

SERBIAN INVASION BEGINNING OF END

War Has Now Entered Final Stage, Say Berlin Experts.

SEE ATTACK ON EGYPT

Turks Will Be Freed by Austro-German Advance for New Offensive in East.

Berlin (via Amsterdam), Oct. 8.—German military experts declared today that with the Austro-German invasion of Serbia the war has entered its final phase.

Plans have been carefully laid for a rapid advance through Serbia, and with an Austro-German and Bulgarian army upon the peninsula of Gallipoli a Turkish army of immense proportions will be released for operations against Egypt.

The material and political effect of a great Teutonic victory in the Balkans would have far-reaching consequences. Not only would the military power of the Teutonic allies be more equally distributed, but Russia's hopes of obtaining relief from England and France through the Dardanelles would practically be shattered.

Bulgaria Offsets Losses.

It is confidently believed that, with the capture of Divina by the Germans and the consequent fall of Eliza, the active campaign of the Teutonic allies in the eastern theater will come to a standstill. Meanwhile they will continue to hold the allies on the western front without any attempt at an offensive there, which would cost more in human life than the effort would be worth.

By the Teutonic campaign in the Balkans literally a drain upon their strength in other arenas, it likewise compels the allies to withdraw troops from their fronts. But the drain upon the Teutonic strength is more than made up by the entrance of Bulgaria in the war on the side of Germany, Austria and Turkey. On the other hand, there are no

indications at this time that Roumania and Greece will become involved. Throughout the war the Austro-Hungarian government has felt that the crushing of Serbia was one of its strongest obligations in view of the fact that the Serbs are held responsible for starting the conflagration.

FORCED TO SERVE BY INFLUENCE OF U. S.

Former Member of Huerta Cabinet, Under Death Sentence, Tells of H. L. Wilson Parley.

Mexico City, Oct. 8.—Alberto Garcia Granados, former minister of the interior in the cabinet of Gen. Huerta, has been convicted of treason and sentenced to death on the charge that he assisted in the overthrow of Premier Madero and the subsequent assassination of the president. A sensation developed at the trial of Granados when he took the stand in his own defense and swore that his place in the Huerta cabinet had been forced upon him at a conference in the American Embassy called by Henry Lane Wilson, then United States Ambassador to Mexico, in which Huerta and Felix Diaz and the Mondragon faction participated. "I accepted because I thought I could render useful service to my country," he continued, "but resigned when I learned that President Madero had been assassinated. Huerta waited several months before accepting my resignation."

Reading Circle Elects Officers.

The Alumnae Reading Circle of Notre Dame Academy has elected officers as follows: Reverend moderator, George E. Kelly, S. J.; president, Miss Hortense A. McGowan; vice president, Mrs. James Hartnett; treasurer, Miss Nellie J. Becker; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Mary A. Fenwick; recording secretary, Miss Helen R. Jordan; music chairman, Miss Marie L. Sullivan.

New York Cheers President And His Fiancee on Visit

Crowds in Theater and on Streets Give Ovation to "White House Couple"—Wedding to Be Held by End of November.

New York, Oct. 8.—Thousands of strollers in Central Park this afternoon turned to gaze at a big olive green touring car that skimmed through the drive thronged with the usual afternoon stream of vehicles. In the rear seat sat a beautiful woman, a bouquet of flowers pinned to her fur coat. Beside her was a man of distinguished appearance, his gray eyes and tanned skin sparkling with health.

The man in the car was Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States. The woman at his side was Mrs. Edith Bolling Galt, his bride-to-be.

The President introduced his fiancee to New York today, and New York approved. It was the first public appearance of the President and the woman who will be the first lady in the land. And from the moment the Metropolitans cheering thousands caught their first glimpse of Mrs. Galt they were captivated by her beauty and her poise.

Theater Crowds Enthusiastic.

Only once was the open admission afforded an opportunity to become vocal. This was at 8:30 o'clock tonight when the President escorted his fiancee to a flag-draped box at the Empire Theater. Mrs. Galt was seated in a wondrous black silk evening gown trimmed in green, topped by a rich red-and-black brocade coat. A bouquet of American Beauty roses was pinned to her corsage. The President, in an Inverness cape thrown over his evening dress, walked at her side down the extreme south aisle towards the boxes that had been set aside for the party.

Some one in the rear of the orchestra caught sight of them first and clapped his hands. Instantly the applause became a storm. Everyone leaped to his feet. Soon the enthusiasts broke out in cheers. The President, who was wearing a dark suit, a delicate flush overpread Mrs. Galt's face, but she bowed with perfect

poise while the President removed her wraps and those of her mother, Mrs. William H. Bolling. The President bowed and raised his hand to still the tumult. The President and Mrs. Galt took their seats. The applause gained in volume and lasted until the curtain went up on the first act of Cyril Maude's production of "Grumpy."

Twenty-mile Auto Ride.

The scene at the theater was the climax of a joyful afternoon for the President and his bride-to-be. Arriving at 3:27 o'clock, the President and his bride were welcomed at the Pennsylvania station by Col. E. M. Hopper, his host, and hundreds of New Yorkers.

Later in the afternoon there was a twenty-five mile auto ride to the White House at the home of Col. House, No. 115 East Fifty-third street. "It is all wonderful to me," said Mrs. Galt, "and I am so glad to be here."

"The warm greetings have affected me greatly. You know I am not accustomed to such things. I have had a splendid time. Tomorrow we shall go to Philadelphia to witness the second game of the world's series. Yes, it is true that I am quite a baseball fan. I greatly admire the pitching ability of Alexander. That rather makes me favor the National League team for the championship. I am glad Alexander won his game today, and I hope we shall see an exciting game tomorrow."

Detectives Guard President.

Tonight while the betrothed President spent the most thorough precautions ever taken to guard a Chief Executive were observed. Mrs. Galt, the President's bride, was escorted to her room at Col. House's home in the city. The house is situated in the Metropolitan district. Even the roof was guarded by a detachment of police. On the roof of the house adjoining that of the President's apartment and atop houses across the street.

Detectives entirely surrounded the President and Mrs. Galt when they stepped from the private car "Survey" at the station. Others in the party were Mrs. Galt's mother, Dr. Cary T. Grayson, the President's naval and private physician; Miss Helen Woodrow Hones, his cousin, and Secretary Joseph Tumulty. These comprised the liner guests this evening, with the addition of Col. and Mrs. House, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Auchincloss, the latter Col. House's daughter. Colborne of the Post and Mrs. Field Malone joined the others at the theater.

Arrangements at the Pennsylvania station were perfect. In addition to fifty city detectives, there were a dozen Secret Service operatives under Chief Flynn and Capt. John Henry, and a number of railroad detectives. The President's car was shunted to a track near No. 2 elevator, at the extreme side of the station.

Mrs. Bolling, Mrs. Galt's pleasant-featured, gray-haired mother, stepped out of the car first with Miss Hones. Next came Mrs. Grayson, the chief of the members of the party. Mrs. Galt wore a black tailored suit.

Jam in Station.

"Isn't she beautiful?" was the first exclamation of those who saw her. The President's fiancee is a woman of medium height, of wonderful complexion, spirituelle expression, and with eyes that are a beautiful blue. Her hair is a dark blue. She smiled often today revealed perfect poise of white teeth.

The President wore his usual dark overcoat and a light fedora hat. The party, after greeting Col. House and Collector Malone, was borne to the street level in the elevator.

Down the Thirty-first street drive the cars were massed. A big crowd had formed. Many were passengers who had just arrived and who waited expectantly with suit cases in their hands. Hundreds of children were grouped outside the driveway and a levy of women clerks jammed the adjoining office windows.

At first glimpse of the President and his fiancee, the crowd broke into applause. Both smiled and bowed. A man attempted to crowd closer, but was held back by the police. The detectives kept a particularly keen eye on persons with bundles in their hands. In the gloaming the car entered Central Park and slipped down the west drive to the St. Regis, where the President said good-bye to Mrs. Galt. The President went to Col. House's apartment and donned evening dress. Then alone he returned to the St. Regis. Mrs. Galt, who was waiting, and with Mrs. Bolling, the three went back to Col. House's for dinner.

HENRY S. BAKER HEADS WEST VIRGINIA SOCIETY

Excise Board Official Succeeds D. W. Gall—New Members Are Admitted.



HENRY S. BAKER.

Henry S. Baker, president of the Excise Board, was elected president of the West Virginia Society of the District last night at a meeting at Masonic Temple. He succeeds D. W. Gall, who organized the society a year ago and was its first president.

Other officers chosen were six vice presidents, Gen. W. W. Scott, C. H. Knott, E. T. Morgan, Judge A. B. Wells, Capt. Henry C. Tuncan, and Oscar A. Price, were regarded as the most distinguished. Todd C. Sharp, financial secretary; W. T. George, corresponding secretary; J. William Debraun, treasurer, and Mrs. George W. Atkinson, historian.

A rising vote of thanks was given the retiring officers following the election. Fourteen new members were admitted, as follows: Mrs. Virginia B. Sheets, Edward Hatley, Harry Haxmeyer, Nora L. Davis, Lucy Lamson, D. J. Barton, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Riddleberger, C. V. Gates, E. H. McDermott, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McMillan, Frank Murray, James M. Maloney, and Miss Emma J. Maloney. The annual report of the treasurer showed that the society is in excellent financial condition.

The committee recently appointed to revise the by-laws submitted its report and a new constitution, which was adopted.

ALPHA BETA PHI HONORED.

G. W. U. Chapter Will Become Member of Sigma Nu.

Alpha Beta Phi Chapter of George Washington University will formally install the latter part of this month as a member of the Sigma Nu National Fraternity. The ceremony will be held in the chapter house in F street northwest between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, probably on the night of Saturday, October 16, at 8 o'clock. The Sigma Nu chapter at the university is one of the largest and most active chapters here and it was due to the influence of those men that the George Washington students were voted into the fraternity.

Asks Search for Veteran.

Representative Gard, of Ohio, has requested the local police to institute a search for Charles W. Munn, commander of G. A. R. Post No. 133, at Coffeyville, Kan., who was reported missing in the Grand Army encampment and has not been since heard from. Mr. Munn is 74 years old, five feet five inches tall, weighs about 140 pounds, has brown eyes, and is bald. He left Cincinnati September 27, coming direct to Washington.

Russians Come to Buy Supplies.

New York, Oct. 8.—The Russian-American liner Iner, which reached port today from Archangel, brought six members of the Russian Imperial Commission, of which Prof. Boris Bahkmetoff, of the Petrograd Institute of Technology, is the head, to the city. The commission's visit is to co-operate with the Russian purchasing agencies here.

Foe Could Crush U. S. Army

In Three Weeks, Says Harvey

Head of D. C. National Guard Addresses University Men at Meeting Preparatory to Organizing Coast Artillery Company as Part of Local Militia.

The present military forces of the United States would not last three weeks against any first-class foreign force landed on the American shores, according to Eric Gene, William E. Harvey, commanding the District National Guard, who last night addressed a large assemblage of students of the George Washington University at a meeting held in the Medical Building preparatory to organizing a coast artillery company, to be a part of the local militia.

"The work you are undertaking is of the utmost importance. It is not in my opinion today can afford to say he is not willing to assist in preparing for the defense of the country. Our country is woefully unprepared. We have only eight guns in our army with a caliber in excess of 3.3 inches. We have less than 60 field artillery guns. We have not more than eight regiments of horse ready to move at a moment's notice. It would be foolish to put untrained men in uniforms and turn them loose against skilled soldiers. Russia now is reaping the result of having a hither supply of men of the untrained type.

"It is fitting that the university named for the President who urged us to prepare for war should be the first university in the land to organize a coast artillery company."

G. G. Harvey explained that the company could be formally organized as soon as a sixty-five students had enrolled. Officers will be selected from the student body by competitive examination. Drills and classes in instruction will be held once a week under the general supervision of a detailed army officer. The first work to be undertaken will be infantry drill and rifle practice.

It was announced that Gen. Weaver, head of the coast artillery of the army, will turn over Fort Washington to the

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STUDENTS TALK DOWN RECALL OF JUDGES Columbia Society Holds Debate—L Haycraft Is Elected President. At the first meeting of the Columbia Debating Society, of the George Washington University, at the Law School last night, L. Haycraft was elected president. Other officers named were O. T. Smith, vice president; B. VanMoss, secretary; Oscar Johannesson, treasurer; M. H. Francis, critic, and Max Broadhead, press representative. An executive committee composed of Messrs. Pendell, McArthur, and Jacobson was also chosen.

WILL IRWIN WILL TALK. War Correspondent Plans Address at Press Club Tonight. Will Irwin, one of the American newspaper correspondents who went looking for the war in a taxicab in Belgium, found it will speak at the National Press Club tonight. Mr. Irwin since the time when temporarily he was held as a prisoner by the German army, has had numerous experiences, but mostly with the Allies. A story of the battle of Ypres which he wrote, and which first appeared in the London Daily Mail, has since become a classic. Notwithstanding the fact the account of the battle was not given to the public until three months after it happened there has been such a demand for reprints of the story that the world over that already 20,000 extra copies have been disposed of.

McBlair's Reinstatement Urged. Members of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Sons of the Revolution, and the Daughters of the War of 1812 are urging President Wilson to reinstate A. Macdonald Blair as assistant to the Attorney General. Mr. Blair's wife is the granddaughter of Francis Scott Key, author of "The Star Spangled Banner," and granddaughter of the late Chief Justice Taney and of the late Admiral Buchanan, who commanded the Merrimac in its engagement with the Monitor.

Highland Club Entertains. The annual entertainment of members of Highland Athletic Club, of Anacostia, took place last night in the Masonic Hall. The affair was in the form of a minstrel show, with William Scantlebury as inter-locutor in charge. Charles W. Eizler and Charles Warren occupied the seats provided for much amusement. Miss Hatlie Patzsch played the piano. At the conclusion of the performance the hall was cleared and dancing enjoyed until a late hour. The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of the football team.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. Edward A. Boster, 21, and Abby L. Lucas, 21, Rev. Enoch S. Kistner, 21, and Susan K. Decker, 21, both of Lemons, Pa. Rev. William I. McKelvey, 21, and Nora L. Rogers, 21, Rev. James S. Montgomery, 21, and Edith P. Botta, 21, Rev. John T. Huddle, 21, Thomas P. Ert, 21, and Clara L. Anderson, 21, Rev. J. J. Carr, 21, and Ida K. Massa, 21, Rev. James A. Smith, 21, and Sula Snyder, 21, Rev. James H. Lee

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BROOKLAND CITIZENS HOLD DISTRICT NIGHT. Commissioner Newman Gives Address. Great Falls Power Project Indorsed by Association. Commissioner Oliver F. Newman and Corporation Counsel Conrad H. Syme were the speakers last night at the first meeting of the Brookland Citizens' Association at Masonic Temple, Twelfth and Monroe streets northwest. The occasion was designated as District Night and was an open meeting to all residents of Brookland. The manner in which the Commissioners make recommendations for street improvements was explained by Commissioner Newman. He discussed the benefits to be derived from the use of schoolhouses as meeting places for citizens' associations and other civic organizations. An endorsement of the idea of the Commissioners that the Great Falls power project should be pushed immediately was the only business transacted.

KAPPA ALPHA ENTERTAINS. G. W. U. Fraternity Gives Dance at Chapter House. The Kappa Alpha fraternity of George Washington University last night held a dance in honor of the new pledges at the chapter house, 301 Columbia road northwest, members of the chapters at the Maryland Agriculture College and the Johns Hopkins University being the guests of honor.

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