# TURK ARMY ROUTED BY INFERIOR FORCE

Four Days' Battle Resulted in Utter Defeat of Moslems by Bulgarians.

Nazim Pasha, Porte's War Minister, Reported Dead-Allies Plan For Spoils.

Sofia, Nov. 4.- Details thus far of | negotiations on the subject have yet the rout of the immense Turkish army by the Bulgarians show that the Bulgarian forces were numerically far in-1 注注

The Turkish army is reported to have aggregated 200,000 men. It included the garrison which had retreated from the captured fortress of Kirk-Kilisseh, as well as the main body of Turkish troops which had advanced from Constantinople. It comprised practically the whole of the Turkish troops remaining in Eurrope, apart from the garrisons of Adrianople, Salonika, Monastir, Kanina, Scutari and a few other towns.

This great army was under the per-sonal command of Nazim Pasha, Minister of War and commander-in-chief, who was assisted by some of the most able Turkish generals serving in the army at the present moment.

The fight opened with the discovery by the Turks of a number of Bulgarian cavalry scouts. The Turks drew in their outposts, and these were closely followed by lines of Bulgarian skirmishers, who were succeeded by the main Bulgarian army in fighting formation.

The battle, which was destined to last several days and result in the defeat of the Turke, was soon in progress all along the line.

The Bulgarian troops repeatedly de-

livered fierce attacks, sometimes at one sometimes at another, along the Turkish line extending from Lule burgas to Serai.

The Turkish troops offered a stubborn and desperate resistance, but were unable to withstand the onslaught of the impetuous Bulgarians, and finally they turned and fled in great disorder to ward Tchorlu, in the south.

The losses of the Ottoman army are reported to have been enormous in dead, wounded and prisoners, as well as

ammunition and other supplies.

The capture of a third Turkish military train near Lule Burgas before the battle was an immense advantage to the Bulgarians, as it furnished them with more facilities for the transport of their troops and supplies to the district where the fighting took place.

ALLIES PLANNING PARTITION. Vienna, Nov. 4 .- Negotiations are in between representatives of Bulgaria, Servia. Montenegro and Greece. with a view to reaching an agreement in regard to their demands from Tur-

key at the conclusion of hostilities, ac-cording to the "Neue Frie Presse."

As it is the intention of the four Balkan states to take joint action in this respect, the allies would prefer to enter into direct and immediate negotiations with Turkey, but it is understood that the Ottoman Government refuser to accept this proposition, and will in all probability appeal to the European powers for mediation. It is uncertain, how-ever, whether the Balkan States would tolerate any intervention.

TURKS SHELLED LIGHTHOUSE Sofia, Bulgaria, Nov. 4.—The Turkish cruiser Hamidieh discurred nine shells yesterday at the Cape Mine lighthouse. yesterday at the Cape Mine lighthouse, between the Bulgarian ports of Burgas and Varna. The lighthouse was damag-

The Bulgarian Covernment intends to otest against the bombardment of protest against the bolloar time to building devoted solely to peaceful pur-

KUSTENJE FEARS TURKS.

army under Nazim Pasha opens the way to Constantinople for the Bulgarien troops. This will, in the opinion of diplomatic circles, lead to a situation which will almost inevitably bring about Eur-

opean complications.

The most immediate danger, however concerns the position of this city itself. Most authorities agree that no real defence can be made along the Tochalalja line, supposed to pretect the capital. In the event of hordes of beaten and

demoralized soldiers falling back on the capital, it is difficult to forezee what aiman intervention could save the city from sack and pillage. This fear is prowith most of the inhabitants, who realize that the fact of the Turkish em-

realize that the fact of the Turkish empire hangs in the balance.

It is reported that a secret meeting was held recently in the Mosque of Fatish, the most fanatical quarter of Stamboul, where inflammatery speeches were delivered by a number of Mussulman pricess, who advised a rising against the Christians.

When the nows of further Turkish defeats was received, the authorities or-dered the state of siege to be made more strict. The bridges between Galata and Standard are now not opened until 100

WILL OFFER MEDIATION

Berlin, Nov. 4.—The European Governments have not yet agreed whether to intervene in the Balkan war, or to offer miles from Constantinople. They have, hovever, decided not to wait for Turkey to take the initiative in asking for medi-

taken place.

CUTS TURK'S COMMUNICATIONS. Sofia, Nov. 4.—The Bulgarian troops to-day occupied the Turkish town of De-motica, thus completely cutting off the possibility of communication between

Adrianople and Constantinople. MORE DETAILS.

Sofia, Nov. 4.—A few more details have reached here of the four days' but-tle between Adrianople and Constanti-nope, which resulted in the utter rout by General Savof' Bulgarian command-er-in-chief, of the Turkish army of 250, 000 men, under Nazim Pasha, the War Minister. The battle extended along the line from Lule Burgas eastward to Serai. The Turkish front was over 31

miles long.

The Turkish forces greatly outnumbered the Bulgarians, the latter not ex-

bered the Bulgarians, the latter not exceeding 150,000, many having been investing Adrianople.

The castern wing of the Turkish army at Viza was able to maintain its ground at first against the Bulgarian troops, but could gain no success, and, after three days' fighting, fled. The Bulgarian army vigorous; pursued the Turks, who retreated in disorder and panic on Serai and Tchorlu, Yesterday they were Serai and Tchorlu. Yesterday they were driven from this stand. Many guns and large quantities of ammunition have been captured. Aivali, near Lulue Burgas, and Maras have been burned. All the Christian inhabitants, according to the Bulgarians, were massacred.

The Bulgarians are in pursuit. This seems to indicate that the lines which the Bulgarians are drawing about Constantinople are being brought materially nearer the capital, with only a disorganized and fear-stricken army between the Bulgars and their goal. The Ottoman losses in killed, wounded and prisoners were enormous. Many guns and flags and large quantities of am-munition and other equipment were cap-tured. Bulgarian advices received last night stated that the villages of Aivali, near Lule Burgas, and Maras, near Adrianople, were burned by the Turks, and all Christians massacred.

IS TURKISH LEADER KILLED? Budapest, Nov. 4.—The Pester Lloyd reports that Nazim Pasha, the Turkish Minister of War, who was in command at the front, has been killed.

LONDON HEARS IT. London, Nov. 4.-A destpatch from Sofia to the Central News says there is a rumor there that Naziba Pasha

Sofia reports the capture of Nazim Pasha's headquarters, but makes no mention of the War Minister's death.

# **NEW JUSTICES**

Appointments to Ontario Bench Made.

Ottawa despatch: The Cabinet today decided upon a number of important Ontario judicial appointments. Sir William Meredith succeeds the late Sir Charles Moss as Chief Juslate Sir Charles Moss as Chief Justice of the court of Appeal of On

Mr. Justice R. M. Meredith of the Courft of Appeal goes to the Common Pleas Division as Chief Justice replacing his brother. Frank E. Hodgins, K.C. Toronto

is appointed to the extra judgeship created at the last session.

James Leith, K.C., chairman of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, goes to the High Court in place of Sir William Meredith, who becomes an Appellate judge.

### MURDERER GIVES DINNER.

Montreal, Nov. 4. In order to say farewell to three companions in the con-demned cells and also to show his utter indifference to the fate that will soon overtake him. Sylvia Yacoloff, to die if no reprieve is granted him, on Nov. 15, for the murder of his sister and the usual prison fare was supple mented by delicacies bought by the

Yacoloff delivered his speech, expressing his regret at having soon to leave his friends, and then sang a funny song in Russian, his native language.

### AMATEUR AVIATOR FALLS.

Ningara Falls, N.Y., despatch: Chas. Mills, the first Falls man to fly, this afternoon attempted a flight to Lock-port in his Curtis type biplane, and near Sanhorn had a narrow escape from death, when, in attempting to make a landing there, his machine struck a telegraph pole and dropped about 25 feet to the ground. Mills was badly shaken up, and his machine was so badly damaged that he had to give up the idea of continuing his trip. tinuing his trip.

### MURDER WITNESS FOUND.

London, Ont., despatch: Michelle Faz-The meeting of the European Ambassadors at Constantinople last evening discussed exclusively the measures to be taken for the prevention of possible massacres.

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#### News Notes

A coal barge sank in the Rideau River, but the crew got off safely.

The Port Dalhousie fog alarm will not be operated any more this season. The Ontario Railway and Municipal Board decided that North Toronto should be annexed to the city.

Mr. W. E. Raney made startling statements at the hearing in the Toronto Surrogate Court in the Simoff estate. While eating peppermint candy and chatting with her daughter, Mrs. J. Webster, 205 Hamilton street, Toronto,

was seized with a choking spell and died before doctors could reach her. In the British House of Commons Prime Minister Asquith declined to ap-point a committee to enquire into the advisability of instituting a system of national military training.

Postmaster Hitchcock, of the United States, and Hon. L. P. Pelletier are uniting in a crusade against mail order sharks who are using the mails of both countries for fraudulent purposes. The London Street Railway Company

to-day announced that the scale of wages affecting 150 men had been increased, the change coming without solicitation from the men. SOLDIERS IN CAB

# Toronto Inquest Reveals

Strangers Were in Engine. Toronto dsspatch: Within 5 minutes before an adjournment was taken last night in the inquest being conducted by

Chief Coroner Arthur Jukes Johnson at the city morgue into the Streetsville Junction collision on Thanksgiving evening, when Pte. John A. Bannatyne lost his life, the fact was brought out that two soldiers were in the engine cab of the troop train at the time of the colli-

Although Acting Crown Attorney Thurston conducted the examination of the witnesses, it remained for Attorney Spence, representing the C. P. R., to George Spencer, the fireman on the troop train. Spencer was asked if there was unything to distract the attention of either he or the engineer on the trip from Milton to the point of the collisio At first the witness said there was not, but when led on by the solicitor for the C. P. R. acknowledged that two soldiers had entered the engine cab at Milton just before the train pulled out and beg-ged permission to ride there for at least

One of these men rode on the seat with the engineer, while the other occur pied the seat of the fireman, on the op-

posite side of the engine cab. George Spencer, the fireman, said the train was a very heavy one, and he was kept busy at the fires during the entire trip from Milton to Streetsville, When he went to the window shortly after the engineer blew the whistle for Streetsville he noticed that the semaphore was set against the troop train and so informed the engineer: The engineer's reply was that he had seen it. He could give no idea as to why the train did not respond to the application of the emer-gency brakes, which he said the engineer applied, unless it was because the air had been used up in the application of the brakes in the attempt to bring the train to a stop through the ordinary application of the air.

Chief Coroner Johnson adjourned the

inquest until next Monday night at 8

Figures for October Show More Births.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—A large number of births were recorded during the past month, as compared with that of the revious month and the corresponding month of last year. The figures are: 1207 for October, 1912; 860 for September of this year and 763 for October, 1911. Deaths registered were average, being 487 for the past mouth, 100 for the preceding month and 482 for the month of October, 1911. Deaths from contactions diseases are: Deaths from contagious diseases are

Scariet fever Diphtheria
Measles
Whooping cough
Typhoid
Tuberculosis Infantile paralysis .

## MEXICAN PRISONERS MOVED.

Vera Cruz, Nov. 4.—General Felix Diaz, Colonel Diaz Ordaz, and the other prisoners recently sentenced by court martial, were transferred from the mili-tary prison yesterday to San Juan De Ulloa. General Beitran, commander of the Federals, explained that the latter prison offered more safety in the case of the condemned rebels. The German cruiser Victoria Luise ar-

### TWO YEARS AND THE LASH.

Windsor despatch: Found guilty of attempting to assault an eight-year-old girl in a vacant house on Sunday, October 13, Arthur Garvey was this morning sentenced by Judge McHugh to two years in the Central prison, and to receive ten lashes during his imprisonment. This is the second time in the history of the county that a sentence has included the be-stowal of the lash.

### BLAMED FOR COLLISION.

Revised Municipal Act Is Ready For House.

## INVITE CRITICISM

Civic Authorities Will Get Copies For Discussion.

Toronto despatch: A revised municipal act is one of the promises in store for Ontario at the next session of the Legislature. Perhaps more than a revised act, the Government's bill is almost a new act, designed to be an improvement on the existing statute, simplified, clarified and made workable.

At the last session of the Legislature, Hon. W. J. Hanna, Provincial Secretary, introduced what purported to be a revision of the Municipal Act. The bill was given a first reading, and subsequently withdrawn, so that it might be placed in the hands of county and district court judges, solicitors and municipal officials for criticism and suggestion. The bill is now printed, and will be distributed within a few days. Those receiving a copy will be asked to send any observations they may have to make to Mr. W. B. Wilkinson, Law Clerk of Municipal Bills, so that they may receive consideration by Mr. Hanna before the bill is actually in-

The revision represents the work of two years by expert draughtsmen, specially engaged for the purpose, and, following the Minister's instructions, the old act containing about 750 sections, neluding the numerous amendments since 1903, has been vut down to 538 sections, and at the same time incorporating a number of other acts and parts of acts which should more properly be in-

As the municipal act is practically a text-book to municipal officiale, the object of the Government has been to make the procedure as simple and uniform as possible, and as nearly as may be to express the intention of the Legislature in language so that he who runs may read.

Among the many changes, the following more important have been noted: To remove doubt in matters relating to annexation of territory as to what con-stituted a ratepayer the word "elector" is used throughout.

The occupant of land under an

agreement of sale with the owner is deemed to be the owner, and the unpaid purchase money is to be deemed a mort

gage. Wherever power to acquire land for the purpose of the corporation is given, the power to expropriate is to be in-

cluded.

Municipalities in districts are to be placed in the same position as munici-palities in countles, except as to the amount of property qualification required. This gives widows and spinsters possessing the necessary property quali-fication in a township in any of the districts the right to vote at municipal elections and on local option bylaws, etc.
At present only males have the right to vote in municipalities formed in unorganized territory MORE POWER FOR RAILWAY

BOARD.

ties or exemptions on a factory in a territory, which is detached from one municipality and added to another.

where a village is incorporated or territory is detached from one and added to another municipality, the taxes for the current year belong to the municipality from which the

The property qualification for can-didates for aldermen in cities in un-organized territory is fixed at \$400 if freehold, and \$800 if leasehold.

CHANGES IN ELECTION ACT.

Changes in the election act provide that where a candidate is unable the declaration of qualification any person who knows the facts may make the declaration for him if he believes the candidate will accept office, if elected. Beturning officers and department of any person who knows the page, and are given power to cause, by verbal order, the arrest of any person eausing a disturbance on election day. Where a voter cannot speak English an interpreter cannot be found, the present may be climboyed and, if an interpreter cannot be found, the person the found, the present may be climboyed and if an interpreter cannot be found, the person that it was utterfy to be the dorse the cannot speak english an interpreter cannot be found, the person in the dorse in the provisions dealing with offences relating to bailot papers and documents connected with the election have been adapted from the election as with the result that the penalties provided are greater than those in the present act.

Proceedings begun by one council may be continued and completed by a succeeding one.

The power to license a trade, business or calling includes with it the power to prohibit the carrying on of 208 to 209.

Bill providing for election on members for the firsh Senate acts on the loose of Commons to-night. The members to the firsh Senate acts to be the down the point of the first Senate acts on the loose of Commons. Introducing the convenient, large and additional at vasa intended as an additional at vasa intend

enter upon the land, and the Judge rounded with success in the courts, the may next go for "mabble pie"

may issue his warrant to the Sheriff in case any resistance is offered.

The provision giving the Board of

The provision giving the board of Police Commissioners in cities of over 100,000 power to prohibit the posting up or distribution of posters which in the opinion of the board or any officer are indecent has been amended by a light out all reference to "the opinion of the opinion op

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A change has been made in the highway sections to provide that the soil and freehold of every highway shall be vested in the municipality or municipalities which have invicated to municipalities. municipalities which have jurisdiction over it. Every municipality shall over it. Every municipality shall have jurisdiction over the highways in it unless that jurisdiction has been conferred upon another Council.

Power is given to the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board to approve of forms of by-laws, notices and other proceedings and every form so approve and every form so approve and the state of the state o

of forms of by-laws, notices and other proceedings, and every form so ap-proved shall not be open to objec-tion on the ground that it does not con-form with the provisions of the act. This removes the danger of technical objec-tions interfering with municipal man-agement

### PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Big Figures in Dominion's Annual Statement.

Ottawa, Nov. 4.-The public accounts for the fiscal year of 1911-12 have been printed and made public. They show that the recepits on account of consolidated fund for the year amounted to \$136,108,217.30, and the expenditure on consolidated fund account was \$98,161,-440.77, leaving a surplus of \$37,946.-776.59. The total disbursements were \$137,164,082.20, made up as follows:

Consolidated fund \$808,161,440.77 
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 Capital expenditure
 30,939,575.95

 Railway subsidies
 859,400.25
 7,181,665.23 Other charges .....

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Intercolonial Railway ....\$1,710,448.56 P. E. I. Railway . . . . . 128,041.91 National Transcontinenal 1.153,778.27 Quebec Bridge .. .... .\$30,939,575.95 Total .......\$30,939,575.95 Bounties cost \$538,530.84, distributed as follows: Iron and steel Lead ......

 
 Lead
 179.288.19

 Binder twine
 50.556.78

 Crude petroleum
 141.9% 7.70
 Totals Totals \$53,530.84 The Grand Trunk Pacific received \$4,994.416.66, in accordance with the "implement clause" in the Grand Trunk

Pacific agreement of 1904. The railway bends guaranteed by the Government amounted to \$18.886.969.17 The net debt was decreased during the year by \$122.591.32, and stood on March 31, 1912, at \$339.919,460.71.

## WANT NEW RULES

Breeders Wish Changes in Importation Laws.

Ottawa despatch: A delegation con-sisting of Messre, Miller, Garneau, Bre-thour, Gardhouse and Smith, comprising the National Live Stock Record Committee, waited upon Hon, Mr. Burrell, Minister of Agriculture, to recommend cer-tain changes in the Canadian customs regulations by which animals are admit-

The power to erect a village or town into a city, which is now possessed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, is to be transferred to the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, as is also the power to separate a junior also the duty-free privilege. As a contended, many Uanted States firms interested only in the trafficking of stock "domiciled" an agent in immate of the household of Robert Hill here. Sho is under 14 years of age and came from the Barnardo lione in Toronto.

Fatterson's arrest followed investigation. ted free of duty. township from a union of townships in an unorganized territory, and the senior township is made liable to creditors for all delats of the union.

A change has been introduced providing that all by-laws conferring rights, privileges, franchises, immunities or exemptions on a factory in a

British Commons Agrees on Elective Body.

London, Nov. 4.-The Government offered its amendment to the Home Rale Bill providing for election of members for the Irish Senate according to pro-

succeeding one.

The power to license a trade, business or calling includes with it the power to prohibit the carrying on of such trade without a license. The action of the Board of Polire Commissioners in refusing or revoking a license cannot be questioned in any court.

A corporation expropriating land may, on raying into the High Court as um sufficient in the opinion of the Judge to satisfy the compensation.

Judge to satisfy the compensation, enter upon the land, and the Judge court in Italy, and who has already courts.

CHOICE GERMAN FOCD.

Halls, Germany, low, de Scores of circy dogs were claught red to have and the ment sold to the public in the circ market. There was a ruse to obtain the case was brought by Miss Labriola, a socialist, who was the effect that women cannot practice law. The case was brought by Miss Labriola, a socialist, who was the first woman lawyer in Italy, and who has already recalled with specific time that the public in the circumstance. There was a ruse to obtain the critical live years upon to the large was a ruse to obtain the critical live in the circumstance of the ment sold to the public in the circumstance. There was a ruse to obtain the certain market. There was a ruse to obtain the circumstance of the ment sold to the public in the circumstance. There was a ruse to obtain the circumstance of the ment sold to the public in the circumstance. There was a ruse to obtain the circumstance of the ment sold to the public in the circumstance. There was a ruse to obtain the circumstance of the ment sold to the public in the circumstance. The circumstance of the ment sold to the public in the circumstance of the ment sold to the public in the circumstance. The circumstance of the ment sold to the public in the circumstance of the ment sold to the men

# PLOTTED IN PRISON

Claim Against McNamara in Dynamite Case.

Peculiar Story Regarding Hockin's Alleged Plans.

Indianapolis, Nov. 4 .- That J. J. McNamara since he has been con fined in San Quentin prison in California, has been plotting to "get" William J. Burns and Walter Drew. of the National Erectors' Association. was the substance of testimony given this afternoon by Edward J. Brennan, a Government agent, at the "dynnmite conspiracy" trial. Breman test. fied Hockin stated he (Hockin) had visited McNamara in San Quentin this year and that McNamara had said: "i would like to see them "get" Burns and

When Hockin was going to the station to return to Indianapolis Tvoit moe, Johannsen, Lewis and Yoell accompanied him, Johannsen saying on the way: "Mac (meaning McNamara) is anxious for them to get Drew and Burns." Johannsen thin added to Hockin: After you return to Indianabilis a strayer can will appear on the apolis a strange man will appear on the scene. You will know him when he says, 'I am Arrow, not Darrow.' When he says those words to you, you will know he is the right man.

"Hockin did return to Indianapolis." risekin did return as ramangon-sald the witness, "and a short time lat-er he was called on the telephone by a man, who said, 'i am Arrow, not Dar-row.' Later he met the stranger and procured a good description of him. The procured a good description of him man brought a package, which he left at

the iron workers' headquarters "A few days later Walter Davis, a member of a local iron workers' union in New York city, came in. Hockis, gave him the package, saying, "Take that out of here and get rid of it.' Davis returned with a check from the Union Station. Hockin then took the check to District Attorney Miller. Later Fred. Sherman, an iron worker, who is on trial, came in and asked for the check. Hockin pretended he had lost it. Another time Sherman returned and said, Say, that man says you're a liar and a crook, that man says you're a har and a crook, meaning Hockin had not lost the check.

J. A. G. Badorf, who testified that Hockin confessed to having "tipped off" the identity of the Los Angeles Times dynamiters, was cross examined this afternoon by Senator J. W. Kern, counsel for the defence.

"When Hockin told you be had got

in touch with Burns two weeks after the Los Augeles explosion, did he tell you how he did it?" Badorf was asked. No, he did not tell me how. him he was a fool for allowing Burns to get a reputation as a detective on information he was furnishing."

"Did Hockin say he was guilty of dynamiting?"
. "He said be thought be might plead guilty, and gave me to understand he was in for it. He said he thought all they could give him was 18 months or two years.'

## A SERIOUS CHARGE

Offence Against Girl Alleged in Port Hope.

Port Hope, Nov. 4. -A sensation

Patterson's arrest followed investi-gation by a detective, who has been working on the ease in conjunction with County Crown Attorney Kerr, of Cobourg. The accused appeared be-fore Police Magistrate White here this morning and was remanded unthis morning and was remanded un-till Tuesday next, the Crown not being ready to proceed. Patterso, was lib-crated on bail, two sweeties of \$1,000 each being supplied by J. S. Brown and J. W. Saunders.

Col. H. A. Wood, cx-M.P., has been retained by the accured as counsel.

### CHILD DIES IN FIRE