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GREEK MILITARY ROUTS BODY OF TURKISH TROOPS

Ottomans Said to be Retreating in Disorderly Line From Brusa Leaving Conquerors Open Road to Sultan's City.

KING CONSTANTINE THUS REFUTES CHARGES

Opportunity Seized as Means of Vindicating Allegations That Greek Army Was Demoralized by Supporters of Ruler.

ATHENS, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—Greek forces, taking the initiative, defeated a large body of Turkish nationalist troops at Brusa, according to reports from Smyrna. Forces of Mustafa Kemal are reported retreating disorderly, leaving the Greeks an open road to Brusa.

The successes were seized upon by King Constantine's supporters here as a refutation of the charges that the Greek army was demoralized by the recent change in government.

BAD CHECK ARTIST FINDS BUSINESS BAD

Joe Castle tried several different times last evening to cash a check for \$15.50 and then was arrested by the police and lodged in the city jail. He is being held pending investigation of his operations.

The check was a forgery of a cancelled voucher belonging to Mrs. James Johns. It had been written out of her check book but the copy was made on a counter check. The Cash Billiard Parlor, Charles Company and Welch Brothers all gave the proffered paper the once over and called it no good. Meanwhile the police were notified. Castle probably will be turned over to the sheriff as soon as the district attorney gathers the evidence in the case.

CONSPIRACY CASE IS CONTINUED WHILE THE JURYMEN INVESTIGATE

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—Trial of the government's case against 125 coal miners and operators charged with conspiracy to restrain the production and distribution of coal, was continued indefinitely by federal Judge Anderson. Continuance was granted on a motion of district attorney Van Noy on the grounds that the federal grand jury is making further investigations of the coal industry.

CLAIMS HE RECEIVED DREAM MESSAGE OF MARY G. BAKER EDDY

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Arthur E. Stilwell, railroad builder and financier, is telling the public that he has received dream messages direct from Mary G. Baker Eddy, founder of the Christian Science church, telling him how the church should be conducted. He believes the messages are authentic.

The first hint that Mrs. Eddy was concerned in the supernatural conversations which Stilwell claims to have had with persons in the "other world" came in a series of articles by Stilwell, published in the New York Evening World, in which Stilwell casually mentioned the fact that he had been in communication with the Christian Science leader.

On Friday the text of these messages was published.

In his "dreams," Stilwell says, Mrs. Eddy told him that she had long been looking for some one to whom she could give advice regarding the church. She asked him to advise the directors of the church to resign, and to reinstate Mrs. Stetson, who has been ousted from her membership. She urged the formation of a new board of directors, with one member elected from each of the continents where the church has a foothold, Stilwell said.

CAR IS HURLED 100 FEET; DRIVER UNHURT

COTTAGE GROVE, Jan. 10.—The Shasta limited ran into the rear of R. Lancaster's car at Sixth street crossing, Saturday evening, throwing it 100 feet down Sixth street, where it struck a telephone pole, knocked the car all to pieces, and threw Lancaster into the street. Lancaster is a driver for the Woodson Brothers garage. He failed to see the train in the darkness and rain.



LEGISLATURE BULLETINS

RAILROADS DISCHARGE FIFTY THOUSAND MEN A. F. OF L. CHARGES

Railway Workers Petition Labor Board to Give Boards of Adjustment National Jurisdiction Instead of Local.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—Fifty thousand skilled railroad employees have been thrown out of work through the railroads making contracts with equipment concerns, President Jewell of the American Federation of Labor charged in a statement to the United States railroad labor board. He made the statement at a hearing on a petition of the railroad employees to the labor board to have boards of adjustment made national in scope instead of merely local.

Jewell charged that the public had been defrauded out of the millions of dollars by the railroad interests under the cost-plus contracts with equipment concerns controlled by the same banks which control the railroads. He said these evils were the direct result of the dominating control of the Morgan Steel combine, declared under the cost-plus guarantee of the Esch-Cummins Act. At best "the grossly inflated costs constitute a fraud against the United States government, probably in violation of federal statutes."

Contracts with outside concerns have "deliberately created an unpermanently suffering discontent at a time when public interests require the utmost confidence and harmony in the relations between capital and labor," said Jewell.

California Adopts Resolution

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—The state assembly adopted a resolution urging the United States senate not to negotiate a treaty with Japan which would invalidate the California anti-alien land law. The vote was 72 to nothing. It previously passed the senate.

MOTHER SAVES THREE CHILDREN FROM FLAMES

(East Oregonian Special.)
ECHO, Ore., Jan. 10.—Mrs. Fred Taubert, living 15 miles south of Echo, was severely burned Saturday afternoon when some grease she was rendering caught fire setting the house on fire. Mrs. Taubert was alone with her three small children at the time. Though suffering from her burns she rescued the children safely but was unable to prevent the total destruction of the house with its contents. The mother and children escaped with just the clothing they wore. Mr. Taubert is being cared for in Echo and is reported as ill from her experience though her condition is not dangerous.

ELECTIONS ARE UNANIMOUS

SALEM, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—With the unanimous election of Senator Roy W. Riner of Pendleton as president of the senate and representative Louis R. Bean, of Eugene as speaker of the house, the legislature was organized today. Eddy of Douglas county, nominated Riner and Representative Gordon of Multnomah, who will head the house ways and means committee, nominated Bean. The governor is to deliver his message at 10:30 tomorrow.

FOR FOREIGN MEASURE

SALEM, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—Senator Bruce Dennis of La Grande, is author of a senate joint memorial urging congress to pass as early as possible the Fordney emergency tariff bill. The memorial urges congress to enact a comprehensive protective measure to protect American labor, products and industry. Dennis will present it as soon as the senate calls for memorials.

BANKS TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN

SALEM, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—The thirty-first Oregon legislature is in session. The house convened at 10:30; the senate about eleven. Banks of Multnomah, was chosen temporary president of the senate. Kuhl was selected temporary speaker of the house.

RITNER IS PRICED

SALEM, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—Completion of the preliminary work was quickly handled. The house adjourned until 2. Riner was unanimously chosen president of the senate, following a brief nominating speech by Senator Eddy, who was once remarked as Riner's most formidable opponent for the presidency. He referred to Riner's wide business experience and called him a "patriot who did his full duty in the late war and is possessed of a desire and ability to preside with justice and fairness to all."

EFFECT PERMANENT ORGANIZATION

SALEM, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—The senate today effected permanent organization. John P. Hunt of Woodburn, was named chief clerk; Miss Rosina Miller of McMinnville, assistant chief clerk; Albert R. Goddard, of Umatilla county, calendar clerk; Walter L. Toose, reading clerk; Col. W. G. D. Mercer, Eugene, sergeant at arms; H. T. Bruce of Multnomah, doorkeeper; R. S. McCallahan, of Multnomah, assistant doorkeeper, and Leland T. Brown, of Douglas county, reading clerk.

Riner was elected president unanimously except that he by courtesy voted for Senator Eddy. Fred Drager was elected temporary chief clerk of the house and is expected to be made permanent clerk. His assistant probably will be J. B. Pottinger, of Douglas county. Albert Dede is expected to be house reading clerk and Joe Snager, sergeant at arms. Fred Mandel will be calendar clerk and C. A. Nason of Marion, doorkeeper.

Senator Eddy in nominating Senator Riner for the presidency, said the session of the next 40 days will have before it the most serious questions.

"I feel that it is a happy incident," he said.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY MAKES REPORT TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Records Show 270 Cases, the Longest of Which is the Til Taylor Murder Trial Involving Five First Degree Convictions.

Two hundred and seventy cases have been handled by the district attorney's office during the year just ended, his annual report to the secretary of state shows. The report has just been compiled and sent to Salem by District Attorney R. E. Keator.

This number represents only the cases of record in the various courts of the county. In addition the office rendered 43 written opinions for the various peace officers of the county and appeared in all the uncontested divorce cases in circuit court and as attorney for the State Industrial Accident Commission and the State Highway Commission in a number of cases.

The largest piece of work was the handling of the Til Taylor murder case, in which five convictions for first degree murder were obtained. The case is not yet closed, owing to the appeal taken by Kerby and Rathie, under sentence to hang. The work on this case began immediately with the capture of the criminals and is still being handled.

Cases were prosecuted in the justice courts of the various precincts, the county court, circuit court and supreme court of the state. No summary of the work was compiled by the district attorney but a resume of reports shows that traffic cases were most numerous in the justice courts. Adams had 13 cases, all of which came under this head while in the Pendleton district there were 63 traffic cases out of a total of 122, or more than half.

LIVESTOCK MARKET STEADY

PORTLAND, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—Cattle and hogs steady, sheep firm, east of mountain lambs \$9.50 to \$10.50. Eggs and butter steady.

ECHO POSTMASTER DIES IN PORTLAND HOSPITAL

(East Oregonian Special.)
ECHO, Jan. 10.—A. M. Longwell, postmaster of Echo, died in Portland at 6 o'clock this morning according to a message received here during the forenoon. Mr. Longwell had been detained on in a Portland hospital Thursday. He had been ill for some time and had come to the Portland hospital in hopes of relief. The first news of his serious condition was contained in a wire calling Mrs. Longwell to his bedside. She left for Portland accompanied by her sister, Mrs. H. Willis and Mr. Mills.

The body is to be brought to Echo for burial but the time of the funeral had not been announced this morning.

MILITARY FORCES NIP PLAN OF SINN FEIN TO ATTACK DUBLIN CENTER

M'CARROLL TO ARGUE OWN CASE IN CIRCUIT COURT TRIAL HE SAYS

Ray McCarroll will not burden himself with an attorney when he goes on a charge of driving an auto while intoxicated in circuit court Tuesday morning, he notified Judge G. W. Phelps this morning when arraigned and asked to plead. McCarroll entered a plea of not guilty.

He was indicted by the recent grand jury on a charge of driving an auto while intoxicated. The particular offense was plotting a Dodge roadster across the east pedestrian lane of the Main street bridge one night in December at a 40-mile clip. He was not in custody when the jury reported and a bench warrant for his arrest was issued.

THREE GET SENTENCES TO STATE PENITENTIARY

Sentences of two and a half years in the penitentiary were given Edgar Fitzpatrick and Harry Thomas, confessed forgers, by Circuit Judge G. W. Phelps this morning. Both were indicted last week on charges of obtaining money by false pretenses and both pleaded guilty. James D. Coplen, who was indicted and pleaded guilty to the same charge, was sentenced on Friday to two years.

William McGee, who pleaded guilty to the robbery of the Peoples Warehouse, received a two year term in the penitentiary. The four men under sentence will be taken to Salem shortly by two deputies from the sheriff's office.

Charles Lafferty, who ran amuck at Stanfield and was indicted for assault, was fined \$100 by the judge this morning. He pleaded guilty to the charge. Ray McCarroll, up for arraignment and plea on a charge of driving a car while intoxicated, pleaded not guilty.

George McElroy and C. J. Brown, indicted for larceny by bailee, both pleaded not guilty this morning but the date of their trial was not fixed.

CONSERVATIVE LABOR LEADER HOWLED DOWN

LONDON, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—John Robert Cling, labor member of parliament, former food controller and president of the national union of general workers, was howled down today while attempting to address a meeting of the unemployed at Camberwell. He was obliged to desist, a large section of the audience shouting "We want revolution," "We want action."

INAUGURATION EXPENSE FOUGHT BY SEN. BORAH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—A resolution denying any further appropriations for the expenses of the Harding inauguration and notifying the inaugural committee that no government building be turned over to them for a ball, was introduced by Senator Borah, who attempted to have it adopted immediately. Objection by Senator Snoot prevented this.

BIBLE STUDY WORK BEING PLANNED FOR UNIVERSITY WOMEN

YACON, Jan. 10.—Bible study classes, organized by the campus Y. W. C. A. were the subject of discussion at a meeting of college women held in the Y. W. bungalow. Miss Mary Perkins, member of the Y. W. C. A. advisory board and professor of rhetoric in the university, spoke.

The Y. W. C. A. has arranged a group of six meetings to take place in the women's houses on the campus and at the bungalow, beginning Wednesday. These groups will take up a systematic study of the Bible in its relation to Christian fundamentals.

WHEAT UP TODAY, MARCH CLOSING AT \$1.77 1-4; MAY OPTIONS UP 2 CENTS

March wheat went rocketing today after opening at \$1.72 1-4 and closed at \$1.77 1-4, three and a fourth cents higher than Saturday's closing.

Following are the quotations from Overbeck & Cooke, local brokers:

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	1.72 1/4	1.77 1/4	1.72	1.77 1/4
May	1.65 1/4	1.69 1/4	1.64 1/4	1.65 1/4
July	1.48 1/4	1.52 1/4	1.47 1/4	1.48 1/4

DUBLIN, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—"Rebel" activity is possibly reaching the importance of extensive skirmishes with the crown forces north and west of Dublin, it is reported here. The fighting, according to vague reports which reached Dublin castle, extended at intervals over an area of twenty miles. It is believed the Sinn Fein have planned an attack in an effort to cut transportation lines connecting the royal canal and western railways. The wires are down, but rushing reinforcements to various points. The attack is said to have begun with an ambush of the crown forces at Dunboyne, fifteen miles northeast of Dublin.

MULTI-MILLIONAIRE IS KILLED IN ACCIDENT

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—Raymond Thorne, multi-millionaire chairman of Chicago and Los Angeles, was killed early today in an automobile accident here. The New roadster which Thorne was driving skidded on the wet pavement, overturned and he died in the arms of the men who extricated him from the wrecked car. He was evidently traveling at a high rate of speed.

VIGOROUS ACTION TO BE INSTITUTED AGAINST TRUST LAW VIOLATORS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—Vigorous and prompt action against violators of the Sherman trust law in connection with certain important lines of building materials is proposed by the department of justice in a statement Assistant Attorney General Neherk issued.

HARDING OFFICIALLY BECOMES PRESIDENT-ELECT OF U. S. TODAY

National Electors Will Meet at the Various State Capitals and Cast Their Votes for President and Vice-President

MARION, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—Harding officially becomes president-elect today when the presidential electors meet at their respective state capitals and cast their votes for president and vice president. Harding's resignation from the senate was put before Harry L. Davis, who became governor today. The resignation was made effective for January 15 when Frank B. Willis, senator-elect, will take Harding's place.

CHINESE PROMISE TO APOLOGIZE AND PAY JAPS

TOKYO, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—Japan and China, newspaper reports say, have concluded an agreement closing the incident at Nikolaievsk, Siberia, last spring, when a Japanese warship fired on Russian partisans during a fight with Russian partisans in which several hundred Japanese were reported killed.

The Chinese government and the officers of the warship, the newspaper says, will apologize and China will pay 50,000 yen in compensation to the families of Japanese killed.

CITIZENS OF MEXICO CAST VOTES IN TEXAS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—Mexican laborers vote in Texas elections without having even their first naturalization papers. Representative Box, of Texas, charged before the senate immigration committee. Box defended restricted immigration to stop the quantity of importation of Mexican labor.

U. S. THREATENS CUBA TO STOP CABLE LANDING

Charge is Made by President of Western Union Before Senate and Press Representative Deplores Lack of Cables.

SAYS OPERATION IN FAR FIELDS IS UNPROFITABLE

Associated Press Claims That it Keeps in Touch With Distant Points in its Dissemination of News Through Patriotism

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—Charges that the state department was "making threats against the Cuban government" to prevent the issuance of a permit for the Western Union cable landings on the island were made before the senate committee by Newcomb Carlton, president of the Western Union.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(A. P.)—Frederick Roy Martin, acting general manager of the Associated Press, told the committee any increase in communication facilities aided in the dissemination of American news. He said the Associated Press is furnishing its reports to ports in Alaska and Mexico and has gone extensively into South America. Reports on the Pacific are sent by radio and incidentally copied for free distribution to Japan and China. "This is an unprofitable field and we are keeping it up for patriotic motives to maintain connection between the United States and its possessions." South American readers desired news from the United States and the only difficulty was a lack of cable facilities, he said.

FIRE STARTING IN KITCHEN, DAMAGES HOTEL AT CONDON

CONDON, Jan. 10.—The Summit hotel in this city was seriously damaged by fire Friday when fire broke out in the kitchen and despite the prompt action of the department, the whole rear of the building was in flames when the fire fighting apparatus arrived. The flames were quickly extinguished although not before the kitchen and dining room were gutted and the rooms from top to bottom were burned inside. The property is owned by Charles Grant.

U. S. WITHDRAWS FROM AMBASSADOR'S COUNCIL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—The United States, it is learned, authoritatively decided to withdraw from the council of ambassadors which has been meeting continuously in Paris to consider the armistice question and other issues growing out of the peace treaty. Britain, France, Italy and the United States were represented in the council.

FIGHT ON REACTION TO BE CONTINUED BY SENATE PROGRESSIVES

Senator Johnson Supposed to Have Issued Statement Warning Senators That Great Mass of People Still Cherish Progress.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(U. P.)—Senate progressives have served notice of their intention to continue a fight on reactions. It is thought the statement was issued by Senator Johnson and the senators composing the progressive group are warned that though political leaders may have forgotten progressivism it is "still cherished by the great inarticulate mass."

Weather

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse, weather observer.
Maximum, 44.
Minimum, 17.
Barometer, 30.10.

