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PERSIA WILL PUT LEAGUE OF NATIONS TO TEST OF POWER

Direct Appeal Made by Foreign Minister Gives No Excuse to Shirk Issue.

MANY COMPLICATIONS

London, June 6.—The first real test of the league of nations as a practical working body will be made when the council meets in London on June 14 to deal with the case of Persia versus the Bolsheviks. The greatest importance is attached to this case by the supporters of the league party because the case has unusual complications. One of these is that a section of the British press holds that the recent British-Persian agreement amounts to a British protectorate and Persia thus has a right to look to Great Britain to defend her from attack. Another is that the Bolsheviks may reject any communications from the league.

PREDICT LEGISLATION TO FORCE PAPER MAKERS

Ottawa, June 6.—(By Canadian Press).—The Citizen tomorrow will say that the Dominion government will introduce legislation to force compelling Canadian makers of newsprint to supply 15 per cent. of their total output to Canadian publishers, this being sufficient for the needs of the newspapers of this country. The bill to be introduced, the paper states, will not fix the price. A meeting of the Daily Newspaper Association asking the government to pass legislation forcing the mills to keep them supplied at prices not higher than current export rates.

RAIN ALLAYS FARMERS' ANXIETY AS TO CROPS

Saturday's Downfall Brightens Up Fields and Assures Good Harvest.

Saturday night's glorious downfall of rain, general over all central Ontario, came just at the psychological moment, and while it did not come as generously as the average farmer had hoped for, or anticipated, its effects are already manifest, a marvelous transformation having come over the face of the country. Where on Saturday morning, in all the country between Kingston on the east to Guelph and beyond, the fields and meadows were parched, they now have become green, and will become increasingly so. Twenty-four hours has worked a miracle.

FATAL EXPLOSION IN TURIN SUBURB

Eighty Carloads Blew Up, Killing Fourteen and Injuring Hundred Persons.

London, June 6.—Fourteen persons were killed, several others were injured, and many buildings destroyed, by the explosion of 80 carloads of explosives in a suburban station of Turin last night, according to a Rome despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company. A despatch to the Central News says that the explosion occurred in Fort Pampalu, at Mount Cassin, northwest of Turin. Besides the 14 persons killed, 100 were injured, the despatch adds.

LABOR PARTY IS BIG ISSUE AT A. F. OF L. CONVENTION

"Progressives" Will Demand That "Ideal Platform" Be Drawn Up for New Political Organization in U. S.—One Big Union and Profit-earning Other Topics to Fore.

Montreal, June 6.—Efforts will be made to have the American Federation of Labor, which opens its annual convention here tomorrow, lay the foundation for the establishment of an American labor party, leaders of the progressive wing of the federation declared tonight. They announced plans to launch a fight for the appointment of a special committee to draft an "ideal platform" during the next twelve months, and submit it at the 1921 federation convention as the basis for a new political party.

POLICE ROUND UP FOUR WANTED MEN

Officer Put Up Plucky Fight While Arresting Two of Them.

Four much-wanted men were rounded up by the police Saturday night. Two of the men, arrested at Hanlan's Point, attacked Policeman Henshaw, but the plucky officer hung on to both men until assistance arrived to help him handcuff his prisoners. Patrick O'Brien, York street, is charged with assaulting Policeman Henshaw and with theft. Charles Bentley, 145 West Richmond street, is charged with obstructing the police and theft. Both men were at the Island rifle ranges, and O'Brien was shooting at his targets. He was unable to hit the target and he excited the crowd by declaring he had a gun in his pocket that would shoot accurately. Thinking he meant what he said, a man ran for the policeman. While Henshaw was walking O'Brien to the ferry dock O'Brien is alleged to have struck him in the jaw. Bentley then joined in and tried to prevent his friend being arrested and was arrested himself. Both men are alleged to have struck last week as farm hands to a man named David Howard at Thornhill. After working a few days, it is alleged they stole \$300 in Victory bonds and \$200 in cash. Waterhouse was examining Bentley, the prisoner is alleged to have torn up some cheques with Howard's name on them. Waterhouse plucked up the pieces, and seeing the name Howard remembered an occurrence of theft from a man by that name and Howard was asked to identify both men.

WOMAN ROBBED AND BADLY ASSAULTED

Was Held Up in Front of Home—Motor Bandits Again.

Two more street robberies were reported to the police on Saturday. Annie Fletcher, 272 Teravay street, complained to the police of West Dundas street station at midnight Saturday that she had been assaulted and robbed of \$10 in front of her home by two men. According to her story, she walked out of the front door to go to a store. There was a lane running alongside the house, and when she stepped out the door a man snatched her mesh bag, then struck her a blow in the face. The blow struck the woman with such force that she fell unconscious in the lane, and was found later by a man and small boy. Her face was badly swollen and was black and blue. The Fletcher woman reported the robbery to the police, but was unable to describe the men whom she says attacked her.

NEW HIGH POTATO PRICE

Kingston, June 6.—Nineteen potatoes sold on the market yesterday at \$1.50, but they were monsters, weighing 18 pounds. They were of the "Lost Island" variety.

GREATEST PRODUCER OF RADIUM MAY BE FORTUNE OF ONTARIO

Pitchblende Ore, Containing High Percentage of Uranium Oxide, the Chief Radium-Bearing Mineral, is Found on Border of Algonquin Park, and Estimated By New York Assayers to Be Worth \$4500 Per Ton—Work on Claims is Proceeding and it is Expected Capital for Big Development Will Be Available.

WANT TAX REMOVED OR WILL DECLINE TO CEASE ANY CAKES

Confectioners Complain They Are Being Discriminated Against.

WILL SEE GOVERNMENT

That the retail confectioners will refuse to be bound up in the present luxury tax appears more evident daily. The following resolution passed a few days ago at a meeting of the Retail Cake Bakers of Toronto, Hamilton and Brantford, representing a total of 225 members, gives some idea of the attitude in which this branch of trade is being driven into the water. They find themselves, as they say emphatically, discriminated against in comparison with the large manufacturers of bread and bread rolls, who are exempt from sale and luxury tax. "At a meeting of the Retail Cake Bakers Association, called for the purpose of discussing the excise tax as applied to the baking industry, it was unanimously decided that it would be impossible to comply with the tax as proposed by the government.

MUCH CAPITAL LIKELY TO COME TO CANADA

Count De Toper intimates \$80,000,000 Will Be Invested in the West.

Winnipeg, June 6.—Eighty million dollars of British capital, probably will be brought to Canada as a result of the visit of the Canadian High Commissioner to London, England, and Nice, France, is making to Winnipeg and the west more than a million dollars, by a man and small boy. Her face was badly swollen and was black and blue. The Fletcher woman reported the robbery to the police, but was unable to describe the men whom she says attacked her.

J. McPARLAND ELECTED AS PRESIDENT OF TYPOS

Indianapolis, June 6.—The committee in charge of the elections of officers of the International Typographical Union will meet tomorrow to tabulate the voting. Unofficial returns showed the election of John McParland, a member of Local No. 8, New York city as president over Maraden Kostantopoulos, president of the majority of 1200 votes. All the other old officers appeared to be re-elected.

TO POSTPONE SPA CONFERENCE.

Paris, June 6.—Postponement of the Spa conference until July 5 or 6 is almost certain, according to The Magin, which says the work of preparing details of the indemnity payment makes delay necessary.

BRITISH WARSHIPS FIRE UPON TURKS

Had Crept Close to Entrenchments of Units Along Gulf of Ismid.

Constantinople, June 6.—British warships opened fire on Nationalist positions near Tuzla, on the sea of Marmora, 38 miles west of Ismid, late on Friday night. Constantinople was aroused by the heavy firing of the guns of the warships. The Nationalists had approached close to the British entrenchments along the gulf of Ismid, where many British units are stationed to protect the troops guarding the railway.

REAPED RICH HARVEST BY BEGGING ON STREETS

Albert McGill, no home, was arrested Saturday night at Queen and University avenue by Policeman Tait on a charge of vagrancy. McGill, according to the police, was a watched accused stop no less than twelve persons in one block and ask them for the price of a "hot dog." When searched by No. 2 police station McGill had \$14 in ten cent pieces.

MEN'S STRAW AND PANAMA HATS HALF PRICE—IN BASEMENT.

Dineen's Basement Store will be a busy place today—hundreds of men's straw and Panama hats will be sold at exactly half price. These are odd lines and odd sizes removed to the basement for today's selling. All new styles, this season's goods. The styles are sailboats, fedoras and oxford crowns. If you want a Panama or straw at half price come into Dineen's, 140 Yonge street, today. Store closes at 6.

NEW CIVIL SERVICE FEDERATION WILL TAKE STRIKE VOTE

Reclassification and Retroactive Pay Cause of All the Trouble.

UNITY THE SLOGAN

The newly-formed Toronto Association of Federated Civil Servants yesterday afternoon, at a mass meeting held at the Star Theatre, by unanimous vote, decided to take a strike vote immediately, each division to take a vote and to report its result to the general executive, and also to have each division of the federation elect its delegates to the general executive. The general executive will then elect its officers, who will take whatever action may be deemed necessary to clear the general uncertainty now veiling the whole situation in the civil service respecting the question of reclassification and retroactive pay.

IRISH MILITARY POLICE PATROL IS AMBUSHED AND DISARMED

Incendiarism Still Rampant

Dublin, June 6.—A few more vacant police barracks were burned over the week-end. John Blake, a landowner, was shot from behind a hedge and seriously wounded at Thom, 15 miles northeast of Galway, while on his way to church. A military police patrol on bicycles was ambushed and surrounded near the village of Carrigrohilly, County Cork, this morning. The policemen were compelled to surrender their arms.

VERA CRUZ IN GRIP OF BUBONIC PLAGUE

Sanitary Authorities Have Been Made Supreme Power in the City.

Mexico City, June 6.—Every effort is being made by the government to combat the bubonic plague at Vera Cruz. Orders have been issued, making sanitary authorities there the supreme power in the city, dominating every military officer. A troop train struck the sanitary cordon surrounding Vera Cruz late last week, and a warrant for the arrest of the general in charge of it, has been issued. Twenty-five cases, the most of which have proved fatal, have been reported from Vera Cruz since the outbreak of the plague a week ago.

CONTINUE ATTACKS ON NORTHERN FRONT

Poles Capture Many Prisoners Together With Guns and Other Booty.

Warsaw, June 6.—The Poles, according to an official statement issued today, are continuing their successful attacks on the northern front, and have occupied Gliwice, 65 miles east of Swansko and Dokoitcha, 16 miles south of Gliwice, taking many prisoners with guns and other booty. The Bolsheviks, to cover their retreat, attacked in strength at several places, trying to cross the Middle Berezina. They were repulsed, however. But a statement says: "The enemy, with strong reinforcements, is concentrating before Borsus, on the Berezina, 38 miles south-west of Minsk, for an attack on our bridgehead." The statement continues: "A Bolshevik column of Communists and marines was routed, with the loss of four armoured automobiles, a tank and one big gun. Between the Dnieper and the Dnieper, our aviators dispersed cavalry detachments, and we won local engagements."

FRUIT BELT CROP SAVED BY EIGHTEEN HOURS RAIN

St. Catharines, Ont., June 6.—Eighteen hours' continuous rain broke the drought, on which the eastern section of the fruit belt has been suffering. The rain has saved the strawberry crop, and proved a great benefit to vegetable plants, Sunday farmwork was engaged in by many farmers today, plowing being the popular practice.

NO NOMINATION FOR PRESIDENCY ON TEST BALLOT

Prospects for Deadlock at Republican Convention Are Growing.

DARK HORSE POSSIBLE

Chicago, June 6.—Prospects for a deadlock in the Republican convention are growing with the arrival of unstructured delegates who hold the balance of power. Out of the deadlock, which will be produced by the failure of Wood, Lowden or Johnson forces to command a majority will come the nominee, be he the dark horse or one of the big three. The Lowden forces tonight are claiming as high as 250 votes on the first ballot, and the Wood forces equally as many. The Johnson claims are not stated in figures, but the California senators' headquarters are claiming hourly additions to his column.

HON. J. DUNSMUIR CALLED BY DEATH

Former Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia Was Great Coal Magnate.

Victoria, B.C., June 6.—Hon. James Dunsmuir, former premier, one-time lieutenant-governor of British Columbia, one of the wealthiest and best known residents of the province, died at Cowichan Lake today. He had been in failing health for some time, and suffered a seizure last evening.

LAND OWNER SHOT FROM BEHIND HEDGE—FORMER HOME OF OFFICER WHO EXECUTED EDITOR STEFFINGO BURNED AND SEVERAL VACANT BAR- ACKS DESTROYED—STRIKERS WILL NEGOTIATE TO RESUME WORK.

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