

GREATEST CONFLICT OF EUROPE SEEMS CERTAIN TO BE ON GREEK SOIL

Bulgars, Reinforced By Austro-Germans, Have Crossed Border In Pursuit of Anglo-French Forces Retreating To Salonika

LINES OF LATTER ARE REPORTED TO BE CUT

While Army of Central Powers Outnumbers Entente Legion About Two To One, Latter Is Being Augmented For Big Fray

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
LONDON, December 15.—It is probable that one of the important battles of the war will be fought today or tomorrow on the soil of Greece. It is reported that the Bulgarians, with a strong reinforcement of Austro-Hungarians, already have crossed the Greek border in pursuit of the Anglo-French expeditionary force, which has been joined at Salonika by the fresh troops recently landed.

The Allies have a force estimated at more than a hundred thousand, while the Bulgars and Teutons outnumber this by more than two to one. Allied lines are cut.

The reports from Berlin state that the Bulgars have broken through the Allied lines and separated the French and British armies, capturing a long section of the French front.

Nothing further of the attitude of Greece, in the face of the reported Bulgarian invasion, has been announced, but Greece has commandeered all Greek shipping between Great Britain and the United States in an effort to supply the deficiency in her food and coal supply as a result of the restrictions on her commerce imposed by the Entente powers.

An Athens despatch this afternoon says that Germany will protest against further concessions by Greece to the Allies.

Recruiting Takes Leap

The Evening News reports that the rush to recruit on the part of British youths broke all records last week, the number being 100,000 in six days before the close of five hundred thousand.

Last night the appointment of General Sir Horace Smith Dorrien to the supreme command of the British forces operating in the invasion of German East Africa was posted.

A large German force is reported to be concentrating at Rutchik, on the Bulgarian border, where the Bucharest-Varna railroad crosses the Danube, the movement being in preparation, it is said, for an expected Russian invasion through Rumania.

It is reported that Turkey now has in the field a total force of 650,000 men, the majority of whom are holding the lines of the Gallipoli.

GOVERNMENT OF CUBA PLANS PREPAREDNESS

Asks Washington To Supply Munitions For Larger Army

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, December 15.—The American wish for preparedness is to be followed by Cuba, the plans of the Cuban government for an enlargement of its army being reported here last night.

The Cuban government is said to have asked the American government to sell it arms and ammunition for the increased force planned, and a training ship to be used by Cuban naval cadets.

The Cuban requests have been referred to the army and navy departments, the latter being willing, it is stated, to sell the gunboat Princeton to the Cubans.

HEAVY SNOW STORM ON ATLANTIC COAST

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NEW YORK, December 14.—This city today is the center of one of the heaviest storms of years. New York, Pennsylvania and New England are covered with from six to fifteen inches of snow. Winds and poles are down, trains blocked and running with difficulty, and many passengers stalled.

Many of the roofs of buildings have been crushed under the weight of snow. Several fatalities are reported.

In New York 15,000 men are employed sweeping the streets and 45,500 are needed.

The wire service is affected as far as Virginia.

PRUSSIAN LOSSES HEAVY

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
ROTTERDAM, December 14.—The latest Prussian casualty lists, according to the newspapers, contain 65,246 killed, wounded and missing, making a total of 2,245,248 casualties, exclusive of the other German casualties given in the Bavarian, Wurttemberg and Saxon lists.

VIENNA DODGES BEHIND TECHNICALITY American Attitude Not Known Officially

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
VIENNA, December 15.—The assumption on the part of the American state department, included in the American note respecting the Ancona incident, that the government of Austria-Hungary knows the attitude of the United States respecting the right of citizens of the United States to freedom of travel upon the seas, as that right is outlined in the various notes to Germany respecting the Lusitania incident, is regarded here as weakening the force of the Ancona note and placing the demands made therein outside any legal grounds.

The government of Austria-Hungary has not been communicated with by the government of Germany regarding the American position and the acquiescence of Germany in the demands of the United States cannot be regarded as binding upon Austria.

The Austrian government knows the American position, as outlined to Germany, only through the columns of the press.

SEIYUKAI PARTY OPENS ATTACK ON GOVERNMENT

Harry Niles, American Aviator, To Fly Before Yoshihito

(Special Cablegram to Nippo Jiji.)
TOKIO, December 14.—Attack on the government was begun today by the Seiyukai party. H. Motoda and G. Matsuda asked the ministers why Former Minister of the Interior Oura alone had escaped indictment for his part in the election scandals which cost him his position and title, and criticized the government for the investiture of the present Count Nogi with the title of the dead soldier. Plans for this attack had been made at a mass meeting yesterday. Answers of Minister of Justice Ozaki to the question concerning Oura were not direct.

Harry Niles, the American aviator, will fly before the emperor on December 18, both day and night, at Babasaki field, Tokio. Preparations are being made for the emperor's attendance. It will be the first time he has seen an airplane loop the loop.

Two Hindu revolutionists, escaped from India, whose expulsion from Japan the British government requested, but who escaped, are in hiding in Tokio. They have been sought diligently. It is believed that M. Toyama, a Japanese liberal, who was connected with Chinese revolutions, may be aiding them in escaping arrest.

NAVAL PROGRAM MUST INCLUDE SUBMARINES

But European War Has Not Shown Their Superiority

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, December 15.—The statement of Secretary Daniels regarding the submarines required as a part of the naval program was transmitted to the house yesterday.

The secretary expressed the conclusions of his department that an adequate number of submarines must be included in any well balanced project for new construction, but states that the use of submarines in the European war has not demonstrated that this class of vessel possesses any preponderant value over the other requisite types of warships.

The secretary announced yesterday that the naval transport now building at Philadelphia will be named Henderson, in honor of the memory of Brigadier-General Henderson.

EMPEROR FRANZ JOSEF IS COMPLETE INVALID

Loses Use of All Limbs, Except His Left Arm

(Special Cablegram to Hawaii Shippo.)
PARIS, December 15.—Emperor Franz Joseph has lost the use of all his limbs, with the exception of the left arm, according to a report forwarded here from Rome by the correspondent of Le Matin.

Last year, when reports of the serious illness of the aged Emperor were in circulation and it was announced that he was dying, the ruler lost the use of his legs, which were paralyzed. Recently, in a second stroke, the right arm was paralyzed.

The Emperor is unable to sign any of the state papers presented to him, his signature being added to the papers by a specially prepared rubber stamp, which is used only in his presence and only by his private secretary.

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LOS ANGELES WELCOMES SHIBUSAWA AND PARTY

Japanese Baron Honor Guest of Chamber of Commerce

(Special Cablegram to Nippo Jiji.)
SAN FRANCISCO, December 14.—Baron Shibusawa and his party arrived at Los Angeles at one-thirty o'clock Monday morning and went to the Alcazandra Hotel, where a committee of Los Angeles Japanese welcomed the visitors.

The official statement made by Ambassador China says that China was earnestly advised to postpone any change in its form of government in order "to avoid a development that might lead to the political complications of the world."

The embassy statement denies that Sun Yat Sen, the exiled revolutionary leader, is using Japan as a base for activities directed against the monarchists of China.

REVOLUTION IS IMMINENT

PHILADELPHIA, December 15.—General Hwang Hsing, a Chinese revolutionary leader, who was minister of war in the first government formed by Sun Yat Sen at Nanking, has called to Dr. Paul Reinsch, the American minister at Peking, asking that he and the other foreign representatives give their moral support to the movement in opposition to the restoration of a monarchical government.

He bases his request on the fact that such support would be "for the peace of the Orient."

General Hwang declares that a widespread revolution against Yuan Shih-kai is imminent.

PRESIDENT GETS AN APPEAL

SAN FRANCISCO, December 14.—Tong King Chong, president of the Chee Kung Tong, the Chinese Republic Association, has mailed an appeal to President Wilson asking to recognize the Chinese monarchy.

The association has a membership of 60,000 in the United States, 300,000 in Central and South America and millions in China.

HONOLULU CONSULATE OFFICIALLY NOTIFIED

Official notification of the acceptance of the throne by Yuan Shih-kai was received by Consul Woodman, at the Honolulu Chinese consulate yesterday, this coming in a despatch from Minister Koo at Washington.

The despatch gives a summary of the President's mandate of December 13, saying: "The acting Liatuana (Legation) representing the National Citizens' Representatives Convention, and enumerating six reasons why I should not refuse the request, has again presented the offer and pressed me to ascend the throne. It should be understood that by patriotism strong as any others, now he citizens demand is so pressing and their expectations so keen that it is impossible to excuse myself and to shirk responsibility. But in the laying of a great foundation, numerous important matters will present themselves. Therefore, in order to avoid desultoriness, things should not be done hastily."

"Thus it is hereby ordered that all ministries and departments should assemble and make detailed preparations; when completed, they should be presented for executive action to be filed by state department."

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION IS SECURED BY CHICAGO

Honolulu Invitation Is Withdrawn Before Vote Was Taken

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, December 15.—The 1916 Republican national convention will be held in Chicago, opening on June 7. The contest was warmly fought almost up to the last, but when the voting was commenced it was seen that the Windy City had a long lead.

San Francisco pulled in second place, with more delegates than St. Louis and Philadelphia combined.

The voting stood: Chicago, 31; San Francisco, 13; St. Louis, 7; Philadelphia, 2. The Honolulu nomination was withdrawn before the vote was taken.

FEDERAL OFFICER FACES IMPEACHMENT CHARGES

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, December 15.—Representative Buchanan of Illinois yesterday announced the filing of impeachment charges with congress against Snowden Marshall, United States district attorney for the Southern District of New York. The representative read the impeachment articles, which charge the district attorney with having corruptly neglected his duties.

JAPAN RECOGNIZES CARRANZA

(Special Cablegram to Hawaii Shippo.)
TOKIO, December 15.—The Japanese government yesterday formally recognized First Chief Carranza as Provisional President of Mexico.

JAPAN ADVISED YUAN TO REJECT CHINESE THRONE

Tokio Disapproved of Change At This Time Because of World Turmoil

NEW EMPEROR FACES WIDESPREAD REVOLT

This Is Prediction Made By Prominent Celestial General, Formerly War Minister

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, December 15.—The decision of Yuan Shih-kai to accept the offer of the national citizens' convention that he become Emperor of China and that the Republic be supplanted by a constitutional monarchy has come about over the earnest advice of Japan, according to a statement made yesterday by the Japanese embassy here.

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COLLEAGUES OF PHYSICIAN WHO REFUSED TO SAVE BABE'S LIFE OUTRAGED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
CHICAGO, December 15.—Dr. H. J. Haiselden, the physician who came into national notoriety over the case of the Bollinger baby, born defective and the life of whom the physician refused to save through an operation, claiming that the baby never would be normal or sane, is to be expelled from the Illinois Medical Society, if the recommendation of the council of the society is followed.

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SAN FRANCISCO WILL SHOW HAWAIIAN FISH

Coast Metropolis Sends First Order For 'Variegated Neckties'

Manager Potter of the aquarium received a wireless message from H. P. Wood, last Sunday, asking that five tons of Hawaiian fish be forwarded to the City of San Francisco for use there in the Hawaii Building which has been leased by the municipality and will be kept open as an attraction for visitors.

The short notice, coupled with the southerly weather, did not give sufficient time to gather any assortment of the fish and so they will not be sent until further and more definite arrangements are made with San Francisco.

All preparations were made in hopes that the fish might be procured but the boats returning yesterday afternoon reported the weather as being unfavorable to the capture of an assortment of the "Variegated neckties," as the Hawaiian colored fish were described by a newspaper writer at the exposition.

CANNON SLIDES DOWN SCALE

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WASHINGTON, December 14.—The assignment of Republican and Progressive members of the house to committee has disclosed the fact that years ago "Uncle Joe" Cannon was chairman of the appropriations committee, and he has now been given sixth place on that committee.

PEACE DEBATE TO CONTINUE

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LINER MINNESOTA AT SAN FRANCISCO

Captain Garlick Declares He Does Not Know Cause of Boiler Trouble

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SAN FRANCISCO, December 15.—The disabled Hill liner Minnesota arrived off port yesterday at noon, but the silence regarding the alleged tampering with the boilers and engines, which prevented the liner continuing her voyage to London and which left her helpless for nearly two days, with out power, is still maintained.

United States District Attorney Preston, who went aboard the liner, was told nothing that indicated that the machinery had been tampered with, nor given any information to justify the reports that have been in circulation since word came that the giant liner was disabled at sea.

The report that the liner was bringing in three seamen as prisoners in the brig, Mr. Preston now denies.

Captain Garlick, according to a statement made by the district attorney, stated that he does not know the cause of the trouble from which the boilers were out of commission. He said that the fires in the bunkers had eaten through into the stowroom and that these fires are still burning, although under control.

There had been one small explosion in the bunkers, but it was not serious and Captain Garlick presumes that it was an ordinary gas explosion.

STATE SOCIETY MAY OUST DR. HAISELDEN

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BANDITS IN AUTO SLUG CHAUFFEUR

Japanese Driver Knocked Out and Robbed After Desperate Battle In Machine

Highway robbery, in which a Japanese chauffeur was robbed of thirty dollars by two men either soldiers or wearing soldiers' uniforms as disguises, took place shortly before one o'clock last night on the Diamond Head road, a short distance from the lighthouse. The victim of the robbery, who put up a desperate fight and who was finally knocked out by a blow from a slung shot, spent the night at the emergency hospital at the police station.

Fugioka, the chauffeur who was robbed and manhandled, picked up the two soldiers as far as the Smith auto stand in King street. He drove the two men out past the lighthouse, when they asked him to stop for a minute. As soon as the machine slowed down, one passenger grabbed Fugioka by the throat from behind while the other commenced to go through his pockets.

The chauffeur, who is an ex-wrestler and sturdy, fought with both men, who were armed with leather clubs loaded with lead. He took one of these slung shots away from his possessor and still has it as evidence, but was finally knocked out by the other, the two things disappearing, leaving him stunned on the road.

Recovering consciousness, Fugioka managed to drive his car a short distance to one of the private homes along the road, from where he telephoned the police, who brought him in to town and turned him over to Sergeant Ayers. Fugioka's face is badly cut. He states that he is unable to tell to what branch of the service his two assailants belong.

SKULL OF SOLDIER CRUSHED IN FIGHT

Comrade Wields Beer Bottle With Terrible Effect In Melee At Castner

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
CASTNER, December 13.—Hit on the head with a beer bottle, in the course of a drunken row at the Volcano House, Saturday evening, Pvt. Chas. Walters, Company B, First Infantry, is lying in a dangerous condition in the post hospital. His skull was badly fractured by the blow and a portion of the crushed bone pressed upon the brain, leaving him in such a condition that during Sunday and Monday he was not expected to live.

Private Perry, Company M, First Infantry, is charged with having wielded the bottle that smashed Walter's skull and is under arrest, held in the guard house charged with the assault. His case will probably be brought before a general court martial.

Private Walters' serious condition prevents his being questioned as yet, as to the details of the affair. For more than forty hours he was unconscious; and for the first ten or fifteen hours he was partially paralyzed, due to the broken piece of skull exerting pressure on the brain.

GIRL COMMITS SUICIDE AFTER SINGING 'ALOHA'

Song Believed To Have Inspired Her To Deed

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
OREGON CITY, Oregon, November 20.—A few minutes before Pearl Jones Pederson, 16, committed suicide at the home of her parents near Monitor, yesterday, she played on the family organ and sang the Hawaiian farewell song "Aloha," went to her room and sent a 22-caliber rifle bullet through her heart. She is believed to have been inspired by the sentiment of the song.

The case is the most baffling of the year.

An examination of the body, a close search through her belongings, a study of her actions for the last month and questioning of her parents failed to reveal the slightest cause for the girl's suicide.

"We could work on this case till doomsday and I believe would be as far from a reasonable motive for the crime as we are now," declared Coroner Henshaw today.

Friday night she attended a school entertainment and took a part in the program. Saturday morning she played on the family organ and sang. Shortly before noon she went to her room on the second floor of the house, shut the door, sat on the edge of her bed and sent a bullet through her heart.

She was not heard by her mother, who was alone in the house with her daughter.

Luke L. Griddle, an Aurora hobbyist, arrived at the Pederson house about noon to look at samples from the Pederson yards. Mrs. Pederson called for her daughter, but received no answer. The mother went to the girl's room and found her body on the bed.

The idea of all health is seated, as she was as strong as her brothers. She was popular with the young people of the neighborhood. Mistreatment on the part of her parents well to do farmers is denied by the officials. She had no known love affair.

CONSUL GENERAL OF GERMANY AT SAN FRANCISCO IN 'WAR PLOTS'

Teuton In Affidavit Declares That Franz Bopp Has Been Directing Head of Great Conspiracies West of Rocky Mountains

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
PROVIDENCE, Rhode Island, December 15.—Franz Bopp, German consul-general at San Francisco, is directly connected with various plots to destroy tunnels along the Rocky Mountain sections of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, according to affidavits made by Johannes Henrykus van Koolbergen, the affidavits being made public here yesterday. The affidavits state that Consul-General Bopp sent out the instructions for the dynamiting through Baron Wilhelm von Brincken, then an attaché of the San Francisco consulate, now under indictments charging conspiracy to destroy property and for using the mails to incite assassination and murder.

Paid For Job Not Executed.

Van Koolbergen stated that he was actually paid \$1500, on the order of the German consul-general, who believed that one of the tunnel destroying plots had been successfully carried out. Instead of using the dynamite with which he had been supplied to blow up the tunnel van Koolbergen turned the explosive over to Canadian Pacific secret service men and informed the railroad officials of the plot under way.

The Canadian railroad men secured the publication in the newspapers of a report that one of the main tunnels had been wrecked, in order to convince Consul General Bopp and the others with him in the dynamiting plots that the scheme had actually succeeded. Based on these press reports and the report personally made by the supposed dynamiter, the price agreed upon for the job, fifteen hundred dollars, was paid over.

Plots Planned on Coast.

The affidavits relate how van Koolbergen met Baron von Brincken in San Francisco and received detailed instructions as to where he should steal the dynamite for the tunnel wrecking. He was also supplied with a confidential timetable of the Canadian Pacific, giving the movements of all troop trains.

The various messages which passed from Bopp to Brincken and then on to van Koolbergen were sent by the German attaché first to C. C. Crowley, who is under indictment with von Brincken, who forwarded them to the supposedly hired dynamiter.

MORE 'WAR PLOTS' IN SAN FRANCISCO

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SAN FRANCISCO, December 14.—More "bomb plots" are being uncovered as the result of the indictments of three alleged Teuton agents on the charge of conspiracy to destroy munition plants and cripple shipping clearing from American ports.

The federal indictments reveal that plans were on foot for the destruction of munition plants in Aetna, Indiana, and Ishpeming, Michigan, also that Gary, Indiana, site of the great United States Steel Corporation plant, and Pinole, California, were likewise suggested for operations.

Letters have been mailed by the United States investigators containing plans alleged to have been written by one Louis Smith. Smith is a government witness against Baron von Brincken, who has been connected with the San Francisco German consulate. Mrs. Margaret Cornell and G. C. Crowley, formerly a special detective in the office of the district attorney. Mrs. Cornell is alleged to be an agent of Crowley, who is accused of being a German agent.

It is believed that the names of Captains Boy-Ed and von Papen, the military and naval attachés who have been recalled at the peremptory request of the United States, figure in this correspondence.

FORTIFICATIONS BILL SHOWS BIG INCREASE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, December 14.—In a bill prepared by the war department and ready for introduction in congress, an increase of nearly 300 per cent over the appropriation of last year is asked for big guns and coast fortifications. The bill is the fortifications bill dealing with the ordinance needed and the further fortifying of the coast defense districts. Last year the sum of \$6,000,000 was spent. For this year \$23,305,123 is asked. Included in this is the cost of new sites for coast forts. The scheme proposes to spend \$80,000,000 for coast defenses in four years.

ITALIANS RESUME ATTACK

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
ROME, December 15.—The Italian bombardment of the Austrian fortress defenses of the Gorizia fort has been resumed.