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## OPPOSITION LEADER SMASHES HOPES OF WEST; CLEMENCEAU SEVERELY CASTIGATES GERMANS; COSTA RICA REVOLUTION BOTHERS WASHINGTON

### MR. MACKENZIE SMASHES HOPES OF WESTERNERS

Endeavored to Explain His Recent Speech When He Said He Believed in Protection, But Only Worse Confounded Himself.

### DOESN'T QUITE KNOW WHERE HE IS AT

His Speech Created Consternation in the Ranks of Western Low Tariff Unionists Who Have Been Flirting With the Opposition.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, June 16.—Mr. D. D. MacKenzie, opposition leader, endeavored to explain to the House today his recent speech in which he said he believed in protection. The explanation, however, only worse confounded him and is not an explanation that will satisfy the West or the country. In making his explanation he made the extraordinary declaration, "You must trim your sails according to the different winds." He was explaining that it was impossible for a leader to make specific promises as to particular tariff reductions. He then drew a comparison between a political leader and the captain of a vessel. A captain could not sail alone with full sails. He had to trim his sails according to different winds.

"If you go full sail in a gale neither you nor your ship will live very long," declared Mr. MacKenzie. "Well, the same thing holds in regard to men who undertake to run governments in any country. They must deal with matters in accordance with the facts and circumstances before them from time to time, always having in view the best interests of the people and the things that are most conducive to those interests."

Mr. MacKenzie explained that in his previous speech, when he referred to his protection views, he was dealing with the steel industry, and he made a slip of the tongue in using the word protection. He should have used the word tariff.

Mr. MacKenzie said he was not wedded to the idea of government ownership, but he was prepared to advocate public ownership of transportation, grain elevators and cold storage plants. The government should exercise jurisdiction over these branches of industry. He accused the government of doing nothing to reduce the cost of living. He blamed the government of failure to settle the Winnipeg strike, and expressed the opinion that the ministers who had gone West had taken sides, the laboring man as a result had no confidence in the government.

Mr. MacKenzie's speech created consternation in the ranks of the Western low tariff unionists who, since the introduction of the budget, have been carrying on a violent flirtation with the opposition.

### THE TRANSPORTATION WORKERS OF PARIS RETURN TO DUTIES

Paris, June 16.—The transportation workers of Paris, who have been on strike for more than a week, returned to their places, today, and service on the subways, tramways and buses was normal.

### 40,000 RAILWAY SHOPMEN EXPECTED TO STOP WORK ON WEDNESDAY

A Strike Order was issued by the Executive of Division No. 4 Which Claims it Has Been Unable to Negotiate Increase in Wages and Shorter Working Hours, After a Month's Effort With the Canadian Railway Board.

Montreal, Que., June 16.—A strike order was issued this afternoon by the executive committee of Division No. 4 of the Railway Shopmen of America, and unless eleven-hour concessions are made by the Canadian Railway Board, 40,000 men will stop work on Wednesday morning.

### SUMMARY OF FINAL TEXT OF PEACE TREATY

Germans Are Allowed Seven Days to Accept or Refuse the Treaty as it Stands According to Information Received at Ottawa.

### ORIGINAL CONDITIONS VIGOROUSLY UPHELD

The Changes Include a Plebiscite for Upper Silesia With Guarantees of Coal Therefrom and Temporary Increases of German Army.

Ottawa, June 16.—(Canadian Press)

The following text of the final reply of the Allied and Associated Powers to the conditions of peace was received by the government and handed to the Canadian Press, Limited:

Paris, June 16.—The final reply of the Allied and Associated Powers to the conditions of peace handed to the Germans at Versailles, May seventh, was delivered to the German delegation today and made public shortly after.

The Germans are allowed seven days to accept or refuse the treaty as it stands. If they accept peace will be signed at once; if not, the armistice will terminate on Saturday and the powers will take such steps as may be necessary to enforce their terms.

The principle of the original conditions has been vigorously upheld as establishing a peace of justice, but certain modifications in detail, and many objections of the effect of section, are made. The reply is in two parts, a general covering letter of about 4,500 words, and a series of articles of the general counter-proposals.

### HALIFAX AWARDS CONTRACTS FOR ROAD WORK

Will Build Four Miles from Halifax to Bedford on an Average Cost of \$18,000 a Mile.

Halifax, N. S., June 16.—The Nova Scotia highway board has awarded a contract to the Barré Company, Limited, to build four miles of road from Halifax towards Bedford, this summer. The cost of the first mile will be \$22,000 and the average will be \$18,000 a mile. Next season two miles more will be built, thus connecting Halifax and Bedford with a suitable MacAdam road sixteen feet wide.

President Fallon, of the shopmen's delegation, has announced this afternoon that the strike order had been sent out. He also indicated that the Federated Trades of Railway Workers of Canada are included among the shopmen affected by it.

### GERMANS NOW IN POSSESSION OF ALLIED GOV'TS REPLY TO THEIR COUNTER PROPOSALS

#### Vienna Communists In Serious Uprisings Cause Grave Alarm

Vienna, Sunday, June 15.—(By The Associated Press)—An uprising by Communists here today apparently was put down by the police with the loss of several lives and the wounding of a number of persons. The disturbance today was, perhaps, the most serious from a political point of view in Vienna since last November.

#### The Original Contentions of the Allied Governments Have Virtually Been Maintained Intact in Second Treaty.

Verailles, June 16.—(By The A. P.)—The reply of the Allied and Associated Governments to Germany's counter-proposals to the peace treaty and a revised copy of the peace treaty tonight are in the hands of Count Brockdorff-Rantzau, who is on his way to Weimar, there to present to the German National Assembly the final word of the victors in the war.

### Just Peace But Must Be Stern Peace

Andrew Bonar Law Tells British House of Commons the Last Word Has Been Spoken and it is Now up to Germans.

London, June 16.—The peace terms to be presented to Germany today are the final reply of the Allies, Andrew Bonar Law, Government spokesman in the House of Commons, declared in opening the Victory Loan campaign at the Guild Hall today. The speaker said he hoped honestly the Germans would sign the terms.

### THE REVOLUTION IN COSTA RICA GROWS SERIOUS

Outbreaks Have Occurred at San Jose and the Whole Affair Causes Washington Deep Concern.

### LORD BEAVERBROOK VISITING AT THE OLD HOME TOWN

Was Given a Hearty Welcome by the Mayor and Citizens of Newcastle.

Newcastle, N. B., June 16.—Lord Beaverbrook, who arrived in Canada on the Olympic last Friday, arrived here yesterday to spend some time with his mother in his old home. He was met at the station by Mayor Doyle and Council and a large number of citizens, and given a hearty welcome.

#### The German Generals Cause of Catastrophe To Central Empires

Paris, June 16.—(Havas)—It was the refusal of the German Generals, especially General Von Falkenhayn, to accept the Austrian plan for offensive operations that was the underlying cause of the catastrophe to the Central Empires, according to declarations made by Field Marshal Conrad Von Hoensdorff, the former Austria-Hungary chief of staff, to the press, says the Zurich despatch to Petit Parisien. The Austrian plan consisted of pushing the war to the limit against Italy, which the German Generals declined to follow.

#### CLEMENCEAU SENDS STINGING NOTE

Expresses Surprise at the Audacity of the Germans for Protesting the Treaty—Tells Them They Are Not Civilized.

#### Few Spoil Good Name of Canada

Riotous Acts at Canadian Military Camp in London Call Forth a Reprimand from General Sir Richard Turner.

#### 40 LIBERAL SEATS BY ACCLAMATION IN QUEBEC PROV.

#### With Only One Conservative Seat the Result Gives An Indication of a Sweeping Gov't Victory on Monday Next.

#### Mediation Comm. Failed to Unite Warring Factions

#### No Progress Made in Efforts Put Forth to Conciliate Metal Trades Employers and Employees.

#### Former Emperor Belongs in Hospital Ward, Says Mueller

Warns the Prussians, Interested in a Move to Return William to Germany, That the People Would Rise up in Anger Against Such a Move in Event.—Declares Former Ruler Dangerous.

Berlin, June 15.—(By The Associated Press)—Former Emperor William "belongs in the pathological ward" and is not wanted in Germany, declared Herman Mueller, Majority Socialist leader and whip in the National Assembly, in a speech delivered before the Majority Socialist convention here today.

### WINNIPEG STORM LOSS PLACED AT HALF MILLION

Many Buildings Were Unroofed and Otherwise Damaged and Hundreds of Plate Glass Windows Demolished.

### ELECTRIC WIRES IN TANGLED MESS

The Winnipeg Electric Company Sustained the Most Serious Damage, the Company Being Deprived of Its Power Source.

Winnipeg, Man., June 16.—It was this afternoon estimated that the loss resulting from the terrific wind and electric storm which swept the Winnipeg district Saturday, at some times reaching a velocity of 84 miles an hour, will total more than half a million dollars. No person was killed, but several were injured, none, it is believed seriously.

According to official figures, it was the severest storm in the history of the city. It came suddenly, after a sultry day. Many buildings were unroofed and otherwise damaged, chimneys blown down, and hundreds of plate glass windows demolished. Poles and wires of the Winnipeg Electric Company and the Manitoba Government Telephones in the western part of the city were reduced to a tangled mass. On the Winnipeg-St. James railway line it is reported that eight miles of telephone poles are down.

Because of the strike situation voters have been called for to repair, as far as possible, the damage, and it is said that a large number are offering their services.

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### RY. OFFICIALS OPTIMISTIC OVER STRIKE

The Men of the Running Trades Who Have Gone Out in Winnipeg Are Mostly Switchmen and Firemen, According to Report.

### EXACT NUMBER OUT NOT OBTAINABLE

In Fort Rouge Yards of the Canadian National Railway Virtually All Firemen and Switchmen Are Out.

Winnipeg, Man., June 16.—"The men who have gone out are chiefly brausen and switchmen," was the statement by a Railway Brotherhood official last night, when speaking of the effect of the strike by the outlying members of the running trades organizations.

This was corroborated by the statements of railway officials and both the leaders of the workers' organizations and the officials of the company, who are optimistic in regard to the continuation of service satisfactory to the public. The evidence yesterday at all the railways was that the company had successfully countered the action of the radical employees. It was stated that the places of all the men who had gone out had been filled, so far as the passenger trains were concerned. All the trains, with the exception of the Canadian Northern train Prince Albert, left Winnipeg on schedule time, and it was only twenty minutes late.

So far the exact number of men who have gone on strike has not been obtained. Last night the Canadian Pacific Railway issued an official notice that all the passenger trains had been despatched. There would be no reduction of freight service, it was stated, and it was added all necessary switching in the yards would be performed.

### SOCIALIST CONGRESS REJECT THE SOVIET CONSTITUTION

Weimar, June 16.—The Socialist Congress has rejected a proposal for a Soviet constitution for Germany. The proposal received only one vote.

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