

KILLING ALL REFUGEES

Turkish Troops Ruthlessly Cutting Down

ALL ATTEMPTING ESCAPE

From the Disturbed Districts Into Bulgaria—More Villages Devastated.

Sofia, Sept. 15.—News was received today that the Turkish cavalry along the Bulgarian frontier are ruthlessly cutting down all refugees who attempt to escape from the disturbed districts into Bulgaria. Another despatch says that the Albanians have devastated the villages of Maple, Dokozak and Saraliza, killing many inhabitants.

THE TURKS ADVANCING.

Troops of the Sultan Approaching the Bulgarian Frontier.

Paris, Sept. 15.—The foreign office advices from Bulgaria show that the situation is growing more serious, owing to reports that the Turkish troops are slowly nearing the border. If their advance continues there will be a general mobilization of the Bulgarian forces, preparatory to meeting eventualities.

A Russo-Austrian note to the powers has been received here and is now under consideration. It sets forth that in the event of hostilities between Turkey and Bulgaria Russia and Austria will not give their support to either of the parties, but will hold each of them to a strict accountability for their actions. It is expected that France will adhere to the Russo-Austrian attitude.

ATTITUDE OF THE POWERS.

They Await the Conference of Czar and Emperor of Austria.

London, Sept. 15.—Beyond making urgent representations to Bulgaria it is learned from a well informed diplomatic source the powers will take no action to avert war in the Balkans until the conference between the czar and Emperor Francis Joseph at Vienna during the latter part of the month. The result of this decision will be to continue to leave Turkey a free hand in the ruthless suppression of the insurrection, unless Bulgaria, unmindful of the warning of the powers that she will reap nothing from intervention, should act, an eventuality which the diplomats fear cannot long be postponed. Turkey has assured Great Britain, as well as the other powers, that she now has the revolutionary situation well in hand, protesting that her troops are showing admirable self-restraint. Nevertheless interest is taken here in the suggestion of the Novoe Yrenya of St. Petersburg as a solution of the difficulties, that officers of the foreign powers be attached to all Turkish repressive expeditions, with authority to prevent unnecessary cruelty.

The policy of Greece has been cleared up in the official mind by the declaration of her minister in London, who is understood to be satisfied that nothing will be done by the British government, even to prevent the atrocities, unless in concert with all the powers. It is reiterated strongly by a responsible authority that Russia is acting solely in the interests of peace and entirely aboveboard and that Great Britain, while carefully watching developments, has expressed herself in a manner which, it is stated, indicates that she is satisfied on this score.

A Turkish official says the dispatches show that quiet continues to prevail at Beirut, and the appointment of Kluzim Bey as governor of Beirut is believed to show the porte's appreciation of the necessity for preserving order.

BATTLES IN PIRIN MOUNTAINS.

Turks Reported to Have Lost Fifty Killed and Forty Wounded.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Sept. 15.—A courier who has just arrived here brought details of the engagements fought in the mountains of Pirin recently. On Aug 28 a band led by Stoganoof fought a force of Turkish troops. The Turks lost fifty men killed and had forty men wounded. Gogroff's band, Sept. 1, on Albutin heights fought 200 Turks, who lost twelve men.

It is reported that Turkish troops have raided the Bulgarian frontier near Tekendsche and have driven off three herds of sheep. The Turkish soldiers at Kirk-Killesch, thirty-two miles from Adrianople, in Turkish territory, are said to have fired on the French consuls, breaking the windows.

A party of Turks bivouaching near Glohepe had with them twenty Bulgarian women and girls. Five hundred fugitive women and children have arrived at Tekendsche.

Albanian and Turkish troops in the vilayet of Adrianople are burning and plundering the villages and murdering the inhabitants. The troops seem bent on making a clean sweep of the entire Bulgarian element, and Christians of other nationalities are not faring much better. The Albanian soldiers are entirely beyond control. At Kosturse several influential boys complained of their atrocities, and their property was promptly burned.

FAILED TO BREAK RECORD.

Major Delmar Went Mile in 2:00 3/4 at Readville.

Readville, Mass., Sept. 14.—Although weather and track conditions were ideal, Major Delmar failed to beat Lou Dillon's two minute record today, principally through poor pacemaking. The gelding with the assistance of an automobile for the first half and running horse in the second, covered the mile in 2:00 3/4.

After scoring three times, the horse was sent away with the automobile slightly behind on the outside. The quarter was made in 50 3/4. At the three-eighths pole a runner started in and the half was made in 1:00 1/2. The automobile also continued to pace. The three quarters was trotted in 1:30 3/4 and everything looked bright for the smashing of the two minute mark when the runner faltered slightly and McDonald was forced to pull up a bit, losing a full second, it is believed. After the effort McDonald said that he believed Major Delmar could beat two minutes.

LEAGUE BASE BALL.

American League Leaders Defeated by New York.

Yesterday's National League scores: At St. Louis, (1st game) New York 8, St. Louis 2; (2nd game) New York 5, St. Louis 0.

At Pittsburgh, Philadelphia 10, Pittsburgh 2.

At Chicago, Chicago 6, Brooklyn 2. At Cincinnati, Cincinnati 11, Boston 4.

National League Standing. Won. Lost. Per. Won. Lost. Per. Pittsburgh 41 277 Brooklyn 63 290 New York 74 303 St. Louis 62 74 410 Chicago 75 282 Philadelphia 61 280 Cincinnati 57 248 St. Louis 42 37 235

Yesterday's American League scores: At Detroit, (1st game) Detroit 5, Chicago 1; (2nd game) Chicago 10, Detroit 8. At Washington, Philadelphia 13, Washington 1.

At Boston, New York 4, Boston 2.

American League Standing. Won. Lost. Per. Won. Lost. Per. Boston 51 43 465 Detroit 61 62 495 Cleveland 71 56 562 St. Louis 65 75 463 Philadelphia 68 55 543 Chicago 56 59 487 New York 62 47 521 Wash'n 27 57 329

TERRIBLE DEVASTATION.

Followed Great Hurricanes in Florida Last Week.

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 15.—Details of the havoc wrought by the terrific hurricane which swept Florida Friday and Saturday are slowly coming to hand. They show that the storm has strewn the coasts with wreckage, killed a score of persons and caused a property loss that will run into the millions.

The loss to shipping was the most severe in years. Besides hundreds of small coasting vessels many schooners and steamers were wrecked. Nine men of the steamer Inchurra of Galveston are known to be drowned.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.

Vergennes Man Seriously Injured While Hunting.

Vergennes, Sept. 14.—John O'Connell was seriously wounded this morning in the left hand by the discharge of a shotgun while hunting on Dead Creek.

He was with E. C. Scott, Jr., whose gun lay in the bow of the boat. O'Connell got out to pull the boat ashore when one barrel of the gun, which was cocked, was discharged, the shot taking effect in O'Connell's left hand tearing it in a shocking manner. He was taken to the Mary Fletcher hospital in Burlington by Dr. Willard on the noon train.

MANY WRECKS SIGHTED.

Of the Ships Struck by Hurricane Off Florida Coast.

Havana, Sept. 15.—The steamship, Vigilancia, from New York, reports that she sighted several wrecks in the path of the hurricane which swept Florida. Ten miles north of Jupiter Light she passed a huge schooner stranded on the beach. Also she sighted a Standard Oil Co.'s barge stranded south of Palm Beach.

A Spanish steambot from Bilbao was stranded and broken in two, and further south a four-master schooner.

ALASKAN COMMISSION.

Met in London With All Present This Morning.

London, Sept. 15.—The Alaskan boundary commission met at the foreign office today. All the commissioners were present including the American counsel, J. W. Foster, Judge Dickinson and Hannis Taylor. The spectators included the American ambassador, Choate, and Chief Justice Fuller. The British attorney-general, Sir Robert Finlay, opened the proceedings on behalf of England.

POLITICAL POW WOW

To Be Held Between Roosevelt and Party Managers.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 15.—An important conference between President Roosevelt and Republican party managers will be held in New York harbor tomorrow afternoon and evening. The cabin on the deck of the Sylph will be the scene of the political pow wow. See. Loeb said this morning that 18 are expected, but the names except that of Senator Platt of Connecticut, are not announced.

FOUR LIVES LOST.

Big Fire in Baltimore Fertilizer Works.

Baltimore, Sept. 15.—Fire totally destroyed the plant of the Rasin Monumental Fertilizer Works at Sewall this morning. The loss is \$150,000, and four lives are reported lost, being workmen unable to escape from the burning building.

CORN CROP IS IN DANGER

Loss May be Hundreds of Millions.

IN THE NORTHWEST BELT

Frost is Predicted for Tonight and Fierce Storms Raged Further West.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—General heavy and killing frosts over the northern half of the corn belt during the next ten days would bring possible losses to farmers of two hundred million dollars, with a corresponding retarding influence on the prosperity of the entire country. The weather bureau predicts frosts for a large portion of the corn belt Tuesday night.

SNOW AND RAIN.

Crops in Northwest Severely Damaged by Storms.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 14.—Snow and rain has damaged crops in the Northwest during the past week to the extent of millions of dollars, according to the Dispatch. Nearly all the grain in stack estimated at 60 per cent and all the standing grain, much of it flax, is buried under snow and water. The rain fall has been eight inches in 48 hours. Rain, sleet and snow prevail all over the Northwest today. Railroad tracks are washed out and trains are abandoned. Trains from the Pacific coast are hours late.

The Great Northern has abandoned its line on the west side of the Mississippi to St. Cloud.

COMPLETES ENDOWMENT.

Mayor Hollister of Rutland Makes Gifts to Vermont School.

Bennington, Sept. 14.—The Hon. Josiah B. Hollister, mayor of Rutland, has presented to the trustees of the Burr and Burton seminary at Manchester \$4,100 for the purpose of paying the debt of the corporation. This is in addition to the \$2,000 that he subscribed to the \$50,000 endowment fund recently paid in, and which has all been invested in good paying securities.

The treasurer of the corporation reports that every debt has been paid, and that during the recent vacation extensive improvements were made to the seminary, and more are to follow.

GAMBLING OUTFIT SEIZED.

Bennington Officers Raid Place of Charles F. Morse.

Bennington, Sept. 14.—Saturday evening officers went to North Bennington and searched the premises of Charles F. Morse, complaint having been made that he was running a disreputable place. They found a gambling outfit, a slot machine, and a number of obscene pictures which they seized and brought away. They found no liquor, although Morse has been complained of as violating the present license law and he has been arrested before. He was an applicant for a third class license but the sentiment against him was so pronounced that he did not receive it.

CONDITIONAL PARDONS.

Governor McCullough Orders Release of Four Prisoners.

Bennington, Sept. 14.—Governor McCullough has issued conditional pardons to Nicholas Guyette, alias Fred Ash, of Castleton, who was convicted of horse stealing and sentenced in the Rutland county court to serve in the state prison six years at hard labor and who had about two years longer to serve; Harry M. Hicks, convicted of breaking into a house near Manchester and sentenced in the Bennington county court to serve three years; time expiring next January; Martin Camarillo, of Readsboro, convicted of assault and sentenced to serve two years, whose time would expire in December; William Barry, convicted in the Bennington municipal court of larceny on two charges, and sentenced to serve two years, whose time has nearly expired.

EXCITING RUNAWAY.

Hyman D. Segel's Horse Did Stunts at Winooski.

Winooski, Sept. 15.—An exciting runaway took place shortly after six o'clock last evening. H. D. Segel's horse was left standing near the depot, when it took fright and started up West Allen street, to Main, and dashed through that thoroughfare, dodging cars, pedestrians and vehicles and continued on over the river bridge until he was finally captured at the brick yards on the lower road. Strange to say neither horse nor wagon was injured.

PETER'S HOLD INSECURE.

May Lose Throne of Servia to Fifteen-Year-Old Boy.

London, Sept. 15.—The Paris correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company asserts that King Peter's hold on the throne of Servia is in danger. The 15-year-old illegitimate son of the former king of Milan has arrived in Vienna in charge of his mother, Madame Christlitch. A financial syndicate is backing his claims to the Servian throne.

LICENSEES ARRESTED

Three Rutland Men to Meet Charges.

BAIL IS FIXED AT \$500

W. H. Valquette, Chief Owner of Berwick House is One of Respondents.

Rutland, Sept. 14.—Three residents of this city were arrested today on indictments found last week by the Rutland county grand jury. They are each charged with violating the liquor laws of Vermont and were placed under bail of \$500 each, which was furnished.

The parties arrested are: W. H. Valquette, chief owner of the Berwick House.

A. J. Boynton and John Dugan, both connected with the wholesale firm of Manney & Co. The specific charge against them was the offering of liquor for sale in West Rutland, where they had no license.

The full text of Judge Munson's instructions regarding fourth class licenses is as follows:

"Your questions will be taken up in a different order from that in which they are presented. They are all asked with reference to licenses of the fourth class—those for the selling of liquor by the wholesale.

"In reply to question 5,—if a license can be issued to a firm,—it is clear that the names of the individuals composing it must be given in full. But perhaps it is safer to say that a license can be issued only to some individual.

"Question 3, 'Can the licensee sell in quantities less than five gallons?' is answered in the affirmative. The law does not fix any limit by measure and the court cannot establish any.

"Question 1, 'Can the licensee make sales at any other place than that described in his license?' is answered in the negative. The application must be for a license to sell at some particular place, in a town named, and the license can be no broader than the application. This requires that the orders be received and accepted at the wholesaler's place of business.

"Questions 2 and 4 involve the meaning of the word 'wholesale' as used in the statute. The subject is not free from difficulty, but our instructions are a sufficient guide for your action, without its being assumed that they contain unquestioned law. That can be ascertained only when questions raised upon some indictment or information pass to the supreme court. We conclude and instruct you that by this fourth-class license the legislature intended to provide for authorized sales by wholesale dealers within the state in supply of the authorized retail trade, and not to provide an additional class of licenses for sales directly to the consumer. So questions 2 and 4 are answered in the negative."

WATERBURY MAN BURNED.

Charles Bailey Was Using Gasoline Soldering Torch.

Waterbury, Sept. 15.—Charles Bailey, while at work in Orlo Ayers' shop yesterday, had his right hand and arm badly burnt by the explosion of a gasoline soldering torch. The torch boiled up and Mr. Bailey picked it up with an iron bar and threw it out of the shop door but before he had time to get inside and shut the door the can exploded and a flame of fire shot out about ten feet and burned his right hand and arm. His face was protected by a heavy beard and was only slightly burned.

SEWER EXTENSION.

Northfield Will Expend Considerable Sum For It.

Northfield, Sept. 15.—Work on the sewer extension has begun in earnest and a large gang of Italian laborers are at work digging the ditch on Main street. This extension will give sewer connections to all of Main and Central streets and the common. The estimated cost is not to exceed \$10,000.

DEATH IN DUXBURY.

Mrs. V. V. Turner Died on Sunday After a Short Illness.

North Duxbury, Sept. 14.—Mrs. V. V. Turner died at her home here on Sunday afternoon after an illness of four weeks of a disease which baffled her physician. She leaves a husband and one son, four years old. The funeral will be held on Tuesday at one o'clock at the house.

KING'S DAUGHTERS CONVENTION.

State Meeting to be Held at Swanton October 8 and 9.

Swanton, Sept. 14.—The state convention of the King's Daughters will be held in the Congregational church in this place October 8 and 9. A reception will be given the delegates October 7 at the home of Mrs. A. L. Cross.

RIOT IN ATHENS.

Fourteen Killed and Injured at Municipal Election.

Athens, Sept. 15.—A riot occurred during the night over municipal election and 14 were killed and injured.

MANY PUBLIC GIFTS BY S. L. GRIFFITH

\$51,000 For the Erection of a Public Library at Danby, \$23,000 for Congregational Church.

Rutland, Sept. 14.—The public bequests in the will of the late S. L. Griffith of Danby were made public by the executors of the will, W. H. Griffith of Danby and George L. Rice of this city. They are as follows:

Fifty-one thousand dollars is placed in the hands of Wilber H. Griffith and George L. Rice, as trustees, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining a library at Danby, Vt., and supplying it with books and periodicals.

Fourteen thousand dollars of this sum is to be expended in the erection and furnishing of a building, \$5,000 in the purchase of books, while the income of the remaining \$9,000 is to be used in the general maintenance of the library and for the purpose of supplying it with additional books and periodicals.

The sum of \$5,000 is placed in the hands of said W. H. Griffith and G. L. Rice for the benefit of the Danby Cemetery association, the income to be used in improving and beautifying the cemetery where Mr. Griffith is buried.

The same trustees are also given \$5,000 for the purpose of keeping the same safely invested and using the income thereof for the improvement of Mr. Griffith's own lot in the cemetery and the lots near by belonging to him.

The Congregational church at Danby, Vt., receives the income of \$23,500, the principal being held by the same trustees as in the case of the other legacies.

The income of \$3,500 is to be used each year for the purchase of Christmas gifts for the children of Danby, Mt. Tabor and vicinity.

Said Wilber H. Griffith and George L. Rice also are bequeathed the sum of \$2,000 for the purpose of using the income in providing for the poor children of Danby, Mt. Tabor and vicinity with shoes, clothing and other needed articles at Christmas time.

If after the payment of the foregoing bequests there still remains of the residuary of the estate the sum of \$15,000 the same is bequeathed to said Wilber H. Griffith and George L. Rice to hold in trust and use the income for the support of the schools of Danby and Mt. Tabor.

RECEIVED LARGE BEQUESTS.

G. W. and L. E. Woodhouse of Burlington Remembered.

Burlington, Sept. 14.—By the will of Lorenzo G. Woodhouse who died September 4 at his summer home at East Hampton, L. I., Charles W. Woodhouse of this city, a brother, receives \$250,000 and Lorenzo E. Woodhouse, a nephew, of this city, a similar sum. Mr. Woodhouse's granddaughter, Miss Olga Roosevelt, is made the beneficiary of a trust fund of \$520,000, of which Lorenzo E. Woodhouse of this city is the testator. Many other bequests are made.

NORTHFIELD FAIR OPENS.

With Fine Weather, Prospects are Very Favorable.

Northfield, Sept. 15.—The annual Dog River Valley fair opened this morning with perfect weather conditions, and the prospects are for a successful fair as everything is in first class shape. Many very fine droves of cattle are already on the grounds and the entries for racing are coming in well. The prizes for racing have been increased this season. Special excursion rates will be run over the Central Vermont and all things point to a very successful fair. The Randolph band will furnish music. Company F will hold its annual fair dance tomorrow evening in the armory.

SUMMONING MORE WITNESSES.

Deputy Fitzgerald in Town on Vermont Murder Investigation.

Deputy Sheriff Fitzgerald of Montpelier is in town this forenoon summoning additional witnesses before the grand jury now in session at Montpelier, on the investigation of the murder of Peter Verron at East Montpelier one week ago. With these witnesses it is expected that the investigation will continue at least through today and possibly tomorrow.

Mrs. Verron, wife of the murdered man, is now able to be about the house.

RAILROAD CASE ENDED.

Verdict Rendered for the Defendant This Afternoon.

Montpelier, Sept. 15.—The defendant rested yesterday afternoon in Mary Randall against the Barre & Montpelier Traction and Power company and the plaintiff began putting in the rebuttal, using Supt. F. H. Andrus as their first witness. Dr. E. W. Bayles of Burlington was used by the defense this afternoon to show that plaintiff had pains in her side before the accident.

A verdict was brought for the defendant to recover costs, this afternoon.

YOUNG ALUMNI BANQUET.

Graduates of Montpelier Seminary Meet at Their Alma Mater.

Montpelier, Sept. 14.—The fifth annual banquet given this evening in the Seminary dining hall by the young Alumni association of Montpelier Seminary, was largely attended and was a pleasing success. W. B. Hinkley, a graduate of Wesleyan University in 1900, acted as toastmaster and a welcome was extended by Acting Principal F. M. Howe.

Our New Petticoats have arrived. We sell The Home Made, Veale & Knight.

Another new lot of souvenir postals at Dodge's jewelry store.

Read Perry's Real Estate adv. on 7th page.

Wise King Flour is always reliable.

FOOT BALL IS NOW POPULAR

Barre Will Have at Least Three Teams.

FIRST GAME ON FRIDAY

Defenders and Goddard Teams Are in Practice, While High School Will Start Soon.

The local football season is already at hand, although it will not be in full swing until after the period of hot weather. Two teams are now on the field, the Defenders and Goddard's representatives. It is probable also that Spaulding high school will be represented by a team, although it has lost one or two of its best players of last season. In addition to these three teams there will be the usual number of younger aspirants for the football honors. Taken altogether there will be more football in Barre this fall than ever before.

The first game of the season will be played on the Goddard campus Friday afternoon when the Seminary team meets Brigham Academy of Bakersfield.

DEFENDERS AT WORK.

First Practice Held at Park Last Evening.

The Barre Defenders foot ball team is getting in shape for another successful season on the grid iron, and the prospects are that this snappy team will make the school elevens of the state hustle for honors as they never have before. In fact, with good coaching there is not a school in the state that can turn out as good a team as the Defenders.

The first practice of the season was held last evening at the Granite City Trotting Park, with nearly a full eleven out for a warming up. The team will be made up practically the same as last year, although there may be some changes in the line. It is decided that the back field and ends will be as usual, thus assuring good team work back of the line. Capt. Alex Milne will be at full back, Walter Scott will be at his old place behind the center while Dombroskie and Dickie, two heavy men, will complete the back field. Turner and Phillips will probably be found on the ends, and with the training they have had should play well.

Gilbert Phillips is the manager for the Defenders, and he is ready to hear from teams desirous of arranging games. It is likely that Goddard and Montpelier will be on the list and possibly the second team of the University of Vermont.

GODDARD'S FOOT BALL

Team is Getting Into Shape for First Game Friday.

The foot ball team at the Seminary is getting rapidly into shape, and the first game of the season will be played here next Friday with Brigham Academy. The team will not be definitely made up until after the first game.

There are 18 candidates for the team. Berry, Benjamin, White, Clark, Thibert, Herlin, Carley, Dunham, Pike, Knapp, Connel, Brown, Milne, Turner, Blake and Houghton. The team will be greatly strengthened by Milne and Turner.

BEAT THEIR ALUMNI.

Montpelier Seminary Won Foot Ball Game 5 to 0.

Montpelier, Sept. 14.—At 4 o'clock this afternoon the Seminary foot ball team played against a team made up from the alumni. The beat was intense and no brilliant plays were marked on either side. The Seminary team won by a score of 5 to 0. This was the first public appearance of the regular team this season and they showed the result of good coaching. They will play their first scheduled game next Saturday with Brigham Academy at Montpelier.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING.

Local Salvation Army Corps Solicits Contributions For Their Work.

The Salvation Army will celebrate the annual harvest thanksgiving festival from Saturday, September 21st to October 3rd, inclusive. The officers in charge of the local corps solicit from the public, a tithe of the bountiful blessings of field and store, in kind or cash, as a thank offering to God. Anything received will be turned to good account to support the numerous benevolent institutions as well as to continue and to extend the evangelical work of this successful organization.

It is now generally conceded that the Army has become a very necessary and recognized institution in this, as in every other country where it operates. Their advancements are beyond controversy highly praiseworthy.

Reward Offered.

\$15.00 reward for the conviction of the parties who broke into the Pure Spring Water Co. springs on the South farm, Reynolds & Townsend.

Large assortment of wrist bags, pocket books, brochures, waist sets and cash pins just received at B. B. store.

Be sure and see our new Fall Waists, Veale & Knight.