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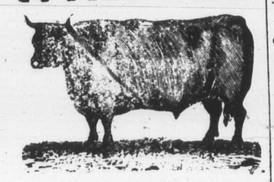

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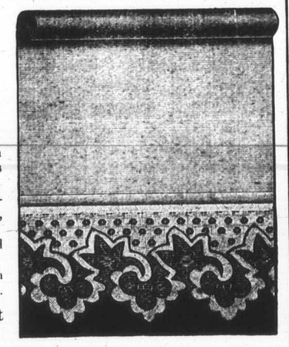

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THE FALL OF LARISSA

Turkish Troops Gained an important Victory

A General Belief That the Powers Are Taking Steps to Stop the Fight—Will the War End This Week? Great Satisfaction at Constantinople Over the Success of the Ottoman Army.

Larissa, April 21.—The first seriously-planned battle commenced to-day. Early this morning Edhem Pasha's advance guard, under Generals Mavromichali and Macris advanced against the Greeks in force from Reveni, Bougazi and Stelias. The fighting was greatly extended and the battle raged till late this afternoon with varying fortune. The Greeks were assisted by thousands of irregulars, who harassed the Turkish outposts and wings, as well as participated in the general engagement. The Turks had an overwhelming superiority in numbers. They had constructed earthworks and trenches everywhere, and in and behind these awaited the attacks of the Greeks.

On the whole they clung tenaciously to their defences, while the Greeks attacked these again and again with the most desperate bravery. In spite of the furious attacks still made upon them, the Greeks continue to hold the Reveni and Neseros Passes. At 3 o'clock this afternoon it is practically a drawn battle.

Is Russia in It Now?

Berlin, April 21.—It is reported here to-night in well-informed circles that the Russian Government has asked permission of the Sultan for the Russian Black Sea fleet to pass through the Dardanelles. The Baltic fleet is also ready to start under sealed orders.

All Greeks Called Out.

Athens, April 21, 6 p.m.—The Turks to-day tried to capture the post of the Prophet Eli on the road to Tyrnavo, but they were repulsed.

The last series of the Greek reserves has now been called out, and fresh troops have been sent to the frontier.

Reinforcements Called For.

Constantinople, April 21.—The sitting of the military commission has been continuous since yesterday at the Yildiz Kiosk. It is reported that Edhem Pasha has asked for 40,000 reinforcements, and that orders have been sent to Salonica to hasten the despatch of the reserves to the frontier. The mobilization of 40 additional battalions has been decided upon, and the enrollment of volunteers is being considered.

The sturdy resistance offered by the Greeks was wholly unexpected and the idea that the forces of Edhem Pasha would have a military promenade to Larissa has already been abandoned.

A Greek Victory.

Headquarters of the Greek Army, Larissa, April 22.—The latest advices as to the situation at Damasi show that on Sunday the Turks made a sortie from the town and attacked the Greek position at Boughasi Pass and Sideropoluki. After severe fighting, the Greeks drove the Turks back across the frontier, with a loss of five guns.

Greece Sends a Mission to the Czar.

Odessa, April 22.—A special mission from the Greek Government passed through the city yesterday en route to St. Petersburg.

Greece Holds Its Own.

London, April 22.—A despatch to The Daily Chronicle from Athens says that the Greeks have held their own positions and destroyed the Turkish cavalry at Mati. German officers were seen fighting with the Turks in German uniforms.

Greek Citizens Massacred.

London, April 22.—According to a special despatch from Athens massacres of Greek citizens have occurred near Prevesa, the Turkish town at the entrance of the Gulf of Arta. The Greek troops, it is added, have stormed five villages occupied by the Turks.

Russia to Interfere.

Paris, April 22.—Le Journal's correspondent at Odessa telegraphs that all the necessary measures have been taken at Sebastopol for the eventual intervention of Russia in the war between Turkey and Greece.

Where the Navy Is.

London, April 23.—The Times' correspondent at Canea says that to-day the insurgents are attacking Fort Izzedin, which is occupied by the international troops in addition to the Turkish garrison. Three war ships have left Suda and anchored opposite the fort. The admirals have gone to reconnoitre in a torpedo boat. Col. Vassos has written to the admirals to ask whether the powers are in alliance with Turkey. The object of this inquiry is obvious.

The Chronicle's correspondent at Athens says:

"The Turks are greatly dismayed by the destruction of their stores at Katerina and at Litochorion. Commodore Sachtouris destroyed the stores from the coast to the foot of Mount Olympus. Nothing remains, therefore, for Edhem Pasha to carry away but hunger. The coast road being barred, the only remaining road from Salonica is the Verria road, eight days from Elassona. The reports of the injury to the railway line by the blowing up of bridges and a tunnel are confirmed. It is reported here (Athens) that the Turkish troops will be withdrawn from Crete.

More Wounded Greeks Roasted.

Athens, April 23.—Among the wounded who arrived here are several who state that a number of the Greek wounded at Gritzovali, unable to follow the Greek retreat, were shut up in a small church by the Turks, who set fire to the buildings and burned them to death.

General Militia Called Out.

Athens, April 23.—It has been decided to call out several classes of the Landwehr, or militia. In Greece, all able-bodied males from 21 years of age and upwards are liable to be called upon for military service.

OSMAN TAKES COMMAND.

Edhem Pasha Supplanted by the Old Hero of Plevna.

Constantinople, April 23, afternoon.—An additional force of Redifs or army reserves has been called out to reinforce the Turkish troops operating against the Greeks.

It is now definitely announced that Osman Pasha, the hero of Plevna, has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Turkish army, having its headquarters at Elassona. Edhem Pasha has been recalled. In addition, Said Edin Pasha has been appointed to command the Turkish army, having its headquarters at Jenina, replacing Ahmed Hafiz Pasha, who is recalled.

The new Turkish commanders start for their posts this evening.

Even Women are Arming

Athens, April 23.—The excitement here continues to be most intense. Advices received here to-day from Volo say that even the women are arming themselves to do battle with the Turks.

The Fall of Larissa.

Athens, April 24, 6.30 p.m.—Larissa has been completely evacuated by the Greeks, who spiked their guns in position and carried away all of the moveable cannon and munitions of war. The wounded remain at Larissa under the protection of the Red Cross flag.

Riccotti Garibaldi visited the Students' Club, where he received the Municipal Council. An address which he made created intense enthusiasm. He was followed to his hotel by thousands of people.

Midnight.—Special despatches received from the frontier assert that the Turks attacking Mati were repulsed seven times yesterday. At 6 o'clock in the evening the Greek forces were obliged to give way. The Greeks retreated in good order on Karaclas, where they are entrenched. From Arta the Greeks occupied the heights of Peniesigadia. It is believed that the military operations in Epirus will soon be terminated.

The Bad News.

Athens, April 25, 2.15 a.m.—Saturday's papers counsel the people of Athens to receive the bad news with patience and sang froid considering that the army fought courageously in defence of the national honor, paying the price by heavy sacrifices

Will the Powers Intervene?

London, April 24.—A despatch to The Observer from Rome says that the Cabinet is of the opinion that after the first pitched battle between the Greeks and Turks in which large forces are engaged the powers will intervene and secure an armistice.

Greeks Will Fight It Out.

Athens, April 25, 5 a.m.—The Greek Government has decided to persevere in the struggle, and to resist the further advance of the Turks with greater energy than has hitherto been displayed. It is officially declared that the new line of defence is far stronger than the frontier where the Turks gained their advantage in consequence of the superiority of their positions.

Gloom in Athens.

Athens, April 25, noon.—It is useless to deny that a very gloomy view of war prospects is taken here by the better informed. There are, however, no signs of panic. The city exhibits an attitude of dignified endurance, while many still show an unabated enthusiasm for fight. This symptom is particularly noticeable among the wounded now in Athens. Their one desire seems to be to be healed in order that they may rejoin the colors. Naturally this is much fostered by the confirmation of the reports that the Turks have burned the Greek wounded in a church at Kurtziovali. The Turks lighted fires on the bodies of the wounded. Many of the Greek wounded implored their comrades to kill them; others committed suicide. Although it is said that the Greeks carried off all of their guns from Tyrnavo and Larissa, and also destroyed all the provisions at both places, they could not transport the guns to Pharsala.

Bombardment of Defenceless Towns.

Constantinople, April 24.—The bombardment of defenceless towns like Sanda Quaranda has excited much adverse comment here. Similar criticism has been made concerning the bombardment of Prevesa, which was destroyed, although the fire on the Greek fleet was from the forts.

An extra session of te Cabinet is being held at the Yildiz Kiosk. The French military attache has gone to the front for the purpose of reporting the progress of the war to his Government.

Latest From Arta.

Athens, April 25.—A despatch from Arta reports that the Greeks have captured Plaket. Another despatch says that Plaket and Pentepigadia have been occupied by the Greeks after being abandoned by the Turks, who have also abandoned Kaletzia. Col. Manos in force has advanced beyond Pentepigadia en route to Janina. It is reported at Arta that a rising has occurred in the interior of Epirus.

Mery del Val's Report.

Montreal, April 21.—(Special.)—People who appear to know what they are talking about declare that Mgr. Mery Del Val's report will be as follows:

1. That the Governments of Canada and Manitoba did not invite him to come here and settle the school question.

2. That Protestants completely ignore his mission to Canada.

3. That the bishops did not interfere and are not interfering in political questions where religion has no role to play.

4. That it is the duty of the bishops to look after and protect the moral and religious education of Catholic children.

5. That the so-called settlement of the Manitoba school question is not acceptable to the Catholic conscience.

6. That the delegate strongly recommands that the episcopacy and the Catholic clergy abstain from making allusions to men or to purely political questions in the pulpit.

Serious Flood at Morris, Man.

Winnipeg, April 25.—(Special.)—The flood situation at Morris and settlements along Red River, between there and Winnipeg, is now reported to be very serious. The Red River has risen to a higher point than in 30 years, and the whole town of Morris is under water. The water is up to the tops of desks in the schools, and to the tops of store counters. People are living in barns and upper storeys of their houses, and can only move about in rowboats. The Manitoba Government sent a steamer from Winnipeg to relieve any distress that might exist, but the people were all found well supplied with provisions, though, of course, suffering many discomforts. The high water may last a couple of days longer, and then Winnipeg will get it. However, Winnipeg's location is high, and beyond the flooding of the electric power houses and putting the city in darkness, it can do little harm.

Rhodes's Game With Kruger

London, April 24.—A sudden revival of interest in the Transvaal is noticeable here. Lord Rosemead, the retiring Governor of Cape Colony and High Commissioner in British South Africa, has left Cape Town for England, and Cecil Rhodes is taking full advantage of his absence. Yesterday in a speech replying to an address welcoming him back to Cape Town Mr. Rhodes described his conflict with President Kruger of the Transvaal Republic as a game of cards that had been quite fairly played.

The Expected Has Happened.

London, April 25.—Her Royal Highness the Duchess of York was safely delivered of a daughter at York Cottage, Sandringham, at 3.30 this afternoon. Mother and child are both well.

A Raleigh Township farmer named Hiram Jarvis, was stopped by two highwaymen, and relieved of all the money in his possession, $65. There is no clue to the thieves.

J. G. Yemen, a Stratford dentist, was arrested on a charge of supplying drugs and instruments for an illegal operation on Mrs. Roland Buchanan, who died from the effects of the operation on Saturday.

A woman named Mrs. Sutton of Hamilton is in jail in that city on the charge of assault. She cut her husband's throat with a knife, and the doctors had to put several stitches in it to close the wound.

Antoine Cruse and John Ratzell got into an altercation at Barry's Bay, on the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway, when Ratzell struck Cruse on the head with a cooldog, crushing in his skull. He now lies in the Ottawa Hospital dying. Ratzell has been arrested.

THE TARIFF DEBATE.

The Liberals' Budget Brought Down in the House.

Mr. Fielding Explains the Principle on Which the New Tariff Is Framed, and Ex-Finance Minister Foster Appears as a Critic of the Government's Financial Position.

Ottawa, April 20.—There was only a slim attendance when the House met after the Easter adjournment this afternoon. Mr. Davin provoked some discussion by his statements in regard to the recent Saskatchewan election; he would not ask, however, for a committee to investigate the charges which he quoted from a newspaper article, and when the matter had been disposed of the debate on the Franchise bill was resumed. Sir Charles Tupper spoke at some length, and attacked the bill both in detail and on the whole, alleging that it had no advantage whatever over the existing Act, and suggesting that the Government should consider the advisability of adopting manhood suffrage. Mr. L. H. Davies replied, contending that the measure introduced was a decided improvement on the present law. Two bills were introduced and read a first time in the House this afternoon, one respecting the Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company (Mr. Casey), and the other respecting the Canadian General Electric Company (Mr. Lount). The House adjourned at 10.55.

Ottawa, April 21.—The business of the House was reached to-day without any unusual incident to mar its routine character. Mr. Blair, in answer to Mr. Clancy, said the amount of deposit asked for with the tender of the Iroquois section of the Galops Canal was $50,000; for the enlargement of Farrans' Point Canal, $37,500; for the Cardinal section of the Galops Canal, $75,000; and for the north channel, between Galops and Prescott, 37,000. Mr. Laurier, in answer to Mr. Wood (Brockville), said it was not the intention of the Government to dispose by sale of any islands in the Upper St. Lawrence during the present year. Mr. Laurier, in answer to Mr. Wood (Brockville), said it was not the present intention of the Government to introduce the metrical system of weights and measures into this country. Mr. Davin moved for the copies of memorials received by the Government since June 23, 1896, to amend the North-west Territories Act, with a view of enlarging the powers of the Executive of the Northwest Territories, and to increase the subsidy of the Northwest Territories. After discussion the motion was adopted, but owing to the absence of the First Minister this motion was allowed to stand: "That in the opinion of the House the time has arrived when the claims of the Wood Mountain scouts to secure scrip or land warrants for services rendered by them during the rebellion should be settled." Mr. Martin's motion for papers regarding the dismissal of the Postmaster at Little Sands, P.E.I., was adopted. Mr. McLean moved the second reading of the bill to amend the Railway Act. One clause provides that berths in sleeping cars, when not in use, shall not be lowered. Another clause requires railway companies to make a return each year of the annual and trip passes and the preferred passenger rates given by them. The motion was carried. Mr. Charlton's Seduction bill, which raises the age of consent to 18 years, was read a second time. Mr. Casey's bill respecting drainage on and across the lands of railway companies was read a second time. The House adjourned at 9.30.

The Budget Debate Begun.

Ottawa, April 22.—The budget speech, embodying a declaration of the fiscal policy of the Government and the schedule of the revised tariff, to which the country has been looking forward with such eager interest, was made to-day. The delivery of the speech by Mr. Fielding, the Finance Minister, was frequently interrupted by demonstrations from one side of the House or the other, each party with the ability sixty of its policy was only made possible by the presence of that principle in the fiscal system of the country. He claimed that the Government had no right to instruct the customs collectors to admit British goods at the minimum rates of duty. This provision, he said, should not go into effect by ordinary agreement. The constitutional method would have been to issue an order-in-council based on a report of the Controller of Customs. He maintained that the preferential arrangement would of necessity include Belgium, Germany and every country entitled to favored-nation treatment under treaties with Great Britain. The resolution against combination was condemned by Mr. Foster as placing a dangerous power in the hands of the Government—a partisan tribunal. Sir Richard Cartwright moved the adjournment of the debate, and the House adjourned.

Bank of England.

London, April 22.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England, issued to-day, shows the following changes as compared with the previous account:

Total reserve increased £443,000, circulations decreased £549,000, bullion decreased £105,765, other securities increased £250,000, other deposits increased £38,000, public deposits increased £712,000, notes reserved increased £561,000, Government securities unchanged.

The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability, which last week was 50.75 per cent., is now 50.93 per cent. The bank rate of discount remains unchanged at 2 1-2 per cent.

Kruger Building New Forts.

London, April 23.—The Daily Mail's Cape Town correspondent says that the Government of the Transvaal has decided to build two more forts at Pretoria.

Provincial Detectives Campeau and Mahoney followed a couple of tramps, who had robbed McConnell's grocery store in Chatham, to Bell River. The suspects were in a railway car, and when Mr. Mahoney went in to arrest them Charles Brown, colored, shot him with a revolver, fatally wounding the officer. Detective Campeau fired and wounded Brown, and the two prisoners were taken to Chatham, where Mahoney's ante-mortem statement was taken.

WHEAT STILL GOING UP.

The News on Saturday of a Bullish Character.

Toronto, April 24.

Liverpool wheat futures 1½d higher.

Cash wheat in Chicago 1½c higher at 76¾c.

July wheat on curb 76¾c.

Puts on July wheat 75c, calls 81c.

There were no shipments of wheat from the Argentine this week.

English farmers' deliveries of wheat the past week were 94,000 quarters, and the average price 29s 6d.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day, 359 cars, as against 305 cars the corresponding week of last year.

Canal rates on corn from Buffalo to New York have been reduced to 3½c per bush, including charges for elevation.

Hog packing in Chicago from the opening of the season to date, 7,350,000, as against 7,021,000 the corresponding period of last year.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour, 20,237 barrels and 3600 sacks; wheat 34,520 bush.

Receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day, 15,000, or 3000 more than expected. Estimates for Monday, 27,000. Lights hogs steady and others 5c lower. Heavy shippers, $3.60 to $4.02½.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day, 500; market steady. Sheep, 2000; market steady but steady.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Milwaukee	76½c	77½c
New York	84⅞c	85½c
Chicago	76½c	76½c
St. Louis	1.00	90c
Toledo	90½c	90c
Detroit	90⅞c	90½c
Duluth, No. 1 hard	79½c	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	78½c	76½c
Toronto, No. 1 hard	87c	....
Toronto, white	83c	....

LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour—The market continues quiet and prices rule firm. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.70 to $3.75.

Bran—Trade quiet, with bran quoted at $8 to $8.50 west, and shorts $9.50 to $10.

Wheat—The local market is quiet, with the feeling firm. Red winter wheat is quoted at 77c, and white at 78c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 84c to 85c, Midland, and 76c to 77c afloat, Fort William. No. 2 hard 82c to 83c, Midland.

Buckwheat—The demand is moderate, with sales outside at 37c.

Barley—The market is quiet, with the demand restricted. No. 1 quoted at 32c to 33c, No. 2 at 28c to 29c, and No. 3 extra at 23c. Feed barley 20c to 21c west.

Oats—The market is quiet and firm. Sales of white west at 20c to 22c. Mixed are quoted at 19c to 19½c west. White on the Midland quoted at 22c to 23c.

Peas—The market is firm, there being sales to-day at 45c north and west.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices steady at $3.75 to $3.80.

Corn—Trade quiet, with cars quoted at 28c west.

Rye—Trade quiet and prices firm, with quotations 38c to 40c outside.

TORONTO STREET MARKET.

Business was quiet at the market to-day. Receipts of grain were very small and prices firm. One load of red winter wheat sold at 78c, two loads of barley at 32c, and two loads of oats at 22c to 23c. Hay firm, five loads selling at $13 to $14 for timothy. Straw firm, one load selling at $8. Eggs, 8c to 9c per dozen in case lots. Hogs, $3.75 to $4 for selected weights.

Wheat, white, bushel	$0 77	to $0 78
" goose, bushel	0 64	0 65
" red, bushel	0 75	0 76
Rye, per bushel	0 31½	0 32
Oats, bushel	0 25	0 26
Barley, bushel	0 23	0 25
Peas, bushel	0 41	0 42
Potatoes, bag	0 25	0 30
" car lots	0 20	0 22
Apples, barrel	1 00	2 00
Turnips, bag	0 20	0 25
Beets, bag	0 30	0 40
Red carrots, per bag	0 25	0 30
Cabbage, per dozen	0 20	0 30
" red, per dozen	0 40	0 60
Hay, ton	11 00	13 00
" baled, ton	8 00	10 00
Straw, loose, ton	4 00	5 00
" sheaf, ton	6 00	7 00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	7 00	8 00
" forequarters	4 50	5 00
Veal, carcass, cwt	5 00	6 50
Mutton, carcass, cwt	6 50	7 50
Yearling lamb, carcass, lb	0 09	0 10
Dressed hogs, light, cwt	6 25	6 40
" heavy, cwt	5 60	5 80
Spring lambs, each	3 50	5 00
Turkeys, lb	0 10	0 13
Geese, lb	0 06	0 07
Ducks, pair	0 50	0 75
Chickens, pair	0 60	0 80
Butter, lb. rolls, per lb	0 16	0 18
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 09	0 10
" case lots, doz.	0 09	0 09½
Onions, bag	1 25	1 75
Alsike clover, bushel	4 15	4 25
Red clover, bushel	4 90	5 00
Timothy seed, bushel	1 40	1 45

PROVISIONS.

Bacon, long clear, 7c to 7½c. Breakfast bacon, 10c to 11c. Backs, 9c to 9½c. Mess pork, $12.25 to $12.50; do., short cut, $13 to $13.25; do., shoulder mess, $10.50 to $11. Hams, smoked, 10c to 11c. Lard, 7c to 8c.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

The market is quiet. Apples, barrel, $1 to $1.75. Dried apples, 2c to 3c, and evaporated 5½c to 4c per lb.

Potatoes unchanged at 20c to 22c per bag in car lots. Small lots 30c to 35c. Onions are firm at $1.25 to $1.50 per bag. Sweet potatoes, $2.50 to $3.75 per barrel.

Cranberries, barrel, $4 to $5 for Canadian, and $2.50 per box for Cape Cod. Hops, 9c to 10c.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—May	75¼	77⅛	75⅝	76⅞
" —July	75½	77¼	75¼	76⅝
" —Sept.	71½	74¼	71½	73⅞
Corn—May	24⅝	25	24⅝	25⅛
" —July	26	26½	26	26⅝
" —Sept.	27⅜	27¾	27¼	27⅝
Oats—May	17⅝	18⅛	17½	18⅛
" —July	19⅝	19¾	19⅝	19⅞
" —Sept.	19⅝	20	19¼	19⅞
Pork—May	8 52	8 65	8 47	8 55
" —July	8 65	8 77	8 62	8 67
Lard—May	4 12	4 20	4 12	4 17
" —July	4 22	4 30	4 22	4 27
Ribs—May	4 70	4 80	4 70	4 77
" —July	4 75	4 85	4 75	4 82

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, April 24.—Spring wheat, 6s 7d to 6s 8d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 6s 5½d to 6s 6½d; corn, 2s 7¾d; peas, 4s 3d; pork, 50s 0d; lard, 21s 9d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., short cut, 25s 6d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 56s 6d.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat ½d higher; futures firm at 6s 3½d for May, June and July. Maize firm at 2s 8½d for May, 2s 10½d for July and 3s 0½d for Sept. Flour, 22s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage firm, but little doing. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 22f 25c for May; flour firm at 45f 10c for May.

ANTHRACITE COAL TRADE.

There are two distinct opinions on the coal trade and the coal stocks, says a good authority. One is that the trade is in excellent shape, because stove coal is quoted