

A STOUT DEFENCE OF LLOYD GEORGE

And Britain's Course in Regard to Turkey and the Near East.

To the Editor of The New York Evening Post:

Sir,—I should like to enter a protest against the attitude of the American press towards Lloyd George in the matter of his Near East policy. It is frequently stated that the trouble out there is the result of national jealousies, and particularly of Lloyd George's "fumbling." This is a serious injustice to the Prime Minister of England. The British policy has been on the whole honorable and the muddling has not been of his making.

In the beginning the Turkish Nationalist movement led by Mustafa Kemal was a protest against the terms of the armistice of November 11, 1918, and the Greek opposition to this movement was in accordance with the avowed purpose of the Entente to enforce those terms. England aided and abetted Greece, not against Turkey, but simply in maintaining her part of the pledge to the nations of Europe and part of the Entente for the enforcement, first of the armistice, and later of the Treaty of Sevres.

The fighting which has been going on in Asia Minor since 1918 has been not a simple war between Greece and Turkey. It has been, on the part of the Turks, a military protest against the terms made by Western Europe after the war; on the part of the Greeks up till the recall of Constantine, a defence of those terms. The event of Constantine's recall changed the muddling forces. England was distinctly embarrassed by this move, for in consideration of the part which Constantine had taken while on the throne of Greece during the war she could not

trust him nor acknowledge his sovereignty, yet in view of the abstract justice of the quarrel she, and as a matter of fact all of the Entente, was pledged to support the Greek forces in their defence of the boundaries set by Western Europe for the two countries. In fact, England was still sympathetic but could not give help officially. This would have meant war between her and France.

British subjects did help and the government permitted it. The chief muddling, however, was done by the Italians and French. Although they were both party to the armistice and to the Treaty of Sevres, Italy at first showed her anti-Greek feeling by helping the Kemalists, and France, for purposes of her own, aided the Turkish military constantly more and more. This was the chief muddling and the most difficult element in the situation for England. Meanwhile Constantine very soon began aggressive measures and Greece was led to hope for a restoration of her ancient possessions on the Marmora and the Bosphorus.

Many people feel that the Greeks deserve all they are getting because of their disloyal treatment of Venizelos and their stupid belief in Constantine, but people who look at the matter in this way fail to take into account the condition of Greece. She is only about sixty years out from the yoke of the Turkish rule. Her people have been slowly rising from the degradation which this servitude of nearly four centuries produced. The masses are very ignorant and Constantine was recalled through the influence of royalist capitalists, who promulgated a Constantine propaganda and deceived the people. Also Smyrna is the chief sufferer, and the people of that region have always been true to Venizelos and had no vote whatever in the matter. They were completely at the mercy of the Entente. The Entente has been betrayed that trust, but Lloyd George has from first to last protested against that betrayal and has fought against tremendous odds, done as much as a single government could do to prevent it. The muddling of the whole matter is a crime, but a crime in which England has been a protesting and unwilling partner.

The fact that the American press shows no sympathy with England in this matter must be an irritant to the people of England. We should recognize the fact that our British cousins love fair play as we do and we should make that common love a bond of sympathy in this trying and difficult emergency.



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The bill passed the Chamber of Deputies unanimously without discussion on November 6 and is now pending in the Senate. It has become the subject of anxious discussion among foreign companies and foreign citizens in France, especially because the law is retroactive and provides that if Governmental permission is not granted within six months the properties may be taken over and sold at auction.

The purpose of the measure, as generally attributed, is to carry out the desire of the French Parliament to prevent Germans establishing themselves in France as before the war. Other motives are thought also in some quarters to be behind the proposition. For instance, it is commonly reported that a considerable number of foreigners have been availing themselves of the favorable rate of exchange and investing in French property with the purpose of holding on until the franc recovered its pre-war value.

PAT McDONALD PULLS

Olympic Champion Policeman Hauls Would-be Suicide and a Policeman From the River.

New York, Nov. 17.—Police sergeant Patrick McDonald turned the great strength that has made him Olympic champion hammer thrower for many years to good account when he lowered another policeman over the side of a pier to grasp a drowning man, and then, unaided, pulled the two men to safety.

Sergeant McDonald saw a man jump from Pier 46 into the river. Patrolman Green, on traffic duty, and McDonald got there while the man was struggling in the water.

Get down and give me a hold on your feet," McDonald said to Green. Green did not hesitate. McDonald, prone, lowered his companion, and Green got a firm grip on the drowning man. The combined weight of the two was more than 300 pounds, but McDonald hauled them out with ease.

The rescued man was taken, unconscious, to Bellevue. His name was not learned.

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STARS PRISON GUARDS

Leavenworth Prisoners Fatally Wounded One in Attempt to Escape.

Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 17.—In an attempt to escape from the Federal Penitentiary here on Tuesday Joe Martinez, serving a sentence for murder, fatally stabbed A. H. Leonard, captain of the guards, and wounded four other guards, two dangerously.

Martinez was shot by one of the guards and taken to a hospital after he was found hiding in a coal bunker. The extent of his wound has not been determined.

Captain Leonard was standing near the power house when Martinez came from behind and stabbed him through the heart with a knife which he had obtained. The four other guards whom he stabbed were Martin Lengyel, George Logan, Will Doidge and Joseph Durkin. Doidge and Logan were the most severely wounded.

Martinez, a Mexican, served as a soldier in the 128th Infantry during the war and was convicted in France on a charge of first degree murder. He was sentenced to serve twenty-five years, coming to the Leavenworth Penitentiary in December, 1918.

MAYOR'S OFFICE RECEIVES "RUSH A CASE" PHONE ORDER

Detroit, Nov. 17.—The Mayor's office ordinarily would not seem to be a popular hangout for bootleggers, but several times recently the Mayor's telephone has rung, and Fred Collard, Mayor's secretary, has been astonished by requests "to rush a case" to certain parties.

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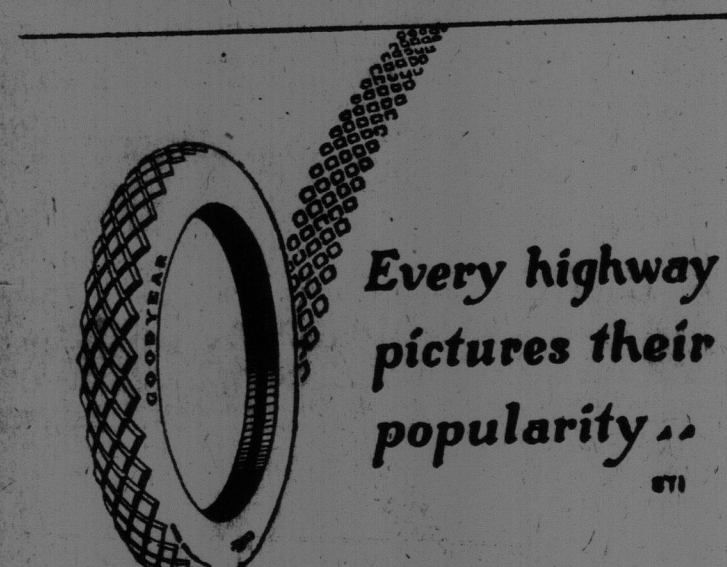
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