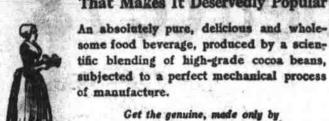
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Treaties Have Been Regarded as Detriment to New Government.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.-The New York Sun publishes an article written by a special correspondent of the Sun. who returned recently from the near east, where he made a close study of political and economic conditions. The article says:

"The abrogation of the special rights of foreigners is one of the plans of reform that the new regime in Turkey has been endeavoring to erect ever since the arbitrary rule of educational system being improved Abdul Hamid was replaced by a constitutional government. These special rights have been looked upon by the young Turks, especially the more advanced wing of the party, as restraints that made the carrying out of any new scheme of internal government impossible. That they should selze as opportune for the step the moment when most of Europe is at that modern Turkey finds the extra war is not unnatural and to those who have followed the course of events expected.

Union and Progress, or Young Turk with the matter of trials and of eduparty, who are to a great extent the and have been educated at Christian institutions in Turkey or in Europe, have from the first endeavored to have been so instrumental in dictating Turks have been graduated from garding this party's warlike attitude lege, while today many of the pupils may be traced to its desire to make Turkey a land of the Turks. That of men in high position in the-Otto- Poland, a distance of seventy-four the leaders have been unable to accomplish this has been due to the heavy indebtedness to other countries has existed more than fifty years. and the inability to act independently in the collection of taxes. Enver more strenuous times than the pres-Pasha in discussing this phase of the situation a short time ago said that it was a great mistake to consider the reason to believe that they are now Ottoman empire as under the dominion of Germany, England or any

"'We have German officers for our army because their methods of drilling and discipline seem best to suit the requirements of our troops,' he 'At the same time we have our navy under training by English naval officers. Turkey's strength as a nation will depend not upon a Germanic Turkey that meets all the needs of are aiming to give all the people fair No Hatred of Christians.

There is no reason to believe that the Mohammedan population has any great animosity against the Christians living among them, and I am sure that so far as the government itself is concerned there is no untoward discrimination against them. What we ask for is peace that we may develop our country and the privilege of developing it along its own lines and in conditions that exist in other countries of Europe.

"The special privileges which have been abrogated made a most unusual condition of civic life in the Turkish empire, in that they gave to foreigners immunities that are enjoyed elsewhere only by diplomats. These pecultar conditions did not rise from the fact that Christians are living in Moslem lands. They date back to Byzantine times, when the Italian cities formed colonies at Constanti-When the Turks came they, with contemptuous tolerance of other religions and customs, could not see why these colonists should not decide their own law suits and have their own kind of worship.

"These rights grew and changed with centuries until the Turk was to a great extent without sovereignty in his own dominion. For instance, taxes could not be levied upon for-

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treaties, and could be increased only by the congent of representatives of porte; business places or dwellings of foreigners could not be entered by Turkish police except by consent of the consuls; a foreigner could not be tried before a native court unless he were represented by his consul, while all suits in which foreigners alone were the litigants were tried in their own consular courts, suits, between Ottoman subjects and foreigners be ing tried in mixed courts in which consular representatives were present.

"Abdul Hamid made several efforts to have these special privileges restricted, but the form of government existing then did not encourage the powers to grant much relaxation except in return for concessions and other advantages, The Young Turk feels that he is in a different position since he overthrew the autocratic government. He has modernized the army, the police and the eanitary system, he has built schools and co! eges and has reformed the postal service and the courts.

Code Napoleon Uscd.

"The judicial system has been remodeled, the civil procedure being now based partly upon the Code Napoleon and partly on the usages of the ancient courts. The criminal law has been borrowed from the French and the mercantile law from the French and Dutch. The whole purpose has been to raise the judiciary from its archaic, medieval standard to suit present conditions and to do away with judges,

"The Young Turk has striven to improve the living conditions of the Constantinople as clean as the streets of any other European city. Turkey's and examinations are now insisted on for entrance into the army and into industrial pursuits and professions. It would be almost impossible to find today, as was often the case in the past, a young man holding an important position in army or civil life who is unable to read or write. It is in the face of such evidences of progress territoriality that came to her as an inheritance so bitterly galling-

"Theoretically the effect upon the United States of this abrogation of "The leaders of the committee of special priviliges is mostly concerned cational and religious institutions. Among these are the Syrian Protestant college at Beirut, the Robert college and the Woman's college on the Bosporus. To all of these Turkish officials have paid high tributes. Many either the Robert or the Beirut colat the Woman's college are daughters man empire. The Beirut college was founded in 1866. The Robert college They have both lived through much ent, and from the regard in which they are held there seems no good in peril.

"The peril of a holy war, which has been so frequently held up before European nations ruling Mohammedan population, seems to be less a peril today than ever before. The standard of the prophet was raised in the last Balkan was and proved entirely ineffective in rallying Mostems to its support. There is a vast or an Anglicized Turkey, but upon a hammedanism. The fact that all Mosamount of internal politics in Molems do not recognize the sultan of our people and may be developed in Turkey as the caliph, the schisms, the accordance with their condition. We hereditary enmity between the Arab and the Turk, these and various other elements entering into the question make it very doubtful if the government at Constantinople would dare to risk its prestige among its own people by such an impractical action."

#### GILMORE SEEKS PEACE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.-Club owners of the Federal league are ready to make peace with organized baseball on any "fair and honorable terms," according to a statement made here today by James A. Gilmore, president of Federal organization

"We stand ready to meet organized paseball half way on any peace proposition," Gilmore set forth in his statement, "but I don't want to place our organzation in a false light. We are not standing on the door step, hat in The baseball war could be ended promptly and honorably if President Johnson, of the American eague and his associates would deign to meet us as business men and discuss the subject as a business proposition.

Prebident Gilmore asserted his belief that peace would come to baseball whether men identified with the National and American leagues wanted it or not. There is not room for three major leagues, he asserted, and believed one must fail.

#### LINES GLOW AT SIGHT.

High tension transmission lines can be plainly seen at night owing to a brilliant glow which surrounds the This glow is current carrying wires. called "corona effect," thus coining a new electrical term

"Corona effect" consists of a continuous passage of energy through the air between conductors. high potentials and insufficient spacing distances the energy losses may be an appreciable percentage of the total power transmitted. Corona effect is accompanied by a comparatively high pitched hissing sound and at night is visible as a luminous envelope of bluish light. Proper spacing of the lines is, therefore, of the greatest importance in order that a certain critical voltage This voltage is variable, depending upon the individual line and atmospheric con-

#### The Retort Courteons,

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next to me was quarrelsome because Exchange

Word From Petrograd Says Force Will Join Army in Poland.

WILL PERHAPS JOIN ATTACK ON GERMANY

Carpathian Passes Are Well Held, is Asserted From Berlin.

LONDON, Oct. 2.-Within a week a new Russian army a million strong will join the present armies in Poland and Galicia for "Russia's principal attack on Germany," according o reports from Petrograd.

Meanwhile the German navy is showing increased activity people and he has made the streets of Baltic coast. It is in readiness' to support German land forces if they succeed in forcing the passage of the river Niemen. A news dispatch from Petrograd

says a German squadron bombarded Windau, a Russian seaport in the Baltic, on September 24. The forts replied to the fire of the ships, which, after destroying the lighthouse, with

River Niemen Held. An unofficial dispatch from the Russian capital says that the fighting along the East Prussian frontier has resulted in the repulse of all the German attempts to force a passage of the river Niemen in the government of Suwalki,

German Force Grows. The Petrograd correspondent of the Morning Post has sent the following

"The Germans continue to attempt passage of the Niemen river, Russian Poland, but so far they have been unsuccessful. It is obvious that their forces are increasings for their last attack covered ground extending from Ossowetz to Simno in Russian

Russians Control Galicia.

An official announcement from Petrograd says that the Austrian province of Galicia is now completely freed of Austrians, the last remnant of their troops having sought refuge in the Carpathians.

To offset this, an official statemen saued in Berlin, dealing with the situation in the Carpathians, says that the Russians, in trying to cross the mountains in small columns and break through into Hungary, have been repulsed everywhere.

An official message issued in Budapest, according to a Rome dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company, states that the Hungarians have repass, in the Carpa-

The official statement issued in Berlin follows:

"The Russians, in trying to cross victory is imminent." nall columns and among the Hungarian population, it has been entirely frustrated.



## "I Saw a Funny Thing

last night," writes a Philadelphia man.

"I was in the men's cafe of the ... Hotel. A few tables away, and close to a window, was a rather rough-looking man of about fifty.

He took a cigar out of his pocket, bit off the end, put the cigar in his mouth, took a match out of the match box. and tried to light his cigar.

The match broke in two. He took another. The wind blew it out. With the third, fourth-

on up to the sixth-he had similar mishaps.

By that time, I had become tired of the spectacle, so I walked over to him, handed him a Safe Home Match and said: 'Here! Try this! It's a REAL match!'

He lit it and, in spite of the fact that the wind was coming in the window as hard as ever, lit his cigar."

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commenced by the united Germans Austro-Hungarian forces, the enemy on both sides of Vistula has retreated.

Archduke Frederick, of Austria, commander-in-chief of the Austrian army, has issued an army order in which he declares that "the situation of the Germans and Austrians in favorable." The Russian offensive is be ginning to break down, says the archduke, and the "German army, with-out hindrance, has penetrated deep into France, where a new and great

It is reported from Vienna, accord break through into Hungary, have ing to a Rome dispatch to the Exbeen repulsed everywhere. As these change Telegraph company, that the troops are operating a great distance Austrian general, Von Austenburg from the main theater of war, their fermer minister of war, has been maneuvers are unimportant, but it obliged to relinquish his command the intention was to create disquiet of the First Austrian armies because of serious illness.

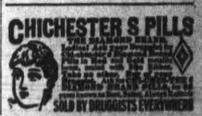
The Russians have come across Ga-

'As the result of new operations, licia in great parallel lines and, mask ing Praemysi, have awept the country clear as far as a line drawn from Dukla, in the south, to the neighbore hood of Russiow, in the north, while Strong bodies of Russian cavairy have been dispersed near Biecz (Galicia), while to the north of the Vistula several divisions of the enemy's cavairy have been driven in front of the German army."

Archduke Frederick, of Austria.

and thence through the heart of the country to Budapest.

If they accomplish this they will be able to join hands with the army which is approaching Krakow. According to Petrograd correspondents they intend to treat Krakow as they did Praemysl and continue their march into Sliesia.



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