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TURKEY NOW PREPARING FOR A LONG CAMPAIGN

TURKEY IS SENDING OUT TROOPS TO OCCUPY THE GREEK FRONTIER

Is Afraid That Her Old Enemy Will Take the Opportunity to Avenge the Turko-Greek War---Turks and Arabs Entrench Themselves Outside Tripoli and Prepare For a Big Land Battle With the Italians---Bombardment to Start on Wednesday

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Constantinople, Oct. 3.—The Turkish authorities are now taking measures which show that they intend to fight Italy to the finish. All the Turkish troops are being mobilized, while a fleet of four battleships and one cruiser with five destroyers is at anchor in the Dardanelles.

Afraid of Greece
Despite the pacific assurances of the Greek Government, a fear persists that if the war is prolonged, Greece will see to it that a frontier incident occurs that will enable her to declare war against Turkey and avenge the memories of the Turko-Greek war.

People in Clamor
Telegrams received by the Porte from the outlying Turkish provinces say that feeling is running very high and that the people are clamoring for resistance to the Italian forces, and reprisals against the Italians.

Frontier is Manned
The Government is despatching troops into Macedonia in order to man the Greek frontier in the event of troubles with Greece.

WAR AT TRIPOLI
Matla, 7 p.m., Oct. 2.—Word has just been received here from Tripoli that the Arabs and Turks are entrenching themselves behind

the city preparing for a long fight. Sixty thousand Arabs said to be armed with Mausers are holding a strong position fifty miles behind the town in a country which is an excellent natural stronghold. The advance guards are stationed thirty miles from the city.

The Turkish garrison has left the forts to join the troops in the country. After the Italian occupation occurs a siege of the town will begin.

BOMBARDMENT TOMORROW
On board an Italian warship off Tripoli, Oct. 2nd:

"No bombardment of Tripoli has yet taken place. The Italian Consul is my authority for the statement that the bombardment is to be begun three days after the expiration of the notification given on Saturday."

J. H. Rogers returned to town yesterday evening by the Princess May. Mr. Rogers has been on a business and recreative trip to California.

The City of Seattle is expected here on Friday with U. S. mail, passengers and freight.

GOES TO PENITENTIARY

John S. Day, Prominent Victoria Resident Sentenced for Receiving.
(Canadian Press Despatch)
Victoria, Oct. 3.—John S. Day, a prominent hotel and marine man who had been found guilty of receiving naval stores was today sentenced to serve eighteen months in the penitentiary at New Westminster.

THEY OBJECT TO POLL TAX

New Westminster Witnesses Favor Taxing Lands and Natural Resources.
(Canadian Press Despatch)
Vancouver, Oct. 3.—After taking evidence at New Westminster the Taxation Commission left last night for Revelstoke and thence to Nelson and Cranbrook.

Among those giving evidence at the Royal City, the general opinion was that the personal property tax worked a hardship and that the poll tax was objectionable. They favored all the revenue of the province being raised by the taxation of lands and natural resources.

TO BE MADE PRESIDENT OF THE HAGUE TRIBUNAL

Great Honor to be Conferred on Sir Wilfrid Laurier According to the Montreal Herald—Is Unanimous Choice of Great Britain and United States

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Montreal, Oct. 3.—The Montreal Herald, the leading Liberal paper, published the following last night in reference to Sir Wilfrid Laurier's future:

"It was given out by a man prominent in the counsels and in the friendship of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, that the ex-Premier would be offered the position of President of the Hague Peace Tribunal very soon, he being the unanimous choice of President Taft and of the English authorities.

Both of the great nations have expressed their complete confidence in Sir Wilfrid Laurier. To offer the Premier this position on behalf of the English authorities is said

to have been the object of Lord Strathcona's recent visit to Ottawa."

ADRIFT AND HELPLESS

Cruiser Snohomish Speeding to Rescue of Fishing Boat Yukon.
(Canadian Press Despatch)
Victoria, Oct. 3.—A wireless report has been received stating that the gasoline fishing schooner Yukon is off the Vancouver Island coast near Nootka, drifting helplessly with a broken shaft. The U. S. A. fishery cruiser Snohomish is coming at full speed to rescue the small craft.

CITY SOLICITOR IS TO REPORT ON THE LICENSES

Quaint Action of the City Council Over the Bottle License—Aldermen Indulge in Some More Childish Squabbles at the Council Board

The bottle license question, like Banquo's ghost will not down. Again last night it stalked through the council chamber, being raised this time by Alderman Clayton, who wanted the City Solicitor to make a report on the legal aspect to reassure the public mind. The fact that the City Solicitor was one of the solicitors in the case did not bother the council who decided to have his opinion in writing to satisfy the public as to the legality of the License Board's action.

One little spat occurred when Alderman Newton suggested that the City Solicitor be asked to submit a report on all three applications.

Alderman Hilditch with some impatience, said that it would be simply childish to ask the City Solicitor who has been the legal authority in all these cases to

furnish a report upon the legality of the licences.

The suggestion of childishness brought Alderman Newton to his feet. He resented the frequent application of the term "childish" to the other members of council by Alderman Hilditch whenever things didn't suit him.

"You are worse than childish," interrupted Alderman Hilditch.

"People probably accuse you with more reason of what you accuse us of being," replied Alderman Newton. "You can go to your own preacher and hear what he has to say about you." (Laughter in council.)

Alderman Newton went on to say that he believed G. Sutherland had not had a square deal because he believed that defects alleged in Sutherland's application also existed in the other applications.

TO RESIGN TOMORROW

Mr. Borden Will Probably Announce His New Cabinet Then.
(Canadian Press Despatch)
Ottawa, Oct. 3.—Wednesday has now been agreed upon as the most likely day for the resignation of the Laurier Government. The announcement of the personnel of the Borden Ministry will probably be made at the same time.

NEW METHODIST CHURCH

Meeting of Building Committee This Evening to Award Contracts.
A meeting of the Methodist Church building committee is to be held tonight in Messrs. Williams & Manson's offices for the purpose of awarding the contracts for the new church building. Rev. Charles Sing referring to the new church the other day, said that everything was in pretty straight order now for the work to go right ahead. The committee have been waiting to make certain of a necessary sum of about \$8000 required in addition to the fund granted them by the church in the east, but this sum is practically assured them now, and progress can be made at once with the new building. The Methodist Church will be one of the best church buildings in the city when completed.

SPRUCE FOR OARS

British Admiralty Place Large Orders with Queen Charlotte Firm.
The British Admiralty recently gave to the Moresby Island Lumber Company, of Queen Charlotte, an order for 200,000 feet of white spruce. The material will be used in the manufacture of oars for the row boats of the warships.

The superior quality of the white spruce grown in the Queen Charlotte group was discovered years ago by British naval officers on the North Pacific Station. This kind of lumber was found to be ideally adapted for making oars and it is now used for that purpose in His Majesty's vessels throughout the world.

The Cetriana left for the south today with mail, passengers, and cargo.

BASEBALL SCORES

MONDAY BASEBALL

Northwestern League
The season ended with no games today.
Vancouver 7, All-Stars 3.

National League
New York 3, Pittsburgh 0.
Philadelphia 6, Boston 3.

American League
Cleveland 7, Detroit 4.

AERIAL MAIL REACHES RUPERT

First Letter Sent by British Air Post Delivered at Digby Island.
Mr. S. Jennings, engineer in charge of the Digby Island Marine Station works, has been the recipient of an interesting communication from London, England. The missive is one of the first aerial post cards ever sent. It is a specially light card sold in London at sixpence (twelve cents) and bearing an ordinary penny stamp. Sent by aerial mail to Windsor it was transhipped to ordinary mail bags, and so forwarded to Rupert. Before very long actual aerial delivery may be seen effected in Canada across the Prairies.

SAVED JAIL FARM

Lack of Prison Labor Promptly Supplied to Order
Jailer George West, of the Middlesex County, Conn., prison at Haddam, has reason to believe that it pays to advertise. Recently it became known through the newspapers that there were not inmates enough at the prison to care for the prison farm and that there was danger of a part of the crops going to waste if they were not speedily cared for. Within a few days after this information was published nine squads of prisoners were committed on minor sentences and became immediately available for work on the farm. The crops have been saved.

Provincial District Assessor Arthur Cuthbert is exceptionally busy at present arranging for the completion of his assessment schedule by November 1st.

HE SUCCEEDS ROGERS

Jos. Bernier, Member for St. Boniface, Enters the Manitoba Cabinet.
(Canadian Press Despatch)
Winnipeg, Oct. 3.—In the shuffle in the Provincial Cabinet as a result of the Robert Rogers appointment to be Minister of the Interior on the Borden Cabinet, Jos. Bernier, the member for St. Boniface, is to be taken into the Provincial Cabinet.

BIG DEAL PUT THROUGH

D. McLeod's Property on Third Avenue Fetches \$14,000 Outside.
Victoria capitalists have just purchased the property comprising Lots 18 and 19, Block 34, Section 1, for \$14,000. The property is the residential site occupied by Mr. D. McLeod of Foley, Welch & Stewart, who is moving with the big contracting firm to New Hazelton.

Messrs. S. Harrison & Co. have recently put through a number of successful deals in real estate in Prince Rupert to outside capitalists, and are keeping up the good work through their outside sources of attraction.

WELL DONE, GEO. TITE

New Ward at the General Hospital is a Generous and Creditable Gift.
The new ward at the General Hospital which Mr. George Tite generously undertook to furnish was completed yesterday evening, and thrown open to inspection by the matron who is very proud of it. The furnishing of the new ward is a credit to the good taste and good heart of the donor. The furniture is in dark oak, very restful in the effect of its plain lines and subdued color. A handsome carpet with a dark green effect was specially selected and made up to harmonise with the furniture. Even the various small mats and rugs were specially made. The George Tite ward will be a comfortable place to be ill in.

DIED IN HOUR OF TRIUMPH

Aviator Cromwell Dixon After Topping Mountains Fell from Distance of One Hundred Feet.
(Canadian Press Despatch)
Spokane, Oct. 3.—Fresh from his great triumph last Saturday when he topped the Rocky Mountains in his successful flight here from Helena, Cromwell Dixon, nineteen years old, a Curtiss aviator, dropped to death from a height of one hundred feet. The tragic event occurred at the Interstate Fair yesterday afternoon.

COUNTY COURT TODAY

Judge Young will Endeavor to Clear up Outstanding Cases
This morning Judge Young was engaged with Court Registrar Burritt recently appointed in place of Mr. Arthur Cuthbert, in arranging the county court docket for the present session. A number of cases fell to be dealt with, but none is of unusual interest. Judge Young said this morning that he hoped to be able to settle at this session of court, as many as possible of the cases on the docket so as to have no old standing cases to carry over to the next court. Some cases have dragged for quite a long time.

FIGHT CALLED OFF

Johnson-Wells Match Did not Take Place Yesterday as Arranged.
(Canadian Press Despatch)
London, Oct. 2.—The Johnson-Wells match arranged for today was called off by the promoters owing to the opposition it was arousing. Johnson says that after finishing his present contracts he will retire from the ring for good.

THEATRICAL SHOW COMING

Dave Williams Stock Co. Will Stage Drama and Comedy at Empress.
On Wednesday, October 11, there will be a good theatrical show at the Empress Theatre. The Dave Williams Stock Company is coming from Victoria and will open there for a one week show of drama and comedy. The company has been having great houses, and a fine reception at Victoria, and something real good may be expected in Rupert.

The Dave Williams Company will be the biggest theatrical company which has yet visited Rupert. It carries its own scenery, and a feature of the setting will be special scenery designed to suit Prince Rupert. This will be a theatrical treat on a par with the Empress Theatre shows generally.

I. W. W. PROTESTS AGAINST PRISON LABOR ON PARK

Secretary's Letter to Council Last Night says Members Will Not Stand for the Employment of a "Chain Gang" to Lay Out Recreation Park

The Industrial Workers of the World Prince Rupert branch have appealed to the Mayor and council against the system of employing prisoners serving sentence in the city jail to clear and level ground for a Recreation Park. The prisoners were referred to in the I. W. W. letter as "a chain gang" and their work was designated "convict labor." The I. W. W. branch declared that they would not stand for this sort of thing.

Alderman Kirkpatrick who is also one of the police commissioners explained that in order to comply with the terms of the sentences imposed on some prisoners it was necessary to give them hard labor—Chief Vickers had no form of hard labor for them about the police station and the proposal that they should be set to breaking stones was impracticable. Therefore, the idea that the prisoners should be employed on Summit

Hill clearing the level space for a Recreation Park was proposed. There was no semblance to a "chain gang" about the arrangement. The prisoners were under guard but were much more healthily employed at work in the open air than under the alternative of being confined in the cells.

Alderman Douglas raised his voice against the scheme declaring that working men supporters of his in the city had strong objections to it.

Alderman Clayton declared the letter from the I. W. W. branch was couched in arrogant and dictatorial terms and should not be noticed at all by the council.

Alderman Newton said that the idea had got abroad that he had originated the idea of employing the prisoners. This he entirely disclaimed.

The I. W. W. letter was received and filed.

TO START UNIVERSITY CONSTRUCTION NEXT YEAR

Dr. Young Announces That the Sum of a Million Dollars is to be Appropriated—Will Try to Get King George to Lay the Foundation Stone

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Vancouver, Oct. 3.—At the opening of Latimer College last night Hon. Dr. Young, Minister of Education, stated that a sum of one million dollars would be set aside out of next year's revenue for the purpose of commencing the construction of the Provincial University at Point Grey.

He said it had been found necessary to add fifty more acres to the site in addition to the 177 to provide grounds for the professors' residences. The president of the University would be the best man that money could get.

He stated that an effort would be made to have King George lay the foundation stone, or in the

event of that failing, a near relative, presumably the Duke of Connaught.

COURTS CROWDED

A Third County Judge is Needed at Vancouver to Cope With Work.
(Canadian Press Despatch)
Vancouver, Oct. 3.—So heavy have the civil actions become in the county court that a third judge is an absolute necessity. This month 401 cases were entered on the docket and hundreds of cases will have to stand over.

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