

TALES OF BUTCHERY

Bulgarians Guilty of Barbarities

Slay Defenceless People and Leave Trail of Desolation

Conflicting Reports About Results of Battles But General Opinion is That Bulgars Have Met with Crushing Defeats—Turkey Proposes to Occupy Lost Territory.

London, July 9.—Out of the welter of conflicting stories from the Balkans it is impossible to sift the truth. This was markedly illustrated tonight, a despatch from the Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Uskup, dated Tuesday night, reporting that there had been hardly any fighting in the last few days, while Belgrade despatches received reported further Serbian victories, the latest advising that the Serbian capital asserting that all the Bulgarians who had invaded Serbia had been driven back across the frontier.

There seems to be little doubt that General Ivanoff's army is steadily retreating before the victorious Greeks, and it is reported that the Bulgarians have evacuated both Kavala, where the Greek fleet is operating, and Dedagach.

Whether there is any truth in the Vienna reports to the effect that Bulgaria has applied to the powers to arrange peace, is not known, but it would appear not unlikely, since clearly things are not going well with the Bulgarians and the outbreak of cholera at many points in the field of operations, combined with the exhaustion of the armies by the fierceness of the struggle, is calculated to render some such solution welcome to the combatants. This is especially so because of the uncertainty of the policy of Roumania, which is now reported to be equally ready to attack either Serbia or Bulgaria as the occasion may demand in order to prevent a disturbance of the Balkan equilibrium.

Pause to Bury Dead.

The problem of dealing with the dead and wounded is proving a very serious one. The nursing resources in Belgrade are woefully insufficient and all accommodations are at a premium. It is stated that the Serbians have permitted a pause in the operations to allow the removal of the wounded and the interment of the dead, as well as the carrying out of sanitary measures to prevent a spread of the cholera. The Greek government had made urgent representations to the European governments against mass burials and cremations, alleged to have been committed by the Bulgarians and irregulars on unwarmed villages at Bogranitsa, Gougrah, Nigrita, and elsewhere in the direction of the carrying out of sanitary measures to prevent a spread of the cholera. The Greek government had made urgent representations to the European governments against mass burials and cremations, alleged to have been committed by the Bulgarians and irregulars on unwarmed villages at Bogranitsa, Gougrah, Nigrita, and elsewhere in the direction of the carrying out of sanitary measures to prevent a spread of the cholera.

A Greek official statement asserts that instead of 50,000, as alleged by the Bulgarians, General Ivanoff's army consisted of 120,000 men.

Turkey to Improve Her Opportunity.

Constantinople, July 9.—The reply of Bulgaria to the request of the sublime port agreeing to evacuate the Marmara coast, intimates that the Bulgarian army, under the command of the Minister of War, who arrived at Tchatalja today, is empowered to negotiate a settlement of the Marmara question.

Greeks Report More Successes.

Athens, July 9.—An official bulletin issued tonight says the Greeks on Tuesday attacked the mountain passes towards Strumitsa. The Bulgarians, repulsed, perhaps from fatigue, offered vigorous resistance, but were steadily driven back.

Bulgarians Claim Victories.

Sofia, July 9.—Semi-official reports today represent the Bulgarians as successful in their attacks on the Serbian army at Strumitsa, according to these reports, were repulsed, the Serbians suffering enormous losses and the Bulgarians capturing the town and the surrounding villages.

Confirms Tale of Butchery.

London, July 10.—A correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, who arrived at Strumitsa Saturday morning, describes the town as a reeking heap of smouldering ruins and confirms the reports of wholesale murders and burning committed by the Bulgarians in all the villages around, as well as Nigrita. He estimates that 1,600 persons have been killed in this manner.

WANTED

WANTED—At once at Crossburn, N. S., 800 men for logging woods; good locations; steady employment; wages \$25 and up per month, including board. The Davidson Lumber Co., Ltd., Crossburn, N. S. 7901-7-16.

WANTED—Second class teacher, male or female, for District No. 17. Apply at once stating salary required, to John R. Graham, Secretary, Oliverville P. O., Queens Co., N. B. 7908-7-16.

WANTED—Second class female teacher for School District No. 1, Parish of Carleton. Please write stating salary, to Daniel Sullivan, Secretary, Kouchibouguet, Kent Co., N. B. 1182-7-16.

WANTED—A first or second class female teacher is wanted to teach in School District No. 17, Centre, N. B., at the beginning of the coming term. Apply, stating experience in teaching and salary wanted, to A. G. Dickson, Secretary to Trustees, Chatham, N. B. 7907-7-16.

WANTED—A first class teacher (Protestant preferred) for School District No. 5, Parish of Grand Manan. Apply, stating salary, to William Harvey, Secretary, Seal Cove, Grand Manan, N. B. 7649-7-16.

WANTED—A second class female teacher for District No. 6, Parish of Perth. Please only state salary required, etc., to F. W. J. King, Secretary to Trustees, Red Rapids. 7906-7-16.

WANTED—By August 5, a capable housemaid. Apply by letter to Mrs. James F. Robertson, care Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Ltd., John, N. B. 1089-7-16.

WANTED—Young women to work in a training school, for the purpose of instructing in domestic science. Address P. O. Box 1178, Worcester, Mass. 6746-5-5.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references required. Apply, Mrs. A. L. Tapley, 122 Douglas avenue, St. John, N. B. 23-7-16.

GIRLS WANTED to learn the paper box and printing business. Apply, Brown Paper Box & Paper Co., Ltd., 961-1-7-16.

WANTED—Young men and women to take the training course for nurses at the Hartford, Connecticut. Retreat. Good wages. Good position. General agent, Miss Agnes M. Glen, Superintendent of Nurses, 80 Washington St., Hartford, Conn. 689-7-16.

AGENTS WANTED

RELIABLE representatives wanted to meet the tremendous demand for fruit trees throughout New Brunswick at present. We wish to secure three or four good men to represent us in the various parts of the province. The special interest taken in the fruit-growing business in New Brunswick offers exceptional opportunities for men of enterprise. We offer permanent position and liberal pay to the right men. Stone & Wellington, Toronto, Ont. 2-7-16.

THERE is a boom in the sale of trees in New Brunswick. We want reliable agents now in every unrepresented district. Pay weekly, liberal terms. Pelham Nursery Co., Toronto, Ont. 1-7-16.

TO LET

TO LET—For the summer months, a comfortably furnished house in central part of the city. Apply, 842-7-16.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Upwards of 1,200,000 feet of timber, soft wood, level ground, good mill site. Apply to W. L. Cowe, Hammond Vale, Kings Co., N. B. 7428-7-16.

No Summer Vacation.

We would greatly enjoy one, but as many of our students come from long distances and are anxious to be ready for stations as soon as possible our classes will be continued without interruption. Then, St. John's cool summer weather makes study during the warm months just as pleasant as at any other time. Students can enter at any time.

Send for Our Catalogue. S. KERR, Principal.

In the Saddle.

The king has a perfect right to dictate rules of propriety for public parties on state occasions conducted under his authority. Everyone must agree that such an innovation as women riding astride would have been out of place in the royal equestrian parade which was one of the festivities marking the visit of the President of France. But probably neither the king nor the queen would wish to interfere with this mode of riding in private life. It may be true, as Miss Ruth Boyd contends, that side-saddle riding is cruel to the horse and unnatural to the woman, and that riding astride is to be preferred, if not generally, at least on long journeys. In the United States, where, perhaps, it arose in the ranch life of the west, it seems to have come to stay. In Canada, it is creeping in. One would almost as soon think of stemming the tide for woman suffrage as of dictating any form of feminine liberty. Let every horsewoman be guided by her own sense of propriety, circumstances considered. "Happy is the man whose conduct condemns him not in that which whistles the alouette."

Shade of the Telegraph Poles.

As for the midsummer heat of the plain, Denis Gray says: I have met tribesmen long in their prime of life, telegraph service along the Nishitah route; it was not the speedy despatch of messages that appealed to them, they have found at times an unimagined nuisance; it was the grateful shade shed by the telegraph poles all along the road.

MARINE JOURNAL

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

Monday, July 7.

Str. Shenandoah, 2,400, Lee, London.

Str. Halifax, 2,500, Mitchell, Boston.

Schr. J. L. Nelson, 240, Publicover, Bridgetown (Barbados), with molasses.

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BRITISH PORTS.

Glasgow, July 7.—Arr. str. Pretorian, Montreal.

Pasadena, July 7.—Arr. str. Mauretania, New York.

London, July 7.—Arr. str. Montrose, Montreal.

Plymouth, July 7.—Arr. str. Ascania, Montreal.

Main Head, July 7.—Signalled, str. Teutonic, Montreal.

Pasadena, July 7.—Passed, str. Boulton, Colliers, Chatham (N. B.) for Liverpool.

Avonmouth, July 7.—Arr. str. Royal George, Montreal.

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HISTORIC SITE

TAKEN OVER BY HOLDING COMPANY

Golden Ball Corner Now Property of Maritime Properties Limited—Sugar Refinery Company Buys More Land.

Thursday, July 10.

A historic site changed hands yesterday when Maritime Properties Limited, acquired the full ownership of the land at the Golden Ball corner on the south-east corner of the intersection of Union with Sydney and Waterloo streets for a price in the vicinity of \$25,000. Some time ago the company purchased the interest of Rev. J. W. Millidge in the property, but now they have secured the full title, and the site is now theirs.

It is not known whether the site will be used for the purpose of the sugar refinery, but it is believed that the company will build a large factory on the site.

The company is holding the lot for speculative purposes and has also an option in force on the adjoining lot in the vicinity of the site.

The following transfers of freehold property have been recorded:

John Haney to Mary A. Haney, property at the corner of Summer and Winter streets.

Heirs of Thomas Morrison, per Master of the Supreme Court to R. C. Bishop property of Brunsell and Little streets, \$4,700.

Ladies of the Sacred Heart to F. B. Godin, property on Mount Pleasant.

Rev. J. D. Webster has returned to Wolfville, N. S., after three months absence due to severe throat affection.

Rev. H. B. Sloan, Connecticut, will spend the summer in New Brunswick, his native province.

Rev. G. F. C. Kienast