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### ROUMANIA NAMES HER FIGHTING CONDITIONS

tria as Soon as Allies Concentrate 500,000 Men in Balkans, Says Report.

ATTITUDE IS GIVEN CONCERN TO TEUTONS

Situation Is Balanced by Allies' Uneasiness Over Greece's Refusal to Accede to Entente Demands.

London, Dec. 1 .- Roumania will deliver an ultimatum to Austria as soon as the entente allies have concentrated 500,000 men in the Balkans, says a rein a Central News dispatch.

London, Dec. 1.—The Balkan both the military land diplomatic situation in Europe. Roumania's attitude apparently is causing the central powers great uneasiness, while the re fusal of Greece to limit her military efficiency is of equal concern to the allies. Roumania is presence in the Balkans of preforces before dispatching an ultimatum to Austria, and German military critics, according to dispatches reaching London, take their daughter home. The min- ply. are expressing considerable dissatisfaction with conditions in military and diplomatic difficulties for the central powers despite the brilliant successes of Field Marshal von Mackensen in Serbia.

Austria is opposed to the possiconnection was responsible for society, which was taken with a large court. the German emperor's visit to Vienna recently.

had arranged to turn the city war. Referring to the condition of affairs forces; but later dispatches

has been comparative quiet. that quarter." Russians are reported to have lenses whenever a forward ences at the capitals of the countries he visited.

movement is deemed expedient. Vienna reports that the talians seem determined to capture Gorizia, but progress is exceedingly slow.

### Will Send Ultimatum to Aus. Senate Democrats Again Consider Cloture Rule

Washington, Dec. 1. Senate demo-| Olthough Senator Owen expressed crats today wrestled further with the the belief that the cloture rule would problem of cloture when they resumed their caucus, and at the same crats on the ground that the questime the democrats of the house ways tion should not be made a party issue and means committee continued to and that the senate should not bind work on their task of readjusting itself with restrictions similar to ommittees because of the enlarged those in the house.

republican minority. committee submitted his report recished by Friday. The work must be ommending a modified form of clo- done in time for the house democratic ture rule for limiting debate.

be approved, opposition wa consid-

Although the house The senate caucus proceedings gave means committee had not half comromisle of being enlivened, when pleted its work, Chairman Kitchin Chairman Owen of the special rules said that he expected it would be fincaucus on Saturday night.

#### Fourteen Dead Miners Discovered After Blast

Boomer, West, Va., Dec. 1.-The underground, and though still alive Zeitung of Vienna.

odles of 14 miners who lost their were in a critical condition. They port from Bucharest contained lives in the Boomer Coal and Coke were hurriedly taken to the hospital. company's mine by the explosion of a Other parties who had been searchblow-out shot, which yesterday imper- ing the mine working throughout the iled the lives of 300 men, were brought night came out with reports that they to the surface today and taken to the had been unable to locate any of the ter of finance.

temporary morgue nearby. Soon affive of six miners still missing, and The acceptance temporary morgue nearby. Soon af- five of six miners still missing, and states continue to dominate terward rescuers appeared with five their places were taken by fresh volunother miners who had been buried far teers.

#### Hendersonville Couple Under Arrest In Penn.

company with Lola Leverette, a 16 year old girl, with who he had eloped who took action, ponderant entente military rrom Hendersonville, N. C. Tulounes looks to be about 19 years of age, will

Chester, Penn., Dec. 1 .- Andrews a letter from a minister in Hendersaid to be only awaiting the Tulounes was arrested yesterday in sonville, requesting him to investigate the case, and th communication was turned over to Chief of Police Vance

The couple, it is alleged, have been is 30 years old and will be held under living here as husband and wife. the Mann white slave act. It is ex- After they had arrested Hulounes, the pected the parents of the girl, who girl told the chief that they had sent a letter to her father asking consent come here to prosecute the man and to their marriage but received no re-

#### the Balkans, predicting both Dr. R. S. Carroll Expelled From Medical Society

society at a meeting Monday night, bility of Bulgarian domination

Dr. Robert S. Carroll, proprietor of tarding certain phases of the case.

Highland hospital of Zillicoa street. It is understood that the charges

Moreover, it is reported that bers of the Buncombe County Medical unanimous. Before the final action Brigade against the Turks on the Nek was taken, it is stated that several in which the best part of three Ausmembers of the society made talks re-

of the Balkan states and it is against whom charges of immorality against Dr. Carroll in the society wer suggested that the desire to were preferred some time ago, was ex- preferred by his wife, Mrs. Lydia, who forestall any friction in this pelled from the society. recently secured a divorce from him on statutory charges, in Superior

newspapers that he had said Great Greece steadfastly refuses to Britain was on the point of bankconcede to the entente powers' ruptcy, Mr. Law said the rountry was demands for unrestricted use not pretend that it would go on inof the Greek port of Saloniki definitely on the present scale. But as a base and furthermore de- the wealth of Great Britain, he added, clines to remove her army from she could bear the strain for a far Dispatch Says Earl Wanted longer period than her enemies.

Speaking of the great armies which Except for the capture of Great Britain had raised, Mr. Law Prisrend by the Bulgarians said the number of men killed or remains, notwithstanding defin- fold greater than the entire expediwounded up to the present was three ite reports that neutral consuls tionary force at the outbreak of the

over to the Bulgarians after the in the near east, the colonial secre-

stated that telegraphic com- either the western or eastern thea-

On the eastern front there of invasion will not arise again in safe passage for the French and Brit- GOV. BEEKMAN DECLINES

Kitchener to See Colleagues. London, Dec. 1.—Earl Kitchener been greatly strengthened will meet his colleagues in the war the sympathy which Greece feels for along the Riga line, and to be council of the cabinet on Thursday.

Earl Kitchener, considering the imbued with confidence that At that time he will convey to them

lipoli front is described in a press dispatch from Alexandria. No announce-ment had been made in advance, except to members of the staff, but news their dugouts, tumbling over one an-other in their haste to reach the

Bonar Law Confident.

London, Dec. 1.—Andrew Bonar
Law, secretary for the colonies presiding last night at the St. Andrews'
day banquet, declared that he felt
more hopeful as to the outcome of the
war than he had for months past.

Besides to the soldiers of King George's appreciation of their services saying they
war than he had for months past.

Besides to reach the
beach.
United American Mechanics will hold
an ejection of officers on Thursday
evening, December 2, at the council
had lone even better than had been
will follow the election. A smoker
and refreshments will be enjoyed.

### KITCHENER AND COCHIN DISAGREE OVER POLICY

Greece to Enter War For Allies

opinion arose when Field Marshall bottom of it." withdrawal of the Serbian tary said it was no better than could be gathered from the newspapers.

Kitchener, British war minister, and be gathered from the newspapers.

Denys Cochin, French minister with-He expressed the opinion that out portfolio, met in Athens, says the some of them weak, with every officer there was nothing further to feat in overseas News agency. Press diseither the western or eastern theapatches from Athens by way of Budmunication was still maintain-and indication that the place "In Flanders we are now able not apest, given out by the agency, assert ed, indicating that the place only to fire shell, but two that Earl Kitchener desired that known it was death—the third line years. Kansas was the picner, but end of the war. He has been information had not been entirely evacunted.

On the content of the shell for shell, but two that Earl Kitchener desired that known it was death—the third line years. Kansas was the picneer, but end of the war. He has been informmust have known it. And they died only to fire shell for shell, but two that Earl Kitchener desired that known it was death—the third line years. Kansas was the picneer, but end of the war. He has been informmust have known it. And they died only to fire shell for shell, but two that Earl Kitchener desired that known it was death—the third line years. Kansas was the picneer, but end of the war. He has been informmust have known it. And they died only to fire shell for shell, but two that Earl Kitchener desired that the war with the allies, whereas M. Cochin merely asked for the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have who visits him will be dismissed from the content of the entire number have a content of the entire number have a content of the entire number have a content o ish forces which might have to re

This explains, the agency says, why Premier Skouloudis of Greece dwelt on

game lost went to Italy to request asthey can shatter the German de- various battle fronts and his confer- sistance for the British in Egypt, peace commission to Europe. which now seems to be the only country which interests England since The visit of War Secretary Kitch-ener to the Ansac region of the Gal-cludes.

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French broad council, Junior Order

# TS IN AFTER POSTOFFICE WATSON MAKES

Austrian Minister of Interior, Commerce and Finance, Present Their Resignation to to Francis Joseph.

SUCCESSORS ALREAD HAVE BEEN APPCINTED derstood, promised that the office

Resignations of Retiring Ministers Accepted Provided They Will Still Assist Their Government.

autograph letter from Emperor Francis Joseph published in the Wiener The emperor has Heinold D'Udynski, minister of the interior; Dr. Rudolf Schuster von Bonnott, minister of commerce; and Baron Engel Von Mainfeldon, minis-

was qualified with the proviso that the services of the retiring ministers were to be available is required.

Dr. Heinold and Dr. Engel have been appointed members of the upper house, while the rank of freiherr is conferred on Von Bonnott, Prince Hohenlohe Schilling Fuerst, president of the Supreme court has been ap-pointed as minister of the interior. Ritter Von Leth, governor of the postal savings banks, is named minister of finance. Herr Von Spitzminller, ister of a local Baptist church received director of the Kredit Anstalt, becomes minister of commerce.

hardy Deed, Recalls the Light Brigade at Balaklava.

fresh details regarding the famous charge of the Australian Light Horse participated only one man returned alive, have just reacher Editish headquarters through

They received a special complimen- department of the interior. tary order from their general and sev-

long period of bombardment. "As experience of forty-seven others. A soon as the bombardment stopped," law passed in one extreme of the said the Terkish prisoner, "the Eng-country today is copied next month lish (the Turks call all the British or next year by a state 2,000 or 3,000 Spanish Pretender Under Artroops, whether home or Colonial, by lailes distant." the name English) leaped over their parapet and charged down upon us. gal provision regarding the school They came on very well. As soon as site, according to the bulletin. Nearly

### MR. FORD'S INVITATION

Providence, R. L. Dec. 1 .- Governor Beeckman announced Earl Kitchener, considering the that he had declined Henry Ford's invitation to accompany his proposed

> THE LARGEST Advertisements appearing in The Gazette-News today are those of THE ASHEVILLE POWER & LIGHT CO.

and THE ELECTRICAL INTERESTS OF

ASHEVILLE calling attention to things Elec-

Congressman Britt Requests Postoffice Department to Establish New Office.

Washington, Dec. 1.-Representaay requested the postrtment to establish a poste at West Asheville. Assistant ATTEMPTS TO SHOW Postmaster General Roper, it is un-

should be opened at an early date. Major Charles M. Stedman today urged Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge to establish the proposed Charges Prosecution With At. Detectives Discredit Reports citizens training camp which is to be located in North Carolina at Greensboro. The major said the Gate City offered unusual advantages in sites and railway facilities and told the department that a most suitable location could be secured. Mr. Breckenridge told the fifth district congressman that his request would be given serious consideration.

Upon his return to his office Major Stedman found a letter from Paul is the camp site.

The letters of Messrs. Schenck and orester will be presented to Mr. Overman took the matter of selecting ples and religious liberty. a camp site in North Carolina to the war department some months ago. It North Carolina cities will be selected was responsible for and the Gate City has an equal, if not ticles mentioned in better chance, than any of the others and whether or not they were ob-

mentioned. talked with Attorney General Gregory today with reference to the proposed removal of .C. C. Daniels, brother of the secretary of the navy, as special in Minnesota. As already stated in er any motive behind the prosecu-this correspondence the secretary's tion of there was one. brother has not given satisfactory service and unless a place of lesser importance can be found for Mr. Daniels he will not be retained in the service of the department of justice.

## Wonderfully Brave, Yet Fool- SANITATION RULES FOR

Legal Steps Taken to Safeguard Health of Children-Measures Increasing.

of the union have taken some legal same before them was whether or not The prisoner was able to state posi- action toward safeguarding the san- the language was obscene or othertively, what many Australians who itation of public school buildings ac- wise objectionable, witnessed the charge had suspected, cording to a bulletin on "Schoolnouse that during the attack the Turks lost Sanitation." just issued by the bureau of education of the United States

"Probably nine-tenths of the existeral medals and a good many prome-ing regulation of this sort has come within the past decade," declares the The Australians' charge followed a bulletin, "Each state profits by the

Thirty-eight states have some lethey appeared, every rifle in the place all of these provisions are state-wide opened upon them direct across the in their application, and are manda-Nek, and a machine gun with its cross tory in character. These provisions fire from the right swept them sheer include the proximity of "nuisances"

either a law or a regulation regard- the army.

fire and panic is found in thirty-six partisan an appeal to side with France states. Blanket regulations or the in the war, He was released on con-power to make such regulations, exist dition that he would leave the country, in twelve states. General or special construction with a view to fire prevention is dealt with in ten states. Thirteen of the states have something to say as to corridors and inner war, returned to London today from ports received here by General Obrestairways; twenty-four have regula- his trip to the near east. tions as to exits, and twenty-five as to exterior escapes; ten mention atarm 美麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗麗 and fire fighting apparatus; and eleven states provide by law or regulathe states, according to the bulletin, London, Dec. 1.—According to found wounded after the battle. Six have any legal word on ventilation. Latelegram from Bucharest, Rou- hundred were said to have surrender-Thirty cubic feet of fresh air per mania has notified Russia that ded south of Magdalena, while 200

almost model: others are wholly in-

He Used Words Alleged to Be Obscene Kept Them Out of That Class.

RELIGIOUS PREJUDICE

tempting to Protect Roman Catholic Church in Handling the Case.

Augusta, Ga., Dec. 1 .- Thomas E. Watson, on trial here in the federal though investigation into the cause of net have resigned is confirmed by an Schenck of the Guilford Battleground court on charges of sending obscene the disaster was started by officials autograph letter from Emperor Fran-association offering to let the govern-matter through the mails made his of the Du Pont Powder company immatter through the mails made his of the Du Pont Powder company imment have the use of this historic bat- final plea for acquittal, acting as his mediately after the explosion yesterefield if the camp is located at own counsel, arguing that the way in He also found a letter which he wed certain words called day which caused the loss of 31 lives from J. C. Forester, of the chamber obscene by the prosecution kept them and the serious injury of six persons of commerce, urging him to do what from being in that class, and drew in the upper Hagler yards of the he could to have Greensboro selected from the prosecution the denial that plant here, nothing tangible had been the government attorneys were pro-

Watson concluded his statement to Breckenridge tomorrow. The fact that the jurors by saying that in their the battlefield can be had is a decided hands rested the banner of demo-Senator cratic institutions, republican princi-

Previously on motion of the prose cution the court had ruled that the s practically certain that one of the only questions as to whether Watson was responsible for mailing the arscene were at issue,

On objection from the prosecution on Watson's line of argument in reference to other features Judge W. W. Lamdin again said that he had so ruled and would state in his charge attorney for the White Earth Indians to the jury that it was not to consid-

Watson returned to his home Thomson early in the night.

Shortly after 6 o'clock the jury ported that it was "irreconcilably apart" and had "made no progress. The jury had been two and a half hours at that time. Watson's case, closing arguments by both sides and by the judge's charge to the jury. The issue kept solely upon the grounds of Watson's responsibility for mailing the publications referred to in the indictment, and the question of whether or not the language used was obscene.

did not wish to avoid responsibility for which had been spilled in the yard malling the publications, and in his of the plant. charge Judge ambdin soinformed the Washington, Dec. 1.-Porty states Jury, instructing them that the sole

## DON JAIME ISAGAIN

rest Last Year Charged With French Partisan Activities.

Paris, Dec. 1.-The Journal says off the face of the earth. Three of availability of the site, and size of that Don Jaime of Bourbon, pretend- reported today to be worse. Surgeons them managed to reach our trench the site. Nineteen states have laws or to the Spanish throne, has again at the local hospital where he is be-Berlin, Dec. 1.—A difference of and fell dead over the parapet into the prohibiting the locations of school been arrested in Austria. According ing treated, announced that his left prohibiting arose when Field Marshall bottom of it."

The first time of the first time buildings within a specified distance to this account, Don Jaime, who had been amputated in an effort As for the men of the Light Horse from places where liquor is sold, from been living in Italy, requested per- to save his life. Brigade-after three months in the gambling houses, houses of prostitu- mission of Emperor Francis Joseph to trenches, with many of them sick and tion, and noisy or snoky factories. visit his estates at Frohsdorf, Austria. Shelby, another victim of the wreck Thirty of the states have sought it is said he was informed that he who has been critically ill, is reported ed from their trench and rushed on common drinking cup" says the bui- at Frohsdorf he was placed under ar-

Ing the drinking cups."

Don Jaime was arrested at FrohsSome form of protection against dorf last year for addressing to his

Kitchener Returns. Earl Kitchener, British secretary for has disappeared, according to re-

Accused Publisher Say. Way Investigators Have Made Little Progress in Determining Origin of Explosion at Du Pont Plant.

> COST THE LIVES OF THIRTY-ONE PEOPLE

That Teuton Employes Had Been Warned Not to Work for Company.

Wilmington. Del., Dec. 1.-Aldiscovered today.

Every employe of the company who was near the building destroyed was put through a thorough examination, but without any light being cast on the mystery.

Not one of the twenty-six men working in the "pellet" packing house escaped and now there is only a big hole where the building stood. The investigators admit there is little possibility of finding out where blame for the disaster. placed and company officials admit they are without a shred of evidence on which to base the hope that its

origin would ever be discovered. Reports that notices were found sailed to trees and fences along roads leading to the Du Pont plants at Upper Hagler and at Carney's Point warning employers of Teutonic origin at the plant that they would imperil their lives by continuing to work there, received the attention of big forces of detectives today. The ports were discredited by the investigators. After the reports had gained considerable circulation several days which begun Friday, went to the jury ago, company officials made a thorvesterday afternoon, the earlier part ough investigation and declared they of the day having been taken up in found nothing to substantiate them.

Men accustomed to travel the roads in the vicinity of the plants said they prosecution succeeded in having the had seen the notices but stated that they had remained in position only a

few hours at a time, The theory most widely credited is that the explosion was sparks made by a horseshoe striking a stone or metal, or by a small car Watson had stated in court that he running over some grains of powder

#### VICTIM OF WRECK IS IN SERIOUS CONDITION

ARRESTEDBY AUSTRIA Henry Talley Is Worse—Gardner Said to Be Much Improved

> Salisbury, Nov. 30,-The condition of Henry Talley, one of the most seriously injured people in the train wreck here Wednesday night, when two persons were killed and 22 wounded, was

to be considerably improved.

The condition of O. Max Gardner of

## AFTER DECISIVE DEFEATS

Nogales, Ariz., Dec. 1.-His forces defeated and scattered by the Carranza army of General Manuel Die-London, Nov. 39.-Field Marshal guez at Hermosillo, Francisco Villa gon, Carranza military chief. The reports are based apparently on statements of prisoners.

General Dieguez's victory at Hermo-Three hundred Villa solders were found wounded after the battle. Six pupil per minute is the conventional R she earnestly desires to remain R more gave up their arms yesterday at

amount specified.

In the matter of cleaning and disInfecting, slightly more than onefourth of the states have regulations & Russian warships will not be alwhich control conditions to any degree outside the districts themselves. & which, it is emphasized, has been to simple them are wholly in the same at the same are wholly in the same are sa at north of Hermosille