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German Government Anticipates Another Revolution.

Plot Has Extensive Ramifications-- British Miners Accept Twenty per Cent Increase-- Railway Chiefs Present Ultimatum to Brotherhoods-- Canadian Anglicans Refuse to Change Name of Church.

PREPARING FOR ANOTHER REVOLUTION.

PARIS, April 15. The German Government has decided to place guards around the Government and other public buildings, and has sent for fifteen large tanks and twenty armoured cars, because of the rumours of a new attempt to overthrow the Government for the purpose of forming an alliance with Soviet Russia, according to advices from Berlin to-day.

BRITISH MINERS ACCEPT GOVERNMENT'S OFFER.

LONDON, April 15. Members of the Miners' Federation,

by a majority of sixty-five thousand votes, have decided to accept the Government's offer of twenty per cent. increase on gross earnings. The decision provides for a minimum flat advance of two shillings for all workers over eighteen, a minimum flat advance of two shillings for all workers between sixteen and eighteen years, and nine pence for workers under sixteen.

RAILROAD MANAGERS' ULTIMATUM.

NEW YORK, April 15. The Railroad General Managers' Association of New York, to-night delivered an ultimatum to the "Big

Four" Railroad Brotherhoods, giving them until noon Saturday "to have their men report for work." After that time it is stated the railroads "will themselves open their books for a period of twenty-four hours, ending at noon Saturday for such men as register during that period and who are acceptable. Will be taken back into service retaining their rooster fight. In any event, "the ultimatum added, "the railroads retain the right to refuse to reinstate or employ certain employees who have shown during the period of trouble by violence, seditious utterance, intimidation or other well defined means, an unfitness for further railroad service."

REACTIONARY INTRIGUES ATTRACTING ATTENTION.

BERLIN, April 15. Revelations regarding continual reactionary intrigues are attracting great attention in the Berlin press. The Tageblatt to-day publishes an interview with Lord Kilmarnock, British Charge D'Affaires, in which the latter is reported to have said, "I am convinced that a new military attempt would provoke the greatest indignation in England, and the British Government would repudiate it decisively. Every chance Germany has of obtaining help in the way of food, raw materials and credit, would be spoiled by any acts of violence."

CANADIAN ANGLICANS RETAIN OLD NAME.

MONTREAL, April 15. The question of changing the name of the Church of England in Canada came up in the Anglican Synod here this afternoon. A resolution expressing opposition was moved and carried by a large majority. Lt.-Col. Renout, in seconding the motion, said that if the name were changed, it would be one more link broken between the Mother Country and Canada.

FLOATING DOCK TONNAGE RECEIVED FROM GERMANY.

PARIS, April 15. The Council of Ambassadors at today's session received the report of the naval experts with regard to German floating dock tonnage to be handed over in compensation for the scuttling of the German fleet at Scapa Flow. It developed that a total of 192,000 tons of this material had been discovered by the commission. A basis for the distribution of this tonnage among the Allies was adopted by the Council. The reply of the Hungarian peace delegation with regard to the peace terms submitted by the Allies to Hungary was taken up and further considered. Discussion of the reply, however, was completed at this session. The Council has decided to ask for a report from the international commission appointed to supervise the fixing of the boundary between East Prussia and Poland in the Marienwerder district, before deciding the date of the plebiscite to be held in that district under Articles 96 and 97 of the Peace Treaty.

Fashions and Fads.

Sailor hats are popular. Handbags are very elaborate. Some blouses are very simple. A new hat fabric is straw cloth. Flowered toques are in high favor. The short sleeve is still in vogue. The bib sash is frequently seen. The set-in pocket is very fashionable. Colored chenille vests are in great favor. Marabou neckwear is greatly in demand. Soft colors are preferred for children. Organdie still holds the center of the stage.

"Sally in Our Alley" is Historical Piece.

No name in musical history has attached itself more securely to romance than that of Henry Carey. He was born about 1865 and was reputed to have been the natural son of the Marquis of Halifax, George Saville. For many years it was believed that he was the composer of "God Save the King," but this has been disputed many times. He did, however, during his eccentric career, write numerous operettas and plays. He is best remembered, however, by

his song, "Sally in our Alley," which was not only immensely popular in its day—but was said to have been the great vocal hit in that famous pastiche "The Beggar Opera." His tale of how he was inspired to write that famous piece is very refreshing when read at this date. "A shoemaker's apprentice making a holiday with his sweetheart, treated her with a sight of Bedlam, the puppet shows, the flying chairs, and all the elegancies of Moodfields; when, proceeding to the Farthing Pie House, he gave her a collection of buns, cheese cakes, gammon of bacon, stuffed beer and bottled ale, through all of which scenes the author dodged them." This it was that inspired a song which has lived for two centuries. Addition was a great admirer of the piece.

Odds and Ends of News.

James Weatherbourn, a Lancashire (G. B.) man, was acting as M.C. at a dance at Addlestone, when during a waltz he collapsed and died.

Martin Plestina, a Chicago wrestler, has a neck so thick that he wears a sized 22 collar, which he can slip over his head without unfastening the collar.

The British Admiralty has sold about 40 patrol boats of the fast trawler type to private owners for conversion into cargo boats of about 600 tons.

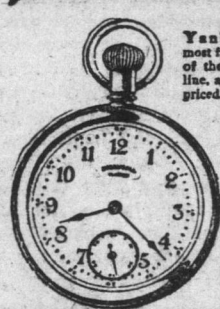
The governors of the Aldershot, G. B., hospital have decided that none of the nursing staff work more than six days weekly. Increased wages have also been granted.

Freaks of the recent Western tornadoes are reported. In Elgin, Ill., a tree five feet in diameter was uprooted, while 25 feet away a slender sapling stood firm and strong. The Elgin chief of police tells of a baby that was lifted from the floor where it had been playing and laid on a bed, where it was found crying by a frantic mother, who had seen the roof of her home go sailing away.

More than two weeks ago two large St. Bernard dogs, pets of virtually every child in the neighborhood, disappeared from the home of their master, William Tanner, in Hathor, Penn. They have just been found in the bushes on a farm half a mile away, the younger dog held prisoner in a steel muskrat trap. A pile of bones and scraps of refuse was lying near the trap, and it appears that the trapped dog's mother had been bringing food to it for a fortnight.

On the 16th visit to the warehouse of the Fair Chance Distillery at Gransville, Md., thieves took the last drop of 45 barrels of liquor left at the distillery at the time war-time prohibition became effective. It is believed that the distillery was the most robbed whiskey warehouse in the United States. It is located in a rather lonely spot. The whiskey taken is valued at between \$30,000 and \$40,000.

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