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TURKEY AND BALKAN ALLIES UNABLE TO AGREE ON PEACE

Announcement Made That the Sultan Has Decided to Reject Balkan Ultimatum.

ALL REFUSE TO CEDE ADRIANOPLE OR ISLANDS

Information Made That Peace Terms May Be Referred to Powers of Europe.

TURN DOWN OFFER.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 4.—The Turkish council of ministers telegraphed instructions today to Terhad Pasha, head of the Turkish delegation at the London peace conference. The Ottoman plenipotentiaries are ordered, it is declared, to reject the ultimatum of the Balkan allies.

ULTIMATUM GIVEN.

The ultimatum of the Balkan allies was presented at yesterday's session of the peace conference in London. It practically gave Turkey until Monday afternoon to agree to give up the fortress at Adrianople and the Aegean Islands and to renounce whatever rights she possessed to the Island of Crete.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—The Ottoman delegates to the peace conference absolutely made up their minds not to surrender the fortress of Adrianople or the Islands in the Aegean sea, according to a statement today. An explicit and categorical declaration to this effect was submitted at today's session of the conference.

The Turks, however, may make further concessions in the face of Adrianople. Ambassadors of Austria-Hungary, France, Germany, Italy and Russia resumed their "conversations" with the British foreign office at noon today.

The attitude of the Balkan allies at today's session of the conference was foreshadowed by Dr. S. Eff, chief of the Bulgarian delegation, who stated, "we expect the Turks will be unable to give us suitable conditions. Negotiations will then be broken off. We have an army which can continue the war." Danef added a phrase which clearly indicates a way out of the deadlock may be found. He said: "The Turks wish to appeal to European powers, we can not prevent them from doing so."

Delay Until Monday. The Balkan peace conference, which was to have met this afternoon, was postponed until Monday. There was no evidence today of any weakening of the deadlock in the conference over the question of the fortress at Adrianople.

Probably the outcome of the disruption in the negotiations will be an appeal to the European powers. Under pressure of Europe, the Turkish government, it is thought, would meet the public hostility in Turkey to the giving up of the fortress with the plea that it had been forced to yield to the powers. Would this be the final solution of the problem, Turkey will get a larger slice of the province of Macedonia than the Balkan allies are proposed to give her. The islands in the Aegean sea, if the powers would exert their will, will go to Greece, with the exception of four islands in the vicinity of the Dardanelles Straits.

SEND ARMY TO ALBANIA. Ambassadors of Austria-Hungary, France, Germany, Italy and Russia are making preparations to send a joint expeditionary force to Albania, immediately after the conclusion of the London conference, according to a newspaper. The paper says the step is taken to pacify Albania and establish a condition of affairs there.

RUMOR TURKS LOSING GROUND

Rumor That Forts at Adrianople and on Island of Chios Have Fallen.

PARIS, Jan. 4.—A rumor that the Turkish fortress of Adrianople has fallen into the hands of the besiegers was current on the Bourse here yesterday.

ATHENS, Jan. 4.—The Turkish garrison on the Island of Chios, numbering 2000 men of all arms surrendered unconditionally today to the Greek troops.

READY FOR WAR.

Bulgarian King Makes Threat in His Address to People.

SOFIA, Jan. 4.—King Ferdinand of Bulgaria in an address made significant remarks on the war situation and it is regarded as a threat that war may be resumed. After expressing the hope that an agreement might still be reached by the peace conference, he said: "Should the impenetrable will of God be otherwise, we will not hesitate with the new recourse to arms to compel the enemy to give complete and equitable satisfaction for all our precious sacrifices."

The Bucharest officers reserve of the Roumanian army has been ordered to report for service and be ready to join the colors at a moment's notice.

Cold weather—Buy a Perfection Oil Stove at the Pioneer Hardware Co.

TWENTY-TWO LIVES LOST WITH SHIP

Captain and Wife Go Down With Vessel After Collision in Chesapeake Bay—Eight Rescued.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Jan. 4.—The steamer Julia Luckenbach, Port

Tampa to Baltimore, was sunk in Chesapeake Bay yesterday morning after colliding with the British steamer Indrkuulo. Twenty-two lives were lost, including the captain and his wife. Eight men were rescued after clinging during the terrific storm to the rigging of the sunken ship.

VIRGINIA HIT BY BAD STORM

Terrific Wind and Rain Storm Does Property and Shipping Damage.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 4.—The South Atlantic States were in the grip of a terrific wind and rain storm Friday, which worked havoc in shipping and cut off the cities of Norfolk and Newport News. All land wires leading out of the cities were destroyed. Before the wires went down the telegraph operator at Newport News remarked that the gale was so terrific that the waters of the James river were surging into the lower parts of the city with the violence of a small tidal wave. Considerable anxiety is felt for the torpedo boats in Hampton roads. Incomplete reports say many small craft were sunk, with a probable loss of life.

STORM IN NEW YORK.

Three Killed and Half a Million Dollar's Damage Done.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—At least three deaths and approximately half a million dollars damage resulted from last night's 80-mile gale, which swept New York and vicinity.

School Monday.—The Marshfield public schools will resume next Monday after a two weeks' Christmas holiday vacation.

HEAVY RAINS IN WASHINGTON

Fear Snowslides and Floods Will Demoralize Railroad Traffic Over Cascades.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 4.—Rain continued throughout Western Washington Friday. Rain is falling in the mountains and melting the great mass of snow that fell recently. Unless there is a change to cold weather soon, inevitably slides in the higher altitudes and floods and washouts in the lowlands that will tie up railway traffic will follow.

The weather bureau gives no encouragement. The Milwaukee trains are the only ones into Seattle on time. The other roads are from two to ten hours behind schedule.

GOETHALS IS OPPOSED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—President Taft definitely told Senator Brandegee of Connecticut, chairman of the Inter-Oceanic canal committee, that he would not send to the Senate the nomination of Colonel Goethals as civil governor of the Panama Canal Zone, because of the opposition of Democratic Senators to his appointment.

It is probable that Wilson will be confronted with the task of forming a new zone government and settling the many big problems of its administration.

INDIANAPOLIS DYNAMITE MEN ARE ALLOWED FREEDOM ON BAIL

TRY TO FREE LABOR LEADERS

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—An attempt to free 32 of the 33 dynamiters convicted at Indianapolis on bail, pending the appeal of their case, was made here Friday in the United States circuit court of appeals. Judges Baker, Seaman and Kohl-sant sitting. Herbert S. Hockin will not appeal. Counsel appeared in court to argue for a writ to stay the execution of the sentences inflicted by the United States district court and for admission to bail of the prisoners pending further action by the court of appeals.

WILL SUPPORT TVEITMOE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—In jail or out, the California Building Trades Council will continue the support of its secretary, Olaf Tveitmoe, and the other union men convicted at Indianapolis. P. P. McCarthy, president of the council, will publish over his name, in the forthcoming number of Organized Labor, a statement that "labor believes that the jury erred in its verdict," and in a plain statement that it is a "miscarriage of justice."

WILL BAIL MEN OUT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—"We will bail Clancy and Tveitmoe out if it costs a million dollars," said former Mayor P. H. McCarthy, the president of the Building Trades County of California on being informed that a writ of supersedeas was granted. McCarthy declared the money would be immediately supplied.

United States Court of Appeals Grants Stay in Execution of Sentences Imposed.

\$10,000 BAIL FOR EACH YEAR OF IMPRISONMENT

Attorneys for Labor Leaders Announce That Bonds Will Be Forthcoming.

TRY TO GET BAIL.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Labor leaders in many cities are busy today planning to furnish bail for the 32 men convicted of the dynamite conspiracy now in the federal prison at Leavenworth.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—A writ of supersedeas staying the execution of sentence imposed on the dynamite conspirators recently convicted at Indianapolis, was issued for the United States circuit court of appeals here Friday. Bail was based on the number of years which the prisoners were sentenced to serve, \$10,000 for each year. Thus Ryan's bail was fixed at \$70,000.

The defense lawyers stated that money enough to admit all to bail would be forthcoming. Judge Baker, who delivered the opinion, stated that Judge Anderson before whom the alleged conspirators were tried, would be authorized to pass on any bonds offered.

The bail was fixed high because of the fact that the offenses charged are not extraditable.

USE AMERICAN COAL.

CARDIFF, Wales, Jan. 4.—Italy is following the lead of the Egyptian railways and has placed an order for 200,000 tons of coal in America, while she also has invited tenders for a large quantity from the Yorkshire mines.

DEATH REAPER BUSY IN THE RANKS OF THE MIGHTY

JAS. R. KEENE PASSES AWAY

Noted Stock Speculator and Sporting Man Succumbs to an Operation.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The death early Friday of James R. Keene removed a figure long familiar in financial and sporting circles. He died following an operation for abdominal trouble. Keene was 74 years of age.

He was a great plunger in the Wall street stock market and also on the race track. He made and lost fortunes on the exchanges and participated in some of the most noted financial deals in the United States in the last half century.

His string of race horses were among the leaders on European, as well as American tracks.

GUESS ABOUT WEALTH.

Keene's Estimated from \$5,000,000 to \$20,000,000.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Discussion among the friends of James R. Keene, who died yesterday, of the supposed wealth of the veteran financier and turfman found a wide diversity of opinion today. Some of Keene's friends think the will is certain to dispose of twenty millions. Others, who claim to be in a position to know say that not more than five millions will be shown to be the value of the estate.

"Oh! How GOOD!" SARTER'S CANDY.

GOES INSANE ON TRIP TO PANAMA

Rep. Wedemeyer of Detroit Ends Life by Jumping Overboard on Return Trip.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Representative W. M. Wedemeyer of Ann Arbor, Mich., who suddenly went insane at Colon, Panama, at the time of Taft's recent visit to the Isthmus, jumped overboard last night from a ship on which he had been taken to Colon. The body was not recovered.

Wedemeyer went to the Isthmus with the congressional party. On the voyage from New York he collapsed and was taken first to the sanitarium in Panama, and later put in confinement in a hospital; where he became violent and raved over his defeat at the last election. He developed a suicidal tendency and was closely watched. Wedemeyer's close friends say that a few days before leaving for the Isthmus he fell on the icy pavement and struck on his head, but was not regarded as seriously injured at the time.

A NOTED RAILWAY MAN SUCCEUMBS

Roswell Miller, Head of Milwaukee, Passes Away in New York City.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Roswell Miller, chairman of the Chicago,

SENATOR ELECT PASSES AWAY

Jeff Davis of Arkansas Succumbs on Eve of Ratification of His Election.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 4.—United States Senator Jeff Davis died yesterday of heart failure. His death occurred on the eve of the ratification of his re-election by the legislature. It is probable that a special primary will be called to select a successor for the full term beginning March 4.

TRIBUTE TO DAVIS.

United States Senate Adjourns for One Day.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—On account of the death of Jeff Davis of Arkansas, the Senate adjourned after a six-minute session, Friday, until noon Saturday. This action also carried over one day the resumption of the Archbald court of impeachment. A committee was appointed to attend Davis' funeral at Little Rock, which will probably be held Sunday.

REID'S BODY IS BROUGHT HOME

British Warship Arrives With Body of Late U. S. Ambassador to Britain.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The body of Whitelaw Reid, late United States ambassador to Great Britain, was brought home Friday, on the British cruiser Natal, being conveyed by a fleet of American warships. The funeral ship came slowly up the lower bay in a dense fog and dropped anchor in the Hudson. As she did so, she fired a salute of nineteen guns and broke out the Union Jack at her bow and the British naval ensign at her stern. High above them floated the Stars and Stripes at half mast on the military mast. Trailing behind the Natal at a distance of six ship's lengths, were the American warships. The Florida returned the Natal's salute as did the other ships in the cortege and broke out the English ensign at her military mast. On shore, in waiting was a black-draped caisson on which the late ambassador's body was borne amid impressive silence through the city to the Cathedral of St. John, the Divine. White horses drew the caisson, which was accompanied by a military escort. The funeral at the Cathedral Saturday will be attended by President Taft, Secretary Knox, James N. Bryce, the British ambassador, and many other noted people.

SARTER'S SPECIAL soda DRINKS are the BEST on COOS BAY. Try 'em and see.

MAY REQUIRE BEST SECURITY

Judge Anderson Expected to Be Very Careful in Selecting Bonds.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 4.—The government officials conferred today concerning the expected results of the action in Chicago of the United States circuit court of appeals in granting the right to bonds of the 32 labor union officials now in prison at Fort Leavenworth for complicity in the dynamite plots. Wide discretion in the kind of bonds rests with Judge Anderson, although the amounts were fixed by the higher court. The judge may require bonds from residents of Indiana and insist that where all real property is the surety, the value of the property in each case be twice the amount of the bonds.

BIG HAUL OF BOLD BANDITS

Nine Killed and Fourteen Badly Wounded in Battle With Smugglers.

VALENCIA, Domingo, Portugal, Jan. 4.—A daring band of smugglers on the Portuguese-Spanish frontier carried off \$90,000 in cash today, after a battle with a cattle raiser and forty of his herdsmen, in which nine cowboys were killed and fourteen were wounded, a majority fatally. The bandits escaped with booty.