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GOVERNMENT MAY COMPEL CANADIAN RAILWAYS TO STICK TO "OLD TIME"

HUNGARIANS URGED BY LENINE TO MARCH

TARIFF REVISION OF SASKATCHEWAN DEMANDS IMMEDIATE

CRISIS MAY BE PRECIPITATED IN WEST AS RESULT OF UNION GOVT'S DELAY IN ANNOUNCING ITS POLICY OF IMMIGRATION

Veterans in Prairie Provinces Indignant Because Dilatory Methods at Ottawa Have Resulted in Heavy Influx of Mennonites-37,000 of These People Have Come to Canada in Last Six Months.

Regina, March 28.-Indignation over the delay of the Union tovernment in announcing its immigration policy is bringing on crisis that may lead to serious results from the three prairie provinces, according to statements given out by the Great War Veterans' Association officials here yesterday.

The wrath of the veterans is centered on the alleged tremendous influx of Mennonites and what they term the dilatory methods of the minister of immigration in dealing with the situa-

Veterans stated yesterday they had an unofficial estimate that 37,000 Mennonites have sought sanctuary in Canada during the

Quarantine Against

Influenza Ordered

Five Days Detention at

Skagway.

GERMAN OFFICERS

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NDITS HOLD UP TRAIN, ESCAPE WITH \$6,000 IN CURRENCY

sked Robbers Compel Engineer To Abandon Throttle.

ERCOME MESSENGER

express Car Uncoupled and Taken Mile From Rest of Train.

Marion, Ark.. March 28.—Two masked bandits last night held up a St. Louis and San Francisco passenger train near Bridge Junction and escaped with about \$6,000 in currency, taken from the express car. When the engineer warned the robbers he was due to pass another passenger train at the junction, he said hey told him they had sent a man head to flag that train to prevent a

The bandits, the engine crew assert, climbed over the tender and forced he engineer to give up his throttle, bringing the train to a stop, they unappled the train behind the mail and appress cars and ran them ahead about alf a mile. They confronted the excress messenger, compelling him to surrender the money. The robbers then ender the money the crew brought it inder the money. The robbers the fit the train and the crew brought tack to Marion. No trace of the back to Marion. ilts has as yet been found, according to

ROTESTANT TEACHERS REJECT PROPOSITION

to be practically an ultimatum has sent by the Quebec Association of from French homes.

Describing the systematic pillage of St. Quentin and Rheims. M. Reynald said: "The Germans did not understand the soul of France, and did not realize that by their methods they but strengthened our resistance."

Examples of German atrocities against the people of Northern and Eastern France, and instances of wanton destruction, were cited by the speaker, who introduced a resolution asking the Senate to take action on the commission's report. bonus of \$50 and \$100, to be paid the teachers at a meeting held

What's Doing Tonight

THEATRES. -Wallace Reid in "Alias Moran," and Charlie rand-Vaudeville, and May Allison in "Peggy Does Her Darnd-

Patricia-Annette Kellerman. Star-Western drama.

OTHER EVENTS. General Meeting of all autor owners, Tecumseh Hous abor Mass Meeting-Y.M.C.A sketball—Western U. Gymnasium—Western vs. University of Toronto; Western vs. gbows; Girls' League. Meeting St. George's R. Masonic Temple, 7:30. no Council, No. 233, Royal

rent Meeting, Kilwinning torum, No. 26, O. O. canned goods importers and distributors may take the necessary steps for purchasing their supplies of the 1919 pack of American and Canadian canned salmon, the food controller announces that it is not his present intention to purchase this pack or requisition the supplies on arrival in England. If, however, circumstances render it necessary, maximum prices may be imposed for the sale of this salmon.

DEALERS CHANCE TO

British Food Controller Announces In-

tention Not to Requisition Stock.

PURCHASE GOODS

ssion's report. WILL GIVE SALMON

TELEGRAPHERS STRIKE. Paris, March 28.—The staf central telegraph office in Pa for one hour between 6 and Wednesday evening, and for ha hour between 11 and 11:30 o'cloc next morning, the Petit Parisien s The object of the strike was to I the granting of an increased allo the employees to compenso

the higher cost of living, and

HUN CRIMINALS FROM EX-KAISER DOWN WILL BE TRIED BY COURT

German National Assembly To Establish Court For Purpose.

OFFICIALS INCLUDED

Ludendorff and Von Tirpitz To Be Brought Before Special Body.

Paris, March 28.—Former Emperor William and former Frown Prince Frederick William will be among those who will be tried by the high court which the German National Assembly will create, Paris newspapers say. Former Foreign Minister Zimmermann also will

be brought before the court. A Berlin dispatch Thursday reported that the German Govrnment would create a court o investigation for Germans ac-On Alaskan Coast cused of crimes during the war. who had requested investigation Travelers Must Submit To of their cases. It was said the court would try Gen. Ludendorff, Admiral Tirpitz, former Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg, former Foreign Min-Dawson, Y. T., March 28.-Quaran- ister von Jagow, and others.

tine because of influenza against Skagway and all ports south of Skag-way or elsewhere on the Alaskan coast PEACE TREATY MAY has been established by Governor Riggs **BE SIGNED APRIL 20** nas been established by Governor Higgs of Alaska, according to advices re-ceived today by Governor Mackenzie of Yukon Territory. No one will be al-lowed to leave Skagway southbound until after five days' detention in

quarantine at their own expense, Governor Riggs' message said. The Yukon still enforces a quarantine against persons coming into the interior from Document May Be Completed On This Date.

Paris, March 28.—Hopes were ex-pressed tonight in peace conference chroles that the preliminary peace treaty might be signed by April 20.

PILLAGING FRANCE WELL-KNOWN LAKE

6,000 BELGIAN CIVILIANS DIED RESULT OF HUN ILL-TREATMENT

during the war as the result of German ill-treatment, according to an official report made in the Chamber of Deputies Thursday during a debate on the reparation due civilian victims of the war. Seven thousand children were made orphans, and 125,000 men were deported from Belgium by the Germans.

The indemnity which can be claimed from Germany by Belgium on this account is estimated at 900,000,000 francs. The minister of economic affairs declared that all damages will be

fully indemnified by the Germans.

SASKATCHEWAN PREMIER CALLS IMMEDIATE TARIFF REVISION

Hon, W. M. Martin, in Address Calls For Reduction in the Present Tariff Before Industries Are Re-established --Urges Voters To "Watch the Tariff and Watch the Franchise."

Saskatoon, Sask., March 28.-Hon. ent tariff. He urged his hearers W. M. Martin, premier of Saskatche-wan, in an address delivered last even-the tariff and watch the franchis van, in an address delivered last evening at Tisdale, insisted that there Western Canada, he said, there is ing at Tisdale, insisted that one opinion on the tank should be an immediate revision of the people demand a substantial reduction, as the people demand a substantial tion in the tariff, and especially tion in the tariff, and especially now is the very time when a revision articles used in conne

Commerce Shows Heavy

Trade.

Washington, March 28.-A report by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce today shows that Europe

Down Curtain" On Minis-

ter's Fondest Hopes.

DEEPLY DISAPPOINTED

CONCILIATION BOARD | Europe Bought More

Report Is Made On Stratford Furniture Manufacturers and Employees Dispute.

COUNCIL RECOMMENDED

The Entire Industry, Involving 11.000 Workers, May Adopt Plan.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, March 28.—An Ottawa dis patch says the board of concillation which today reported to the minister o labor on the dispute between the furniture manufacturers of Stratford and their employees, recommends a day of niture manufacturers of Stratford and their employees, recommends a day of nine hours, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., except on Saturday, when the hours shall be from 7 a.m. to noon, and time and a half for overtime, and 54 instead of 59 hours to constitute a week's work.

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BOLSHEVIKI ASK U. S. TO RECOGNIZE

Paris, March 28 .- A rumor was current last night that the Uni-ted States had received a note from Premier Lenine and War Minister Trotzky of the Russian Soviet Government, asking recognition for that government, says Marcel Hutin in the Echo de Paris today. M. Hutin adds that he "cannot say that President Wilson is disinclined to give the request favorable consideration.

THEIR GOVERNMENT

DRINK AND RUSSIANS WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR RHYL DISORDERS

RECOMMENDS NINE Than Two Billions Evidence to That Effect Subof Goods from U.S. Inquest.

> Report of Bureau of Foreign RIOTS ARE DESCRIBED

> > Where the Men Got Ball Ammunition Is a Mystery.

commerce today shows that Europe ranked first among customers of the United States, taking \$2.717,795.082 worth of goods in the first eight months of the fiscal year. Exports to other grand divisions included \$888.037.083 to North America, mostly to Canada, for shipment to England.

Details of imports into this country showed \$302.401 received this fiscal year from Germany and \$97,766 from Austria-Hungary.

Rhyl, Wales, March 28.—Evidence that drink was an aggravating cause in the Kinnel Park rioting of March 5, when five Canadian soldiers were killed, was submitted today at the coroner's increase. Captain Scott, stated that the Russian element in the camp was responsible for the rioting as well as the drink. Testimony from soldiers who drink. Testimony from soldiers saw rioters firing ball cartridges, SIR THOMAS WHITE'S from officers who swore that no order was given the men opposing the rioters to use ball ammunition or their bayon-PREMIERSHIP HOPES RECEIVE DEATH BLOW

was given the men opposing the rioters to use ball ammunition or their bayonets. was also taken,

At the opening of the inquest, the coroner asked Major Collier if he had found anyone who could pick out a rioter who had actually fired. Major Collier said that Sergt. Roberts, who was in court, saw a rioter go down on one knee and take deliberate aim and fire in the direction of Pte. Gillon, who was one of the men killed. The witness said that there were 50 or 60 men among the rioters whom he would describe as ringleaders. All those concerned in the disturbance were now, he believed, in captivity.

In reply to a juryman, who asked if the witness attributed the rioting to drink, Major Collier remarked that he did to a very large extent. It was an aggravating cause.

Lieut. E. W. Wilde was with Pte. Gillon when the latter was shot. He said that when they realized that the attacking party were using ball ammunition, some of the defenders pro-Borden Announcement "Rings

Acting Premier Reads Sir

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Parliament Having Refused to Sanction Daylight Saving, Govt. May Try to Compel Railways to Adhere to Standard Time

Representatives of Rural Districts May Insist On Such Action Being Tried-Minister of Railways Is Now Considering the Question-Ottawa City Council Will Call a Special Meeting For Purpose of Reintroducing Daylight Saving Time.

Ottawa, March 28.—Possible developments arising out of the refusal of Parliament to sanction daylight saving, and the apparent determination of the railways to make their timetables conform to those of the United States when the scheme comes into effect in that country, are being discussed in the corridors of Parliament today. It was pointed out during the course of the debate last night by A. E. Fripp, Ottawa, that if the railways conform to the American time the situation would be much the same as it was last year for the farmers, and that they will be handed a 'lemon." The representatives of rural constituencies in the House will be disposed to insist on the Government compelling the railways to stick to standard time.

When questioned in regard to this aspect of the matter in the House last night, Hon. J. D. Reid said that he had not considered the matter and would not cross the bridge until he came to it. The question naturally arises as to what action the Government can take to compel the railways to keep in line with the opinion expressed by Parliament short of the passing of an act of Parliament. It is understood that the matter is being considered today by the minister of railways.

The question incidentally arises as to what Parliament do in the event of Ottawa adopting daylight saving. Complications will ensue for members if the House sticks to standard time and the city clocks are advanced an hour. While Parliament may exercise its undoubted power over the railways, there would be no attempt to interfere with Ottawa's municipal rights, and it is quite possible that April may see the business of the House building conducted by standard time with the city clocks an hour ahead. It is held by some legal authorities that Ottawa municipality has authority over civil service time. If this is so, the service would conform to city time, no matter what Parliament

RAILWAYS WILL ADVANCE TIME TABLES IF GOVERNMENT ACTS

Montreal, March 28.—The executive committee of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association considered daylight saving yesterday. No report of the meeting was handed to the press, but it is understood that it was strongly in favor of the reintroduction of the scheme.

A meeting of all the important business organizations in Montreal will be held at the city hall this afternoon, when the administrative commission will be urged to pass a municipal bylaw introducing daylight saving to Montreal.

Should the Government decide not to permit the railways of Canada should the Government decide not to permit the rallways of Canada to adopt the daylight saving, rallway officials pointed out today, if will in any case be necessary for the rallway companies to set their timetables ahead one hour. They must make connection with the United States lines at the border, and even if it is not technically known as daylight saving, it will be necessary that timetables be advanced one hour.

SUMMER TIME IS LIKELY TO BE ADOPTED BY MAJORITY OF PLACES

Ottawa, March 28.—Defeat of the daylight saving resolution in the House last night ends the possibility of a Government bill to re-enact summer time this year. But, although clocks will not be advanced by federal statute, the decision of the railways to adopt summer time will have the effect of virtually putting it into effect, as it is regarded as probable that most municipalities will put on their clocks to avoid confusion.

OTTAWA CITIZENS FAVOR DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME, WANT IT AGAIN

Ottawa, March 28.—It is probable that a special meeting of the Ottawa city council will be called tomorrow to discuss the question of municipal daylight saving. Notice of a motion to enact it has already here by Ald McKiniay municipal daylight saving. Notice of a motion been given by Ald. McKinley.

The impression here if that if presented to the council (which would not ordinarily meet for another fortnight), daylight saving will be adopted by the city, and will become effective on April 1.

Last year's experiment was particularly satisfactory to the capital, and civil servants particularly were benefited by it.

Should it pass, then, Parliament, which yesterday voted against a fedsial measure, will be placed in the anomalous position of being forced

eral measure, will be placed in the anomalous position of being for to accept the time which they rejected, or going without their meals. LENINE URGES HUNGARIANS

Promises To Advance Huge Amount of Money To Help Finance the Project.

London, March 28.—Premier Lenine has sent a wireless message to the Hungarian Government urging it to send an army against Vienna, according to a Budapest dispatch received in Berlin and forwarded by the Exchange Telegraph Company. Lenine