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**CORRESPONDENT AT MONASTIR TELLS OF CITY'S LAST DAYS**

THE BOOMING OF GUNS INDICATES THE BULGARIANS ARE NOT FAR AWAY.

Citizens flee into Greece before the Oncoming Hosts of the Enemy—There is a Touch of Mexicanism in the Situation—Only One Train a Day into the City.

Note—This story was written by Mr. Shepherd only a few days before Monastir fell in to the hands of the Bulgarians.

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD (United Press Staff Correspondent.) MONASTIR, Serbia, Nov. 13.—(By Mail.)—This is the last stable city in Serbia that has not fallen to the enemy. Will it fall? Monastir is waiting to see. Or part of Monastir is waiting; another part has fled to Greece.

We've heard the guns booming, but how near the Bulgarians are we can't tell. No one is allowed to go toward the Bulgarian lines. If you want to go eastward or southward to Greece the Serbian officials will gladly give you your passport. All last night a train of ox carts, the Serbian army transports, cranked over the rough cobble stone streets.

"We have come from Perlepe," said the drivers, "with loads of hay and flour. We understand that we are to go back again for more." The Serbian army is up toward Perlepe fighting the Bulgarians back from this town that we are in and if the Serbians are moving hay and flour back to Monastir from their front it looks as if they were getting ready to fall back to this point.

The breaking of these carts from Perlepe secretly gladdens more than one heart in Monastir. There are many Bulgarians in this town. Until the previous Balkan war three years ago, Monastir and all the southern part of present Serbia was a part of Bulgaria. The Bulgarian and Serbian allies quarreled and the Serbians took Monastir.

Most of the people here speak Bulgarian were educated in Bulgarian schools and the history they learned to consider most glorious is the history of Bulgaria. There are perhaps twenty Serbian families in Monastir. The population is 40,000. The rich Serbians have gone; the poor ones are ready to go. Let them but hear that the Bulgarians are near and they will fear their neighbor before the Bulgarian soldiers come.

The Serbians do not permit the Bulgarians here to have arms. There is a price of twenty-five dollars on the head of every Bulgarian comitadj, dead or alive, caught in Monastir. Within the last four weeks Dr. Lalkahar of Philadelphia, has conducted autopsies on fifteen men killed in Monastir. Every dead man was supposed to have been a Bulgarian comitadj.

The intrigues of the Rio Grande border are as simple as two times two compared with the complications of Bulgarian and Serbian comitadjism here. No one trusts anyone in Monastir. The few Serbian officials rule with an iron hand. Two weeks ago the Serbians ordered that any person who refused to change a tender paper bill when he could should be taken before a court martial and tried for treason for hoarding silver.

There is a story that recently a Bulgarian merchant refused his change and that the would-be purchaser, so the story goes in the Bosphorus coffee house, denounced him to the military who searched the premises and found 3,000 silver dinars hidden away. Whereupon, so Monastir believes, the merchant was shot.

There's a touch of Mexicanism in the situation. In the markets you hear Spanish spoken at every turn by Jews whose forefathers were driven into Macedonia from Spain over 500 years ago. Huerta's paper money went as slowly in his last days in Mexico as Serbian money is going here now. Twenty Serbian comitadjis came to Monastir on the same train.

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that I took. One of them spoke American English. "We've got a job to do in Monastir and the little towns around," he explained. "We've heard that the Bulgarians in the Monastir district plan an uprising if the Bulgarian army approaches. They say that it is planned to kill all Serbians and to loot Serbian homes before the Bulgarian army comes in. We're going to find out whether it is so."

"How will you find out?" "Oh, we've got our ways. When we find that some man has been talking too much we have a talk with him."

"I've heard before of the 'talks' Balkan comitadjis have with suspects. The American fellow third degree is tame beside these 'talks'." "Perhaps we'll find that there is nothing to the story. Maybe only one or two men have been shooting off their mouths. If that's the case they'll get what they deserve. And if there is a general plot, we'll find it out and give every plottor what's coming to him."

I see them around town every day now. These Serbian comitadjis. Some of them wear civilian clothes and sit about the cafes. I suppose they're listening. The others move about in their uniforms. Perhaps some of them already have collected the twenty-four dollars due every comitadj who 'gets' a Bulgarian comitadj. "Only one train a day connects Monastir with the outside world. It comes from Salonika. Some day soon it may not come. That will mean that the Bulgarians have reached the line and cut it. That same thing happened in Nisep not many days ago. The morning train from Salonika didn't get in. News like that means a panic. In Nisep the counsils of all the nations fled. So did the government. The American consul, J. B. Young, caught the morning fever and went to Cairo."

The same fever will strike Monastir some evening. If the loud shrill whistles of the single train from Salonika is not heard. Even now the people do not go to bed until they hear the reasoning, three-minute blasts. The engineers seem to understand.

**THEIR MUTUAL THANKSGIVING**

(Atlanta Constitution.) A Turkish newspaper, published in Constantinople, had this jubilant editorial note of thanksgiving in a recent issue: "We weep tears of gladness over the news that our loved troops have ousted thousands of our enemies in a late engagement."

Doubtless appropriate devotional exercises of thanksgiving followed, for the Turk is nothing now if not imitative of his Christian brother in arms. Fighting side by side with him in the science of slaughter—the refinement of cruelty, in many instances different from his blundering barbaric methods—the Christian warriors likewise render thanks to their executive God for the same victorious butcheries. Wholesale killings of their kind-of enemy-Christians—are, in fact, home and church bells peal a people's thanks, and prayers ascend for greater victories still at the price of human lives.

Sink or swim, Christian and Turk are in the same ship as to this feature of bloody thanksgiving. "Thank for the best that this world can give," says the Turk. "Thank for the best that this world can give," says the Christian. "Thank for the best that this world can give," says the Turk. "Thank for the best that this world can give," says the Christian. "Thank for the best that this world can give," says the Turk. "Thank for the best that this world can give," says the Christian.

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