

HUNDREDS OF WAR MAKE STAMBOUL CHARNEL HOUSE

Turks Do Not Know They Are Whipped, Although Pestilence Is Rampant in Their Capital

PLIGHT OF SOLDIERS BEYOND DESCRIPTION

Fires of Burning Ghats Fed With Bodies of Dead From Bulgar Lead

France Stands by Russia Also Sides With England

PARIS, Dec. 5.—That France, in the present European crisis, is working side by side with her ally, Russia, and her friend, England, stands out clearly in the important address delivered by Premier Poincaré to the committee on foreign affairs of the chamber of deputies today.

"We stand by our allies and our friendships," M. Poincaré was applauded enthusiastically by his hearers for having constantly labored for the "moral patrimony of France."

Daily Telegraph in a dispatch says: Little importance is attached here to Greece's unexplained failure to sign the armistice. The opinion is expressed that Greece will take no action during the interregnum and that it is incapable of any serious military action.

Greece's part in the war on land is very trifling, and the result might have been disastrous but for the extraordinary rapidity of the Serbian movement southward. Greece largely failed in the part assigned it during the campaign and was unable to advance on Saloniki until the Serbians established touch with its army from the north.

Greece failed to take Monastir, as had been arranged, even declining to assist the Serbians in the attack on the town, although having two divisions within reach.

SERBS SAVE GREEK FACE

The portion of the Turkish army retreating from Saloniki met a severe defeat on those divisions, capturing 12 guns that subsequently were taken from the Greeks by the pursuing Serbians, who continue to hold the guns in spite of appeals from the Greeks for their restoration.

CONSTANTINOPLE AN INFERNO ON EARTH

Special Dispatch to The Call

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Constantinople is one great pest house lit by the fires of burning ghats, where the dead are burned by night. Yet the people do not know they are whipped and are fighting like demons.

This did Quill Jones, returning today from the North Carolina line, King Albert, characterize conditions in that beleaguered city. First man out of the Turkish capital to come to America he gave a graphic first hand description of the things he had seen, of circumstances and incidents of a realm terrible, as he said himself, as "Dore's pictures inferno."

"I can not begin to relate the tales of horror that are stamped on my memory," he said, when reporters found him on shipboard coming up the bay. "The suffering in the city and in the war swept environs is indescribable."

"I made a tour of the city's outskirts one day. Away off to the north, where the Tchatalja lines of forts were holding back the wave of victorious Bulgars I could hear the grumble and subdued roaring of great guns. Fighting was going on there, but all I could see was the pitiable chaos—the refuse thrown back by the grim machines of war.

"Long lines of bullock carts carrying the wounded wound from the Tchatalja heights toward the city. The men, torn by shot and bullet, lay in the straw of the carts' bottoms, jolted horribly by the springless vehicles, with not even first aid bandages about their wounds. Those able to walk staggered along, holding for support to the sides of the carts."

"Refugees and wounded soldiers mingled in one interminable line of retreat. The noncombatants who were pouring in toward the capital from all the territory which the Bulgars have swept or were sweeping were no more fortunate than the wounded. They, too, came in carts, their household effects piled high about them."

"Whenever a bullock dropped with exhaustion—there was no feed for the animals—its owner would cut its throat and men would scramble over the carcass with knives to cut the flesh from the bones before the poor animal had ceased trembling."

"Then there were the fires where the dead were destroyed. They burned constantly in pits by the roadside. Bodies were dragged to the pits and cast upon the embers with no semblance of funeral rites, no weeping. In many instances no kin of the dead was there to assist. The bodies simply were so much fuel for the burning ghats."

DIED

HALLAHAN—In this city, December 5, 1912, Nellie, beloved wife of Dennis Hallahan, and devoted mother of Hazel, Edward and Herbert Hallahan, and daughter of John Hadican, a native of Winterton, Me., aged 39 years 7 months and 17 days.

THOMS—Entered into rest, in Colma, December 3, 1912, Johann, dearly beloved husband of Augusta Thoms, and devoted father of Mrs. C. Ehlers and the late Albert Thoms, and loving grandfather of Bertha, Annie, Augusta, Helen and Emma Ehlers, a native of Demme, Pomerania, Germany, aged 89 years 8 months and 9 days. A member of the Deutscher Krieger Verein.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will be held from the parlors of Sahr & Wiedholt, 1535 Valencia street, near Twenty-fifth, thence to Red Men's hall, Golden Gate avenue between Jones and Leavenworth streets, where services will be held, at 10 o'clock, at the residence of the Deutscher Krieger Verein, commencing at 1:30 p. m. Interment Mount Olivet cemetery, by electric funeral car from Thirtieth and West Mission streets.



NORTH CAROLINA HAS OUTLIVED LYNCHINGS

Governor Kitchin Says Sentiment in His State for Law Gains Strength

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and daughters of governors, left the hall on hearing this, Governor Blease subsided.

Governor Gilchrist of Florida answered Governor Blease.

"The first thing," he said, "which indicates a manly man or a womanly woman is thoughtful consideration for other people."

Later Governor Shafroth of Colorado referred to the lynch law doctrine.

"One mob can do more injury to society," he said, "than twenty murderers, because a lynching permeates the entire community and produces anarchy. The influence of mob rule is most reprehensible. When laws are made it should be the duty of a governor to enforce them, whether he approves them or not. When the law prescribes hanging for an offense and a man is found guilty, he should be hanged, whether white or black, and there is no excuse for mob law. I conceive it to be our duty as governors to declare for law and order."

Papers read by Governors Oddie of Nevada and Hawley of Idaho, on uniformity in divorce laws, were under consideration when Governor Blease spoke. He defended the position of South Carolina where no divorce is permitted for any cause. He reverted again to his pardon record, boasting that he had pardoned and paroled more negroes than all other governors of his state combined since 1876.

Announcing that there has not been a lynching in North Carolina in six years, Governor Kitchin of that state said the sentiment for standing by the laws daily gains strength. He believed there should be convictions in nearly every case when there is a lynching.

Governor Mann of Virginia added that he would call out every soldier in the state, if necessary, to protect a man under arrest and give him a fair trial.

WOUNDED MAN HAS SMALL CHANCE TO LEAVE BED ALIVE

Mrs. Widney Declares Husband Tried to End Relations With Mrs. Lyons

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everything that occurred. I knew of her fatuation for him and have long expected something like this to happen. "He described just how they quarreled; how she approached him with her hand concealed at her back in the folds of her skirt and suddenly produced a revolver, which she pushed squarely into his stomach before pulling the trigger.

"My husband left Los Angeles, saying he was going to Madeira on business. Instead, he came here, intending to break with that woman. He was going to get the letters he had written, as well as some photographs. "She has threatened to kill me, just as she has tried to kill him, and I have no doubt that she would do so for the fact that she is in jail. I know positively of attempts to murder Morton in his cell here, which she made me to throw off her influence over him. I believe he has accomplished this.

"He just told me that when he came here yesterday he got his letters and pictures from her. He felt that she would try to kill him.

"So strong was this impression that he tried surreptitiously to find a revolver he knew she owned. She had hidden it cleverly, though, and it was this weapon she shot him with later.

"Suddenly, after a little time, one of many letters that he told her that they must part forever, she approached him—so he told me a few minutes ago—and from behind her produced the revolver. She pushed it right into his stomach before firing it off.

NOT A NEMESIS

"Though my husband feels she should be dealt with leniently, I am going to insist that she be prosecuted to the limit of the law. I don't want to be misunderstood, however. I did not come here as her nemesis, but as the devoted wife of my husband, who is in trouble. At present that is all I am thinking about. I want him to get well and return to the home where we have lived happily for 10 years."

Late yesterday afternoon the police received a communication from Doctor Morton in which he stated that Widney was in an extremely dangerous condition, the bullet having penetrated the abdomen, punctured a kidney and lodged in the left hip bone, from which it had been extracted after much probing. The danger from infection is most serious, as Widney's system is being flooded by the poisons of his body which are ordinarily carried off by the organs pierced by the bullet, which was fired from an automatic revolver. This last fact is one thing in Widney's favor, for Mrs. Lyons' case and after a clean, round hole, instead of a jagged wound of the sort resulting from a soft nosed missile from an ordinary weapon.

At the city prison Mrs. Lyons is revealed in the possession of several trunks of finery, which she was permitted to select yesterday from a huge assortment in her apartments in the Sorrento.

ARRAY OF FINERY

Detectives Frank McGrayan and Bert Wren, who arrested her, accompanied her to her room, where she became immediately the center of a maelstrom of finery, expensive hats, silk gowns and fine lingerie. Finally she had sorted out a huge pile which she thought was ordinarily "carried." This was taken to the jail, and during the rest of the day she managed to change her costume many times. During the early morning she won the envy and admiration of the other female prisoners with a dainty silk breakfast cap and a morning gown of the same material. Former Justice Carroll Cook has taken Mrs. Lyons' case and after he talked with her yesterday it was rumored that he would try to secure her release on a writ of habeas corpus. Neither of them would deny or affirm this last night.

"Certainly I did not shoot Bob," she repeated last night, not at all impatient because of many interviews. "I love him to the end of the earth."

"My attorney, Judge Cook, has warned me not to talk to any one, but I can't do any harm by telling the truth, and the truth is that I am innocent of any crime. Bob loves me just as much as I love him. I don't

Prince Ready to Fall in Love American May Be His Bride

Special Dispatch to The Call NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—There is an Austrian prince in New York today—26 years old, handsome, immensely rich, a dashing soldier and a scion of one of the noblest families in his native country. And this is a tip to American girls—he is ready to fall in love. His name is Prince Stanislaus Sulkowski, from Vienna, with an ancestral castle at Tresteritz, just outside of the capital, and immense estates in Austria, Silesia and Hungary. Prince Stanislaus does not speak much English.

C. H. BAKER, RENO POLITICAL LEADER, KILLED BY DREAM

Attorney General, Imagining George Wingfield Seeks His Life, Dies of Hemorrhage

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and elsewhere in Nevada. All flags in Carson were at half mast during the day and will remain so until after the funeral, and the state offices will be closed on that day.

At 7:30 o'clock last night the body was put aboard a train for Oakland, the remains being accompanied by his widow, his mother, Mrs. George W. Baker, and his two brothers, Raymond T. Baker, former prison warden of Nevada, and Harry L. Baker of Reno. He also has a brother in Oakland, George W. Baker Jr., and a sister living in Piedmont, Mrs. J. D. Grissim. The funeral will be held in that city, where Baker was prominent socially.

GRADUATE OF STANFORD

Baker was born in Eureka, Nev., and was 28 years old. He lived in Reno as a boy and was educated in the public schools there and at Belmont academy, near San Mateo. He was graduated from Stanford university in 1904, where he was president of the Varsity Glee club, "stunt" man, intercollegiate tennis player, a member of the Zeta Psi fraternity and socially and fraternally one of the best known collegians of his time. His marriage to Miss Pansy Perkins was one of the big social events of the year.

After studying law in Reno and San Francisco he went to Tonopah, where he was successful in 1908 in a campaign on the democratic ticket for district attorney of Nye county. Two years later he was nominated for attorney general and was elected by a great majority. In that office he has made a record for efficient performance of duty that gained him wide popularity throughout the state.

Baker's father, George W. Baker, practiced law in San Francisco for many years, and his grandfather, the late Colonel David H. Hall, was a pioneer of the state of Nevada. As Baker's term of office did not expire until January, 1915, the question of appointing a successor will probably await the return of Governor Oddie from the state's governors' conference at Richmond, Va.

Body En Route to Oakland

RENO, Nev., Dec. 5.—The remains of the late Attorney General Cleveland H. Baker, who died suddenly in Carson City this morning, were sent to Oakland tonight after being escorted to Reno by state officials, including Lieutenant Governor G. C. Ross, Chief Justice J. G. Sweeney of the supreme court and Bank Examiner Eugene Howell. The relatives of the dead official went west on a later train.

The funeral, it is announced, will be held from the residence of Senator

Perkins in Oakland, father of Mrs. Baker. The time has not been set. Governor Tasker L. Oddie, at the governor's conference, Richmond, Va., was advised by his secretary by wire of the death of the attorney general, and replied that he would leave immediately for Nevada.

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