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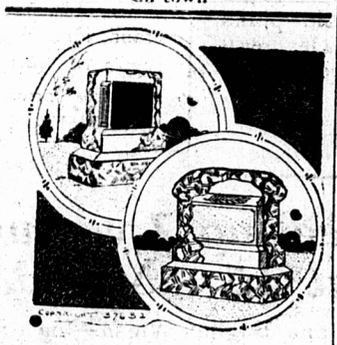

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Walks o'er the earth with silent thread;
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And we then call them "dead."

He leaves our hearts all desolate,
He plucks our fairest, sweetest flowers;
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Or heart too pure for taint and vice,
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To dwell in Paradise.

And ever near us, though unseen,
The dear immortal spirits tread;
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Is life—there are no dead.

Lord Lytton.

WAR WITH ITALY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 13—(Special)—At present all the efforts of the Turkish Government are concentrated upon the war with Italy, and hopes are entertained that a definite turn may be given to this wearisome struggle by impending events. "If we could but meet our foe in the field!" exclaimed the Minister of War when asked whether he is quite prepared to receive the Italians in Smyrna. "Let them come!" he said. "I have no apprehension about the results."

There is, naturally, excitement and joy at the news that Smyrna is about to be attacked by the Italians, who will bombard the old fortress, land troops, and wage war generally. The Ottoman Government has made great haste with the requisite precautionary measures, appointed Abdullah Pasha to be commander of the troop, and at present five thousand men are being daily drafted to Smyrna from various parts of European Turkey and Anatolia. Already 65,000 men are distributed over the district to be defended; twice that number can be brought up within a fortnight or three weeks, if necessary. Old hulks are in position to be sunk at the entrance of the harbor. The green heights along the coast are occupied by soldiers working hard day and night putting heavy artillery in position, where it is not likely to be noticed by the enemy. Lighters have beenchartered by the authorities; gunboats and other little war-craft are being used as transports. And by the time the Italians make their appearance the Turks will have completed their defence.

Meanwhile anywhere in the interior the joints and girders of the political fabric appear to be cracking and giving way, and the Government does not know what to turn its hands to first. The rising in the Yemen, under Seid Idris, which has been going on ever since the war broke out, and, indeed, before that time, is not regarded as critical—not, at least, in its present phase. The Albanian insurrection, which is being organized by Ismael Kemal Bey and Castrioti, has a much uglier aspect. The resolute, go-ahead members of the Cabinet, who have no taste for complex problems and would much rather cut a knot than "waste time" unravelling it, were for dispatching another punitive expedition to the disaffection country and "wiping out" the rebels. It was the old plan, which had been tried several times and failed lamentably.

This is where the Minister of the Interior, Hadji Adil Bey, gave proof of his sound common sense. "Let us approach the problem from a different side," he said. "Suppose we tried to conciliate, instead of exterminating, the Albanians, we might make some headway. I am ready to apply my own prescription. I will go, and, by way of proving our good faith, I will take a British representative Robert Graves and a French officer M. Foulon with me. I want the world to see Turkey's hand and to know that she is now playing fair." The Cabinet assented. For the peril emanating from Albania is real. Behind the Albanians, as behind the Arabs of Yemen, stands Italy, distributing arms, ammunition, money and programs. All Albania is not, of course, with the Italians, but a large percentage of the rebels is. And what they want is no longer this or that reform, but a large measure of autonomy under an international guarantee, whereby all religions would be proclaimed equal and the one national language would be Albanian, written with Latin letters. Such a change would spell ruin to Turkey. This is the spectre which the energetic Minister was determined to lay.

Hadji Adil Bey accordingly set out for the country, saw and talked with the representative Albanians as man to man, reasoned with them, set forth all the evils they are bringing on themselves by making common cause with the enemy, and undertook to remedy all their real grievances, if they on their side would promise to be satisfied with that and to keep the peace in future. His journey was interesting, being spiced with danger. The attempt on his life, however, was frustrated, and he returned home amply satisfied with his impressions. When asked whether he considers the Albanian ferment a negligible phenomenon, he said: "By no means. There is a good deal of discontent there, some of which is well founded and some imaginary. When the former is removed in the right way, the latter will, I think, disappear with it. There is a right and a wrong way of dealing with the Albanians, and I am convinced that if we persist in the right way, which we have already begun, all will be well. Of course that will take time."

Of all the nationalities in the Ottoman Empire none are more dangerous to the Turkish race than the Bulgarians and the Greeks. They remind one of those tiny animalcules that have a taste for iron, which they slowly eat away. And they have allies outside. That the Bulgarians Tzardom will not rest satisfied until it has incorporated a large part of Macedonia in its own territory is self-evident. But alone against Turkey, Bulgaria can accomplish nothing. Not only are the Turks able to worst them, but the Roumanians would spring up as allies and help to inflict a crushing defeat upon King Ferdinand's army. That is why Ferdinand has turned over a new leaf. He has abandoned Russia and done homage to Austria.

Nay, he has gone further. There seems little doubt that as a recompense for services which he expects from the Hadsburg Monarchy in the future, he is now bringing Servia, recalcitrant Servia, to Austria's feet. A Serbo-Bulgarian entente has been concluded under the wing of the Austrian eagle, and there is every likelihood that it will soon play an important part in the politics of the Near East.

JULY KEITH'S.

Keith's Magazine, published by Max L. Keith, Minneapolis, Minn., for July is to hand and is a bright and charming summer number. Among the many subjects touched upon are Hints for the use of flower-beds. The fireplace and its fittings, a group of Florida bungalows, Improvised furniture, Simple but artistic homes, The best roses for home grounds, Construction of the home, designs for the home builder. Decorations and furnishing, Answers on interior decorations, Household economics, Table chat, Cement, Painting and Finishing the home and many other interesting topics.

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