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TEUTON FORCES TO CHASE SERBS ACROSS GREECE

Serbian Forces Soon to Become an Army Without a Country Unless French Defeat Bulgars—Fall of Monastir Expected—Germans Claim 101,000 Serbs Prisoners.

LONDON, Nov. 27.—The Serbian forces soon will become an army without a country unless the French should defeat the Bulgarians, four divisions of whom are said to be hammering at the French lines.

The main Serbian army, retreating in a southwesterly direction before Field Marshal von Mackensen's troops, may find no rest even in Greek territory, as it is reported here that the invaders of Serbia would not hesitate to cross into Greece.

The Serbians have recaptured Krushevo, in southern Serbia, about twenty miles west of Priepel, according to a dispatch to the Star from Athens.

101,000 Serbs Captured The German official report states that German troops advancing in Serbia have occupied the heights on the left bank of the Sitnica river, west of Pristina, German army headquarters announced today.

The number of Serbian prisoners taken up to the present time by the German, Austro-Hungarian and Bulgarian troops, says the Overseas News agency, totals 101,000 officers and men.

ALLIES LANDING FORCES

Allied troops continue to land at Saloniki in large numbers. A Reuter dispatch filed yesterday at Saloniki says that important British reinforcements reached that port on Thursday and were landed immediately.

Winter has set in earlier than usual in the Balkans. It is said military (Continued on page six)

CARDINAL AVERSE TO APPROVAL OF FORD'S PEACE PLAN

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 27.—Henry Ford, the Detroit manufacturer, called upon Cardinal Gibbons today, but although the cardinal devoutly echoed Mr. Ford's hopes for a successful culmination of his peace trip to Europe by Christmas, he was averse to giving it his formal approval.

He said he felt there were too many formidable difficulties in the way. Mr. Ford asked Cardinal Gibbons to suggest names of prominent persons whose interest he thought could be enlisted, but the cardinal said he preferred to leave that to Mr. Ford's own judgment.

Upon leaving the cardinal, Mr. Ford said he was going to Philadelphia, where he had a dinner engagement with John W. Wamsucker.

NEW CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE RUSSIAN ARMIES



A general brace-up of Russian arms and resumption of the offensive have been the outstanding features of the western front since the appointment of General Alexeff (shown here at headquarters) as the chief of the Russian armies.

\$4,000,000,000 SUBSCRIPTIONS TO NEW FRENCH LOAN

PARIS, Nov. 27.—Paul Leroy-Beaulieu, the economist, estimated today that subscriptions to the new French war loan may amount to 20,000,000,000 francs (\$4,000,000,000.)

Of this amount perhaps one half will be cash subscriptions, the remainder representing conversion into the new loan of earlier issues of treasury notes and national defense bonds. No official figures are yet available and other estimates of the total are at wide variance with that of Mr. Beaulieu.

Officials of the treasury department express great satisfaction with the result thus far. Lines of subscribers at the Bank of France and many other places today were as long as those which waited yesterday.

Promptness with which all classes have responded to the call of Finance Minister Ribot has given rise to many odd incidents. A man with the cap and blue blouse of a peasant was asked at the Bank of France what denomination of bonds he desired. The clerk judged from his appearance that he would subscribe for 100 to 1000 francs.

DROPS 10,000 FEET IN A PARACHUTE

LONDON, Nov. 27.—Colonel Maitland of the Royal naval air service, jumped with a parachute today from an aeroplane which was 10,000 feet in the air. He landed safely.

Colonel Maitland has been experimenting with projected developments of the aerial service, and arrived at the point where it was necessary to determine whether an airman could land safely with a parachute from such a height.

"One has to do it. There is only one person I care to ask. I will make the attempt myself." It took the colonel fifteen minutes to make the descent, but he solved his problem safely.

ALLIED LOSSES HEAVY IS TURKISH REPORT

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 27.—An announcement from the Turkish war office today says that a large number of soldiers of the allied forces have been killed in recent fighting on the Gallipoli peninsula near the landing place at Ari Burnu. Destruction of guns of 15 cm and small caliber near Anafarta and Ari Burnu also is reported.

FUNSTON SENDS MORE TROOPS TO GUARD BORDER

Official Report Shows That Both Villa and Carranza Troops Shot Across Border at Americans—Twentieth Regiment Makes Camp at Scene of Battle.

NOGALES, Ariz., Nov. 27.—Major General Frederick Funston arrived here shortly before noon today and assumed command of the 2500 United States soldiers on duty at this point. He superseded Brigadier General George Bell, Jr., who had arrived earlier in the day.

General Funston ordered the soldiers of the twentieth regiment to make camp near the international border, where American soldiers engaged snipers of Villa's army yesterday after the main forces had evacuated Nogales, Sonora. He also confirmed reports that the seventh regiment would reach here from Douglas later in the day.

Mexicans Seek Safety Villa currency left in the town was confiscated by General Obregon's soldiers and burned in the streets.

Army officers guarding Mexican soldiers who had escaped across the border were said to have been surprised this morning to find that their prisoners had nearly doubled during the night. It was believed that many Mexicans who had secreted themselves in the brush near the boundary line slipped across into American territory after nightfall and made their way to the detention camp for refuge.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The official report to the war department on the Nogales affair received today from Major General Funston, transmitting the substance of a report from the commanding officer at Nogales follows:

Carranzists Also Fled "In the action of November 26 no shots were fired by us, except in return of Mexican fire. This applies to both Villistas and the advance Carranza troops under Colonel Cardenas, who opened fire on the troops of the tenth company under Captain Valentine and Company L, twelfth infantry. The latter company had three casualties. Private Little, mortally wounded in head, died at 9 o'clock last night; Private Cates, flesh wound in abdomen; Private Sauppe, wounded in ankle. The two latter will recover."

Babson Accepts Mission CINCINNATI, Nov. 27.—Roger W. Babson, economist and lecturer, today wired Henry Ford that he accepted the invitation to take the trip to Europe in the interests of peace.

Mr. Babson attached the condition, however, that the party be made up only of men.

"The women have been to Europe in the peace cause. Now, let the men try. It is my opinion that woman is held in higher esteem and has more influence in America than in Europe," said Mr. Babson.

EX-SENATOR SMITH FAILS FOR MILLIONS

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 27.—The assets of James Smith, Jr., former United States senator from New Jersey, who placed his affairs in the hands of trustees a few weeks ago, total \$192,227, according to a schedule filed with the surrogate today. This is less than one tenth of the estimate of \$2,000,000 made in his behalf a week ago. His liabilities were estimated at that time at \$1,750,000.

"FINDING HERS" ON THE BATTLEFIELD OF MARNE



"Wherever possible," says Cartoonist Minor in a letter to the editor from the war zone in France, "burial parties on the battlefield put the name of the dead soldier on the simple little crosses they press into the soft earth of the newly filled grave. As I crossed the wide battlefield of the Marne, I saw many women—mothers, sisters, wives, sweethearts—passing from one cross to another, reading the names. In this picture this poor old mother had found her's and she stood there a sad and forlorn figure, weeping her soul out with dry eyes."

"YOU ARE EVER IN MY PRAYERS" SAYS KAISERIN



The empress of Germany is here shown talking to a group of soldiers.

ARMY DEFEATS NAVY IN ANNUAL GAME: SCORE 14-0

POLO GROUNDS, N. Y., Nov. 27.—West Point defeated Annapolis at football on the polo grounds today by the score of 14 to 0, giving the soldiers their third successive victory over the sailors. Oliphant, the former Purdue university star, was the hero of the battle. He scored all of the cadets' points, two touchdowns and two goals. The game, while not brilliant, was desperately fought, as Army and Navy contests always are.

The cadets made their first touchdown early in the first period after the navy had made a disastrous fumble. The other West Point score came in the third period, when the marvelous Oliphant smashed his way through the whole Navy team for the score.

MAN WHO IMPLICATED MISS CAVELL A SUICIDE

LONDON, Nov. 27.—A message from Brussels forwarded from the Hague by the Exchange Telegraph company correspondent says the French soldier whose confession to the German authorities resulted in the arrest and execution of Miss Edith Cavell has committed suicide by hanging in the military prison there.

GIANT MUNITION PLANTS BUILT ALONG SCOTTISH COAST

GLASGOW, Nov. 27 (correspondence of the Associated Press.)—It might be assumed that to expand more than twofold the great shipbuilding plants on the Clyde, so far as employees and output is concerned, would be all that is expected of this center in the way of munitions. But it is not all that the Scotsmen on the western coast are contributing, by any means, for here, as in other parts of the kingdom, new workshops are being erected for munitions and plants intended originally for other purposes are being turned into shell factories.

"Somewhere in Scotland," an Associated Press correspondent today visited a 200-acre filling plant which has grown up in a little more than a month like a magic city with its scores of separate structures. There are no less than eleven miles of trolley track to carry shells from place to place. The plant will be furnished soon and workers for it are now being trained elsewhere.

The plant is being erected by contractors who will make no profit and on a tour of munition plants much of that sort of thing is seen. Engineers of large experience and reputation and owners of big establishments "are doing their best" without a thought of personal gain.

In Glasgow, as elsewhere, the participation of women in the industry is apparent on every hand. Every foreman with whom the correspondent talked was enthusiastic about the application and efficiency of the women workers.

Opens Up Tobacco Traffic

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The American embassy at London cabled today that Great Britain has yielded to the American representations for the removal of all restrictions on the shipment of tobacco to neutral countries in neutral countries.

EXPORT FREIGHT GLUTS TRAFFIC AT NEW YORK

Blockade of Cars Along Eastern Railroads—Huge Shipments Abroad Turn Sidings Into Storage Warehouses—Lackawanna Refuses to Accept Export Freight.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad, whose lines are choked as far back as Scranton with loaded freight cars it cannot move, today instructed its agents to accept no more freight for export until further notice.

More than 6000 loaded cars from the west, all containing grain, feed, flour, copper and hundreds of other commodities, have virtually turned the terminals and sidings of the road into a storage warehouse for weeks. Some of the cars have been here for eighty days.

Glut on Every Road

Inquiry at other railroad offices developed that nearly every road with a terminus here is glutted with freight cars standing loaded and idle on sidings for hundreds of miles back along the line, and that other roads would follow the Lackawanna's lead shortly.

For months New York, mouth of the bottle through which pours the great bulk of America's export trade, has been clogged with freight in excess of the facilities of the steamship companies attempting to handle it.

The movement of the big cereal crops and the unprecedented demand in Europe for copper, steel and other metals used in warfare has swollen exports within the past sixty days to figures undreamed of before. In October alone exports to the value of approximately \$175,000,000 left New York on 393 ships.

Enormous Shipments

The temporary check to the incoming tide is for the purpose, it was said, of enabling the steamship companies to catch up in part with the traffic and to permit the railroads to clear their terminals and sidings. The Lackawanna's order says that shipments billed up to and including November 27 will be accepted.

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 27.—Enormous shipments of freight for export continue to go east from the Pittsburgh district, in spite of congested terminals at important Atlantic seaboard points, and in yards along the various railroads between here and New York. Railroad officials said today that every possible expedient was being used to handle the tremendous freight movement, even to the liberal expenditure of money for additional terminals.

CHICAGO PICKED AS CONVENTION CITY FOR G.O.P. IN 1916

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Hotel reservations for republican delegations from nine states have been made here, it became known today, in the anticipation that the 1916 republican national convention will be awarded to Chicago.

Senator John W. Weeks of Massachusetts reserved an entire floor for the Massachusetts delegation, also a suite for himself and a suite for W. Murray Crane, former United States senator, New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio, Indiana, Minnesota and Iowa are among the states for which reservations have been made.

Individual reservations included the names of former Vice-President Charles W. Fairbanks, James F. Goodrich of Indiana, Myron T. Herrick of Ohio, Congressman James H. Mann of Illinois, members of the Indiana state central committee and Joseph B. Keating and David Mulvane, who were identified with former President Taft's campaign.

Republican national committee will meet in Washington on December 14 to decide where the party's convention will be held.