

ARMENIANS' DEMANDS ARE HELD EXCESSIVE

People, It Is Asserted, Are Asking Too Much.

PROTECTORATE IS NEEDED

Capacity of People for Self-Government Not Yet Proved—Spirit of Revenge Is Pronounced.

BY WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

(Copyright by The New York Herald Company. Published by Arrangement with the Constantinople, May 15.—(Special.)—The spirit that has made for disunion, dissatisfaction and disintegration in the Ottoman empire cropped out as it has in the past.

Quickly I heard the only objection to the one mandatory plan for Turkey that has thus far reached me. It was singularly naive, and revelatory of the sort of spirit that has made Turkey so long a seething cauldron of anarchy.

Let me quote the substance of the leader's remarks: "If one nation is made mandatory for all Turkey and the claims of Armenia are made probationary, to be settled finally at the end of five or ten years, don't you see the danger? If safety and quiet and prosperity come to the whole Ottoman empire, then the Armenians scattered over it will not immigrate to Armenia.

People Have Suffered Long. In truth, the atmosphere of that gathering seemed filled with the idea that the worse the fate of the Turk the better pleased they would be.

One Armenian captain in the British army expressed the wish with brutal frankness when he said: "Let the Turks be coolies and laborers, hewers of wood and drawers of water for the Armenians."

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rule in the present temper of the latter. When it comes to statistics of population out here an investigator simply throws up his hands in despair.

Millions, However, Claimed. Talk with those same men about Armenia's political future, and apparently with no sense of inconsistency they declare that there are over three million, possibly over four million Armenians in the world, at least two and a half million of whom would be citizens and residents of the new Armenian republic.

The answer is simple. Present evidence, Dr. James L. Barton, the head of the American committee for relief in the near east, tells me that less than a million Armenians perished in the atrocities. People once thought dead are coming back.

Armenians Have Feelings. Persons who believe that the Armenians should have a country of their own and one larger than the little republic which they now possess in the Caucasus around Mount Ararat, having secured it during the war by capitulation to Turkey and Germany.

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LODGE FINDS LEAGUE STILL UNACCEPTABLE

G. O. P. Leader Says Senate Suggestions Ignored.

REAL TEXT MUST BE SEEN

Dangerous to Peace of World and American Rights and Interests Is Declaration.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Senator Lodge, republican leader and chairman of the foreign relations committee, in a statement tonight declared that the revised league of nations is unacceptable and predicted it would not be accepted by the majority of the senate without amendment.

Characterizing the new league covenant as included in the peace treaty as distinctly worse than the old and more dangerous to the peace of the world and to American rights and interests, Senator Lodge declared that none of the suggestions from the senate or from Elihu Root had been carried out.

Amendments Are Favored. Senator Lodge's statement follows: "So far as I can judge, and I have had conversations with many senators, including members of both parties, I am satisfied that a majority of the senate feel very strongly that the league as now presented must receive amendment; that in its present form, without any change, it is unacceptable and would not be accepted."

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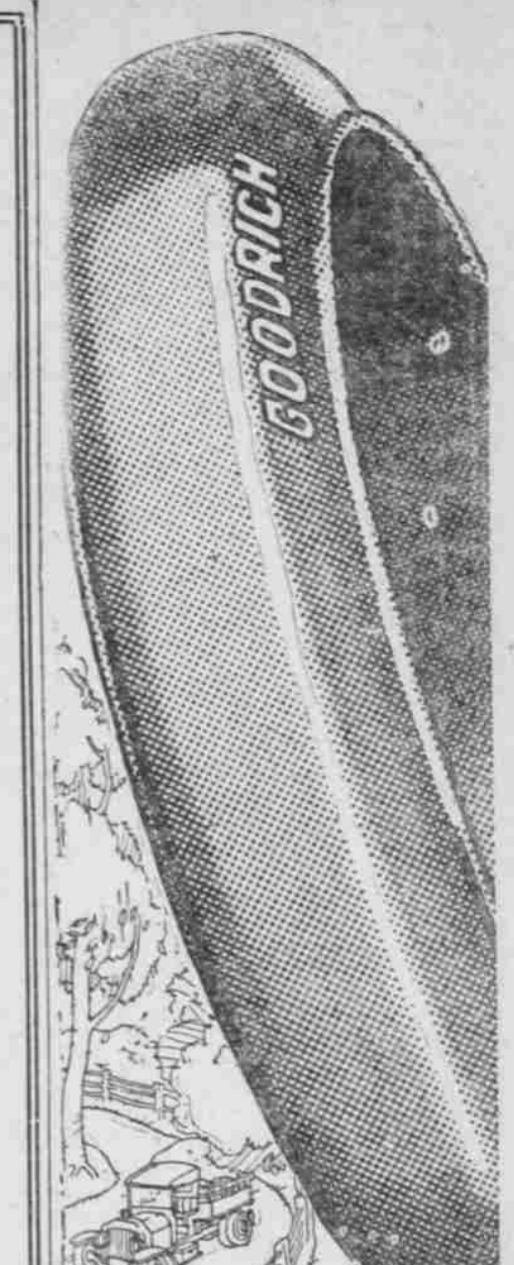
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PORTLAND TO HAVE PLANE

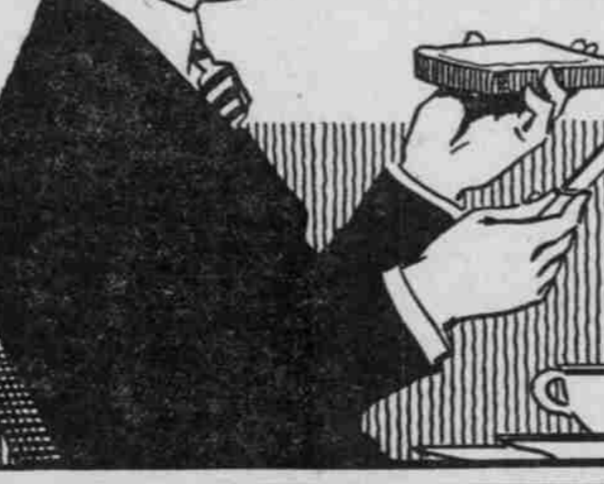
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Portland is to have a commercial airplane. A Curtiss-built machine is now on its way here and will be ready to take passengers on flights.

Alaska Employs Special Counsel. SEATTLE, Wash., May 19.—Appointment of Maurice D. Lechey of Seattle as special counsel of the Alaska territorial shipping board, announced today, marks the beginning of the territory's investigation into mail, freight and passenger traffic conditions prevailing between Puget Sound and Alaska.

Tacoma Gets New Y. M. C. A. Man. TACOMA, Wash., May 19.—(Special.)—James I. Muffley, now general secretary of the Newcastle, Pa. Y. M. C. A., has been chosen and accepted the Tacoma Y. M. C. A. secretaryship.

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Wages Increased in Plants Around North Bend, Or.

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CATHOLIC ORDER GROWING. Knights of Columbus Initiate 35 Candidates at Baker.

BAKER, Or., May 19.—(Special.)—About thirty-five candidates were initiated into the Knights of Columbus at the annual initiation ceremonies here Sunday. A large number of members of the order participated in the march to the cathedral to attend high mass, which started at 10:30 o'clock.

SELF-POISONING VERY PREVALENT

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Brownsville Teachers Will Not Stay.

BROWNSVILLE, Or., May 19.—(Special.)—There is to be a general shake-up in Brownsville school affairs next year. The town now consists of two school districts divided by the Calapooya river, but these are to be united and one school will result. But where