

EX-KING OF GREECE CONDEMNNS AMERICA

Boasted Democracy Derided by Deposed Sovereign.

TURKISH MENACE SHOWN

Constantine Says United States Should Keep Order in World and Curb Islam Hordes.

BY OTIS SWIFT.

(Chicago Tribune Foreign News Service, Copyright, 1922, by the Chicago Tribune.) ATHENS, Sept. 29.—(Delayed.)—

"Between you and me and the gatepost, being a king is no fun these days. It is a lot of hard work."

Thus Europe's deposed monarch, recently well known as King Constantine of Greece, chattily summed up his personal opinion of recent events in a ten-minute interview with me today.

An exclusive hour's conversation in the garden of the royal summer palace at Tatoy, outside of Athens, in the first and only interview the ex-king has given since his abdication.

He told me that he expects to leave tomorrow with the ex-royal family for Palermo, on a merchant marine transport. The ex-monarch, who looked tired and nervous, but cheerily, refused to discuss Greek politics.

American Policy Denounced. He voluntarily surveyed the general European situation, however, declaring that the United States was tottering into chaos. He condemned American policy of non-participation in European affairs, saying:

"Why didn't you recognize me? You call America democracy, but you don't recognize me. What kind of democracy is that?"

He refused to say whether he was planning to write a book. Permission to have an interview with the ex-king was courteously granted by the chief of the revolutionary committee, Colonel Gonatas, who gave all the time he could spare to the ex-king's interview.

Green Politics Barred. This afternoon, accompanied by N. Theodoropoulos of the revolutionary party, I motored 13 miles to Tatoy along the road famous for the Marathon race. The charming white marble palace lies in the center of the country.

Constantine at first refused an interview, saying that he did not wish the revolutionary committee to think he was opposing it in any way. Later he consented on condition that no questions of Greek politics be discussed.

Ex-King Talks Cheerfully. The ex-king received me in the garden. We sat at a little rustic table located half way down the middle of a long shady avenue of elm trees.

Constantine, who is 55 years old, is a big man with wide shoulders, heavy face, heavy jaw, close-cropped bullet-shaped head, bald forehead, wrinkled face of white, tired, weary, blackened patches under his mild blue eyes. His upturned military moustaches are not waxed. He was bare-headed and wore a gray tweed business suit.

But when, after dismissing his aide de camp, he opened the conversation by saying he was happy to see me, he collapsed. Constantine's English is without accent and he speaks in a low, nervous, nervous, involuntary, explosive sentences, using much American slang.

Cannot Understand America. "You are an American," he said. "I cannot understand America. Much of our trouble here has been due to the fact that America did not recognize me. Why shouldn't they recognize me? It was over some silly question in Mexico that the powers said that if the United States recognized Mexico they would recognize me. What has Mexico got to do with me?"

WHIP HAND HELD BY TURKS IN NEAR EASTERN CONFLICT

Allies Lose Initiative When Ottoman Armies Chase Greek Forces Out of Asia Minor.

The following analysis of the situation in the Near East by one of America's foremost students of war, experienced both combatants and an observer-analyst, is published in the post, which General Hellyer writes on the Polish front, and the one writer who recognized the probability of a Polish recovery and eventual defeat of the Russians. His forecast was verified by the events.

BY BRIGADIER-GENERAL HENRY HELLYER.

(Editor, The Army and Navy Journal, (By Chicago Tribune, Leader Wire.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—The present situation with respect to the Turkish position is an excellent example of the fact that when passions are aroused to the extent that human beings are willing to risk their lives and property, the only thing which counts is armed force.

Whatever our sentiments may be with respect to the Turks and the atrocities which they have committed against Christians, the fact remains that the only answer is greater armed force than the Turk can bring to bear in any particular situation.

From the time of the armistice until the Greek defeat the initiative was in the hands of the powers. The Turkish position was not what would be done or would not be done, and the powers had to comply under the penalty of having force exerted against them sufficient to compel obedience.

Europe. Their policy is extermination of Greece. We can and should defend in the event the Turkish nationalist army at Imdid begins a movement toward Constantinople. The Kemal army is understood to consist of two divisions.

Who the Glengorm Castle entered the Greek lines and the masses of infantrymen became visible from the city the immense gatherings of Greeks and Armenians seeking refuge outside the city walls. The port bureau quickly melted away. The expression was heard:

"We won't bother with passports now. The British are sending ships and troops."

Greeks Are Encouraged. The arrival of these several thousand additional British troops has encouraged the Greeks and the Armenians to discard their Turkish fezes, which they wore for protection, and resume conventional western headgear. The British airplanes flew over the capital today, causing a flurry of excitement in Stamboul.

The serial maneuver gave the population another evidence of Great Britain's preparedness to meet eventualities.

The continued arrival of British war units has lessened the danger of an uprising within the city.

SULTAN CLINGS TO THRONE Intention to Abdicate Is Denied in Letter to Intimate Friend.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—In a letter to an intimate friend, the sultan, reports of whose abdication have been in circulation, has declared he will not abdicate.

"I shall continue to discharge my holy duties until the end," he writes. "When the nationalists enter Constantinople I shall have something pertinent to say to them. I have done what I believed was to the interests of my country and my people. I have made mistakes, but they were human. The nationalists admit I have been kept a prisoner in Constantinople. Therefore, how can I be responsible for the adversity of my people?"

Still steering clear of Greek politics, Constantine discussed the European situation, declaring that all the countries were being driven to chaos by the terms of the peace treaties. He again emphasized the Turk menace, which he said endangered western civilization. He reiterated that Greek victory was necessary to save Europe.

The conversation had lasted one hour and twilight had fallen in the garden when the aide de camp appeared and halted at attention 20 paces distant and saluted the ex-king before coming to approach.

The Prince Flukes Bourne rose—a tall, bulky figure in the dusk—shaking hands as he thanked me for my boy voyage on his trip to Italy.

VENEZELOS AGREES TO ACT AS ENVOY

Interests to Be Guarded in Allied Capitals.

NEW REGIME THANKED

Representative of Greece Goes to London, Seeking Conference With Curzon.

PARIS, Sept. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—M. Venizelos last night telegraphed to Athens his acceptance of the invitation extended by the revolutionary committee to take up the task of defending Greece's interests in the allied capitals.

Shortly after sending the message he left for London, where he hoped to see Viscount Curzon, British foreign secretary, some time today. Venizelos' reply to the revolutionary committee thanked the new government warmly for its confidence in him and put him on record as agreeing to undertake the task of "defending the political programme of the present Greek government."

A communique from General Polymenacos, commander-in-chief of the Greek legation here, it said: "Turkish troops penetrated the neutral zone, occupying the village of Safalan, Thrace, where they massacred 11 inhabitants. The Greek forces, shortly after, made an attack and killed 25 Turkish soldiers and one officer. The Greek losses were one killed and one wounded. The Turks were under the command of an officer named Redjeb, who arrived in Constantinople ten days ago."

GREEK KING LEAVES ATHENS Population Is Reported Eager to Join Nationalist Move.

ATHENS, Sept. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—King Constantine, Queen Sophie and Prince Nicholas sailed today for Palermo, Sicily, on board a Greek steamer on which they were accompanied by the Greek minister to London, Prince Constantine, who has been staying at Janina, has arrived at Corfu, announcing his intention to proceed to London to join his wife, Princess Alice.

A delegation of the Agrarian party recommended to the revolutionary committee the punishment of those responsible for the disaster in Greece. Colonel Gonatas, the head of the committee, replied that the people could have confidence that the committee would settle all questions in accordance with the laws and interests of the nation.

ALL - GIBRALTAR BUZZES Blowing of Bugles Day and Night Marks Military Activities.

BY THOMAS STEWART RYAN. (Chicago Tribune Foreign News Service, Copyright, 1922, by the Chicago Tribune.) GIBRALTAR, Sept. 30.—Bugles are blowing in Gibraltar night and day as British warships, troopships, hospital ships, airplanes, carriers and auxiliaries pass through in an almost unbroken line for the east. The British garrison at the foot of the great rock is buzzing with war talk. Weeping wives gather at the quays, and kiss their husbands goodbye.

"The talk of officers at mess turns only to war. "Constantinople is the key to the Indian empire," declared a grizzled colonel authoritatively, and everyone assented. "Great Britain must defeat the

British gain control of the assembly, I will yet take advantage of the first occasion which presents itself in order to have the honor of meeting you, KEMAL."

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KEMAL IS REPORTED READY FOR PARLEY

Mission of Bouillon Is Declared Success.

STAND HELD REASONABLE

Request by British for New Line Between Their Army and Turks Is Announced.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—The British cabinet held a two-hour council, beginning at 11 o'clock last night, and then adjourned until 10 o'clock this (Sunday) morning. It was announced that there was no material change in the near east situation, but this was merely the official way of putting it.

Direct word has come from Constantinople in an Associated Press dispatch that M. Franklin Bouillon's mission to Smyrna has been successful, which means that Kemal Pasha is ready to consider a peaceful way out of the present difficulties.

Kemal Promises Conference. Further announcement was made at Constantinople that Kemal would confer with the allied generals early in the week and that Kemal has been requested by General Harrington, the British commander, to arrange for a new line between the British and Turkish forces around Chanak in the neutral zone.

Parla dispatches to the Exchange Telegraph company said that M. Polignac had handed to Lord Hardinge, the British ambassador, and Count Sforza, representing Italy, a telegram from M. Franklin Bouillon relative to his conversations with

WELCOME GIVEN PASTOR Second United Brethren Entertains Rev. G. K. Hartman.

At a meeting of the Second United Brethren church at Twenty-second and Sumner streets Friday night an enthusiastic welcome was extended to the church's new pastor, Rev. G. K. Hartman.

The reception was similar to that given a week ago in farewell to the former pastor, Rev. Ira Hawley. Several speeches were made, including those of S. L. Hanson, superintendent; Frank Elliott, treasurer; Mrs. Woodworth, representing the missionary society; Jay Rider of the Christian Endeavor; H. L. Hooper, class reader; Mrs. Hanson, president of the Ladies' Aid society; Mrs. E. S. Coppel and Mrs. Bertha Slater Smith. Harold Parrott presided as toastmaster.

The choir, under the direction of G. Peake, rendered several selections, and refreshments followed the formal programme of the evening.

Monitor, Or., Girl Is Bride.

MONITOR, Or., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—The wedding of Miss M. M. Nelson and Mr. G. G. Nelson was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Nelson, on Wednesday evening, September 29, when Elizabeth Nelson was united in marriage with Marion G. Deady of Montana. Elder Frank Bunch of Gaston officiating. Her sister, Miss Carrie Nelson of Portland was bridesmaid. Harry Nelson acted as best man and Helga Nelson sang several solos. She was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Axel Nelson.

KEMAL, LORD HARDINGS WAS QUOTED AS DECLARING THAT KEMAL'S ATTITUDE WAS VERY REASONABLE.

No Report Is Issued. No report on M. Franklin Bouillon's mission had been issued by the British foreign office, but it was understood that the British envoy had previously reported that things were in no wise easy in Smyrna; that he had been seeking to arrange for a conference at Mianalis, but for the moment Kemal Pasha's refusal to move his troops from the neutral zone had complicated the situation.

The voice of the people, as represented by the press, has been raised in condemnation of the manner in which the near eastern situation has been managed. Prime Minister Lloyd George, who but yesterday was a national hero, now is the butt of violent criticism, accused of having meddled with international politics which he does not understand and of having brought the country face to face with another war, all for the purpose of saving the faces of himself and his colleagues.

Some Comments Vicious. Some of the comments are quite vicious in tone, while others are the premier with good intentions but nevertheless roundly condemn his policy. In the latter category is the comment of the influential spectator which terms Lloyd George's management of the affair "despicable and atrocious."

"All the lessons taught by one able diplomat after another about the way to deal with the Turks have been ignored as though they did not exist," it said. "Lloyd George has turned our foreign policy inside out and made a mess of it. Such extracts might be multiplied indefinitely from the London and provincial newspapers."

Labor throughout the country is up in arms against the idea of a new war and there have been sinister rumors of industrial action to prevent prosecution of a campaign against the Turks.

The general anxiety of the British people has been deepened by the prospect of additions to the already enormous taxes which are a legacy of the world war. It is figured in some quarters that the preparatory measures for war such as the moving of troops, stores and warships to the near east, already have run the country into the expenditure of 20,000,000 pounds sterling.

There was an unconfirmable rumor that Sir Robert Stevenson, former chancellor of the exchequer, dismissed at the outset and the certain ruin of his budget programme, has threatened to resign.

PERJURER FINED \$500 David Bunch Penalized for Testimony to License Clerk.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—David Bunch, alias John Williams, on July 15, this year, accompanied Miss Louise M. Boleman, 15, and Robert Churchill, both of Grays Creek, Or., to Vancouver. He took oath that the girl was of legal age, 18 years, when in reality she was but 16 years of age.

Bunch was arrested on a charge of perjury and after being in jail for some time was released under \$500 bonds, furnished by Mrs. J. J. Schliatz. Churchill was arrested on a charge of subornation of perjury. Bunch was sentenced to six months in the county jail.

Bunch was fined \$200 by Judge Simpson of the superior court yesterday. The fine was paid by Mrs. Schliatz. The costs in the case amounted to \$12.

Dormitory Hotel Being Built. KELSO, Wash., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—To accommodate the large number of employees who are unable to secure quarters in Kelso, the Long-Bell Lumber company has two immense temporary dormitory hotels under construction at the Kelso, Wash., plant.

The first of these structures is nearly ready for roofing. The building is being erected in the shape of a huge H. The building is about 200 feet in length and the two sides of the H are connected by a room which will be used as a dry-room, wash room, etc. These structures will be built and kitchens and dining rooms will be erected between them.

Near East Orphans Adopted. BEND, Or., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—Each of the Bend schools will adopt a near-east orphan. This was the decision unanimously reached following addresses given by J. J. Handwerker, chief director for Oregon, and Rev. D. E. Norcross. The decision of the children will mean that each of the city schools will contribute \$5 in the course of the year, a \$5 a month is the amount necessary for the support of one orphan.

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