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EXPECT GREEK WARSHIPS TO BATTLE WITH TURKISH NAVY

First Naval Engagement of Balkan War Is Expected Within a Few Days.

GREEKS NOW NEAR THE DARDANELLES

Sultan's Squadron Concentrated for Action and the Straits "Mined."

At a meeting of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce last evening after a lengthy discussion of the harbor and bar situation, a resolution was passed asking the Port of Coos Bay Commissioners to send a delegation of Coos Bay men to Washington as soon as possible to appear before the rivers and harbors committee and the United States engineers in advocacy of the necessity of rebuilding the North Jetty at once.

The committee is expected to leave just as soon as it is certain that the new survey of the bar will be available. Capt. Macgenn stated last night that he expected to be able to take Engineer Charlston's report along with him today.

NOTICE TO GREECE

Italy and Austria Will Oppose Her Plans.

ROME, Dec. 7.—Both Italy and Austria-Hungary have notified Greece they cannot allow the Albanian city of Avlona or the surrounding country to be occupied by a foreign state, according to Marquis di San Giuliano, the Italian Premier, in a reply to a question in the chamber of deputies today.

PEACE OUTLOOK

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The British government has placed the historic R. James palace at the disposal of the peace plenipotentiaries representing the Ottoman empire and the allied Balkan nations for the purpose of holding their conferences. The meeting of diplomats, arranged for December 13, is looked forward to with great interest here and the general hope prevails that the outcome of the negotiations will be a settlement of the Balkan question, which has troubled Europe for many years.

TELLS ABOUT UNIONS PLANS

Wm. E. Reddin of Milwaukee Witness at Dynamite Conspiracy Trial.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 7.—Many letters written between John J. McNamara, secretary of the Ironworkers' union, and William E. Reddin in the dynamite conspiracy trial today. Reddin testified that McNamara was the headquarters of the structural iron and steel firm against which the union had called a strike and McNamara was accustomed to write about jobs to be put up by the firm.

GREAT XMAS TOY DISPLAY at GOING and HARVEY'S STORE in a FEW DAYS.

KEEP CAMPAIGN FUNDS IN STATES CLAIM PROPOSED LAW WOULD BE DISASTROUS TO COAST

Senator Clapp Would Prohibit Wealthy Communities from Dipping in on Outside Campaigns.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Senator Clapp, chairman of the committee investigating campaign funds, introduced a bill today to prohibit the sending of campaign funds from one state to another to aid

in campaigns of candidates for president, vice president, representatives or senators. The measure does not represent a concerted action of the investigating committee, but it was presented by Chairman Clapp as his suggestion of a remedy for the excessive use of money for campaign purposes.

REPUBLICANS TO REORGANIZE

Gov. Hadley and Senators Borah, Kenyon and LaFollette Plan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Governor Hadley of Missouri and several other governors conferred today with Senators Borah, Kenyon and LaFollette on plans for the reorganization of the Republican party. It became known today that practically all Republican governors at the Richmond conference had discussed informally the reorganization of the party.

BIG SCANDAL IN DECORATIONS

Honors Conferred by Chinese Found to Have Been Stolen Insignia.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 7.—A great scandal in connection with foreign decorations was brought to light here today. Numerous applications to wear the grand cordon of the double dragon of China had aroused the suspicions of the Belgian foreign office, from which the Belgian subjects must obtain permission before they may decorate their button holes or breasts with the insignia of a foreign order of chivalry.

LOSES LIFE IN EFFORT TO SAVE

New York Man Saves Wife and Son but Dies in Effort to Rescue Girl.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Melville B. Mendell, a lawyer, after rescuing his wife and son from a burning home in the Borough of Queens early today lost his life in an attempt to save their fourteen year old daughter, Lillian. The girl also perished.

AMONG THE SICK

Mrs. James Magee and daughter, May, are staying in Marshfield, taking medical treatment. Ernest Harrington, timekeeper at Camp 6, who is suffering from an attack of tonsillitis, came to Marshfield today for medical treatment.

WATER LEVEL ROAD BEATEN

Eastside-Summer Project Defeated by Petitioners—New School District.

The effort to secure a water front road between Eastside and Summer along Catching met with failure this week when the matter was presented to the Coos county commissioners at Coquille. Parties opposing the project presented a petition to the commissioners, signed by twenty-three more than the petition for it was signed and the project was killed.

The commissioners ordered that a new school district be established at the headquarters of Daniels Creek. They also passed a resolution that next year the price paid for advertising delinquent taxes should be three cents per line instead of five cents.

Frank Cameron was granted a license to open a saloon on South Slough.

President Taft in Executive Orders Extends it Over 20,000 Employees.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—More than twenty thousand skilled workers in the navy yards throughout the United States will be placed under protection of the civil service today by an executive order from President Taft. The President's order was issued with the approval of the civil service commission and in accordance with an opinion by Attorney General Wickersham.

No navy yard employees below the grade of a skilled mechanic will be affected by the president's order. Toolmakers, electricians, machinists, masons, moulders, ordnance men, plumbers and others will be affected by the order.

BLEASE STILL VERY WRATHY

South Carolina Governor Refuses to Apologize for Remarks to Governors.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Governor Blease of South Carolina, whose remarks caused a scene at Richmond conference, was among the first governors to arrive here today. To all interviewers, who asked about his utterances at Richmond, he replied "I stand upon the official stenographic records of the conference and I apologize to no man for one word I have said."

WEBBER IS THREATENED

Rosenthal Informer Afraid of Assassination in Cuba.

HAVANNA, Dec. 7.—"Bridgie" Webber, one of the "informers" in the Rosenthal murder trial, who arrived here Wednesday, departed today on the same vessel for New York. The reason given for leaving was that he was threatened with assassination if he remained in Cuba.

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LINCOLN FARM NATIONAL PARK

Government May Take Over Homestead Where President Was Born.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—A bill authorizing the government to take over the farm and homestead in Kentucky where Abraham Lincoln was born, was introduced in the House today by Representative Johnson. The bill would allow the government to accept the memorial as a gift from the Lincoln Farm Association and create an endowment fund of \$50,000 for the maintenance of the farm as a national reservation.

TURKS DYING FROM CHOLERA

Hundreds Reported to Be Dying from Scourge in Constantinople.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 7.—Cholera is causing great havoc in the native quarters in the Turkish capital. It was officially admitted today that there were over 1000 cases in the past twenty days, half of which were fatal. This was suspected to be much below the real figures, as the authorities are minimizing the outbreak.

MONEY TRUST PROBE

Jacob H. Schiff Called as the First Witness.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Jacob H. Schiff, a New York financier, will be one of the first witnesses to appear before the House "money trust" investigation committee next week. A deputy sergeant-at-arms returned from New York today after serving Schiff a subpoena.

TRAGEDY IN TEXAS

Family Dispute Causes Double Murder and Suicide.

HOLLAND, Texas, Dec. 7.—Sampson Williams was shot and killed, and his son, R. E. Williams, seriously injured by Matt Armstrong, who then committed suicide. Armstrong was a son-in-law of Sampson Williams. A family dispute caused the tragedy.

HERRIN CALLED EAST

Southern Pacific and Union Pacific Reorganization Up.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—William F. Herrin, chief counsel of the Southern Pacific Company, left hurriedly for the east today, where he will discuss with other Harriman executives the reorganization of the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific properties, made necessary by the decree this week of the United States supreme court dissolving the relations of the two.

RUDDER LOST ON BAR.

Sixty Passengers Endangered on Humboldt Bar.

EUREKA, Cal., Dec. 7.—The steamer F. A. Kilburn, which tore off her rudder on the Humboldt bar while crossing out at 9 o'clock the other morning, was docked here at 3 p. m. Her seams had been opened and several feet of water entered the hold. The tug Relief towed her into port.

Sixty-two passengers were endangered when the Kilburn struck. According to the members of the crew water came through her opened seams so fast that for a time two pumps could make little headway against it. Sacks and oakum were resorted to and planks were nailed over all. After that one pump kept the hold clear.

A diver went under the vessel and found the rudder missing and the stern badly damaged.

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Seattle Starts Fight Against Proposed Seamen's Servitude Bill.

DECLARE IT WOULD BENEFIT FOREIGNERS

British Columbia and Japan Alleged to Be Planning to Take Advantage.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—C. C. Lacey, representing the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, told the Senate committee today that the seaman's involuntary servitude bill into a law would transfer American shipping on the Pacific Coast to British Columbia, where extensive preparations were now under way for receiving it. Japanese ships in competition with American vessels, said Lacey, would also be benefitted because the law would not subject them to the additional expense on American vessels.

WILD SCENES NEAR LONDON

Suffragists Cause Big Disturbance at Redmond's Meeting Today.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Suffragettes tormented John Redmond, leader of the Irish Nationalist party, this afternoon at the home rule demonstration at Dalston, northeast of London. For half an hour the Irish leader watched the forcible eviction from the hall of his disturbers. Desperate resistance to ushers caused a rapid succession of rough and tumble scenes of the most rowdy description, men and women were thrown from the hall. During the half hour, Redmond was able to utter but a single sentence, saying it seemed to be almost tragic which women's cause in the minds and hearts of so many is so great, should be turned into a "Comic interlude."

GOVERNORS SEE TAFT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Governors of more than twenty states moved on to Washington today from Richmond conference and were luncheon guests of President and Mrs. Taft, and participated in several conferences on rural credits and farmers' cooperation banks. Taft was deeply interested in the subject and made many speeches in favor of the plan and months ago urged every state executive to make a close investigation of it with a view to the adoption of the uniform legislation by the states.

Taft in a speech to the twenty-six governors urged the adoption of uniform state legislation to make possible by this country, the adoption of a system of rural credit and low interest bearing loans to farmers, similar to that in vogue in many European countries. A committee was appointed to draft a bill covering the proposition to be recommended to the states.

GEO. W. KING IS FINED HEAVILY

Marshfield Man Pays \$200 for Leasing Property for Immoral Purposes.

COQUILLE, Ore., Dec. 7.—George W. King of the Enterprise Meat Market at Marshfield yesterday appeared before Judge Coke and entered a plea of guilty to the charge of renting property for immoral purposes. The indictment against King was returned last fall when the other Marshfield men were indicted for accepting rent for the immoral resorts on their property on North Front Street. It is understood that King built a large boat house which he leased to a lewd woman for high rent. Judge Coke fined him \$200. King was the last of the number caught in the crusade by Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Liljeqvist. John Giltney of Bandon, who was indicted the first of the week for burglary at Bandon, was arraigned yesterday. He pleaded not guilty and will be tried next week.

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