

ALLIES MAKE THREAT TO DRIVE OUT TURKS

Note Demands Acceptance and Fulfilling Treaty.

JULY 27 TIME LIMIT

Situation in Europe Must Be Remedied and Atrocities Ended, Is Peace Ultimatum.

VERSAILLES, July 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—A threat to drive the Turks from Europe "once and for all" was contained in the allied reply to the Turkish objections to the peace treaty delivered at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Such action might follow Turkey's refusal to sign the treaty or her failure to give it effect, the reply states.

The Turks were informed that they must make known their decision within 10 days. The reply said the Turkish government appears to think its responsibility in the war was less than that of its allies and that Turkey therefore is entitled to lenient treatment, but that the allies could not accept that plea.

Big Loss Laid to Turkey. The note maintains "Turkey entered the war without a shadow of excuse or provocation" and by closing the straits in the face of the allies "Turkey certainly prolonged the war by not less than two years and caused loss to the allies of thousands of lives and thousands of millions of pounds."

Continuing, the note said: "The history of the relations between the ports and the great powers for a long period before the war was one long story of repeated, unavailing attempts to put an end to atrocities in Bulgaria, Macedonia, Armenia and elsewhere—atrocities which have started and shocked the conscience of mankind."

"It is estimated that since 1914 the Turkish government has massacred on the mendacious pretext of alleged revolt 800,000 Armenians, including women and children, and expelled or deported more than 200,000 Greeks and 200,000 Armenians from their homes."

Savage Pillaging Is Charged. "Not only has the Turkish government failed to protect the subjects of other races from pillage, outrage and murder, but there is abundant evidence that it has been responsible for directing and organizing savagery against people to whom it owed protection."

"For these reasons the allied powers have resolved to emancipate all areas inhabited by a non-Turkish majority from Turkish rule."

Referring to the provisions of the treaty concerning Smyrna, the allied note pointed out that they would not have the effect of restricting the trade of Anatolia. On the contrary, it declared the freedom of the port was guaranteed. It contended that the treaty leaves Turkey a national state with a large productive area and that there is nothing in the treaty to prevent Turkey from becoming a prosperous nation if she reforms."

As to Constantinople being left as the capital of Turkey, the allies said they had grave doubts as to the wisdom of this step in view of the misdeeds made by the Turks of their power in the past.

In conclusion the note referred to the possibility of the allies having to drive the Turks from Europe and fixed a ten-day limit for Turkish acceptance of the treaty.

The allies also declined to modify the clauses of the treaty which detach Thrace and Smyrna from the

Turkish rule, since in both areas the Turks are in the minority. The same considerations apply to the frontiers between Syria and Turkey. The general terms of the treaty with regard to administration of the straits must stand, but the allies will permit the Turks, the same as Bulgaria, to have a representative on the commission for the straits. Among the modifications of the treaty was the withdrawal of the conditions by which Turkey was to cede to the allies all Turkish steamships of 1600 tons gross and upward. The amended clause said the Turks must surrender to the allied reparations commission all German ships transferred to the Turkish flag since April 1.

EMIR IS SEEKING POWER

Ruler of Afghanistan Is Working to Succeed Sultan. CONSTANTINOPLE, July 14.—(By the Associated Press.)—Afghanistan

PORTLAND BOY WHO IS ATTENDING WEST POINT ACADEMY



Arthur L. Bump, 17-year-old son of Colonel and Mrs. A. L. Bump and a graduate of Jefferson high school, is now attending West Point Military academy. The Portland boy reported there on June 28 for the beginning of the course following the receipt of the news of his appointment. He had previously been attending the Castle Heights Military academy at Lebanon, Tenn.

Mrs. Bump makes her home at 800 Borthwick avenue. She has been a resident of Portland for a number of years, having located here to give her children the advantages of the Portland educational system. Colonel Bump is now stationed at Louisville, Ky.

is claiming to be the greatest Moslem country and the emir of Afghanistan was working to succeed the sultan of Turkey as commander of the faithful, according to rumors reaching this city from Angora, where a series of Pan-Islamic conferences have been in session for several months.

This congress, in which representatives of Afghanistan, Syria, Turkey, Arabia, India, Persia, Azerbaijan, Crimea, Egypt and Tripoli are participating, was said to be concerned chiefly with filling the office of commander of the faithful in such a manner as to unify the Moslem world.

Japanese Action Defended.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Japanese troops, in refusing to permit Chinese government forces to advance along the Tien-Tsin railway, were acting strictly in accordance with their duty as custodians of that section of the road, it was asserted at the Japanese embassy.

MR. SUNDAY OPENS HIS GUNS ON COX

"Rum-Soaked Gang" Has No Chance, Says Evangelist.

LEAGUE ALSO ATTACKED

Minister Tells Chautauqua Crowd He Would Run on Dry Ticket if He Thought It Necessary.

CORVALLIS, July 17.—(Special.)—Billy Sunday lectured here at the Chautauqua tent this afternoon under the auspices of the Corvallis Commercial club. He was not a part of the regular programme. He made a patriotic lecture, a plea for straight 100 per cent Americanism. He urged a reeducation of the people to the flag and constitution, demanded that they think in terms of what they owe the government and not what the government owes them. He scored the socialists, the I. W. W. and radicals of all kinds.

"The nomination of Mr. Debs," he said, "is an insult to every sane, clean-thinking, country-loving man and woman in the United States." He was almost equally severe with Mr. Cox.

Cox Supporters Rapped. "The rum-soaked gang that are backing Cox will never be successful in giving him a chance to sleep in the White House."

He excoriated Tammany and the other machines, which, he said, were responsible for Cox' nomination and added:

"The decent men and women of America will never permit this bunch of blatherskites to have a hand in running this country in an effort to restore the rum demon to its shattered throne. I received a telegram yesterday from the prohibition league asking me if I would run for vice president on a ticket headed by Bryan, and you bet your sweet life I would do it if I thought there was any chance of electing Cox."

He paid his respects, too, to the league of nations, declaring that the league as brought back by Mr. Wilson was un-American and should never be accepted by the American people without strong reservations. The rest of his talk was devoted to moral problems, aside from a few observations concerning the radicals which he said were dominating many of the unions. He declared in favor of some law in behalf of the public which would make it impossible to call a strike that was inimical to the public welfare.

Attack Made on Cox. Judge George D. Alden of Boston spoke in the Chautauqua tent last night. In addition to his regular lecture touching the moral issues of the day, he stopped to warn his audience against Mr. Cox and to pay a glowing tribute to Senator Harding.

"And I am a lifelong democrat," said the judge, "but I know Cox' record and I know Mr. Harding personally. He is the kind of a man who will take advice from everybody and dictation from nobody. He makes me think more than anything else of a combination of the great, gentle and resolute character of that great democrat, Grover Cleveland, combined with the high moral rectitude and patriotism of that great republican, William McKinley."

RACE TO BE EXCITING

Superior Judgeship to Be Hard-Fought For in Election.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 17.—(Special.)—The race for superior

LOSS OF LIQUOR LIMIT

HUSBAND'S DISSIPATION OF FORTUNE TRIFLE.

Theft of Two Bottles Too Much, Says Wife—Separation Suggested, but Spurned.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 17.—(Special.)—When her husband squandered \$75,000 of her money last year, Mrs. Mary Dahlen took the matter philosophically and declared that a bit of misfortune was always to be expected in every family but when he pilfered two bottles of fine red liquor from her trunk yesterday the justly trite wife promptly had him arrested.

BRITAIN HOPES ARMISTICE

Fear Expressed Bolshevik Army May Join Militarists.

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LONDON, July 17.—(Special cable.)—It is believed here in the best informed quarters that the soviet government will agree to the conclusion of an armistice with Poland, as suggested by the allies. Nevertheless, it is realized that Foreign Minister Chicherin and other moderates of the soviet regime will have all they can do to bring the soviet militarists into line, now that the soviet armies are feeling the full flush of victory.

If the soviet government does agree to conclude an armistice, it is felt that real progress will have been made toward restoring peace in eastern Europe. Premier Lloyd George's lead in trying to bring about a cessation of hostilities between Russia and Poland as a preliminary step toward peace in eastern Europe finds little or no criticism.

Poland's debacle at the hands of the soviet armies has for the moment completely submerged the small but until lately pugacious minority of militarists in this country. Some of them still make it appear as if the allies were holding a club over Russia's head unless she acquiesces, but in the house of commons, indicated no such attitude when he told the house this evening that the allies had sent a note to Moscow suggesting that the moment was propitious for ending the Russo-Polish war.

LANE TO BID ON ROAD

County Wants State Paving Job to Keep Plant Occupied.

EUGENE, Ore., July 17.—(Special.)—The Lane county road department will bid on 11.2 miles of Eugene-Florence highway, bids for which are now being advertised by the state highway commission, according to F. M. Morse, county engineer.

Mr. Morse said yesterday that if Lane county fails to land the contract a great deal of the extensive road machinery now in use will be compelled to remain idle for the rest of the summer, as there will be little or no money for future road work this year since it has been announced that the \$1,000,000 highway bond issue voted by the people of Lane county has been declared invalid.

TESTIMONY IS OPPOSED

Arguments Consume Day in Trial of William B. Lloyd.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Arguments by counsel for William Bros Lloyd and 19 other alleged members of the communist labor party against the admission of testimony of Harry J. Wilson, a secret service agent who posed in Seattle as a bolshevik leader occupied the day in the trial of the alleged radicals. They are charged with violation of the state sedition law and the case will be continued Monday.

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GOMPERS TO TAKE STUMP

Labor Leaders to Fight Unfriendly Candidates for Congress.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—President Gompers and Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor probably will take the stump during the coming political campaign in opposition to candidates for congress regarded as unfriendly to organized labor, Mr. Morrison announced today. The federation also has prepared for campaign purposes the records of the stand on labor legislation taken by Senator Harding, republican presidential candidate, in the senate, and by Governor Cox, the democratic presidential nominee, when he was a member of the house.

Crop Inspector Coming.

SALEM, Or., July 17.—(Special.)—George R. Hyslop, professor of farm crops at the Oregon Agricultural college, has written T. E. McCroskey, secretary of the Salem commercial club, that he will arrive in Marion

RAIN FALLS IN TORRENTS.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 17.—(Special.)—Vancouver and Clarke counties were visited by an unusually heavy rain storm about 4 o'clock this morning. For a short period the rain fell in torrents, accompanied by lightning and thunder.

Rate Hearing to Come Up.

SALEM, Or., July 17.—(Special.)—Fred Williams, member of the Oregon public service commission, will go to Bandon Monday, where he will conduct a hearing relative to the application of the Bandon Electric company for an increase in rates.

Patrolman Reported Better.

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