

IF REPLY IS NEGATIVE SLAV MINISTER TO GO

Bulgars Given Twenty-four Hours to Break With German Powers and Change Front.

LIKELY TO HASTEN THE WAR

Ferdinand's Government is Believed to Have Already Cast Fortunes With Teutons.

London, Oct. 4.—The Russian minister at Sofia has been ordered by his government to leave the Bulgarian capital if within twenty-four hours Bulgaria does not openly break with the central powers and dismiss the Austro-German officers who recently arrived in that country to direct the operations of King Ferdinand's army.

The other powers of the quadruple entente are backing up Russia in this demand, and so Bulgaria must within a few hours decide on continued neutrality or be considered definitely committed to the central powers.

From the Balkan news of the past few days it is considered certain that King Ferdinand and Premier Radoslavoff have made their choice and are only awaiting the completion of mobilization to strike at Serbia and assist the Austro-Germans to open the road to Constantinople, which has been anxiously waiting for many weeks for promised aid from the central powers.

This is the note to Bulgaria: "The events which are taking place in Bulgaria at this moment give evidence of a definite decision of King Ferdinand's government to place the fate of its country in the hands of Germany."

"The presence of German and Austrian officers in Bulgaria, the concentration of troops in the zone bordering Serbia and the extensive financial support accepted from our enemies by the Sofia cabinet no longer leave any doubt as to the object of the military preparations of Bulgaria."

"The entente powers who have at heart the realization of the aspirations of the Bulgarian people, have on many occasions been warned any hostile act against Serbia would be considered as directed against themselves. Assurances given by the head of the Bulgarian cabinet in reply to these warnings, are contradicted by the facts."

"The representative of Russia, which is bound to Bulgaria by the imperishable memory of her liberation from the Turkish yoke, cannot sanction by his presence preparations for fratricidal aggression against a Slav and allied people. The Russian minister, therefore, has received orders to leave Bulgaria with all the staffs of the legation and consulates if the Bulgarian government does not within twenty-four hours openly break with the enemies of the Slav cause and of Russia, and does not at once proceed to send away officers belonging to armies of states which are at war with the entente powers."

THE PASTOR HAD EXCESS FIANCEE

Tangled Heart Affairs Lose Kansas Minister His Position.

Athens, Kan., Oct. 4.—Two fiancées and the pastorate of the Effingham, Kan., Christian church were too much for the Rev. R. L. Morrow and he has resigned after having been told by the church trustees never to be seen in Effingham again.

Two months ago the minister became engaged to Miss Ethel Bohannon, daughter of the late T. J. Bohannon, who has \$50,000 in her own name. Miss Bohannon, before her father's death late in August, went to Excelsior Springs with him and Morrow followed. His attentions were observed by a friend of the preacher's other fiancée, Miss Anna Schultz of Des Moines, Ia., who notified her.

Miss Schulz appeared in the Effingham church last Monday with seventy-five love letters written by the pastor. She said she did not wish to marry him, but desired to expose him. A committee was appointed to investigate and took Mor-

row to Des Moines. The Des Moines fiancée showed letters from Morrow, in which he denied paying attentions to Miss Bohannon, asserting that Miss Schultz was his only love.

Liquor Dealers Meet.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Oct. 4.—Liquor dealers in Iowa are holding a two days session here to determine what is to be done to head off state wide prohibition and to secure the reenactment of the mullet law, or some other local option measure which will make Iowa wet once again, following the closing of the 600 remaining saloons in Iowa January 1. In nearly every wet town the saloon men have agreed to close their saloons January 1, when the mullet law expires, without a fight, but the saloon men do not propose to give up without a struggle and the line of the battle formation is being decided upon here today.

Wright County Fair Postponed.

Eagle Grove, Ia., Oct. 4.—The Wright county fair, which was to have been held last week, will be held Oct. 4-6.

EARTH SHOCKS ARE FELT LONG DISTANCE

Believed to Have Originated in Mountain Fault.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 4.—A series of earthquakes, believed to have originated in the "Wasatch fault," underlying the Wasatch mountains in Utah, was experienced yesterday, culminating in severe shocks at 10:56 p. m. that were felt in Utah, Nevada, the northern part of California, Oregon and Idaho. So violent were the tremors in Nevada that railroad water tanks along the Southern Pacific were thrown down and various other minor damage was caused.

At Baker, Ore., and at Sacramento and Fresno, Cal., buildings swayed and residents rushed into the streets, many in their night clothes. The disturbances reached as far north as Victoria, B. C.

ENTOMBED FOR SIX DAYS; RESCUED

Nine Miners Still Alive When Rescuers Reach Them.

Lansford, Pa., Oct. 4.—Nine miners entombed at Coaldale last Monday were rescued alive yesterday. They were found on top of a chute, in which they had crawled to escape a flood of water. The men are in the hospital and are expected to recover.

The rescue was accomplished after 200 mine workers and company officials had battled six days against discouraging conditions in the choked up gangway. After blasting and tearing away more than 300 feet of solid rock, coal and timbers that had been wedged tightly into the gangway, rescuers reached the chute where the pitiful group of huddled humanity was discovered. It was intensely cold, and the rescuers found the nine men curled up in a compact mass to retain the warmth of their bodies. All were terribly weakened.

It was learned that fish oil and a few crushed chicken bones, found in a dinner pail, had made up their principal diet until Thursday, when the latter "delicacy" gave out and the fish oil composition, used in their lamps, was the only item on the menu.

Palmer Welcomed.

Washington, Ia., Oct. 4.—A three days homecoming celebration opened here today in honor of Col. David J. Palmer, retiring commander in chief of the G. A. R. back from the national encampment at Washington, D. C. Thousands of visitors are here for the event, a goodly share of them G. A. R. men. Colonel Palmer was met at the train and escorted to the public square by a military band, the cavalry and infantry of the National Guard and 1500 school children. Colonel Palmer was given a royal welcome when he arose to speak.

Annual Hotel Story.

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 4.—The annual story of a big modern hotel to be erected here to vie with the great hotels of other smaller Iowa cities, is having its inning today. It is now reported that Seventh street business men promise the erection of a \$600,000 hotel at 7th and High streets to contain 400 rooms and to be a little better in every way than any hotel in Iowa. The articles of incorporation are being prepared.

THE ARIZONA TROOPS SENT TO STRIKE ZONE

Disturbances Beyond Control of Local Authorities and Governor Calls Out Militia.

MINERS ARE FORMING MOB

Unless Order is Restored at Once Whole Force of State Guards Will Be Sent.

Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 4.—The Arizona militia was ordered yesterday to proceed to Clifton, Ariz., where the mine strike has resulted in disorder. Sheriff J. J. McCash reported the situation beyond his control. Mine managers who went to Lordsburg, N. M., Saturday, after they were rescued from miners by a sheriff's posse, telegraphed to Governor George W. P. Hunt of Arizona to "protect lives and property."

Adj. Gen. C. W. Harris and an expeditionary force of state militiamen are en route to Clifton, Ariz., where copper miners are on strike. Unless order is restored at once there, it was said, the entire Arizona militia will be ordered to the strike district today.

In asking Governor Hunt to assume charge of the situation, Sheriff Cash said managers of the copper mines had abandoned the district; that the strikers were forming in mobs, parading the streets and making demonstrations and that he feared serious trouble would result.

The governor received another telegram from Norman Carmichael, J. W. Benny and John McLain, managers of three large copper companies, who fled from Clifton last night to Lordsburg, N. M. The managers said they fled as they feared their presence at Clifton might lead to violence. The three managers said they would be ready to return as soon as given assurances that non-resident organizers of the Western Federation of Miners had left and that conditions were favorable for negotiations leading to a resumption of operations.

MAN KILLED IN AN AUTO SMASH

Machine Strikes Culvert and Turns Turtle—Two Companions are Hurt.

Chariton, Ia., Oct. 4.—Ed F. McCullough, aged 45, of Chariton, was instantly killed last night three miles west of here when the automobile in which he was riding struck a concrete culvert and turned turtle. Fred Culbertson, also of Chariton, who accompanied Mr. McCullough sustained a broken collar bone and was also internally injured. Rudy Sandahl, of this place, received minor hurts about the head.

Mr. McCullough is survived by a wife and four children.

GOOD ROADS MEETING AT CEDAR RAPIDS

Gov. Clarke Welcomes Delegates to Northwest Roads Congress.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Oct. 4.—Gov. Geo. W. Clarke in welcoming the delegates to the Northwestern Roads Congress here today won applause when he came out squarely for hard surfaced roads and said he thought the laws should be so amended that communities would have authority to decide what kind of hard surfaced roads they should have.

"Hard roads," said the governor, "must be looked upon as an investment. As such they will return their value over and over again in many ways. They will increase the value of land much more than they cost. They will make a better place in which to live and life more worth living. Within not many years they will put motor trucks upon the highways of the state from farm to town. But why expatiate upon their great

advantages. They must be apparent."

Governor Clarke opened his address welcoming the visitors to the state convention, perhaps the most important ever held in Iowa, to consider the road question by saying there never was a great people without great production and quick, easy and adequate methods of transportation. He followed this line of thought to the era of railroads which he said had set back the building of other roads for the time being. But now the era of road building, hard surfaced roads, was coming, was in fact already here. They will be tributaries to the steel roads.

"If mud from time to time lays an embargo on the thousands of high-ways tributary to the great rail arteries of the country losses must be sustained. The most direct and greatest loss will fall upon him whose line of communication is cut off and the further he is from rail communication the more disastrous his situation."

Governor Clarke quoted former Governors Larrabee and Boies to show that these two great men recognized even in their day the necessity of good roads and tried to secure them.

A LITTLE BOY IS BURNED TO DEATH

Another Lad Probably Fatally Hurt and Girl Seriously Burned.

Douglas, Ia., Oct. 4.—Gerald Slaughter, 5 years old, was burned to death, his brother, Jester, 3 years old, was probably fatally injured and his sister, Esther, was severely burned about the hands and face, when a kerosene heater in the living room of their home between here and Minden, either exploded or turned over Saturday, when one of the children attempted to turn it off.

The father, Oscar Slaughter, also was painfully burned in rescuing the children and subduing the flames. Practically no damage was done to the house.

LOCAL RIFLE TEAM LOSE TO FT. DODGE

Fort Dodge Wins by Thirteen Points—Both Teams Possess Crack Marksmen.

Sunday the rifle team of Company C, comprising ten members, were invited to Fort Dodge for a shooting match with the rifle team of Company G of that place. Upon arriving there they were immediately taken out to the rifle range of the Fort Dodge company for an all day's shoot. The match was won at the end of the day by the Fort Dodge team with 13 points, although the score made by either team would have won the state meet some weeks ago.

The crack rifle men of both companies were Lieut. Hans Fredrickson, of Company G, and Private George Brown of Company C, who were easily the two features of the day's shooting. Lieut. Fredrickson proved himself to be the high man of both teams with a total score of 231 out of a possible 250. He was closely seconded by George Brown of Company C with a total score of 229 out of a possible 250 points. The total scores of Company G for the day's shoot was 2141; that of Company C was 2128.

Up to the last range shot, the two teams were almost even but in that range the 13 points were gained, Company C falling down a little at the last. Both officers, Capt. Fred Frost and Lieut. Hans Fredrickson of Company G, are on their rifle team and shot with their men.

At noon a light lunch was served out in the field and at the close of the day's shooting events, the rifle team of Company C was brought back to the armory by their hosts and royally treated to a fine six o'clock supper. The day was fully enjoyed by both hosts and guests and plans made for a continuation of these invitation shoots.

Companies F and G of Ft. Dodge are just now on an uneasy seat in regard to a military home, the business affairs of the armory of Fort Dodge being decidedly in a tangle and the possibility of losing the building stares the two companies in the face. With the armory taken from them, the government will remove their equipment, which is worth several thousand dollars. Probably sixty-five men comprise the

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members of each team, making a total of about one hundred and thirty men which the Second Regiment will lose if such a dire calamity occurs. This removal of so many trained men from the regiment would be a great blow to what is one of the strongest regiments in the United States. Regular army officers have stated that the Second Regiment of Iowa is the best officered regiment in the United States, barring none.

Just now, when such a wave of agitation is sweeping the country for preparedness, it would surely be a backward step to permit a trained company of one hundred and thirty-five manly fellows to be dropped from the sum total of trained militia, all for the lack of an armory. If the armory is taken from this militia at Fort Dodge, these two companies will simply be mustered out and cease to exist. Ft. Dodge is being watched by all the military men of this section in regard to this matter and the hope is being expressed that the business men of the place will not allow such a disarmament to occur, by providing a home for them.

Plans were discussed yesterday for an invitation shoot at the rifle range near this city as soon as the weather clears up. Still further plans were mentioned for a grand military tournament this month of the three companies—F, G, and C—if the weather will permit. This will be a two days event and besides the Fort Dodge and Webster City companies, the machine gun company of Eagle Grove would also participate, which would draw people from all parts of the state.

Should there appear to be settled weather for a few days, these plans will undoubtedly be carried out and a more detailed account of the tournament given later.

PERSONAL BRIEFS.

(From Monday's Daily.)

—Mrs. Roy S. Tubbs and baby left this forenoon for a visit with the former's parents and other relatives in Vail.

—Mrs. V. N. Noel and Mrs. O. R. Danielson, mother and aunt of Mrs. G. L. Kuebler, returned to their home in Rockwell City this morning after a visit with the Kuebler family.

—Mrs. H. A. Little returned to her home in Dunlap today after an over Sunday visit with her husband and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Little.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stanger went to Boone Saturday for a few days visit with relatives.

—Miss Anna Harrison, after spending some time at the Frank Blair home in this city, went to Homer Saturday to spend the week end. Miss Harrison has been tak-

ing a course of treatment in Des Moines for throat trouble and will return there this week for further treatment.

—Mrs. C. L. Stanley and little son returned to their home in Des Moines Saturday after a visit with the former's sister, Mrs. J. B. McCollough and other relatives.

—Miss Bessie C. Thompson, who teaches school south of Fort Dodge, came home Saturday for an over Sunday visit with her parents, on the east side. She was accompanied home by her friends, Misses Elsie Otosen and Freda Hutchison, who also teach near Fort Dodge.

—Miss Amelia Wunder returned to her home in Waterloo Saturday following a visit with the Paul Wise family on Boone street.

—F. F. Scott of Ames was an over Sunday guest at the home of his brother-in-law J. D. Porter, returning to his home this morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eckstein and little daughter of Des Moines returned to their home last night after a visit at the C. G. Gustuson home. Mrs. Eckstein has been in the city two weeks, while her husband came up for over Sunday and to accompany her home.

—Miss Mayble Wheeler, who is employed as stenographer by Senator Allen at Pocahontas, spent Sunday in this city visiting friends.

—Donald Hibner of Iowa Falls spent the week end with his friend, Howard Sheldon, in this city.

—Miss Ethel Virtue is up from Des Moines for a several days visit with her parents.

—Miss Aletta Anderson spent yesterday visiting friends in Gladbrook.

—Mrs. Ellen Caul of Parkersburg is spending the day with her friend, Miss Amanda Johnson, while on her way to Ames to visit her son, Rev. A. W. Caul, pastor of the Baptist church in that city.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barr of Cedar Rapids spent Sunday at the S. K. Virtue home and left today for Sioux City. Mrs. Barr was formerly Miss Georgia Zeitler, a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Virtue and made her home here for some time.

—Mrs. W. L. R. Perry arrived home this morning from a three weeks visit in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Albert Lea. Mr. Perry and daughter, Miss Helen, went to Albert Lea Saturday night and accompanied her home.

H. E. Schroeder, who resides on east Second street, was taken violently ill with stomach trouble Saturday night. He is able to sit up today and will soon be about again.

Willie Yungelas, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Yungelas of near Highview, suffered a severe cut to the third finger on his right hand Saturday when he caught it between the reel and knife of the lawn mower he was repairing. He was brought to this city and a physician took the necessary stitches in the wound.

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