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BOLSHEVIKI UPRISINGS IN AUSTRIA ARE IMMINENT

Food Situation is Acutely Bad.

SOCIALISTS OPPOSED TO AN ATTACK ON HUNGARY.

BERNE, March 27. (By Ralph Kommer)—Bolshevik uprisings in Austria and Czechoslovakia are imminent, according to advices received here today.

Any move in those two countries against the Hungarian soviet government is expected to precipitate the trouble.

The British military mission in Vienna has, it was reported, notified the Austrian government that the Allies are ready to increase Austria's food supply if order is maintained. Austria's population is greatly excited over events in Hungary, especially in view of their own economic situation. All restaurants in Vienna are closed. There is no gas nor coal and the meat ration has been reduced to an infinitesimal quantity. Bolshevism is apparently proving an increasing attraction to a substantial portion of the population. Fritz Adler, according to reliable information, is preparing to lead a bolshevik uprising against the present Austrian government. In Prague radical socialists are demanding immediate general nationalization. The entire socialist party is threatening a general strike, if an effort is made to mobilize against Hungary.

Unconfirmed reports have been received that a formidable Czechoslovak army has already begun the invasion of Hungary, occupying the important city of Raab, about midway between Vienna and Budapest.

The latest advices received here indicate that Hungarian communism is making the Russian soviet republic appear almost conservative. Everything being nationalized and most severe penalties are provided for any form of resistance.

Bela Kun, the new foreign minister, is said to have been in prison when Count Karolyi decided to turn government over to him.

Friends of former Emperor Karl in Switzerland declared he will recognize the national assembly and legislation of his dethronement without giving up hope that the Austrian people will eventually change their minds. In the meantime he will settle down to a secluded life at Parma castle. His brother, Archduke Max, remaining in Vienna but is prepared to renounce all claim to the throne.

CZECHO CROSS THE DANUBE LONDON, March 27.—Czechoslovak forces have crossed the Danube, cutting the Budapest-Vienna railway, according to a dispatch from Basle reported today.

This apparently refers to the occupation of Raab, which is south of the Danube, midway between Vienna and Budapest.

Hungarian Soviet Gov't Established Yesterday

Everything Socialized From Army Down to Baths.

DENIALS ARE MADE.

The following is the first direct dispatch from Hungary to be received in this country since the bolshevik government was set up at Budapest. It effectually dispels reports that allied representatives have been mistreated. It states that Hungary has declared war against entente and that there has been bloodshed.

ALLIED REPRESENTATIVES AT LIBERTY.

BUDAPEST, March 26. (By Edward Bing)—The Hungarian soviet republic was formally established yesterday without disorder or bloodshed and with amicable relations continuing with allied representatives. All the Allies and allied soldiers are at complete liberty. The popularity of British and American officers has not diminished. Everything in the country has been socialized, from the army down to the bathhouse. This recognition has been accomplished with the apparent approval of the wealthy and aristocratic as well as the poor and humble. A red army is being organized on a purely voluntary basis, conscription being abolished as soon as the communists' government took office. Soldiers are paid \$90 a month. They are clothed, fed and equipped without charge and in addition they receive extra pay for the support of their families.

Army commanders are named by the communists. All ranks are eligible. Officers are picked purely on their merit, after a careful examination of their records. Indications point to formation of the largest and most contented army in the history of the country.

Law courts have been abolished and supplanted by revolutionary tribunals, composed of a chairman and two members. They are virtually in continuous session and justice is meted out rapidly and effectively, with more consideration for real justice than the old law. Punishment is carried out immediately, after sentence is pronounced. The death penalty can be pronounced only by an unanimous vote of the tribunal.

All industries have been ordered to continue at work. Special committees are being formed to insure a fair distribution of the scanty supply of raw materials. Requisitions from private families are forbidden.

Speaking of false news is severely punished. All titles and ranks are abolished. Shopkeepers have been ordered to prepare a list of their stocks and bank accounts. This is merely for the information of the government and no attempt will be made to seize them. Steps have been taken to substitute cash for cheques whenever possible.

The stock exchange has been ordered to cease operation. Public baths are to be opened to the labor classes and school children and no charge will be made for them. All private bathrooms likewise are at their disposal on Saturdays. Hungarian workers' meetings in various parts of the country have declared their unanimous approval of the reforms instituted by the communist government.

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WITHOUT DEPENDING UPON OTHERS

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Germany's Military Peace Delegates

HAVE BEEN NAMED

BERLIN, March 27.—Under the chairmanship of General von Wrisberg of the Prussian war ministry, the following will constitute the military members of the German peace delegation. It was announced today: General von Hammerstein, military president of the Spa armistice commission; Major von Boek, former member of the crown prince's staff; Lieut.-Col. von Aylward of the Bavarian general staff; Major Boetticher, of the Saxon general staff, and Captain Geyer of the Wurtemburger army.

Anti-Bolshevik Army

Begin an Offensive

IN THE DVINSK REGION

LONDON, March 27.—Anti-Bolshevik forces have begun a strong offensive in the Dvinsk region, according to a wireless dispatch received from Moscow today. The communication said the bolsheviks are defending their positions near the Miossa river.

Heavy fighting was reported in progress in Livonia and along the Tukut-Mitau railway.

Triple Alliance May

Decide Not To Strike

WELL-INFORMED PERSONS ARE HOPEFUL

LONDON, March 27.—The "Triple Alliance," jointly representing miners, railwaymen and transport workers, was scheduled to decide definitely today on the question of a general strike.

In view of the miners' decision yesterday to recommend the acceptance of the government's compromise, together with the transport workers' previous adjustment and the apparently conciliatory attitude of railway union chiefs, well-informed persons were confident the "Triple Alliance" would decide against a strike.

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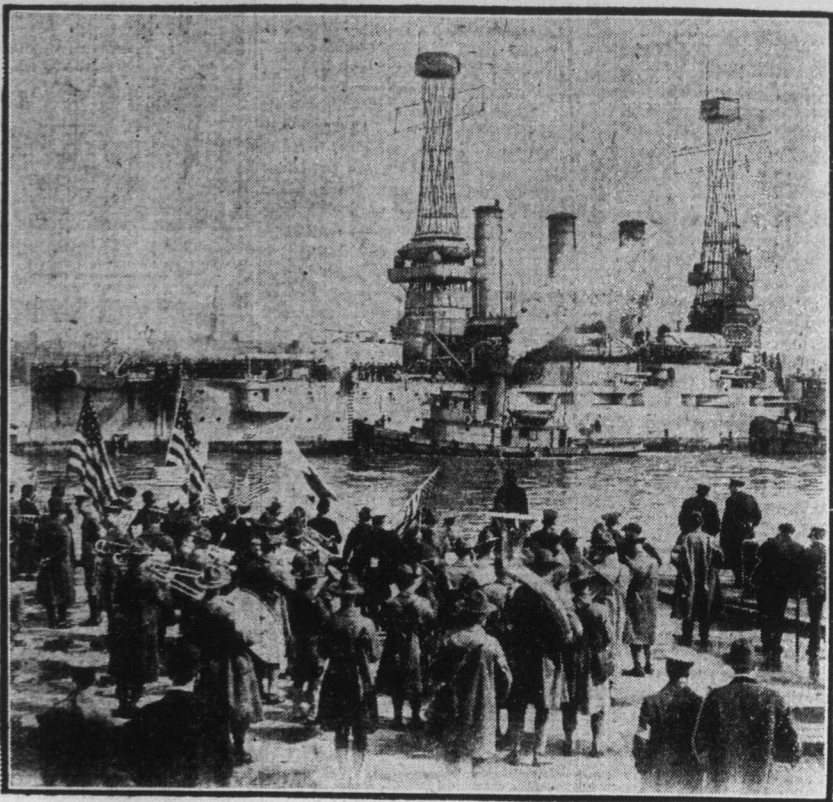
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CEDRIC HAS DOCKED

HALIFAX, March 27.—The White Star liner, Cedric, from England with three thousand returning Canadian soldiers arrived in port today. It is expected she will dock at 5 o'clock this afternoon.



AN UNUSUAL VIEW OF THE U.S.S. MISSOURI BRINGING BACK LAST OF THE 27TH DIVISION. Here is a remarkable view of the "Missouri" steaming into her berth at Hoboken, with the last of the 27th Division, namely the 108th Machine Gun Battalion, Red Cross women and left nearest the ship to dock so as to distribute delicacies to the men. A regimental band is playing "Hail, Hail, the Gang's all Here."

CABLE NEWS In Tabloid Form

38 SHIPS HANDED OVER

PARIS, March 27.—The Supreme Economic Council reports that 38 German ships that have left German ports to be turned over to allied and associated powers are generally in a seaworthy condition. None of ships is of less than 2500 tons capacity.

The larger ships will be used to repatriate American and Australian troops.

ITALIANS AT PRESSBURG

LONDON, March 27.—Italian troops have occupied the town of Pressburg, 35 miles southeast of Vienna, on the Hungarian side of the border according to a dispatch from Budapest, forwarded by the Central News correspondent at Berlin.

INVESTIGATING ASSASSINATION

(Special to The Record)

ROME, March 27.—The investigation was under way today of the assassination of Vice-President Biddoda of the Albanian National Council, who was shot from ambush by alleged followers of Essad Pasha while travelling from Durazzo to Medua. A British colonel who accompanied him was unharmed.

2500 MORE CANADIANS AT HALIFAX

HALIFAX, March 27.—The Atlantic transport liner Minnekadha, with twenty-five hundred returned Canadian soldiers, docked at 8 o'clock this morning. Disembarkation was begun an hour later.

R. A. F. Airships

Will Demonstrate

WILL NOT ENTER TRANS-ATLANTIC COMPETITION BUT WILL SHOW THAT THEY CAN CROSS THE FOND

LONDON, March 27.—The airship section of the Royal Air Force announced today that the two airships recently launched, R 33 and R 34, will not participate in any trans-Atlantic competition, but will demonstrate that they can cross the ocean. The airships, it was said, probably will not start before May. One of them will cross Scotland to Newfoundland, where it will drop a passenger in a parachute. If the weather is good it will return to Scotland without stopping. If the weather is unfavorable, the craft will continue to the United States, landing there. The other ship will fly by the southern route, touching in Africa and landing in Florida. The royal airship club announced today that its entry will attempt to fly across the Atlantic early in April, starting from Newfoundland. The latest entry for the Mails' \$50,000 prize is S. R. Raynham an Englishman. Discussing the official statement regarding the R 33 and R 34, a member of the Royal Air Club said today that Americans should not be surprised "if their test trip resulted in one of these mornings in their landing in America."

Commons Will Not Let Matter Rest

MAY ULTIMATELY MOVE THAT \$5,000 BE DEDUCTED FROM EXCHIEF JUSTICE'S SALARY.

(Special to The Record)

OTTAWA, March 27.—The Commons is not finished with the Edwards' resolution calling for the refunding of \$5,000 paid to Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, former Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada, and now Lieut.-Governor of Quebec. It was fully expected that a vote would be taken on the resolution yesterday afternoon but it was talked out by Devlin of Wright and Viers of Lottbinder who was on his feet when six o'clock came and the House adjourned. The debate itself was not adjourned, though Capt. Power of Quebec West endeavored to do so. Had it been adjourned the resolution would have gone to the tail end of the order paper, and probably would not have been resurrected for a considerable length of time. Opinion now differs as to when it will come up, some holding that the debate can be resumed on Monday where it left off, others that it goes to the end of motions. In any case the chief movers of the demand believe that they have still another card to play. If the resolution is buried they are ready to move that there be deducted from the \$10,000 salary of Sir Charles Fitzpatrick as Lieut.-Governor of Quebec the sum of \$5,000 in dispute.

De Velera in Dublin

THERE WAS NO DEMONSTRATION

DUBLIN, March 27.—Despite the fact that Prof. Edward De Valera is alleged to have arrived here late yesterday, there were no demonstrations, as "Sinn Fein" leaders urged that a procession in honor of the Irish "president" be called off.

A thousand Sinn Feiners, who had gathered to give De Valera a reception dispersed quickly.

Through Train to Orient

ABOUT TO BE ESTABLISHED

PARIS, March 27.—The establishment of a through train service connecting England, France and Italy with the Orient, without passing through territory of the Central Empires, was assured today by the commission on the international regime of ports, waterways and railways.

Under this plan a train de luxe, to be called the "Simplon-Orient Express" will run between Paris and the Orient by way of Lausanne, Simplon, Milan, Venice, Trieste, Ljubljana, Ambrano and Vinkovce, branching there to connect with Bucharest and Odessa on one hand and Belgrade, Constantinople and Far East.

Daylight Saving

on the Railways

IT WILL GO INTO EFFECT AT 2 A.M. SUNDAY

MONTREAL, March 27.—Despite the reported decision of the government not to reintroduce daylight saving this year all Canadian railways will operate under the scheme. They were ordered to do so by the Canadian Railway War Board this morning. The order from the War Board states that change will be made at 2 a.m. Sunday.

Taft Working for

Acceptable Pact

SO THAT OPPOSITION REPUBLICAN WILL BE SATISFIED

WASHINGTON, March 27.—(By Robert J. Bender).—Ex-President Taft is working by cable with President Wilson in an effort to so amend the League of Nations covenant as to make it acceptable to opposition Republicans. This was officially declared today when the White House let it be known that the peace conference in Paris now is working on four amendments to the covenant.

TAFT'S SUGGESTION CONSIDERED YESTERDAY

WASHINGTON, March 27.—An amendment to the League of Nations covenant was suggested by former president Taft and considered by President Wilson and allied members in Paris yesterday. It was sent from the White House less than a week ago after Mr. Taft had been assured by Secretary Tamm that any suggestion from him would be welcomed by the President. This became known today at the White House. Several suggestions were made by Mr. Taft, the

Bessarabia Proclaims

Its Independence

And Attacked Rumanian Army of Occupation.

CAPTURING TOWN OF SADRAGORA

WARSAW, March 27.—Bessarabia has proclaimed its independence, established a soviet republic and begun an offensive against the Rumanian army of occupation, a dispatch from Chotin announced today.

Bessarabia is a former province of Russia bordering Rumania on the north and east. It has been claimed and occupied by Rumania.

The Bessarabian army has captured the important town of Sadragora and is pushing the Rumanians across the Pruts river toward Larga. The belief was expressed here that the Russian bolsheviks are engineering the Bessarabian campaign, for the purpose of establishing direct communication between Moscow and Budapest. M. Likim heads the new Bessarabian government.

Chotin is in Bessarabia, 175 miles east of Lemberg. Larga is in Rumania, 100 miles southwest of Chotin.

LATER REPORT SAYS HE WAS ARRESTED

COENHAGEN, March 26.—Count Michael Karolyi, former president of Hungary, has been arrested and will be brought before revolutionary tribunal for trial Vienna dispatch says.

MILITARY PRECAUTIONS IN CENTRAL EUROPE HINTED AT

One of the French Generals Has Been Given Important Commission

PARIS, March 27.—General Man-

gin, one of the leading officers of the French army, was recalled from his command at Mayence, the newspapers announce, to undertake a commission and the character and scope of which "is indicated plainly by events in Hungary."

According to Gaulois he would receive a very important command in Eastern Europe, undoubtedly the balkans, with the view to possible operations on the Hungarian frontier

and south western Russia. Gen. J. M. G. Malletre, military critic, in an article in Matin, apparently reflecting military opinion suggests that as a means of checking Bolshevism and rendering a definite victory of the allies, certain allied armies should march through Germany and effect a junction with Poland. Gen. Malletre adds that the allies must finish the job by a thunder stroke and declares that the sword of Marshal Foch is not yet sheathed.

principle one dealing with the Monroe doctrine. This was tactically official but White House officials decline to give out the text of the communication.

Commission Gov't

in Saskatoon City

A feature noticed on his business trip to Saskatoon by Superintendent McIntyre of the Street Railway department was the Commission form of government in the Western city. In conversation with the Superintendent today the Record upon enquiry regarding the system and the operation was informed that the system apparently is giving satisfaction to the public generally. It consists of a City Manager, and a Mayor and eight aldermen. The Manager supervises all the business of the city.

One matter in connection with the system as found in this city which, however, is probably not due to the system but rather to the personnel of the council, was the tendency of overlapping in the performance of duties of the members of the Council and the department heads. The people in the western city, however, seem to be satisfied with the system.

Asked about the atmosphere of the West, especially as to their methods of business and their optimism, which was so evident in past years, Mr. McIntyre said this was still in evidence. An example was that of the decision of the Council, whose meeting he attended. A deputation appeared before the Council and made a request for a certain public service, the cost of which would be about \$7,000. It pointed out among the members of the governing body that the expenditure would bring in only a fraction of revenue. The deputation replied that if the improvement were not made people would not come there to live and would even move away from that section. The Council thereupon decided to make the improvement.

The Superintendent as is known went to Saskatoon to inspect two street cars which the local Commission will probably purchase. The matter has to go before a Committee of the Council in the Western city before the deal can be put through but it is expected that it will be completed. Regarding the street railway in the city he visited the city owns the utility. The railway carries about 21000 passengers daily, which is a goodly number for a city of 25,000 people. The average per day for the whole year on the local street railway would be about 7,000. As to the difference, the Superintendent stated that the city is not built so compact as this city and consequently many more people must use the cars. Even in the very heart of the city, where the principal streets cross one another, there are vacant properties where no buildings have as yet been erected.

It might be stated that when Mr. McIntyre arrived in Saskatoon a week ago last Saturday the temperature was down to 22 degrees below zero. "It was cold one didn't feel it much" he remarked. Of late more snow has fallen in the West, but there has been comparatively little snow there all winter.

Improvements For

Prince Rupert

SHIP BUILDING PROGRAM AT PRINCE RUPERT B.C.

WINNIPEG, March 25.—Mr. Newman Erb, Chairman of the Board of the Prince Rupert Dry Dock and Engineering Co., who is also President of the Ann Arbor Railway Company, with headquarters in New York has just passed through here enroute to Prince Rupert B.C. The Prince Rupert Dry Dock and Engineering Co. has, effective this month, taken over under lease from the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway the ship-building plant and dry dock located at Prince Rupert, and is at present entering upon the construction of two 8100 ton freighters of the Dominion standard. The material for these two ships has been ordered and their construction

Poland Asks For Help

NEEDS MILITARY SUPPLIES

WARSAW, March 27.—General Pilsudski, commander of the Polish army, declared in an interview today that Poland needs materials to equip an army of half a million men for effective opposition against the Germans, Ukrainians and Bolsheviki.

He intimated that America might furnish these supplies from the equipment it will need to move from France. "We have men and officers but no uniforms, rifles, munitions or guns," said Pilsudski. "Poland is attacked on three sides. She cannot protect herself without technical war material, which she is not yet equipped for manufacturing. We are grateful to the Allies, from whom we have received something very dear, namely food."

Daylight Saving,

The Live Issue

BOARDS OF TRADE FAVOR IT

TORONTO, March 27.—The Executive of the Associated Boards of Trade at the meeting here today passed a strong resolution urging upon the government the necessity for a daylight saving bill this year, the same as last summer. The Executive of the C.M.A. meeting in Montreal will also pass similar resolution.

PARLIAMENT WILL HAVE TO DECIDE THE QUESTION

OTTAWA, March 27.—Daylight saving and its continuance during the present summer will probably be left to Parliament for a decision. It is likely that the question will come up in the House today on Major Cooper's motion that "it is expedient to re-enact at once" the daylight saving bill of last year. When daylight saving came before the government, cautious strong objection was raised to its continuance and in view of the opposition raised, it was decided that summer-time be dropped. The fact that the Canadian Railways will be compelled to conform with American summer-time, however, complicated the situation. It is therefore, considered likely that an early opportunity will be given for a vote in the House on Major Cooper's motion and a final decision will be reached in accordance with result.

will necessitate the employment of a large number of men, at least for a period of a year and a half or two years. As the business develops, Mr. Erb states that it is his company's intention to materially enlarge the ship-building plant. The dry dock is the largest section of the Pacific Coast. Mr. Erb spoke enthusiastically of present prospects, but, of course, development of trade through the port of Prince Rupert with the Orient is the essential feature to that city's permanent progress. Mr. John L. Millen, President of Prince Rupert Dry Dock and Engineering Co., is already at Prince Rupert directing the organization work.

More Boys Home

or Who Will Come

The following young men arrived from overseas last night on the 9.15 train:

Sergeant Schneider, Priv. Inrie, Priv. Gough and Fromm. Priv. Allen and Ludwig came on the 10.00 Galt car. They were met by Mr. A. Lockhart and taken to their homes in Waterloo.

The following were expected to arrive on the 2.30 train this afternoon:

Ellis of Waterloo; Abbott of Waterloo St.; Kline of Henry St.; Monest King St.; West of St. John's Place. On the 3.30 train this afternoon: Priv. Hall of this city.