

TURK MUST GO BEFORE BATTLE OF ARMAGEDDON

St. Mark's hall was crowded last night while Elder Huch gave evidence from the Bible that the Turks must be driven from Europe before the battle of Armageddon can be fought.

"Turkey," he said, "is mentioned in at least four places in Scripture. This is probably because of the strategic position occupied and the part Turkey is to play in the last great war."

"The question of whether or not Turkey would be allowed to remain in Europe has been one of Europe's most perplexing problems. It is known as the Eastern Question. The Boston Journal gives the following definition of the Eastern Question: 'Sifted of every side issue it may be reduced to this: The driving of the Turk into Asia and a scramble for his territory.'

Strategic Position

"But why are the nations so anxious about Turkish territory? Because it is the most strategic position in the world. The last will and testament of Peter the Great enjoined his successors 'To take every possible means of gaining Constantinople, for he who rules there, will be the true sovereign of the world.'

"The possession of Constantinople and the Dardanelles would be especially advantageous to Russia, but the other nations are not willing for her to gain such an advantage, and every time the attempt has been made to carry out the will of Peter the Great, the powers have come to the assistance of Turkey. The only reason the Turks have been allowed to remain in Europe this long is because the nations know that when the Turks leave Europe, what Napoleon designated as 'the equilibrium of Europe' would be destroyed."

Prophecy of Disaster

"Daniel 11:44,45 says 'Tidings out of the east and out of the north shall trouble him; therefore he shall go forth with great fury to destroy, and utterly to make away many. And he shall plant the tabernacles of his palace between the seas in the glorious holy mountain; yet he shall come to his end and none shall help him.' That this refers to Turkey there can be no doubt. The tidings from the north are evidently from Russia and against her he will go forth with great fury. But Turkey will be defeated and will move her capital to Jerusalem between the Dead and Mediterranean seas and will there be brought to an end."

"If Turkey enters this war she can expect no help, since England and France have their hands full and besides are allies of Russia; and Germany has all she can do at present. The scramble for the coveted territory of the Turks will bring them to Armageddon which is in territory now owned by Turkey. While this battle of annihilation is in progress Christ comes to redeem those who are looking and waiting for his appearing."

AERIAL NAVIGATION PROHIBITED IN ITALY

LONDON, Sept. 25, 3:36 p. m.—In a dispatch from Rome the correspondent of the Central News says the Italian authorities have issued a decree prohibiting all aerial navigation over Italian territory.

BOY FARMERS ARE OFF TO STATE FAIR AT SALEM

School Supervisor E. R. Peterson accompanied by Claus Charley, the champion boy corn grower of Jackson county, Wilbur Godlove, age 11 years, the boy pig raiser, D. N. Lowe and son Donald left this morning for Salem where they will attend the state fair. The three youths will have their products on display. Charley and Godlove are credited with being the most successful industrial workers of Jackson county and for this are given a free trip to the state fair. Young Lowe has gathered together one of the best farm displays ever seen in southern Oregon and will place it on exhibition at Salem. Mr. Lowe will again make his annual trip with his remarkable exhibits consisting of over six hundred products from his Ashland farm.

The corn grown by young Charley on his father's ranch on Little Butte creek yielded 111 bushels to the acre. The selection of seed and the unusually good soil is attributed to the excellent record established. Wilbur Godlove is said by authorities to have a very extensive knowledge of hog raising although but a young lad.

Premier of Ontario Dead

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 25.—Sir James P. Whitney, premier of Ontario, is dead.

COMPETITION IS FATHER OF TRUSTS SAYS ROOSEVELT

MARION, Ill., Sept. 25.—Addressing an audience here today, the second last of his Illinois campaign in behalf of Raymond Robins, progressive candidate for United States senator, Colonel Roosevelt dwelt on the labor features of the progressive platform, and paid particular attention to the advocacy of the initiative, referendum and recall.

Speaking of business conditions, he repeated that unbridled competition means monopoly. The efficiency of industrial combinations must be retained, he said, but their evils must be eliminated in manner fair to all. "Unbridled competition is the father of monopoly," he asserted. Illustrating the relations of the government to business, the colonel referred to a newspaper article.

"It stated," he said, "that it would be no use for American businessmen to go into the business undertakings for the moment abandoned by the Germans because of the war, for after the war the German government would put itself behind the German business men, exercising a proper control over them, but encouraging them so far as was possible, while the American government would not be behind American business men, and would, if anything, be antagonistic to them. We must alter completely this type of attitude if we are to meet on equal terms the trained efficiency of foreign competitors in the great world of business today. The government must assume an attitude of hearty encouragement and co-operation as far as all legitimate business, big or little, is concerned. But it must accompany this attitude with rigid insistence upon the rights of the wage worker for his full share in the benefit that comes from successful business."

He continued: "We progressives are trying to give to the plain men and plain women of the nation the power to run their own government. That is why we are trying to secure the initiative, the referendum and the recall."

STOCK EXCHANGE SANCTIONS SALES

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Another step toward resumption of general business in the financial markets was taken today when the stock exchange acting in conjunction with dealers in unlisted bonds and stocks, announced that private purchases and sales of unlisted securities would be permitted when necessary at moderate concessions from the prices of July 30.

It is stipulated, however, that such transactions must not be harmful to the general situation and must be kept within bounds. This ruling is a further modification of the regulation recently promulgated by the exchange, permitting dealings in bonds and unlisted notes also at moderate concessions. All the business to be conducted under the later rule, which includes the stocks handled by the "curb," will be supervised by a committee consisting of stock exchange members, non member bond dealers and the chairman of the "curb" market.

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FRENCH ACCUSE KAISER'S ARMY OF MANY ATROCITIES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The French ambassador, Jules Jusserand, made public today the summary of ten documents drawn up by various officials accusing the German soldiers of a systematic campaign of atrocities. The documents, placed in the hands of Acting Secretary Lansing of the state department by the ambassador, were also delivered to all signatories of the Hague convention.

With the document a letter was delivered which explained that the French government did not take the step with a view of demanding any action on the part of the United States, but merely to report to this country as a signatory of the Hague treaty evidence of how the treaty was being carried out.

"Such as they are, they show, among other things, that wounded soldiers have been finished in large numbers by shots fired right against the face of the wounded; that Pont-aud-Mousson, an open and undefended town was bombarded. The hospital and historical building, having especially suffered; a number of villages, among them Paris and Aftville, have been methodically destroyed; houses by house, soldiers being, as it seems, provided with implements enabling them to perform that kind of work with a minimum of trouble; nurses bearing conspicuously the badge of the Red Cross have been assassinated; numerous inhabitants have been put to death without pretext or provocation (among whom, at Badonviller, the

wife of the mayor) in some cases, notably at Billy on the tenth of August, the German troops, when they marched out of the place to charge the French troops, made the women and children walk in front of them."

AUSTRIAN WOUNDED TAKEN TO TRIESTE

VENICE, Italy, Sept. 25, via Paris 4 p. m.—According to advices reaching here today from Trieste, several thousand wounded have been brought into that Austrian city in the last three days. Many public buildings, including theaters, are being converted into hospitals for them.

A majority of the wounded come from Galicia and they relate tales of fearful hardships. For days at a time they were in wet clothing and with the exception of plums, they had nothing to eat. The Russians have captured immense quantities of the winter clothing from the Austrian troops. The snow has begun to fall and the troops in the field are suffering from cold.

SWISS REFUSE KAISER'S REQUEST

ROME, Sept. 25, via London, 2 a. m.—The Giornale d'Italia publishes a report from Basel that Switzerland has refused a request from the German for permission to send three army corps across Swiss territory.

BAD WEATHER INTERFERES WITH EUROPEAN WAR

LONDON, Sept. 25, 10:25 a. m.—Weather conditions exceptionally favorable to modern military operations during the first six weeks of the war have now changed radically and are in the main responsible for the lull prevailing in all the war areas, with the exception of the combined Montenegrin and Serbian assault on the coveted provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Accompanying the reports of bad weather comes the ominous news of the presence of disease. Hungary has acknowledged an outbreak of cholera among her troops, and while it is denied officially, the same scourge is said to have attacked the Serbian troops. General epidemics of milder diseases may be expected in the western battle area, where the troops on both sides, drenched by rain, are lying in flooded trenches.

Operations in Alsace-Lorraine are said to have come to a complete stop on account of snowstorms. Rain and floods are reported from the scene of the Galician operations and probably account for cessation of the Russian attack on the retreating Austrians. Storm conditions will interfere greatly with motor transports and troops taking the offensive may be greatly handicapped by inability to bring up their artillery.

Several of the great German siege guns, probably destined for use against the fortifications of Paris, have fallen into the hands of the enemy, having become stuck in the mud when the Germans began their retirement from the Marais. The French

ALLIED FORCES LAND AT LISSAU

PARIS, Sept. 25, 4:59 p. m.—A dispatch to the Italian newspaper Messaggero, forwarded to Paris by the Rome correspondent of the Havas agency, says that the allied forces have landed in Dalmatia after bombarding the fortified harbor of Lissau. The British and French flags were then hoisted to provoke the Austrian fleet to come out and engage the allied fleet in battle.

The Austrian squadrons, the correspondent adds, are sheltered in a canal at Fiume, opposite the Austrian naval station of Pola.

NOTICE.

The regular annual stockholders meeting of The Three Lodes Mining company will be held on October 5 at 1 p. m. at 215 East Main street, room 6, Medford, Oregon, for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

W. J. SCOTT,
Secretary.

NOTICE.

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