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MEGANTIC WITH 2,000 CANADIANS ARRIVES AT HALIFAX BERLIN WORKMEN DECLARE GENERAL STRIKE IN GERMAN CAPITAL

GOVERNMENT COUP MAY UNIVERSITY UNIT INTERRUPT PEACE NEGOTIATIONS; LEAVING FRANCE POSSIBLE EFFECT ALARMS PARIS WITHIN

Berlin Newspapers Fear That Industrial Ruin May Follow in Nurses Start Their Journey Wake of Bavarians' Attempt To Seek Alliance With Russia and Hungary.

PEACE DELEGATES ALARMED.

Paris. April 9.—There is much apprehension in peace conference circles as to the effect the establishment of a soviet government at Munich may have on the conclusion of peace. As the Munich Government appears from press dispatches to be well established, the peace delegates are considering the eventual effect it will have on the final peace negotiations

Berlin, April 9.—The Zeitung Am Mittag and the Vossische Zeitung make the point that the Munich coup vitally affects all the Empire. By refusing to co-operate with the national government and by seeking an individual alliance with Russia and Hungary, the newspapers say the new Munich Government teopardizes national unity and threatens are cated more cautiously."

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This time the news is official not a just rumor.

Lieut.-Col. Edwin Seaborn, O.C. has cabled that the nurses are leaving to lay, April 9th, for England, and that the personnel will follow on April 15th, next Tuesday.

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Expected to Fall as Result of Dissensions Among Leaders

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NEWSPRINT INQUIRY

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mitted at Hearing.

AUDITOR HAS REPORT

Detailed Investigation

At Mills.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

temperatures recorded in London during

the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 51; lowest, 38. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were; Highest, 40; lowest, 36.

TOMORROW-SHOWERY.

Calgary Vinnipes

Montreal

Port Arthur.... 32 Sault Ste. Marie. 38 Parry Sound.... 40

Kingston

Toronto, April 9-8 a.m. Forecasts.

Following were the hignest and lowest

KING RECEIVES COMMANDER OF FIRST DIVISION

Canadian Unit Under Sir A. C. MacDonnell To Sail Soon.

London, April 9 .- King George 1eceived Field Marshal Haig at Buckingham Palace today on the occasion of his appointment as a general officer commanding the home forces, also Major-Gen. Sir A. C. MacDonnell, commander of the 1st Canadian Division. which is about to leave for Canada. His majesty is receiving all com-

"STATE OF WAR" IS SAID TO EXIST IN CITY OF NUREMBURG

Parades and Demonstrations Are Forbidden There.

Are forbidden there.

Berlia, April 8.—A "state of war" exists in Nuremberg, Northern Bavaria, according to placards posted this morning. Parades and demonstrations are forbidden there and the public is forbidden to be on the streets between 11 p.m. and 5 a.m.

The Boffmann Government of Bavaria

The Boffmann Government of Bavaria The Hoffmann Government of Bayaris was recently reported to have moved from Munich to Nuremberg. A Berlin dispatch received Tuesday night, however, stated that the ministry after go-ing to Nuremberg made a second change in its quarters, moving to Bamberg. Yesterday's dispatches reported a state

NUREMBURG CROWDS PILLAGED RED CROSS FOOD WAREHOUSES

Basle, April 9.—Storage sheds of the merican Red Cross were among the food depots pillaged by armed crowds in Nuremberg Tuesday, according to dispatches-received here. Goods to the value of 700,000 marks are said to have been taken from various food depots.

What's Doing Tonight?

THEATRES. Majestic-Dorothy Dalton, 'Extravagance'; vaudeville. Grand—Alice Brady, in "The Better Half"; 5 vaudeville acts. Patricia-Theda Bara, in "Under the Yoke"; vaudeville. Star-Gladys Leslie, in "Miss Dulcie from Dixie." OTHER EVENTS. Dominion Lodge, No. 48 meets

Today, Is Authentic

PERSONNEL FOLLOWING

Lieut.-Col. Seaborn Cables That April 15 Is the Date Set.

The Western University Hospital unit (organized in 1916), mobilized in this city and made up almost entirely of local officers, men and nurses, was

fact that supplies, numbering some 500,000 articles, were made up by London women war workers under the supervision of the London branch of the Red Cross, during the month of

kept in England, after getting started on the homeward journey. In any rase, there is much rejoicing that definite news has at last arrived of home-coming and a great welcome is assured the Western University's Own when it reaches the old town.

PAPER CONTROLLER ALLIED FORCES **EVACUATE PORT** More Evidence To Be Sub-1 ON BLACK SEA

G. T. Clarkson Has Made Report of Allied Abandonment of Odessa Is Officially Confirmed.

Ottawa, April 9 .- The inquiry into Paris, April 9.—The evacuathe price of newsprint was resumed before Paper Controller R. A. Pringle today, having been referred back to him by the paper control tribunal.

The point to be decided is whether stop of newsprint is a just price for the period beginning July 1, 1918. The publishers of Canada having objected to this advance from \$35 per ton paid in 1916, the control tribunal heard lengthy argument in January, and decided that Mr. Pringle, who fixed the \$69 price last September retroactive to July, should take further evidence as to certain paper costs challenged by the publishers, and also as to the accuracy of the \$8 estimate increase in mill costs during the summer of last year.

Mr. G. T. Clarkson, Government auditor, has made an investigation of various mills to clear up these points, and was present to give evidence to latest news reaching official quarters in l before Paper Controller R. A. Pringle tion of the Black Sea port of

Anti-Saloon League Planning for World Wide Prohibition

First Great Mass Meeting of Campaign To Be Held in New York.

Today Easterly winds; mostly fair.
Thursday—Strong easterly winds and showery.

Temperatures.
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low. Weather.
Stations. High. Low. Weather.
Weston, Ohio, April 9.—Starting with a great mass meeting in New York City on May 19, in which prominent speakers will participate, the Anti-Saloon League by the company, has been found guilty by Judge Bazin in the court of public meetings in more than sixty cities in the interest of prohibition law that he had misappropriated the sum of \$50,000 to his own use. in the United States and Canada. ronto, Ontario, is on the schedule.

MANUFACTURERS WILL MEET ON JUNE 10, 11, 12

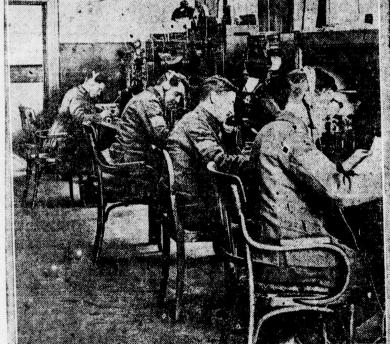
Toronto, April 9.—The dates for the annual general meeting of the Can-adian Manufacturers' Association here Quebec ... 42 26 Cloudy Father Point... 36 20 Clear Halifax ... 40 26 Fair Weather Notes.

The barometer continues high over Ontario and Quebec.

The low area which was in Minnesota yesterday has disappeared, but another from Texas is following in the same course.

Rain has been almost general in Ontario and snow in Manitoba, while elsewhere the weather has been fair.

ONCE GERMAN, NOW BRITISH



Cologne Telefunken wireless station, with British operators at work.

GERMANY MUST MAKE IMMEDIATE PAYMENT OF 25 BILLION FRANCS

Paris, April 9.—The preliminary peace treaty will require Germany to make an immediate payment on account of 25,000,000,000 francs in cash and raw materials, according to the Echo de Paris. The treaty, it declares, will not leave uncertain the total amount which Germany is to pay, as that amount will be written into the document

Peace Conference Commission After Investigation of Question Submits Report-International Regulation of Traffic Over Rhine and Danube Is Provided.

Paris. April 9 .- A report on regula-junder conditions as they existed be tions and restrictions to be imposed on communications in enemy states in order that newly created nations in Central Europe may have access to the sea, has been completed for the peace conference by the commission on the regulation of ports, waterways and railroads. Freedom of transportation through Germany and Austria, and equality of treatment in ports and harbors has been provided for, as has been the international regulation of traffic over the Rhine and Danube Rivers.

The report recommends that a pledge be exacted of Germany in the peace treaty to maintain unimpaired the free zones at Hamburg and other ports arbors. ons and restrictions to be imposed on fore the war.

Outlet for Czecho-Slovaks.

Near German Capital.

It is pointed out that a stoppage of the entire industry of the country would be inevitable, and that the employees would not only endanger their own po-sition, but that of their wives and chil-

DARMSTADTER BANK

EMPLOYEES ON STRIKE

Berlin, April 8.—The employees of the bank for trade and industry, better known as the Darmstadter Bank, went on strike today, and a half dozen banks, including the Deutsche, Dresdener and Disconto, went to the aid of the other bank by opening thirty of their branches to the customers of the Darmstadter Bank until the strike is over.

The employees of the Darmstadter Bank demanded an increase in pay which the bank could not see its way to granting without endangering the safety of the institution. The employees handed in an ultimatum that they would strike on April 8 if the demands were not satisfied. When the employees struck, the other banks offered to do the business of the Darmstadter Bank for the benefit of its customers.

LICENSE INSPECTOR, GENERAL STRIKE NOT PROVINCE, SET IS PROCLAIMED PRICE FOR LIQUOR

Seized Liquor Was Disposed of by Officials to the Vendors.

London, April 9.—The situation at Odessa is not yet clear, according to the latest news reaching official quarters in London, but it is believed the evacuation of civilians is imminent, owing to the difficulty of the food supply. All measures have been taken for the removal of British civilians.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, April 9.—Further evidence of the lack of control exercised over its officers by the Ontario license board was given before the public accounts committee of the Legislature this morning. W. S. Dingman, vice-chairman of the board under examination by Hartley the lack of control exercised over its suburb of Spandau, advices received given before the public accounts committee of the Legislature this morning. t. W. S. Dingman, vice-chairman of the board, under examination by Hartley Dewert, K.C., admitted that when sales of seized liquor have been made to vendors the price the province was to get was left to the inspector without any testing as to quality or other things.

Mr. Dingman, when closely questioned as to sales by inspectors, stated that all such sales had to be with the approval of the board, but he admitted that if an inspector had not made a report to the board of the liquor he had seized the board have no knowledge of its sale until later. He was not aware of fiquor having been seized and taken directly to a vendor's shop.

to a vendor's shop. GUILTY OF MISAPPROPRIATION.

Montreal, April 9.—On the charge misappropriating \$50,000, the propert;

WANT FRENCH TO BE LANGUAGE OF LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Paris, April 9.—The French Society for the Promotion of a League of Nations has adopted, on motion of Professor Aulard of the University of Paris, an eminent authority on history, a resolution asking the peace conference to adopt French as the official language of the league of naence to adopt French as the offi-cial language of the league of na-

Enemy Government Is Considering Question, Says

HUMBERT TO COMMAND

Zurich Dispatch.

Appeal To Be Made in the In terests of the Whole of Europe.

Paris, April 9:-At the latest ession of the German Cabinet Council the Covernment considered the eventuality of making to maintain order in Germany, in the interest of the whole of Europe, the Zurich correspondent of Le Journal reports.

The newspaper L'Eclair understands that Gen. Humbert, former commander of the French Third Army, will be appointed troops in Central Europe

Murmansk Riots Were Planned by

Majority of Those Who Instigated Disorders Are Now in Custody:

urmansk front in Russia were planned

are not considered of politica

PADEREWSKI TO SUBMIT CLAIMS OF HIS COUNTRY

Polish Premier Is Summoned Before the Council of Four.

Paris, April 9.— Ignace Jan Paderewski, the Polish premier, was summoned before the council of four today to present the claims of Poland. The premier will urge that Danzig must be given to Poland, and that Poland must have the coal fields of Teschen Silesia upon fields of Teschen, Silesia, upon which, it is said, Polish industry

'Gipsy Queen' Found 30,000 Troops Concentrated Guilty of Murder Mrs. Annie Smith Is Sentenced Paris, April 9.-A general strike has been proclaimed in Berlin and the To Prison For Life.

here say. Herr Noske, the minister of defence, is reported to have concentrated thirty thousand loyal troops at the gates of Berlin for use in case of trouble.

GERMAN RAILWAYMEN

WARNED THAT STRIKERS

WILL BE PUNISHED

Berlin, April 8.—The threat of railroad

Baltimore, Md., April 9.—The trial in the Baltimore County Court of Mrs. Annih, known as the "gypsy queen," for the killing of her mother-in-law.

Baltimore, Md., April 9.—The trial in that it is desirable in the public interest that all express companies should be operated on the same basis as to hours of work and rates of pay.

John W. Bruce and Gustave Francq, without capital punishment. She was justment Board, that the wage question should be woman was also indicted for the murder of her husband, Albert Smith, aged 59, whom she killed before shooting and killing her mother-in-law.

Berlin, April 8.—The threat of railroad employees to add to Germany's trouble paris, April 9.—The principle of proportional representation was adopted as portional representation was adopted as portional representation was adopted as portional representation was adopted as from the Government in which such action is denounced as a "crime toward the entire people." Assurance is given the would-be strikers that a strike "will the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, when a motion to that effect was carried by a vote of 235 to 201.

O. Bush with an axe, and disposing the body by boiling it with lye in soap vat. be regarded as a breach of contract and will be punished accordingly."

WITH 2,000 SOLDIERS ARMIES FROM MAKING THE HALIFAX

Men Are Being Removed From Transport and Brought Ashore in Lighters-Vessel To Remain at Anchor in Harbor Until Wind Moderates.

Halifax, April 9.—The Megantic, with 2,000 returning Canadian soldiers, came up the harbor in the teeth of a twenty-five knot wind this morning and made several attempts to dock, but was unable to do so. The tugs are now leaving here, and it is presumed she will remain at anchor in the stream until the wind moderates. The men are being brought ashore in lighters.

an appeal to the Allied armies Entry of Settlers From the United States Arouses Indignation of Veterans. Who De mand Immediate Action by the Federal Parliament.

Winnipeg, April' 9 .- The Canadian overnment is urged to take immediate find Army, will be appointed action to prevent action to prevent action to the from entering Canada from the United States. The problem is so vital that troops in Central Europe." up a resolution, asking that immediate action be taken on the matter.

Returned soldiers are organizing to to the boundary and prevent these

Bolshevik Finns EXPRESS EMPLOYEES 1.000 EMP DEMAND FULL AWARD OR STRIKE FOLLOWS

Canadian Express Company The Men Demand Increases Amounting From 30 to Accepts Judgment of the

Board of Appeal. 50 Per Cent.

WAGES ARE INCREASED TO QUIT TOMORROW

Acceptance.

prointed by the minister of labor in press Compa

nnection with the dispute between on Thursday

President of Company Notifies Company Officials Send Out Minister of Labor of

Statement to the Montreal, April 9 .- Judgment was Montreal April 9 .endered today by the board of appeal sand employ

ssengers, who are members of the and John Pul Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Em- Canadian Ex loyees, granting them increases in wages. John Pullen, president of the company, notified the minister of labor that it accepts the award, and will introduce the salary increases as from February 1.

The men, however, still demand the full award of the conciliation board, headed by Judge Gunn, from which the company appealed and threaten to Court Accepts Report.

The appeal court accepts the report of Judge Gunn and Fred Bancroft, representative of the men in the conciliation board, in regard to the wage increases for depot employees, but accepts the minority report of F. H. Mc-

ESTHONIANS TAKE SEVEN VILLAGES 500 BOLSHEVII

Large Quantities of War Materials Are Captured in Advance.

Copenhagen, April 9. - Th capture of seven villages, 500 prisoners and large quantities of war material from Bolshevik is reported in an official state ment issued from the Esthonian army headquarters. The Esthonian troops continue to ad-

ROME FEDERATION OF LABOR DECIDES ON A 25-HOUR STRIKE

of the general federation of labor decided upon a general strike to twenty-five hours. The strike is to begin on Thursday at 6 a.m.

EARL CURZON FEARS THAT WAR CLOUDS ARE ON THE HORIZON

London, April 9.—Defending the military bill in the House of Lords yesterday, Earl Curzon of Kedleston, president of the council and Government leader in the House of Lords, declared that Vienna, being in a serious position and apprehensive lest it should share the fate of Budapest, had turned to Great Britain and said: "If you will send 10,000" British troops we can guarantee the situation.'

Earl Curzon was not sure that war conditions would not revive. He said: "I see clouds on the horizon which may burst at any moment in a more sinister form than anything yet seen. If the critics of this bill can show the Government how to rule Ireland without maintaining 40,000 troops there they will confer a great favor on the Government.