

GERMANY'S NEW NOTE ON THE ARABIC MATTER UNPLEASING

Believed There Will be Further Negotiations and that United States Will Win Out

(By Associated Press.) The new German note on the Arabic incident is unsatisfactory. The situation, however, is not considered critical. President Wilson and state department officials believe the note is not sufficiently specific in its disavowal, and assurances of non-repetition and proper reparation. It is believed that further negotiations are possible, and that Germany will probably finally agree with America.

ARROW-ROCK DAM ENGINEERING FEAT

STRUCTURE COST ABOUT SIX MILLIONS

STORAGE WILL ENABLE FULLY A QUARTER MILLION ACRES TO BE IRRIGATED

(By Associated Press.) BOISE, Idaho, Oct. 4.—Arrow Rock dam, just completed near Boise by the United States reclamation service and dedicated here today, is 348.5 feet high, measured from the low point of the foundation to the top of its surmounting crest, and is said to be the highest dam in the world.

To anchor this structure it was necessary to blast through 91.5 feet of volcanic rock, down to solid granite. Approximately 600,000 yards of concrete, besides a large quantity of steel and rock were used in the dam's construction, the cost being \$5,500,000, or \$2,000,000 under the original estimate. Work was begun five years ago.

Back of the dam the channel of the Boise river is converted into a reservoir extending 18 miles into the mountains, with a storage capacity of 80 billion gallons, enough to water 234,000 acres adjacent to Boise and other towns, in what is known as the Boise irrigation project. The installation of the system cost the government \$12,000,000, which is to be repaid by settlers in 20 years. The water storage this year has saved the crops on 100,000 acres, the value of which is estimated to be about equal to the cost of the dam.

A feature of the dam is a device at one end for lifting logs from the reservoir into a concrete chute, landing them in the river below, for the convenience of sawmills. Loggers estimate that there are three billion feet of timber to be lifted over the dam.

A standard gauge railway, 17 miles long, operated by the government, an electric plant generating 3000 horsepower, and a telephone system extending to every part of the irrigation system, are features.

TONOPAH TEAM WON WREATHS OF LAUREL

FIRST AID AND MINE RESCUE MEN RETURN FROM BIG TOURNEY AT SAN FRANCISCO

With the exception of three of the members, who took side trips trips and got in this morning, the first aid and mine rescue team of the Tonopah Mine Operators' association arrived yesterday morning from San Francisco and were greeted at the depot by a number of friends who extended them the congratulations they deserved for their splendid work in the contests at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

"Of five possible prizes," said Captain Berry, "Nevada took three and of the three Tonopah secured two. This was in competition with half a hundred teams, representing eighteen states and territories.

"Tonopah was disqualified for contesting for the main prize, inasmuch as we were a district team instead of representing a single company. But if we had been permitted to get into the main event, we believe that Tonopah would have covered itself with even greater glory. As it was we boasted for Ely, the winner of the first prize, as best we could."

H. B. COOKE was called to Goldfield this morning for the trial of the case of Doyle et al vs. Merkle.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

Table with 3 columns: Time, 1915, 1914. Rows include Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah, 5 a. m., 8 a. m., 12 noon, 2 p. m., and Relative humidity at 2 p. m. today, 21 per cent.

CHINA PREPARES TO DECIDE FOR FUTURE

PRIMARY AND FINAL ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD NEXT MONTH

(By Associated Press.) PEKING, Oct. 4.—The state council has passed resolutions governing the election of members to the people's conference to decide whether China is to become a monarchy. The primaries will be held November 5th, and the finals on the 15th. Should the elected members favor a monarchy, a new constitution will be considered.

LAST DAY IN WHICH BULGARIA MAY CHOOSE

RUSSIA SENDS ITS ULTIMATUM TO THE WAVERING BALKAN NATION

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Oct. 4.—Bulgaria must choose sides today, according to the terms of a Russian ultimatum. The opposition party has named M. Malinoff, the leader of the Bulgarian democrats, to negotiate with the ministers of the entente powers.

ALLIES ARE WEAKENED BY LOSS OF LIFE

GERMAN TROOPS ARE DAILY RETAKING GROUND GAINED BY BRITISH

(By Associated Press.) BERLIN, Oct. 4.—Dispatches from the front report that the allies' loss has been too great to permit of further attacks. German troops are constantly retaking the ground recently gained by the British.

CRIMINAL CASES MAY NOT COME TO TRIAL

SEVERAL HUNDRED SERIOUS CASES ARE OUTGROWTH OF LABOR DISORDER

(By Associated Press.) DENVER, Oct. 4.—The dismissal of several criminal cases resulting from the coal strike disorders of 1913-14 are imminent, sources close to the administration say. Several hundred cases charging murder and conspiracy, are pending. Lawson, a labor leader, was sentenced to life for murder as an outgrowth of the disorders.

TURKEY WARNED THAT ATROCITIES MUST END

ULTIMATUM IS SENT TO SICK MAN OF EUROPE ON ARMENIAN CASE

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Ambassador Morgenthau has been instructed by cable to inform the Turkish minister of foreign affairs that unless the Armenian atrocities cease, friendly relations between the American and Turkish people are threatened. Public sentiment in America is deeply stirred at reports of the massacres.

MISS FRANKLIN

Miss Franklin, who was arrested on the charge of violating ordinance 34, which closed Corona avenue, was tried before Justice Dunsath this afternoon. She was found guilty and fined \$25. The case, it is understood, will be appealed.

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THIRD OF MILLION MEN CONCENTRATE

FRENCH PROGRESSING TO NORTH OF ARRAS

CONTINUOUS FIGHTING REPORTED IN TRENCHES ALONG GERMAN'S WESTERN FRONT

(By Associated Press.) PARIS, Oct. 4 (official).—An Athens dispatch says Bulgaria is concentrating an army of 350,000. The French army of 300,000. The French continue progress north of Arras and there is continuous fighting in the trenches at Nouvron, Quennevires and Champagne. French aeroplanes dropped forty bombs on the railway station at Metz.

ALLIED AEROPLANES BOMBARD ZEEBRUGGE

FIVE AIRCRAFT MAKE SUNDAY ATTACK AND TWO COME TO GRIEF

(By Associated Press.) AMSTERDAM, Oct. 4.—Five allied aeroplanes on Sunday Bombed Zeebrugge, dropping 75-pound bombs. The German anti-aircraft guns brought down one and a defective motor compelled another to land, but it succeeded in alighting in Dutch territory. A British officer was captured and interned.

OUTLOOK FOR COTTON IS RATHER DISMAL

HEAVY DECLINE SHOWN IN THE FORECAST OF PRODUCTION FOR PRESENT SEASON

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—The department of agriculture reports growing cotton shows a decline for September which is almost double the average decline for the last decade, and decreases the forecast of production by one million bales. The department estimates that crop at 10,950,000 500-pound bales, which is the smallest crop since 1909. California leads in acre yield, 499 bales, with its condition estimated at 95.

TRIAL FOR MURDER TIMES CASE BEGINS

CASE WILL BE HARD FOUGHT AND PROBABLY LONG CONTINUED

(By Associated Press.) LOS ANGELES, Oct. 4.—The trial of Matthew Schmidt, charged with murdering Charles Haggerty, victim of the Times explosion, began this morning. The prosecution announced that it was ready to proceed and asked that thirteen jurors be empaneled as a precaution in case of sickness. It will probably be a long trial. District Attorney Woolwine and J. W. Noel, an attorney from Indianapolis, will conduct the prosecution. C. H. Fairall, Job Harriman and Frederick Moores are conducting the defense. David Caplan, co-defendant, is present.

TWO TOWNS ARE TAKEN BY GEN. LUIS HERRERA

(By Associated Press.) EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 4.—The Carranza consul here announces that General Luis Herrera, leading the Mazatlan force, has taken two towns and is advancing upon Chihuahua city.

RUSSIAN SQUADRONS OFF BULGARIAN COAST

(By Associated Press.) ROME, Oct. 4.—The Tribuna says that two Russian squadrons have appeared off the Bulgarian coast near Varna, on the Black sea.

EARTH'S SURFACE TREMBLES--REPORTED DAMAGE IS LIGHT

FEDERATION LABOR AND "TORCH RULE"

UNION WORKMEN OPPOSE I. W. W. METHODS

JOHNSON'S REFUSAL TO PARDON FORD AND SUHR IS SAID TO BE "MANLY"

(By Associated Press.) SANTA ROSA, Cal., Oct. 4.—At the California Federation of Labor's convention, Paul Scharrenberg, secretary-treasurer, said that Governor Johnson's refusal to pardon Ford and Suhr was the "only manly way left open after coercion in the shape of threats," and that "it is better to leave two innocent men jailed than to suffer from torch rule. He attributed recent lawlessness to the I. W. W."

BULGARIA SAID TO BE GOING IT ALONE

GERMANY DENIES THAT IT WILL OFFICER OR FINANCE ITS NEW ALLY

(By Associated Press.) SOFIA, Oct. 4.—An official report denies that German officers will assume control of Bulgaria's military affairs or that Germany is replenishing Bulgarian funds.

GREECE JOINS THE CAUSE OF ALLIES

FRENCH FORCES LAND AT SALONIKA TO ASSIST NATION ENTERING THE WAR

(By Associated Press.) ATHENS, Oct. 4.—All doubt as to Greece joining the allies has vanished. An official Greek organ says that a French force has landed at Salonika to assist Greece.

MORGAN HAS RUSHED BIG LOAN THROUGH

NO MORE SUBSCRIPTIONS WILL BE RECEIVED AFTER 10 A. M. TOMORROW

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Morgan's has announced that no subscriptions to the foreign loan will be received after 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. This indicates the success of the underwriting.

ROCKEFELLER HEAVIEST SUBSCRIBER TO LOAN

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—It is reported that Rockefeller has subscribed \$10,000,000 to the foreign loan. He is the largest individual investor.

FORMER TONOPAH MAN LEAPS TO HIS DEATH

DESPONDENCY, AS THE RESULT OF A MENTAL AILMENT, CAUSE OF SUICIDE

Joseph Sutcliffe, a mine promoter, who resided in Tonopah for several years, being engaged in the brokerage and promotion business, and who left here about seven years ago, committed suicide in San Francisco Friday by leaping from a sixth story window of a building at 275 Post street. The sidewalk was crowded and he narrowly escaped striking pedestrians. It was apparently a case of suicide. Mr. Sutcliffe was aged about 40 years. For some time he had been suffering from mental depression. He leaves a wife and a four months' old baby. The widow was Miss Delphine St. Pierre, who was at one time a stenographer in the office of the county auditor and recorder in Tonopah. The home is at 2197 Devisadero street, San Francisco.

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Many Towns in Nevada Say That They Received a Visit From Temblor

At exactly three minutes and twenty seconds before 11 o'clock on Saturday night, for that is when the master clock in the Western Union office went out of service, and approximately when a number of other time pieces in Tonopah ceased pendulating, there came a quiver of the earth from east to west, causing droplights to gently vibrate and walls to creak and complain. This continued for some 40 seconds, the only other manifestation being the uneasiness of dumb animals, which set up a commotion all over town, for they are much more sensitive to such phenomena than are human beings.

At the end of this approximate 40 seconds the earth started to vibrate more strongly, continuing for seven seconds, during which those who were asleep awoke and those who were awake wondered what would happen next. The "next" was a jolly little bump after which the vibrations ceased in another second or two.

It was probably the longest continued earthquake ever felt in the state of Nevada, but it did relatively small damage because it was not accompanied by the usual "twister" at the end.

Damage in Tonopah was so slight that it is hardly worth mentioning. The earth movement was a small fraction of an inch, just enough to make it difficult for the guides in some of the shafts to accommodate the cross-heads. A little easing up relieved these difficulties.

Goldfield also got a good shaking up and Sodaville people declare it was a hummer. John A. Moore, who came in from there yesterday, says it threw his 200 pounds of avoirdupois out of bed. The crew and passengers on Sunday's train 24 explained their two hours' lateness by the care that had to be exercised in feeling their way across the bridges which had been sprung and over track that was slightly out of alignment.

The shock in Reno was severe, the seismograph registering for 40 seconds. There were two shocks felt there earlier in the evening and recorded in seismograms, while there was a very slight one felt in Tonopah.

POT POURRI OF NEWS FROM CAPITAL CITY

CANAL OPENING DELAYED--WILSON WILL SEE GAMES--SOMETHING ABOUT POETRY

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Slides have delayed the opening of the canal until probably the 1st of November. President Wilson is planning to attend the world's championship series baseball game Saturday at Philadelphia. President Wilson, Secretary of the Navy Daniels, and Representative Padgett, chairman of the house naval committee, have decided that the program planned for submission to congress will include fast battle cruisers, of which there are none in the navy at the present time. Secretary Lane suggests the reading of one of James Whitcomb Riley's poems in all the schools of America on October 7, Riley's birthday. He said that Riley and Howells are the only survivors of the generation of distinctly American poets.

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THREE THOUSAND MEN WALK OUT ON STRIKE

(By Associated Press.) SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Oct. 4.—Today 1500 machinists and 1500 electricians went on strike quietly at the General Electric company's plant. The strikers have been working ten hours, and demand an eight-hour day.

BONNIE CLARE MINER COMMITS SUICIDE

G. H. MILLER CUTS HIS THROAT WHILE AT HIS CLAIM IN CALIFORNIA

G. H. Miller, a prospector, who resided for some years at Bonnie Clare in the southern end of Nye county, was found dead at his claims near Boulder creek, Plumas county, California, several days ago. His throat was cut, his face slashed and his body stabbed in several places. It was at first thought that he had been murdered, but investigation showed that he had doubtless committed suicide in most despicable fashion. He had been dead for several days when the body was found.

JOHN H. EDGERS of San Francisco is a guest at the Mizpah.

INTERNATIONAL DRY FARM CONGRESS MEETS

TILLERS OF SOIL ARE WARNED NOT TO GAMBLE WITH NATURE

(By Associated Press.) DENVER, Oct. 4.—The eleventh annual convention of the International Dry-Farming Congress opened in Denver today, when Congressman F. W. Mondell of Wyoming, the president of the congress, delivered his annual address. He noted with regret that the war in Europe had caused the absence of delegates to the congress from certain European countries.

Representative Mondell warned the dry-farm men not to gamble with nature. Notwithstanding that the past season had brought an unusual rainfall and bounteous crops on dry farms, he cautioned against any relaxation in the application of scientific methods of moisture conservation. This alone, he said, would make farming uniformly safe and profitable in regions of normally limited rainfall.

"More than half the cultivated and cultivable areas of our country and of the earth," he said, "normally have insufficient precipitation to insure the growth of profitable crops. Gambling never pays in the long run; and its hazards are never greater than when one stakes his enterprise on the hope that nature will depart from her normal attitude in favor of his venture."

BRITISH MONITORS DAMAGED

(By Associated Press.) BERLIN, Oct. 4 (Official).—German airships today damaged two British monitors at Lapanne.

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DAILY FEATURES

TONIGHT "A Royal Family"

Featuring ANN MURDOCK in her first appearance upon the screen

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Tomorrow PARAMOUNT TRAVEL PICTURES and "AFTER FIVE," with Theodore Roberts, a Tonopah favorite.

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