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Incendiary Plots Are Successful In Ireland

DUBLIN, April 4.—Masses of incendiary plots were well advanced before the fire brigade arrived. The plots were well advanced before the fire brigade arrived. The plots were well advanced before the fire brigade arrived.

Revenue and Pension Offices in Cork Are Burnt to The Ground

CORK, April 4.—Two fires, believed to be the work of incendiaryism, occurred in Cork last night. The fires broke out simultaneously in the inland revenue and pension offices.

No Truth In It

DUBLIN, April 4.—Official denial is made of the report that Field Marshal Viscount French would probably go to Canada as Governor General.

DENMARK AWAITS POLITICAL ACTION

COPENHAGEN, April 4.—The general strike called as a protest against the resignation of Premier Zahle, on March 29th, was called off today. It was announced. The announcement stated that all parties had agreed it would be necessary to hold elections.

after the new electoral law has been passed. Premier Zahle declared upon the King's suggestion that he desired to retire. The King will now ask former director of Ministry of Justice Friis to form a cabinet with the understanding that the Rigsdag will resume its sessions as soon as possible.

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Workmen Will Renew Fights If Government Fails to Fulfill Obligations

COPENHAGEN, April 3.—The decision to call off the general strike in the entire Ruhr industrial region was reached at a plenary session of the executive council of that district yesterday, according to a despatch received here from Essen. It will be renewed, however, if the Berlin Government fails to fulfill the obligations entered into with the workers and in particular if it fails to halt the movements of troops against Ruhr.

New York Harbor Is Facing Big Tie-Up

NEW YORK, April 3.—Traffic in New York Harbor was still curtailed today by the strike of harbor employees, but the ferry lines except those of Eris and West Shore railroad were operating on virtually normal schedules. Railroad officials claimed that while many tugs, lighters and barges were out of service, all danger of interruption of food and coal supplies had been averted. Union officials reasserted that the harbor would be tied up before nightfall, claiming that a misunderstanding in orders yesterday had prevented all workers from joining the strike.

Portugal Ratifies

LISBON, April 4.—The Senate and Chamber of Deputies have ratified the Treaty of Versailles. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs immediately despatched a courier to Paris with Portugal's ratification.

Turks Must Disavow The Nationalist Movement

LONDON, April 4.—The Allies have presented a collective note to the Turkish Government, reiterating the demand that the latter officially disavow the Nationalist movement, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Constantinople, under Tuesday's date.

British Wireless Service

Lloyd George in a letter on the state of Ireland to Lord Mayor of Dublin says: "The Home Rule Bill now before Parliament proposes to establish Self-Government throughout the length and breadth of Ireland on lines more generous than that of 1914. It provides means by which Ireland can attain its unity by free act of its own citizens without further reference to Imperial Parliament. I do not believe that it is possible for Ireland to attain unity and peace except by these methods of reason and conciliation. Policy of Sinn Fein is exactly opposite. It depends upon violence in opinion and violence in action. It is policy which never leads to union of Ireland. It certainly can never achieve its avowed object—an Irish Republic. It can only condemn Ireland to long continuance of terrorism and distress. Government is most anxious to make as easy as possible the task of those who are endeavoring to carry on administration of country on reasonable lines and if there are any means by which moderate can be helped and encouraged to withstand and oppose the present campaign of intimidation and go bring nearer settlement of Irish question, I will gladly co-operate in bringing them into effect.

The King has approved following appointments:—Sir Worthington Evans to be Minister without portfolio in succession to G. N. Barnes. Macpherson to be Minister of Pensions in succession to Sir Worthington Evans. Lieut. Colonel Sir Hamar Greenwood to be Chief Secretary for Ireland in succession to Macpherson. Kellaway to be Parliamentary Secretary to department of overseas trade and additional under secretary to foreign office in succession to Sir Hamar Greenwood. Colonel Sir James Craig to be Financial Secretary to Admiralty in succession to Macpherson. Mayor Tryon to be Under Secretary to Ministry of Pensions in succession to Sir James Craig. Marquis of Londonderry of state for air in succession to Major Tryon. Sir Montague Barlow to be Under Secretary to Ministry of Labor in succession to Wardle. British transport workers federation have intimated to Ministry of Labor their acceptance of report of Lord Shaw's Court of enquiry upon wages and conditions of work. Leading article in Paris Temps entitled "British Property" refers to satisfactory exchange returns just published and says "If Great Britain seems already ap-

HEAD OF THE NEW NATIONAL PARTY IN BRITAIN



Lord Birkenhead, who is shown with his daughter on a stroll in Hyde Park, London, presides over the House of Lords in his function as Lord Chancellor. He is better known in America as Sir F. E. Smith.

NO CONSPIRACY IN INDIA EXISTS TO OVERTHROW GOVT.

No Indian Conspiracy

LONDON, April 4.—India office today issued statements with reference to results of reports relative of disorders in Punjab and elsewhere. Report which was published by special commission appointed by National Congress of India to inquire into disturbances, said that Commission found Baron Chelmsford, Viceroy and Governor General of India, incapable of holding his high office and demanded his recall. It also declared that no conspiracy, designed to overthrow British Government has been proved.

The Easter Raids

DUBLIN, April 4.—Easter demonstration in Ireland did not develop into spectacular effort of force against Government which adherents of Republican cause considered would be suicidal, but there was series of outrages in many parts of island. Maltreated took new angle in their work when they attacked sixteen taxofficers in many cities and towns, destroying records in various ways but mostly by fire. Attacks against police barracks and police huts numbered thirty five. In most of cases police had left barracks to go to concentration points in larger cities, where only women and children were left in barracks or huts. Raiders gave warning of their intentions hence there were no casualties.

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proaching time when there will no longer a deficit she owes it certainly to her insular position, mineral wealth, colonies and merchant marine and also to policy of her Government. Cabinet headed by Lloyd George has managed to make peace which guarantees national security completely which avoids servile changes and leaves British public with free hand to work everywhere. Let us congratulate our Allies on giving this excellent example.

Daily Express understands that Lord Sinha present Under Secretary for India will be appointed almost immediately Governor of Bengal. Lord Sinha has already returned to India. Express says appointment will mark one more stage in opening of high administration office to Indians in Empire.

The Turkish Problem

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 4.—Cabinet of Sali Pasha which resigned on March 26th, stepped out because of pressure brought upon Government by British control officer at Erzerum and British passport control officer at Amaziah. Both officers were reported current here. It was rumored that British had threatened to resume war against Turkey unless they were surrendered. Railway communication between Bosphorus and interior has been cut off by detachments of British who burned large bridge south of Bilejik after getting out all their Indian troops which had been guarding line. British headquarters are at Ismid and protective area is restricted largely to districts within range of naval guns.

Going To Europe

MONTREAL, April 4.—Practically all ships sailing from Canadian to British or European ports are booked up during May and June, congestion of traffic having been intensified by fact that same conditions prevail at New York. Overflow of passengers there has in many instances been turned over to Canadian lines sailing from St. John, Halifax and later Montreal.

The Allied Troops

PARIS, April 4.—Nothing has yet been announced regarding France's next step regarding sending of German troops in Ruhr coal basin with exception of vague official statement which says that any military measures French Government has under consideration are merely for purpose of forcing Germany to adhere strictly to terms of Peace Treaty.

Only Temporary

BUDAPEST, April 3.—Count Albert Apponyi, returning here from Paris today for a conference with Admiral Horthy, the Hungarian Regent, and other party leaders, declared that the peace treaties between the Allied powers and Central Empires were only temporary in nature. My impression is, he said, that no Allied statesmen sincerely believe the present peace treaties can hold for long. I have not lost hope and believe the position of Hungary to be better than it was a month ago.

De Wet Wants South Africa To Be Free

Will Persist in Pleading Till England Grants Independence

PRETORIA, S.A., April 4.—General DeWet said that no nation in the world would blame the South African Boer War, declared in a speech here on Saturday that South Africa would persist in pleading with England for independence until England granted so tired of them she would say, "Go it. He said that although he had been form your own Government. General called a rebel he knew his heart was DeWet contended that it was impossible. General DeWet asserted that sible for South Africans to love the Union Jack, just as Englishmen live Transvaal, and Martine Stein, forming in the Transvaal under the South African republican flag could never have sown a seed which it was impossible to eradicate. "We must be He said that if the restoration of the steadfast in our determination to at-Vierkleur, or South African republican flag, should come in his day, it our freedom," he continued. General would be the greatest joy of his life.

"CATTLE DRIVING" NOW IN IRELAND

1800 Men Take Part In The Drive.

LONDON, April 4.—"Cattle driving" on a large scale occupied Galway and County Mayo on Saturday, according to news agencies' despatches received in London. At least eighteen hundred men took part in the drive in Galway, sweeping from Creggs to Castle Blaney and Roscommon on one side and to Ennmore on the other. Thousands of acres were cleared, the police being powerless to check the drive. There were three drives in county Mayo. The police and military are helping to collect the cattle. Some arrests have been made.

Bolshevik Attacks

WARSAW, April 3.—The Bolsheviks launched attacks yesterday on both sides of the river Dvina, apparently in the beginning of their threatened drive on the northern front designed to carry them in the direction of Vitebsk. Fighting at various points on this front is reported in Lettish communiques to-day.

For Irish Republic

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Picketing of the British Embassy by women of the Irish Republic was favorable to an Irish Republic was called off on Saturday by leaders of the movement. At the State Department it was said that there were no developments in the situation. It was understood that no further action would be taken unless the women again appeared at the Embassy.

The Prince's Tour

SAN DIEGO, Calif., April 4.—The announcement that the Prince of Wales who is expected to arrive here next Wednesday en route to Australia will deliver a public address here, was contained in wireless advices received yesterday from the Commander of the battle cruiser Renown, on which he is proceeding up the Pacific coast from Panama Canal. The Prince will be met on the Renown here by a committee including Robert Wood Bliss. The evening programme includes an informal dinner to be given by Major Wilde and a ball at the hotel Delcoronado.

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Russia Sends Experts To Start Trade With Allies

COPENHAGEN, April 3.—A Russian trade commission, headed by M. Nogin, Minister of Commerce in the Lenine Cabinet, and M. Rosovsky, accompanied by 24 experts in trade and engineering, arrived here from Moscow yesterday. Nogin said that after a short stay in Denmark it was the intention of the commission to proceed to London, and perhaps later to the United States. It was the desire of the commission, Nogin said, to get in touch with the merchants and manufacturers in Allied countries and to establish trade between them and Russia as soon as possible.

The Reds Retreat

THE HAGUE, April 4.—The general advance of the German troops along the entire front against insurgent forces in Ruhr and neighboring industrial regions, which began Friday, has been very successful, according to well-informed Dutch sources. The right wing of the advancing troops forced the Reds to retreat across the Testenberg and the Government forces have already penetrated Ham-born, advices stated.

Turkish Nationalist Troops Capture Adabazar

LONDON, April 3.—Adabazar, a town directly east of Constantinople and 23 miles from Ismid, the British port of entry in Western Asia Minor, was occupied by Turkish Nationalist troops on Tuesday, according to a Constantinople despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co.

A Chinese Mutiny

AMOY, China, April 4.—Several hundred soldiers were killed and many wounded in a mutiny of troops in Anhui province, according to advices received here. Fighting is continuing, and the inhabitants are fleeing in terror, the despatch adds.

United States Will Not Be Represented on Mission

LONDON, April 3.—The United States will not be represented in any capacity on the special commission which the Council of the League of Nations recently decided to send to Russia. This announcement was made by the League of Nations here yesterday.

Red Cross Line

The S. S. "ROSALIND" will probably sail from New York on April 10th, and from St. John's on April 20th. This steamer has excellent accommodation and carries both first and second class passengers. For passage fares, freight rates, etc apply to

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