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British Murdered By The Turks in Smyrna; One in the Consulate

TRIED TO RAM THE DRY FLEET SHIP

Lunenburg Skipper Says He
was Outside Limit

Captain of the Gardner Held
in Bail After Seizure With
Liquor on Board—Declares
He was on Lawful Business.

(Canadian Press.)
New York, Sept. 15.—Captain Betts, skipper of the 100-ton Lunenburg, N. S., schooner M. M. Gardner, was being held by federal authorities today on \$5,000 bail, following the seizure of his boat and cargo on last Wednesday night by the U. S. "prohibition navy" vessel Taylor. Betts, who is only twenty-nine years of age and who claims Lunenburg as his home, appeared before U. S. Commissioner Stanton in Hoboken. He and members of the crew were charged with conspiracy, illegal landing and violation of the dry laws. Seaman Hines, Rockell, Bushler and Merritt were held in \$500 bail each. Supercargo H. Butler, from whom federal agents took \$14,789 United States currency, was held on similar charges and later released on \$5,000 bail.

Federal authorities are holding 100 cases of liquor taken from the schooner, and, in addition to the currency found in Butler's pockets, have \$36,886 found in a sealed wooden chest in the captain's cabin.

It developed before Commissioner Stanton that the M. M. Gardner had been captured after a chase of five miles, during which attempts were made to ram the U. S. craft. Captain Betts admitted the attempted ramming, but says that it was beyond the three-mile limit and that he took the prohibition boat for a pirate craft. Officers of the Taylor say the schooner surrendered only after a one-hour gun battle had been trained on her at close range.

The Gardner is a fleet Grand Banks fishing schooner and once made a record run from Nova Scotia to Portugal with dried fish.

Capt. Betts declared he was seized at least thirteen miles beyond the legal limit. He denies the charges of rum-running and says he was engaged in the lawful carrying of liquor between St. Pierre de Miquelon and Nassau, Bahamas Islands. The clearance papers show that the Gardner left Nassau for St. Pierre de Miquelon with 8,000 packages of liquor, including champagne.

AGREE TO LEAVE "OBEY" OUT OF THE MARRIAGE SERVICE

House of Bishops Accept a
Change in Divorce Canon
of Episcopal Church in the
U. S.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 15.—The House of Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal church in the U. S. late yesterday accepted a change in the divorce canon of the church proposed by Bishop G. H. Brent of Western New York, which makes the church law explicit in forbidding members marrying any divorced persons, except, as has been the rule, where a divorce has been granted on grounds of infidelity.

The House of Deputies concurred in the action of the House of Bishops in eliminating from the marriage ceremony of the Episcopal church the words "obey" said by the bride and the words "with all my worldly goods I thee endow," said by the bridegroom. There was a debate over the elimination of the word "obey," but no discussion by the deputies on the bridegroom's clause as to property.

CANADA HAS NO OFFICIAL EXECUTIONER

Ottawa, Sept. 15.—(Canadian Press.)—At the present time Canada has no official executioner, especially retained as such.

ADMIRAL THREATENS BOMBARDMENT IF OUTRAGES ARE CONTINUED

Population of Constantinople in State of Nervous
Tension—Balkans in Turmoil—British Cabinet
in Session Today Going Into All Phases of Tangled
Question—Kemal to Have Opposition if He
Attempts to Capture Capital.

(Canadian Press Cable.)
London, Sept. 15.—A U. S. destroyer which has arrived at Piraeus, Greece, reports that the Turks entered the British consulate at Smyrna and murdered an official who was assembling the archives, says a Reuter despatch from Athens today. Postmaster Wilkinson is also said to have been murdered, as well as other British nationals. Sir Harry Lamb, the consul general, is believed to have escaped on board a warship.

BRITISH THREATEN BOMBARDMENT.

London, Sept. 15.—The admiral commanding the British squadron at Smyrna has warned the Turkish authorities in the city that if the massacres are continued the Turkish quarters will be bombarded, says an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Athens.

REV. S. GATES OF
THE U. S. SLAIN.

Bombay, Sept. 15.—A member of one of the American missions, L. S. Gates, aged seventy-seven, formerly of Hartford, Conn., was murdered on September 6 at Bijapur, formerly the capital of the Mohammedan kingdom of Bijapur, but now almost in ruins. The police have placed a Mohammedan under arrest.

THEY'RE NERVOUS
IN CONSTANTINOPLE.

Constantinople, Sept. 15.—The Turkish Nationalist army is now within thirty-five miles of Constantinople. The population is in a state of nervous tension, and the entire city is rife with rumors about Mustafa Kemal Pasha's designs upon the capital.

One story is that the Nationalist commander has sent an ultimatum to the Allied powers demanding the evacuation of the forces from the city so as to permit the entrance of the Turkish Nationalist army. Another is that Nationalist troops have crossed over the Gallipoli peninsula from Chanak, planning to march into Thrace with the object of taking Adrianople.

Ten thousand Armenian refugees have arrived in the Bosphorus on sea vessels, and will be given shelter in the Armenian churches of the city.

BRITISH NOW
TO KEMAL PASHA.

London, Sept. 15.—The British cabinet has been summoned for this afternoon with the principal object of discussing the Near Eastern tangle.

Prime Minister Lloyd George came to London this morning from the country for preliminary discussions with his colleagues, all of whom, except the Earl of Balfour and H. A. L. Fisher, who are in Geneva, are expected to attend the important council.

It is believed the meeting will have before it definite statements from the French and Italian governments indicating their respective attitudes toward the problem, the solution of which continues to be a subject of eager and anxious speculation.

Opinions here are much divided regarding the Turkish claims. One view, which is strongly supported by the press, is about Great Britain's only interests lie in the freedom of the Straits of Dardanelles, and that if this is ensured she need not worry over the future position of Thrace and Constantinople.

Others are less easily satisfied and regard the restoration of Thrace and Constantinople to their former owners with the greatest disfavor, while a third faction is apparently won over by the restored but only on condition that Roumania and Jugo-Slavia agree.

The London newspapers again today urge the necessity of an agreement among the Allies, and declare it should be brought about quickly, before the situation becomes further complicated, especially before an outbreak of fresh fighting which might again set Europe aflame.

KEMAL PLANS POSSESSION OF CONSTANTINOPLE

March on City Unless Powers
Hand it Over to Turks

Victorious Leader Announces
Demands — Surrender of
Greek Fleet Part of Terms
—Freedom of the Dardanelles—General Townshend
Writes of Him.

(Canadian Press Cable.)
London, Sept. 15.—Mustapha Kemal Pasha, has resolved to march his army on Constantinople unless the powers hand over the city to the Turks, according to a statement he made to the Daily Mail correspondent at Smyrna. He also reiterated that his peace terms were based on the national pact.

"Our demands remain the same after our recent victory as they were before," he said. "The frontiers we claim exclude Syria and Mesopotamia, but embrace all the areas principally populated by the Turkish race. We ask for Asia Minor and Thrace as far as the river Maritza, and Constantinople."

"We are prepared to give every security for free passage of the Dardanelles, which we will undertake not to fortify. But it is only right that the powers agree to our creating such defensive works on the shores or the Sea of Marmora as will protect Constantinople from a surprise attack."

The correspondent suggested that the Powers might refuse to deliver over Constantinople to which Kemal responded:

"We must have our capital and in that case I should be obliged to march my army on Constantinople, which would be an affair of only a few days. I much prefer to obtain possession by negotiation but naturally cannot wait indefinitely."

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TURKISH CHIEF SAYS HE MUST HAVE IT



This is Constantinople, upon which city Mustapha Kemal Pasha has set envious eyes. The victorious Turkish leader not only says he wants it, but will send his armies to capture it if there cannot be peaceful negotiation. Christian lives there naturally are in danger.

European Section Of Smyrna Burned; Flames Spreading

Turks Taking Revenge—Terrible Stories of Wholesale
Slaughter in Smyrna—Quays Littered with
Corpses—Girls Carried Off From College.

ARTICLE 10

Canadian Position at Meeting
of Assembly of League
of Nations.

Geneva, Sept. 15.—The Canadian government's views on the part of an amendment to Article 10 which guarantees the territorial inviolability of states was submitted by Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Canadian minister of marine and fisheries, during a very important debate in the assembly of the League of Nations yesterday.

Mr. Lapointe asserted that the government of Canada would not press its demand for the deletion of the whole of Article 10, but wished the assembly to appoint a special committee to draft an amendment or a resolution interpreting Article 10 in the sense that when a decision of the league had been applied in the case of an act of aggression against a state, consideration should be given to the geographical and political situation of each country; also that the eventual intervention of a state, in accordance with Article 10, in order to ensure the execution of the council of the league's decision, should be subject to the preliminary approval of the country concerned.

Mr. Lapointe asked that the special committee submit its report at the next meeting of the assembly of the league.

A French representative in the assembly, M. Barthelmy, seconded the Canadian proposition, but urged that Article 10, which was important in principle and in practice, especially for newly formed states, should be maintained. M. Barthelmy, representing Switzerland, moved that the Canadian proposal be referred to the assembly and the decision on the question of the appointment of a committee or commission be deferred to the next sitting.

BOMBS IN OLD CAP IN LONDON STREET

London, Sept. 15.—Disaster was averted by the timely discovery of four live bombs wrapped in an old cap on a footway in London, yesterday afternoon. Many children were playing in the vicinity at the time. The police had been unable to find any explanation for the presence of the bombs where they were found.

Phelix and Perdriano WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries.
R. F. Stupars, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis—Pressure is comparatively low over the southwest states and high over nearly all other parts of the continent, showers have occurred in Manitoba and the lake regions, elsewhere the weather has been generally fair.

Gulf and North Shore—Moderate winds, partly cloudy and cool today and on Saturday.

New England—Cloudy and cooler tonight and Saturday; probably local showers tonight; moderate variable winds, becoming northerly.

Forecast:—Moderate winds, and partly cloudy with scattered showers today and on Saturday.

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CHAMPIONSHIP TO WHIRLWIND

Johnny Buff Uncrowned by
Speedy Filipino

Villa Now Plans Match With
Jimmy Wilde of England
for the World's Flyweight
Honors—Late News in the
Sport World.

(Canadian Press.)
New York, Sept. 15.—Pancho Villa, sensational Filipino boxer, won the U. S. flyweight championship last night by scoring a technical knockout over Johnny Buff of Jersey City, in the eleventh round of a fifteen round match at Ebbett's Field. He will now seek a match with Jimmy Wilde of England for the world's title.

Buff's seconds threw a towel into the ring when Johnny, battered to grogginess, stood helpless before the Filipino's attack. In the tenth round Villa scored two knockdowns. He began by punning Buff with both hands, rushing him to the ropes and then crashing him across the ring. Buff was bleeding from the head a few seconds later, Johnny lay on the floor until five was counted and the bell saved him. He was picked up and placed in his chair.

It was Villa's fight from the first. He was always active, always punching for an opening instead of waiting for a chance as Buff did. His terrific body blows with both hands, and his American champion's strength in the early rounds and his crashing left hooks and jabs to the head in the latter rounds brought him the victory. Buff was unable to open an attack. He tried to edge in blows after the third round but Villa met every attack with another of his own hands, punishing relentlessly.

Philadelphia, Sept. 15.—William M. Johnston of San Francisco faced Vincent Richards of Yonkers, N. Y., and Win. Tilden 2nd, of Philadelphia, was matched against Gerald L. Patterson of Australia today in the semi-finals of the national lawn tennis singles championship on the courts of the Germantown Cricket Club.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Leading British rivals by seventeen points in the international series for the British-American cup, U. S. six metre yacht were ready today for the fifth and possibly decisive test. The point score for the four races sailed off here to date is: U. S. 80; Great Britain, 63. Today's race will be called twice over a six mile windward and leeward course.

U. S. craft won the first and third team contests over a similar course while the British were victorious in the second and fourth races over a six mile triangular course.

All Depends on Weather.
Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 15.—If today breaks clear, with either sunshine or wind to dry the three inches of mud on the fair grounds, there will be a record Grand Circuit card of eight races here, starting promptly at noon. If such weather should continue throughout the day there will be four special exhibitions late this afternoon against time, with Peter Manning, world's champion trotter, in the headline affair attempting to break his world's trot mark, without windshield, of 1:57.3. If today breaks rainy or any rain falls before noon there will be no further harness racing at the fair this year. Late this afternoon the Grand Circuit evaluate will entrain for Columbus, Ohio, where a big two weeks' meeting will open on Monday.

BIG PULP AND PAPER PLANT FOR VANCOUVER

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 15.—Vancouver is to get the big pulp and paper plant which the Seaman Paper Mills Company, of Chicago, plan to build in British Columbia, according to developments yesterday in the negotiations which are being carried on with Premier John Oliver, and President Seaman and his associates, who are here.

The mills will get their power from Bridge River, near Seaton Lake, 100 miles up the Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

SALE OF DEBENTURES.

Kitchener, Oct. 15.—City treasurer Huber last night sold a block of \$300,000 Kitchener debentures to Gairdner, Clark and Co., of Toronto, for \$31,995, or at the rate of 107.7. The price obtained means a yield of 5.44.