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CONSTANTINE AND CONSTANTINOPLE

The revolt of the Greek army and navy, which has forced King Constantine to abdicate without reservation, is, first of all, a natural reaction against the ruler whom the Greeks hold responsible for their disastrous military campaign against the Turks. Had this campaign succeeded, Constantine would have been able to hold his throne indefinitely, despite his many unpopular acts since his return to Athens.

Secondarily, the Greek revolutionists are mindful that Constantine was invested back against the wishes of the allies and only through the political overthrow of Premier Venizelos. The anti-rally policy having failed they are ready to become, once more, pro-ally.

The overthrow of Constantine presumably signalizes the abandonment by Greece of its aspirations in Asia Minor, and this, in turn, should remove a principal obstacle to peace. Amicable settlement of the trouble in Asia Minor should be easier as a result of events at Athens.

The situation is, nevertheless, fraught with danger. The Turks under Mustapha Kemal are entrenching on the border of the neutral zone, and it is expected in Constantinople that the clash will occur very soon.

What is implied, moreover, in the announcement, as just this moment, that American life insurance companies are canceling their policies in all European countries except Great Britain?

THE POSTAL SERVICE

Hon. Charles Murphy, Postmaster General of Canada in the Liberal cabinet, is to be commended for the efforts he is putting forth to improve the postal service of the country. Undoubtedly there is plenty of room for improvement, and it is believed that by the application of ordinary business methods a big saving will be made to the country. As a step in rehabilitating the service Mr. Murphy has summoned a conference of the leading postal officials to be held at Ottawa. The object of this conference as set forth in a circular is to "facilitate and interchange of ideas for the improvement of the service and to increase its efficiency." The conference will meet in the course of a few days and will undoubtedly have beneficial results.

The postal department was badly handled by the late government. The cost of administration went up steadily, and in order to provide additional revenue it was found necessary to increase the rate of domestic postage on letters from two to three cents and double the rate on postal cards. Notwithstanding the increased postage rate the department is not yet self sustaining, and it is to be urgently hoped that the reforms which Mr. Murphy is inaugurating will be the means of hastening the day when the rate of postage can be restored to what it was when the Liberals went out of office in 1911.

RETURN TO BARTER

It is the same way with money as with other things. Too much is as bad as too little. Germany is finding out with unpleasant force, and the former foes of Germany are getting their share of the lesson in having to wait for German currency to reach some semblance of stability.

So worthless has the paper money of the fatherland become that private concerns like the Krupp industries have been allowed to print notes of their own, in the hope that employees receiving these in their pay envelope (or basket, or whatever it is they use) may feel they are getting something of real value.

Also, we learn, the Germans are taking to barter. Goods are still goods whatever may be the low estate of money. And the exchanging of one kind of goods for another is a perfectly valid and satisfactory transaction, provided the two parties to it each get something they can use.

German schools are demanding the payment of tuition in rye. German physicians are asking fees in provisions. About the only persons in our own country who understand what that means are the country editors and ministers, each of whom is obliged to accept, in lieu of cash, an occasional barrel of potatoes or a lot of butter. Money is handier than

barter, but barter is always a possibility when money fails.

We take it from Secretary Hughes' remarks that, if the European powers keep the Dardanelles open for American goods to pass through, the United States will acquiesce quietly in the arrangements. Sitting solid and taking advantage of other people's troubles is about the best and noblest thing she does nowadays.

It begins to be clear that the passing of the flapper involves many serious readjustments. 'Petting parties,' for example, are now 'moodling parties.' A whole new school of novelists might rise out of this single development.

The said thing as the flapper sees it is that when the Senegalese closed Carpentier's eyes and broke his nose he also fractured his smile.

We gather from the newspaper pictures that Sir Harry Lauder is among those opposed to the return of long skirts.

We learn from Atlantic City that fall fashions show a lack of vividness in color; but Jack Frost hasn't heard the news.

"Are you run down?" asks an advertiser. Not yet, though we have prospects whenever we cross the street.

Colored movies are promised for the near future. Still, they have always been colorful.

Sir Harry at least reversed precedent. He hadna been an hour in New York when bang, came ninepence!

Parties to the conference realize that the Near East may make a neighbor for many.

A panic-stricken population is what they ain't got nothin' else but in any Near East town.

It's the sequel of an ultimatum that is chiefly interesting.

And the weather will change just as soon as you change 'em.

Through Our Sieve

A heavy truck never looks much put out when hit by a flivver.

There would be little demand for shorter hours if work could be called a game.

Somewhere between the husks and the fat of the land the digestible stuff can be found.

To be counted a conspicuous failure try to swim the English channel.

Tears kill germs but nobody cries with the purpose in view.

When a man is unable to run across any of his friends on Saturday night he decides that nobody is down town.

"More people will be honest," remarked the Man on the Car, "when there is no longer any money in dishonesty."

Many a woman who thought she was a good picker when she selected her husband twenty years ago has changed her mind since men's knickerbockers have become so common.

Although Burbank says it is as easy to improve humans as to improve plants no one will ever have a chance to prove it for it would be difficult to find any human to confess that he can be improved.

When a woman comes home lugging a five dollar prize she won at bridge whist and finds that her husband has just made a dollar and a quarter betting on the ball game she can't help crying to think there's a gambler in the family.

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Personal Mention

Mr. Paul Barry son of Judge Barry leaves Monday for Halifax where he will take a course at Dalhousie University.

Mrs. Theo Barker entertained yesterday at a tea at her residence on George street.

Moncton Transcript: Mrs. Harry G. Hoben of Fredericton is visiting her sister Mrs. Harry E. Lodge, Bonaccord street.

Newcastle Leader: Mrs. Alfred Davidson and little daughter Freda of Fredericton visited Mrs. Margaret Hughes of Nelson this week.

Campbellton Graphic: Miss Marion Gibson of Carquet, Mr. E. M. Blackmer and Mr. A. A. McFarlane Brown of Fredericton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shephard.

Campbellton Graphic: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shields of Devon are the guests of Mrs. Annie Ward.

Campbellton Graphic: Miss Isabel McTaggart of Fredericton was the guest of Miss Muriel Adams this week.

Mr. A. R. Hanson of Moncton is in the city.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

1—Have all flues and chimneys properly cleaned before attempting to use them.

2—Look very carefully at the chimney or flue, at the point just above the peak of the roof where the chimney goes through, as the lower part may have settled and the upper portion, being held up by the roof timbers, may have pulled away, leaving an open space or break in the chimney that will permit sparks slipping through into the attic or concealed space.

3—Be sure that all flue holes that are not to be used this year have good metal stops, as innumerable fires are caused by sparks through papering over unused pipe holes in chimneys.

4—Clean the ventilating collars around all flues, removing all lint, cobwebs and dust, leaving nothing in the ventilator in this way permitting the air to cool the pipe where it goes through.

5—Be careful that the supply of kindling wood is not piled up in the yard in such a manner as to carry fire to your house, in case your neighbor's house should burn.

6—It is best to keep all lightwood, kindlings and boxes in sheds, stables or basements, in orderly piles, and not to have papers or excelsior mixed with it.

7—Extra caution should be used in the handling of gasoline. In the winter months all windows and doors are closed, eliminating the possibility of the air blowing the inflammable vapours away.

8—Never use gasoline inside the house for cleaning, and when compelled to use it for any other purpose do not forget that you are handling a powerful explosive which may endanger your life and property.

9—Remove all dry grass and leaves from your premises before some one carelessly throws a match away.

10—Do not dry clothing and inflammable materials above or near hot stoves.

If you will obey the above commandments you can prevent many fires and much loss of life and property.

TRY IT! IT IS WORTH WHILE

WANTED—Want to hear from owner having farm for sale; give particulars and lowest price. John J. Black, Canada Street, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin.

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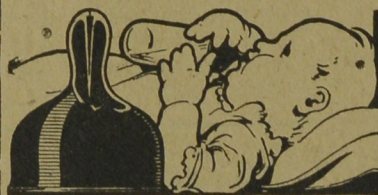
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