

ARRAIGN BULGARS FOR ATROCITIES

Allied Commission Reports Macedonians and Serbians Massacred and Tortured

Paris, July 26.—Bulgarian oppression of Eastern Macedonia during the period of occupation of that territory resulted in the reduction of the population by well on toward 100,000 and the death of about 3,000 inhabitants in the course of three years of hunger and ill-treatment, according to the report of an Inter-allied Commission just submitted.

"The hatred of the Bulgarians for the Serbian Church," says the report, "was of a beastly, savage nature. They profaned the altars, stripped the nuns, outraged the priests and monks."

Several of the priests are said to have lost their reason, while others committed suicide. After the priests, the fury of the invaders fell upon professors, schoolmasters, judges, lawyers, and merchants, who were murdered indiscriminately.

ENLARGEMENT OF ELLIOTT-FISHER IS PREDICTED

"Pep" of Salesmen at Convention Causes Officers to Believe Expansion Necessary

A decision reached at the Elliott-Fisher Company Field Force convention which ended last night with a banquet is the necessity for enlarging the big plant in South Cameron street. This is the belief of the officials of the company, after a two-day experience with the live-wire salesmen. In the words of one localist:

"While much has been accomplished, every man here was full of the spirit to go out and do still more, and they are going admitted. Further evidence of a twelve-month campaign for still greater results came in the address last night at the banquet held in Penn-Harris Hotel and attended by 300 Elliott-Fisher boosters.

In the words of P. D. Wagoner, president, and G. W. Spahr, secretary, the convention was a success. "It was a great convention of men engaged in a great business and greater things are bound to come out of it," said Wagoner. "It was an important topic covering the Elliott-Fisher field." A general opinion prevailed that when the convention meets next year, every prediction made regarding future results will be fulfilled.

FOOD HAS WIDE RANGE IN PRICE

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50 cents, but to-day a few went up to 55, the price asked about two weeks ago. The housewives, however, are meeting this situation, and have solved the high cost problem to a certain extent. They do not form an organization for a boycott, but when they find a certain dealer whose prices are higher than others in market, they not only will not buy the certain commodity that is high in price, but also do not purchase other produce he is offering for sale.

Then, too, the women who buy practically their entire food supply in the local markets, help each other. The farmers and truckers who are charging higher prices are being boycotted by the groups of two to five women who meet at the doors of the markets and plan their purchases to avoid the high prices. One woman is explaining this system:

"To-day we wanted corn. Every dealer there for ten cents, or thirty-five cents a dozen for large ears. The one exception had very nice corn and asked thirty cents a dozen. We all bought from him. Another dealer had large bunches of beets, containing seven and eight cents each, and asked only five cents each. We bought from him, and he in turn sold us the same plan. It would do much to bring down prices. "For example, the farmer who was selling his corn at thirty cents a bushel, except one, sold a dozen, and I bought one. I watched him for a few minutes. He had a fairly large crowd of customers around him standing in line. Another dealer who was charging thirty-five cents went by and attempted to call him away, but was unsuccessful. An attendant that he wanted to tell him the prevailing price of corn in the market. But the man with the lower price sold almost all that he brought to market before the other trucks this morning. Others charging higher prices had large quantities on hand at that time and were making only a few sales."

Wilson Might Give His Views

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He made before Mr. Wilson left on his trip West. The President apparently has advanced the date of his departure from Washington as it was said at the White House to-day that he would deliver numerous speeches before he reached San Francisco on August 15 to review the Pacific front. An unusual element of expectancy was added as a result of the statement of Senator Spencer, Republican, Missouri, that in his talk with President Wilson yesterday, the President showed himself very hopeful of an early development to clarify the situation.

Japanese Are Making Special Investigation of Shantung Peninsula

Tokio, Wednesday, July 23.—Kenichi Yoshizawa, former councillor of the Japanese legation at Peking, left here to-day for the Shantung peninsula to conduct a special investigation of conditions there preparatory to negotiations with China for the return of its sovereignty over the territory controlled by Japan under the German peace terms. The negotiations, officials indicated, will be initiated after ratification of the Peace Treaty by the Privy Council, which officials said they expected would take place before September 15.

Advance Predicted in Men's Wear

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that an additional fifty cents will be added during the fall and winter. Underwear is likewise showing an upward trend. Especially does the cotton garment show a tendency to advance. This is largely accounted for by the fact that the Shantung campaign of the southerners to reduce the cotton acreage. The garment that sold before the war for fifty cents has advanced in price with indications that the price will be trebled by the time cooler weather sets in. Woolen underwear has advanced from \$1 per garment to \$2 with promises of going to \$2.50.

Honor is Paid War Veterans

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The exhibition of methods of trench warfare given on the ball field last night by the soldiers, assisted by the recruiting party from Harrisburg with supplies from the State arsenal, was most realistic and well put on. In fact, some of the more enthusiastic members thought they were once more in France and could scarcely be restrained from sticking one another with their bayonets.

Moore on Auto Trip

Two hundred members of Harrisburg Lodge, No. 107, Loyal Order of Moose, to-day went to Pottsville by automobile. They took with them their wives and children and were accompanied by the Pottsville Moose.

House Proposes Recess of Five Weeks to Senate

[By Associated Press.]

Washington, July 26.—Majority leaders of the House have decided to propose to the Senate a five-week recess of the House, beginning next week, every effort in the meantime being devoted to clearing the floor of the plan contemplated that hearings on the Shantung question be held during the recess.

Mrs. Margaret P. Miller Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. Margaret Potts Miller, wife of the late David R. Miller, of this city, died this morning at her home, 211 North Fifth street, after a long illness, aged 86 years. She survived by two sons, Herman P. and William P. Miller, of the real estate firm of Miller Brothers & Company, and three daughters, Mrs. Andrew Potts, of this city, an Rankin Potts, of Hershey.

Prizes Are Awarded at Penbrook Union Picnic

Penbrook, July 25.—The big union Sunday school picnic held Thursday at Penbrook was a huge success. The amusement were arranged by a committee of which O. S. Ebersole was chairman. Prizes were awarded as follows: Boys—Fifty-yard dash, first, Russel Renbaker; second, Charles Cassel; wheelbarrow race, first, John Miller and Roy Runkle; second, Harry McKinney and Ruyser Kasson; shoe race, first, John Miller, second, Melvin Ebersole. Girls—Fifty-yard dash, first, Beatrice Reed; second, Lorette Kreister; baseball throw, first, Pioneers; second, Beatrix Reed; egg race, first, Vera Stoner; second, Mary Fessler. Women—Thirty-yard dash, first, Grace Porter; second, Irene Hocker; egg race, first, Vera Stoner; second, Grace Porter; baseball throw, first, Mrs. Charles Hollenbaugh; second, Grace Porter. Men—Dizzy Izzy race, first, Dizzy Izzy; second, Charles Miller; blindfold race, first, W. C. Potter; second, R. A. Miller; cracker eating contest, first, O. S. Helms, second, R. A. Miller.

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Williams Remodel Whitehouse Club for Residence

Samuel F. Dunkel, president of the Harrisburg Manufacturing and Boiler Company, has purchased the Whitehouse Clubhouse and property from the W. H. Seibert estate. Mr. Dunkel will take possession next April. He will erect a modern residence, his plans to include elaborate riverfront improvements.

Many Entries Expected For Girls' Big Swim

It is expected that Miss Virginia Hershey and Miss Anna Emanuel will participate in the quarter-mile championship swim for girls on August 1, as applications have been sent to them and their friends believe they will be both interested in the opportunity to display their ability and incidentally act as a boom to swimming in this city.

Aerial Mail Strike Over Praeger Announces, It a Conference With Pilots, It Was Misunderstanding

Washington, July 26.—Announcement was made to-day at the Post Office Department that the first strike of aviators in history had been settled. After a conference between Second Assistant Postmaster General Praeger and a representative of the air mail pilots, it was said that the strike was the result of a misunderstanding.

150 Proxy Brides Are Brought to U. S. by Japs

Washington, July 26.—Senator Phelan, of California, to-day announced he had submitted to the Senate a bill for the purpose of receiving showing that the Korea Maru, a Japanese liner, had recently brought 150 "proxy" or proxy brides to California for husbands who had never seen them. Other information submitted to the department, Senator Phelan said, amounts to defeat in effect of the "gentleman's agreement."

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Packers Blamed For Sugar Shortage by League Head

Washington, July 26.—Demand that the packers show proof that they are not withholding large stocks of the Colgate warehouses of the United States Quartermaster Corps near Riverview and the government officials say they are powerless to prevent the waste.

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Colored People Form Organization in Carlisle

C. Sylvester Jackson, president of the Harrisburg Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, accompanied by Mrs. Nelson, secretary, Dr. Charles H. Cramp, Dr. Walter S. Taylor, Dr. C. L. Carter, F. L. Jefferson, members of the executive committee went to Carlisle Wednesday evening to organize a branch at that place.

Federal Square District Being Greatly Improved

Great improvement in the Federal Square district will follow the present activities of the telephone and electric light companies in placing the overhead wires of these systems underground. In addition to the extension of the telephone lines from Court street along Locust to the building at the corner of Third and Locust recently taken over by the Miller A. Company and to be occupied by that company, the local manager of the Bell Telephone Company, with other tenants of Harrisburg Light and Power Company, are working on the underground connections for the electric light wire in Locust and other streets in the central district. This will result in elimination of a large number of overhead wires, which obstruct the sidewalks and views up and down these streets.

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