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## FATE OF TURKEY DEPENDING ON BIG BATTLE

**If Ottomans Are Defeated, Situation Will Be Apparently Almost Hopeless—Constantinople Is Cheered by Belief That Turks Are Assuming the Offensive.**

LONDON, Oct. 29.—(Can. Press.)—The long awaited battle which will decide the fate of Turkey is now being fought. The army under Nasm Pasha, minister of war, and commander-in-chief, is engaged, and according to Constantinople official despatches, the operations are favorable to the Ottomans. The despatches, however, do not indicate where the chief action is taking place nor how the opposing forces compare.

It is Turkey's last chance to retrieve an almost hopeless campaign. Nasm Pasha is fighting with his back to the wall; his communications have been cut, and it is impossible for him to get fresh supplies or reinforcements.

In Constantinople the feeling of confidence is reviving. It is believed that the war minister has at last assumed the offensive. But this is by no means certain, as the battle may have been fought upon him.

Sofia despatches indicate a continued forward movement of the Bulgarians, but give no details. There is still no confirmation of the reported capture of Lule Burgas, Demotica and Drama. The Bulgarians are still fighting in the direction of Viza, in pursuance of their plan to advance to the extreme east in the direction of Constantinople. The Greeks also are marching, with victories to their credit, towards Saloniki, where a feeling of extreme anxiety is said to prevail and provisions are running short. The fact that no apparent effort is being made to stem the Greek advance to Saloniki is held to indicate that the bulk of Turkey's army there has been transferred to Thrace.

No recent information has been received of the operations around Sturt of other points to the west, and Sofia today observed a significant silence.

Diplomatic activities continue in London. The prime minister, Mr. Asquith, had an audience with the King today. No formal action has been taken or is likely to be taken until the result of the great battle is known.

**BATTLE IS A SEVERE ONE.**

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 29.—(Can. Press.)—A late telegram received from Nasm Pasha says that the battle, begun today, is still being waged with great violence. He adds that the situation for the Ottoman troops is very favorable.

Another official despatch reports fighting yesterday and today between Uscuberd, to the east of Kirk-Kilis and Viza. Two battalions of Bulgarians were cut off from the main body and sustained heavy losses.

Fighting continues between the Greeks and Turks in the Kosal region of Macedonia. According to reports given out the Greeks are being driven back.

Despatches dated three days ago give the first news received of the position of the western army, which was admitted to be grave. It was asserted, however, that a considerable force was still concentrated at Voles, disputing the advance of the Servians and Bulgarians.

**POWERS SOON TO INTERVENE**

Should Turkey Be Defeated in Impending Big Battle, Action Cannot Be Delayed.

BERLIN, Oct. 29.—(Can. Press.)—The Frankfurter Zeitung prints a Vienna despatch, evidently emanating from official sources, which says:

"The time for intervention by the powers is near, whether requested or not. If Turkey is defeated in the impending battle between Adrianople and Constantinople, it would be high time for Europe to look to its interests, since the destruction of European Turkey could not be tolerated, nor could the occupation of Constantinople by another power."

"Blood enough has been spilt and"

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## CODERRE'S APPOINTMENT BRING ON LIVELY CAMPAIGN IN HOCHELAGA

**By-Election Is Fixed for Nov. 19, and It Is Believed Liberals Will Try Hard To Make Inroads on 1,300 Majority—Situation in Quebec Seems Clearing.**

OTTAWA, Oct. 29.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the cabinet this afternoon the date was fixed for the by-election in Hochelaga division, Montreal, rendered necessary by the acceptance by Louis Coderre of the portfolio of secretary of state. Nominations will take place on Tuesday, Nov. 12, and voting on Tuesday, Nov. 19.

On Sept. 21, 1911, Mr. Coderre had a majority of over 1800, the English vote in the municipality of Westmount, which forms part of the division of Hochelaga, going almost solidly against Mr. Rivet, the former Liberal member on the reciprocity issue. The expectation here tonight is that despite Mr. Coderre's large majority at the general elections, there will be a contest. Col. George Washington Stevens, who recently resigned as chairman of the Montreal harbor board, is mentioned as a possible Liberal candidate, but it is considered more likely that a French-Canadian will be chosen to carry the opposition standard.

**CHASM BRIDGED OVER.**

MONTREAL, Oct. 29.—(Special.)—The French members of parliament appear to be rallying round Hon. Louis Coderre, the new secretary of state, who arrived in the city this evening, announcing that Prime Minister Borden will be here during the first week of the election, and that the premier's announcement on the naval question will form the basis of the campaign. The nomination in Hochelaga will take place on November 12 and polling a week later on November 19.

Sir Rodolphe Forget, M.P.; J. A. Barrette, M.P.; D. O. Lesperance, M.P.; S. Lavallee, M.P., and Dr. Paquette, M.P., were present. Dr. Paquette, who is considered a Nationalist, offered his services to Mr. Coderre on the spot, so it looks like a united party in Hochelaga.

**A Lively Campaign.**

The date of Mr. Borden's address will be announced tomorrow, and beside Hon. C. F. Doherty, other ministers will take a hand in the fray.

The statement is made here today that Sir Wilfrid, being a British party councillor, will be absolutely unable to take part in any contest after Premier Borden announces that a request is made for help by the imperial authorities.

**BECKER WILL GET SENTENCE TODAY**

Condemned Man Will Be Hurried to Sing Sing—Shapiro Gives Information Against Gunmen.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—(Can. Press.)—Charles Becker, deposed police lieutenant, will be sentenced tomorrow morning for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler. Becker will be brought before Justice Goff in the criminal court building at 10:30 o'clock. He will be told that he must die in the electric chair in Sing Sing prison.

Mrs. Becker will be present to hear her husband's fate pronounced by the white-haired justice who presided at Becker's trial.

"I shall certainly be in the courtroom tomorrow," the devoted wife said today after leaving her husband behind the bars in "Murderers Row" in the Tombs. "I shall go on the train with my husband to Sing Sing. I want to stay at his side as long as possible. I think it is my duty to do that and to be as brave as I can."

The "death house" at Sing Sing will be Becker's home beginning not later than Sunday, the state plans. District Attorney Whitman does not want the responsibility of the ex-lieutenant's presence in this city when he places the "gunmen" on trial. The first of them will probably be tried on Monday. Sheriff Harburger declares he will not delay Becker's removal from the Tombs.

**Confession of Shapiro.**

The task of the state in prosecuting the gamblers—"Lefty Louis," "Whitney Lewis," "Gyp the Blood," and "Dago Frank"—was made less difficult this afternoon when Wm. Shapiro, driver of the "murder car," made what was purported to be a complete confession.

Shapiro was closeted with District Attorney Whitman for several hours. For days his counsel, A. J. Levy, had urged his client to tell the truth. Shapiro feigned to do so, said the lawyer, because he believed he would be killed.

Shapiro's confession and his testimony on the stand against the "murder crew" all in corroboration of what the state already knows of the movements of Rosenthal's alleged slayers the morning the gambler was killed, District Attorney Whitman believes he will have no trouble convicting the gangsters.

## Q.O.R. Presentation Of Prizes Canceled

Owing to the troop train accident on Thanksgiving Day, and out of respect to the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the 48th Highlanders, the presentation of prizes of the Q. O. R. which was to have taken place this evening, is postponed until the following week, as are all social functions by the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the regiment. The weekly parade, however, will be held as usual.

## FAMOUS WOMAN DOCTOR DIED SUDDENLY

**Dr. Alice McGillivray of Hamilton, Best Educated Woman in Canada and One of First Three Women to Enter Queen's, Passed Away While Driving Motor Car.**

(By Staff Correspondents.)  
HAMILTON, Wednesday, Oct. 30.—Dr. Alice McGillivray, a well-known medical practitioner of this city, succumbed to an attack of apoplexy while out driving in her automobile at 7 o'clock last evening on South Catherine street. Mrs. McGillivray was driving the car, and a patient who was in the car noticed her weakening and stopped the machine. A. M. Lewis, who was passing, took her to a house on Catherine street and summoned her husband, Dr. T. S. McGillivray, and Dr. Remis, but when they arrived Mrs. McGillivray was dead.

Mrs. Dr. McGillivray, who was about 40 years of age, was a daughter of Mrs. Margaret Skilton.

Besides her mother and husband, she leaves a daughter, Gladys, of this city, who is at present on a hunting trip, and a brother, Dr. G. D. Skilton of Kansas City.

Dr. Alice McGillivray was born in St. George, Ont., and was one of the first three women to enter Queen's University as a student. While there she took honors in all her classes, and on graduating she took the highest honors in medicine and was gold medalist in arts. She was made a professor and vice-dean of the Ladies' Medical College, which office she held for five years, when the college was done away with. She then went to Chicago and came here 15 years ago. She has been in practice here ever since. She was considered to be the best-educated woman in Canada. She was a member of Central Presbyterian Church and was a great charity worker. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

## SHUNTING TRAINS ANNOY MANY RESIDENTS

People Living on Robson Street Held a Meeting to Protest and Were Advised to Take Their Grievance to City Council and Dominion Railway Board.

St. Clement's Anglican Church was put to a rather peculiar use last night, when about 70 residents of Robson street assembled in it to protest against the Grand Trunk Railway's practice of shunting freight cars at all hours of the night on switches located to the west of the street. Controller Church and Aid Robbins were present. The former grasped the occasion and did a little electioneering after he had suggested that a sub-committee be appointed to consult with the board of control in regard to the shunting annoyance. "Draw up a list of your complaints," said the controller, "and I will do all I can for you when it is presented to the council."

S. McMurray, 23 Boston avenue, one of the speakers, claimed that when the Dovercourt Land Co. sold the residents their property it assured them that the land to the west of the street would be used as factory sites, but within a year after he had built his house, down went the G.T.R. switches. Since then his family had been greatly disturbed by the continuous shunting, which made sleep almost impossible. "At three o'clock in the morning," he said, "there will come thundering by our front doors and the houses all along the east side shake as if they were about to fall."

Another complaint registered was that Messrs. Jennings and Ross, two of the residents, couldn't put down sewers, on account of the switches. Mr. McMurray said that the city had now agreed to put in these sewers, the consent of the G.T.R. having been obtained.

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Western City Will Help Toronto in Fighting Placing of Poles by Corporations.

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## THORO INVESTIGATION INTO CAUSE OF WRECK TO BE HELD IN TORONTO

Chief Coroner Johnson Will Open an Inquest This Afternoon on One of the Victims Killed at Streetsville on Monday—Military Funeral From Armories at 2 o'Clock Tomorrow Afternoon.

Arrangements for the burial of the dead and the care of the injured Highlanders, who were aboard the ill-fated troop train returning from the sham battle at Milton, when it struck the westbound flyer at Streetsville Thanksgiving night, occupied the attention of Toronto's militia yesterday. Military men also found time, together with citizens generally, and crown officers and railway officials, to discuss the possible, probable and advisable methods of investigation of the causes of the collision resulting in those deaths and injuries.

A military funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the armories to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The inquest opened at the scene by Coroner Smith of Streetsville, on the body of Mac Murdoch, who was killed at Streetsville Tuesday evening next. Chief Coroner Arthur Jukes Johnston will also open an inquest here Tuesday upon the body of John Bannatyne.

A statement that the engineer of the "troop special" had overrun his orders and that his emergency brake had failed to work was issued yesterday by railway officials, who are conducting official investigations at Toronto and London.

It is also probable that the Dominion Railway Board will be asked to make provision regulating the construction of rolling stock, which may be used by the railways, with a view to averting or lessening the danger of cars being telescoped in collision, which was the cause of the heavy list of injuries in the Streetsville accident.

**Shadow of Hops.**

With the clearing of the excitement of caring for the injured comes a more accurate list of injuries, and the certain identification of the dead. Yesterday it was learned that the names of the dead, secured from a maze of double identification and rumor, were correct, while time for more thorough

General Cotton yesterday refused to make any statement as to the action of the military authorities in the matter of investigation, further than to say that they were conducting an investigation of their own. He declared that the C. B. R. could be trusted to do all that could be done by way of establishing the responsibility. He de-

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## LANDMARK SOLD AT GOOD PRICE

Deer Park Hotel at St. Clair Avenue and Yonge Street Changed Hands For \$80,000.

The old Deer Park Hotel, a landmark of North Yonge street, at the southwest corner of St. Clair avenue, for over half a century, was sold yesterday for about \$80,000. The vendor was James O'Halloran, one of the family that has held the hotel since its earliest days. The purchaser is a private investor, who will hold the corner as a speculation.

The frontage on Yonge street sold at 97 feet 6 inches, with a depth of 110 feet. Part of the property is occupied by a garage, owned by W. W. Dundas. His lease is subject to the property's sale.

Originally the O'Hallorans owned 212 feet on Yonge street, but the Metropolitan Radial took 215 feet for its burns.

The hotel lost its license in the reduction of three years ago.

## TURN FROM WAR TO PROVERBS

Solving of the Proverb Pictures Furnishes Relaxation For Toronto World Readers.

The first pages of the newspapers these days are telling of the developments in the struggle now taking place between the Turks and the Bulgars.

It is only natural that the reading public should be interested in following the narration of events which may lead to the overthrow of the Turkish Empire. But after reading about this great war, now waging, the average reader looks for something with which to relax the mind—for the unusual and the thought.

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