

REGAL CROWN IS PLACED ON BROW OF QJIVERA KING

King Ak-Sar-Ben XXI Is Now Ruler Over the Subjects of Quivera for Another Twelve Months.

CEREMONY FULL OF POMP

Magnificent Splendor Marks Crowning of the King and Coronation Ball Which Follows.

TWO BANDS PROVIDE MUSIC

With pomp and ceremony that rivaled the elegance of the court of King Arthur and his gracious Guinevere the coronation of King Ak-Sar-Ben XXI, lord of the realm of Quivera, occurred promptly at 9 o'clock last night at the royal castle, known as the Den.

No sooner had the cardinal placed the crown of the head of the new monarch than the bugles sounded again, and the gracious queen entered, was received by the king, shown to her seat beside him and crowned by him with the delicate crown of gold and gems.

Miss Marion Howe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Howe, was queen, Ward M. Burgess, vice president of M. E. Smith & Co., was king.

Twelve beautiful ladies, clothed in the costliest of garments, special maids, personally attended upon her majesty the queen.

From Neighboring Kingdoms.

One hundred maids of honor were in attendance from the City of Cibola, the chief city of the realm, and fifty-two maids of honor from neighboring kingdoms.

Ladies in waiting to the number of several hundred from Cibola and neighboring cities, and matrons of Ak-Sar-Ben's court numbering hundreds more filled their respective places in the imposing ceremony, making the whole a rich spectacle long to be remembered.

With the coronation taking place promptly at nine strokes of the clock, the great coronation ball, the most grand social event of the year in the city, opened with the grand march led by Everett Buckingham, president of the board of governors of Ak-Sar-Ben, followed by the rest of the governors with the special maids.

Forty dances and six extra numbers were enjoyed by the knights and ladies, and the thousands of royal subjects of the king, who gathered in broadcloth and silk-enfolded lowliness for the coronation festivities.

Spectators Are Numerous.

Scarcely had darkness fallen upon the realm when the drawbridges were lowered and huge polished touring cars began to rattle to the gates of the castle. Besides those who came to enjoy the feasting and dancing there were hundreds upon hundreds who came early to hold favored seats in the balconies where they might view the imposing ceremony.

The great ballroom shone like marble under the noon-blaze of many electrical chandeliers. Great clusters of hanging flowers drooped from huge swinging baskets from the arched dome. Life-sized marble cupids and seraphs laughed from their secure haunts behind a circular bank of ferns and foliage high above the heads of the merry-makers. Rich green drapery enclosed the north extremity of the hall. The rostrum and throne were green-carpeted, which gave the best possible effect to the many colored silken gowns of the special maids and the white knickerbocker and Prince Albert suits of the governors.

Knights in Uniform.

When the hour of 9 p. m. was reached the ninety knights in full uniform began the march into the great hall. Swinging with knightly precision and discipline into two lines they took their places at either side of the great hall and waited at attention.

Four buglers sounded their notes to announce the coming of the board of governors and the special maids. The maids and governors came in a column of fours.

KING'S CONSORT OF QUEENLY MEIN

Miss Marian Howe Is the Youngest of Any Who Have as Yet Worn Ak-Sar-Ben Purple.

MAIDENS OF COURT LOVELY

The new Ak-Sar-Ben queen, Miss Marion Howe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Howe, is the youngest one to have worn the purple. Besides being one of the most beautiful girls of the younger set, Miss Howe has made an enviable record in her musical studies, which she is pursuing most seriously. She is a graduate of Miss Spence's school in New York City and last year attended the Comstock school of music there, studying the piano. She came home Wednesday evening from the east, but plans to return to New York in about a week, where, with two girl friends from Cleveland, they will have a studio apartment and continue their studies. One of these girls is a protegee of Sembrich.

Of Queenly Grace.

The queen presented a regal picture in her coronation robes. She is tall with beautiful coloring, brown eyes and hair and carries herself with queenly grace. Her coronation gown was a handsome white satin with a shimmering overdras of silver embroidered on silk net hanging in straight lines from the shoulder, giving a Grecian effect. The tunic of the short gown was heavily embroidered in silver in a leaf design coming quite high on the right side and flowing off on the left. The bodice was cut low and the sleeves were the flowing wing effect of the net, with bands over the shoulder of rhinestones and net.

The back of the skirt was made of tier upon tier of white net ruffles edged with rhinestones, with a cape effect of net embroidered in rhinestones and silver hanging from the shoulders in the back. The cape hung over a Grecian girdle of rhinestones.

Diamonds and Sapphires.

With this gown were worn white satin slippers and stockings beautifully embroidered with rhinestones. The queen's jewels were all diamonds and sapphires. Her crown was of diamonds and platinum, worn on a low head-dress, and her gift from the board of governors was a flexible green-gold bracelet set with diamonds and sapphires, which she wore on the right arm. On the other arm, she wore another diamond and sapphire bracelet, diamond drops in the ear, and a diamond heart was caught in the bodice.

"The long court train of satin was heavily embroidered in silver, blending into silver embroidered on net, where it joined the coronation gown. The royal robe too was of white chiffon velvet, embroidered in silver in a conventional design with eagles embroidered in silver in the corners and silver sequins. The robe was lined in white satin and edged with ermine.

Twelve Lovely Maidens.

Attending afterwards the Rev. Mr. Reed appeared at the police station. He was minus a wallet containing \$50 and round-trip tickets to the San Francisco and San Diego expositions.

To Honor King Ak-Sar-Ben, they were

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MISS MARIAN HOWE, QUEEN AK-SAR-BEN XXI, in her royal robes, a beautiful and royal consort for the ruler of prosperous Quivera



ALEXANDER WINS SERIES' OPENER; BREAKS WITH HIM

Philly Batters Make Three Runs on Five of Flukiest Hits Ever Known in History of Base Ball.

EIGHT BLOWS GIVE RED SOX ONE

Infield, Wet and Heavy with Many Hours of Rain, Turns Tide in Home Team's Favor.

SEVERAL PLAYS OF IVORY HUE

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PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—Grover Cleveland Alexander won his game from the Boston Red Sox today, but the victory was far from being the impressive one his teammates of the Philadelphia National had predicted.

The breaks of the game were with the star pitcher of the National league and had to be to give him the honor of winning the first world's series contest in which he has participated. Though a sequence of plays as unusual as ever seen upon a ball field the Phillies won by 3 to 1.

They made these three runs on five of the flukiest hits the game has ever known, a Texas leaguer, which developed into the first run of the series, being the only safe ball driven out of the diamond by a Philadelphia batsman.

Infield Turns Tide.

It had been predicted the short outfield would prove the winning factor for the locals in their own little park out on Broad street, but contrary to all expectations it was the infield, wet and heavy from fifteen hours of rain, that turned the tide in their favor. It was a mediocre ball game, this first of the big series, for despite the few errors of commission there were several of omission and two or three plays which will go down in base ball history as tinged, with an ivory hue strangely enough, it was the tied Sox, veterans in battling for the highest honors of the game, who were guilty of the slip, although the offending individuals were new members of the team.

Big "Hobby" Hobbitt, first base guard for the Sox, indignantly ended a first inning attack by his teammates when he calmly lapsed into slumberland off his home station and was caught almost flat-footed by a quick toss from Alexander to Luderus for the third out. Hooper was on third base at the time and Lewis was at bat. When he was given his delayed chance in the second inning Lewis shot a stinging single between short and third.

Shore Makes Misplay.

For three innings today the honors of the game were all with the tall young Boston twirler, who had been sent in to oppose Alexander. In the last half of the fourth, however, it was Shore himself who gave the Phillies an opportunity to score their first run. This

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GREEK SENTIMENT IS BEHIND KING

Monarch Has Kept Greece Out of War is General Belief of People of Athens.

VENIZELIS IS LOSING PRESTIGE

ATHENS, Thursday, Oct. 7.—(Via Paris, Oct. 8.)—General sentiment in Athens seems to be that King Constantine has saved Greece from a war in which the policy of former Premier Venizelos would have brought the country. The king, therefore, in the opinion of prominent Greeks, has gained additional prestige, while the political strength of the ex-premier has suffered a corresponding loss.

Position of Constantine.

PARIS, Oct. 8.—The supporters of former Premier Venizelos, who constitute a majority in the Greek chamber, it has been learned on high authority, says a Havas dispatch from Athens, will not oppose the new ministry so that added complications may be avoided at a critical period. Overthrow of the Zaimis cabinet would involve the dissolution of the chamber, which is considered extremely hazardous as the Greek constitution does not permit fixing a date for elections during mobilization of the army.

What purport to be details of the historic interview between King Constantine and Eleutherios Venizelos, which resulted in the latter's resignation as prime minister of Greece, are printed in the Greek journal Katrol.

After agreeing to mobilization as a precaution involving no change of policy, the king asked the premier what was the object of the concentration of such a strong army on the Macedonian frontier. M. Venizelos answered that the object was two-fold—first to defend the country and, second—to go to the aid of Serbia in case it were attacked by Bulgaria.

The king then remarked that he agreed with Venizelos so far as defending the country was concerned, but could not see that Greece was called upon to help Serbia. The premier recalled the obligations imposed upon Greece by its treaty of alliance, but Constantine retorted that when Greece asked Serbia's aid against Turkey in May, 1914, it was refused.

Premier Contradicts Himself.

To further arguments on the part of Venizelos the king replied that the premier was contradicting himself, for when the allied powers asked Greece to assist Serbia at the time of the Austrian attack Venizelos made a promise of such assistance conditioned upon the armed co-operation of Roumania and the benevolent neutrality of Bulgaria. These conditions not having been pledged, the king pointed out, he refused to join Serbia at a time when the Austrian forces arrayed against it did not exceed 100,000 and Bulgaria was not hostile.

"But today," added the king, "the Austro-Germans are 500,000, to whom must be added 200,000 Bulgarians, and the retreat of the Russians prevents the Roumanians from doing anything for Serbia."

M. T. WARD, FRONTIER COUNTY PIONEER, DEAD

STOCKVILLE, Neb., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—M. T. Ward died at his home here Tuesday morning. The funeral took place Thursday morning. Mr. Ward was one of the prominent pioneers of this county and the first clerk of the district court in this county. Resolutions were passed at the district court and a recess taken by the court during the funeral services. Mr. Ward had recently been appointed Postmaster at Stockville, but had not taken possession of the office.

NEW TEUTONIC RAID ON SERBIA IN FULL SWING

Germans and Austrians Making Determined Effort to Squeeze the Railroad Running to Constantinople.

BULGARIANS READY TO MOVE

General Belief that it Will Strike at the Serbian Rear Within a Few Hours.

RUSSIANS BOMBARDING VARNA

BULLETIN. BERLIN, Oct. 8.—(By Wireless to Ackerton)—The German government has lodged a protest in Athens against the landing of troops on Greek territory by the entente powers, "The reply of Greece has not been received."

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BERLIN, Oct. 8.—(Via London.)—The Teutonic invasion of Serbia is proceeding favorably, progress in the crossing of the Drina, Save and Danube rivers by the German and Austrian armies under Field Marshal Von Mackensen being reported by German army headquarters. The capture of three cannon opposite Ram is announced.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—The new Teutonic invasion of Serbia is now in full swing. In command of Field Marshal Von Mackensen, the German and Austrian forces are seeking to push their way southward, with the Drina, Danube and Save rivers at their backs, in an attempt to seize the trunk railway stretching from Belgrade to Salonki and Constantinople.

The next move lies with Bulgaria. Whether it will attack Serbia from the rear, while the central powers are hammering at the northern and northwestern gates, or maintain for the moment a watchful attitude, is a matter of surmise, but the situation is such that its entry into the war seems to be a matter only of hours.

Russians Bombarding Varna.

Russian warships are already reported to be hurling shells at the Bulgarian port of Varna, on the Black Sea. French and British troops are being rushed northward from Salonki by express trains. Meanwhile, at the point where the railway approaches closest to Bulgarian territory both an allied and a Bulgarian army are massing.

It is reported from Italian sources that as a precaution the Serbian government is transferring all records and archives from Nish to Istip, in southern Serbia, about fifty miles from the Greek frontier. Virtually made over in guns and equipment and stiffened by British and French officers, it is predicted here that the Serbians will offer stubborn resistance to the Austro-German advance. They will be assisted by the flood conditions in the Morava valley, down which Field Marshal von Hindenburg hopes to force his way.

Germans Pounding at Dvinsk.

The official German communication now carries the subcaption "Balkan Theater of War," indicating that these operations are to be chronicled daily. Estimates of the strength of the Austro-German forces along the Serbian frontier range from 400,000 to 600,000 men. There may have been withdrawals by the Austrians and Germans from some parts of the eastern front, but the renewed effort of Field Marshal von Hindenburg to capture Dvinsk does not indicate any weakening of the troops under his command. Among the theories advanced now that

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The Weather

Table with columns for Hour, Deg., and Precipitation. Shows temperature at Omaha yesterday and comparative local record.

St. Paul Minister Has Pocket Picked by Denver Woman

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 8.—The police have asked to find a strange young woman who last night accosted the Rev. R. S. Reed, a clergyman of St. Paul, Minn., on a downtown street.

Pallbearers Are Selected for the Howe Funeral

AUBURN, Neb., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—The funeral services of the late Church Howe will be held here Sunday at 2 p. m. from the Christian church. Bishop Arthur L. Williams will officiate.

Grandfather Law No Defense in the Federal Courts

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 8.—The United States circuit court of appeals today affirmed the conviction of Frank Gunn and J. J. Beal, election officials of Kingfisher county, Oklahoma, for conspiracy to oppress negroes by the enforcement of the Oklahoma "grandfather clause."

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