

Teuton Fleet to Fight Allies.

General Declares Dr. Green Misrepresented Him in the Protests on Reservist Plan.

The conflict between the Turks and the Anglo-French fleet for possession of the Dardanelles may develop into a three-cornered fight.

There is a report that an Austrian fleet, consisting of six Austro-German submarines, several torpedo boats and destroyers, has left the Austrian naval base at Pola for the Aegean sea.

Ships in the Aegean sea reported by wireless to Salonika that heavy gun fire could be heard, and it is believed that the bombardment of the Turkish forts in the inner side of the Dardanelles has been renewed.

The attacking fleet is reported to have been divided into three parts. One of these is operating in the Dardanelles, another is stationed in the Gulf of Sarosa, throwing shells across the peninsula of Gallipoli, and the third is standing off the entrance of the Dardanelles in the Aegean sea.

In addition to the 100,000 Turkish troops massed for the defense of Constantinople, all the available heavy guns have been used to the remaining forts. It is even said that some of the eleven-inch guns were taken from the former German cruiser Goeben for use against the allied fleet.

The town of Yenik-Chair has been set on fire by the shells and destroyed. Russians Split Turkish Army. The Russian army of the Caucasus, driving the Turkish forces before it, has reached the Khopachas river, the estuary of the Tchouk, in Armenia.

This advance by the Russians cuts the route of Turkish reinforcements and supplies from Constantinople to the Caucasian frontier through Khopa, Turkish Armenia, and isolates a large section of Turkish territory.

The Russian forces advanced from Batum, on the Black sea near the Turkish border, and were opposed by the Turks at every step. They were assisted by Russian warships, which cleared the shore of Turkish forces and cut off successively several avenues of Turkish communications by sea until only the Khopa route remained.

After a battle of three days this last route was closed effectively. Say Little Damage Has Been Done. A formidable bombardment of the Polish city of Ossowice has been begun by Field Marshal von Hindenburg's army lying on the Bobr river.

According to semi-official advices, the Germans are expending a vast amount of shells in the cannonade at Ossowice in return for their defeat by the Russians at Przasnysz.

Latest reports from the front state that the German shells have done little damage. The heaviest German mortars are being used in the bombardment, it is reported from War saw.

In the Carpathians the attempt of the Austrian forces to pierce the Russian front near Lupkow and thus re-leave Przemysl, has ended in failure. The Austrians have suffered severe losses in that region, and part of the army has been compelled to retire.

Russians Bombard Czernowitz. "The Russian artillery has bombarded Czernowitz, capital of the Austrian crownland of Bukovina," says the London Daily Mail's Bucharest correspondent.

"The Austrians," the correspondent continues, "have placed a rigid cordon of military and police around Czernowitz and nobody is permitted to depart toward the Rumanian frontier."

"Reports received in Bucharest say that the Austrians are dealing severely with certain elements in the population. It is reported that numerous secret hangings have occurred and that hundreds of arrests have been made."

Children Found Parents Dead When They Returned From School. Frank Duncan, a farmer of Blenheim, near Camden, N. J., and his wife, Patience, were found dead in their home.

Detectives say that Duncan shot his wife to death and then ended his own life. A revolver was found alongside Duncan's body. The farmer is said to have left a short note, which read: "Financial troubles caused this act."

A daughter, nine years old, and a son, six years old, came home from school and discovered the bodies of their dead parents.

Word was immediately sent to detective headquarters in Camden, and Detectives Doran, Levins and Gibbons, of the murder squad, were sent to investigate the crime.

Blenheim is a small settlement near Blackwood, in the lower end of Camden county.

State Troopers Arrest Two Young Married Men on Charge.

Mazie Wilcox, eleven years old, while on her way to school at Trucks-ville, near Wilkes-Barre, Pa., with her brother, John Wilcox, nine years old, was seized by two men, carried into the woods and brutally assaulted.

The little brother notified the father and Brice Moore, nineteen years old, and John McConoughy, twenty-three years old, married, both of Luzerne borough, were arrested by the state troopers, who say confessions were made and signed. The condition of the little girl is serious.

All Children Under Sixteen Must Have Certificates, and in Many Industries They Cannot Be Employed.

A child labor bill was introduced in the Pennsylvania house at Harrisburg by Edwin R. Cox, of Philadelphia chairman of the manufacturing committee, who declared that he sponsored the measure at the request of Governor Brumbaugh.

When a child labor bill, drafted at the instance of the Pennsylvania Child Labor association, was introduced in the senate several weeks ago by Senator Marshall Phipps, of Franklin, it was declared to be the administration measure, but the governor, while approving some of its features, declined to endorse it in its entirety.

The Brumbaugh bill differs from the Phipps bill in several important respects. It raises the number of hours that minors between the ages of fifteen and sixteen may work in any one week from forty-eight, in the Phipps measure, to fifty-two. Between these ages no child can be employed longer than nine hours in any one day.

Children between fourteen and fifteen cannot be worked longer than eight hours in any one day or more than forty-eight hours in a week.

Messengers are prohibited from working between 8 p. m. and 6 a. m. and children under fourteen years of age are prohibited from working for hire except during school vacations and those under twelve years cannot be employed at any time.

Street trades are restricted to boys over fourteen and girls over eighteen. All children are debarred from hazardous employments.

The bill requires that all children under sixteen years going to work shall obtain school certificates and certificates of physical fitness.

It is provided that children between fourteen and fifteen years must attend school at least one day each week, and between fifteen and sixteen must be in school at least one-half day each week.

The act is to go into effect on Oct. 1, 1915. Any person, firm or corporation or any agent or manager who violates any of its provisions would be liable to a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$200, or to imprisonment of not more than ten days, or both, at the discretion of the court.

No minor under sixteen years of age, the bill says, "shall be employed or permitted to work in operating or assisting in operating papermill machines, job or cylinder printing presses operated by power other than for power; stamping machines used in sheet metal and tinware, or in paper or leather manufacturing or in washes and nut factories." Metal and paper cutting machines are also put under the ban, as are machines used to manufacture corrugating rolls, such as are used in corrugated paper or in roofing, or washboard factories.

Employment under sixteen on any railroad, "steam, electric or otherwise," is also prohibited. Anthracite and bituminous mines blast furnaces, distilleries, breweries "or any establishment where alcoholic liquors are manufactured or bottled," are also down in the list of "don'ts."

State Trooper Shot. Charles Smith, colored, is dead; State Trooper Charles Nicholson is dying in a Pittsburgh hospital, and several citizens are suffering from minor wounds as a result of a pitched battle, following a riot on the outskirts of the new manufacturing town of Langeloth, near Washington, Pa.

The tragedy had its beginning in the beating of a woman by a drunken foreigner. Smith, the man later killed, was not concerned in the trouble, but he later became the leader of a mob which battled the state police, who had been called.

Delaware Retains Whipping Post. By a vote of 30 to 4 the Delaware house defeated Representative Downward's bill abolishing the whipping post. Opponents of the bill said the lash was necessary to keep in check "certain elements we have to look after."

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The court upheld the contention of the attorneys for Joseph Bailey, a switchman, who sued for the amount he had contributed to the fund, claiming that the contributions were compulsory.

Attorneys say that the case will be carried to the United States supreme court, and if the common pleas court ruling is upheld the entire fund will have to be distributed among those who contributed to it.

Bigamist Gets Year in Jail.
Raymond Cohasey, of Sunbury, Pa., who courted Miss Eva Steel, of Paterstonville, and married her without the formality of getting a divorce from his wife in Northumberland county, pleaded guilty to bigamy and was sentenced to serve a year in jail.

Baby Drinks Poison; Dies.
A two-year-old son of John Leckler, a hotel proprietor of Walton, near Galeton, Pa., got hold of a bottle of poison and ate enough to cause his death in half an hour.

Pension Appropriation Signed.
President Wilson signed the pension appropriation bill, carrying approximately \$164,000,000. It was the first of the large appropriation bills to reach the president.

Real Estate Transfers.
John L. Holmes et al to Minnie B. Houser, tract of land in Ferguson Twp.; \$2,280.
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James T. Frank to W. C. Krader et al, tract of land in Miles Twp.; \$310.
Sarah Kerstetter to W. C. Krader, tract of land in Penn Twp.; \$1,800.
John T. Stewart to James W. Charleton, et ux, tract of land in Rush Twp.; \$900.
Harry Chaney to S. U. Harshberger, tract of land in Worth Twp.; \$45.
Dorothy B. Cook, Admrx. to Elizabeth Cook, tract of land in Liberty Twp.; \$200.
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