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## RUSSIAN AIRMEN DROP BOMBS INTO CONSTANTINOPLE

SHELLING OF BOSPHORUS IN RE-NEWED

While Muscovite Naval Forces Are Hammering Their Way to Reach the Turkish Capital, Aviation Drop Bombs in Residential Part of the City—These Activities Carried Toward Sultan's Palace.

United Press Service

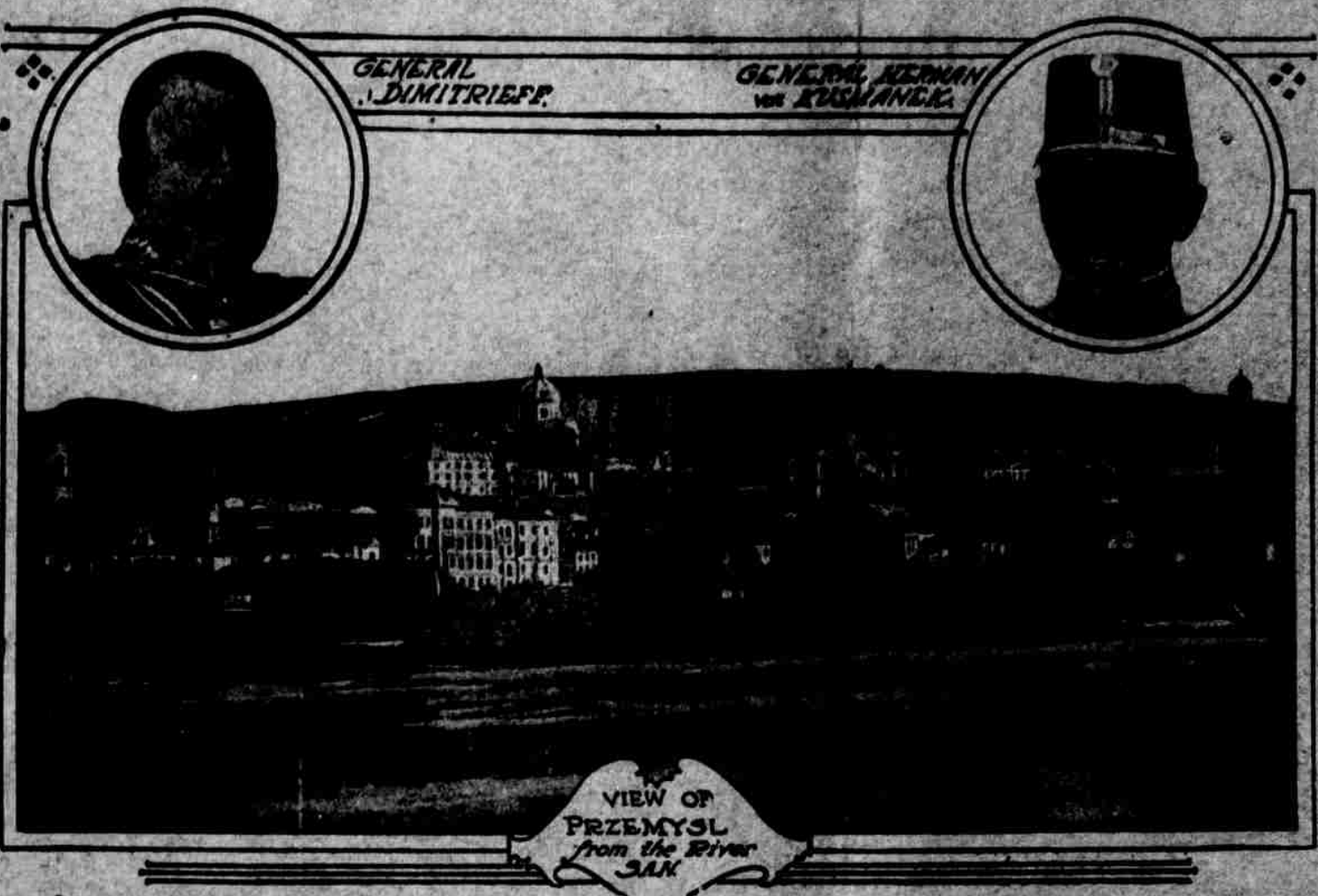
LONDON, March 28.—The war of battle guns is shaking Constantinople.

Russian shells are falling within twelve miles of the sultan's palace.

For the first time in the history of the Mohammedan capital, it is being bombarded from the air. Russian aviators severely bombed Pera, a residential section of the capital. Part of the population has fled to the interior.

Dispatches from Petrograd and from the Balkan countries state that the Russian fleet is again shelling the Turkish forts defending the Bosphorus. The bombardment was resumed last evening.

## Premysl, Taken by the Russians After a Siege of Five Months, and the Opposing Commanders



GENERAL DIMITRIEFF, Russian Commander of Besiegers

GENERAL HERMANN VON KUSMANEK, Austrian Commander of Przemysl Fortress.

The siege of the great Austrian fortress of Przemysl (pronounced Pah-yeh-mish-1), which was taken by the Russians after an attack starting last September, will rank in history with the siege of Port Arthur. The Russians have been reported several times as having captured it. They have invested the city for the last

few months, and Austrian armies have been unable to dislodge them. When the siege began there were some 60,000 or 80,000 troops within, but many of them have been lost through the fighting and by the course of disease, which must have been as damaging as the shells of the Russians. The siege has been bitter and re-

lentless, never relaxing a day since the Russians invested the city. Several attempts of the Austrians to raise the siege have failed. With the fall of Przemysl the only important fortified town in Galicia, which is still in the hands of the Austrians in Cracow, in northwestern Galicia, close to the German border. In the early days of the war the

Russian offensive campaign, as outlined unofficially, contemplated the invasion of Germany through East Prussia on the north and simultaneously into Silesia from Galicia. The Russians succeeded in penetrating Galicia, but the success of the Austrians in holding Przemysl and Cracow blocked attempts to invade Germany across the Silesian border.

## RATE HEARING DATE IS FIXED

STATE RAILROAD COMMISSION WILL INVESTIGATE CHARGES AS TO WATER AND LIGHT RATES NEXT MONTH

According to an announcement made by the state railroad commission, hearings of charges made against the rates charged by the California-Oregon Power company in Grants Pass, Medford and Klamath Falls will begin at Grants Pass. The other two hearings will follow in order. The charges made here were preferred through city officials. It is charged that the light and power rates are excessive, that the meter deposits are unjust, and that the rates charged for water are too high.

Summons East by Illinois. Miss Ruth Saucerman, instructor of music at the Klamath County High School, left this morning for Freeport, Ill., in response to a telegram stating that her father is in a very critical condition.

Copenhagen compels all taxicabs to be ventilated after each trip.

The sun gives 600 times the light that a full moon does.

Milwaukee rye bread is shipped to all parts of the United States.

## OKUMA STILL IN; TROUBLE IN AIR

U. S. HAS REASON TO EXPECT REVIVAL OF INTERNATIONAL QUESTION WITH JAPAN THIS SPRING AND SUMMER

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., March 29.—With Count Okuma endorsed by the people of Japan at the recent election, the Far Eastern situation has become a real problem to be solved by the United States.

Count Okuma has led the fight for militarism, and the American officials realize that the triumph of this faction will complicate matters, rather than straighten them. It is expected that parliament will be assembled within a fortnight by Emperor Yoshihito.

Officials believe that it is the intention of Japan to re-open the California land problem. This is despite the statements of Japan to American representatives a fortnight ago that she would not make additional demands to further interfere with the "open door" policy in China.

The purpose of reviving the question, it is believed, is to give Japan something to trade on as the negotiations progress.

What, Ho! Ye Fans! The Palm Cigar store has made arrangements to receive telegraphic results from the games of the Coast League each day. These results will be announced on the bulletin board at the resort.

When she is not studying a sketch or a new song, Grace Tyson, the actress, passes her time cutting canoes.

Miss Esther Cleveland, daughter of the late President Cleveland, is taking up a course in nursing.

## HARVESTER TRUST IS SEED TODAY BY U. S.

United Press Service. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 29.—Attorney General Gregory filed his brief in the Harvester trust case with the Supreme court today, probably reflecting the administration's views. This states that practically no limitation can be placed on any industrial institution's growth within itself. The International Harvester company, however, it is held, is not the result of the normal growth of a single business, but the combination of able competitors controlling an overwhelming proportion of the trade, and extinguishing rivalry.

## FORMER KLAMATH YOUTH DERANGED

AUGUSTUS T. BONNEY, WHO GRADUATED HIGH SCHOOL A NEW YEARS AGO, IS IN DERANGED CONDITION UP NORTH

According to a letter received by Captain O. C. Applegate from Rev. W. H. Applegate at Ellish, Wash., Augustus T. Bonney, a former Klamath resident, is now in charge of the authorities at North Yakima, apparently suffering from mental aberrations. The clergyman wrote here for facts concerning the unfortunate, who stated that he lived here, and that he knew Captain Applegate, and in an effort to get into touch with the young man's relatives.

Bonney attended Klamath County High School, graduating seven or eight years ago. Shortly afterwards his family moved to Arizona, where his father, J. P. Bonney, who practiced law here, died. Nothing more regarding the family was heard here until the letter was received by Captain Applegate.

Northwestern Holds Track Meet CHICAGO, March 28.—Crack athletes from all over the Middle West will compete here tonight in the annual indoor track meet of Northwestern University at Evanston. The meet will close tomorrow.

Home From Trip. A. J. Lyle of the Blackburn hospital, returned Saturday night from a business trip to Portland.

The honey product of Lyle, has been lowered by one cent a gallon ten years by the tax raising.

## CORNELL BODY FOUND IN LAKE

WAS PICKED UP WHILE FLOATING YESTERDAY—WAS BURIED LAST NIGHT—SEAS TO HAVE SERVICE TOMORROW

After taking the life of George Cornell late in the afternoon of March 28th, the waters of Link River gave up the body yesterday. The corpse was discovered floating in the current in Lake Ewauna by Frank White and J. H. Williams, two newcomers, who were out for a ride in one of the Telford launches.

The gruesome find was made half a mile below the bridge. White and Williams tied a rope to the body, dragged it ashore, and sent for Coroner Whitlock, who took the remains in charge.

Coroner Whitlock is certain that the body has been lodged in the rapids above the bridge, becoming liberated either Saturday night or Sunday morning. While the body was decomposed, decomposition had not reached the stage it would have had the body been in a still pool.

The fact that the body was found in the current is another indication of this. The shirt sleeves and the necktie on the corpse were frayed on the edges as though whipped by rushing water, which is a still further point in Mr. Whitlock's theory.

The body was buried last night. Tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, Klamath Falls Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, will hold a memorial service in Cornell's honor in the judge hall, after which those attending will visit the cemetery to decorate the grave. Intimate friends of the deceased are invited.

Cornell was 22 years of age, and has been employed as captain of the steamer Klamath. On the afternoon of March 28th he left the Linnean boat house on the Upper Lake in a canoe, stating his intention of paddling to the reclamation service headquarters, and walking to town from there. Either by design or by force of the current, his canoe was carried over the treacherous Link River rapids, with death for Cornell's fate.

"Simplified" Spelling. United Press Service. BOSTON, March 29.—Although Boston is famed for the education it dispenses in its schools, a youngster in a grammar grade used unadorned "simplified" spelling in his geography paper the other day and received the highest marking in his class. "Tourap" was his way of spelling Europe. Outside of this little spelling Europe, outside of this little spelling-up his answers were all correct.

New Jersey Counts Head. United Press Service. TRENTON, March 29.—Under the direction of Frank D. Scholtz, a prominent newspaperman of this city, who is to have charge of the work of the state of New Jersey is preparing to take his half-decade census. The work will begin early in June, and is to be performed by over a thousand enumerators and clerical supervisors. A large increase in the official population of the state is expected to result from the census.

by PHIL RADEK (Written for the United Press)

(Copyright, 1915, By United Press) Many a young soldier at a crack, and all in all, the most successful of the boys in the trenches. The Germans are masters of new tricks, and it is not surprising that they should have kept passing around their hand grenades. Only forty-five feet from the trench, they would put it down out of the trench, and then at the mercy of the great American ball players. The hand grenades are about the size of a baseball, and it weighs only a few ounces more. It has two long handles, one of which can be held with a finger and thumb, and the other with the hand. To throw an explosion, a man has to hold the handles with both hands, and then pull the handles apart. The explosion is caused by the friction of the handles against each other.

## MEXICAN CANNON MENACING U. S. LIVES, PROPERTY

AMERICAN TROOPS BEHOLD THE SCENE

Warring Factions Are Warned Not to Injure Brownsville, but It is Admitted That if Big Guns Are Used They Are Inevitable—Troops Also are Expected to Keep Barriers From United States Side.

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 29.—General Funston today reported to the war department that both the Villa and Carranzista are ready to begin an artillery fight at Brownsville, across the line from Brownsville, Texas. They have been warned not to allow shells to fall in Texas, but Funston says this is impossible to stop if the big guns are used.

Three batteries of artillery have been ordered to Brownsville. The condition is admitted as quiet.

The Villa troops have 100 600 and machine guns along the river. Carranza's forces have fifteen 600 pound and thirty machine guns, besides the attack.

The American troops on the border have urged Villa to attack from the West, thus protecting Brownsville.

The war department has been in communication with Carranza on the border, following Carranza's demand that Carranza's forces be withdrawn from the border, thus eliminating largely the danger to Americans from scattered shots. It was after Villa was beaten in the small arms skirmish yesterday that he ordered up his artillery.

## HERE IS A DESCRIPTION OF THE CITY WHICH IS NOW SHAKING TO THE ROAR OF ATTACKING CANNON

United Press Service. CONSTANTINOPLE, March 28.—(By mail to New York)—Besieged more than 30 times, Constantinople had withstood all but three attacks before the time when the powerful ships of the allied fleets began their bombardment of the Dardanelles. The strategic position of the city, at the meeting place of two continents, has exposed it to attacks since Constantine, Roman emperor in A. D. 330, founded it as his capital on the Bosphorus, around ancient Byzantium as a nucleus. Center of the Eastern Roman empire, it became gradually the refuge of Christianity in the East as the Mohammedans took Antioch and Alexandria and slowly drew Islam to the capital.

Exposed to the attacks of the Arabs, Bulgars, Venetians and the Latin power of Western Europe, and finally the Turks, Constantinople's strong fortifications were maintained by three thousand men in 1520, and taken again in 1520, and by Mohammed II, after a memorable close

on May 29, 1453. Play after play for the city was made on the check-board of European politics, and, in 1878, Russian armies advanced to the fortress of the city, but it was saved through the machinations of European diplomatic jealousy—England refusing to permit Slav aggression against the Sultan. From the day that the Russian army withdrew from its position, the Constantinople government devoted its efforts to a steady, constant policy of fortification. The most modern war machinery, including the heaviest guns and the most sturdy fortifications, were placed at the Dardanelles entrance and at strategic points along the Sea of Marmara, the Bosphorus and the Golden Horn. The passage of the Bosphorus Strait through the Dardanelles has been considered impossible. Geographically, its attack from the west seemed impossible, even by the heaviest guns of modern Great Britain. The impending circumstances of its

## HEAVY DAMAGES ASKED IN COURTS

WIDOW OF MAN KILLED BY ELEVATOR A YEAR AGO DEMANDS REPARATION FROM FARMERS SUPPLY HOUSE

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Jameson recently recovered from \$300,000 to \$500,000, and is now under the United States.