

BULGAR INVADERS TAKE GREEK FORT POPULACE ROUSED

Commander and Garrison Put to Death—Army Reaches the Grecian Coast—Venizelos Faction Enraged.

SERBS SUFFER DEFEATS

Balkan Political Situation Is Still Obscure—King Constantine Again Becomes Storm Center.

Paris, Aug. 28.—The Bulgarians have attacked and captured the Greek fort of Startila, after killing its commander, A. Chanas, and the entire garrison, which offered spirited resistance, says a Saloniki dispatch to the Matin. The dispatch is dated August 23 and was delayed.

The official announcement also is made that Bulgarians have attacked Drama and the support of Kavala, both garrisoned by Greek troops.

The announcement confirms Greek press dispatches of the last few days asserting that fighting was in progress between the Greeks and Bulgarians. The reported attack on Kavala threatens to render the situation between Greece and the central powers acute. Ever since the first Balkan war Sofia has claimed that Kavala was one of its rightful fruits of victory, and its concession to Greece has been the source of much ill feeling.

Apparently from the French statement the allied troops do not plan an advance on the right wing, as their cavalry detachments are supposed to have destroyed bridges over the Angista river. On the left wing Paris reports "appreciable" progress for the Serbians and the capture of several hundred prisoners. In the center, where the main efforts of the allies is expected heavy artillery action is taking place but there is no report of infantry operations.

SERBS DEFEATED AFTER HARD FIGHTING, BULGARIA REPORTS

Sofia, (via London), Aug. 28.—After severe fighting against the Bulgarian right wing on the Macedonian front the Serbians have been defeated with very heavy losses and compelled to retire, according to a war office announcement today. Eighteen consecutive attacks were made by the Serbians.

RUMANIA VOTES BIG WAR CREDIT; GENERALS SHIFTED

Amsterdam, (via London), Aug. 28.—By decree of the Rumanian council of ministers, published in the Monitor, the extraordinary credit for the army is increased by 200,000,000 francs to 600,000,000 francs, according to telegrams from Bucharest today. The University announces that General Paraskivescu has been appointed director of munitions, adds the dispatch, and that General Popovic, inspector general of the cavalry, has been appointed to command the First army corps in succession to General Averesco.

RUMANIAN KING WON'T SEE PERSONAL AGENT OF KAISER

Paris, Aug. 28.—According to information from diplomatic sources, says a wireless dispatch from Berne, Emperor William would like to see the king of Rumania, but he intended to send Duke Albrecht of Mecklenburg on a special mission to him with regard to the position of Rumania.

King Ferdinand replied, adds the dispatch, that the mission would be inopportune because, as a constitutional monarch, he would be obliged to refer the envoy to his ministers and in the circumstances he preferred that any communication from the German government should be received through ordinary diplomatic channels.

GREEK POPULACE AROUSED BY ADVANCE OF BULGARS

Saloniki, Aug. 26.—(via Paris)—A large popular meeting was held here last night to protest against the occupation of Greek territory by Bulgarians. It was followed by a demonstration for Venizelos and the singing of the national hymn. The crowd then marched to the headquarters of General Sarrahl, the entente commander and sang the Marseillaise. A formal protest against the Bulgarian occupation was drawn up and left with the prefect of police.

Dispatches from Athens say the government is much concerned about the liberal party manifestation which is being organized for Sunday and threatens to hold counter demonstrations of supporters of the king.

ALLIES TO DEMAND MORE GUARANTEES FROM GREEKS

Athens, Greece, (via Paris) Aug. 26.—The present political and military situation says the Paris has resulted in an exchange of views among the entente powers regarding the attitude to be taken toward Greece. It is questioned by entente diplomats, the newspaper states, whether the measures agreed to by Greece in response to the demands of the allies, including demobilization of the army and the government offering guarantees for benevolent neutrality are now sufficient in view of the new situation.

STIR PORTUGUESE PATRIOTISM. BATALHA, PORTUGAL, AUG. 25 (VIA PARIS, AUG. 26)

—The first meeting was held here today in a campaign for the purpose of stirring the interest and patriotism of the Portuguese people and explaining the reasons for the nation's intervention in the war. Among the speakers were Premier Almeida and other members of the cabinet. The meeting aroused great enthusiasm.

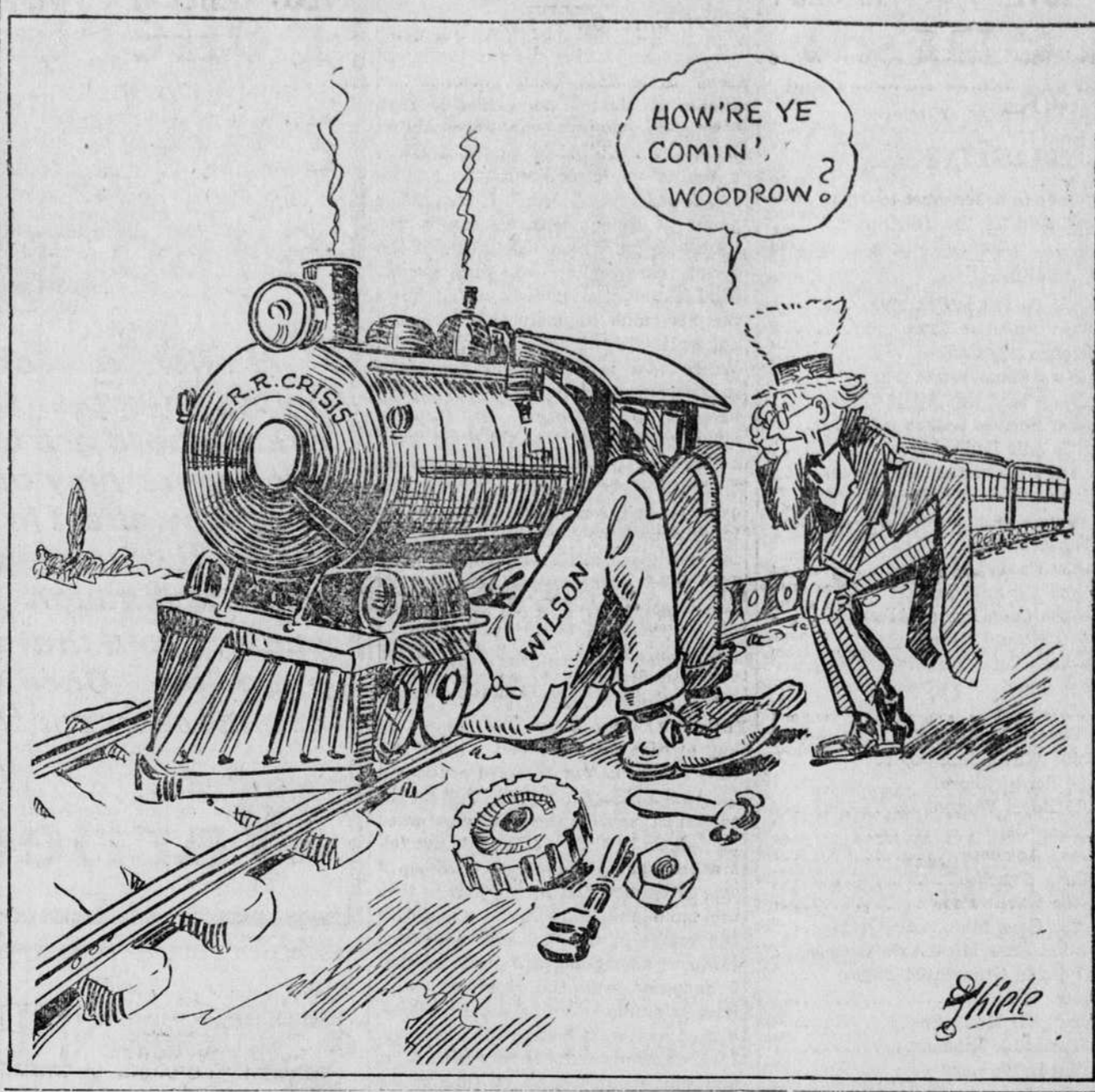
NEW ATTACK FAILS.

Berlin, Aug. 26, (by wireless to Sayville).—The Italian attack recently inaugurated in the Dolomites on the northern part of the front has failed and the fighting is dying down, the official Austrian announcement of yesterday says. The statement also reports skirmishing along the Vojusa, Albania, north of Iona.

CLASH NEAR SUEZ.

Constantinople, Aug. 26, (via London).—British and Turkish reconnoitering parties have clashed at a point less than 20 miles east of the Suez canal in the coast region, the British detachments being forced to flee, according to today's announcement by the war office.

A JOB FOR A MASTER MECHANIC



BATTLE RAGES ON HUNGARIAN FRONT

Petrograd Claims Further Gains In Carpathian Foothills—Partially Repulsed, Vienna Says.

Petrograd, (via London), Aug. 28.—In the foothills of the Carpathians in Galicia, the Russians have pressed back the Austrians and made considerable advances, occupying a village, it was announced today. "In the Carpathians west of Nadvorna," the statement says, "our advanced guards having dispersed the enemy, occupied the village of Guta and reached the sources of the rivers Bystritza and Bystritza-Nadvorna, in the region of Rafalov."

MAN WHO SANK LINER HONORED BY KAISER?

Captain Valentiner Who Torpedoed Lusitania, Said to Have Received Personal Gift.

London, Aug. 28.—The Stifts-Tidende, of Ribe, Denmark, is quoted in a Reuter dispatch from Copenhagen, as saying the commander of the submarine which sank the Lusitania was Capt. Max Valentiner, son of the dean of Sondersborg cathedral. Captain Valentiner, this newspaper says, has been decorated with a number of orders since the sinking of the liner, including the Iron Cross of the first class and the Hohenzollern house order with swords, a special distinction which is the personal gift of the German emperor.

WOMAN CLAIMS OFFICER SHE SHOT WRONGED HER

Macon, Ga., Aug. 26.—Accompanied by a military escort the body of Capt. Edgar J. Sprattling, F company, Fifth regiment of National guard of Georgia, who was shot and killed in the state mobilization camp here yesterday by Mrs. Adams, of Atlanta, was taken today to the Sprattling home in Atlanta.

MOB LYNCHES NEGRO.

Shreveport, La., Aug. 26.—Jesse Hammet, a negro in jail at Vivian, 20 miles north of here, accused of attempting an assault upon a white woman, was lynched by a mob there today.

SPANISH REFORMIST PARTY FOR ENTENTE

Convention Approves Portugal's Action and Will Seek Favor of Allied Powers.

Paris, Aug. 28.—The national convention of the Spanish reformist party, says a Havas dispatch from Oviedo has decided to send a commission headed by Melquiades Alvarez, the reformist leader, to Lisbon to express the party's approval of Portugal's intervention in the war.

BORDEN EXPLORERS WRECKED ON ROCK

Schooner Lost, But Entire Company and Crew Reach an Island In Bering Sea—Rescued.

On Board United States Coast Guard Cutter McCulloch, Bering Sea, Aug. 28.—(via wireless to Seattle).—The power schooner Great Bear, carrying the Arctic expedition headed by John Borden, of Chicago, and Captain Louis Lane, of Seattle, was wrecked on a pinnacle rock in Bering sea, August 10. The vessel was a total loss, but the entire party landed safely on St. Matthews island, where they were found yesterday by the McCulloch.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE IN ACTIVE CAMPAIGN

Many "Stool Pigeons" Sent Out to Gather Evidence Against Boozepeddlers.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 26.—Following seizure yesterday of five carloads of booze, comprising 3,854 quarts of beer, 1,250 pints of whisky, and eight kegs of beer, W. C. Barber, superintendent of the Iowa Anti-Saloon league, declared today that he has planned the most extensive campaign against booze since Iowa went "dry."

HUGHES IS WELCOMED TO COLORADO TODAY

Greeley, Colo., Aug. 26.—Charles E. Hughes, republican nominee for president, was formally welcomed to Colorado here today by a committee of republicans headed by Dr. Hubert Work, of Pueblo, national committeeman. "Conferees with party leaders were followed by a public reception at 9 o'clock, after which Mr. Hughes delivered a brief speech in the city park.

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NAVY NOT AN ISSUE IN CAMPAIGN, CLAIM

New York Herald Says Dewey Statement Should Squelch Politician-Critics.

New York, Aug. 28.—The New York Herald, a strong Hughes organ, today publishes an interview with Admiral Dewey, in which the veteran naval commander reiterates his defense of the navy bill just passed and predicts that America is destined to rule the seas. The admiral also praises the administration of Secretary Daniels. "I stand emphatically and unqualifiedly behind everything that I have said in my recent addresses to the American people on this subject of the navy," is the way Admiral Dewey expressed himself to the Herald interviewer.

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TYPICAL AMERICAN DANCE IS THRILLER

Masters Working on It But Are Not Yet Ready to Give Details.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—A new thrill is in store for American dancers within a few days, Carl Christensen, an officer of the American National Association of Dancing Masters, now in convention announced. It is an entirely new dance distinguishing American and different from the fox trot, tango, waltz, or any other present dance. Christensen says. The association experts are working on it to place it before the country as the American dance.

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