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National Industrial Conference Commences Probe of Social Unrest in Canada

NEED OF CLASS STRONGLY URGED UPON INDUSTRIAL CONFERENCE

Opening of Nation-Wide Gathering at Ottawa is Marked by Important Speeches on Labor Problems—Premier Borden Urges Necessity of Co-operative Spirit.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, Sept. 15.—The first day's proceedings of the national industrial conference came to a rather abrupt close at four-thirty this afternoon, an hour ahead of the scheduled time, when it was found that the employers' group had not the names ready to submit for their nominees for the special committee on the various subjects coming before the conference for discussion. The labor group was all ready, and Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Congress, offered to put in the employers' names for the committee before adjournment. The meeting, however, decided to wait and take them all together.

During the day, some splendid addresses were heard, and perhaps none struck home so much as did the brief talk of Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, who followed W. Jett Lauck, former secretary of the United States War Labor Board.

There is a real social unrest, in the opinion of Mr. Stone, and a buried spark of trouble which only requires a very little to fan into a dangerous flame. At the root of the whole trouble is the cost of living.

Brother's Reply. A 20 per cent increase in the pay envelope and a 40 per cent increase in the cost of living only aggravates the trouble, said Mr. Stone. "The cry, 'Am I my brother's keeper?' was never so heartfelt as it is today, and there is a great need for the man to arise, big enough and broad enough, to put the word 'brother' back in the brotherhood of man."

The need for some basis of agreement in Canada, whereby the plan of labor would be raised to a higher level and the present unrest banished; the progress in labor legislation in the United States; and the progress of the Whitley councils system in England were all dealt with during the day's session.

Premier Absent. Premier Borden was absent owing to illness, tho he had hoped to preside, and his message was read by Senator Robertson, a legislator who is vice-chairman of the conference. In it he referred to the need of unity among all classes in striving to better labor conditions in Canada, and said that while it was hoped that the peace treaty overseas was being peace to the entire world, the peace of labor in Canada should also be made secure by the results of the present gathering.

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King urged, among other things, that the rights of four parties to labor problems be recognized. These were labor, capital, management and the public interest, represented by the community which provided the laws without which industry could not progress and which also provided the means of transportation and communication so important to the development of every industry. The labor problems were too big for any party feelings to creep into efforts for their solution, said Mr. King, and he urged the delegates in their deliberations to get down to the human side of things.

Permanent Solution. Hon. A. L. Sifton, minister of public works, and Hon. N. W. Rowell, president of the privy council, also spoke briefly. The former told of the work of the Canadian delegates on the labor clauses of the treaty of peace. Mr. Rowell spoke of the pressing need of a permanent solution of Canada's labor unrest which had resulted in many strikes during the past year. However, Canada had been more fortunate than many other countries and he felt that Canadian labor's record during the war years would in no way be blemished by its record during the reconstruction period.

Mr. Lauck outlined the progress made in efforts to aid in reconstruction work in the United States and told the delegates that the nation across the border would watch the proceedings here very closely. More especially as a similar conference is to be held in Washington next month when it is hoped that the results of this conference will guide the American employer and employees to a great extent in solving their troubles.

Big Attendance. There were upwards of 200 delegates in attendance when the meeting opened.

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Gen. D'Esperey Holds Conference With Field Marshal Allenby

Paris, Sept. 15.—General Louis Franchet D'Esperey, commander of the allied forces in the near east, conferred today with Field Marshal Allenby concerning the military occupation of the Mediterranean littoral of Asia Minor.

HAVE RAISED SHIPS SUNK IN SCAPA FLOW

One Battleship, Two Cruisers and Fifteen Destroyers Have Been Floated.

Washington, Sept. 15.—Acting Secretary of State Phillips today received a despatch from London, stating that as a result of the efforts to raise the vessels scuttled at Scapa Flow, the battleship Baden, the cruisers Frankfort, Nuremberg and Emden, and fifteen destroyers, have been floated, and three other destroyers probably will be raised.

SOLDIERS' GRATUITY UP IN HOUSE TODAY

Col. Currie Deferred Motion Owing to the Absence of Gen. Mewburn.

Special to The Toronto World.

Ottawa, Sept. 15.—The subject of the \$2000 gratuity for the returned veterans is still very much in the air, and may be the subject of a prolonged debate tomorrow. On the opening of the house this afternoon, Hon. N. W. Rowell moved for the printing and distribution of 500,000 copies of the statement he made to the house on behalf of the prime minister on this subject last Friday afternoon. The statement included the correspondence between Sir Robert Borden and Secretary MacNeill of the G.W.V.A., as well as voluminous tables and diagrams, showing that Canada was dealing more generously in the matter of pensions and gratuities with the returned soldiers than any other nation. The statement is practically the government's case for refusing to entertain the application for the additional gratuity of \$2000.

It was understood that Colonel John A. Currie, Unionist member for North Simcoe, would move the adjournment of the house this afternoon to discuss the statement in relation to the \$2000 gratuity. He was in his place, but before he could make his motion, Judge Doherty, who was leading the house, showed that Canada was dealing more generously in the matter of pensions and gratuities with the returned soldiers than any other nation.

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S. BRANT LIBERALS TO MEET ON SEPT. 20

Special to The Toronto World.

Brantford, Ont., Sept. 15.—Hartley Dewar, leader of the Liberal party in this city, is expected to arrive in Brantford on his way to North Brant convention long enough to confer with local Liberals. As a result of his visit the convention for South Brant was announced for September 20.

and destroyed papers condemning their action. The British and American troops, says the correspondent, have embarked and the French have returned to their base.

British and French Flags Lowered. Paris, Sept. 15.—Twenty-five thousand Italian troops are now in Fiume, according to the latest advices to the Italian peace delegation here. The British and French troops continued in their barracks, the advices said.

According to the Rome correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company, an official communication has been issued there, announcing that General Badoglio had arrived at Fiume and issued a proclamation urging the soldiers who had followed D'Annunzio to return to their respective regiments.

The despatch, which is dated Monday, says that 25,000 men went into the officers because the latter followed that the government approved the enterprise. A number of infantrymen followed their units Saturday night, having discovered their error. A brigade of infantry stationed at Fiume maintained discipline.

Leaflets and posters were distributed Sunday, asserting that the Nitti cabinet had resigned. Other extraordinary rumors were circulated, apparently with the object of exciting the troops. One party of soldiers went to Resina

LET COURTS DECIDE RIGHTS OF POLICE IN BOSTON STRIKE

Feeling Among Certain Union Members That Sympathetic Strike Inadvisable Yet.

Boston, Sept. 15.—There were grounds for hope tonight that a general strike, in sympathy with the police who quit their posts last Tuesday, would be averted. These were found largely in the sentiment which favored recourse to the courts in an effort to have the strikers reinstated.

Strike sentiment is known to be strong in certain union quarters and Frank H. McCarthy, New England organizer for the American Federation of Labor, and President Michael J. O'Donnell of the Central Labor Union, in a formal statement tonight justified the action of the police in striking and attributed to Police Commissioner Currie complete responsibility for the lawlessness that ensued. They also pointed out that the commissioner's rule forbidding the affiliation of the police with the American Federation of Labor was not promulgated until after a charter had been sought and that the commissioner had been warned three weeks before the strike of what would happen if he attempted to enforce his new rule.

Think Courts Should Decide. There is a feeling among members of various unions affiliated with the former police officers, many believing that before drastic action is decided upon, it should be made to the courts to determine whether the police acted illegally in abandoning their posts yesterday without provision for another meeting before next Sunday of the Central Labor Union was accepted as indicating that a general strike was not imminent. At the worst this would not be declared until the central body had canvassed the votes of the various unions.

Meantime the recruiting of a new police force is proceeding expeditiously and the first of the new men in training will appear on the streets next Monday. With the state guard and the volunteer police on duty until the new department is thoroughly organized, it is believed that the city will not see a repetition of the disorders, at least unless a general strike is declared.

Will Bring in Federal Troops. The first attempt to discuss the normal life of the city will be the signal for the bringing in of whatever number of federal troops may be necessary to quell the riotous mob. But the action of the authorities will not stop here. Provision has been made

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DARING THIEF GETS TWENTY-THREE RINGS

When Clerk's Attention is Distracted, Walks Off With Valuables.

When the clerk in the jewelry store of T. & J. Smallwood, 1078 West Street, was on duty, he was seen to enter the store to examine a diamond necklace, a sleek thief slipped 23 diamond rings from a tray and walked out of the store with them. The rings were worth over \$1000, and ranged in size from one-eighth to a half karat.

Yesterday afternoon a well-dressed young man of medium height entered the store and asked to be shown a costly diamond necklace. Several were shown and when a few minutes had passed he was handed to him the prospective purchaser asserted that there was a flaw in the stone. The clerk denied this, and when the man insisted that there was a flaw in it, and asked to be shown another, the clerk took it to the light and pretended that the flaw was quite visible. The clerk took it and walked to the back of the store to get another necklace. The thief slipped the rings from a tray and walked out of the store with them.

On returning, the clerk was told that the necklace was not there, but that the purchaser first had to make a call a few doors away and would return to complete the sale. The thief had been gone a few minutes, it was discovered that the diamond rings had been stolen, and the police were informed.

Detectives from Ossington avenue were on the scene and got a description of the thief. Detectives from headquarters are keeping a close eye on the pawnshops, thinking that an attempt might be made to dispose of the stolen goods.

THROUGHED TO JOIN ITALIAN RAIDERS UNDER DANNUZZIO

Canadian Press Cable.

London, Sept. 15.—The Italian raiders under Gabriele D'Annunzio entered Fiume, numbers of the inhabitants joined them, while sailors on ships in the harbor swam ashore for the same purpose, according to information received in authoritative circles here. The British and French flags were pulled down and the British and French troops continued in their barracks, the advices said.

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O'CONNOR CERTAIN THAT HIS EFFORTS WILL REDUCE COSTS

Tells Hamilton People Strong-Arm Methods to Aid Commerce Board.

Special to The Toronto World.

Hamilton, Sept. 15.—The high cost of living investigating committee, appointed by the city council last Tuesday evening, is to be abolished and its place taken by a local fair price board. W. F. O'Connor, chairman of the board of commerce, informed members of the committee at a meeting held at the city hall this afternoon that the council committee could not gather any facts that would be of use. His task at present was the forming of fair price committees in the various communities visited, while the board of commerce was busy on the larger program of bringing down prices.

As explained by Mr. O'Connor, his plan is to have the mayor appoint a number of representatives from the community to be known as a representative committee. Mr. O'Connor would then select representatives of various branches of the tradesmen's association to be known as a representative committee. After a fair price scale has been decided upon, anyone attempting to get higher prices would be guilty of a criminal offence.

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COMMONS TURNS ATTENTION TO COST OF LIVING PROBLEMS

Hohenzollerns May Be Reunited And Live Together in Holland

Amerongen, Sept. 15.—Former Princess Cecilie of Germany, with her two sons, has left for Amersfoort, Holland, on her way back to Germany. They traveled on an ordinary train.

The possibility of the entire former royal family of Germany making their home in Holland was discussed at conferences taken part in by Cecilie and the former emperor and empress at the Von Bentinck castle during her visit here, it is understood. Nothing definite, however, was decided upon. The former crown princess spent much time with the former empress, and yesterday morning, before the church services in the castle chapel, there was a long conference at the family breakfast in the garden summer house. As the conversation progressed William Hohenzollern appeared somewhat angry.

The children greatly enjoyed their stay in Amerongen, driving about the countryside in dog carts and playing in the garden of the castle, where they could watch their grandfather at his wood-sawing.

SAYS G.W.V.A. OFFICERS IN PAY OF GOVERNMENT

Lively Time in Queen's Park When Gratuity League President Charges Field Secretaries With Betraying Returned Men—Turley Refused Hearing.

Betrayal of returned soldiers by G. W. V. A. officials was alleged in a speech by J. Harry Flynn, president of the Returned Soldiers' Gratuity League, at a meeting held in Queen's Park last night. He charged that the field secretaries of the G.W.V.A. are receiving \$800 a year each from the government, and considered this a gross betrayal of the returned soldiers. He charged that the government was trying to have this organization in its grasp.

Later on he declared they were not knocking the G.W.V.A. but were knocking the crooked, traitorous ways of officials of that association.

W. E. Turley, provincial secretary of the G.W.V.A., was on hand, and came forward to address the crowd, presumably in reply to Mr. Flynn, but was denied a hearing. All the length he got was "Ladies, comrades and gentlemen," and then there was a noisy demonstration against him, the crowd making it plain they wouldn't listen. The provincial secretary of the G.W.V.A. then left the band stand and proceeded north. He attempted to address a gathering here, but the crowd was too noisy to hear him, and he and his friends left the park.

In the course of his remarks, J. H. Flynn was loudly cheered on his way to the speaker's stand, and on his way to the speaker's stand, and on his way to the speaker's stand.

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TISSUE OF LIES, SAYS PHILIP KERR

Paris, Sept. 15.—Peace conference circles are giving much attention to the published account here of the testimony by William C. Bullitt, formerly attached to the American peace delegation, before the American senate committee on foreign relations. The statement accredited to Mr. Bullitt has aroused the most interest.

It is one to the effect that Philip Kerr, secretary to Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain, had apologized to Mr. Bullitt for the denial in the house of commons that "the account of private conversation between himself (Mr. Bullitt), Mr. Lloyd George and Philip Kerr, as reported in a New York telegram to a Paris newspaper is a tissue of lies."

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