

NEAR EAST SITUATION AS BAD AS IT CAN BE SHORT OF ACTUAL WAR

STARTING OF FIRST GUN EXPECTED TO START WAR IN ALL BALKAN STATES

ENGLAND DOES NOT FEAR TURKS, BUT THE START RUSSIA TO TAKE

IF HOSTILITIES ARE DELAYED 24 HOURS DANGER BE OVER

Gen. Harrington On Way To Meet Kemal For a Conference As To Withdrawal

THIS MAY BE PEACE MOVE

Constantinople, Sept. 29.—(By Associated Press)—Brigadier General Sir Charles Harrington, commander-in-chief of the British forces in the Dardanelles area, plans to leave this afternoon for a conference with Mustafa Kemal Pasha, probably at Mudania, on the Sea of Marmora. The British are confident that if the next 24 hours passed without the firing of a shot at Chanak or other points along the Dardanelles all immediate danger of hostilities will have been avoided. This is the period of time estimated required for General Harrington's journey and interview with Mustafa Kemal.

The allied high commissioners have decided to dispatch a commission, composed of British, French and Italian officers, to Rodosto, Luleburgaz and Adrianople in Thrace in order to exercise a pacifying influence there.

French Troops Available According to the Exchange Telegraph part of the French troops, which were withdrawn from Chataldja and which have since been in Constantinople, will be used for the defense of the European shore of the Bosphorus. With their backs to the straits the British forces in Chanak now look out on three sides upon the forces of Mustafa Kemal Pasha.

British Confidence They Can Hold The British are confident they can hold their lines against any Kemalist attack as their flanks at Chanak are protected by a powerful fleet equipped with the long range guns of which can sweep the area around the town for a distance of twenty miles, while the Turks at present are equipped only with machine guns in this sector.

CLEVELAND LEGIONAIRES ARE TO VISIT ASHEVILLE Asheville, N. C., Sept. 29.—A special train bearing the Cleveland Legion convention at New Orleans will spend October 21 and 22 in Hendersonville and Asheville. Automobile tours and social events have been arranged in this city.

N. Y. DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION IS A DEADLOCK

Balotting For Governor Will Start Tonight, According To The Present Program

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 29.—The second day of the Democratic convention opened today with very little prospect of nomination before night. The platform will be read as soon as the session begins and it is then planned to adjourn until evening, when balloting will begin.

There were a few changes in the line-up last night. Hearst leaders insisted that former Governor Alfred E. Smith had withdrawn from the race, but he denied it. Then followed a closer deadlock, which carried over until this morning, when the leaders saw little hope of breaking it.

The resolutions committee and the program committee worked hard all night on their tasks and brought out completed reports just after midnight. A light wine and beer resolution was to be reported by the committee, it was learned, and will go before the convention for a vote tomorrow.

Fighting to place two women on the state ticket in the face of determined opposition and for official recognition on the state committee, Democratic women, pledging themselves to work for Smith, their one and only candidate for governor, brought to the attention of party leaders yesterday the names of Miss Harriett May Mills, of Syracuse, secretary of state and Mrs. Franklina D. Roosevelt, of Hyde Park, for comptroller.

The women's division elected officers at a meeting at the Democratic club yesterday and sprang a sensation-making resolution offered by Miss Mary Dickerman was adopted with cheers. This resolution read: "Our first, last and only candidate for governor is Alfred E. Smith, we will not consider a so-called compromise and we feel that Democratic success depends upon his nomination."

PERSHING'S AUTO IS EQUIPPED FOR RADIO

Washington, Sept. 29.—The mysterious appearance of a bright copper wire running around the top of General Pershing's automobile used by General Pershing set off a rumor here recently that the former chief of the American expeditionary forces had become a radio fan and listened in on concerts or other broadcasts being received in the car. The general's office today disclosed, however, that it was not John J. Warren Pershing, the general's young son, who equipped the motor car with the apparatus. He was aided in the project by the army sergeant who drives the general's car and the pair now are able to ride to music and occasionally induce the general himself to listen in.

PRESSMEN'S UNION ENDORSES LEAGUE

In Convention Adopts Resolution Favoring U. S. Joining The World Organization Pressmen Home, Tenn., Sept. 29.—Endorsement of the League of Nations was given today by the twenty-ninth biennial convention of the International Printing Pressmen and Assistants' Union of America by the adoption of the committee report.

STAGE ALL SET FOR MICHIGAN'S FALL CAMPAIGN

Promises to Be as Hard Fought As Was Ford-Newberry Affair Four Years Ago CANDIDATES ARE NAMED Democrats Claim They Have Best Outlook Since 1873, When That Party Last Elected a Senator From That State; One Woman On Democratic Ticket

Detroit, Sept. 25.—The conventions out of the way, all candidates designated, the issues drawn, the stage has been set today for the beginning of a political campaign that promises to equal in interest that of 1918 which was enlivened by the Ford-Newberry senatorial race.

Both major parties were squared away for the battle when the Democrats closed their biennial convention at Bay City yesterday. Against the confidence of the Republicans, inspired by party success and the leadership of Charles E. Townsend and Governor Alexander J. Groesbeck, who are seeking reelection, is the Democratic determination to wage a militant campaign for the election of Woodbridge N. Ferris, former governor, to the Senate and to place in office the Democratic State candidates.

Democratic leaders declare there is more promise of success in the senatorial race in November than since 1873, when their party last elected a senator from Michigan. Senator Townsend plans to launch an intensive campaign within the next few days, while Mr. Ferris, who was unopposed in the primary for the Democratic nomination, already has completed several speaking tours.

Henry Ford, it was indicated, may be endorsed for president by the Democrats at the coming convention. His friends yesterday contented themselves with commending his recent "industrial strike" against coal prices.

As in 1918, when the Democrats endorsed Mr. Ford as an independent, they went out of their party yesterday to endorse O. B. Fuller, the Republican auditor general, for another term. The resolution naming Mr. Fuller declared that he was "reluctantly renominated" by the Republicans at their State convention.

BODY MRS. MILLS EXHUMED TODAY

Not Only Was Choir Leader Shot, But Her Throat Had Been Cut, It Is Now Found New Brunswick, Sept. 29.—An autopsy performed today on the exhumed body of Mrs. Eleanor Reinhardt Mills, choir leader murdered two weeks ago with her pastor, the Rev. Edward Hall, revealed, in addition to three bullet wounds in the head, that her throat had been cut and the jugular vein and windpipe severed.

BAPTIST MINISTERS TO TAKE BIG DEER HUNT

Monroe, La., Sept. 29.—Ministers and other leaders of Baptist churches in the South are planning an old-time deer hunt in the wilds of Tennessee Madison and other big game parishes, according to an announcement by the Rev. Frank Tripp, Baptist pastor here. The pastors will leave in about 30 days and remain two weeks.

NEW KING OF GREECE



TWIN-CITY EXHIBIT PREDOMINATES AT CAROLINA'S SHOW

Big Crowd to Visit Exposition Next Week Feel at Home Urgent Request Made That All Who Attend On Winston-Salem Day Go By Train To Make Good Showing Local Man, Just Back From Show, Tells Of Local Exhibits; Says Others Have Good Opns. But Those Of Twin-City Manufacturers Stand Out Most Prominent

On October 6 Winston-Salem expects to send a great train load of people to Charlotte for the Carolina exposition. There is being manifested the greatest interest in the event, for that is the day set aside as "Winston-Salem Day," and on that day should go aboard the special train, which will leave the passenger station at 7 o'clock, via Mocksville and Barber's, and return with the party that night.

The sentiment is that every Winston-Salem citizen, young and old, who makes the trip to Charlotte, on that day should go aboard the special train, which will leave the passenger station at 7 o'clock, via Mocksville and Barber's, and return with the party that night.

Every citizen is proud of his city, and when a boost is to be given by the community all who participate should adhere strictly to the program outlined by the committee, commented one citizen. "I hope every one who attends the exhibition on that day will make the trip on that train as automobile transportation will serve to reduce much of the force of the plane because of the restricted condition of the group thereby."

CABARRUS COUNTY DAY AT BIG SHOW

Charlotte, Sept. 29.—After listening yesterday to Mrs. Edith Vanderbilt's plea for statewide co-operation in making the annual State Fair at Raleigh a greater success than ever this year, Charlotte turned out today to welcome the neighboring people of Cabarrus county, who came to aid in observing "Cabarrus County Day" at the Made-in-Carolina Exposition.

COMMITTEE OF ARMY AND NAVY IS TODAY GOVERNING GREECE

Torso Found in Ruins Of Burned Garage Is That of Stolen Body St. Louis, Sept. 29.—(By The Associated Press)—Developments in the case of Harry Brenn, whose garage burned down last Tuesday and in the debris of which was found a charred torso, at first believed to be that of Brenn, but later identified as that of Miss Celeste Schneider, whose body was stolen from its grave in Mount Hope cemetery Sunday evening, today settled down to a wide-spread search for Brenn, who has been missing since Monday evening.

The police have notified life insurance companies in which Brenn had policies totaling \$15,000, not to make any settlement with Mrs. Brenn, who is held in connection with the case.

Mrs. Brenn, who was married to Brenn while he was in the American army in Germany, is reported by police to have been disoriented in America and was planning to return to Germany with her husband as soon as they could accumulate sufficient money. She is mourning her husband as dead, believing that he perished in the fire.

DECISION AGAINST BANKER STILLMAN

Referee's Report, Made Today, Is Complete Vindication Of Mrs. Stillman Carmel, N. Y., Sept. 29.—(By Associated Press)—James A. Stillman, former president of the National City Bank of New York, was denied a decree in his suit for absolute divorce against his wife, Anne U. Stillman, and Baby Guy Stillman was declared legitimate in the findings of Daniel G. Gleason, referee in the case.

The referee's decision was a complete victory for Mrs. Stillman. Not only was her defense upheld, but the referee also confirmed her charge that Mr. Stillman had misappropriated himself with Florence H. Leeds, former Broadway show girl, and that Mrs. Leeds had borne two children.

In regard to Mrs. Stillman's charge that her banker husband had also misappropriated himself with two other women, identified only as "Helen and Clara," Referee Gleason decided that the evidence was not sufficient to prove the allegations.

The referee wrote that the testimony adduced by Mrs. Stillman in support of his charges, that Mrs. Stillman misappropriated herself with Fred Beauvais, part Indian guide, alleged by the banker to be the father of the Guy Stillman, was contradicted and unexplained, was sufficient to justify him (Stillman) in believing Mrs. Stillman guilty of the charges made against her.

Mrs. Edith Vanderbilt's Speech At Charlotte Thursday Made a Big Hit With Crowds

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PRINCE GEORGE IS ON THRONE BUT ONLY FIGUREHEAD

Triumvirate, Composed of Gonatas, Plasteiras and Phokas, The Actual Directors ATHENS IS VERY QUIET No Disorders Anywhere; Deposed King Constantine, Queen Sophia and Brothers of Late King Reported Leaving Athens Today, But Destination Unknown

Paris, Sept. 28.—(By The Associated Press)—Former Premier Venizelos received the following telegram here today: "The revolutionary committee expresses its entire confidence in you in charging you with the defense of the national cause, and solicits your immediate co-operation."

Athens, Sept. 28.—(By The Associated Press)—Crown Prince George Constantine of Greece, pending the formation of a new ministry, is being governed by twelve officers representing the army and navy. An executive committee, a triumvirate composed of Colonels Gonatas and Plasteiras for the army, and Captain Phokas, for the navy, is in actual direction of the new regime. Athens continues quiet, perfect order being maintained everywhere.

The nationalist movement, as it is called, is absolutely nonpartisan, according to an announcement by the executive committee. It is probable that a military cabinet will be formed, but the revolutionary committee will continue its surveillance of this provisional government until elections can be held and the organization effected or a permanent government founded on the wishes of the people.

The British minister to Greece, Francis O. Lindly, has asked to be received by the executive committee. It is reported that the king, Constantine, former Queen Sophia and Constantine's brothers, Prince Nicholas and Prince Andrews, are to leave Athens today, but their destination has not been learned.

Prince Paul, younger son of Constantine, probably will remain in Germany. Venizelos still in Paris Paris, Sept. 29.—Former Premier Venizelos, of Greece, returned to Paris from Deauville today and immediately entered into conference with friends and political associates, who gathered at his hotel.

The conference, it is understood, will consider whether M. Venizelos will reply to the Athens revolutionary committee's invitation to represent Greece at the peace conference and in the allied capital.

Paris, Sept. 29.—(By The Associated Press)—Ex-King Constantine has been held prisoner in Athens pending arrangements for sending him out of the country, according to messages received in Paris today. (An Athens message this morning said the ex-king was not a prisoner.)

JAPS HAVE WITHDRAWN FROM SAKHALIEN ISLE

Tokio, Sept. 29.—(By The Associated Press)—Japanese evacuation of the Siberian mainland, opposite the island of Sakhalien, has been completed and civil administration of that territory has been withdrawn, it was announced officially here today.

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