

OTTOMANS WILLING TO NEGOTIATE WITH BULGARIANS DIRECT

Turkish Government Fully Realizes Further Resistance Will Only Prejudice Its Position.

TERRITORY IN EUROPE IS LOST

Banks Taking Stock of Interests in Conquered Provinces.

INJURED ARE NOW COMING IN

Surgeons Say Many of the Wounds Are Self-Inflicted.

CHOLERA IS RAGING IN CAMPS

None of Patients Sent to Constantinople, but No Precautions Are Taken to Prevent Refugees Bringing in Disease.

BULLETIN.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—Rumania is reported to have placed strong bodies of troops at three points on the Bulgarian frontier. The movement is believed to be the result of diplomatic arrangements, so that pressure can be applied to Bulgaria in order to keep the terms of the armistice within moderation.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 16.—(By way of Kustendje)—An armistice with the Bulgarians will in all probability be arranged within the next few days, and this will be followed by direct negotiations for peace.

The Ottoman government fully realizes that further resistance can only prejudice the position of Turkey still more, while its outcome is extremely problematical and might lead to even more humiliation.

Hitherto only a few of the soldiers badly wounded in battle have arrived here. A number of the invalided men are infected by gangrene and blood poisoning. Physicians say that many of the wounds have been self-inflicted.

None of the cholera patients are sent to the city, but little precaution is taken to prevent refugees bringing in the disease.

Fugitives continue to crowd around the city's walls. Trainloads of them are being sent off daily along the railroad into Asia Minor.

Many of the foreign residents who were willing to risk the chance of a fanatical outbreak are departing for Europe because of the cholera.

The departure of prominent members of the Young Turk party for Europe is considered by many as foreshadowing a possible return of the old regime.

The bulk of public opinion is beginning to rally to the view taken by responsible statesmen, and it is generally hoped that the best possible conditions of peace will be secured. It is recognized that practically the whole of European Turkey is in the hands of the Ottoman public debt is already taking stock of their own interests in the lost provinces in view of protecting themselves when the final settlement comes up for discussion.

The foreign military attaches here are of the opinion that the Bulgarians are finding many difficulties and they have been unable to bring up a sufficient army to insure a successful attack on the Tchatalja lines, which must be made direct on the front.

The scheme of defense drawn up by the commanders of the foreign warships here provides only for the protection of foreigners and not the prevention of massacres, the fear of which, however, has now been largely dissipated. The German cruiser, Goeben, arrived today.

News from the interior of Asia Minor shows that there is some unrest, and fears are expressed that fanatical and revolutionary outbreaks may occur there if the central Turkish government should become greatly disorganized.

Bulgaria Consults Allies.
SOFIA, Nov. 16.—The Bulgarian cabinet communicated to the allies today the contents of a letter from the Turkish grand vizier on the subject of an armistice and an interchange of views between the Balkan governments is in progress. It is said that unless peace conditions are accepted by Turkey within twenty-four hours after their presentation hostilities will be continued, as the Bulgarian generals are not willing to permit Turkey to gain valuable time by wrangling over the conditions.

A prompt acceptance may avert the entry of the Bulgarian troops into Constantinople. It is believed Bulgaria will not object to Turkey retaining Constantinople and the Dardanelles.

King Ferdinand of Bulgaria is now at Kirk-Killaseh, but it is reported he is preparing to start for Tchatalja.

Wagner's Reports All False.
LONDON, Nov. 16.—Litter discredit was thrown today by local military experts on reports published in Vienna papers of (Continued on Page Two.)

Insinuation that Schrank is Being Railroaded Resented

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 16.—Compliance of insinuations that officials of Milwaukee county were hurrying John Schrank, confessed assailant of Theodore Roosevelt, through the form of a hearing without giving him a fair trial was taken today by Municipal Judge A. C. Backus. He directed that the five alienists who are examining into Schrank's mental condition continue their observations until such time next week as they are convinced there is no possibility for an error in the judgment they shall form as to his mental responsibility.

Taft Will Spend Three Days in New York and Vicinity

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—President Taft arrived from Washington this morning to spend three days in this vicinity, visiting several institutions and attending meetings. Tonight he will be the guest here at a dinner of the Lotus club and on Monday he will go to New Haven to attend the meeting of the Yale corporation. He will return to Washington on Monday night.

Suffragette Army Finishes Its Four Hundred-Mile Walk

LONDON, Nov. 16.—The suffragette army which started from Edinburgh on October 13 completed its 400-mile tramp to London this afternoon, having taken exactly five weeks to do the journey. Under the leadership of Mrs. De Pont Blaque, who traveled on horseback, they proceeded immediately to the prime minister's residence in Downing street and presented their petition demanding the suffrage for women.

Mrs. White Heads United Daughters of the Confederacy

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16.—The United Daughters of the Confederacy, in convention here today, elected as president general Mrs. Alexander B. White of Paris, Tenn.; recording secretary general, Mrs. Roy Weeks McKinney, Paducah, Ky.; registrar general, Mrs. Orlando Halliburton, Little Rock, Ark.

Auto Bandits Are Taken After Fight

IOLA, Kan., Nov. 16.—The three bandits who impressed a motor car, a chauffeur and a mechanic here Thursday night and went on a raid of farm houses and villages in this vicinity, were captured by a posse today near here and brought to the Iola jail. The men gave their names as Richard Victor, who says he worked in the railroad shops at Argentine, Kan., and W. J. Van Bibber and McCauley. Victor was taken early today. The two others were captured at noon after a fight in which one of them was wounded.

The names of the bandits were given to the officers by Mrs. Bessie Van Bibber of Iola, sister-in-law of one of the robbers. She said her brother-in-law was the head of the gang. The bandits all are under 30 years old. Victor said the raid was planned in a saloon in Kansas City, Mo.

The bandits obtained very little booty in their raids. They raided mainly farm houses and garages. Thursday night they tried to kidnap C. R. Hoyt, cashier of the Earhart bank. Stopping their motor car in front of Hoyt's house, they asked him to lend them tools to repair a puncture. Hoyt declined to leave the house and the bandits departed. They told the chauffeur they had intended to carry off the cashier and hold him for ransom.

FAVORS ORGANIZATION OF NEWS WRITERS

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 16.—With the committee hard at work behind closed doors, the American Federation of Labor held its session today. Among the fifty resolutions to be presented to the convention are:

M'NAMARA WOULD KILL STENOGRAPHER WHO KNEW TOO MUCH

J. B. Asked Frank Eckhoff to Set Bomb Under Miss Mary C. Dye, Employee of Iron Workers.

REFUSED TO TAKE PART IN PLOT

Witness Tells of Visit to Dynamiter at Ballagh, Neb.

M'MANIGAL BUYS CLOCKS

Extensive Purchases by Dynamiter Aroused Jeweler's Suspicions.

MANY ARE STORED IN VAULTS

Manufacturer of Nitroglycerin at Montpelier Identifies Hoekin as Man Who Purchased Explosives.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 16.—James R. McNamara's flight from Los Angeles after he blew up the Times building here on October 1, 1911; his expressed hope that the explosion would be attributed to escaped gas in the basement and his reported purpose to murder a woman stenographer employed by the Iron Workers' union "because she knew too much," were related at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial today by Frank Eckhoff.

FORMER GOVERNOR LARRABEE IS DEAD

Aged Iowa Pioneer and Statesman Passes Away at Clermont.

FUNERAL WILL BE MONDAY

He Was Seventeen Years in the State Senate and Was Twice Elected Governor of State.

CLERMONT, Ia., Nov. 16.—Former Governor William Larrabee died at his home near here at 10:35 o'clock today.

Gov. Larrabee was an uncompromisingly practical all of the time since last Monday. Only his remarkable vitality kept him alive so long, according to his physicians. The funeral will be held from the home near here Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The governor's public career at Des Moines was marked by much progressive legislation, particularly in reference to the control of railroads and other public corporations. He was an ardent temperance advocate.

Sketch of His Career.
William Larrabee, business man, legislator, governor of Iowa, was a native of Connecticut, nearly 81 years old. Resident of Iowa for sixty years, he had been a large factor in the growth and development of the state.

Gov. Larrabee was born January 29, 1832, son of Adam Larrabee, soldier of 1812, resident of Ledyard, Conn. The future governor got a common school education and had two months at a private academy, but his father taught him a good business education. He left New England and landed in Iowa in 1853. He taught school in Hardin and Allamakee counties, then was a farm hand, but in 1855 became a miller at Clermont, Fayette county. He began his public career in 1868 when he was elected to the state senate, remaining a member of that body until 1888, when he was nominated for governor of Iowa. He was elected and re-elected and served four years, giving the state a thorough business administration. In the senate he had long been chairman of the ways and means committee, and no man ever came to the chair of governor of Iowa more familiar with all the varied activities of the state.

Chicago Cabman Robbed by Bandits

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—Henry Howard, though he has been a night cab driver in Chicago for thirty years, was held up early today for the first time and lost in the robbery money and jewelry valued at \$70 in addition to his own shoes. Howard evidently made a driving a profitable business, the list of articles which he told the police three bandits had taken from him included: A diamond ring, a diamond and pearl stick pin, gold watch, gold eye glasses, gold handled knife, fountain pen, amber cigar holder, gold cigarette case, tobacco pouch, \$18.50 in currency, new fall hat and new tan shoes.

LEWIS JURY SENT BACK TO DELIBERATE FURTHER

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 16.—The jury in the case of E. G. Lewis, charged with using the mails to defraud, reported to United States Judge Willard today that it was unable to agree on all counts in the indictment. Judge Willard sent the jury out again with the statement that if no verdict was returned today the jurors would be held until Monday.

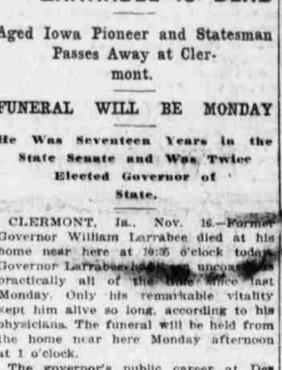
SERIOUSLY WOUNDS WIFE AND KILLS HIMSELF

STURGIS, S. D., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Edward Gantz of this city last night shot and killed himself, the deed being caused by trouble with his divorced wife. Gantz shot himself twice, one bullet entering below the left eye, the other in the breast. Before shooting himself he shot the woman in the back. She will recover.

Speed the Parting; Greet the Coming Guest



FORMER GOVERNOR OF IOWA, WHO DIED SATURDAY.



WILLIAM LARRABEE.

Daniel O'Reilly, Once Prominent Lawyer, Begins Prison Term

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Daniel O'Reilly, once prominent as a lawyer and personal counsel for Harry Thaw in his trials, delivered himself to the authorities of the penitentiary on Blackwell's Island last night to serve a term of seven months' imprisonment. O'Reilly was convicted last year of having received stolen property in connection with a robbery in the Produce Exchange building.

Hamilton Club to Exclude Women

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—The Hamilton club, one of the leading republican organizations in the west, will vote on an amendment to its constitution Monday, which is intended to restrict the membership to men only.

Wilson and Family Sail for Bermuda

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Woodrow Wilson, president-elect, Mrs. Wilson and the Misses Eleanor and Jessie Wilson, left New York for Bermuda shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon on the steamship Bermudian. They will be gone till December 16. A throng of well-wishers saw them off.

Jannus on His Way Through Missouri

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 16.—Anthony Jannus left here this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock in his hydro-aeroplane for St. Charles, Mo.

WORK ON TARIFF ACT IS BEGUN BY CLERKS

Speedy Accomplishment of Routine Preparations Expected to Facilitate Legislation.

PREPARING FOR QUICK ACTION

Proposition is Made for Joint Committee of House and Senate Democrats to Harmonize Differences.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Clerks of the house ways and means committee began work today upon tariff revision bills for the special session of congress, which President-elect Wilson has stated he will summon to meet next April. Democratic leaders have been confident for some time that the incoming administration would force the tariff issue to an immediate trial and much of the detail of the work of preparing the bills is under way.

Suggestions have been made by influential members of the senate within the last week that a joint committee, representing house and senate democrats, be informally selected before the special session begins to go over the tariff situation and harmonize whatever differences may exist between the democrats of the two bodies upon the more important tariff schedules. Such action would result in speedy disposition of tariff revision next April, it is believed.

It has not been determined as yet whether one general bill will be introduced embracing the wool, cotton, iron and steel revisions which the democratic house has previously passed, or whether such in these tariff schedules will again be brought in in the form of a separate bill.

Democratic leaders are not agreed over the sugar tariff, and this situation is puzzling the managers of the party in both houses. The house free sugar bill passed at the last session did not meet the approval of the democrats in the senate, and it still rests in a conference committee.

The April session will perfect a record of practically continuous work on the tariff since the special session called by President Taft in 1908. Following the revision of that year, embodied in the Payne-Aldrich bill, there have been attempts to devise a Canadian reciprocity system and to revise certain schedules of the tariff law, but no changes in the tariff have been effected since the passage of the Payne-Aldrich law.

Van Camp Packing Plant is Burned

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 15.—The plant of the Van Camp Packing company was partly burned early this morning, the owners estimating their loss at \$400,000. The loss is fully covered by insurance. The cause of the fire has not been determined. The flames spread rapidly in the buildings which had gained several acres of ground and had gained several headway before the arrival of the fire department, which had been called out by a general alarm. The company employed about 1,200 persons.

Family Cat Great Menace to Birds

LAWRENCE, Kan., Nov. 16.—Prof. L. D. Dyche of the University of Kansas will recommend to the next legislature changes in the laws designed to protect birds from the family cat.

"I know of no greater enemy of the birds than the domestic cat," Prof. Dyche said today. "Legislation to protect all birds except those classified as 'game' and 'outlaws' would save the farmers millions of dollars each year. I believe it may be necessary to have a cat license law in Kansas."

FARNAM CAR JUMPS TRACK AND BURIES ITSELF IN GARAGE

Brakes Fail, Sending Heavily Laded Vehicle Off Rails at Fortieth Street Curve.

STRIKES CORNER OF BUILDING

Structure Gives Way and Roof Falls Upon Street Car.

MOTORMAN SLIGHTLY INJURED

Grocer J. W. Welch of Passengers is Hurt by Crash.

REDICK AND BARKALOW GARAGE

Building and Two Automobiles Are Badly Damaged, Though Passengers in Car Miraculously Escape.

Half a dozen persons narrowly escaped serious injury, two valuable electric automobiles were totally demolished, William T. Trieber, a motorman, and John W. Welch, 418 Cass street, painfully hurt, a heavy Farnam car wrecked and one corner of the new \$30,000 garage at Fortieth and Farnam streets caved in as the result of a runaway street car jumping the track at Fortieth street and crashing into the building at 12:30 yesterday morning.

Everybody on the car was shaken up and some of the passengers sustained injuries. William Trieber, motorman on the car, was unable to escape from his prison-like cab and was buried beneath the wreckage and he could not be removed until several fire companies had dug the debris away. He was taken to police headquarters for medical attention and it was found that his injuries consisted only of lacerations of the face and body and bruises. He said the accident was caused by a lack of compressed air for the brakes.

Street car employees were the first to the scene of the accident and secured names of all the passengers and persons hurt. When the police were notified, all of the hurt had been taken care of with the exception of the motorman, and by orders of General Manager Richard A. Leussler they refused to give the authorities and newspapers any information whatsoever.

The car was No. 811, twenty-two tons weight, of the Farnam line. It was in charge of Conductor George Jordan of 1316 South Sixth street and Motorman Trieber of 1912 South Thirty-fifth street.

Home Grown Daffydils

LAST WEEK'S WINNERS.
1—Mr. Guy Eldridge, 1905 Binney
2—Mr. B. F. Greenleaf, Bayanna.
3—Mrs. J. M. Johnson, 2534 Cass
Prize book worth a dollar to three best each week. Mail yours to "Daffydil Editor, The Bee, Omaha."

Joe Goetz, 2123 Mason street—When Wilson was elected president, I wonder how Roosevelt?

Bianche Johnson, 2534 Cass street.—If you were in debt to the chief of police, would Henry Dunn?

Gertrude Altman, 1813 Willis avenue.—I'm the boob that put the glass in Glasgow.

H. E. Calkins, 838 Woolworth avenue.—If a burglar got in the cellar and stole the coal chute? No, but the kindling wood. If you won 50 cents at a dolly contest, would you say it was a tidy sum?

Mrs. George L. Colson, Fremont.—If Maude Malone interrupted a speech of President Wilson's, what will the suffragette?

Henry Kirschbraun, 403 South Thirty-eighth avenue.—If gas is out of date, is electric light current?

J. R. Porter, Northboro, Ia.—If money talks, will the cash register? If Roosevelt is shrewd, is Dr. Harvey Wiley?

If the heavens fall, where will the sky-light?

W. M. Ryan, South Omaha.—If the hotels raised their prices, would the school board?

More Tomorrow.

The Weather

Forecast till 7 p. m. Sunday:
For Omaha, Council Bluffs and Vicinity
—Fair tonight and Sunday; colder tonight.

Temperature at Omaha—	Deg.
5 a. m.	33
6 a. m.	33
7 a. m.	35
8 a. m.	36
9 a. m.	37
10 a. m.	37
11 a. m.	39
12 m.	40
1 p. m.	40

Local Weather Record.
1912 1911 1910 1909
Lowest last night 37 35 35 35
Precipitation .00 .00 .00 7
Normal temperature for today, 37 degrees.
Deficiency in precipitation since March 1, 1.52 inches.
Deficiency corresponding period of 1911, 14.28 inches.
Deficiency corresponding period of 1910, 14.21 inches.