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## Britain Will Not Stand Any Nonsense.

Freedom of Straits Must be Maintained  
--- Turkey Demands Large Slices of Territory --- France For Policy of Pacification.

### WILL GO IT ALONE IF NECESSARY

LONDON, Sept. 19. The British Cabinet takes the attitude that Great Britain will undertake military action alone if necessary, independent of France and Italy to protect the freedom of the Dardanelles. It was authoritatively stated after the forenoon's protracted Cabinet meeting.

### THE TURKS' DEMAND.

PARIS, Sept. 19. Bloodless settlement of the crisis in the Near East was predicted by Ahmed Ferid Bey, principal spokesman for Mustafa Kemal Pasha in Europe in a statement to-day, Tuesday. He believes the British will soon allow the Allies to the European side of the Straits. He says the Turks will occupy all Asia Minor up to the Asiatic side of the Dardanelles, including Chanak, where the British are said to be firing on the Turks, the responsibility for the warfare will be on their shoulders. He says the Turkish army is determined to advance beyond the Greek line and the Greeks completely out of Asia Minor. He demands all Asia Minor and Constantinople for the Sultan, as well as all Eastern Thrace and Macedonia, but will make no move upon European Turkey, providing the powers arrange a peace treaty with him, and pending the outcome of same, will recognise the small territorial gains from Constantinople to limit, and not advance beyond that line as evidence of no designs on Constantinople. He welcomes international control of the Straits, providing Turkey has equal voice with the Powers.

### MUSTAFA KEMAL'S OPPORTUNITY PASSED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 19. British military experts believe Mustafa Kemal's opportunity for a coup against this city is now lost on account of the quick strengthening of the Allied defence forces in the neutral zone. All available British warships, with the exception of one, are dry docked, have left Malta for Constantinople, and the Dorset Regiment from Egypt and the Staffordshire Regiment from Gibraltar are on the way. British land forces at Chanak on the Asiatic side of the Dardanelles now number ten thousand. The advance guard of the Turkish forces is now thirty miles south of Chanak and the army fifty miles.

### KEMAL WANTS THRACE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 19. Mustafa Kemal, leader of the Turks, has requested the Allies to permit his army to occupy Thrace, stating that the Dardanelles question can be discussed later with all the Black Sea countries participating. He said it was necessary that he occupy this territory in order to liberate the Moslem population, which he said were oppressed by the Greeks. At the same time the Turkish representative here informed the British High Commissioner that the Ankara Government cannot accept the invitation of the Powers to a Conference on the Dardanelles question, unless delegates from Russia and Ukraine are allowed to participate.

### CANADA WAITING REPLY.

OTTAWA, Sept. 19. The Cabinet Council was again in session throughout the day on the Near Eastern crisis, but so far as can be ascertained it is not in receipt of any reply to the messages sent to the British Government and to the Canadian representatives at the League of Nations asking if the crisis is sufficiently serious to warrant Canadian participation.

ment to call an extraordinary session of Parliament.

### HARDING VETOES SOLDIER'S BONUS BILL.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19. The soldier's bonus bill, which was vetoed to-day by President Harding, who in returning the measure to Congress without approval, declared he was in accordance with the avowed purpose of the bill but could not subscribe to its provisions. He said Congress had failed to provide the revenue from which the bonus was to be paid and the final charge would be in excess of four billion dollars.

### ITALY WITHDRAWS CONTINGENT

ROME, Sept. 19. The Messaggero asserts Italy has decided to send back to Constantinople the small Italian contingent sent with British troops to the neutral zone around the Dardanelles.

### FRANCE'S PACIFIC POLICY.

PARIS, Sept. 19. The French Cabinet to-day unanimously approved of what is characterized as the Pacific Policy of Premier Poincaré in the Near East, and the withdrawal of all French troops from Asia Minor to the French side of the Dardanelles. The centre of Allied deliberations on the Near East problem shifted to this city to-day, with the arrival here of Lord Curzon, the British Foreign Secretary, and the Jugo-Slav Premier Nincich. Curzon's task is to convince the French that the British have no selfish motive in their policy concerning the Dardanelles, but that the whole future of the Balkans and the relations of the Dardanelles with the Near East depend upon safeguarding Constantinople from Turkish occupation.

### NEWFOUNDLAND'S OFFER.

LONDON, Sept. 19. Premier Lloyd George received from the acting Premier of Newfoundland a message expressing appreciation and full sympathy for the position taken by the British Government and promising Newfoundland will offer any assistance available.

### CANADA CONSIDERING.

OTTAWA, Sept. 19. "Such information as we have is of a wholly reassuring nature," Premier King informed the Press at the conclusion of the Cabinet meeting, dealing with the Near East situation last night. The Cabinet sat until midnight discussing the information at

ready received from the British Government and from Fielding and LePointe, the two Canadians at the Geneva Assembly of the League of Nations. Further information from abroad is to be considered at Cabinet meetings to-day.

### NOTHING FURTHER.

OTTAWA, Sept. 19. No further information was received from Great Britain with respect to the Near East situation up to the finish of the Cabinet session this afternoon. It will meet again this evening for the transaction of considerable domestic business.

### REMOVING CHRISTIAN REFUGEES FROM SMYRNA.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 19. Permission to send vessels to Smyrna to take off Christian refugees has been granted by the Turks to the Allied Powers, the United States and Greece. All except males between 15 and 45 will be allowed to depart. The latter are thought to be held for military purposes. Armenians and Greeks are doing by scores from expatriate Smyrna, according to reports reaching here. Twenty-two thousand French and Italians were evacuated yesterday.

### ADOPTED AT LAST.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19. Final legislative action on the Act of 1922 was taken to-day with the adoption of the Conference report by the Senate. The measure now goes on to President Harding and becomes effective the day after he signs it. The Senate vote was 43 to 28 and came exactly one year, eight months and thirteen days after the work started on what will be the first Republican Protective Tariff Law in nearly ten years.

### THE WAR IN IRELAND.

BELFAST, Sept. 19. Ten Republicans and six Nationalists were shot dead in Erris County Mayo, when the Republicans, retiring from Ballina, were attacked by government troops. A massed attack by Republicans on Rathkeale, Limerick, resulted in the capture of the Court House which was set on fire by the garrison.

### NEW YORK CENTRAL SETTLES WITH STRIKERS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19. Officials of the New York Central lines announced this Tuesday evening that a settlement on the basis of the Baltimore agreement had been reached with the striking shopmen throughout the entire system.

### TURKS WANT ATROCITY CHARGE INVESTIGATED.

GENEVA, Sept. 19. A request that the League of Nations send a neutral commission to investigate alleged atrocities of Turkish Nationalists in Asia Minor was presented to the League Assembly to-day by the Persian Delegation on behalf of the Turkish National Parliament.

### WILHELM'S WEDDING IN NOVEMBER.

POTSDAM, Sept. 19. The marriage of former Emperor William to widow Princess Hermine von Schönaich-Carlsath will probably take place in November next. It was announced after a family council of the House of Hohenzollern held here.

### ROYAL FUSILIERS LEAVE.

BELFAST, Sept. 19. The Royal Fusilier Regiment will leave Belfast tonight for England, and is believed to be destined for the Near East.

### At the Yarmouth Y.M.C.A. Boys' Camp.

held at Tusket Falls in August. I found Minsard's Liniment most beneficial for sunburn, an immediate relief for colic and toothache.

### General Secy.

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### 300 slid Into The Sea

WHEN THE STEAMER HAMMONIA REACHED A 70 PER CENT LIST.

Only Englishman Aboard Was the Hero.

Gibraltar, Sept. 12.—Thirty women and children, drowned when two small boats, capsized, are believed here to represent the total loss of life among the passengers of the ill-fated Hammonia, which sank on Saturday, off Vigo, Spain.

More than three hundred passengers slid feet first into the sea when the ill-fated steamer reached a seventy per cent list. This was just half an hour before it took its fatal plunge. The passengers and crew, who had been waiting since noon for the heavy seas to abate so as to give them the chance to take to the boats, found themselves at this critical moment a wild and scrambling heap of humanity struggling amongst the violent waves amid pieces of wreckage, boat gear and deck equipment.

"It was like skidding into eternity," declared Baroness Krumpholtz, a merry little passenger, but whose gaiety was darkened since the wreck, especially after she was notified that her husband had not yet reached here. She was comforted, however, when she later learned that he was aboard another vessel which had reached Vigo. After the listing movement of the vessel, the struggling multitude in the water kept about the ship and its boats until they were picked up by the life-raft of the Kinfauns Castle.

The hero of this scene was W. H. Judd, of Gravesend, England, the only Englishman aboard, who was returning to Mexico on business. He threw off his outer garments and leaped into the waves and immediately proceeded to pick up those who were sinking. He personally saved seven women and children and helped the German officers to enforce the rule of women and children first. He did not leave the scene of the disaster until the German Captain and his faithful nineteen volunteers who stayed behind in a desperate effort to keep the ship afloat by manning the pumps, departed.

### Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread—april 1920

Do you know how to water a flower bed? Most amateur gardeners don't. Using a can fitted with a sprinkler, they splash enough water about the beds to make the soil loam as if there had been a shower of rain, and think then that the plants have had enough moisture to go on with for a day or so—which is all wrong.

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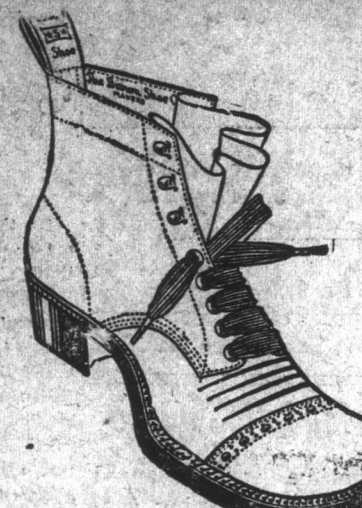
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## Devoted Nurse.

### DYING THOUGHT FOR BABY'S SAFETY.

"Her one thought was for the child," said Mrs. Ruggles-Brise, of Hyde Park W., at the inquest at Chelmsford recently on Evelyn Taylor, 20, formerly in her service, who received fatal injuries through burns while she was holding Mrs. Ruggles-Brise's child in her arms.

While the family were staying at a house at Wickham Bishop, Essex, the girl was preparing some food for the baby, which she held in one arm, while she stirred the food in a saucepan which was being heated over a spirit lamp. A bottle of methylated spirit was broken and burst into flames, setting fire to the girl's dress. Immediately she handed the child to her mistress, who was in the nursery, and it was swiftly carried beyond reach of danger.

Before she died she said, "Is the baby all right?"

### Life For Her Son.

Her motherly instinct prompted her to be blind to her own danger in her heroic effort to save her child, said the coroner at an inquest yesterday at Sutton, near Ely, on Mrs. Agnes Cattell, 55, wife of an hotel manager. It was stated that the family were on holiday. The father was fishing from a wooden bridge, and as their 6-

years-old son ran to him one of the horses of a farm wagon took fright. Mrs. Cattell rushed to the child, but was crushed between the wagon and the bridge and died a few hours later. The boy escaped with a few bruises. A verdict of Death by Misadventure was recorded.

## Why He Went.

He kicked off his dusty boots, slid his tired feet into a pair of carpet slippers, lit his pipe, sat down in the easy chair with a sigh of relief, and declared that twenty thousand wild horses couldn't make him stir from the house till next morning.

"Henry," said the lady with the knitting needles, "you posted that letter I gave you this morning, I suppose?"

"I did, my love," he answered, unblushingly.

"I asked you to postpone your visit for a while," his wife went on. "You see—"

Henry did see. His wife saw, too. What she saw was the tired man jump from his chair, kick off his slippers, put on his boots, and skip out into the street as if walking was the very thing he liked.

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