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FEAR OF MUTINY RULES

Captain of Sinking Ship Runs to Port Across Open Sea Not Daring to Hug the Shore for Fear of Outbreak.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 30.—Foreign observers here are daily aroused to either condemnation or admiration of the Turks by reason of some peculiar display of characteristics which are different from those of the peoples of the West.

Their indifference to the suffering of their fellow men and the wanton waste of life near Stambul and the piles of dead needlessly large in the cholera camps is offset by the courage of the officers and crew of the cruiser Hamidieh, after a lack of precaution had permitted a Bulgarian torpedo boat almost to blow her up.

The Hamidieh's captain brought his ship back to Constantinople in a manner few European commanders would have adopted. He took a course across the deep sea and arrived at the Golden Horn with the decks of the cruiser 15 inches above water. The ship sank almost at the entrance to the dock, and the engineers apparently now are unable to move her in or out.

Mutiny Is Feared.

Asked by the foreign naval officers why he failed to hug the shore after his ship was torpedoed, the captain replied that his crew was not under discipline and he feared they might mutiny if they saw the shore near by. Consequently he took a chance of sinking.

These incidents are difficult to understand by Westerners, with their present-day fashion of conserving life. Foreigners are unable to understand how the Turks can fail to be affected by the groans and agonies of the wounded or of the cholera sufferers, often not attempting to alleviate them.

This stoicism is a characteristic of the Turkish people. One cannot walk the streets without encountering lines of broken men. Sometimes they number thousands. They are lame, blind, and maimed, dressed in all kinds of ragged uniforms and reeking in filth. These men are wrecks of the Turkish army.

War Toll Is 200,000.

It is impossible to reckon accurately the number of Turks lost by their own disorganization and indifference to human life, but it seems safe to say that 200,000 have become ineffective since the war began. At least several divisions in Macedonia surrendered and laid down their arms and many thousands were made prisoners, those who died in battle or from cholera probably amounting to 40,000 and 50,000, while those who became ineffective through lack of nourishment and care by the government, according to a Turkish staff officer, number 37,000 and probably more.

The Turks continue to boast that Asia Minor can supply hundreds of thousands more soldiers.

The war is giving foreigners here an opportunity to see why an empire which should be one of the richest in the world is so poor and so poverty stricken. It has demonstrated also that the Turks can be as cruel by indifference to their own people as in an attack on a neighboring state.

Christians Not Molested.

Within the Tchatalia lines Christians, even Greeks and Bulgarians, continue to reside in the villages, unmolested by the Turks.

A conspicuous feature with regard to the property of foreigners was noted, when English doctors desiring quarters for cholera victims, appealed to Turkish officers, desiring to enter deserted houses at San Stefano. The Turks refused to do so, on the ground that the proprietors would dislike cholera in their houses. They would permit would be taken into the buildings, but not persons suffering from the scourge.

The inability of the Turks to come to a definite decision, it is feared, will cause peace negotiations to fail.

Hoping that some turn in events will favor their arms, they probably will procrastinate and allow hostilities to be resumed.

MILLS TO TRY TO RESUME

Use of Strikebreakers on Trains Causes Feeling of Uneasiness.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 30.—The Carnegie Steel Company at Homestead, Pa., it is said, will attempt to start all works in the various mills late tomorrow, employing strikebreakers to operate the trains. A feeling of uneasiness developed tonight, as thousands of other men forced out of work by the strike of trainmen are undecided whether to return to work.

The mills were operating close to capacity, it was asserted. Twenty out of 35 trains were being operated at Homestead, while 19 out of 35 trains were working in the Bradwood mills.

The attitude of the employees of the Union Railroad, over which products of the companies are hauled after leaving the mills, probably will be made known tomorrow.

WAGE INCREASE GRANTED

Jackling Makes Condition That Copper Shall Be Above 17 Cents.

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 30.—A wage increase of 20 to 25 cents a day, effective December 1, was announced today by D. C. Jackling, general manager of the Utah Copper Company.

In making the announcement Mr. Jackling said that production from the mine at Bingham had reached the normal capacity of 20,000 tons a day, although the strike declared by the Western Federation of Miners still is in effect.

The wage increase applies particularly to pit men, track men and laborers and is to continue only while copper remains above 17 cents a pound.

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Restraining Order Dissolved After Company Loses \$117,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—Free use of 55,100 telephones in this city was ended today by a Superior Court decision dissolving a restraining order granted eight months ago. The situation was created by a restraining order in the litigation that grew out of the sale to the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company of the Home Telephone Company holdings in this city.

Effort was made by an organization of taxpayers to have the so-called merger set aside, and the restraining order resulted.

Subscribers became aware that the Pacific Company could not remove Home Company telephones without being in contempt of court and accordingly ordered the telephones removed and refused to pay service bills. The free feature was made possible by the fact that the Home telephones are automatic. The Pacific Company said today that it had given \$117,000 worth of free service in the eight months period. Representatives of the Pacific Company said that an effort would be made to combine the two services, so that it would be unnecessary to remove the automatic instruments.

BEAVER IN PORT UNINJURED

Boat Detained 19 Hours on Bar in Willamette River.

None the worse for having been held on Peacock Bar, two miles inside the mouth of the Willamette, for more than 19 hours, the steamer Beaver arrived at the Almsworth dock at 10:15 Friday night. She struck the bar at 1:30 A. M. Friday, being 100 feet out of the channel at the time.

An unsuccessful attempt was made by the steamer Henderson and Shaver to pull the Beaver out of the bar shortly before noon yesterday. Her passengers and their baggage were transferred to the Shaver, arriving at the Almsworth dock yesterday at 1 P. M.

It was necessary to remove 250 of the Beaver's 1000 tons of cargo before the steamer floated free at 3:50 last night, two barges of the Diamond O fleet, with 50 longshoremen, having been taken down by the Shaver. The cargo was removed to the barges in good condition, arriving at the dock in tow of the Shaver just behind the Beaver.

Captain Mason reports a smooth passage from San Francisco until the bar was struck.

CONDUCTOR SEATS ON WAY

Portland Traction Company Already Testing Out Design.

For six months or more the Portland Light & Power Company has been working on plans for establishing seats in their cars for conductors. So far has the work gone along that the designs are made and the seats are already established in one or two cars, with a view of testing the design out.

The company, seven or eight months ago in conference with the city, took up the question of seats for the conductors, and agreed that just as soon as the new car shops were completed in the Sellwood district, that the changes would be made.

The shops have only been in operation for 30 days, and the matter of providing seats is being cared for in conformity with the promise made. The motor-men are now provided with seats, so that they can rest a considerable portion of their time.

By Councilman Clyde to the effect that seats should be provided for the conductor is an effort, according to the opinion of the trainmen, to steal political thunder.

MATING HELD IMPORTANT

Professor Says Success in Life Depends on Choice of Wife.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Professor William C. Bagley, of the University of Illinois, believes that a man's selection of a wife plays an important part in his success or failure in his chosen vocation. Speaking before the Central Association of Science and Mathematics Teachers, Professor Bagley said today: "If a boy were consulting me about what occupation to take up, I would not make my inquiry by asking him physical or mental tests. I should ask him if he had selected a prospective partner for life's joys and sorrows. I should then request a few minutes interview with her."

Grand Jury Indicts 15.

Resulting from the crusade against vice being waged by the Juvenile Court, the grand jury yesterday morning returned 15 indictments. Those against whom true bills have been reported to date include E. S. J. McAllister, Dr. Harry A. Start, Earl Van Hulen, Earl Brown, E. W. Westmeyer, John Doe Bosworth, H. L. Rowe, Herman Smith, H. L. Tabb, Sam Kondos, Herbert King, Roy Kadel and Giovanni Calucco.

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