

THE GREEKS SUCCUMB

To the Demands of the Powers For Settling the War.

THE TURKS MAY BE OBSTINATE

A Mysterious Movement of Turkish Troops Ordered Which May Mean Defiance of the Powers—Alleged Brutal Work by the Victorious Turks.

Athens, May 12.—The diplomatic pourparlers have been brought to a definite conclusion. Greece has formally adhered to the preliminaries of peace as agreed upon between the powers, and the heads of the different legations have received positive assurances, investing them with authority to treat with Turkey. The negotiations at Athens are regarded as concluded.

Greece having accepted mediation, the ambassadors of the powers at Constantinople have been instructed to approach the Turkish government with the view of ascertaining upon what conditions Turkey will agree to declare peace.

Baron Von Plessen, the German minister, received instructions yesterday to join the other ministers here in mediating between Turkey and Greece, and M. Onou, the Russian minister, presented to the Greek ministry the note of the powers, which was as follows:

"The representatives of France, Italy, Great Britain, Germany and Austria charge M. Onou, the representative of Russia and the doyen of the diplomatic corps, to declare in the name of their respective governments that the powers are ready to offer mediation with the view to obtain an armistice and smooth the difficulties actually existing between Greece and Turkey, on condition that the Hellenic government declares that it will proceed to recall its troops from Crete, adhere formally to autonomy for Crete, and accept unreservedly the counsels which the powers may give in the interests of peace."

The reply of the Greek government was as follows:

"The royal government, in taking the note and declaration of the Russian representative, acting in the name of the ministers of the powers, declares that it will proceed to recall the royal troops from Crete, adhere formally to autonomy for Crete and confides the interests of Greece to the hands of the powers."

As soon as the reply of Greece to the note of the powers was handed to the representatives of the powers the latter telegraphed the Greek decision to the representatives of the powers at Constantinople, with the request that they obtain an armistice with the view of arranging for permanent peace.

There is a sense of relief in Athens at the prospect of an immediate end to the calamitous war. There is no excitement and no popular demonstration is anticipated. The government has notified the Greek army of the mediation of the powers.

A dispatch from Canea announces that the Greek troops are already leaving Crete on board three Greek steamers.

WILL THE TURKS DECLINE?

Reported Movement of Troops Which Would Indicate Obstinacy.

London, May 12.—A dispatch from Constantinople says: It is reported that orders have been sent out for the mobilization of the Fifth and Sixth army corps reserves, stationed at Bagdad and in Syria, and for the immediate dispatch of 50 battalions to Konieh, from which point they will be taken to Ismeed, in Asia Minor.

These preparations, which involve an expense that Turkey is quite unable to bear, cannot be required against Greece, and they excite anxiety, as indicating that Turkey is preparing either to confront a more formidable foe or to place herself in such a strong position that she will be able to ignore the powers and their plan of mediation.

Three staff officers have been sent to the depots of the Fourth army corps at Erzeroum and Erzincan to report whether there is a sufficient supply of arms and equipments to mobilize the reserves of that corps.

Remarkable Damage Suit Ended.

St. Paul, May 12.—The conclusion of a remarkable suit for damages was reached yesterday, and a verdict was given in favor of James M. Fonda against the Twin City Rapid Transit company for \$17,540. Nearly two years ago Fonda lost both legs by being run down by a streetcar in this city. He brought suit for \$25,000, and when the case first came on for trial a few months ago the attorneys for the plaintiff, after the case was practically all submitted, moved to dismiss the case without prejudice. This was done. The case came on for trial a few days ago, and this big verdict against the street railway company resulted.

William's Significant Bible Quotation

Berlin, May 12.—Emperor William has attended the consecration of two new churches and presented to each a Bible containing his autograph and a text of scripture. In one case the text is from St. John, xv, 5: "For without me ye can do nothing." In the second the text is from Jeremiah, vii, 23: "Obey my voice and I will be your God and ye shall be my people."

Bicycles as Personal Baggage.

New York, May 12.—The passenger committee of the Trunk Line association, at its meeting yesterday, decided to accept bicycles as personal baggage between states, except between Canada and the United States. Between these points the wheels will have to be checked and paid for as regular baggage.

Jersey Streetcars Must Be Vestibuled

Trenton, May 12.—Governor Griggs yesterday signed Assemblyman Scovel's bill compelling trolley companies to vestibule their cars in winter. The governor also signed the bill providing for the purchase of turnpikes under the state and road law.

Rothschild's Anonymous Charity.

London, May 12.—The Paris correspondent of The Daily Chronicle says that the anonymous subscription of a million francs to the Charite Bazaar fund is now known to be the collective donation of members of the Rothschild family.

THE FATAL EARTHQUAKES

That Recently Visited the Islands of the Leeward Group.

New York, May 12.—The Journal today publishes the following: Earthquakes are shaking the islands of Guadeloupe and Montserrat, of the Leeward group in the West Indies. The cable a few days ago reported that a number of persons had been killed at Guadeloupe. Details were supplied by the Quebec liner Madiana, which arrived here yesterday from the Leeward Island ports.

When the steamer reached Antigua, 40 miles from Guadeloupe, on May 1, every one in port was discussing the shocks. The heaviest had occurred two days before, when 50 colored people had been killed outright by being buried in the ruins of their houses. In a brick church a congregation of 200 people were caught by the collapse of the walls and 50 crushed to death. Those in the streets saw the houses sway back and forth and the walls of the brick structure crack. The report also said that 25 or 30 people had lost their lives at Point-a-Pitre. Twelve brick houses in Guadeloupe had been demolished and scores of others cracked and seamed by the shocks.

From Antigua the Madiana steamed to Montserrat, arriving there on May 2. There, too, a state of terror existed. The island was rocked like a boat at sea on April 30. Six houses were destroyed, but no lives lost. This island, before the earthquake, had not been noted for the piety of its people, but while the Madiana was in that port meetings were held at short intervals in all of the churches, which were crowded with worshippers. The inhabitants firmly believed that it was on account of their iniquities that they had been visited by earthquake shocks, and that if they did not turn they would all be utterly destroyed.

The President's Philadelphia Visit.

Washington, May 11.—Arrangements in outline were practically completed yesterday for the president's visit to Philadelphia on the occasion of the unveiling of the Washington monument. The president, accompanied by his secretary, Mr. Porter, the vice president and party, and all of the members of the cabinet, will leave here at 2 o'clock next Friday afternoon. The president's party will be guests at the Walton hotel, and that of the vice president at the Continental. At 6:30 o'clock the president will dine informally with some of the officers of the Union League club. At 9 o'clock he will give a public reception. On Saturday afternoon he will review the parade, and at 1 o'clock he will deliver an address on the monument grounds. He will leave Philadelphia at 7 o'clock Saturday evening for Washington.

Liberal Victory in Canada.

Montreal, May 12.—The Quebec provincial elections took place yesterday, and resulted in the complete overthrow of the Conservative party. In the last legislature the parties stood: Conservatives, 50; Liberals, 23. These figures have been reversed as a result of yesterday's election, the Liberals having elected 50 members, with a probability of 52, and the Conservatives about 20. Among the prominent Conservatives defeated are G. A. Nantel, commissioner of public works, and Louis Beaubien, commissioner of agriculture. The Liberals fought hard for power, telling the voters that a victory for their party in Quebec would strengthen the hands of the French Canadian premier, Wilfred Laurier.

Walled Up Alive as "Martyrs."

London, May 11.—According to a dispatch in The Daily News from St. Petersburg a terrible crime, the result of superstition, has been committed at Tirespol, in the government of Kherson, where are a number of hermitages inhabited by sectarians. Recently 17 of the hermits disappeared, and it was believed that they had emigrated in fear of the impending day of judgment. But a hermit named Kowalind has confessed that he walled them up alive in response to their earnest entreaties that they might receive the martyr's crown. The police examined the spot and verified the confession.

Conspiracy to Rob Cook County.

Chicago, May 12.—What appears to have been an organized attempt to rob the county by means of forged juror certificates was detected yesterday. Charles Ratigen and Charles L. Williams were arrested yesterday and are in the county jail for failure to secure \$2,000 bonds. Warrants have also been issued for John Ratigen, Charles Haller, Thomas Chandler and Patrick J. Griffin. A batch of 50 juror certificates was stolen from the office of the county clerk, and two of them, declared to be forgeries, were presented by Ratigen and Williams.

Inheritance Tax Constitutional.

Springfield, Ill., May 12.—The Illinois supreme court yesterday decided the inheritance tax law passed by the state legislature two years ago to be constitutional, reversing the decision of the decision of the lower court. The law provides for a graduated tax on all inheritances of a value of over \$4,000, and a test case was made on the estate of the late John R. Drake, formerly proprietor of the old Grand Pacific hotel, who left property estimated at \$2,000,000. The case will probably be carried to the federal supreme court.

Confirmed by the Senate.

Washington, May 12.—The senate yesterday confirmed the following nominations: Stanford Newel of Minnesota, minister to the Netherlands; Edward G. Bradford, United States district judge for Delaware; George Moulton, Jr., collector of customs at Bath, Me.; Henry A. Castle of Minnesota, auditor for the postoffice department; Samuel B. Grubb of New York, assistant surgeon in the Marine hospital service.

Rockafellow Again Convicted.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 11.—The sealed verdict of the jury in the case of ex-Banker F. V. Rockafellow, who was charged with embezzlement, was opened in court yesterday. The jury finds the defendant guilty, with a recommendation to mercy. The jury had been out for 42 hours.

Ministerial Crisis in Denmark.

Copenhagen, May 12.—The long expected ministerial crisis has occurred. The premier and minister for foreign affairs, Baron Reetz Thott, tendered the resignation of the cabinet yesterday, and the king summoned ex-Premier Estrup to form a new cabinet.

SINGULAR DREAMS.

A MAN WHO HAD THEM ASKS FOR THEIR INTERPRETATION.

Though Very Ill He Learned From Visions That He Would Recover—Dreams of Struggles, and the Next Day He Was Very Sore—On the Sea of Galilee.

Dreams are not without significance, especially to those who have a high set purpose in life. And as this subject is of interest to many I will relate a series of dreams in my own experience to which possibly some one can give a clearer interpretation than I.

Having been taken very ill in winter and this being my second attack, all my friends and associate physicians said I was at death's door and it was not possible for me to recover. It meant but a few hours, or days at the most. I was unconscious at times, but through all the idea was firmly rooted in my mind that "there is more life for me, and I cannot, I will not go."

There followed four days of complete darkness, and when a little natural sleep came it was accompanied each night for three weeks by a dream of my encounter with some vicious animal—beginning with a bull, then a bear and next a large mastiff. This order never varied. When the bull came toward me, I easily and quickly vaulted the fence as he pinned it below me. In my encounter with the bear I grabbed him by the throat and threw him on his back, thus getting safely away. (Next morning the biceps and spinators of my arm were so sore that they had to be rubbed.) Next the mastiff approached. This grip seemed to affect the muscles of my wrist and hand alone, which were just as sore and stiff as formerly.

After the expiration of the three weeks I had no dreams whatever for a few nights. When they returned, I became more and more worried, until, after the last one, something said to me: "This is good, not evil. You are surely a conqueror." However, not much physical improvement was visible.

In the next dream I saw a blue and white light growing into a crown, in which the word "Power" in bright letters was inclosed. This seemed to give me hope, also strength and courage, and I felt somewhat better.

Three nights later I dreamed of being on the lake of Galilee, in the boat with Christ and his disciples, and such a picture as lay before me is hard to describe. The disciples seemed agitated, the sea was rough, and the boat frail; yet I was calm. The disciples looked at me and then at the sleeping Christ, but did not speak. I was half reclining, but very calm I knew not. Presently the spokesman of the group arose and whispered to the rest, and as they all got up he touched Christ and said: "Master, carest thou not that we perish?" Christ's face, as he arose and rebuked them, wore an expression of mingled gentleness, sternness and pity. I was thrilled as he held out his hand, with a graceful movement and said, "Peace, be still." Then came a remarkable calm—a beautiful sunset on a sea of glass.

I awoke feeling much better and with strong hope. My improvement was very noticeable from this time forward. Then came a lull, which was followed by dreams of a different character for another period of three weeks. I heard glorious music by a full voiced choir, commencing regularly at sunset and continuing until I was soothed asleep. I felt more vigorous after this experience. Then, for the next three weeks, I saw only a beautiful blue and white light, just as I fell asleep.

As I went about, obliged to mingle in the affairs of daily life, I had no dreams for quite awhile, being somewhat worried by business and other cares. Finally my will again asserted itself. Then began, lasting for three weeks, a series of wonderful texts and sayings, which were given to me by a voice sufficiently audible to arouse me in the morning. They would frequently ring in my ears all day. This seemed to give me power over myself and others. Then I began to get messages and impressions from friends at a distance.

Lastly, approaching my office one morning after leaving the car, I seemed overwhelmed by a condition in which I was very happy and unconscious of my surroundings. When I reached the office, I felt a desire to be alone for a few minutes. I sat down, and my eyes closed, when I saw a beautiful, large star, and while I was looking at it a voice said audibly, seven times, "Let the light of life shine forth in you."

Next morning the same condition came at precisely the same place, lasting until the office was reached. This time I saw a beautiful moon and heard a voice speak the words seven times, "This light of life, so free, is yours." The moon disappeared, as the star had done, after the seventh time. I felt very sleepy and dozed for about three minutes.

It would seem that in these occurrences the regularity of the appearance and of the number of times in each case is worthy of note.—Metaphysical Magazine.

Chinese Ways.

The Chinese are said to be very skillful in telling the time of day by looking into a cat's eyes. When they want to know what o'clock it is, they will run to the nearest cat, open her eyes, and at once tell what time it is. This they do by observing the size of the aperture of the pupil of the eye, which they have discovered is of varying size at different hours of the day, being affected by the position of the sun and the character of light, even when the day is cloudy.—New York Times.

Crime and Cruelty.

Crime is nothing but cruelty, and all cruelty is criminal in its tendencies.—Church Union.

ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

The Great Chain of Letters That Binds the Two Nations.

A most interesting summary of the business of the postoffice of the United Kingdom has been compiled by Mr. J. Holt Schooling, a member of the Royal Statistical society of London. It is of peculiar value to Americans, not only as affording a means of comparison with our own postoffice work, but because it shows anew the close bonds of business and friendship between the two great nations. Mr. Schooling illustrates his statistics with graphic diagrams.

The first thing that strikes the eye in the report is the cost of the British postal service and the profit, for Great Britain makes a profit in this department. The wages of employees alone amount to \$32,500,000 a year, while the total cost of the department for the same period is \$53,750,000.

The receipts amount to \$68,750,000, leaving a balance of \$15,000,000 profit a year. This would make a very startling comparison with a large yearly deficit of our own postoffice were it not remembered that Great Britain owns the telegraph too. Doubtless large telegraphic profits offset a deficit in the strictly postal business. On this point Mr. Schooling is unfortunately silent.

While Great Britain exchanges 98,000,000 letters with Europe, she exchanges 61,000,000 with America. This shows the bond between Europe and America, for the next continent on the list is Asia, with whom she makes only 22,000,000 exchanges.

In the comparison of nations the United States stands far ahead of any other, for 41,000,000 letters are exchanged annually between us and Great Britain. The next on the list is France, with an exchange of 25,750,000 letters, and Germany is third, with an exchange of 25,300,000. No other nation approaches nearer than Italy's 6,500,000.

The increase in letter writing in the last 50 years, due to increased education and the enlargement of friendship, business and common interests in general, is very interestingly shown in the compiler's tables. In 1846, for instance, the British postoffice delivered 10 letters for every head of population, while in 1894 46 letters for each head of population were delivered.

With similar intent Mr. Schooling says:

"Twenty years ago the activity of a tiny spot in the tiny spot marked London annually delivered 72 letters in the United Kingdom for every 100 persons living on the area of the whole world, a sufficiently remarkable performance even then. But now this wonderful postoffice machine delivers in these little islands only a number of letters that suffices to provide each unit of the world's population with nearly 1 1/2 letters annually, and this without including any of the other considerable items of postal matter, such as book packets, post cards, newspapers, circulars, telegrams, etc."

The comparative diagrams indicate the amount of postal matter exchanged by the United Kingdom with the other continents. They show how closely we are bound to the queen's realm through the ties of the post.—New York Herald.

QUICK PROFITS.

A Boy's Improvement on the Usual Programme in Fairy Stories.

"Business" is the watchword of the day, and the small boy is developing on that line with a rapidity which astonishes the previous generation. But the practical side of his nature has not obscured the poetry of childhood. The fairy tale is as potent as ever, and there was a smile of pleasure on the face of the lad who remarked at breakfast:

"I had a beautiful dream last night."

"What was it?" his father asked.

"I thought I was out in the woods, and I saw a most gorgeously dressed lady coming toward me."

"That is a good deal like some of the stories that you have been reading."

"Yes; it doesn't get very different until the end. I knew by her looks that she was the fairy queen, and I made up my mind that I wasn't going to lose chances like some of the boys in story books who didn't know a good chance when they saw it."

"Did she offer you three wishes?"

"Yes, and I called to mind how she sometimes took advantage of a mortal's being excited and nervous when he wished in order to make him waste his opportunities and have a good laugh at him. So when she said, 'Little boy, I'll give you three wishes, I didn't jump at the chance. I said, 'Will you give me whatever I ask for?' She answered: 'Yes; you may have three wishes.'"

"What did you do?"

"I wished for four."—Washington Star.

Silenced the "Masher."

He had a smile as bright as his gayly colored trap as he rode up alongside a demure young woman who was walking in Central park the other morning upon one of the asphalt paths. She heard the rattle of wheels at her side, yet she turned neither to the right nor to the left.

"Good morning!" said the handsome young man as he raised his straw hat with the dizzy band. "Wouldn't you like to take a ride with this morning?"

The girl didn't say "Sir-r-r!" or "What means this intrusion?" She slowly turned around and looked the young man over from head to foot. He bore her gaze without flinching and started to get down from his seat, as if to assist her into the trap.

The girl looked at him, and then at the pocketbook which she held in her hand.

"I don't know," she said half aloud.

"I don't know, I'm sure. How much would you charge to take me to the Art museum?"

There was a whirl of yellow trap, of bright red hatband and flying wheels.

"You'll do!" the young man said as he rapidly drove away.—Exchange.

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