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BOMBARDMENT MAY NOW BEGIN

Firing at Tripoli Today is Reported

TURKEY MAKES COMPLAINT

Notifies Britain That Hostilities Were Begun Before War Was Declared—Germany Said to be Making Effort to End the War

London, Oct. 3.—A despatch from Rome states that the bombardment of Tripoli by the Italian fleet, "has begun." This message was received at the Italian capital at 11.30 o'clock this morning. Up to early afternoon, there has been no confirmation of this report though last night's advances indicated that the attack might begin today.

A message to Italy from an Italian warship off Tripoli under Sunday's date, quoted the Italian consul as saying that the bombardment would begin three days after the notification to evacuate, which was given on Saturday.

Another despatch to a paper at Rome, from Malta, last night, also set forth that the bombardment would begin today. The Turkish ambassador, Ferid Pasha, presented a note from his government to the foreign office today complaining that, contrary to all international rules of warfare, the declaration of war against Turkey has been preceded by hostilities. Intervention is asked.

London, Oct. 3.—Little definite news has come from the seat of war. Of details, the most important are the statements that Tripoli has not been bombarded and that Italian troops have not been landed at Prevesa. It is not so easy to say what actually occurred. Two more Turkish torpedo boats are reported to have been sunk in the Adriatic and two transports have been captured to date. Therefore the Turkish losses would seem to be four torpedo boats and one gunboat sunk, three transports, two torpedo boats and one transport captured. The wireless station at Tripoli has been destroyed.

The British customs authorities at Southampton have seized four naval launches fitting out for the Turkish navy, this being in conformity with the usage imposed on neutrals in war time.

Germany is doing her utmost to stop the war, but it is certain that Italy will not discuss terms of peace until she has definitely occupied Tripoli.

The Daily Mail's Constantinople correspondent says Emperor William sent a telegram to the Turkish authorities on Monday, recommending that Turkey accept the terms of Italy's ultimatum, adding that Germany would stand by Turkey.

The "Daily Mail" asserts that Turkey asked Great Britain to intervene, but made a condition of intervention that the integrity of the Ottoman dominions should be maintained. The paper adds that it was unlikely Italy would agree to this, the British government was compelled to decline to attempt to carry out what is considered an impossible task.

Said Pasha's Step Down
Constantinople, Oct. 3.—It is reported that Pasha's resignation as grand vizier is pending owing to his inability to form a new cabinet and the unavailability of the late cabinet ministers to face the re-assembly of the chamber on October 14. (Continued on page 5, sixth column).

WEATHER BULLETIN
Issued by authority of the department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

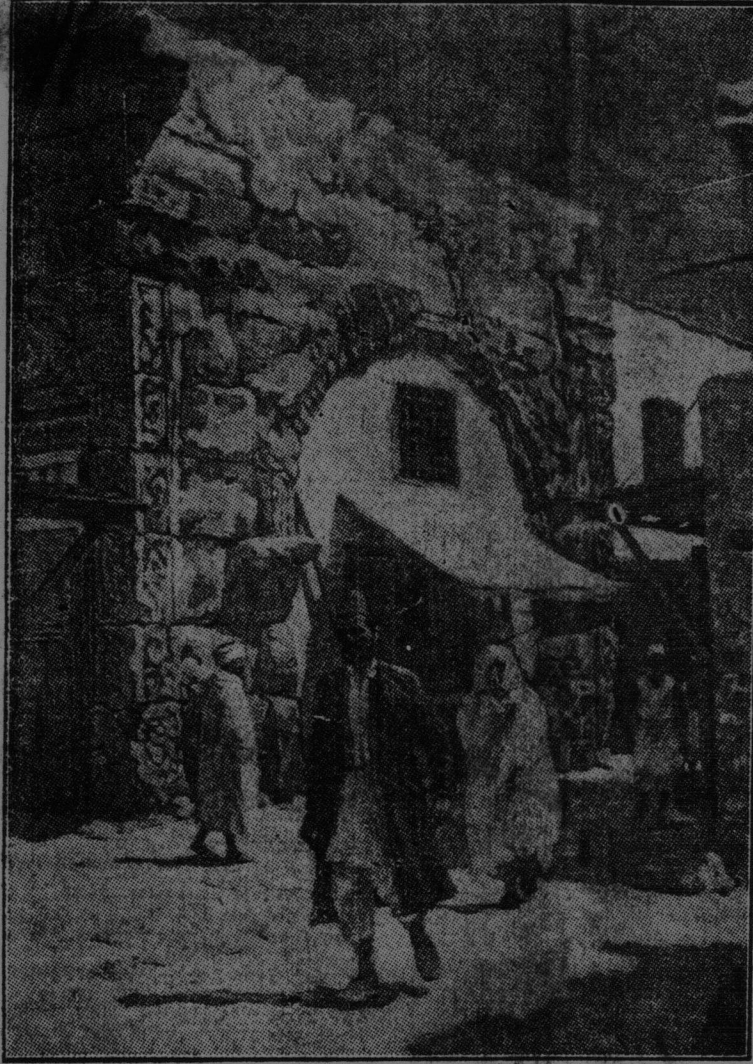
9 A. M. WEATHER REPORTS.
Temperature Past 24 Hours.
Max. Min. Dir. Vel.
Toronto... 60 40 SE 22 Fair
Montreal... 44 34 NW 4 Clear
Quebec... 42 30 W 4 Clear
Chatham... 42 32 NW 8 Fair
Halifax... 54 36 N 16 Clear
Sydney... 60 40 N 18 Cloudy
Sable Island... 42 N 36 Fair
St. John... 44 34 NW 18 Clear
Charlottetown... 52 36 NW 14 Rain
Boston... 56 32 N 6 Clear
New York... 56 44 E 12 Clear

Forecast—Moderate to fresh northerly winds, fair and cool today and on Wednesday; frosts tonight.
Synopsis—The depression mentioned yesterday has now reached Newfoundland, causing heavy weather to the southwest of Nova Scotia. To Banks, strong northerly winds. To American ports, moderate northerly winds.

Saint John Observatory.
The time ball on customs building is hoisted half its elevation at 12.45, full elevation at 12.50, and drops at 1 p. m. Standard time of the 60th Meridian, equivalent to five hours Greenwich mean time.

Local Weather Report at Noon.
Tuesday, Oct. 3, 1911.
Highest temperature during last 24 hrs 54
Lowest temperature during last 24 hrs 44
Temperature at noon... 54
Humidity at noon... 45
Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 32 degrees Falt), 30.14 inches, velocity sixteen miles per hour; clear.
Same date last year—Highest temperature 62, lowest 32, clear and fair.
D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

A STREET VIEW IN TRIPOLI



The picture gives some idea of the streets in the city of Tripoli, the nucleus of the trouble between the two hostile nations, Turkey and Italy. The city is a veritable maze of narrow fascinating streets such as the one pictured here, quiet and peaceful but alive with gay colors.

WERE SHOT WITH GOD BULLETS

(Canadian Press)
San Francisco, Oct. 3.—Bullets of solid gold were used by Yaqui Indians in fighting against Porfirio Diaz in the recent Mexican revolution according to passengers arriving here yesterday on the steamer Curaco from Mazatlan ports.
In Mazatlan hospitals where many wounded were operated upon, discovery of the golden pellets it was said, was an ordinary occurrence, although few patients had received enough of them to pay the doctor bills.

DISARMING THE MORO NATIVES

Murders of Americans Lead To Wreathing of Weapons From all Who Possess Them
Manila, Oct. 3.—As a result of the recent murders of Americans in Mindanao and Sulu, a gradual disarmament of the entire Moro population is proceeding. The chiefs of the tribes, it is believed, are likely to conform to the orders to give up their weapons but there may be some opposition and the army is preparing for emergencies. The Moros do not possess guns, but keep knives in their houses.

DISTRICT NURSES IN FREDERICTON

Ministerial Association and King's Daughters Provide Funds—Mr. Crockett and His Chances
Fredericton, Oct. 3.—The hospital trustees, at a meeting yesterday, decided to immediately inaugurate a system of district nursing. The suggestion came from the ministerial association of the city and the King's Daughters. These organizations have undertaken to raise funds to carry out the plan.

POSSE HAS THE ROBBERS SURROUNDED IN WOODS

Four Held up 300 Citizens of Noel While Fifth Stole \$5,000 From Bank
Jobina, Mo., Oct. 3.—While four armed companions stood off 300 citizens who had hurried to the bank at the sound of an explosion, a lone robber yesterday went through the vaults of the bank of Noel in Noel, Mo., near here, and secured \$5,000. The five robbers escaped. A sheriff's posse surrounded the bandits in a dense grove of twenty-five miles south of Noel tonight.

EMBARGO ON CATTLE AGAIN

Another Serious Outbreak of Foot and Mouth Disease in England
Ottawa, Oct. 3.—(Canadian Press)—Owing to another serious outbreak of the foot and mouth disease in Somersetshire, England, the restriction which was removed last week on the importation of cattle from the east side, and other quarters, United Kingdom into Canada, has been reimposed.

MAJOR GORDON AWAY TO THE WEST TOMORROW

The final details in connection with the removal of the Gordon mill works from this city to Calgary, have been completed, the last of the machinery having gone for a day or two ago. The proprietor, Major J. J. Gordon and his manager John H. McLeod, are expected to leave for Calgary tomorrow. Major Gordon will first go to Boston to make a purchase of more machinery for the mill.

THE PAVING WORK

Providing the conditions are favorable the paving contracts held by the Hassan company will be completed by the middle of November. The work, it is contended, has been hindered by pipe laying by the water and sewerage department. A large excavation at the bend of Dock street and on the eastern side has blocked the paving work on that side for the present. It is also declared impossible to proceed with the western side of the street as traffic would then be completely blocked. After a section of the pipe laying is finished the street tracks must be adjusted before the paving can be started.

DOUGHNUT AND COFFEE WILL BE ONE CENT MORE

New York, Oct. 3.—Coffee at two cents a cup is a thing of the past in New York. Yesterday every coffee house and restaurant on the east side, and other quarters, of the city, where the savory drink is sold, to the poor put the price up three cents. The high price of sugar and coffee is the reason for the advance.
Formerly coffee and a doughnut went for three cents. Now the man with only three cents must give up his doughnut. One restaurant keeper reported that his trade had fallen off thirty per cent since the rise in price.

THE TIMES' NEW REPORTER

AN ENGINEERING PROBLEM
Mr. Peter Birns says that the trouble between the aldermen and the engineers seems to be that the aldermen want to engineer the patronage, while the haughty engineers presume to patronize the aldermen.

LESSON FROM THE INDIANS
Mr. James Jones says that every time he reads about another leak in the water main in Fernhill he feels an added respect for that tribe of Indians which buried its dead on platforms erected in the trees. He thinks we may be compelled to revert to that custom in St. John.

LATEST FROM OTTAWA
Ottawa, Oct. 3.—(Very Special)—Grave apprehension is felt here at the news that the legislature of the Laurier government has given out several contracts, and there seems good reason to believe that it will bot the treasury before it resigns, and have nothing for the rest of us. This is awful, and makes our hair stand on end. What is the use of getting into power if we are to have no money and no work? However, we will try to dig up something for Mr. Borden gets in. The situation might be worse. We will breathe more freely when Borden grabs the ladle and we all line up for our share.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY DIES IN STREET

LAY DEAD IN COLD ARMS OF MOTHER
Three Bodies Found Under Building in Stricken Austin
Santiago Hero Falls Dead in New York
GOOD SERVICE RECORD
Commanded Greely Relief Expedition to Arctic in 1884—His Part in Battle of Santiago With Fleet of Spain
New York, Oct. 3.—Rear-Admiral Winfield Scott Schley, hero of battle Santiago, dropped dead in West 44th street in this city yesterday. He was born in Frederick County, Maryland, October 9, 1839. He entered the Navy Academy at Annapolis on September 20, 1859, and graduated in 1860. 1863 he took part in many of the engagements preceding the capture of Port Hudson, and in 1864 was placed in command of a relief expedition to the Arctic regions to search for Lieut. Greely and his companions. The expedition was a success. They found seven survivors who were on the verge of starvation and brought them and the bodies of nine victims who had perished before the arrival of the relieving party, safely back to the ships.

CLEARING THE DEBRIS

Death List in the Flood Disaster Now Not Believed to be More Than 36—Organized Relief is Well Under Way
(Canadian Press)
Austin, Pa., Oct. 3.—Relief work of the night and early morning revealed no new horrors and Austin today believes that it knows the worst of the calamity that overwhelmed it on Saturday afternoon, when the waters of the broken Bayles dam swept the valley. The list of known dead in this morning at 32, while the hasty towns counts showed that there are still many missing. Effective organized relief is well under way, and help is being offered from many communities.

SALE OF SCHOONER

The George Pearl Has Been Purchased by George McKean
The schooner George Pearl, one of the best known of the fleet in the coastwise trade at this port, has changed hands. The former owner, Captain Lissett, A. W. Adams, and others, have sold the vessel to George McKean, lumber merchant, of this city. It is understood that the new owner will place her in the south shore trade, carrying lumber along the Nova Scotia coast.

SETTLE TODAY ABOUT ONTARIO ELECTIONS

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 3.—Whether the province of Ontario is to have another general election or is to escape with half a score of bye-elections, will be settled this afternoon by Sir James Whitney and his colleagues.
It is expected that at the close of the cabinet meeting Sir James will make an announcement regarding Hon. Mr. Cochrane's call to Ottawa.

THIS PROVINCE IS WELL REPRESENTED AT SYNOD

Committee on Evangelism in Session in Charlottetown Today—Presbyterian Clergymen Gathering for Deliberations
(Special to Times.)
Charlottetown, P. E. I., Oct. 3.—Members of the Presbyterian Synod of the maritime provinces, held a conference called by the committee on evangelism this forenoon. Rev. Anderson Rogers, of Halifax, chairman of committee, presided. After devotional exercises the chairman delivered a brief address regarding the manner in which ministers prepare for the day's work. A half hour informal discussion then followed and several ministers gave their experiences on what had been done in evangelism in their own churches during the year.

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