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ARMED IRISHMEN BATTLE FOR HOURS IN LONDONDERRY STREETS; TROOPS FINALLY RESTORE ORDER

Unionists and Nationalists Engage in Fierce Encounter—Many of Unionists Were Returned Soldiers—Large Number of Men Reported to Have Been Wounded in Fighting.

Londonderry, Ireland, June 19.—This city spent another night of terror last night as a result of violent pistol and rifle fighting between Nationalists and Unionists. There was a two-hour pitched battle at the riverside. Comparative quiet was finally restored by the soldiers. Many of the Unionists engaged in the hostilities were ex-soldiers.

The small police force in the city was powerless in the face of the violence of the opposing parties and the military ultimately had to be called out. The efforts of the troops resulted in the restoring of comparatively tranquil conditions by midnight, although firing continued several hours more.

The reports received by the authorities during the morning showed that several men had been wounded in the fighting.

During the fray armed parties of both factions controlled large areas in various parts of the city. These parties stopped all pedestrians, whom they searched for arms.

Londonderry was the scene of violent fighting on Saturday night, May 15. Unionists and Nationalists clashing for hours in parts of the Ulster city. A policeman was killed by the rioters, and many persons were wounded during the fighting. The rioting was renewed on Sunday and hundreds of troops had to be brought to the scene. The principal trouble area was between the Unionist quarter of Fountain street and the Sinn Fein quarter of Bridge street.

WORK CEASES ON CHIPPEWA CANAL, HUNDREDS IDLE

Decision Is Made by Hydro Commission Following Labor Troubles.
CAME AS SURPRISE
Sir Adam Beck Declares the Undertaking Will Be Too Expensive.

Niagara Falls, June 19.—Following a succession of labor troubles, work on the Chippewa Canal of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission stopped today. The commission has temporarily suspended the big development work.

The decision came as a surprise to the workers in the various camps on the "big job," although Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the commission, stated he might take this course if a settlement of the eight-hour day and wage question were not reached.

The significance of the closing down of the Chippewa plan is that it is the first time since the commission was formed that it has been unable to carry out its program. The commission was formed to develop the power of the Niagara River and to build a canal to connect it with the St. Lawrence River. The work has been delayed for several years by labor troubles.

The usual pay for the workers is \$2.50 a day, but a thousand quit the work in May when the flat eight-hour day was put into effect. Another thousand went on strike on June 15, when the ten-hour day was restored. It was expected to develop 15,000 additional horsepower in this work.

Sir Adam Beck finds that the Chippewa power canal, which at one time was expected to develop power at \$7 or \$8 per horsepower, is now too costly to build. He estimates that the cost of the canal will be at least \$12 per horsepower.

CITY OF TENTS WILL BE SOLDIERS' CAMP AT PORT STANLEY

Engineers Will Oversee Erection Within Few Days.

Plans for the S. A. C. fresh air camp, which is to be held at Port Stanley two weeks from Monday, have been drawn up. The camp, which is to be on the property of George M. Reid, will be composed of 12 bell tents, 2 marquees, a hospital and kitchen.

So far plans call for the recreation and dining marquee, with the kitchen directly in the rear of them. Just how this will work out is not known as the ground has not been measured yet.

The final arrangements will be made when the engineers from the local military district go down a week from Tuesday with Brig-Gen. Panet to put the camp up.

A. F. OF L. TO HOLD 1921 CONVENTION IN COLORADO CAPITAL

Montreal, June 19.—Denver, Colo., was selected by the American Federation of Labor here today as the site for its 1921 convention.

TESTIFIES WOMAN SAID SHE WOULD KILL HERSELF

Charlotte, N. C., June 19.—At the Ellis trial at Summerdale yesterday, Mrs. Ellis, mother of the prisoner, repeated statements made by the deceased to the effect that she intended to die away with herself.

William Ellis, father of the prisoner, testified that his daughter-in-law was subject to fits of temper, but her husband bore with her patiently.

Thomas Corbett Ellis, the prisoner, said his wife first when she was a nurse in a hospital, when he was overseas with the Canadian forces.

MAY ALTER GOLF RULES.

LONDON, June 19.—Alteration of certain rules for golf was considered at a meeting of a committee of Anglo-American golfers here yesterday, according to the Times. Standardization of the balls used was also discussed.

TIMBER INQUIRY CONCLUDED.

Port Frances, June 19.—The Ontario Government timber inquiry has concluded its sessions here and will make further inquiry at Port Arthur next week into the operations of Lockhart & Co.

ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF EX-KAISER IS RUMOR IN HOLLAND VILLAGE

Man Identified As a German Said To Have Made Attack.

REPORT UNCONFIRMED

Private Secretary To Wilhelm Declares No Trouble Experienced.

Doorn, Holland, June 19.—An attempt against the life of former Emperor William of Germany was made at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, according to persistent rumors here. It is asserted that William escaped without injury.

A villager, at first thought to be a Belgian, but later identified as a German, is said to have entered the castle by the use of a false permit and then tried to kill the "Kaiser."

M. Pereboom, private secretary to the former emperor, assured the Associated Press this morning that no attack had been made on William of Hohenzollern.

Dispatches received on Thursday night reported a Belgian who succeeded in gaining admittance to Doorn Castle, the residence of William of Hohenzollern, had attacked the former emperor and wounded him in the jaw. Since that time the report has been current that an attack had been made, but no confirmation of it has been received.

ONE KILLED, SIX ARE SERIOUSLY INJURED AS DERRICK FALLS

Steel Hawers Snap Causing Fatal Accident.

Montreal, June 19.—One man is dead and six are believed to be dying as a result of the fall of a derrick on the Dominion Government marine service steamer Canadian Miner this morning.

The Canadian Miner was being loaded at a slip in the harbor. The derrick fell on the men working on the ship when steel hawers supporting it snapped.

EIGHTEEN ROTARIANS FOR BIG CONVENTION

Will Travel by Special Train to Atlantic City.

About eighteen members of the London Rotary Club, headed by President James Gray, with their wives and families, will leave this city Sunday afternoon for Atlantic City, where they will attend the International Rotary Club convention, which will be held at the Hotel Hamilton.

The local delegation will be accompanied by the Macdonald Juvenile Pipe Band. The members' wives will be entertained by the ladies of Atlantic City during the sessions of the convention.

PACKED TWO HIPPIERS; FINED TWO HUNDRED

Claims He Was Carrying Them Home As Gift of Friend.

Alexander Massie was arrested by P. A. Asa Frayne on Friday carrying two "hippers," and fined \$200 and costs in police court this morning.

One bottle was found empty, and the other one was sealed. He claimed that he was carrying them home after getting them from a friend. Frayne stated that Massie tried to destroy two of the bottles.

Fred Smith, who was dismissed on a charge of vagrancy in police court Friday, is now on condition that he leave town, was back again this morning, and sentenced to 30 days in jail.

On Friday an officer took him on a street car to Pottersburg, and allowed him to go. However, he was reluctant to leave the city, and returned. Last night he asked an officer where the police station was located. A little later he was found looting about the streets and was put behind the bars.

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LONDONERS WILL ADDRESS MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION

LONDONERS will take a prominent part in the program of the Ontario Municipal Association, which will hold its 22nd annual meeting at the Toronto city hall, September 1, 2 and 3.

Baker, London's city clerk, is president of the organization, and will deliver an address outlining the activities of the year. Miss Mary Grant of London is secretary of the Ontario Association.

R. R. Dennis, chairman of the local housing commission, will give an address on "The Functions of Housing Commissions in Cities." W. B. Doherty, city solicitor of St. Thomas, and well known to many Londoners, will speak on "Public and Private Municipal Legislation of 1920." J. A. Bell, county engineer of St. Thomas, will address the convention on "Drainage Laws."

INCORPORATION GRANTED.

Ottawa, June 19.—Canadian Press.—Incorporation has been granted to the Canadian Air Force Association, the object of which, it is stated, "is to promote the efficiency and advance the interest of the Canadian Air Force and to assume such share of the administration of this force as may be authorized by the government in council."

The following are incorporated as the association: Hon. Hugh Guthrie, minister of militia; Col. A. M. Bigger, secretary; Capt. C. G. Macdonald, president; and Capt. J. W. Macdonald, vice-president.

TWO WOMEN ARRESTED.

Montreal, June 19.—Two arrests were made yesterday in connection with the murder of Constable Choinie. Both prisoners are women.

WHAT'S DOING TONIGHT?

THEATRES.
Grand—"The Luck of the Navy."
Albion—"Constance Talmadge in 'Scandal!'"

Leewards—"Billie Burke in 'Want a Husband?'" and vaudeville.
Patricia—"Sheldon Lewis in 'Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.'"

THE HIGH COST OF LABOR HITS WILLIE



—Donahay, in Cleveland Plaindealer.

TURKISH NATIONALISTS BELIEVED TO BE PLANNING WITH RUSSIAN REDS FOR ATTACK ON ANATOLIA

Conference Between High Officials of Allied Governments at Hythe Today For Consideration of Serious State of Affairs in the Near East—May Mean Outbreak of a New War.

LONDON, June 19.—A conference between Premier Lloyd George and Premier Millerand of France has been arranged for this afternoon and Sunday at Hythe.

The Hythe meeting is preliminary to the conference on Monday at Boulogne, at which not only France and Great Britain, but Italy, Japan, Belgium and Greece will be represented. From Hythe the premier will proceed early on Monday for Boulogne.

Great interest is taken here in the Boulogne conference, and there is much speculation in view of the grave problems demanding solution throughout Europe and the near east. Newspapers of London, calling attention to the serious issues affecting the relations of the Allies with Russia, Turkey, Germany, Hungary and Poland, remark that the state of the world is more perilous than it was two years ago, and call for a united policy of the Allies.

The menace of the Turkish Nationalists in Anatolia exceeds for the moment, in the view of editors here, other dangers. The situation has been according to several estimates, to the outbreak of a new war. Additional anxiety over the situation has been caused by the belief that Mustafa Kemal is acting in accord with the Russian Bolshevik Government, although there have not been as yet any reports of co-operation.

AFGHAN TROOPS MAKE READY TO ATTACK BRITISH

Moscow Wireless Says They Are Concentrating On Indian Border.

LONDON, June 19.—A wireless dispatch from Moscow today declares that Afghan troops are concentrating on the Indian frontier in order to attack the British in India.

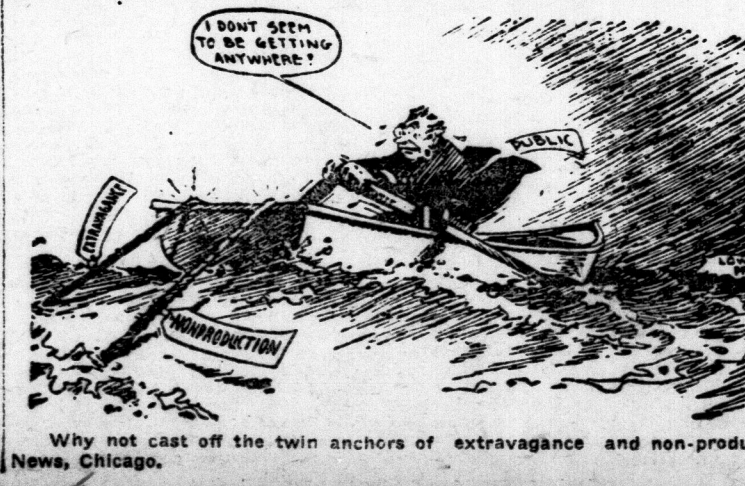
CANADIAN GOVT. SHIP WILL SAIL FOR E. INDIES

D. O. Wood, traffic manager of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine, has advised the local Chamber of Commerce that the Government steamship Canadian Quenquer will sail from Montreal on August 29 for Bombay, Calcutta, Karachi, Singapore, Batavia, Surabaya and Samarang as the first of a service from Canada to these ports.

Many district merchants and manufacturers are shipping by this boat. Information regarding the porting and transshipping to other eastern ports is being secured by the local Chamber of Commerce.

FRENCH OFFICIALS LEAVE FOR ENGLAND

Paris, June 19.—Premier Millerand, accompanied by Marshal Poch, Frederic Francois-Marsal, minister of finance, and others, left this morning for Hythe, England, where he will meet Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain for a conference preliminary to the interallied meeting at Boulogne.



VALERA'S PAIS DOUBLE-CROSSED HIM, IS CLAIM

Bitter Feud Prevails Among Sinn Fein Factions.

SPLIT IS SERIOUS

"Friends of Irish Freedom" Worked Against the "President."

New York, June 19.—The New York Evening Post said editorially last night:

"All doubts as to the seriousness of the split between the De Valera and Cohan factions in the Irish campaign here are removed by the fact that the American attack on De Valera's 'intrusion' at Chicago. Various hypotheses for the failure of the proposed Sinn Fein planks have been offered. The Gaelic-American explains that Cohan's committee of the Friends of Irish Freedom drafted a 'moderate' plank approving the claims of Ireland to self-government. But De Valera insisted on a plank pledging the Republic to formal recognition of the Irish Republic. A counter-explanation credits Cohan with conniving at the defeat in order that the Democratic convention might bid for Irish votes. The bitterness of the Gaelic-American is equaled by the bitterness of a De Valera organ, the Sinn Fein Post. 'Irish-American bickerings have their tragic aspect. The Irish have a case to be heard. The Irish should begin to comprehend the mistake they have committed in both their aims and their instruments. Do they think they can actually force America into a position in which she will renounce Gaelic Britain with force—that they can counsel violence without arousing an overwhelming counterforce? And the great tragedy of the Irish movement, the fact that it lends itself to the base uses of insecure politicians, begins to be plain to the Irish leaders.'

COMMERCE BOARD TO SEND DELEGATES FOR WATERWAYS CONFAB

London Invited by Windsor to Accompany Delegation to Montreal.

The London Chamber of Commerce has received an invitation from members of the Windsor Chamber of Commerce to accompany delegates from the latter body to Montreal in August for the purpose of furthering the St. Lawrence River deep-waterways scheme.

The invitation will be considered in the near future, and it is likely that the local Chamber of Commerce will send a delegation to the conference.

CHARGE SECRETARY WITH CONSPIRACY TO KIDNAP A J. SMALL

Warrant Is Issued For Arrest of Missing Secretary.

Toronto, June 19.—On a charge of conspiring with others to kidnap Ambrose J. Small, the missing theatrical manager, a warrant was issued this morning for the arrest of John Doughty, former private secretary to Mr. Small. Doughty has also been missing for several months.

BIG MERCHANT ARRESTED ON PROFITEERING CHARGE

New York, June 19.—Frederick Gimbel, first vice-president of Gimbel Bros. department store with branches in many cities throughout the United States, was arrested today by department of justice agents on a charge of profiteering in clothing.

BELGIAN WOMEN CAN BE ELECTED TO PARLIAMENT

Brussels, June 19.—The measure enabling women to be elected to Parliament has been adopted by the Chamber by 142 votes to 10. Belgian women will be eligible for election in communal elections.

WARRANT ISSUED FOR ARREST OF DOUGHTY

Toronto, June 19.—The warrant for the arrest of John Doughty, former private secretary to Ambrose J. Small, was issued at police headquarters yesterday. It charges Doughty with conspiring with others to kidnap Ambrose J. Small.

INVITATION DOES NOT WORRY SAM GOMPERS

Montreal, June 19.—Interviewed here today regarding the withdrawal of an invitation to attend Toronto Exhibition Labor Day, President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, stated:

"A delegation of about ten came here and offered me the invitation to attend the Canadian National Exhibition on Labor Day, and I declared if it was a physical possibility for me to attend, I would accept it. If they were to withdraw that invitation because of any action the convention took over the Irish question that is their own affair. The Toronto delegates to the convention did not make any comment when the Irish resolution was taken up, and it is entirely up to the convention and its directors to decide what course they should pursue."

\$40,000 WORTH OF LIQUOR IS STOLEN

Fort Frances, June 19.—Forty thousand dollars' worth of liquor was stolen last night from the warehouse of Carter & Holbeck here. Later the police held a car belonging to Robert Noel, and it is alleged there were several cases of liquor in it. The man is held for examination, but has made application for bail.

RAILWAY STRIKE IN ITALY IS EXTENDING

Rome, Switzerland, June 19.—The railway strike in Italy is extending and now includes the second railway branch lines.

FROST DAMAGES GARDEN STUFF.

Montreal, N. B., June 19.—Considerable damage was done to garden stuff by a heavy frost that prevailed generally throughout this section of the province Thursday night.

MILLION AND HALF OF TAXES COLLECTED BY CITY, LEAVES HALF MILLION STILL TO COME

First Installment Completed and Staff Is Busy Making Out the Receipts.

Collection of the first installment of city taxes has been completed so far as the actual handling of money is concerned. A million and a half dollars has been deposited in the bank and the quietest business establishment in the city.

The appearances are deceiving. The rush of work now is almost as great as during the final day for collection. Receipts have to be issued for all the checks received, and a vast amount of things will settle down again. About this time the second installment will be due and the rush will start again.

Owing to the fact that many citizens paid the full amount of their taxes at once instead of taking advantage of the installment plan, the work of collecting the two remaining installments will not be very heavy. Only about half a million dollars remains to be paid in to the city treasury.

TWO KILLED WHEN C. P. R. TRAIN CRASHES INTO MOTOR CAR PARTY

GUELPH, June 18.—(Special to The Advertiser).—Two deaths resulted from a level crossing accident which occurred here about 8 o'clock Sunday morning. A C. P. R. train, No. 629, bound for Goderich crashed into an automobile at the Elton road crossing, and injured four occupants, who are now lying in the General Hospital.

The injured are: Miss Bessie Milne, Fergus; Miss Iris Lovell, Fergus; Poole, who was driving the car, sustained a badly fractured skull, and Tindall's neck was broken. Late reports from the hospital state there is no hope for their recovery.

Miss Milne received injuries to her back which are not considered of a serious nature, while Miss Lovell escaped with a severe shaking-up.

Saw Train Too Late.
The party was meeting to Guelph to attend a show, and according to eye-witnesses of the accident, were travelling at a fast speed when approaching the tracks.

The driver of the car noticed the train when it was a few yards away, and made a frantic effort to prevent the mishap by turning to the side of the road. It was too late, however, and the car was crushed and hurled into the tracks, and the train ploughed into its centre and hauled the car 40 feet away.

Likely To Die.
Although the two young men were operated on immediately they reached the hospital, there is little hope held for their recovery.

The train which struck the car was in charge of Conductor H. Bennett, Engineer William Austin and Fireman Nicholson.

TWO MEN DEAD.

GUELPH, June 19.—The two male victims of the auto crash at the C. P. R. crossing in Guelph were identified shortly after midnight. Blair Foote, the driver of the ill-fated car, whose skull was fractured, passed away at 12:35 a.m., and James Trudall at 12:38 a.m. Both men belong to Fergus.

GREEKS WILLING TO OPERATE AGAINST TURK NATIONALISTS

Venizelos Reported To Have Expressed Readiness To Comply.

LONDON, June 19.—During his visit to London to discuss the execution of the Turkish treaty and the position of the Greek authorities at Smyrna, the Greek premier, Mr. Venizelos, according to the London Times, is believed to have expressed his readiness to place Greek forces at the disposal of the Allies against Turkish Nationalists and control execution of the treaty.

JEWISH ASSEMBLY TO BE SUPREME RULING BODY IN PALESTINE

Details For Government Are About Completed.

New York, June 19.—Details for the government of Palestine have been worked out into a definite program by the Government of the United Kingdom, according to a London dispatch to the Jewish correspondence bureau here.

The Zionists, who have been in control of immigration and will control and purchase by acquiring state lands, will be established as the supreme legislative and judicial authority. The Haddad Railway and the Litani River will form the Palestine boundaries.

The Zionist plan to raise a big national loan, a sum of £2,000,000 for next year. Immigration will begin in the autumn at the rate of 2,000 immigrants a month. This number being gradually increased.

The Jewish assembly in Palestine will be established as the supreme legislative body.

CUMMINGS CARRIES AWAY GOLF HONORS AT TORONTO

Toronto, June 18.—George Cummings, Toronto professional, carried off the honors for the third time at the Toronto and district annual golf tournament today. He took 153 strokes for the 72 holes, more than 10 strokes better than the score of William Freeman of Lambton, and Norman Bell of the Humber, who finished in second place. On Saturday 112 amateurs will go over the course.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 72; lowest, 50.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 56; lowest, 44.

TOMORROW—FAIR.

Toronto, June 19.—8 a.m. Fair. Light to moderate winds; fair today and on Sunday, with a little higher temperature.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Station	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	60	46	Fair
Calgary	70	52	Clear
Winnipeg	76	48	Clear
Port Arthur	68	44	Clear
Party Point	72	48	Clear
Port Stanley	70	46	Clear
Buffalo	64	42	Clear
Toronto	66	44	Clear
Kitchener	66	44	Clear
Ottawa	58	44	Fair
Montreal	60	48	Fair
Quebec	66	46	Clear
Father Point	58	42	Clear

Pressure is relatively high from the North Pacific States to the Great Lakes and lowest in South Pacific States and over the Nova Scotia coast.

It has fallen again over Alberta and locally in Saskatchewan, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, also in Southern and Eastern Ontario.