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WINNIPEG STRIKERS

THE LONDON ADVERTISER, LONDON, ONTARIO, THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 5, 1919. 96 COLUMNS.

U. S. MINERS KILLED

WINNIPEG STRIKE LEADERS SERIOUSLY CONSIDERING MOVE TO END WALKOUT, IS REPORT

Central Strike Committee of Manitoba Capital May Be Brought To Time As a Result of Veterans' Attitude Against Sympathetic Strike in That City.

Winnipeg, June 5.-It was rumored today that the central strike committee was considering the advisability of calling off the sympathetic strike in view of the impending action by war veterans.

It was stated at the board of trade that hundreds of union men were ready to return to work, despite contrary orders from the strike committee, as soon as they were assured "adequate protection.

The strike situation seemed to be completely reversed. Labor leaders, who have publicly and aggressively attempted to combat every federal and provincial and municipal attempt to restore tranquility in Winnipeg, were asking "for protection," it was learned at the city hall.

HENRY FORD WILL

ENDEAVOR TO SHOW

Corporations Are Sub-

mitted.

Defendants Claim No Influ-

ence Was Brought To

Harold F. McCormick deposed that

that the Tribune desired war with Mexico, so that American munitions would be diverted from allied countries to the way of American troops on this

ADMIRAL DE ROBECK

TO COMMAND FLEET

Succeeds Vice-Admiral Sir

Somerset Calthorpe.

London, June 5 .- A dispatch from

will succeed Vice-Admiral Sir Somer-

set Calthorpe as commander-in-chief

of the Mediterranean fleet. It is under-

What's Doing Tonight?

Majestic-Marguerite Clarke in "Come Out of the Kitchen" and vaudeville.

Grand-Mary Pickford in "Daddy Long Legs," and vaudeville.

Patricla — Alice Joyce in "The Third Degree," and vaudeville.

OTHER EVENTS:

Child Welfare Clinic — Address on "Child Welfare," at Tech-nical School by Dr. Allan Brown, Toronto.

St. George's 42, A. F. and A. M.,

G. R. C.—Meets in Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Victory Shows-

Canadian Vic Queen's Park.

OF MEDITERRANEAN

the use of American troops on this

TRIBUNE URGED WAR

RETURNED SOLDIERS WILL DEMAND THAT ALIENS BE OUSTED

Winnipeg, June 5 .- Mayor Charles F. Gray was informed that a parade of several thousand soldiers intended to march to the trades and labor council this forenoon and demand that all aliens be ousted from the Winnipeg

"I understand the soldiers are so incensed over the high-handed methods of strike leaders and insulting remarks made by James Duncan, the Seattle labor leader, yesterday, that they have threatened to wreck the Labor Temple and "make an example" of the leaders, said Mayor Gray. "I shall urge the men to remember that law and order must be maintained." aintained."

Soldiers who attended the mass meeting where Duncan spoke yesterday declare he referred to the returned soldiers as a "bunch of ignoramuses." diers as a "bunch of ignoramuses."

The city today took over the distribution of milk, and was arranging to provide for bread distribution if necessary. It was reported that strike leaders were preparing to rescind their order of yesterday, ordering all union handlers of foodstuffs to go on strike.

Mayor Gray said that milk stations would be opened in all public school buildings and that "adequate protection" and that "adequate protection

WESTERN OFFICES ARE FINDING JOBS FOR

SEVERAL THOUSAND Ottawa, June 5.—Owing to the strike situation in Winnipeg, the reports from the Manitoba employment offices for the week ending May 17 have not yet been received. Seventy-four offices in the remaining eight provinces, however, reported that they had referred 4.672 persons to positions during the week, and had received notification that 4.452 of these had secured regular employment. In addition, 340 casual jobs were supplied. This represents a slight improvement over the previous week. Ottawa, June 5.—Owing to the strike ployment. In addition, 340 casual powers supplied. This represents a slight improvement over the previous week when the employment offices in these eight provinces reported 4,429 regular and 399 casual placements. The total placements in the nine provinces for the week ended May 10 was 4,737 regular and 591 casual.

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OF COMPOSING ROOMS

The depositions of the officials of the two big corporations were deemed pertinent to the suit by the plaintiff in connection with his charge that the Tribune wanted war with Mexico because it would benefit the harvester company in obtaining sizal from Yucatan, and the Standard Oil Company in the matter of Mexican oil. The plaintiff charged that a distant relationship between Harold F. McCormick and Col. R. R. McCormick, one of the defendants, influenced the Tribune's policy.

Vancouver, B. C., June 5 .- Vancouver Vancouver, B. C., June 5.—vancouver was going about its business as usual yesterday, despite the general strike.

Newspapers appeared, although members of the typographical union refused bewas consulted in any way as to the to set up or handle any news or editorial matter which seemed to reflect on the motives and methods of organized labor at this time. All matter concerning the strike must be submitted to the foremen of the composing-room, the newspapers were informed.

CALGARY PRINTERS REFUSE TO JOIN IN SYMPATHETIC STRIKE

Calgary, Alta., June 5 .- The Calgary Typographical union, including in its membership all newspapers and all printing shops, has cast its vote against Joining the sympathetic strike here.

REPLY TO GERMANS' COUNTER-PROPOSALS

AT END OF WEEK Paris, June 5.—It is doubtful if the council of four will be able to send a reply to the German counter proposals to the peace treaty terms before the end of next week, according to the Paris office of Reuter's, Limited.

PADEREWSKI PROTESTS AGAINST CHANGE IN

Paris, June 5.—Ignace Jan Paderewski, the Polish premier, has protested to the peace conference leaders against any change in the terms of the settlement of the Silesian question.

prepared.

PETROGRAD REPORTS CONCERNING CAPTURE SAID TO BE PREMATURE

Copenhagen, June 5. — Persistent reports that Petrograd has been captured are "very p emature" according to a statement om the official Esthonian Press Bureau here. A report from Esthonian headquarters on Tuesconntractacks of Gathchina continue, but have repulsed by the Esthonians. The b repulsed by the Esthonians. The battle is still going on without decisive results. Nothing is known at Esthonian headquarters regarding the reported Petrograd from the north. West of Luga, the northern corps of the Esthonian army is engaged solely in repelling attacks. Southeast of Riga, Esthonian forces continue to advance toward Kreitzburg, according to the

PLANS FOOD DEPOTS TO COMBAT LATEST ACTION TAKEN BY **WINNIPEG STRIKERS**

Mayor Gray Makes Counter-Move Following Strike of Bakers.

MORE PARADES TODAY

Citizens and Officials Fear Clash Between Rival Factions.

Winnipeg, June 5.—Both the anti-trike veterans and those who have adorsed the walkout here planned to hold street parades again today. Con-ciliation offers have been transmitted by both sides through the railway brotherhood officials, but neither the metal workers nor employers have replied so far as is known. Plans for presenting as strong a show of force as possible to preserve order were agreed on yesterday at a conference here of civic, provincial and military officials, when fears of clashes between rival parades was expressed. Further efforts to hamper the food supply were made by strikers, when engineers for milk depots and bakeries were called out. The mayor countered with plans for opening public food stations.

Normal Further West.

Reports from cities farther west which metal workers nor employers hav

Normal Further West.

Reports from cities farther west which have been affected by the general strike movement, indicated that conditions were approaching normal, and no further walkouts of importance have occurred. Delegates from Western Canada were to meet at Calgary today to plan organization of the "one big Depositions of Officials of Big organization of the "one big " and Victoria dispatches said the strike there was marking time, awaiting results of this meeting. Calgary printers voted not to join the sympathetic strike. Public service utilities, newspapers and stores were operating as usual in Vancouver. EDITORIALS ARE READ

Thomas H. Ince Offers \$50,000 for Airplane Flight

"Hangs Up" Three Separate Prizes.

Froduced today in the libel suit of Henry Ford against the Chicago Tribune, Editorials which the plaintiff contends show pro-Germanism on the part of the Tribune also were read by counsel. The depositions were from Frederick David Asched, who was a director of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey at the time of the publication of the alleged libelous editorial headed "Ford is an Aparchist" and who since 1917. Venice, Cal., June 5.—An offer of \$50,000 as prize money for aviators who will attempt the flight from this city to Australia, was made today by Thomas H. Ince, motion picture pro-To the first man to land on Australian soil, \$35,000 will be paid, the announcement said. To the first aviator attempting the flight, who although failing to reach Australia, reaches the Hawaiian Islands, \$10,000 will be paid. In the event of none of those atternic In the event of none of those attempting the flight reaches the Hawaiian Islands, \$5,000 will be paid to the one

making the best showing.

FRENCH GOVT. MAY **AGAIN TAKE OVER** SUBWAY SYSTEM

Differences Between Employ- Search For Capt. ers and Metal Workers Nearing Settlement.

Paris, June 5 .- In competent circles optimism prevailed this morning relawere expressed that the trouble between the unions and the employers would

HEAVY GOLD SHIPMENTS.

New York, June 5. — An additional shipment of \$5,500,000 in gold for the account of the British Government arrived here from Canada today, consigned to J. P. Morgan & Co. A total of \$12,000,000 in gold has arrived so far, and it is understood that the final sum will aggregate \$50,000,000.

Malta says that Admiral de Robeck CANNOT IDENTIFY BODY AS THAT OF ROSA LUXEMBURG

Berlin, Wednesday, June 4--(By Associated Press).—An autopsy of the body of a woman found in the Landwehr Canal on June 1 has failed to Residents of Eastern Germany Claim establish that it was that of Rosa Lux-emburg, who was killed early in the present year by a mob. The condition of the body precluded definite identifica-There were, however, no trace of bullet wounds or brulses. The body is still being held under orders from the military court which conducted the trial of the men alleged to have slain Fraulein Luvembourg and Dr. Karl Liebkracht.

PETLURA'S ARMY TAKES TWO RAILWAY CENTRES

Berne, June 4.—Troops of the army of General Simon Petlura, the anti-Bolshevik peasant leader in the Ukraine Berne, June 4.—Proops of the anny of General Simon Petlura, the anti-Bolshevik peasant leader in the Ukraine have captured the railway centres of Proskurov and Berdicheff, in Western Ukraine. This announcement is made by the Ukrainian Press Bureau.

Denial of the report that the Bolshevik had captured Czernowitz, the capital of Bukowina, was made today by the Ramaian Press Bureau here.

"appears willing to betray the East Ottawa ... 94 68 Clear Montreal ... 90 66 Clear Quebec ... 74 60 Cloudy Weather Notes.

The disturbance has remained almost stationary in the Missouri Valley.

The weather is fine throughout the Dominion, with extreme heat in Onshevik had captured Czernowitz, the capital of Bukowina, was made today by the Ramaian Press Bureau here.

GERMANY AS SHE WAS AND AS SHE WILL BE NORTH POLAND CZECHOSLOVAKIA

The black portion of the map shows the new Germany as it will be under the terms of the peace treaty. The shaded portions show the territory taken away from her. The Saar Valley, on the left, a storehouse of mineral wealth is a great asset to France

168,275 SOLDIERS AND NURSES SAILED FOR CANADA SINCE TRUCE

London, June 5.—The Prince of Wales dines next week at the Canadian Officers' Club in Chesterfield Gardens. There is a Canadian movement afoot here for a gathering shortly in honor of Gen. Turner. Sir George Perley sails early in July for Canada. Paragraphs have been appearing in the press here recently suggesting that Mr. Huntley Drummond may succeed him.

A summary of May sailings shows that 1,866 officers 231 nurses, 12 cadets and 41,117 other ranks have sailed for Canada. Since the armistice approximately 8,000 officers ond nurses and 160,275 other ranks have sailed.

Company were among those ined today in the libel suit of Henry The Motion Picture Producer PRINCE OF WALES ADVISES THAT FLEET BE USED TO

Agent General Wade Attribut es Unrest Among Canadian Troops To Delay in Repat riation Caused by Lack of Tran sports.

London, June 5 .- Agent General Wade of British Columbia, in a letter to the press, attributes unrest among Canadian troops here entirely to delay in repatriation, and protests against the military men of the dominions still fretting here in idleness and expense, and daily falling a prey to surroundings, from which they should be provided immediate escape to countries which they have represented with so much honor to themselves and their native land.

The Prince of Wales has led the way in constructive imperialism by denouncing the order for further detention from home and other punishments for infractions of regulations, as brutality itself and a wrong to the country. His remedy for shipping shortage is employment of the fleet as transports as the United States has already satisfactorily done. Could anything be more majestic and imperial, he asks, than to return in this way? Will the admiralty forget its promises and allow the grand fleet to drag at anchor when so much can be done?

Mansell James Is Being Continued

tive to the strike in this city, and hopes Two More Members of U. S. Air Force Join in Hunt

the unions and the employers would soon be settled. Through the efforts of the government the employers and men in the metal industries have come to an understanding on some questions at issue, but there is no change in the situation regarding the transportation systems, and there is again talk of the government requisitioning the subway.

The managing committee of the general labor federation will meet tonight to consider the situation created by the present movement, in which, it should be remarked, the federation had no hand.

HEAVY GOLD SHIPMENTS.

New York, June 5.—An additional shipment of \$5,500,000 in gold for the account of the British Government are with Plymouth and vicinity, which affords few landing places due to dense States Air Force and Capt. Was former member of the Royal Flying Corps, will leave here today in a Curtiss airplane to search in the vicinity of Plymouth and Bristol, for Capt. Mansell R. James, Canadian ace, who has been missing since Thursday.

Parsons, who was formerly an instructor at the aviation camps is familiar with Plymouth and vicinity, which iar with Plymouth and vicinity, which affords few landing places due to dense affords few landing places due to dense affords few landing places due to dense affords few landing places Capt. James met woodlands. He believes Capt. James met air sits o clock. The Empress carried 2.851 toological carried 2.851 toologi woodlands. He believes Capt. James met with an accident when trying to land. Capt. Murdock of Torrington, with the Southern New England Telephone Company, said tonight he has received definite information from subscribers about James' flight which may lead to

his whereabouts. ENTER STRONG PROTESTS AGAINST ANNEXATION OF EAST PRUSSIA

They Will Rise to Arms.

Berlin, June 4 .- Another indication Berlin, June 4.—Another indication of the sentiment in Eastern Germany regarding the annexation of portions of East Prussia to Poland is shown in a bitter protest signed by all the leaders of the leading political parties in the Oletsko district, charging the Government with neglecting the interests of East Prussia and bartering the 2 declaration of the sentiment of the sentime

The protest declares the Government Kingston "appears willing to betray the East Ottawa

12.851 CANADIAN **SOLDIERS HOME ON** C. P. R. OCEAN LINER

Empress of Britain Brings a Large Party of Troops.

THE WEATHER

having landed the troops for Newfoundland at St. Johns, Nfld.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 93; lowest, 64.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 23; lowest, 68.

The returned. The rioters commenced firing rifles with ball ammunition. The unit took cover behind a tree, the accused leading. Two other men, all with rifles, came from behind a barn. The accused pointed a rifle at witness and fired. Then two of the men commenced firing at him from one side of a tree, TOMORROW-THUNDER SHOWERS.

Toronto, June 5-8 a.m. Forecasts.

Soldiers Requested To Contribute To Official History

Those Who Have Served Overseas Can Help in Compiling Government Document.

Ottawa, June 5.—The official history of Canada's great part in the war is already under way. The director of the historical section of the general staff of the Militia Department, Ottawa, has requested that officers and other ranks having in their possession private diaries, journals, note books, letters and other documents relating to personal experiences while on active personal experiences while on active service during the war will forward them on loan to him for examination. as soon as transcripts or necessary As soon as transcripts or necessary extracts can be made they will be returned to the owners. The contents will be treated as strictly confidential, except when special permission is obtained for publication.

RETURN COLONIAL TROOPS PRIVATE J. SCHMIDT IS BEING TRIED ON SERIOUS CHARGES

Court-Martial in the Kinmel Riots Is Resumed.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Prisoner's Counsel Will Endeavor To Prove An

today. Private Joseph Schmidt pleaded LIMITATIONS OF not guilty to four charges, namely, attacking a body of cavalry, attempting a raid on camps 4 and 20, using violence to a superior officer by firing a rifle shot at Lieut, Gauthier, who was endeavoring to suppress the riot, and afternatively with offering violence to

rifle at Lieut. Gauthier. Major Wey- have won a victory in their opposition rifle at Lieut. Gauthier. Major Weyman, defending the accused, contended to the limitation of armaments of the Quebec, June 5 .- Two C. P. O. S. that the offence should be tried by a new states created from the former ners, the Empress of Britain, and the civil judge and jury, arguing that the Austro-Hungarian empire, as incorpor-Corsican docked here last night, the latter at 9:15 o'clock and the former at 10:20 o'clock. The Empress carried 2.851

followed them across the field to the huts, between which they retired. When he saw accused and a number of other men they called out: "All right, come along. We see you. We shall soon fix you up." Witness said that his party then returned. The rioters commenced firing rifles with ball ammunition. The

firing at him from one side of a tree, and the third from the other side. Witness had to retreat to camp 20. After the firing ceased witness saw two men lying shot through the head behind the tree. Sergt.-Major MacLaren, corroborating the foregoing testimony, said that when the accused pointed a rifle at Lieut. Gauthier he (Schmidt) cried: "Get that man and you have got the lot!"

Major Weyman said that witnesses would be called to testify that at the time of the riots the accused was a patient in the camp hospital and wore blue hospital clothes till after dinner, when he changed into khaki and went in the direction of camp 20, where he had an appointment with a girl. He reached the huts when the shooting

Sparks From Broken Trolley Wire Running Into Wilkesbarre Mine Ignited Car of Black Powder Attached To Train Carrying Miners To Work-Women and Children Shrieking and Crying, Endeavor To Find Trace of Relatives Among Dead.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., June 5.—Seventy-eight mine workers were killed and 40 injured at the Baltimore No. 2 tunnel of the Delaware and Hudson Company near here early today. A car of black powder attached to a train of cars on which the men were riding to their chambers in the mine exploded. An electric motor drew the cars. The trolley wire broke and sparks ignited the powder. Men were blown everywhere, but most

the men into the chambers. One hundred men piled into the cars, which were drawn by an electric motor. Near

the end of the train was a car of black

when 200 feet in the tunnel, the trol-ey wire broke and fell. Sparks ignited he powder and instantly there was an explosion that sent the bodies of men lying in all directors. The force was so terrific that it was heard throughout

the greater part of the city.

Flames caused the greater loss of life, any of the bodies being burned to a

risp.
Other men who were burned and were trying to reach safety died of sufocation. When rescuers reached the unnel there were dead and dying scat-

Death List Grows.

Cries of Dying Above Din.
The death list was made large by the flames and the sulphur fumes which filled the tunnel. The fire did not last long, but it was long enough to make

PUBLIC UTILITIES **MUST GET CONSENT** OF MUNICIPALITIES TO USE STREETS

Mowat Amendment To Consolidated Railway Bill Car-

ries by Close Vote.

MINISTERS OPPOSE IT

Motion To Bring Employees of Railway Commission Under

Solidated Kallway Bill Cartered everywhere. The injured were rapidly removed, sent to hospitals are quickly as ambulances could be provided, and the dead were brought out and placed in tiers on the ground.

Identification of the bodies is almost impossible. Many of them are charred beyond recognition. The limbs of some, the heads of others, are missing.

At 9:30 a.m., it was said between 75 and 100 were killed, or had died from injuries. Railway Commission Under injuries. Civil Service Body Carries The death the bodies are removed from the mine

Ottawa, June 5.—At an early hour this morning, the House of Commons gave its aid to municipal rights by carrying the Mowat amendment to the consolidated railway bill by the close vote of 55 to 52.

The effect of this amendment is to place the Toronto and Niagara Power Company, along with all other public the bodies are removed from the mine, living and dead, they were piled on the green about the collierles. Many of the injured lived but a short time. Hundreds of women, men and children gathered about the tunnel, shrieking and crying, lifting the blankets from the bodies. Women fainted, men lost their nerve, and children ran away in fright. The bodies of scores have been removed to the morgues. There the work of place the Toronto and Niagara Power Company, along with all other public utilities companies under the general law with respect to the necessity of obtaining municipal consent for the use of streets. Also in acquiring the assets of any public utility company the Toronto and Niagara Power Company will have to accept all the obligations toward the municipality which the company so acquired was bound to.

The death list was made large by the company with the powder and sparks did the rest.

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the company so acquired and the sulphur fumes when Ministers Oppose Amendment.

All the cabinet ministers in the House at the time voted against the amendment. They were, Hon, N, W, Rowell, Hon, Dr. Reid, Hon, A, L. Sifton, Hon, F. B. Carveil, Hon, S. C. Mewburn and Hon, C. C. Ballantyne, Mr. Mowat (Toronto) then moved another amendment that any company purchasing the Toronto Electric Light Company be bound by the same provision. This also carried by the same vote.

There will be scores of widows and orphan as a result of today's catastrophe, next to the greatest this section of the anthracite coal fields

the employees of the railway commission under the civic service commission was carried unanhmously.

The latter than the civic service commission was carried unanhmously. Liverpool, June 5. — The court-martial in the Kinmel riots was resumed today. Private Jessey Col. 2 and so detect is a given result of violation of the law. Permission was given the men to ride the trip to their place of work. train was provided for that purpose.
On these cars special seats are built
and the train was in daily use.

Violation of Law.

ARMAMENTS CLAUSE TO BE ELIMINATED

Small Powers Secure Concession From Council of Four.

a superior officer by pointing a loaded Paris, June 5.—The small powers



Advertiser Illustrations Amongst the soldiers who returned with the 44th Battalion of Manitoba, by the company by the company be reinstated, "even if it is necessary d was Sergt, Folster, a full-blooded Indian, who fought through every engage- to entirely abandon telegraph service at ment, and won the D. C. M. and the Atlanta." Notices to this effect were military medal with bar.—British and posted by order of the president of the Colonial Press photograph.

plosives must be transported alone. There were a dozen kegs of powder in one of the rear cars, all of which were FURTHER HONORED

Violation of Law.

It is a violation of the mine law to carry powder on a train. The law is specific that powder and other explosives must be transported alone.

Invested Along With Two Australian Military Commanders.

London, June 5.—At a public investi-ure, three generals of the dominion orces received the insignia of Knight f the Grand Cross of St. Michael and t. George, namely Generals Currie of anada, Birdwood and Monash of Aus-Decorations for services in North Bar to Distinguished Services in North Russia have been awarded as follows: Bar to Distinguished Service Order—Major F. F. Arnold, artillery. Distinguished Service Order—Major L. H. MacKenzie, Nova Scotia Regi-ment; Capt. A. Eastman, Machine Gun Copps Corps.

Military Cross—Capt. R. D. Adam engineers: Lieuts. W. J. Bre ishs J. S. McRae, J. Roberts, J. D. W. low and Capt. O. A. Mowatt, all

TELEGRAPH OPERATOR WHO JOIN SYMPATH STRIKE ARE "FIF

President of Western Union They Will Stay Out.

Atlanta, Ga., June 5.-Employee the Western Union Telegraph Company who went on strike here yesterday in support of telephone operators. who walked out Monday, were informed by the company that none of them will