

ATTORNEY, A GREEK, SAYS U. S. SHOULD PROTEST TO TURKEY

Friend of Consul Tsakonias Here Declares Abrogation of Treaties Concerns Safety of Americans.

Soterios Nicholson, of Washington, D. C., a Greek attorney and student of international law, who is visiting in Philadelphia, today told how the abrogation of the treaties by Turkey was of vital concern to the United States since by that action the safety of every foreign resident in that country was threatened, including thousands of missionaries and other Americans who make their permanent home there.

Mr. Nicholson was at the office of Aristide Tsakonias, the Greek Consul here. He is a personal friend of Consul Tsakonias, and on his way to New York stopped off here to visit the official. "I do not think," he said, "that the significance of the capitulations made years ago by Turkey and now abrogated is generally appreciated. Under them foreign residents in Turkey have had the right to be judged by their own respective consulates exclusively; secondly, they have possessed special civil privileges such that in all questions of criminal procedure and in fact of general deportment, they have been liable solely to their own governments. Thus, no Turkish official has had the right to enter into the dwelling of a foreigner or arrest one, unless equipped with a special permit from the consulate concerned. Thirdly, the native government was not allowed to levy professional taxes upon the foreign residents; and fourthly, it could not regulate the amount of its customs duties without the consent of the foreign powers. In general, the above privileges may be regarded as constituting extra territorial rights, and it is chiefly the ones coming under the first two headings that will affect the status of the Americans living in Turkey.

"First there is the legal aspect to be considered. As others are already pointed out, it is rather astonishing that treaties which have constituted the very condition of Turkey's existence as a State have been abrogated without consulting and without negotiation. Such a violation of mutual agreement is a very serious matter indeed, but Turkey knows that now the American people are hardly pleased with their own troubles at home and hopes that they will be unable to resort to effective measures in denouncing the violation.

"Foreign statesmen of the preceding generations had forced the above concessions from the Turkish Government because it was evident to them that under ordinary circumstances the said Government could not guarantee security and freedom to their nationals. The country had simply not reached that stage in the evolution of political organization which would render it capable of supervising the affairs of the citizens of foreign countries. But with the advent of the new regime in 1908, the Turkish Government has been continuously and insistently clamoring for the abrogation of the capitulations, claiming that conditions had been since that time had been established and just government had been established. Nevertheless, the Powers refused to consent.

"Facts justified their course; the Armenian massacres, troubles in Syria, oppression in Arabia, the insurrection in Albania and the maladministration of affairs in Macedonia following immediately after the granting of the constitution, proved that much had yet to be done in the line of political evolution.

"The Ottoman Government has not an effective guarantee of the safety of foreign lives and interests, and has violated treaties that insure the safety. In which case I think that it is the duty of the United States, at present the greatest neutral State, to declare to Turkey that this country will own its own responsibility to its own citizens as well as to those of the European countries, and that it cannot allow the unwarranted breaking of treaties and its refusal to comply with the Ottoman Government that this government is determined to make use of all proper means to the end of securing proper observance of the treaties by the Ottoman Government."

QUALIFY ON MOTORCYCLES

Examination Produces Three Eligibles for Lieutenant in Police Service. Three police candidates qualified in the examination of the civil service commission for Lieutenant in the motorcycle service. The salary is \$190 a year. The eligible list includes William J. McGowan, 131 South Twenty-fourth street, average 84; Charles W. Caswell, 132 Van Fleet street, average 72.3; George W. Fritz, 213 North Franklin street, average 72.0. Director of Public Safety Porter was advised by the Civil Service Commission that the averages attained by the applicants were in the general examination for Lieutenant of police. A test of ability to operate a motorcycle was given the candidates, but did not affect the averages. George W. Fritz, one of the eligibles, has been acting lieutenant of the motorcycle squad at Tenth and Thompson streets for the last two years.

EUROPEANS SEEK DIVORCES

Ask Dissolution of Marriages Performed Abroad. TRENTON, Sept. 15.—Dissolution of two marriages performed in Europe is the basis of suits started in the Court of Chancery by residents of Passaic County, Mrs. Valeria Schreiber, of Passaic City, has asked for a divorce from her husband, Jan Schreiber. They were married in Hungary in April, 1912. The woman charges that the man deserted her after they had been married less than one year and after they had moved to this country. Declaring that his wife took their two children and deserted him in 1912, Philip di Giovanni, of Clifton township, wants a divorce from her. The couple were married in Italy.

LOST LIFE SAVING CHILD

Major Dies in Trenton—Body Will Be Brought Here. The body of Colonel Major, 47 years old, of 241 Richmond street, Philadelphia, who died in the Mercer Hospital Trenton, yesterday, as the result of injuries which he suffered in attempting to stop a runaway and save a child's life, will be brought to this city tomorrow. It will be received by his sister, Mrs. Amelia Webster, with whom he had been making his home while in this city. Major stopped the runaway and saved the child's life near Dolington, Bucks County, in which was a little girl, took the road Major, who was walking in the opposite direction, ran forward and stopped them. Major was struck by the wagon shaft and injured internally.



ENGLISH SIGHTING A MAXIM GUN ALONG THE PATH OF THE GERMAN INVADER. The dense bushes on either side of the trench where the deadly machine gun has been set up afford a screen for the movements of the firing squad of British marines.

DOG'S FAITHFULNESS IN DANGER COSTS HIS LIFE

Swept Overboard When Wave Threatens Sea Captain, His Master. Defense of his master's orders to leave him alone on the bridge of the steamship Catherine Cuneo during a storm off the coast of Cape Hatteras, cost the life of Bismark, a valuable and loved Newfoundland dog, according to the story told by the sailors on board the vessel today. Captain Sorenson will feel the loss most deeply. Bismark was his dog, and he said as much as he loved his ship he loved his dog. Captain Sorenson said she would be inconsolable, as the animal had been her guardian when she was on board. On several occasions Bismark saved the lives of members of the crew by dragging them to safety when waves threatened to carry them overboard.

RIVER BILL URGED BY RANDELL FOR BENEFIT OF LABOR

Nearly 30,000 Men to Be Laid Off Oct. 1 Unless Measure Passes, Louisiana Congressman Shows. WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Statistics prepared in the office of the Chief of Engineers, at the request of Senator Randell, of Louisiana, show that by October 1 almost 30,000 Government and contractors' employes engaged on river and harbor work will be laid off. The Delaware River project will be affected greatly by the failure to pass the river and harbor bill. Senator Randell, who has been making the fight of his life to get the bill passed, after studying the summary made by the chief of Engineers from the reports of division and district engineers, said: "At this time, with an awful European war raging and with hundreds of thousands of our own people thrown out of employment because of the lessened demand for articles of American production, it becomes, in my judgment, the imperative duty of the nation to increase the effective force of our laborers and wage earners, instead of permitting it to be diminished. "Another important thought in connection with the European war is that food products of all kinds have increased in price, thereby enhancing the cost of living, and the longer the war continues the higher will the price of food products in America become. Many who are able to eke out a scanty subsistence on their wages in normal times will be unable to do so with the increased prices of food, and we are liable to have a vast horde of people in this country who are in actual need, not only for lack of work, but because the wages of men who are employed will not buy the necessary food at the increased price. The shoe has begun to pinch in some places already, and it is certain to be felt far more widely and much more severely in the near future.

WILLS FILED AND PROBATED

Wills admitted to probate today disposed of the following estates in private bequests: Sarah M. Higgins, late of 128 Spruce street, 5000; Frederick Biederman, 1011 Madison street, 2100. Personal estates appraised by Sarah Clarke, 510, 520; Susan B. Deane, 518, 11; Catherine Dunlap, 347, 51.

CAPTURES FUGITIVE GIRL

Patrolman Overtakes One Who Flew From Social Service Home. One of the three girls who escaped Saturday night from the Court of Social Service Home, 129 Summer street, was captured at 1 o'clock this morning at Sixth and Walnut streets by Patrolman Warren, of the Third and De Lanez streets station. The policeman noticed a girl trying to shield herself from the glare of the electric arc lamps as she walked very cautiously across the street. When the policeman approached the girl started to run, but was soon overtaken by the policeman. Being unable to give a satisfactory explanation of her actions, she was taken to the Central police station. Her girl gave her name as Josephine Holman, 4 years old, married, and said her home was in Mt. Carmel, Pa. On further questioning the prisoner told her escape from the home Saturday night by hiding behind a door and using a rope to descend from a second-story window. One of her names is still at large. Her mother is Helen Gallagher, 37 years old.

NINE CHILDREN SAVE FATHER

Faces Prison Sentence When Wife Prefers Charge of Cruelty. The nine children of Frederick Hartman, 249 Pratt street, saved him from prison today. Hartman was arrested on a charge of cruelty preferred by his wife. He was arraigned before Magistrate Campbell in the Holgrade and Clearfield streets police station. The Magistrate was about to send Hartman to the House of Correction when he learned that he had nine children to support. After searching for a way to help his wife, he sent Hartman back to work and advised Mrs. Hartman to take the matter up with the Mt. Pleasant Court, if her husband again failed to provide for his family.

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ARSENAL READY TO AUGMENT OUTPUT OF WAR'S MESSENGERS

Arrangements Made at Frankford Plant to Take Care of Emergency in Case of Rush Order. Arrangements were made today at the Frankford Arsenal to place that institution in condition to take care of any emergency in case of a rush order for materials. This was announced by Lieutenant Colonel George Montgomery, commanding officer of the plant. Colonel Montgomery has just returned from Europe. The work of readjustment from now on will be pushed as rapidly as possible. "By January 1," he said, "we expect to have things so arranged at the arsenal that should the Government at Washington feel so disposed, or called upon to increase our appropriation, enabling us to augment the output of the plant, we will be in a position to do what is required."

Colonel Montgomery said he was at work collecting the names of all old employees of the arsenal. This is being done, he added, so that they can be located and put to work at the quickest possible notice. By the first of the year it is expected that, if called upon, officials at the plant will be able to place two shifts of men at work one week after notice, and to be running three shifts every 24 hours before the expiration of a month. Colonel Montgomery returned from Europe last Saturday on the Cunard liner Campania. He went abroad on August 13 for a rest. He said he was warmly impressed by the state of preparedness which existed in nearly every country in Europe prior to the war, enabling them

INDICTED FOR EXTORTION

Man Sues Prosecutors After Being Set at Liberty. GRANT'S PASS, Ore., Sept. 15.—W. B. Dennison and Detective Charles Haas and F. Kirkwood, all of New York, were indicted here by the grand jury as a result of the arrest of Oasin Jackson. Jackson was arrested on charges of embezzlement made in New York in 1913 and upon his release on an order from Governor West, Jackson swore out warrants charging Dennison and the two detectives with extortion.

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Women's Doeskin Gloves \$1. They are made of the finest for Fall Wear. One-change style in white, with white or black backs. Excellent grade that will wash splendidly. NOTE—Virtually all the gloves we sell are imported, but there will be an advance in our customary standard prices.

Autumn Suits of Distinguished European Styles: \$35 Values \$25. Four Models: One Illustrated. They're in fine chifon broadcloth, medium-weight serge and gabardine, in navy blue, Holland blue, plum, black, tete de negre and green. The 45-inch jackets are the ultra-fashionable redingote effect—some trimmed with fur fabric, others plain and mannish or smartly braided, and all lined to waist with rich peau de cygne. The stylish skirts show yoke tops, fur fabric bands or side plaits.

Women's & Misses' \$27.50 \$18.50 New Fall Dresses, Two Different Styles: One Sketched. Some are of navy blue, black, green and brown poplin—made basque effect, trimmed at hips with puffs of satin and finished with satin sleeves, flounce, also embroidered crepe collar. Equally attractive are the fine and dressy satin frocks in navy blue, Corbeau blue and brown with box-plaited tunic skirt, hemstitched organdie vestee and wide-plaited girdle. \$25 Coats Six New \$15.00 Styles. Stylish Scotch plaids, cross-bar pebble chevots, black Perziana an English mixed coatings. Balmain, belted and flaring styles. So with military collars, fur cloth trimmings, straight or slant pocket.