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Earl Beatty May Resign if Naval Base at Singapore is Abandoned

Army Estimates reduced by Labor Government---Strike in German Shipyards becomes general---Poincare threatens to resign if fiscal policy is not approved.

ver the Labor Government's avowed sing influence. cifist policy and its intention to reuce Great Britain's present naval nd military commitments to a minium which the Admiralty officials ear may endanger the security of the This feeling has been rengthened by reports printed this Luebeck and Stettin. ided to drop the project for the naval BRITISH ARMY ESTIMATES REbase at Singapore. It is freely prelicted that if the MacDonald cabinet

FRENCH NOTE CIRCULATION.

PARIS, Mar. 6. The French bank note circulation as reached 40,265,994,405 francs as hown by the Bank of France state nent to-day. In order to issue notes

MAYAL OFFICIALS DISSATISFIED. | must have special authority from LONDON, Mar. 6. | Parliament. The bank's statement Increasing dissatisfaction is devel- which was current on the Bourse being among British naval officials fore closing was received as a depres-

> GENERAL STRIKE IN GERMAN SHIPYARDS.

> BERLIN, Mar. 6. A general strike has been called in the shipyards of Hamburg, Bremen,

The British army estimates for ent of the Singapore base the de- 1924-25 total £45,000,000 a decrease Ford would become the industrial same. sion will result in the resignation of £7,000,000 compared with 1923-24, king of the nation and that it was J. English applied for position as and he attaches importance to an s the withdrawal of numerous other in India, 18 152,592 in all ranks, be found on a peace ship, trying to Application was ordered filed. and Irak also show decrease.

CLASH. BERLIN, Mar. 6.

wigshafen, this morning, and casualles were suffered on both sides, say despatches received here. A partial strike was declared yesterday owing to the refusal of a number of men to work nine hours daily. The strikers this morning forcibly entered the works and drove out those who had reported for duty and prevented others from entering. They are alleged to have opened fire on the police when the latter arrived, wounding several.

GERMAN BEICHSTAG

TO DISSOLVE. LONDON, Mar. 6. President Ebert of Germany has authorized Chancellor Marx to dissolve the Reichstag, according to an agency despatch received by way of Amsterdam. If the dissolution takes place this week, the despatch says, the election will be held either on April sixth or thirteenth and will include occupied regions.

POINCARE'S ULTIMATUM TO THE

PARIS, March 7. Premier Poincare will place the reignation of his Cabinet in the hands of President Millerand unless the finance committee of the Senate approves his fiscal measures for economy and increased taxation as voted by the Chamber of Deputies and signifies its eadiness to discuss them by Tuesday, March 11th. This ultimatum was delivered by the Premier to the finance committee this evening.

SEEKING TO INVOLVE THE PRESI-

WASHINGTON, March 6. The oil committee to-day produced wo telegrams sent by President Cool- ago, have been nominated as Cardinannounced that one referred to local affairs in the District of Columbia, while the other was in response to a elegram of congratulation on his

ed here. All the foreign residents ters received consideration. are safe and advices reiterate that there was no loss of lives. Communi-

WASHINGTON, March 6. A bitter attack on Henry Ford was Ford's offer for the muscle shoals, expenditure. war was his own son Fred. Ford, past week. GERMAN STRIKERS AND POLICE said La Guardia, through insidious Reports of the City Engineer, massacre of the Jews in Poland in

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NEW CARDINALS NOMINATED. Archbishop Hayes, of New York,

and Archbishop Mundeloin of Chicge to Edward B. McLean, in Flor- als. A consistory will be held March

> **Municipal Council** WEEKLY MEETING.

About fifty small houses were de- sided. Councillors Martin, Ryan, Col- French hand and must seek to in royed at San Jose, Costa Rica's lier, Outerbridge and Dowden were crease them. capital, in Tuesday's earthquake, ac- present. After the usual preliminaries How can they be increased? the ording to private despatches receiv- were disposed of, the following mat- writer inquires. "Our greatest asset,"

of the Tax for the present year.

The New York representative de- E. L. Butler offered to supply Tax with great advantage to ourselves, if ared that if given the muscle shoels Meters. The Council is not in need of we made a serious effort along the

Earl Beatty, First Sea Lord, as well The number of men, exclusive of those possible, in the event of war, he might Swimming Instructor at Long Pond. Italo-Spanish combination in the against 151,536 last year. The es- get the boys out of the trenches. He The Medical Health Officer report- French influence. Yet he is not blind timates for forces in Egypt, Turkey added that the only person Mr. Ford ed 23 cases of Scarlet Fever and 1 to one possible fallacy in his argugot out of the trenches in the last of Diphtheria in the city during the ment:

propaganda, was responsible for the Sanitary Supervisor, etc., were tabled. Requisitions for the several Depart-Strikers and police clashed at the 1919 and 1920. If we give him the ments were granted and other minor ove 41,000,000,000 the Government Baden Antine Dye Works at Lud- muscle shoals, he said, it would make matters disposed of. The meeting

Peppy Programme at the Crescent To-Night

AMATEUR CONTEST AND BIG FEA. TURE SHOW.

To-night's show at the popular Crescent contains all the pep and ginger that an audience requires for a night's amusement. Of course this being Friday the usual big Amateur Contest takes place and each week brings its added attraction. We fully believe to-night's will prove to be somewhat different than any previous affair, and therefore another packed house is assured.

The pictures to go with this show are of special interest. That beautiful and winsome screen star, Viola Dana will be seen in a social melodrama, "The Cossack Whip." This picture is one of the finest of this dynamic star's notable career. The

Anniversary of

Following the Declaration of Inde- of Reviews. pendence in 1783, many United Empire Loyalists immigrated to Canada, difficulty Pitt decided to divide the toilet soaps. Colony into Upper Canada-Ontario, and Lower Canada-Quebec. This was carried out by the above mentioned Act which came into effect on March

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The Balance of Power

The Fortnightly Review assigns the place of honour to an article on the "Balance of Power" by an anonymous writer. The article is a strange mixure of clearness and of confusion of thought. Its thesis is that since the Entente with France has ceased to be cordial the old policy of the Balance of Power has returned. British policy in Europe it claims, has always favoured free trade in politics, and has influence. France is to-day the most powerful State of Europe, militaril in virtue of her army, economically politically because she has built up system of friendly alliances and re lations which enable her to encircle Germany with an iron fence from the North Sea to the Baltic. Though, as more powerful than France, we in tervene in European affairs as the United Kingdom only, and must re The weekly meeting of the St. must either oppose France or agree John's Municipal Council was held with her. At present we have few yesterday afternoon. Mayor Cook pre- good cards to play against the strong

he argues, "would be naturally if we The St. John's Gas Light Company | could so transform the League (of forwarded a copy of communication Nations) that its authority would be cation with the Pacific side is inter- sent to the Government in relation to enhanced. This could be achieved by rupted but that with the Atlantic ports | the tax on Gas Coal. The Council de- | bringing in the two nations which cided to continue the arrangement have been left out of it, Germany and made by its predecessors in office, Russia. The League would be imthat is to recommend the exemption proved and would lose the character W. J. Browne, Solicitor, on behalf ment of Allied pressure." But he redelivered in the House to-day by re- of Thomas Mercer, Boggan St., ask- cognizes that "to bring Germany in, resentative La Gaurdia, Republican, ed compensation for expenses incur- the ex-enemy, and Russia, the bar-New York, during the debate on the red by his client in repairing sewer. barian, is not an easy task." Still he bill providing for acceptance of The Council is not aware of any such suggests that "the situation in Eastern Europe could be materially improved. line London-Berlin-Warsaw-Moscow"; Mediterranean as a counterpoise to

At the base of all .considered

schemes, there is always the idea that France and Germany will go on squabbling indefinitely. Here is the danger, for there is absolutely nothing to prove that this will always be so . . . We should remember that during the war the Germans wore trouser buttons with "Gott strafe England" on them and not with "Gott strafe Frankreich." The Germans are an obstinate people but they are no fools, and they know how to accept the inevitable France has got them by the throat in the Ruhr and will not let them go. This is an argument stronger than any we can produce.

The writer's conclusion is that: obligation of disarming at last, and remarkably successful remedy a fair and turning her attention to the trial. economic competition in which we are well able to hold our own and even better than that.

Thus the Fortnightly reviewer goes comedy subject is entitled "Hot Wat- a long way round to reach a sound er" in which is featured the Christie conclusion. But the vice of argumencomedian, Neal Burns. See him in tation such as his is that it seems to this picture and laugh long and loud. place upon a policy of which the To-morrow afternoon the children great majority in this country would will be treated to another Contest in hardly approve, the stamp of mere which only juveniles will be permitted expediency and of embarrassed imto participate. Send the kiddles to potence instead of showing it to be are in his hands as he stands betheir own show Saturday afternoon. sincere desire, which British Governments have steadily failed to express, that this country should unselfishly the Canada Act 1791 do its utmost to promote concord and regeneration in Europe-The Review

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John Gilbert Scores

IN STRONG DRAMA OF INTRIGUE AND MYSTERY.

For years he planned to steal the jewels of a certain millionaire and disguised himself as a wandering religious fanatic. Just as the lewels what it really is—the product of a fore the opened safe he realizes that as a holy man not a thief he has won the love of the millionaire's daughter. He drops the jewels and tell the family what he is and what he has done. This pecular situation is shown in "The Madness of Youth" a new Fox picture shown at the Majes-

tic Theatre last night. John Gilbert the famous Fox star, takes the part of the man who is both "holy-man" and thief, and pre-

In order to secure the combination of the safe the "wandering holy-man," installed in the house as a guest, manages to hypnotize the aged millionaire who at his bidding mumbles the figures. The strange influence. as a religious man, that he has over the formerly wayward daughter of the house, finally breaks down his criminal desires. It is then that he | Line a mold with steamed asparagua

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Season scalloped spinach with a

realizes that he cannot love the girl, tips, fill with boiled rice, mixed with minced ham, and seasoned white

would surely enjoy. To-morrow the toes, wash, season, mix with a little sliced bacon, and brown,

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