptile or insect subject to decay and likely to become a breeding place for filth and disease germs."

The penalties range from \$100 to \$300.

AMERICAN GETS RELEASED

George K. McCain, Arrested by Sul- tan's Orders, Given Liberty.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., April 23.—George K. McCain, the lecturer and former newspaper man, who was arrested in Constantinople last Saturday on suspicion that he was taking photographs about the city for the use of the Sultan's enemies, has been released.

This information was conveyed in a special dispatch to the Gazette tonight from Philadelphia, which stated that Mr. McCain's daughter, who formerly lived in Colorado and had received a cablegram from his London agents, who were able to get into direct communication with him yesterday for the first time since his arrest.

MODJESKA ESTATE SMALL

Worth Only \$5000 and Is Left to Sister, Nephews and Husband.

SANTA ANA, Cal., April 23.—The will of the late Mme. Helena Modjeska was filed for probate here today. The document was executed August 28, 1905, and leaves \$4000 to a sister in Poland and \$3000 to each of the four children of Ludwig Opid, of Los Angeles, a nephew. The balance is left to her husband, Count Bontzia.

The value of the estate evidently had dwindled since the will was made, as today it was placed at \$2000, consisting of three acres of land at Tustin, Orange County; silverware and a note for \$3000.

ACTOR HELD FOR SHOOTING

Struck Bystander in Course of Duel With Policeman.

BOZEMAN, April 23.—W. D. Glascock, alias Vaughn, an actor, was placed under arrest here today upon advice from the authorities of Leesville, Va. Glascock is wanted for first degree assault in connection with the shooting of a bystander during a revolver duel between Glascock and a policeman. Glascock asserts the officer was intoxicated and began firing when he refused to drink with him. During the exchange of shots Glascock was wounded in the shoulder.

NEVADAN DIES AS PAUPER

Once Noted Attorney and Legatee to Fortune, Dead in Squalor.

RENO, Nev., April 23.—George Eccles, 64 years old, one time District Attorney of Virginia City, in the bonanza days of the lode, and legatee of a fortune of \$150,000 from Eastern relatives, was found dead today in a squalid cabin.

Among his effects were several copies of letters addressed to two sisters in New York, in which he asked for money in order to "save my body from a pauper's grave."

P. F. COLLIER DROPS DEAD

Publisher of Weekly Magazine Vic- tim of Apoplexy.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Peter F. Collier, founder and publisher of Collier's Weekly, died, suddenly tonight of apoplexy at the Riding Club.

Mr. Collier's illness came on suddenly and he died before a physician arrived. He was chief owner and editor of Collier's Weekly. In this he was associated with his only son, Robert J. Collier, who with the widow survives.

GIVES \$6,000,000 TO HOME

Executors of Stratton Estate Carry Out Bequest.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., April 23.—By order of the County Court the executors of the estate of W. S. Stratton, millionaire mine owner, turned over to the trustees of the Myron Stratton Home \$6,000,000 today. This sum represents the entire estate with the exception of about \$500,000, which is retained by the executors for protection in litigation now pending against the estate.

BRANDENBURG IS IN BAY CITY JAIL

Novelist Arrested on Larceny Charge.

FOUND UNDER ASSUMED NAME

Capture Sequel to Campaign Forgeries Scandal.

SAYS HE IS LIKE DREYFUS

Prisoner Declares He Is Scapegoat of Politicians and Promises Big Exposure—Offers to Sell Account of Flight.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—(Special.)—Broughten Brandenburg, novelist and magazine writer, was arrested here tonight as a fugitive from justice on a warrant from New York, and placed in the tanks of the city prison to await the arrival from Manhattan of an officer armed with the necessary papers.

Brandenburg was to have appeared before Judge Dowling in New York on February 1 of this year to answer to a charge of larceny in the second degree on an indictment of the grand jury. Brandenburg, shortly before election last year, sold to the New York Times a political article attacking the methods of William J. Bryan, which, the novelist claimed, was one of a series written by Grover Cleveland just prior to the latter's death.

Article Proves Forgery.

The Times submitted the matter to F. S. Hastings, Cleveland's executor, and the latter pronounced the signature of Cleveland genuine and expressed the belief that the article contained the sentiments of the ex-President. The New York newspaper thereupon published it, and about a month afterward Hastings came out with a statement, in which he declared the article was a forgery.

The local police received information tonight that Brandenburg was on his way to this city, and detectives found him at the Hotel Victoria, where he was registered as D. W. Leonard, of London. He admitted his identity and was taken to the city prison.

Calls Himself "Dreyfus."

"I am the Dreyfus of America," declared Brandenburg tonight, when interviewed in the city prison. "I am made the scapegoat of politicians, and when my trial comes off there will be some interesting testimony."

Brandenburg would not make any further comments upon his case. He said that he would sell the account of his adventures to the highest bidder among the local newspapers, as he had to have some money in order to defray his expenses here.

He was arrested in New York on

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MUIR KIDNAPED; COURT IS IGNORED

SAN FRANCISCO DETECTIVE TAKES MAN BY FORCE.

While Appeal Pending for Habeas Corpus, Embezzler Is Spirited Away by Automobile.

DENVER, April 23.—W. A. Muir, the San Francisco broker charged with embezzlement, who has successfully resisted extradition for many weeks, was virtually kidnaped today by Detective Sergeant John D. Freel, of the San Francisco police, and is now on his way to the Coast.

Muir appeared before Judge Shattuck, of the West Side court, this morning on a writ of habeas corpus, which was denied. Judge Shattuck, however, granted a stay of execution until 3 o'clock this afternoon, pending the decision of the Supreme Court on a writ of supersedeas.

Promptly at 3 o'clock, although the Supreme Court had not handed down a decision, Freel secured his prisoner from the County Jail, loaded him into an automobile and took him to Brighton, from which point both boarded a Union Pacific train bound for San Francisco. Shortly after 4 o'clock the Supreme Court denied the writ of supersedeas, but Muir's attorneys allege that Freel, by his action in taking Muir out of the state, has rendered himself liable to a fine of \$1000 or imprisonment for from one to five years, or both, under the Colorado statutes.

Extradition papers have been honored three times by Governor Shafroth, and the case has been bitterly fought in the courts. Although the charge on which the extradition was asked specifies the sum embezzled as less than \$100, the California authorities have expended many times the sum to procure Muir's return to San Francisco. Muir has expended several thousand dollars in fighting extradition.

PATHFINDER IN QUICKSAND

Fifteen Husky Section Men Needed to Haul Auto to Safety.

ROCK SPRINGS, Wyo., April 23.—The Thomas Pathfinder car, which is determining the route from New York to Seattle for the Guggenheim trophy race, arrived at Rock Springs at 2 o'clock this afternoon. An hour later the car left for Green River.

The car was nearly engulfed in quicksand near Bitter Creek last night and required 15 section men to extricate it. The car was again stalled in quicksand near Point of Rocks this morning, but was pulled out with little delay. Robert Guggenheim, donor of the New York-to-Seattle trophy, has shipped a car to Boise, Idaho, and will meet the Thomas Pathfinder at Pocatello.

WESTON COVERS 53 MILES

Strikes Good Roads After Wading Knee-Deep in Mud.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., April 23.—Edward Payson Weston, en route to San Francisco, arrived tonight. He covered 53 miles today.

DWIGHT, Ill., April 23.—Weston was stranded in the mud here yesterday. The day previous he walked in Illinois mud up to his knees in the midst of a soaking rain.

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LADD FARM SOLD FOR \$2,000,000

Property Includes 462 Acres on East Side.

WILL BE OPENED FOR HOMES

C. K. Henry Heads Syndicate in Big Deal.

2880 LOTS CALLED FOR

Land Laid Out by Boston Firm in Ideal Building Locations—Will Probably Be Put on Market in Single Lots About July 1.

RECENT BIG REALTY DEALS.

Hazel farm, owned by Ladd estate, bought by syndicate for \$2,000,000.

Thirteenth street tier of blocks in terminal district, bought by unknown investors for \$1,500,000.

Terminal blocks bought by Charles K. Henry for unknown owners, for \$1,000,000.

Marquam property, Sixth and Alder streets, bought by Ben Selling and associates, for \$350,000.

Kings Heights, bought by D. E. Keasey & Co., for \$258,000.

Properties bought by Theodore B. Wilcox, Sixth and Washington, \$250,000; Seventh and Stark, \$150,000; Fourth and Pine, \$120,000.

Hazel Fern farm, the magnificent tract of land consisting of 462 acres in the heart of the East Side, owned for many years by the Ladd estate, has been acquired by Charles K. Henry and associates at a consideration of approximately \$2,000,000.

Mr. Henry now has under consideration the formation of a syndicate to handle the vast property. With him in the initiative stage of the proceedings are associated Frank F. Mead and Paul C. Murphy, of Seattle, and H. R. Burke, of Portland.

Hazel Fern farm lies between the Barr road on the north and the Base Line road on the south and East Thirty-third and East Forty-fourth streets east and west. Olmsted brothers, of Boston, some months ago laid out the big tract in a parking system, preserving the higher portions for buildings with streets following the contour of the lands. This plan calls for 2880 lots and it is the intention of the new owners to place these on the market. Under the Olmsted plan the tract will be one of the most attractive in the country, lending itself to ornamental landscape gardening in its highest phases. As at present outlined, lots will sell from \$500 upward, and building restrictions will range from \$500 to \$5000 according to location.

Seattle Buyers Men of Experience.

Mr. Mead and Mr. Murphy, the two Seattle men interested with Mr. Henry, are handling a suburban tract at Seattle

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SEATTLE FAIR TO OPEN ON SUNDAY

PROTESTS OF CLERGYMEN ARE MADE IN VAIN.

"Pay Streak" Amusement Places, However, Are to Be Conducted Without "Ballyhoo."

SEATTLE, April 23.—The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific directors today voted unanimously to open the fair gates on Sunday. On week days the fair will be open from 8 A. M. until midnight; on Sundays from 1 P. M. until midnight.

The same agitation against Sunday opening that every fair in the United States has encountered was met by this exposition, but as the Federal Government made no loan to the Seattle fair, settlement of the question was left to Congress, but to the directors.

Today's decision permits Sunday opening of the "Pay Streak," which was the chief point of attack by the United Clergymen. Under the state law the amusement enterprises must be conducted quietly on Sunday, without "ballyhoo." The Government building will not be open, and such of the exhibitors as desire to close will be permitted to do so, but it is believed all the state buildings will be open.

The Seattle Ministerial Federation was divided on Sunday opening, some members favoring locked gates, but a majority wishing the gates thrown open as a free public park, with religious exercises, music, art exhibit open and all pay amusement places closed.

WOMEN TO STORM CAPITOL

Insist Only Federal Delegates Shall Be A.-Y.-P. Delegates.

SALEM, Or., April 23.—(Special.)—The executive office at the State Capitol will be invaded tomorrow by a delegation of women from Portland, headed by Mrs. J. D. Hayes, and representing the State Federation of Women's Clubs. They will take up with the Governor the matter of appointment of delegates from various sections of Oregon to the A.-Y.-P. Exposition at Seattle. It seems that only a limited number of select clubs are affiliated with the Federation, and that the organization will object to the appointment of any Oregon delegate not a member of an affiliated club.

The Federation will act as a reception committee at the exposition and desires to have exclusive control of this feature of the fair.

HORSE FEEDS ON CHICKENS

Prefers Broilers With Feathers, but Will Take Full-Grown Ducks.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 23.—(Special.)—A horse that eats chickens, ducks and geese alive is owned by George D. Dunlap, resident of Dunlap, a Rainier Valley suburb. The horse has displayed a liking for broilers with the feathers on ever since he was 2 years old.

"Billy" seems to prefer the fowl at the age they are generally put on the market for fries, but his owner believes he would eat a full-grown chicken or duck if he got the opportunity. The horse has been known to eat a whole flock of young chickens at one meal, and occasionally tricky and will open a window with his head to reach his feathered victims.

"LUCKY'S" MEN GET MONEY

Farmhands Paid in Cash for First Time in Many Years.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 23.—(Special.)—Since Lucky Baldwin's death the Santa Anita ranch management has been paying cash to all the laborers, mostly Mexicans, and these people have more money now than they ever saw before. Baldwin's passing marked the end of a virtual pennance system among many of the ranch hands, who never received a cent but were furnished produce and supplies from the ranch store, near the old mansion. Some of them had had good fortunes coming to them as a consequence. Executor Unruh has closed the store and is transacting business along modern lines, revolutionizing old Baldwin's peculiar methods.

TEST TUBERCULOSIS CURE

Londoner Will Try It on Consump- tives in Hospitals.

LONDON, April 23.—Some of the most eminent physicians of England have agreed to a test of what the discoverer, William Doig, attests to be a cure for tuberculosis. It has been decided to take six consumptives from London hospitals and allow Mr. Doig to treat them under the closest observation.

The Doig treatment consists of draining the diseased pus from the lungs to the surface by means of chemical heat.

GERMANY ARRANGES LOANS

Will Procure \$200,000,000 From Syndicate of National Banks.

BERLIN, April 23.—The Imperial and Prussian governments have arranged a syndicate of banks, headed by the Reichsbank, to bring out an imperial loan of \$80,000,000 and a Prussian loan of \$120,000,000. Half of the total amount will be interest at 2 1/2 per cent and half at 4 per cent. The 4s are not convertible before 1918. Their subscription price is 102 1/2. The subscription price of the 2 1/2 per cent is 96.50. The subscriptions will be opened May 2.

ROOSEVELT HAS PITCHED HIS TENT

Small Army Encamped at Kapiti Plains.

HAS CARAVAN OF 260 PEOPLE

African Hunting Party Shel- tered by 73 Tents.

LIONS PROWLING AROUND

Roosevelt Rides on Cow-catcher Across Plains—Will Lose No Time in Going After Game.

Delighted With Hosts.

KAPITI PLAINS, British East Africa, April 23.—Theodore Roosevelt has reached the hunting grounds and tonight prepared to pass his first night in Africa under canvas. A big camp has been established near the railroad station.

Last night lions were prowling about in the vicinity of the tents. The country is green, owing to the recent rains, and there is every prospect of good sport. The commoner varieties of game are plentiful and the huntman will lose no time in getting started.

Most Elaborate Camp.

The special train bearing the Roosevelt party from Mombasa arrived this afternoon. Only the members of the party got off at Kapiti Plains. W. J. Jackson, the Acting Governor of the protectorate, and the other officials who came up from Mombasa continued on to Nairobi.

The camp is most elaborate. The caravan will have 290 followers. There are 13 tents for the Europeans and their horses and 90 tents for the porters. An American flag is flying over the tent occupied by Mr. Roosevelt. All the native porters were lined up on a platform when the Roosevelt special pulled in, and as Mr. Roosevelt stepped down from the train, they shouted a salute in his honor.

Rides on Cow-catcher—De-lighted.

Mr. Roosevelt was welcomed at the station by Sir Alfred Pease, who will be his host at Athi River. Mr. Roosevelt when the train pulled in, having occupied that position for 79 miles between Mombasa and Kapiti Plains. He said he was intensely pleased with the country and

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