

# CONSTANTINE STILL WAITING FOR NEWS

Has Decided Not to Engage Special Train Till He Hears Official Returns.

Lucerne, Dec. 9.—The expected official telegram from Premier Rallis of Greece, to former King Constantine, informing Constantine that he has been chosen in the plebiscite of last Sunday, to return to the Greek throne, had not been received here this evening, but Prof. Georgios Stitt, spokesman for Constantine, said there was no anxiety over this situation. He added that Constantine's departure for Athens probably would be deferred proportionately to the delay in receiving the official announcement of the result of the plebiscite.

Constantine today decided not to order a special train for his journey until he has learned the official returns from Premier Rallis. The Swiss government requires five days' notice, so it is considered now that the departure of Constantine will not take place until Tuesday or Wednesday of next week. It is felt that the supposition of Greeks against making any move on Tuesday will be waived if word comes tonight calling for Constantine's return.

Former Queen Sophie, wife of Constantine, and a sister of former Emperor William of Germany, and other members of the Greek royal household are beginning to feel the strain on account of their strong desire to have a home, after having lived for three years in hotels after their exile. Constantine, while extremely impatient to get started homeward, manages to carry a look of unconcern, and throughout these inclement days, reading, writing or playing solitaire, but at the same time informing himself as to public affairs so that he will be able again to take up the duties he relinquished when the allies requested him to leave Athens.

Every day sees more Greeks from Athens and other parts of Europe gathering at Lucerne. The Greek colony here has increased threefold since the recent election in Greece. Constantine, Dec. 9.—All of unredeemed Hellenism is united in strong opposition against the restoration of King Constantine to the throne of Greece, according to a petition handed to the Greek Patriarch. The petition contains the names of 500 orthodox bodies, which demand that the Patriarch pronounce anathema against Constantine should he persist in his intention to return to Greece.

As soon as the result of the Greek plebiscite became known, the Greek high commissioner resigned, and the Greek court refused to administer justice in the name of Constantine. Likewise a majority of the members of the senate of the kingdom and consulate resigned.

# SOVIET WILL SEIZE CAPITAL INVESTED

Foreign Concessions Valueless in Case of War Against Bourgeoisie, Says Lenin.

Copenhagen, Dec. 9.—A despatch to The Politiken from Riga today quotes Nikolai Lenin, the Russian Soviet premier, as declaring in reply to attacks on the Soviet government because of its concessions to foreign capitalists, that in the event of war against the bourgeoisie all the capital invested in these concessions would be taken by the Soviet government. If the concessions interfered with the development of Soviet Russia, Lenin is reported as adding, the extraordinary commission for fighting counter-revolution would take action. Two investment proposals were under consideration, according to the despatch, the first the Kamchatka concession, to be given to United States citizens (the reported Washington D. Vanderlip concession evidently is meant), and the second an investment in several million acres of forest lands.

# SAYS LAX MILK LAW CRIMINAL TO PUBLIC

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—E. H. Stonehouse, president of the Ontario Milk Producers' Association, and of the National Dairy Council of Canada, in the city. When interviewed regarding the dairy industry, Mr. Stonehouse stated that the greatest handicap to the industry at the present moment was inadequate organization for the purpose of distribution. This, he said, has got to be changed, for the failure of the government to make pasteurizing in the cities is nothing less than criminal. When asked if the conditions in Kingston fell within this category, he said that it was unfortunately so, and the people were exposed to epidemics of disease. All milk produced in the district should be handled at a central depot and pasteurized before being offered for consumption.

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# REDS WANT BRITAIN TO DISARM WRANGLER'S MEN

London, Dec. 9.—Leonid Krassin, the Russian Bolshevik minister of trade and commerce, has sent a note to Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain, and Count Sforza, the Italian foreign minister, protesting against the protection afforded the troops of General Baron Wrangel, the former anti-Bolshevik commander in South Russia, by the allies, according to The Daily Herald. Krassin declared the troops are being equipped and reformed on Turkish territory, which the allies now occupy.

# ARE READY TO HAND SHANTUNG TO CHINA

But China Refuses to Negotiate, is Complaint of Japanese Ambassador.

Geneva, Dec. 9.—Baron Hayashi, the Japanese ambassador to Great Britain, and head of the Japanese delegation to the league assembly, informed the correspondents this evening that Japan was getting ready to hand back the province of Shantung to China, but was unable to get China to open negotiations. He added that the only condition Japan makes is that Kiao-Chau shall remain open to foreign trade.

"But how can it be arranged if China will not talk?" he asked. Baron Hayashi thought that China's refusal to negotiate was due to the fact that public opinion had been falsified by the military party. He declared himself as well impressed by the work of the league assembly. He had confidence in the league, but pointed out that the most interesting questions had not yet been taken up and would not come up until the United States and Germany were members of the league. Disarmament, he believed, will flourish only as a result of the assembly. If the question is brought up, disarmament is a general thought, he said, but some powers, including his own, are increasing their naval forces—of course, not with a view to aggression, but rather to promote peace.

# GUERRILLA TACTICS OF SINN FEINERS

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Cumming added that the training the soldiers had received was not suitable for such work and that the regiment would have to be constantly retrained. Opportunity Now Open.

Houghgreen, Lancashire, England, Dec. 9.—Arthur Henderson, who has just returned from Ireland, where he went on a trip of inspection with the labor commission, said in an address here tonight that if British statesmanship was not equal to the opportunity which he now was convinced was open a hopeless situation, as far as Ireland was concerned, was bound to arise. It was impossible for him, he said, to exaggerate the deplorable conditions prevailing there.

"Coercion is applied with such indiscriminate violence," Mr. Henderson declared, "that the people are terror-stricken. The unhappy inhabitants are reminded day and night that their country is under the heel of a ruthless military occupation."

It is actually true to say that life was safer in England during the German occupation, than it is now in Cork, Dublin and Londonderry. No man is safe; even women and children run the risks of being shot while in the streets. The economic life of the country is coming to a standstill."

The labor leader asserted that he had information from persons of their having been robbed by servants of the crown who had stopped them. Looting and arson were commonplace. All this, said Mr. Henderson, could not be dissociated from the government's policy, which was reactionary in its conception, brutal in its application and destructive in its consequences. He was not saying that the outrages were on one side, but the reprisals had struck a blow, perhaps mortal, at law and order. He could only hope and pray that nothing would happen among the unemployed this winter to give the members of the cabinet an excuse for applying the same methods at home.

Possibility of Peace.

"But," he added, "there is a gleam of light in the darkness. My visit to Ireland has convinced me that there is a possibility of making peace with the Irish people."

# TWENTY MILLIONS ACTUALLY STARVING

People in Some Chinese Districts Are Living on Weeds and Leaves.

New York, Dec. 9.—The Chinese famine, for the relief of which President Wilson today announced the appointment of a nation-wide committee, affects five provinces, according to a cable message from Admiral Tsai Ting-Kan, general of the Chinese Red Cross, made public here today. They are: Chihli, Shantung, Honan, Shanai and Shensi, in Northern China.

The total population of the affected districts is estimated at 37,000,000 persons, of whom between 45,000,000 and 50,000,000 are in want. Of these, 20,000,000, the Chinese Red Cross official reported, actually are starving or dying of hunger and cold.

The famine followed a year of very complete drought after three or four years of gradually falling crops. In 1919, the crops this year did not run more than one per cent. of normal, failing to return the seed planted. In a few districts they were about one-third normal.

Admiral Tsai Ting-Kan reported that all of the people of some districts are living on weeds and leaves. Entire families have taken their own lives, while parents are selling and drowning their children. Thousands of sufferers are reported wandering about the country in search of food. In some sections the roads are strewn with the bodies of refugees who have become so numerous that armed guards have been stationed along the borders to turn back the wanderers, as the supply of food is barely sufficient for the inhabitants.

# DISCUSS WAYS TO BANISH OLD AGE

Osteopaths' Convention Hears Plans for Wonderful Cures.

Brantford, Ont., Dec. 9.—Osteopaths of eastern Ontario were here this afternoon. An address by Dr. H. S. Dettmer of London on endocrinology is said to have shed light on the sensational and wonderful cures and even possible abolition of old age, which is claimed by the use of endocrine glands.

Dr. Suttie of Brantford spoke on "Old Age and Nervous Phenomena." In some respects only another phase of the same problem, as both aim to solve the problem of youth. Another address of great interest will be that of Dr. H. S. Dettmer, on local infections of mouth, nose, ear and abdomen.

# KITCHENER SAVES BY FIREMEN'S ACTION

Release City From Holiday Promise—In Turn Receive Bonuses.

Kitchener, Dec. 9.—(Special.)—An announcement was made here today that the fire department will be opened Monday by the Waterloo County Health Association, and under the direction of Dr. Proctor, physician in chief. The institution can accommodate forty patients and will be open to the public. The hospital will be formally opened in January with fitting ceremony.

# TO REDUCE PROFANITY IN CAFES OF WINDSOR

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 9.—Windsor Police Commissioner and the police board of the city had a conference this afternoon to discuss the complaint of citizens, at which the police board pledged their best efforts to reduce profanity and other offensive talk and conduct barred from their establishments.

# MOTORIST IS DROWNED WHEN CAR GOES IN RIVER

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 9.—Gustave Carlson, aged 37 years, of St. Clair avenue, Detroit, was drowned in the River at Windsor, Ont. late last night, when his car crashed into the railing of a bridge over which he was passing.

# SAYS BUILDING PRICES ON UP-GRADE AGAIN

Hamilton, Dec. 9.—Referring to the prices of some tenders received by the city for the new bridge, George T. Evans, architect, said that building prices were going up again rather than down, and that this was a reason for the city officials looking for a decrease, but it is not coming, the architect said.

# SIX MONTHS IN JAIL FOR WHISKEY RUNNER

Guelph, Ont., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Six months in the Ontario Reformatory at Burwash was the sentence handed out by Magistrate Watt to Frank Jenkins, a whiskey runner, at the police court this morning, and but for the strong plea advanced by his counsel, Mr. W. B. M. Shorpy, of Toronto, he might have received just twice that time. He was also fined \$5 on a second charge. His companion, John Hall, proved to the satisfaction of the court that he was not a part owner of the liquor which was found in the car, and he was discharged.

These two men were captured here nearly two weeks ago, when they were passing thru the city in an auto. In the car was found \$19 bottle of whiskey. The car was an American one and had stolen Canadian license markers on it. It was a week over-due at the border and is now in the hands of the customs authorities.

# THREE PEOPLE HURT IN QUEBEC BLAZE

Man Injured and Burnt While Entering Flaming Rooms to Rescue Child.

Quebec, Dec. 9.—(By Canadian Press.)—Three persons were injured, several others had narrow escapes, while property damage to the extent of \$50,000 was caused here this afternoon in a fire which broke out in the Lofis Deschamps shoe store, 58 St. John street, and communicated with the stores of A. O. Beaudou, book seller, and Miss M. Brownrigg, milliner, badly damaging all three stores. The most seriously injured was Michael Monaghan, an insurance agent, who was having a business interview with M. Deschamps when the fire broke out. Mr. Monaghan reached the yard in the rear in safety, but returned to rescue a child that had remained in the building.

He was trapped by the flames, but fought his way out, and, smashing a window, leapt to the yard. When picked up he was found to be suffering from severe burns to the face, hands and legs, while one shoulder was dislocated and one arm was fractured. Later the child was rescued.

# ORDERING LIQUOR FOR OTHER PEOPLE

Police Are Told Citizens Wrongly Informed of Barrels in Waiting.

Hamilton, Dec. 9.—Someone who is either engaged in the liquor business or has a thirst which is not easily satisfied, is causing a good deal of trouble to local residents by ordering liquor shipments in their names. The matter has been reported to the police.

Several residents have received notifications recently that liquor was being ordered in their names, and when they form the officials that they were the suppliers they were informed that it had been taken away.

# FORMER GERMAN EMPRESS HAS NOW RECOVERED

Berlin, Dec. 9.—The Rev. Dr. von Dryander, the private minister to the former German empress, arrived here today from Dorn and in an interview with the Lokal Anzeiger said Augusta, Victoria seemed to have recovered, and that she might be expected to be able to share in the Christmas ceremonies in the home in Holland of the former German empress.

Dr. Dryander said the former empress always was conscious during her illness, and usually sat in an arm chair. From which she bore her mental and physical sufferings with Christian devotion, said the minister. Formerly his wife and his affection was touching, he refusing to leave her nursed. The pastor denounced reports of the one-time empress having suffered a nervous collapse. On the contrary, he said, his mental activity was extraordinary. He reads incessantly scientific literature, the newspapers and periodicals.

# LOSSES IN ACTION AGAINST TAXI FIRM

Hamilton, Dec. 9.—Douglas Chilmann's experience in county court this afternoon before Judge Snider was anything but successful. Not only did he lose his claim of \$500 as damages against the Hamilton Taxi and Garage Company, but \$100 as damages from Chilmann. The action was last July at the corner of King and Hughson streets. Plaintiff claimed the defendant company was negligent, but the company held the plaintiff liable, but the court entered judgment for the taxi firm. The jury decided that the taxi firm was negligent, and the jury decided that the taxi firm was negligent, and the jury decided that the taxi firm was negligent.

# AIM TO CANADIANIZE FOREIGN-BORN IN CANADA

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# IMPORTED HORSES WINNERS AT GUELPH

Outside Clydesdales First at Winter Fair—Show Closes With Grand Parade.

Guelph, Dec. 9.—(Special.)—With the awarding of the championships and grand championships in the Clydesdale horse classes and the grand parade of the prize winning animals in the arena the Ontario Provincial Winter Fair came to a close at 10 o'clock tonight. It was fitting that on the closing night of this great show that there should be a large attendance, and the galleries were filled to overflowing and during the evening. The attendance this year has exceeded that of any year since 1914.

The closing hour of the fair resulted in a decided triumph for the imported Clydesdale horses. Both of the grand championships were awarded to them, although it took the four judges a considerable time to finally make a decision, and even then the crowd was pretty evenly divided.

The grand championship in the stallion class was awarded to "Aberdonian," a 3-year-old, exhibited by John A. Boag & Son of Queensville, while the grand champion mare was "Helen," exhibited by Graham Bros. of Clarendon. Both were outstanding types of Clydesdale horses, and as the ribbons were awarded they were loudly applauded. Both of the above mentioned horses took part of the championship in their respective classes.

Two Ws for Markham. The Clydesdale mare was "Hillcrest Queen," exhibited by Robt. Duff and Son of Markham. This mare also carries off the Guelph trophy, competed for annually at this fair for the grand champion stallion of Canadian bred, heavy draught, 2-year-olds and over.

# MOORE ASKS SQUARE DEAL FOR WORKERS

Way of Evolution Best, He Says, But Capital and Labor Need Common Ground.

Brantford, Ont., Dec. 9.—An appeal for co-operation on the part of all Canadians to meet the problems between capital and labor and to face the future by preparing for evolution rather than by antagonistic methods of eventually bringing on changes of a different character featured the address of Tom Moore, president of the Dominion Labor Union, at the Rotary Club and their guests, including a number of labor men, here today. Mr. Moore expressed the belief that there could be a common ground to meet and a common method for the solution of all difficulties in the industrial world.

Achievement of Ideals. Given this then would come change by evolution that otherwise would come by other means, for these changes were coming. Evolution would result in the achievement of these ideals which organized labor espoused. It was better that labor should welcome changes than force their coming by other means. He referred to the Versailles treaty as affecting labor as "Labor's Magna Carta," and with reference to unemployment, were apt to do things they otherwise would not do, and in conclusion appealed for a square deal for labor.

# Toronto Broker Must Pay Losses on Stock Shares

St. Catharines, Ont., Dec. 9.—In non-Ontario sittings of the supreme court Justice Hughes gave judgment against Frank S. Hughes, a broker, in favor of P. N. Hara of this city, for \$188. He sued Hughes for the amount of shares which the firm failed to sell at the time instructed.

# SAY MANY VETERANS WALK LONDON STREETS

London, Ont., Dec. 9.—Between 300 and 400 unemployed veterans are walking the streets of London because employers have failed to give them the preference in case of vacancies in the local branch of the G. V. F. C. W. Y. The secretary claims there are several instances of firms who have refused to take on older men, and cites the case of one soldier's wife who came to him today for enough money to buy a bottle of milk for her baby.

# LABOR SITUATION GOOD IN WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, Ont., Dec. 9.—(Special.)—Despite the reports from other cities of large numbers of men out of work, very few are out of employment here. Possibly 125 have been laid off in the local freighting and warehousing industry. The cause of employment elsewhere in the city. Some of the factories are running short of hours, but none have shut down. A sewer costing \$125,000 and pavements on which work continues, gives employment to many.

# HAMILTON

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# WOMEN ASSUME REINS IN TOWN OF OREGON

Yoncalla, Ore., Dec. 9.—Matriarchal government was in effect in Yoncalla yesterday, the women recently elected to all municipal offices, including that of mayor, having taken their places last night, when the men in council resigned in a body at the council meeting.

The women announced that they would start a clean-up of the town and make extensive improvements. At the regular city election, November 2, the women surprised the men by putting up a ticket consisting entirely of women. Prior to election day the men had assumed that they would hold no election, but the old officers continue. The men did not have time to rally their forces.

# BRANTFORD TEACHERS MUST AWAIT MORE PAY

Brantford, Dec. 9.—(Special.)—The request of Brantford public school teachers and principals for substantial increases in salary was laid over to the 1921 board of education at the last meeting of the trustees here tonight. Present conditions were not considered opportunity for salary increases. A petition at the rate for salary increases was referred to the committee.

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Parkin's home at 43 West Barton street, was broken into this afternoon, and a \$90 gold watch and a \$5 bill stolen.