

STRONG HAND
OF NEW KING
HALTS REVENGE

Massacre of Turkish and Jewish Residents of Salonika Restrained by Constantine—Assassin Hidden to Prevent Lynching.

Martial Law in Effect—Unidentified Man Torn to Pieces—Assassin a Weak-minded Man.

SALONIKA, March 19.—Only the strong hand of King Constantine I and his brother prevents a terrible retaliation here today against the Turkish and Jewish residents for the assassination of King George of Greece at 5 o'clock last evening, when the mass of the Greek populace believe was slain by Aleko Schinas yesterday as the culmination of a Turkish plot.

While the dead body of his victim is being prepared for transportation to Athens for a state funeral, Schinas has been secreted by the military authorities to prevent his being torn to pieces by the infuriated populace and the Turks and Jews of the city, whom the Greeks persist in believing partly responsible, are cowering behind the barred doors of their homes, expecting every moment the outbreak of a massacre.

Martial Law in Effect.

Promptly upon his arrival here today from Janina, King Constantine took action to second the efforts of his brother, Prince Nicholas, in preventing any outbreak. Martial law is in practical effect, and it is believed the Greek soldiery and residents will be restrained until the departure of King George's body for Athens.

It developed today that an unidentified man who because of his close proximity to Aleko Schinas, the assassin, was mistaken for an accomplice, was attacked by a mob as Schinas was being led away, and literally torn to pieces.

The authorities say that Schinas is a weak-minded man, while others declare he is a college graduate. The assassin lived abroad several years, and it is reported he once lived in America. He is believed to be an anarchist.

When King Constantine arrived from Janina he was received with royal homage. His voice choked with sobs as he embraced his brother, Prince Nicholas. King Constantine at once ordered preparations started for the removal of the late king's body to Athens.

Story of Tragedy.

King Constantine today was told the story of his father's assassination by Lieutenant Colonel Francoudis. The latter and the king were walking along the street when a shot suddenly rang out. King George staggered and when Francoudis wheeled about, Schinas was standing not six feet away, holding a smoking revolver in his hand. Francoudis grappled with the assassin and the latter was quickly overpowered.

The king died at a hospital thirty minutes after his arrival there. He never spoke after he was shot. The bullet entered the back below the shoulder, touched the heart, and ranging downward, came out through the abdomen.

BURNED TO DEATH
KNEELING IN PRAYER

CHICAGO, March 19.—While praying to have a means of escape from the flames revealed to them, Verie Pastalla, an Italian woman, with her two children, Jane, 5, and May, 3, were burned to death in their home here today. The bodies were found with their knees on the floor and their charred and seared faces raised heavenward. It is believed that the blaze was of Black Hand origin.

Unconscious of the fact that his wife's children were trapped in by the flames, Frank Pastalla succeeded in saving the children of his brother-in-law in another part of the dwelling. He was terribly burned and his injuries may result fatally.

MAY REPRESENT THE NEW
ADMINISTRATION ABROAD

RICHARD OLNEY

Richard Olney, of Massachusetts, who was Secretary of State in President Cleveland's Cabinet, is said to be slated for the post of Ambassador to Great Britain.

WILSON SOUNDS
DEATH KNELL OF
DOLLAR DIPLOMACY

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Death to "dollar diplomacy" as fostered by the Taft administration is seen here today in the flat refusal of President Wilson to support the claims of American bankers to share in the "six power" Chinese loan. This stand is expected to be followed up soon by an announcement that the government will adopt a policy in South American republics similar to that indicated in the proposed loan to China.

Bankers heretofore depending on the government to assist in the collection of their loans, it is believed, will be put out of business by President Wilson's stand. It was also expected that the present administration would recall the present American collectors of customs in South American republics.

Several American banking firms have proposed loans to South American republics pending but it is doubtful now if these will be consummated.

OUTLINE CHANGES
IN TARIFF BILL

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The principal features of the tariff reform bill were outlined today at a conference between Representative Palmer of Pennsylvania of the ways and means committee; Senator Simmons of North Carolina, chairman of the senate finance committee, and President Wilson. The president said he hoped the revision of the tariff would be cleared away early so that the businessmen of the country would know just what to expect. He also hopes to eliminate all friction at the extra session of congress.

SUICIDE IDENTIFIED AS
CALIFORNIA RANCHER

CHICAGO, March 19.—The body of a man who committed suicide on a train near Chicago yesterday was positively identified today as that of Joseph H. Jordan, a young ranchman of Whittier, Cal.

Jordan's step-daughter, Lillian, 14 years of age, who is visiting relatives here identified the remains. She refused to look at the corpse but identified her father's clothing and personal effects. After her identification the inquest was continued until Monday.

MILITANT SUFFRAGETTE
LEADER IS INSANE?

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—Flat declaration that in her opinion Mrs. Edmeline Pankhurst, leader of England's militant suffragettes is insane, was made here today by Mrs. Philip Snowden, wife of the leader of the labor party in parliament and herself vice president of the National Union of British Suffrage.

TURKS CLAIM
GREAT VICTORY
OVER BULGARS

Dispatches From Constantinople Say Turks Attacked Allies at Tchatalja and Won After Three Days Conflict, Inflicting Heavy Losses.

Stormed Heights Which Are Captured at Point of Bayonet—Bare Details of Struggle Given.

VIENNA, March 19.—News of a great Turkish victory over the Bulgarians at Tchatalja was received here today in dispatches from Constantinople. These said the Turks attacked the Bulgars and after a three days' battle inflicted heavy losses on the allies.

The Turkish troops are said to have driven the Bulgars from their trenches and then to have stormed the heights held by the Bulgars, which they captured at the point of the bayonet. It is said that the losses to both armies were very heavy with bare details given. Turkish aeroplanes are said to have aided in the victory.

LEASE RESOURCES
DON'T SURRENDER
THEM SAYS HENRY

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 19.—"There wouldn't be any trouble about trusts or interlocking directorates—no 'unscrupling of eggs' necessary if we preserved under public ownership what belongs to all of us; if we leased instead of surrendered our natural resources."

That was the keynote of an address by Francis J. Heney, in which he discussed the fundamentals involved in the proposed administration water commission before a joint committee of the assembly and the senate at a public hearing in the capitol last night.

"Let's forget we are Americans for a time and imagine we are Norwegians," Heney said after he had called attention to the fact that, while California had sold school lands containing great natural wealth for \$1.25 an acre, the Swedes in Minnesota had added \$19,000,000 to one of their school funds, as well as retaining the original lands, by leasing the iron mines in school districts.

"Enough money," he said, "with the assured yearly income, to pay all the teachers' salaries, buy free textbooks and pension the educators in the state of Minnesota."

"The 5,000,000 horsepower of unappropriated water power in California is equal to the energy of 60,000,000 men working eight hours a day forever. The law says we cannot appropriate private property for public use unless we give just compensation. I would make the inverse apply equally—that we shall not permit the private use of public property without just compensation."

5000 SWITCHMEN TO
STRIKE, EASTERN ROADS

CHICAGO, March 19.—Little hope for settlement of existing differences between 5,000 yard switchmen and eastern railroads was expected to result from the conference here today between representatives of the switchmen and the companies.

Before going into the conference several railroad officials announced that in no circumstances would the companies make any concessions. Vice President Whitman of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, headed the switchmen's committee. He predicted a strike unless the railroads granted a request for a semi-monthly payday and pay and a half for all overtime worked.

POSTAL THEFTS
BY SALEM CLERK
TOTAL BIG SUM

Parcel Post Messenger With Family of Ten Children Steals Eleven Large Cases of Mail, Weighing More Than Ton in Last 3 Months.

Needed Articles in His Own Family Is Excuse Made by Arrested Man—Has Been Employed 14 Months.

SALEM, Ore., March 19.—What is without doubt one of the biggest shoplifting and postoffice steals that has ever been pulled off in Oregon was brought to light here today when William Martin, assistant mail messenger for the Salem postoffice, was arrested after clever work by Assistant Postmaster J. H. Farrar, Sheriff Esch and Postoffice Inspectors Durand and Perkins of Portland.

The stolen goods consisted of parcel post packages containing all manner of articles and dry goods. The thefts are believed to have been going on since the first of the year and will aggregate a valuation of thousands of dollars. The goods were packed in 11 large cases and totaled a weight of more than a ton.

Martin has a family of a wife and 10 children. Most of the children are step-children, and none, he claims, are old enough to be self-supporting. He said that he had taken the goods because he needed them for use in his own family. The prisoner is about 35 years old and has been in the employ of the office for 14 months.

GUMS BLEED FROM
FORCIBLE FEEDING

LONDON, March 19.—That her gums bleed continually as the result of a steel gag being pressed into her mouth as a part of the operation of forcible feeding, and that she suffers excruciating stomach pains as a result of the feeding are statements made in a letter from Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, in the hands of the militant suffragette union here today. The letter was sent from Holloway jail.

It is stated that Home Secretary McKenna is trying to force through parliament a bill that will legalize forcible feeding.

ELOPERS RELEASES
UNDER \$10,000 BONDS

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 19.—Maury I. Diggs, and Drew Caminetti two married men who eloped with two girls of this city to Reno, Nevada, are at liberty today, each under \$10,000 bond, to appear before United States Commissioner Krull at San Francisco March 27. They will answer to two charges each, one of having obtained transportation for the two girls—Lola Norris and Marsha Warrington—from this city to Reno, and the other of having induced and incited the girls to leave their homes.

FRIENDSHIP WITH CHINA
PREDICTED BY BRYAN

LINCOLN, Neb., March 19.—Accompanied by Governor Dunne of Illinois, Secretary of State William J. Bryan arrived here today. He predicted that the friendship between the United States and China would be fostered as a result of President Wilson's attitude on the six power loan. Bryan said he heartily approved the president's statement but he flatly refused to discuss the situation in Mexico.

Bryan and Governor Dunne will be guests of honor at the annual banquet of the Bryan club tonight.

LITTLE JOSEPHINE COTHRAN, THE "WHITE HOUSE BABY."



MRS. PERIN COTHRAN AND "BABY JOSEPHINE"

Miss Josephine Wilson Cotheran, "the White House baby," as she has been called, with her tiny cousins, making a party of three granddaughters and one grandnephew of the President, had their first experience as a quadrangular party before the big black camera in Washington a few days ago.

The youngsters are Josephine Wilson Cotheran, seventeen months old; Virginia Peyton Howe, fat and blond, three years old; Wilson Howe, her brother, who is ten years old, and Elizabeth Wilson, of the same mature age, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wilson. Mrs. Annie Wilson Cotheran is the mother of the "executive baby."

WATSON NAMED
AS COMMISSIONER
OF CORPORATIONS

SALEM, Ore., March 19.—Governor West today appointed his private secretary, Ralph Watson, as corporation commissioner, the office created in the "blue sky" law passed by the recent legislature. This appointment came as a surprise, as it was expected that the office would fall to C. D. Babcock, the present corporation clerk in the office of the secretary of state. The governor stated that the appointment was also a surprise to Watson, who had not asked for the place and did not know the governor was considering him.

The governor stated that his private stenographer, Miss Fern Hobbs, would succeed Watson as private secretary.

The "blue sky" law is fashioned after the famous Kansas act and is said to be full of teeth for questionable corporations that may attempt to do business in this state.

SPIRITUAL AFFINITIES
CAUSED ELOPMENT

CHICAGO, March 19.—Claims that she eloped with Owen D. Conn, the \$100,000 society burglar, captured in San Francisco, because her husband, Rev. Nestor Clarkson of this city "flaunted his love for certain spiritual affinities in her face," are made here today by Mrs. Mabel Clarkson.

Aroused by the disappearance of her five children, whom she believes have been hidden by their father, Mrs. Clarkson threatens to reveal certain alleged relations between Clarkson and other women that she declares will shock the whole city. She denies that she is making any effort to return to him.

PROSECUTION BREAKS
SMELTER STOCKS

NEW YORK, March 19.—The stock market had a sharp slump today. Sears Roebuck dropped six points. The market opened irregular, but gained strength, despite heavy selling. The Guggenheims sold actively following the report that the government is to proceed against the smelting trust. Smelting lost 2½ and Guggenheim exploration two. The market closed fairly strong. Bonds were steady.

SMELTING TRUST
TO BE PROSECUTED
BY UNCLE SAM

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Final reports regarding proposed suits against the smelting trust for alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, it was learned here today, will be submitted to Attorney General McReynolds soon. After a long investigation the probers, it is said, will recommend the government to begin action.

Through the acquisition of competitors, it is charged, the corporation controls 75 per cent of the smelting business and also is in a position to control the price of copper in the United States. The trust is said to have acquired plants in Denver, Pueblo, Leadville, Durango, Salt Lake and Helena.

DEFECTIVE WIRING
CAUSES OAKLAND FIRE

OAKLAND, Cal., March 19.—Defective wiring in the Bacon office building, occupying the block between Eleventh, Washington and Thirteenth streets, started a fire at noon today which resulted in the complete destruction of the roof, the gutting of the western half of the two office floors and the partial destruction of the stores on the Washington and Twelfth street frontages, causing a total loss, mostly from water, estimated at \$80,000.

For an hour the entire fire apparatus of the city was used to prevent the spread of the flames.

GERMANY'S AIRSHIP
WRECKED BY STORM

KARLSRUHE, Germany, March 19.—The Zeppelin IV, the latest German military airship, which the government accepted from the Zeppelin company only a week ago, was wrecked today while the crew was attempting to land it in a windstorm.

SEVEN AND HALF MILLION
BELL PHONES IN OPERATION

NEW YORK, March 19.—One hundred and ninety-nine million dollars was the gross receipts of the American Telephone and Telegraph company last year, according to the yearly report issued from the company's offices here today. The receipts showed an increase of \$7,000,000 over the 1911 figures.

NEAR MILLION
LOOT IN HATS
OF SWINDLERS

Family Who Are Literally Clothed With Greenbacks, Product of Defrauding Twenty Banks With Fraudulent Invoices, Arrested.

\$400,000 in Currency in Pockets of Men and \$300,000 in Women's Millinery.

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 19.—With three-quarters million dollars in bills and checks concealed in the women's hats and in the grips and pockets of the men, Atone Martinez alleged swindlers, were arrested here and his four sons and two daughters today. Martinez, who also goes under the name of Antone Fuscale, is declared to be a prominent New York merchant. The party was literally clothed in greenbacks when it arrived here and the inability of its members successfully to hide all of the currency aroused the suspicions of the police. It is declared that the family conducted enormously profitable swindling operations in many parts of the country.

"Musica" was the name under which Martinez operated the "United States Hair company" in New York. His sons who were arrested are named Philip, Frank, George and Albert, and the daughters Louise and Grace.

The party arrived early today from Mobile. They were sleeping in their berths in a steamer in which they hoped to sail to Honduras when arrested. The father fought the officers and a detective prevented the woman from throwing their hats into the Mississippi. Later \$300,000 in bills was found in the lining of the women's hats.

It was announced that one of the prisoners confessed that the family swindled twenty banks in New York, Atlanta, New Orleans, London and Berlin, with fraudulent invoices.

Nearly \$400,000 in currency of large denominations was found in the pockets of the men. En route to jail the father seized a revolver from his son Philip's pocket and attempted to kill himself. The detectives overpowered him.

Grace Martinez had \$14,000 in a pocket and her sister Louise \$16,000 in her stocking. The sum of \$100,000 in negotiable securities was secreted in the men's pockets.

BUD ANDERSON
TO FIGHT BROWN
APRIL 12 OR 15

LOS ANGELES, March 19.—Bud Anderson and Kayo Brown were formally matched today for a return twenty round battle at Vernon on the afternoon of April 12 or the night of April 15. They will weigh in at 133 pounds and at 1 o'clock in case April 12 is decided upon for the match, and at 7 p. m. if it is a night meeting.

All arrangements, except the weight agreement, were concluded two days ago. The one remaining difficulty was swept aside today when a compromise was reached, and the manager of each boxer posted a \$500 weight forfeit.

On the occasion of their former meeting the men weighed in at 133 at noon. At that time Anderson was generally believed to be too finely drawn, and the opinion was offered that the weight had been a difficult one for him. The weight hour for the April battle is at least an hour later than for the first engagement. Both Anderson and his manager, Dick Donald, however, declared that Bud will have no difficulty in making the weight and retain his strength.

VENICE, Cal., March 15.—A gold medal given for a prize temperance oration is on exhibition today at a Venice dispensary. It was left by a thirsty patron who didn't have the price.