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## WARSHIPS SHELL BULGARIAN FORTS

English and French Fleets Bombard Coast on the Aegean Sea.

## RUSS ATTACK ON BLACK SEA

Serbian Forts Defending Uskub Are Under Fire of Heavy Bulgar Guns—British Troops Reach Serbia Prepared to Help.

Geneva, Oct. 25.—A dispatch from Sofia received here says the Bulgarians have captured the town of Kopruiu, on the railway line south of Uskub.

London, Oct. 25.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Saloniki states that the Destovo bridge, on the Nish-Saloniki railway, between Saloniki and the Serbian frontier, has been destroyed.

London, Oct. 25.—Harbor works, the railway station and shipping in the harbor were destroyed when a fleet of English and French warships bombarded Dedeagatch, it was officially announced by the admiralty.

London, Oct. 25.—English and French warships are bombarding the Bulgarian coast on the Aegean sea.

Russian warships are bombarding the Bulgarian coast on the Black sea.

British troops have reached Serbia, prepared to help King Peter's army against the attacks of the Bulgars.

Forts defending Uskub, the most important railway town in central Serbia, are under the fire of heavy Bulgarian guns.

The Serbs are putting up a magnificent fight, but thus far have been unable to stem the advance of the German, Austrian and Bulgarian armies.

Foregoing were the outstanding features of the military situation in the Balkans as revealed in dispatches received here from Athens, Saloniki, Bucharest and Berlin.

**Forts Badly Damaged.**

For forty miles along the Aegean seacoast of Bulgaria British and French warships from the Dardanelles fleet are hurling shells into Bulgarian defensive works The forts defending Dedeagatch have been badly damaged, it is reported from Saloniki

On the Black sea coast a severe artillery duel is raging between the artillery shore batteries and the Russian warships.

German gunners are manning Bulgarian artillery at critical points. The Bulgars have rushed an immense quantity of heavy artillery to the Serbian frontier near Strumnitza, where the Saloniki-Nish railway runs close to the line with the idea of bombarding the road to prevent the transportation of Anglo-French troops northward.

**Bulgars Dominate Railroad.**

At least one hundred miles of the Saloniki-Nish railroad line is either in possession of the Bulgarians or else is dominated by the Bulgarian artillery.

The rejection by Greece of the offer of the island of Cyprus to help the allies has aroused intense pessimism in official circles of London and Paris. While Greece has not made any definite step toward helping the Teutonic powers she has refused all the overtures of the entente powers There is a strong fleet of British and French warships in Greek waters.

**French Official Announcement.**

Paris, Oct. 25.—Allied warships bombarded the Bulgarian coast and the port of Dedeagatch on Thursday afternoon, the French ministry of marine announced. The bombardment resulted in the destruction of military posts on the coast. The official statement issued by the ministry of marine follows:

"In the afternoon of October 21 allied warships bombarded the warehouses, magazines and approaches to the port of Dedeagatch without firing on the residential section of the city.

"In addition they destroyed a certain number of works and military posts of observation on the Bulgarian coast."

**Bombardment Failure—Sofia.**

Sofia, Oct. 25.—Bombardment of the port of Dedeagatch by the Anglo-French fleet was a complete failure from a military viewpoint, the Bulgarian war office announced, adding that no real damage was caused.

Attaches of the war office expressed the belief that the bombardment was ordered for the political effect that it might have in Greece, rather than in the belief that it would interfere with the Bulgarian campaign in any way.

## TRAIN HITS AUTO; TWO HURT

Springfield (Ill.) Men Injured, Probably Fatally, at Grade Crossing in Decatur.

Decatur, Oct. 25.—Harry P. Skibitzke and George Taylor, both of Springfield, were probably fatally injured when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by an Illinois Central passenger train at the Water street crossing here.

**Say Passports Abused.**

London, Oct. 25.—The British government is preparing a protest against the abuse of American passports by persons to whom they are issued. An official statement on the subject will soon be issued.

MISS ISABELLE HAGNER

Miss Isabelle Hagner of Washington, who for several seasons has been social secretary of the White House, is to be married in November to Norman James, a prominent resident of Baltimore. The wedding will be one of the big social events of the season.

## TAKES FOOD CONTROL

German Imperial Government Takes Charge of Distribution.

Will Regulate Supplies and Prices of All Victuals in Order to Provide for Winter.

Berlin, Oct. 25. — The imperial government of Germany has announced that it will shortly take over absolute control of food distribution and prices, thus removing the control from the state and provincial authorities which have had charge of it. The announcement of the imperial government, given out through the Overseas News Agency, follows:

"The German imperial government intends to take into its own hands the prices and supplies of foodstuffs for all Germany, control of which up until the present had been in the hands of the state and provincial authorities. It is now considered necessary to equalize the position of the various sections of the empire so as to distribute prices and victuals, which are abundant, more equitably. Under present conditions some of the states and provinces have less food on hand than others.

"New regulations will be made in order to avoid these differences and distribute evenly all over Germany the foodstuffs in order to provide for the winter. The government wishes to assure full supply at reasonable price. Conferences have been commenced on the subject and a decision is expected at once."

## TEUTONS CROSS THE DRINA

Bulgars Capture Rogeljveo and Negotin in Northeastern Serbia—Russ Ranships Shell Germans.

Berlin, Oct. 25.—Troops comprising the Western wing of the Teutonic army invading Serbia have crossed the Drina river, the war office announced.

Rogeljveo and Negotin, which are in northeastern Serbia, were taken by the Bulgarians, who are steadily advancing toward a junction with the Austro-German forces.

In the district along the Gulf of Riga Russian warships bombarded positions held by the Germans, later landing some troops near Domesnaes.

## ENGLISHMEN RUSH TO COLORS

Britain Gains Troops Through the Killing of Miss Edith Cavell by Germans.

London, Oct. 25.—Taking instant advantage of the impetus given to army enlistments by Miss Edith Cavell's execution in Brussels, recruiting officers are pushing their campaign vigorously throughout the British isles. Army officers declare no incident of the war, not the Lusitania incident nor the Zeppelin raids, has been of so much help to them in bringing the material they want with a rush to the colors.

**Increased Rates Justified.**

Washington, Oct. 25.—Increased rates on fertilizer and fertilizer products from New Orleans and other Louisiana points to Chicago, St. Louis, Milwaukee, Cincinnati and other northern cities were declared justified by the interstate commerce commission.

**Cricket Expert Dies.**

London, Oct. 25.—Dr. William G. Grace, England's most famous cricket player and expert, died, aged sixty-seven.

**Turks Silence Allies' Guns.**

Constantinople, Oct. 25.—The war office announced that Turkish batteries Friday silenced the guns of enemy warships and land artillery.

## GREECE DEFIES ENTENTE POWERS

Refuses Either to Carry Out Obligations or Disband Its Army.

## FEARS TO AID THE ALLIES

Identical Note to France, Great Britain, Italy and Russia Declares Nation, However Small, Has Right to Decide.

Rome, Oct. 25.—Greece has defied the entente powers by refusing either to carry out its obligations under the Greco-Serb treaty or to disband its army. In a joint note presented to the French, British, Italian and Russian ministers at Athens Premier Zaimis declared that Greece, as a sovereign state, has the right to regulate its own affairs.

The Greek premier pledges his government not to interfere with the passage of the allies through Grecian territory, but states that the army will remain in a state of mobilization.

**Decides Question for Itself.**

Protests by the allies that the Greek government has not correctly interpreted the treaty with Serbia is answered by the statement that Greece can decide this question for itself, and has already done so.

"Greece does not forget that a state, no matter how small, has the absolute right to regulate its own fortunes."

This is the concluding sentence of the note which is declared to be an exact representation of the government's attitude in refusing to join the allies in the war.

Greece would ruin herself without saving Serbia by fighting with the foes of the kaiser, the note says. Furthermore, it declares that the Austro-German attack on Serbia releases Greece at least from the obligation of armed intervention and that independent of that attack it is materially impossible for Serbia to give Greece the support of 150,000 men stipulated in the treaty in case of war with Bulgaria and that the entente powers have not furnished a contingent equivalent.

**Allies Need 400,000 Men.**

The note adds that the specialists best qualified consider that the Balkan expedition would require at least 400,000 men, and that under these conditions Greece would ruin herself without even the consolation of saving Serbia.

"On the other hand," says the note, "Greece offers all the service she can render in allowing the free passage over its territory of the allies' troops going to the Serbian front, and in maintaining her own army on a war footing."

The note expresses the gratitude of Greece for the offers made, though not yet concrete, and thanks England for the offer of Cyprus. It recalls the Greek sympathies for the entente and the benevolence of the neutrality maintained thus far.

## GERMAN CRUISER AT LARGE

American Steamer Zealandia Converted Into Warship—Teutons Escaped From Norfolk on Vessel?

Washington, Oct. 25.—Reports received by the department of justice from its agents confirmed the report that the American steamer Zealandia, which sailed from Pensacola, Fla., October 7, has been converted into a German cruiser, and will be used for raiding the commerce of the allies. The Zealandia discharged its regular crew at Pensacola and shipped a crew made up entirely of Germans, government agents reported. It is believed here that the Germans who escaped from the interned ship at Norfolk, Va., are aboard the Zealandia.

## AIRMEN RAID BULGAR TOWNS

Anglo-French Aeroplanes Drop Bombs on Dedeagatch-Adrianople Railway Saloniki Reports.

Athens, Oct. 25.—Aeroplanes from the Anglo-French fleet in the Aegean sea shelled the Bulgar-Turkish railway between Dedeagatch and Adrianople on Friday, according to word received from Saloniki. Several bombs are said to have been dropped upon the outskirts of Adrianople, where there is great military activity.

This was the first air attack against the Bulgars since they entered the war.

## FRENCH TROOPS WITH SERBS

Frenchmen Now Fighting Against the Bulgarians in Southeastern Serbia—Bulgars Capture Veles.

Nish, Oct. 25.—French troops are now fighting with the Serbian troops against the Bulgarians in southeastern Serbia, the war office announced. The city of Veles has been captured by the Bulgarians, says the official statement.

**Big Toll for Submarines.**

Berlin, Oct. 25.—British merchant ships to the number of 288 were sunk up to the middle of October and 275 fishing craft sunk up to September 14 the Overseas News agency stated.

## LOTS OF TROUBLE IN SIGHT FOR U. S.

Work Cut Out for Next Few Months in Preventing Revolutions.

## CENTRAL AMERICA ON VERGE

Soldiers of Fortune Who Have Been Serving With Carranza, Villa, Huerta and Other Mexicans Ready to Transfer.

Washington, Oct. 25.—According to the best information obtainable here the United States will have its work cut out for it for the next few months in preventing the institution of a series of revolutionary movements that will set Central America aflame. Soldiers of fortune who have been serving with Carranza, Villa, Huerta and other Mexican leaders are now deserting them and offering their services to the perpetual revolutionary juntas maintained in New Orleans and other southern cities. And with the Mexican situation far from settled and with Haiti in such a state that occupancy for five years will be necessary to stamp out the rebellious Cacos the outlook is far from being reassuring to the state department.

**Villa Not Through.**

So far as Mexico is concerned the latest information obtainable by the state department is that Villa has about a six months' supply of ammunition on hand and can probably maintain his positions in Sonora for an indefinite time, although he will very likely have to give up all of Chihuahua. The most disquieting news reaching here, however, is that Felix Diaz is co-operating with Zapata and that the combined columns may become a serious menace to Mexico City.

So far as Haiti is concerned Rear Admiral Caperton and his marines hold the sea coast and some of the roads into the interior. When they begin their planned general round-up of the natives to disarm them serious trouble is certain.

The Honduran revolution is still in an incipient stage. Followers of General Maximo Burro Rosales have assembled an expedition at Quintana Roo, within a day's sail of the Honduran coast, and also have purchased munitions and supplies in New Orleans. Rosales is en route to Washington. He says he is coming on a pleasure trip. His enemies declare that he seeks to establish a revolutionary junta.

**Revolt in Guatemala.**

The situation in Nicaragua has not yet been cleared up by the state department and details are eagerly being sought.

Conflicting explanations are offered for the disorders in Guatemala. It is accepted that an open revolt is in progress against President Estrada Cabrera, who has been succeeding himself in office for eighteen years. Officials here believe that this movement is being backed by disgruntled Carranzistas from Mexico and they believe that it can be stamped out as the Guatemalan army is a finely equipped and disciplined one.

## EXPECT WHOLESALE ARRESTS

Secret Service Men at Work on Mexican Border Report to Department of Justice.

Washington, Oct. 25.—Wholesale arrests are imminent in San Francisco and New Orleans of men alleged to be behind the movement to foment an uprising of Mexicans along the Texas border. A report was received by Assistant Attorney Warren from a special agent on the Texas border which shows that the "plan of San Diego," which proposed the recapture of Texas by Mexicans, has not been stamped out, as generally believed by government officials. Fresh literature urging Mexicans to take up arms against Americans is being received along the border daily from New Orleans and San Francisco. The department of justice in consequence of the report is rushing additional secret service agents to both those cities and also to border points.

## ASSAULTS BY GERMANS FAIL

Teutons Suffer Heavy Losses in Efforts to Recapture Tahure—French Prepared for Gas Shells.

Paris, Oct. 25.—Fierce assaults were made by the Germans in Champagne in efforts to recapture Tahure, but the assaults resulted in failure, the war office announced. The attacking forces suffered heavy losses, being mowed down by the fire of the French troops. Before beginning the attacks the Germans bombarded the French lines with shells containing poison gases Owing to the methods now used by the French to combat this manner of fighting, the Germans found General Joffre's forces ready for the mass attacks that followed.

**Declares Execution Justified.**

Berlin, Oct. 25.—The North German Gazette, official organ of the government, declared that the execution of Miss Edith Cavell at Brussels was entirely justified, she having been convicted of treason.

## DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA MEET

EXCELLENT PROGRAM AND BRILLIANT GATHERINGS AT CAPITAL OF KENTUCKY.

## ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE

Reception Given By Gov. McCreary In Honor of the Daughters—State Officers Attend.

(Special Frankfort Correspondence.)

Frankfort, Ky.—Frankfort was the scene of a brilliant gathering when Kentucky Daughters of the American Revolution assembled October 27 and 28, in the chamber of the House of Representatives in the new Capitol building, for their nineteeth annual State Conference.

A delightfully varied program was arranged through the assistance and co-operation of the two chapters in Frankfort. Anticipating the arrival of the representatives from the thirty chapters in the state, the Frankfort Chapter of Frankfort, through its regent, Mrs. William Lindsay, extended an invitation to a reception of welcome in the parlors of the Capital Hotel.

The first day of the conference, the Sussannah Hart Shelby Chapter of Frankfort, which bears the name of the wife of Kentucky's first governor, and its regent, Mrs. Joseph Baily, entertained the conferece at a luncheon in the new Capitol. Of general interest is the culminating function of the attendant gayeties, was when Gov. McCreary received at the mansion in honor of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

**Farmers and Merchants.**

An important meeting was held in the Franklin county circuit court room, when Geoffrey Morgan, of Richmond, State Agent of the Department of Agriculture, addressed the business men, particularly the merchants of Frankfort, on the subject of closer co-operation between the farmers of the county and the business men of the principal market city. Wherever the government maintains farm demonstrators it is undertaking to bring the farmers and the business men of the market towns into harmonious relationship for their mutual advantage and better understanding of common problems from their respective points of view, and Mr. Felts, farm demonstrator for this county, and the Chamber of Commerce arranged for the meeting.

**Fruit at Reformatory.**

Twelve thousand gallon cans of vegetables have been put up at the reformatory farms for the enjoyment of the prisoners this winter. The store includes corn, apples, tomatoes and beans. Warden Wells said the supply represents the equivalent of three months' provisions. The warden secured the assistance of an expert canner and found among the prisoners Robert Sanders, who has had experience in canning plants and he was put in charge of the work. The reformatory in the next few months probably will reach a record breaking population, possibly 1,500. At present there are 1,440 occupants for the 1,152 cells. The highest the population has ever reached under Warden Wells has been 1,447.

**Suffragists at Work.**

Kentucky suffragists are making vigorous plans to convert their entire congressional delegation to women suffrage, according to reports filed in the congressional headquarters of the National American Woman Suffrage Association at Washington. These reports, which are submitted by Mrs Murray Hubbard, of Fort Thomas, Kentucky, who is chairman of the state congressional committee of the Kentucky Equal Rights Association indicate that plans are completed for suffrage demonstrations this fall in seven out of Kentucky's eleven congressional districts.

**Much Interest Shown.**

Miss Annie Lee Samuels, of this city, is the first woman game warden in the state of Kentucky She is an employe in the office of the Game and Fish Commission. A number of women over the state, especially those associated with Audubon societies, have taken sufficient interest in the protection of birds to file information with the department upon which arrests have been made, but Miss Samuels was first to take advantage of the opportunity by petition to secure a commission as warden.

**Supplemental Registration.**

October 28, 29 and 30 will be supplemental registration days, when all persons who were incapacitated or who were out of the city on the regular registration day will be given opportunity to qualify for voting in the election November 2. Campaign chairmen and aides have gone over the registration lists and effort will be made to wipe the slate clean by having every voter in Frankfort who for any reason failed to register to get his certificate during the days of the supplemental registration.

## PLOT UNEARTHED

TWO MEN HELD IN THE EAST WERE FOUND TESTING SOME HIGH EXPLOSIVES.

Also a Complete Chart of New York Harbor, Showing Location of Fortifications.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

New York.—Secret Service men and detectives unearthed what they declare to be a gigantic plot to blow up munitions plants and steamships. Two men, alleged leaders of the plot, were arrested in a wood at Grantwood, N. J. At the time they were testing a small bomb filled with tri-nitrate of toluol, the highest and most readily explosive known. In a series of raids immediately after the arrest of the two men the police captured and confiscated the following: Twenty-five pounds of tri-nitrate of toluol, more than enough to blow up the entire island of Manhattan. Twenty-five large sticks of dynamite. Five ingenious mines, built to be attached to the screw of a steamship, with time-clock attachment and worth $1,000 each Two hundred cleverly constructed bomb cylinders.

A complete chart of New York Harbor, showing the location of fortifications and all steamship piers. One high-powered motor boat. One high-powered automobile of foreign make Four hundred percussion caps. Two automatic pistols of German make fully loaded, and a long knife. The men under arrest are Robert Fay, 34 years old, and Walter Schalz, 32, who for the past week have been living in the boarding house of Mrs. Walter Harbinson, at 27 Fifth street, Weehawken. From April last, up until a week ago, the two men lived in the boarding house of Mrs. Robert Stuart on Fourth street, Union Hill, N. J.

**WORLD-WIDE TRADE CAMPAIGN**

Washington.—Elaborate plans for a world-wide campaign for trade by the United States are revealed in the estimates of the Department of Commerce expenditures for the next fiscal year to be presented to congress this winter. Through the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce the Department proposes to aid American merchants and manufacturers in taking advantage of wonderful opportunities now before them, and in preparing for the struggle for trade supremacy which commercial officials are certain will follow the European war.

**DIED WITH HIS BOOTS ON**

Huntington, W. Va.—After a three hour gun battle on a wild mountain side in Wyoming county, West Virginia, Deputy Sheriffs killed Burke McClure, a desperado, wanted for the murder of his beautiful young wife and her cousin, Mrs. Gertrude Johnson, and the wounding of two others at Christian, Logan county. The deputies, numbering a half dozen, trailed McClure from Christian into the mountains. When the bandit became lax in his guard, one of the deputies crept up and sent a bullet through his head

## CINCINNATI MARKETS

Wheat—No. 2 red $1.16@1.17, No. 3 $1.09@1.15, No. 4 $1.03@1.08.

Corn—No. 1 white 70c, No. 2 white 69½@70c, No. 1 yellow 70c, No. 2 yellow 69½@70c, No. 1 mixed 69½c, No 2 mixed 69@69½c.

Oats—No. 2 white 43@43½c, standard white 41@42c, No. 3 white 38½@39½c, No. 4 white 36@37c, No. 2 mixed 39@40c, No. 3 mixed 37@38c, No. 4 mixed 35½@36½c.

Hay—No. 1 timothy $18.50, No. 2 $16.50, No. 3 $15.50, No. 1 clover mixed $15, No. 2 $13, No. 1 clover $13, No 2 $11.

Mill Feed—Bran $21, mixed feed $22.50@23, middlings, coarse $26, middlings, fine $27.50@28.

Rye—No. 2 $1.05@1.06, No. 3 $1.01@1.04, No. 4 95c@$1.

Eggs—Prime firsts 30c, firsts 27½c ordinary firsts 24c, seconds 20c.

Poultry—Broilers, 2 lbs and under 16c; fryers, over 2 lbs, 14c; roasting chickens, 4 lbs and over, 14c; fowls 5 lbs and over, 13½c; under 5 lbs, 12c; under 3½ lbs, 10c; roosters, 9c; ducks white, 3 lbs and over, 15½c; under 3 lbs, 14½c; colored, 13@14c; young turkeys, 8 lbs and over, 18c; hen turkeys, 8 lbs and over, 18c; old tom turkeys, 10 lbs and over, 18c.

Cattle—Shippers $6@7.85, extra $7.90@8.25; butcher steers, extra $7.25@7.75; heifers, extra $6.75@7, good to choice $6@6.65, common to fair $4.25@5.75; cows, extra $5.50@6, good to choice $4.25@5.25, common to fair $3@4, canners $2.50@3.75, stockers and feeders $4@7.

Bulls—Bologna $5@5.75, fat bulls $4@6.50.

Calves—Extra $10, fair to good $6.75@7.15, common and large $4.25@9.50.

Hogs—Selected heavy shippers $7.75@7.80, good to choice packers and butchers $7.75@7.80, mixed packers $7.45@7.75, stags $5@6.75, common to choice heavy fat sows $6@7, light shippers $6.75@7, pigs (110 lbs and less) $4@6.50.

**SOLDIER IS SHOT IN SKIRMISH**

Brownsville, Texas.—Soldiers of the Fourth United States Infantry and Mexican bandits engaged in a skirmish at the scene of the train robbery and murders. One American soldier, Private Herman E. Moore, was wounded, according to reports received at Ft. Brown. Sergeant Arthur Estridge of Company C, Fourth Infantry, was in command of the detachment attacked. He reported to Fort Brown headquarters that five Mexicans were seen to cross the railway track.

**Uncle Jud On How To Advertise.**

Some folks who mean all right enough would open wide their eyes, If you should tell 'em that they don't know how to advertise. They think that with success their efforts surely will be crowned, If they employ small boys to throw their printed handbills round; And seldom get inside the homes to be read and discussed; It's just a waste to throw them out broadcast into the street—For the same amount of money one could advertise in the home sheet; The "ad" would reach the women folks, for they're the ones who buy. And they're lookin' out for bargains; lookin' out with eagle eye. Other merchants waste their money paintin' signs on barns and trees, And disfigurin' the landscape with announcements such as these:

GO TO MURPHY'S FOR YOUR SCHOOL BOOKS! BRADLEY'S DRUG STORE LEADS 'EM ALL!

PATRONIZE THE ONE PRICE CLOTHIER! BUY YOUR FEED OF SMITH AND HALL!

Why not be a bit progressive; boost your town and do your part; And patronize the paper with your interests at heart? Thus, you are not only get results, but help the paper build, a prosperous community with happy merchants filled.

**Make It A National Crusade.**

One of the Chicago papers has hit upon an exposure and reform that ought to be speedily converted into a national crusade. It is entitled "Useless Laws Driving Us to Lawlessness." It deals with the appalling increase in arrests in American cities, and also rural communities, due to statute and ordinances that are the result of reformed-crazed people.

We boast of being a free people, self-governed and all that, yet we make more interference with the liberties of the people than any other country on earth, and we have a record of more arrests and more men who have been compelled to look through the steel bars of jails. And we endure it without protest. Most of the laws under which these appalling arrests are made are the fulminations of half-diseased brains, men and women crazy with the idea of making others conform to their standards of morals or even living. We see legislature after legislature piling on these useless laws, and most of us have become so cowardly that we are afraid to protest some for fear of being called unprogressive if we do not fall into line with each new theory of the social reformers.

Those who by reason of balanced brains ought to be influential at the polls are a pathetic, disguested with the whole "game" or merely cowardly—and often they do not want their money making processes interfered with—and so it is that we have our statutes clogged with laws that do not represent public sentiment or opinion laws, that make criminals of thousands of Americans and put on the stain of arrest and imprisonment.—Evening Times, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

**Concentration.**

An editor of the Ohio State Journal went to see a vaudeville performer who does a dozen or more interesting sunts in an almost perfect way. Then he returned to his sanctum and wrote an excellent little sermon for the young on the beauties of concentration.

This recalls the story of the Chicago lady who told Author Arnold Bennett that his famous chapter on "Concentration" had greatly aided her.

"Why," she said, "I never knew what it was to concentrate before."

The author was interested.

"And on what have you concentrated madam?" he asked.

"Oh, on lots and lots of things," she replied.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.