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THREATEN KEY POSITION ON DARDANELLES

HINDU MOSLEMS ASK PEACE WITH

Suggest Granting Turkish Sovereignty Over Thrace, Including Constantinople.

WOULD ASK GUARANTEES Request Indian Moslems Be

Associated in Peace Discussoin.

London, Sept. 22.-Canadian Press. -Details of the views of the Near East situation, which was urged yes terday by 25 Moslem members of the Indian legislature, in an interview with the vicerov of India, Lord Reading, according to a Reuter cable from Simla, show that they urged an early peace with Turkey. suggested that the essential conditions of peace for Turkey were that the Turks should have sovereignty over Thrace, including Adrianople, Constantinople and Asia Minor, along with Smyrna, and that measures should be settled upon for the protection of the Christian minorities therein.

The deputation expressed appre ciation of the difficulties with regard to the straits, but hoped the straits would be restored to Turkey on the latter furnishing guarantees. The deputation declared that it was important that in the settlement of the question regarding the straits, Constantinople should be safeguarded from sudden attack by enemies and requested that the Indian Moslems should be associated in the dis-

cussion of peace terms. Reuter's correspondent at Simla adds that this cautious summary of the interview gives no idea of the grave apprehension with which re possibility of an actual conflict with the Turks by the British. All the Moslems in India contend that Turkey is entitled to reap what they re gard as the just fruits of her recent victory, which undoubtedly relieved predisposed it to wholehearted colem feeling, however, is again acutely strained by the idea that Great Britain is taking up an unfriendly attude towards reasonable Turkish

In the event of a Turco-British conflict undoubtedly all the moderate co-operating Moslems in India would almost be forced to desert the government and thereby would give the non-co-operation element a strong ada, the United States, and for and lamentable new lease of life. which would be a disaster to India claimed 1,195 cars, while 1,000 were from every point of view. Consider- shipped by express ing the vital importance to British interests in India of a peaceful settlement of the present trouble in the stated Friday morning that for the Near East, it is unnecessary to refer | remainder of the season approxithe countries adjoining India.

KILLS AND WOUNDS ON LOSS OF JOB

Rynolds, well-known darkest, are again in operation. Brookline physician, is dead, Patrolman Alex. Johnston of the Brookline police department, is probably fataler of a fashionable Bacon street apartment house, is less seriously wounded, as a result of an attack made with a .double-barrelled shot-William Morgan, a negro janitor,

MOORE LEAVES FOR CONGRESS. Montreal, Sept. 22 .- Tom Moore, president of the Dominion Trades probably be during the early part and Labor Congress, sailed today on of 1923. the liner Montcalm. He is a Canadian delegate to the International Labor Congress to be held at Geneva Grand Trunk for the past week, next month.

THE WEATHER

fair and warm today and on Saturday

FORECASTS.

Pressure is high over Newfoundland and low over the Canadian Northwest. hile the South Atlantic storm is mov-The weather has been fair from liberta to the Maritime Provinces. Temperatures.

The highest and lowest temperatures luring the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m.

today were: High. Lov // Victoria 58



algary Winnipeg .. 78 Pt. Arthur. Sound. oronto . Kingston Ottawa uebec . Halifax

highest and lowest temperatures led in London during the 24 hours

ous to 8 o'clock last night were hest, 79; lowest, 42. The official temperatures for the 12

urs previous to 8 a.m. today wer ghest, 67; lowest, 46. Barometric Readings Thursday-8 a.m., 29.28. Today-8 a.m., 29.27.

Turks Menace Constantinople



MUSTAPHA KEMAL PASHA'S infantry, firmly entrenched at Ismid and Brusa, opposite Constantinople, awaits only the orders of its chief to advance on the ancient capital of the Ottoman empire, whose freedom Britain is prepared to defend.

Closing Schools During

Election.

Consider Acceding to

City's Request.

while the schools be thrown open for

Is Poor Bargain.

"You propose," he warned, "to close

While Trustee Bryden Campbell

ertain rooms only be devoted in each

Trustee Bryden Campbell held to

Gives Warning. Trustee Rev. A. A. Bice delivered

IMPROVING HERE

London reports to Bradstreet's say

that retail trade here is more active

business as the season advances.

Overcoatings are in good demand.

of clothing and furnishings are mov-

CANADIAN EXPORTS TO

out in good volume.

he timely warning that these elec-

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his opinion, however, that it was their

asked what was the procedure

formidable list

Believe This Year's Freight Members of Board Object to Will Set Record For District.

sponsible opinion in India views the Passenger Trains Withdrawn Appoint Special Committee to During Coal Strike Restored to Service.

predisposed it to wholehearted co-peration with the government. Mosthe tension in Moslem feeling and in freight traffic on the railroads in though the city officials will have to to what they have seen. that of former years. Officials point booths at the next civic election. out that the heavy fruit and grain crops in the province this year have aided materially in the business in-

> During the last few days the G. T. R. has moved nearly 3,000 carloads of fruit out of the Niagara \$7 per building. peninsula destined for points in Cancountries overseas. Freight traffic

C. F. Forrester, super tendent of the London divici of the G. T. R., be consigned over the road.

anthracite and bituminous, coming Let them find another place." into Canada, fast reaching the nor mal stage again, most of the passenger trains withdrawn from the Brookline, Mass., Sept. 22. - Dr. service when the situation looked spector V. K. Greer suggested that

All the large industrial concerns school for the purpose. in America have been using a minimum amount of coal for more than five months, and with coal mines duty to strive for the greatest harnow being worked the amount of mony in this respect between the sevcoal that must be moved by the eral civic bodies. railroads is enormous, and an undertaking that will take several months gun upon Connolly late yesterday by before the coal situation of America rivals that of the spring of the year Coal magnates declare that shortage affecting the industries SAY RETAIL TRADE must be relieved before the householder can be supplied, which will

> been coming to London over the most of which has been consigned o local dealers.

FORD BUYS COAL TO LAST 30 DAYS being done for forward delivery.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 22.-An order for coal for the Ford Motor Company of Detroit was signed here today by a representative of the Ford good demand. The sugar market is ompany with the American Export and Inland Coal Corporation of this might be better. city. It was stated by an official of the Ford Company that the coal was purchased "at the Hoover fair price," and that the company has ordered good. The late tobacco crop is makenough to run the plants for 30 days. ing good progress. Rains in some of We are buying coal as fast as we can get it at the prices we offer." he the drying of beans. "By the end of 30 days we hope to have enough to run us in-

SEES NEED OF DOMINION

ENCOURAGING SETTLERS Press.-The value of Canadian ex- eat. Winnipeg, Sept. 22 .- Senator Gidon Robertson, interviewed here last night on his arrival from the east, declared every legitimate effort responding month of 1920, and prior tion. should be made to encourage people with a little capital to settle on the land in Canada. Any immigration policy should be framed to importing industrial workers who cannot be absorbed into industry, and while there is unemploymen in the country.

TELLS STORY OF TURK OUTRAGES

Roy Treloar Graphically Describes Hunting Down of Smyrna Christians.

Brave English Clergyman Buries Dead and Alleviates Suffering.

London, Sept. 20 .- The Daily Telegraph's Malta correspondent has obtained a statement of the events at smyrna from Roy Treloar, son of Sir William Treloar, and a director of Eastern Carpets, Limited, at Smyrna. Treloar, who arrived at Malta with more than 700 British

refugees aboard the Bavarian, said: "The governorship of the town was taken over by Nur-ed-Din Pasha, who is notorious for his brutal treat ment of the prisoners of Kut. Monday, the 11th, he commenced systematic huming down of Armenians, who were gathered in batches

of 100, taken to Konak and murdered. "On Tuesday I saw a house-tonouse search for Armenians. One took refuge in the garden of the British consulate, and the consul was obliged to comply with an insolent Ald. John Ashton Ready demand for him to be given up.

Shot in Water. "I was standing with several Amer ican officers on the quay. A few yards away was drawn up a party of British marines. Suddenly three Turks came in sight goading two Armenian prisoners. One jumped into the water and swam round the stern of an American boat. The Turks fired regardless of the boat, and bullets passed within two yards of the marines, who never moved. Having shot their prisoners, the Turks cool-

ly went on their way. "On Tuesday night thousands of Armenians were slaughtered and. odor was awful, and large districts unapproachable.

"Mr. Dobson, an English clergy man, who during this time went about in great danger, burying the dead and alleviating pain, has direct evidence of most abominable atrocities. Several others are prepared to go Unusual activity has been noticed It does look at this juncture as before any commission and testify that the stantes provide that none oppose the immediate inauguration

fire started. It is worthy of note quarter, which goes to show that it that an increased rate of taxation The usual request from the city could not have been the Armenians would follow for all the people there. clerk was submitted to the trustees who burned Smyrna. By 5 o'clock Thursday, asking that Monday, Dec. four other fires were raging and be declared a public school holiday, with the wind from the south flames soon reached the European quarter.

election purposes at the usual rate of "It is the opinion of many prominent Britishers that the burning was The most emphatic objection was resorted to to cover the traces of instantly registered by Trustee A. E. wholesale butcheries in the Armenian the original discussion was chiefly Silverwood, who held that this would quarter. At a moderate estimate the only mean that another holiday would damage done can be put at £20,be added to what was already quite a | 000,000

"Many cases of outrage are report ed. Mr. Sykes, a prominent resident of Bournabat, witnessed the slaughter up 250 rooms, which will mean, in ad- of 26 women servants. Another bate: to the grave external possibilities in mately 1,000 carloads of fruit would dition to the inconvenience, a loss of of 20 to 25 girl servants took refuge about \$1,000 in teachers' salaries. It in an English house, but were drag-With the supply of coal, both is a poor bargain on the face of it. ged out, assaulted and murdered. Kill Doctor.

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Dominion If War Clouds Break

OTTAWA, Sept. 22.-(Canadian Press).-The apparent lessening of the likelihood of any action being taken to ward the dispatch of a contingent of troops from Canada to the Dardanelles has had but little effect in the way of cutting down the number of offers of service which continue to pour in upon the government. and particularly through the office of the minister of militia and defense.

Each mail brings its quota of letters from all parts of the Dominion and from the United States, while telegraph measengers still continue to make almost constant journeys has tween their offices and the militia headquarters.

Stand With Ashplant.

Opposed to Raising Tax Rate of Citizens of East End,

Ald. John Ashton stands prepared to support Ald. H. B. Ashplant in his fight for the collection of additional school taxes from factories in the annexed districts of East London if there is a guarantee that the tax rate their bodies being left unburied, the of the private citizen will not be elevated as well.

the former councillor explained that he fully appreciated the claim that all industries located in East Lonshall be exempted from a school tax. of this work.

"If there is any guarantee other-Alderman Ashplant in this move to

collect the taxes and aid in his fight to that end," he stated decisively. Touching briefly upon the fact tha esponsible for his "break" with the Labor party. Alderman Ashton expressed the belief that he had not been treated with all fairness when voted out of the party, incidentally

who were mainly instrumental in the While declining to state definitely whether he would be a candidate in Ward Three again this year, he inti-"Dr. Murphy, an aged resident of mated that if he did not choose to in Bournabat, was seated with his wife remain in the field it would not be other communities, Senior School In- and two daughters in their home because of the annex question and its

DAMAGED BY ICE

Nome, Alaska, Sept. 22.-The

Allen Crawford, to Wrangel Island

a propeller bent by the heavy ice

in the Arctic Ocean. The Teddy Bear

last winter on Wrangel Island, hav-

TO HIS DEATH

KINGSTON, Sept. 21.—Raffaele

When his cell door was opened after

years ago, for manslaughter.

the gong had rung for supper, Ruffini

because of the heavy ice.

The Crawford expedition

scoring certain members of the party

Begin Celebration of Hebrew New Year at Sunset

HOLD RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

AT the evening hour of six, as the sun sets today, it will have ushered in for the Hebrews a new years, according to their calendar, the year 5683. The occasion is one of primary importance in the religious observance of the Hebrew race, is marked by a solemn service which begins tonight and lasts until Sunday night.

From the new year until Atonement Day, which is Oct. 2, ten days POLAR RELIEF SHIP and dealers are looking for better hence, the period will be spent in spiritual "stock-taking," in which man's actions are set aside to h and textiles and fall and winter lines judged on new year's day, while his fate is sealed until the day of atoneing fairly well. Wholesale trade too ment. The ten days are spent in Aug. 18 with an expedition headed. is brighter, although buying is not repentance.

The Hebrew word for new year is Manufacturers are fairly busy with "Rosh-hashanah." While the new textiles and steel goods being turned year is not celebrated as the Christians celebrate theirs, in one respect Confectionery and candy also is in it is very similar, as the Hebrews send and receive cards of greetings. somewhat unsettled. Collections Services in the local synagogues reached Whalen, Siberia, but was will be held from the early morning unable to proceed to Wrangel Island Crops-The corn crop is turning hours until 1 o'clock in the afternoon out satisfactory to most of the growand in the evenings of both days, ers, the quality this year being quite where all the members of the Hebrew faith will congregate in prayer and ing gone there, it is understood, to meditation. the nearby territories are hindering

The Day of Atonement is the is said to have plenty of food for holiest of days in the Hebrew calen- this winter. dar. It is a day of fasting, in which no food or water is touched for 24 PRISONER LEAPS U. S. HALVED BY TARIFF hours. This applies to Jewish persons over 13 years old. Children Ottawa, Sept. 22.-By Canadian and sick persons are permitted to

ports to United States affected by The entire day, as well as he night Ruffini, of Hamilton, serving a life the United States emergency tariff before, is spent at the syr agogues, sentence in the provincial penitentiary during August this year was \$4,456,- at which all members of the Hebrew at Portsmouth, committed suicide 797, as against \$8,034,052 in the cor- race assemble for prayer and medita- about five o'clock this afternoon

to the Fordney bill becoming effec- Most all of the local Hebrew store tive. During the three month period will not be affected by the holiday, who had been brooding over his fate, ended August, 1922, the value of and will be kept open as usual. While jumped on the railing of the fourth Canadian exports to the United the proprietors will not attend busi- corridor and leaped thirty-five feet States was \$11,083,680, as against ness on Saturday, the stores will be to the concrete floor, being killed in-\$7,135,195 in the three month period in the hands of clerks of the Christantly. Ruffini was 33 years of age. the Liberal-Conservative Business ended August, 1921, and \$22,412,993 tian faith. However, all of the stores Hr was sentenced at Hamilton 7 men's Club after luncheon at the in the corresponding period of 1920. will close October 2.

REQUIRES TWO-THIRDS VOTE TO VETO PAVEMENT

Wilson Points Out Obstacle in Way of West London Petition.

TO PROCEED IN FALL

Promises Work Will Be Delaved On Request of Citizens.

While Mayor Cameron Wilson is quite frank in his assertion that he does not know what will now be done about the proposed Oxford street pavement, now that certain residents of that district have protested against the undertaking, members of the city council appear hopelessly divided upon the subject. Assurance was given Friday that

the petition now contained the required majority of the ratepayers affected, and would be presented by deputation at the next meeting of he board of works.

Mayor Wilson points out that will require a two-thirds majority of the council to veto the project, and whether this can be obtained is considered problematical. Should this be impossible, it is promised that the work will proceed this fall, as scheduled, and not in the spring, as asked by certain residents of West

No Paving Till New Year. Ald. John Ashton, chairman of the board of works, adheres to the view that there will now be no paving commenced before the new year. "If the people there do not want a pavement they do not have to have he stated, confidently, Friday, and if they want it they shall have

it. We don't want to force anything on anyone.' Ald. (Dr.) Leonard Douglass, who has championed an entire pavement Oxford street bridge via the Wharndon should be compelled to pay their cliffe road, fails to understand why just dues. He is well aware, he states, the people of Oxford street should

"Once they are in full possession of He fears, however, that once the the facts I venture to say that they will not be against the pavement this freight business this fall will exceed for assistance in providing polling that this occurred in the Armenian the annexed sections was broken fall," he comments. "I fail to see why they should protest against having a pavement down now in lieu of next June. They may as well have the use of it through the coming winter wise I am only too ready to support and the bad months in the springs.'

Work For Best Interests. "In any event I was only working toward what I believed to be the best interests of all concerned in West London. While no petition was ever submitted for this work the taxpayers of Dundas and Oxford streets and the Wharncliffe road were notified of our intentions, and while the Dundas street people registered opposition, there was none forthcoming from Oxford street until

vesterday "I still believe, however, that the wishes of the majority of the people should be observed."

While certain complaints were made Friday that the street car service would be curtailed while the work was in progress and the tracks removed by the company, Alderman Douglass pointed out that the use of buses across the bridge from the east had been practically assured to obviate any inconvenience.

AUSTRALIA GETS BARNARDO BOYS

London, Sept. 22 .- (Canadian Pres cable.)-The 65th annual report of the Barnardo Homes, issued from the head latest additions to the homes abroad, its, yet flourish by the development he establishment of a new base in Toronto. Over 500 of the best boys ertheless, it adds, such unnatural reand girls connected with Barnardo year, making a total of close to 27,000

Australia has stepped into line as a competitor of Canada in receiving schooner Teddy Bear, which left here first party of boys from the homes here, recently left for Sydney, where they by Captain Joe Barnard to bring off have been welcomed to such an extent the party sent by Vilhjalmur Stef- that all the Australian states are askansson, under the leadership of ing for boys of the same class

DECIDES INQUEST last year, was back here today with IS NOT NECESSARY

SUDBURY, Sept. 21.-Magistrate run up the British flag. The party Sturgeon Falls, decided that an in- Colonization Association, who is run up the British flag. The party Sturgeon Falls, decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

> completely destroyed. A 14-year-old of trade last night. son is in critical condition. It was reported that the lad had been brought PILKINGTON TO OPPOSE to St. Joseph's hospital here, but this is denied by the local hospital auth-

MEIGHEN HAS BUSY DAY. Toronto, Sept. 22 .- Rt. Hon: Arthur ing. Mr. Meighen had a busy day At 1:30 this afternoon he addressed

men's Club after luncheon at the

King Edward Hotel.

Ordered to Greece

GENERAL PLUMER.

GENERAL Sir Herbert Plumer. commander of the British forces in Italy during the world war, has been ordered by Britain to Greece, where he will assume charge of all British subjects and property during possible uprisings.

Likely to Defeat Own Object.

Believes Measure Became Law Through Fear of Competition.

Ottawa, Sept. 22,-Government tariff experts are making a close study of the changed conditions in trade between the United States and Canada entailed by the coming into effect of the new American tariff. But there is little expectation that the effect of the tariff on Canadian exports will be definitely indicated for some weeks at any rate.

London England Sent 22 -The which subjects the new enactment to chief of the allied forces. searching criticism.

"We join some of the leading financial experts in the United States. the newspaper says. "In regarding the object for which it is tried and of the world."

May Be Reflected. The Times finds the explanation

haunting fear of a large section of the American community that the impoverishment of the older European countries may be reflected in the lowering of the standard of comcompetition in American markets of the products of cheap labor abroad.' Comparing the position of the are decided upon. Times points out that while Great Britain lives by foreign trade, the he hopes to arrive in Smyrna before foreign trade to the narrowest limof its own wonderful resources. Nev- for the purpose of deciding whether strictions must be a blow to the general prosperity of its citizens. "The tariff's supporters," the editorial continues, "appear to have lost sight of the true function and purpose of commerce. Eagerly desirous

SEES CANADA ON EVE OF DAZZLING DEVELOPMENT

of supplying the world's markets with

American merchandise, the United

States is taking steps to make it as

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Calgary, Sept. 22 .- Canada is standing on the eve of a period of develop-Cockburn, of Sturgeon Falls, after in- ment in population in the next quarter vestigating the cause of the death of of a century which will dazzle the two young sons of a farmer named world, according to Sir John Willson, Savoile, in Springer Township, near president of the Western Canadian Colonization Association, who gave the association at a combined meeting Besides the burning to death of of the men's and women's Canadian the two sons, the house itself was Clubs of Calgary and the local board

Press Cable) .- W. Pilkington, a wellknown king's counsel, has been nomi-Meighen, leader of the Opposition nated as an Independent Liberal in the Commons, met a number of candidate in Dundee, to oppose the gress sine die today, with only minor leading Toronto Conservatives and return of Right Hon. Winston executive matters apparently revarious deputations here this morn- Churchill, secretary of state for the maining to be cleaned up before the colonies, in that constituency, in final gavels that will release memthe next general election. Mr. bers for attention to election and Churchill was returned in the last home affairs until the prospective election in Dundee as a Coalition special to be called by President Liberal by a majority of 15,365.

Experts Declare Nationalists Now Able To Bar Dårdanelles.

TO PRESENT PEACE TERMS

French to Concentrate Efforts to Prevent Conflict.

BULLETIN. London, Sept. 22.-The Turkish Nationalist government, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Constantinople today, has suggested Smyrna as the place for the proposed Near Eastern peace conference.

Constantinople, Sept. 22, 12:45 o.m.—Turkish Nationalist forces have seized the town of Ez-Ine, on the Asiatic side of the Dardanelles, and are threatening Kum Kalesi, an important key position on the southern side of the straits. The Kemalists were

nowhere opposed. The Nationalist move, in the opinion of the naval experts here, will enable the Turks to prevent free ingress to the Dardanelles to British Press Regards Bill As the British Atlantic fleet units, which are on the way from Malta.

The important positions involved were up to today occupied by the French and the Italians, and from them the heavy Turkish batteries can command the entrance to the

straits. Valley of Meander River.

Ez-Ine, seized by the Turkish Nationalists, is a small town in the valley of the Meander River, in the Vigha district, south of the Dardanelles, and is less than twenty miles from Kum Kalesi. The latter town, which the Nationalists are threatening, is on the waterway itself-almost it the entrance to the straits from

the Aegean. Both places are within the zone f neutrality about the straits laid down by the treaty of Sevres. It is uncertain, from available data, whether Ez-Ine is within the military zone of neutrality, proclaimed in May, new United States tariff bill cannot 1921. There would appear to be no fail to accentuate the embarrass- doubt, however, that Kum Kalesi is ment of the United States caused by within this zone, against the invasion that country's overwhelming creditor of which warning was issued in Conposition, is the opinion expressed by stantinople vesterday by the British the Times in a lengthy editorial general, Harrington, commander-in-

TRY TO PREVENT WAR.

Paris, Sept. 22.-The French cabinet today decided that in view of the this experiment as likely to defeat refusal of the British to withdraw their forces from Chanak, on the contrary to the economic experience Asiatic side of the Dardanelles, the efforts of the French government should be directed toward preventing war between Turkey and Great why the bill became a law in "the Britain. To this end it was agreed immediately to send Franklin Bouillon to Smyrna. M. Bouillon who was the negotiator of the agreement reached at Angora between the French and Turkish Nationalists. fort in the United States through the will urge upon Mustapha Kemal Pasha the necessity of remaining in Asia-Minor until the peace terms

Much Anxiety Felt. The French negotiator will probthe termination of the conference now in progress there between Kemal and to push on in the face of the British naval and military moves, or await the result of the peace negotiations.

There is much anxiety in the cabinet over the possibility of fighting between the British and the Turkish troops, and in pursuance of his desire to play the role of mediator in will exert all possible pressure Turn to Page 2, Column 2.

STATES APPROVE ZIONIST PALESTINE

Washington, Sept. 22.-President resolution adopted by the Senate and House, expressing the United States' approval of the restoration of Palestine as a Jewish homeland. The resolution identical in phraseology to the declaration of the British government of Nov 1917, recognizing and approving Zionist aspirations, since carried into effect

fied by the League of Nations ELECTION OF CHURCHILL U. S. SENATE AND HOUSE Sept. 21.—(Canadian READY FOR ADJOURNMENT

Washington, D. C., Sept. 22.-Sep ate and House leaders had shaped their plans for adjournment of Con-Harding about Nov. 15.