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BULGARIANS AND TURKS ARE GETTING IT NOW

Heaviest Fighting is Now Going on in Palestine and Macedonia---Great Interest Being Taken in General Allenby's Operations in Palestine---Thousands of Turks Have Been Captured

New York, Sept. 22—The Associated Press tonight issued the following: With the violence of the operations on the western front in France considerably diminished in intensity, the Turks in Palestine and the Bulgarians and their allies in Macedonia are being put to the test. But nowhere thus far have they been able to hold back or even to counteract, the onslaughts of their foes.

In Palestine the Turks seemingly are in the process of being crushed; in Macedonia the Entente forces are driving sharp wedges for considerable distances in the enemy fronts.

In France and Flanders where there has been any fighting rising in importance above patrol encounters, the British, French and American troops have kept the upper hand and advanced their respective lines.

Of transcendent interest, for the moment at least, are the operations of the British General Allenby's forces in Palestine. Here in less than four days the British have swept forward in the center between the River Jordan and the sea and taken the famous city of Nazareth, while the wings closed around in a swift enveloping movement and nipped within the maw of the great pincer all the Ottoman forces in the coastal sector, the Plain of Sharon, the hill region in the center and along the western Jordan valley. Meanwhile to the northeast the friendly Arab forces of the king of Hedjas have cut all railway communication in front of the Turks and are standing a barrier to their escape by way of the eastern plains. More than 18,000 Turks had been made prisoner by the British and guns in excess of 120 had been counted when the last reports from General Allenby were received. In addition great quantities of war stores had been captured and still others had not been counted owing to the rapidity of the movement.

May Catch Many More Turks

It is not improbable that with the bag, the strings of which have been drawn taut, thousands of Turks are enmeshed. Many of those already made prisoner, fleeing in disorder, literally walked into the hands of the British, not knowing their line of retreat had been cut off.

Although the Turks at some points offered resistance to the British, at no point were they able to stay the advance, even on the famous Field of Armageddon, which the British cavalry swept across and occupied Nazareth to the north. In the operation of sewing the enemy within the sack, airmen played an important role, vigorously bombing the retreating Turks inflicting enormous casualties on them. The losses of General Allenby are described as slight, in comparison with the importance of the movement carried out.

Italians Join Offensive

In Macedonia the Italians have joined the fray with the British.

"PAL O'MINE"

The Opening Play Of The Klark-Urban Company.

In England and France the Governments are sponsoring a movement to back up the theatre in a campaign of happiness; while in this country the people do it themselves. Those with friends and relatives in the great war go to the theatre for diversion but they are sure of the class of entertainment they pick. That is one reason why "Pal O'Mine" the play the Klark-Urban Company will present at The Opera House, Thursday, September 26 is such a great success; because it carries a message of happiness and good cheer, because there is one laugh crowded upon another, and because through it all there runs a beautiful love story and a heart interest that holds a strong appeal to every class of theatre goer. "Pal O'Mine" is just a message of bright thoughts. It was written with one idea, to bring the greatest amount of sunshine into the lives of the people who see it. The Klark Urban Company will be at The Opera House for three nights only commencing Thursday, September 26, presenting a new play at each performance, with vaudeville between the acts. Prices 25, 35, and 50 cents. Seats on sale at Ryan's Drug Store.

French, Serbians and Greeks and are hard after the Bulgarians and their allies who are being driven northward through southern Serbia. Between the Cerna and Vardar rivers, although the Bulgarians and Germans are sending up reinforcements the Allied troops have continued their pressure. The Serbians west of the Vardar river have crossed the Prilepe-Ishtib road at Kavardar, which constitutes an advance of more than twenty-five miles into their once-held territory.

To the east of Monastir the Italians have begun operations in the famous Cerna Bend and have taken several positions while between the Verna and the Vardar the French have met with successes.

On the French front the British north of the Scarpe river advanced their line on a two mile front, while east of Epehy, lying between Cambrai and St. Quentin and at several other points on this sector in strong fighting they captured German positions. On that part of the front held by the French there was little activity.

In the Lorraine the Americans have carried out two successful raids against the Germans and prisoners were taken. In addition some casualties were inflicted on the enemy. Several guns were also captured.

SOCIETY LADIES RUN FOOD SHOP IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Sept. 22—"The service," severely remarked the typist who tries out all the new eating places in the loop, "is better across the street."

The co-worker and neighbor of Lolita Armour looked down at her blue denim apron and blushed.

"We're just new," she smiled apologetically. Miss Lolita Armour's "Food for France" shop, on East Adams street, opened yesterday. All the "horrid technicalities" that prevented opening before have been arranged by the state council of defence. And the workers—all volunteer except a scrub woman—commenced their jobs yesterday.

Among the plain-capped waitresses were Mrs. Philip Wrigley, Margaret Thompson and Dorothy Rouse. Mrs. Ambrose Cramer was in charge. As Miss Armour was unexpectedly called out of town, Mrs. Cramer was assisted by Mr. Joe M. Harris and Mrs. Milton Kaufman. Among the day chairmen are Mrs. Mort Singer, Margaret Pirie and Mrs. William Chalmers.

Inexperienced at "waiting on table" the new workers were plainly new at knowing the amount of work that was expected of them. Not yet unionized, they did what is professionally known as "side work." In the best debutante backhand, they wrote the menus on someone's thick white correspondence cards. This job had to be done twice, for someone had spelled potato with a final "e."

Besides the discriminating typist, J. Ogden Armour, Antoine Barthelemy, French consul, Robt. Dunham, Joe M. Harris and other well known Chicagoans partook of a 65 cent cold meat table d'hote there today.

"Isn't it all cheap and nice?" asked one of the waitresses of a man diner. He transferred an eye from the menu price to the bank marked "tips" that hung from a Sam Brown belt at the waitresses' waist and then to the large basket marked "donations" on the cigar stand.

With judicious honesty he answered "Well, it's not the original cost—"

Rev. R. W. Weddall's Jubilee
An interesting service took place in the Central Methodist Church, Moncton, on Tuesday evening last, by direction of the Conference of the Methodist Church in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. An address accompanied by a gold-headed ebony cane was presented to the Rev. Dr. Richard Watson Weddall, of Shediac on the attainment of his jubilee in the ministry of the Methodist Church. Rev. Mr. Weddall was pastor of the Fredericton Methodist Church some years ago. Mr. J. J. Weddall is a brother.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Fred W. Nesbitt of St. John was at the Queen yesterday.

Mr. J. N. Scott of Montreal is at the Barker House.

Mr. H. L. Dolan of St. John is at the Barker.

J. P. Gallagher of St. John is in the city today.

Mr. E. B. Seely of St. John is in the city.

Mr. D. D'Arcy Bogue of Montreal is at the Barker.

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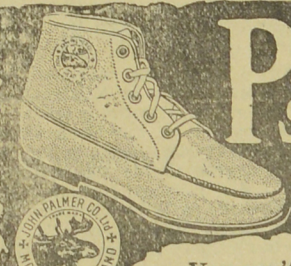
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Mr. Rupert Emerson of St. John is in the city.