

TROOPS FROM GALLIPOLI TO AID SERBIANS?

ITALY PLANS A GREATER PARTICIPATION IN WAR

Premier Salandra Lays New Plans of Campaign Before King Victor and Italian Chief of Staff.

Rome, Oct. 11, via Paris.—Italy's enlarged participation in the war, according to a report current here, is certain and imminent. Premier Salandra, during the course of his recent visit to the Italian front, it is understood, laid before King Victor Emmanuel and General Cadorna, Italian chief of staff, various plans of campaign before the final decision was taken.

London, Oct. 11.—The possible transfer of allied forces from the Gallipoli peninsula to meet the Pentonic advances in Serbia is hinted at by the Globe, which says that the government is divided on the subject.

The Globe considers it vital that the Germans plan to link up the central powers with Turkey be frustrated, and that to this end all other considerations must momentarily be subordinated.

Sofia, Oct. 11, via London, Oct. 11.—Serbian troops that had been occupying the Albanian towns of Shkav and Kava have been withdrawn and are being rushed northward.

Seven divisions of the Serbian army, which had been concentrated along the Bulgarian frontier, also have been hurried to the north to meet the Austro-German offensive.

STERLING DOWN TO \$4.67 1-2

Foreign Exchange Rates Slump to Lowest Since Sept. 15.—Sir Edward Holden and Wall Street Bankers Confer.

New York, Oct. 11.—Foreign exchange rates went down again today in the face of the successful flotation of the \$500,000,000 credit loan to Great Britain and France, to their lowest point since Sept. 15. So disquieting was the situation deemed that the three hour meeting, attended by Wall Street bankers and Sir Edward Holden, a member of the Anglo-French financial commission, was held in the late afternoon at the National City Bank for the reported purpose of devising some new method to bolster the value of the English pound sterling.

Today sterling sold down to \$4.67, although too far below par to make continued buying of American exports desirable from the British point of view, in the opinion of some New York financiers.

The meeting held today, it was reported, was primarily to reach an understanding as to the best available method of using the \$500,000,000 to stabilize exchange, and also with a view to arranging a private agreement between New York bankers, on one hand, and London bankers, on the other, for credits which would tend to send the value of sterling up in this foreign exchange market. A supplemental credit of \$250,000,000 it is said, was discussed.

To what extent American banks would be prepared to advance credit to London bankers, if at all, was a matter of pure surmise.

Sir Edward Holden, as head of the London City and Midland Bank, represents the joint stock banks of Great Britain on the Anglo-French commission. Their resources are enormous. Whether he acted as spokesman for these great financial institutions in today's conference could not be learned. Through his secretary tonight he issued the following statement:

"Sir Edward Holden states that his meeting today was of a private nature. He does not care to discuss it."

TRAGIC DEATH OF SYDNEY WOMAN

Mrs. J. F. McNaughton Dies of Bullet Wound—Dies Without Making Explanation of Occurrence.

North Sydney, N. S. W., Oct. 11.—The death of Mrs. J. F. McNaughton of Sydney, occurred at the residence of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Peppet, here on Saturday, under very tragic circumstances. The facts appear that death was due to the discharge of a revolver, the bullet entering near the heart and proving almost immediately fatal. While Mrs. McNaughton retained momentary consciousness, she was unable to make any statement as to how the occurrence came about, and she passed away about a half hour after the shot was fired. The inquest begun by Coroner A. R. Forbes on Saturday evening was adjourned after the hearing of a couple of witnesses till this evening. The witnesses heard were Mrs. Totten and Mrs. Alex Hood, who were employed in the house on Saturday. Mrs. Totten stated in effect that she was on the second floor sewing, that about noon Mrs. McNaughton, with nothing unusual in her manner or appearance, went to the bathroom for a towel, and while she was absent a revolver shot was heard. Mrs. Totten called Mrs. Peppet and Mrs. Hood, who were downstairs, and the three went to the bathroom where they found Mrs. McNaughton lying on the floor.

Doctors also were at once summoned and found on examination that the bullet had penetrated the breast causing death very quickly. Mrs. McNaughton, who was formerly Miss E. Peppet, was well and favorably known both here and in Sydney, and her death will be greatly regretted by a wide circle of friends. She leaves two small children besides her husband. She is also survived by her mother and one sister, Mrs. Bolling of this town, and one brother, Claudet Peppet, who is with the 4th Regiment at Valenciennes. Mr. and Mrs. McNaughton resided at 111 Park street, Sydney.

Mr. McNaughton, who is general sales agent of the Dominion Steel Corporation, was in Montreal when the news of his wife's death reached him. He returned home on Monday. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon.

MEN WHO RUN THE HUGE BETHLEHEM STEEL BUSINESS



These are the men who, working together for a common purpose, have risen in a few years from poverty to the possession of millions. They are the directors of the Bethlehem Steel Company. To be sure, Charles M. Schwab is the head of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, at South Bethlehem, but although his impress is stamped upon the conduct of the entire business these "boys," as he delights to call them, officer and actually operate the great South Bethlehem plant and exert a large influence in the management of the corporation's other affairs. Mr. Carnegie instituted a profit sharing system among employees in the steel industry more than a quarter of a century ago. In the crop of millionaires produced as a result of that innovation was Mr. Schwab. Just as Mr. Carnegie had smiled upon him for his genius and persevering industry, so Mr. Schwab, when he acquired the Bethlehem Steel Company, determined to reward purpose, ability and cultivation of opportunity wherever he found these attributes combined. The result has been a second edition of millionaires steel men far exceeding numerically the Carnegie output. The incomes of these "boys," only one or two of whom have reached the half century divide, range from \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 a year. Their salaries—the standard stipend which their positions pay—are only \$100 a week. The disproportionate remainder is a premium on the production or the economical management of their respective departments.

Although Mr. Schwab afforded the opportunity for these men to grow from acorns into oaks, they guarded their way to the top by their own merits. Each was selected for his own separate sphere by Mr. Schwab, but only after a sifting and testing process of months in some instances and of years in others. They are not position or even to Mr. Schwab. Mr. Schwab declares that at Bethlehem and elsewhere are their counterparts, moulded of similar stuff, who likewise are rising as the products of their own thought, toll and loyalty and not at any secret dental tangent. But there is room at the top for all, for at Bethlehem, more perhaps than anywhere else in America, high and profitable places are increasing in swift succession.

THE HOME SECRETARY DEFENDS PRESS BUREAU

Says Censors at the Front Largely Responsible for Acts Which Have Been Laid at Door of Press Bureau.

London, Oct. 11.—Sir John A. Simon, the home secretary, tonight issued a statement in which he defended the Official Press Bureau against the recent bitter attacks on its methods of censoring the news and places a large measure of the responsibility for the trouble on the special censors at the front who were appointed by Field Marshal Sir John French. It was they, he says, who excised from one of the despatches to the London Times a reference to the bravery shown by the German troops, which has occasioned such an outburst of indignation.

"At the express request of Sir John French," the home secretary writes, "everything written by accredited newspaper correspondents at the front is submitted to the censors appointed by him at the general headquarters in France, and the press bureau is instructed to accept their censorship as final. Consequently whatever Mr. Buchanan (the Times' correspondent) wrote was censored by individuals over whom the press bureau has no responsibility, written by accredited newspaper correspondents and not at any secret dental tangent."

"Sir John Simon declares it is a mistake to suppose that the press bureau exercises its own judgment concerning the class of news which should be withheld from publication. It examines the copy submitted to it, he says, 'with a view to seeing whether what is supposed to be published offends any of the series of prohibitions of the war office, admiralty or other government departments.'"

"The press bureau," Sir John continues, "is not the author of any of these prohibitions. It is merely the medium by which they are announced and applied."

The home secretary adds that a majority of the large staff of censors employed is appointed by the war office and the admiralty, and that it no doubt happens that from time to time a particular individual who is trying to apply these rules makes a slip.

"The directors of the press bureau," Sir John says in conclusion, "do their very best to reduce such mistakes to a minimum. The director of the press bureau have cheerfully endured much belaboring which, whether deserved or not, most certainly is not deserved by them."

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OPENING OF GREEK PARLIAMENT—VIEW OF ROYAL FAMILY



Opening of the latest Greek Parliament in Athens, marking the return to power of Premier Venizelos. In the center the Bishop of Athens. Front row the Ghomaris old Cabinet, Army and navy officers in the rear.

A new photograph of the King of Greece taken since his recent illness. Left to right—Queen Sophia, Princess Katherine, Princess Helena, Princess Irene, Prince Christopher and the King

DO NOT GO HOME WITHOUT CONAN'S MAPLE BUDDS

Lecture ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE GIVEN BY George Shaw Cook, C. S. B.

Member of the Board of Lectureship of the First Church of Christ Scientist, Boston, Mass.

At the Imperial Theatre Sunday, Oct. 17, at 3 p.m.

No Collection. Seats Free.

HAVE BEEN APPOINTED TO COMMAND BRIGADES

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Oct. 11.—The following officers of the Canadian Expeditionary forces have been appointed to command brigades in the Canadian train:

To Tuckshop Keepers

If you keep the troop tuckshop, here are a few tips to bear in mind: Pay for all the goods you get on or before delivery. Don't have any debts. Have as much variety as you can. Note what kind of sweets sell best and keep a good stock of those. If you sell mineral waters or tea, be sure that all crockery is washed and wiped dry immediately after use. Nothing looks so slovenly in a tuckshop as unwashed cups and plates lying about. Besides, they are much easier to wash before all the stains have had time to dry on them. Keep your goods where mice cannot get at them, and, when you are not about, see that the place is securely locked up and everything put away in the right place. Have some method of keeping accounts, however simple it may be; the simpler the better. In fact, keep a record of your sales each week and have a book in which you enter all the stock you buy. Serve your customers briskly, but do not encourage them to hang about after they have made their purchase.

By so doing they keep away others. Have a set time for opening and closing, and don't on any account serve during a meeting or while someone is speaking. If business is brisk, it is a good idea to weigh up several bags of sweets ready to give to customers. This leaves you more time to attend to other things. Keep the dry canteen away from the wet or you will spoil some of your stock. If you are just starting a tuckshop you will find that among the most saleable goods are the following: toffee, gums, coconut ice, chocolate creams and caramels.

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

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Times Military correspondent minimize importance of success in Balkans—Conceded by withdrawal of m

London, Oct. 11.—Nothing can be gained according to the Times' military correspondent by trying to minimize the fact that the Austro-Germans have achieved a signal initial success in the Balkan campaign. He asserts that unless from 300,000 to 400,000 Allied troops are sent to the aid of Serbia and sent in time the chances for a successful Serbian resistance are not great.

"The despatch of a small Allied force from Saloniki to Serbia," the Times' expert says, "is not a military operation and can be justified on military grounds only if it constitutes the advance guard of a large army or if the Greeks or Rumanians are to take the field. It is by no means certain that we should be wise, even if we could find the necessary men, to submit to German dictation of the initiative and open a great campaign in the Balkans because Germany beckons us thither. Germany's withdrawal of a quarter of a million for an attack on Serbia has made the German campaign in Russia languish and it is for us to take advantage of this fact to push our offensive in the west and for Russia to strive by every means in its

SIXTH MEMBER OF BRITISH COMMONS TO DIE IN BATTLE

New York, Oct. 11.—A cable to the Herald from London says: Lord Hillingdon has lost his eldest son and heir by the death of Second Lieut. the Hon. Chas. T. Mills, M. P., who was killed in action in France on Wednesday. Mr. Mills, who was in his twenty-sixth year, was member of Parliament for Bridge and sixth member of parliament to lose his life in the war.

POPE INTERCEED WITH SULTAN ON BEHALF OF ARMENIANS.

Rome, Oct. 11.—Monsthor Dolci, the apostolic delegate at Constantinople, having reported to the Holy See, on the sufferings of the Armen-

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