

TURKEY WON OVER BY HEAVY BRIBES

British Foreign Office Says Germany Was Liberal—Neutrality Urged By Britain.

(Canadian Press.)
LONDON, Nov. 1.—The British Foreign Office late Saturday night issued a statement dealing with the situation in Turkey, and the protests made by the British ambassador against what the office described as the "unfriendly attitude" of Turkey, especially in connection with the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau.

The statement quotes the note addressed by the Sublime Porte to the powers, in which the Ottoman Government declared its neutrality, and the note communicated by the British ambassador to the Porte, in which he complained of alleged breaches of neutrality on the part of Turkey.

As Turkey shut off communication with the British embassy on Friday, the British Government considering this a prelude to further acts of aggression, declared its intention to protect British interests and British territory, and also Egypt, from attacks that have been made or threatened.

Britain Has Been Patient.

The statement continues: "At the beginning of the war the British Government gave definite assurances that if Turkey remained neutral her independence and integrity would be respected during the war and in times of peace. To this France and Russia concurred. The British Government since then has endeavored with the greatest patience and forbearance to maintain friendly relations, in spite of increasing breaches of neutrality on the part of the Turkish and German vessels in the Straits."

An Unprecedented Act.

"On Thursday, Oct. 22, the British Government learned with the utmost regret that Turkish ships of war had, without any declaration of war, without warning, and without provocation of any sort, made wanton attacks upon open and undefended towns in the Black Sea of a friendly country, thus committing an unprecedented violation of the most ordinary rules of international law, comity and usage."

"Ever since the German warships Goeben and Breslau took refuge in Constantinople the attitude of the Turkish Government towards Great Britain has caused surprise and some uneasiness. The promises made by the Turkish Government to send away the German officers and crews of the Goeben and Breslau never have been fulfilled."

Influence of Germany.

"It was well known that the Turkish Minister of War was decidedly pro-German in his sympathies, but it was confidently hoped that the sane counsel of his colleagues, who had had experience of the friendship of Great Britain has always shown towards the Turkish Government, would have prevailed, and prevented that Government from entering upon the very risky policy of taking sides in the conflict on the side of Germany. German officers in large numbers have invaded Constantinople, have usurped the authority of the Government, and have been able to coerce the Sultan's ministers into taking up the policy of aggression."

Great Britain, as well as France and Russia, has watched these proceedings patiently, protesting against many acts which have been constantly committed contrary to neutrality, warning the Government of the danger in which they were placing the future of the Ottoman Empire."

Lavish German Bribes.

"Vigorously assisted by the ambassadors of Germany and Austria, German military elements in Constantinople have been persistently doing their utmost to force Turkey into war, both by their activities and service of the Turks, and by bribes, of which they have been so lavish."

"The Minister of War, with his German advisers, has lately prepared an armed force for attack upon Egypt."

"The Moslem army corps, which have, since their mobilization, been constantly sending troops south, preparatory to the invasion of Egypt and the Suez Canal, from Akabah and Gaza, at large body of Bedouin Arabs have been called out and armed to assist in this venture, and some of these have crossed the Sinai from."

Transport has been collected and roads have been prepared up to the frontiers of Egypt. Mines have been dispatched to be laid in the Gulf of Akabah.

Meeting the Mohammedan.
"The notorious sheik, Aziz Shawish, has published and disseminated through Syria, and probably India, an inflammatory document urging the Mohammedans to rise against Great Britain. Dr. Pfeiffer, who was so long engaged in intrigues in Cairo against British occupation, and who is now attached to the German embassy in Constantinople, has been busy occupied in Syria, trying to incite the people to take part in the conflict."

Aggressive action was certain to be the result of activity of the numerous German officers employed in the Turkish army, and acting under the orders of the German Government, who thus succeeded in forcing the hands of the advisers of the Sultan."

End of Turkish Empire.
"German intrigue cannot influence the loyalty to Great Britain of the 70,000,000 Mohammedans in India, and the feeling of the Mohammedans in Egypt. They must look for their salvation on the misguided action, under foreign influence at Constantinople, which will inevitably lead to the disintegration of the Turkish Empire, which shows such forgetfulness of the many occasions on which Great Britain has shown her friendship to Turkey."

They must feel bitterly the degradation of their co-religionists, who can thus be dominated against their will by German influences, and in many of them realize that when Turkey is pushed into war by Germany they must dissociate themselves from a course of action that is prejudicial to the interests of Turkey itself."

Cut Off Embassy Without Notice.

"The Turkish Government, summarily, and without notice, on Friday, cut off telegraphic communication with the British embassy at Constantinople. This is no doubt a prelude to further acts of aggression on their part, and the British Government must take whatever action is required to protect British interests and British territory, and also Egypt, from attacks that have been made and are threatened."

Goeben and Breslau.

"The ambassador points out that, despite the rule to the contrary, the Goeben and Breslau were allowed to enter the Dardanelles, and remain in Turkish waters for an indefinite period on the pretext that a sale, as to the genuineness of which no evidence exists, had taken place."

"The note goes on to point out that the two ships were not interned, that they were allowed to search British ships in the Dardanelles, were repaired in Turkish waters, have put to sea under Turkish command, and were returned from cruises in the Black Sea, and were generally allowed to use the Turkish port as a base."

"Finally, the note states, the status of the Dardanelles has been violated by Turkey itself in violation of the series of international acts, and she has interfered with the free passage of British merchant ships through the Straits. The ambassador's note, concludes."

Rules of Neutrality Violated.

"In the presence of the acts set forth above it is impossible for the Imperial Ottoman Government to maintain that they have hitherto observed that duty as neutrals, the performance of which the Imperial Minister for Foreign Affairs declares them to have had in view when drawing up the circular embodied in the circular note of Sept. 26. If, after consulting the recognitions of these duties, by an official communication, the Imperial Government should continue to tolerate the use of Turkish territory for German ships and agents for purposes connected with the war, His Majesty's embassy will feel itself constrained to protest with renewed vigor against what it cannot but consider to be a flagrant and unilateral attitude on the part of the Imperial Ottoman Government."

"The Imperial Ottoman Government, on the other hand, the object of the communication is to prove that the Imperial Government is prepared to embark on a new line of action, the communication will have the utmost satisfaction in taking the act of assurance in that sense, and bringing it to the knowledge of the British Government."

Announcement in India.

SIMLA, British India, Nov. 1.—Via London, 3:21 p.m.—The announcement of the unfriendly attitude of Turkey toward the allies was made throughout India today in an official communication, wherein the Viceroy of India declares the endeavor of a Chauvinistic element to drive Turkey into a war with Great Britain for the benefit of Germany and Austria."

The reception which the announcement received in the outlying districts will not be known for some days, but responsible leaders of the Mohammedan community are already holding meetings in support of Great Britain, while the mosques are organizing prayers for the success of the British arms. The Muslims are preaching homilies, urging Turkey either to maintain a neutrality or side with the allies."

UNITED STATES GENERAL DEAD.

(Canadian Press.)

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 2.—Lieut. General Adna Chaffee (retired), former chief of staff of the United States army, died at his home here yesterday of typhoid pneumonia. His body will be taken to Washington.

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GERMANY ASKS WOMAN'S AID TO WIN OVER CZAR

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Observer sends the following:

"According to a report being circulated in army circles, Russia recently has been approached regarding the conclusion of peace with Germany. It is said that the German Emperor wrote a personal letter to the Dowager Empress, urging her to persuade the Russian Emperor to make peace."

"The Dowager Empress forwarded the letter without comment to Emperor Nicholas, who sent it to Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian army. The Grand Duke returned the letter with this comment:

"If you compel our armies will mutiny and there will be a revolution. I call all the Russias."

"No confirmation of the report is obtainable."

TURKISH FLEET REPORTED TO HAVE SCORED TRIUMPH

Constantinople Says Czar's Gunboat Kubanets and Mine-Layer Are Sunk—Petrograd Claims Kubanets Beat Turkish Torpedo Boats.

(Canadian Press.)

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 1.—Via London. The following official telegram from Constantinople, dated Saturday, is published by the Frankfurter Zeitung:

"A small port of the Turkish fleet in the Black Sea on Thursday sank the Russian mine-layer Prut, a vessel of 5,000 tons, which has aboard 700 mines, damaged a Russian torpedo boat, and seized a coal steamer."

"A torpedo fired from the torpedo boat Hahret-i-Millet sank the Russian destroyer Kubanets. The Mavneveti-Millet torpedoed a Russian coast-guard ship, which was severely damaged. Three Russian officers were saved by the Turkish fleet."

"The Russian fleet suffered no loss and the battle was successful. According to a dispatch from Constantinople to the Frankfurter Zeitung."

Submarines at Antwerp.
A dispatch from Rotterdam to the Evening News, dated Saturday, says: "Eschen, a Belgian town on the Dutch border, directly north of Antwerp, has been occupied by German soldiers and marines, who are preparing winter quarters there."

"The German army is strengthening and mining the roads around Brussels, Grammont, Antwerp, Lokeren and Ghent."

Antwerp by rail, are now being fitted and tried in dock."

It is officially reported, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Paris, that when the French captured Quosnoy Sur Deule, six miles north of Lille, yesterday, they took 200 prisoners, two guns and a large number of quick-firers."

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John Aitchison, of Gainsville, Caught Walking on Tracks.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

BRANTFORD, Nov. 1.—James Aitchison, a middle aged man, supposed to belong to Gainsville, was found upon the Grand Trunk tracks at Copetown today, but expired shortly after arrival here. Both legs were severed at the knees, and although an operation was performed, it was ineffective. It would

appear that he was struck by a train as he was walking in towards the city.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE ADVERTISER:

I notice an item in your paper today in reference to military drill at the Agricultural College. The college students asked for a meeting to discuss military drill at this institution. The request was granted. A meeting was held. A committee was appointed. This committee should have reported the results of the meeting to me at once. This would have been sent on to the minister of agriculture for his decision. No report was sent to me. On Wednesday evening a request was received from the chairman of the committee for permission to give notice at once to have drill on the college campus on the following day. I told him that the proper way would be to send a report to the minister of agriculture for his ruling before military drill was started. I considered it his right to approve of what the minister had not sanctioned in an official way. I have refused to request for any meeting of the student

committee with regard to military training, has received a letter from Hon. James Duff, minister of agriculture, stating that he wished the student body and faculty to feel that they had the backing of himself and the department in this matter, and if necessary he would be glad to take up with the faculty and with the military authorities the question of arranging the calendar so that credit would be given for time spent in that work.

Favors Project.

It is also known that Hon. James Duff yesterday forwarded to the acting president of the Ontario Agricultural College a letter, in which he formally expressed his hearty approval of the formation of an engineering corps for home defence by the students, and also giving instructions that a suitable building be placed at their disposal for instruction purposes.

Explains Situation.

Acting President C. A. Zavitz, of the Agricultural College, writes to The Advertiser as follows, in connection

GERMANY TO GIVE TURKS FIFTY MILLIONS

LONDON, Nov. 2.—3:09 a. m.—The Daily Mail's Copenhagen correspondent says he hears that Germany is preparing to issue a new war loan of \$1,250,000,000 and will advance a preliminary war contribution to Turkey of \$20,000,000.

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