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WARNED NOT TO SET SAIL

German Sympathizers in New York Again Assume Threatening Attitude

WOULD TORPEDO LINER ESPAGNE

Matter Brought to Attention of British Ambassador in Washington

NEW YORK, Mar. 1.—American citizens who have booked passage on the French liner Espagne, scheduled to sail from New York for Bordeaux, France, Thursday, February 24, have received anonymous letters calling attention to the proposed new submarine policy announced by Germany and warning them not to embark, according to information received by officers of the British Consulate here to-day. Mrs. F. Banker Hilton of this city, who plans to sail on the Espagne, declared to-night that she had received a letter, typewritten in black ink on yellow paper, which read: "Madam—It is understood that you intend to sail within the next few days upon the steamship Espagne for Bordeaux, France. You are doubtless fully aware of the intended submarine policy which is to come into effect any day, and which will be carried out rigorously, irrespective of the nationality of persons upon the vessel attacked. Therefore, assuming that you are aware of the unusual and unnecessary danger that you are subjecting yourself to, you are requested to receive this warning as definite and unquestionably necessary, and which you are requested not to question, but to accept for the safety of yourself and that of your family."

The envelope containing the letter, as postmarked February 17, 6.30 p.m. Mrs. Hilton turned over the missive to the British authorities here, who later sent it by special delivery and registered mail to the British Ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, in Washington. At the British Consulate to-night it was said that similar letters to others who had booked passage on the Espagne had been forwarded to the Consulate.

Sailing from here on Thursday, the Espagne, which is a slow boat, would ordinarily reach Bordeaux about March 4 or 5.

Canada Sends A Forestering Battalion to the Old Country

OTTAWA, March 2.—A Canadian forestering battalion has been asked for by the War Office, and steps have been immediately taken by Major-General Sir Sam Hughes to form it. It will be in command of Lt.-Col. Alexander McDougall, of Ottawa, the well-known railway contractor. The majors of the battalion will probably be Gerald White, M.P., for North Renfrew, and B. R. Hepburn, M.P., for Prince Edward. Canadian woodsmen are wanted at once in Great Britain for timbering operations in connection with war requirements. Lumber is now at an almost prohibitive price in the motherland and ocean rates on lumber from this side are so high as practically to stop export from here. In Great Britain there are still large resources of standing timber which can be cut down and utilized for building operations, trench construction work, etc. The men from Canada know the business and will get to work within a month or so on the job.

It is planned to raise companies of experienced woodsmen from British Columbia, from Alberta and Northern Saskatchewan, from the Ottawa Valley, and from Quebec and New Brunswick. A number of prominent lumbermen and contractors have agreed to co-operate in the recruiting of the new battalion. These modern couriers de bois will form one of the most picturesque and at the same time most serviceable of the Canadian battalions for overseas service.

ITS SEVERAL BLEMISHES

"No," said the editor, "we cannot use your poem."
"Why" asked the poet, "is it too long?"
"Yes," hissed the editor, "it's too long, too wide and too thick."

PLAIN WAGES

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Details Are Given Of Last Year's Loan

Statement of Expenses in Placing of \$45,000,000 Bonds in New York

MADE UP OF TWO ISSUES

Commission Paid J. P. Morgan and Company and Associates

OTTAWA, Feb. 29.—A statement of expenses in connection with the loan of \$45,000,000 placed in New York by Sir Thomas White last Summer was presented to the House to-day by the Minister of Finance, in response to a motion by Mr. A. K. McLean, of Halifax.

No prospectus was issued for this loan. The amount was made up of an issue of one-year notes amounting to \$25,000,000, at par, and an issue of two-year notes amounting to \$20,000,000 at 9 1/2%, the net yield, without expenses, being \$44,900,000. The commission paid to J. P. Morgan and Company and associates was \$337,500, less \$5,250 interest for one day, before the money was paid over. Other expenses to date in connection with the loan amount to \$47,654.77. As holders of the bonds issued are to be permitted to exchange for twenty-year bonds, the effective rates of interest, it is stated, cannot be given until the expiration of the period during which the bonds may be exchanged. The statement includes a copy of the prospectus of the domestic loan, together with a table of allotments.

The total number of subscribers was 24,862. Subscriptions for \$100 bonds amounted to \$4,099,500; those of \$500 bonds to \$8,699,500; those of \$1,000 bonds to \$58,876,000, and those of \$5,000 or over to \$28,325,000. A statement of expenses in connection with this loan cannot be given, according to the return, until after the last instalment is due.

Signal Honor for Premier Borden

Life Member of New York Lawyers' Club—Sir Robert First Honored Outside of States

OTTAWA, Feb. 29.—Sir Robert Borden is to be made an honorary life member of the Lawyers Club, of New York. It is the first time this institution, the leading of its kind in the United States, has conferred such an honor on any one outside of the country. There are only two honorary members now, ex-President Taft and Senator Root, and the distinction conferred on the Canadian premier is thus the more significant.

Sir Robert Borden was waited on this morning by a delegation composed of William A. Butler, president of the club; John A. Stewart, Perley Morse and Robert C. Morris. He was tendered the honorary membership and accepted it. At a date to be arranged later, the premier will be the guest of honor at a club banquet in New York, where he will be formally initiated. It is proposed to invite a number of prominent Canadians to accompany the premier on that occasion.

"We think the present is a time when people speaking the same tongue and having the same ideals should stand together," said John A. Stewart, one of the delegation. "When the proposal of making Sir Robert Borden a life member came up before the board of governors, there was not a dissenting voice, even though it is the first time the door has been opened to anyone outside of the United States. The relations between the two countries are most cordial, and I have long favored a closer association between Canadian and United States clubs and organizations."

House to Discuss Prohibition Issue

Mr. Stevens' Resolution, Endorsed By Temperance Leaders, the Question

BE NON-PARTY DEBATE

No Authoritative Statement Made of the Government's Attitude

OTTAWA, Feb. 29.—Monday next has been fixed for the discussion of Mr. Harry Stevens' resolution calling for federal prohibition as a war measure. This is the resolution which was endorsed by the committee appointed after the meeting of temperance delegates here, some weeks ago. The moving of the resolution by Mr. Stevens will provide an opportunity for a full discussion of the whole question and it is the intention of the Government that the discussion shall be as wide as possible.

The delegation of temperance organizations and others, who waited upon the Government some time ago, were given the promise that an opportunity would be provided for a frank discussion of the question in the House of Commons. Sir Robert Borden asked the delegation for certain information as to the steps already taken in the direction of prohibition in the provinces, and for the views of the delegates as to the results which a full exercise of the provincial power would produce. It is expected that this material will support the view that the question should be left to the provinces, more especially as the local Governments have the necessary machinery for enforcing their laws.

No authoritative statement of the Government's attitude, however, has been made. The debate in the House will, of course, be a non-party one. Hon. Charles Macell will second the resolution moved by the Vancouver member.

SEAL SHIPS ARRIVE.

Up to noon to-day neither Jobs nor Bowrings had any news of the arrival of their ships north. Bowrings had a message saying that the Eagle, which was one of the last ships to leave here—the Bloodhound was the very last—got down to Westville at 4 a.m. to-day. She beat the fleet on the run and left here 1 1/2 hours behind the Terra Nova. The Ranger arrived at Channel last night and made a good run. The Bloodhound arrived down this morning to clear from Pool's Island.

MARRIED MEN AGES 27 TO 35 CALLED TO COLORS

LONDON, March 8.—Newspapers announced to-day that a Proclamation will be issued next week, calling to the colors all married men between the ages of 27 and 35.

The Prospero left Trepassey at 6.45 a.m. to-day bound west.

The next foreign mail by express is not due in the city till Saturday.

In the Police Court to-day Mr. Hutchings, K.C., sentenced a drunk for the second time this season to pay \$2 or go down for 14 days.

Mr. Vey went out to the sealfishery on the S.S. Bloodhound and will take some fine photos while at the ice. Friend "Jim" will also have a share of harps to his credit if the ship strikes them.

Miss Alice Byrne, eldest daughter of Mr. Garret Byrne, will leave by the Stephano to enter the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, to go in training as a nurse. Miss Byrne is a graduate of Littlefield Academy and we wish her every success.

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