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DUTI OOK TODAY NOT FAVORABLE TO COALITION PLAN

Everything Still up in the Air—Alleged Statement by Sir Wilfrid Laurier is Denied by Liberal Chieftain

The going is rather slow and heavy in the movement for a coalition of political lorces at Ottawa, but advocates of that proposal as a vital necessity in the pational situation have not lost hope. Very soon. Today the outlook for union Nothing but coalition was talked of in the early part of the week, but in the long stretch the pace has slackened some-

sforesaid clearing process is anticipated cabinet, after having taken counsel with the form of a statement by his friends, Sir Wilfrid Laurier has just

house.

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The prime minister that the project is impracticable."

"Sir Wilfrid regrets that he cannot accept Sir Robert Borden's propositions. I hold this information from the most of the largest factories is most of which are engaged.

One Difference Adjusted.

Petrograd, via London.

represent the strong and growing independent body of public opinion in the country. The politicians will have none of it, and when the occasion arises they have a lot of influence and can employ agricles and instruments to make a lot of noise. These are the constituent elements in the disturbed and unsettled situation today. It is taxing the time, the patience and the diplomatic ingenuity of

Otlawa, June 1-(Montreal Star) - 1 both sides. The vicissitudes and changes

"After carefully considering the proposition made by Sir Robert Borden to co-operate in the creation of a coalition correspondent announces that strikes or

French Have Taken 31,829 Prisoners;

The Record of Five Weeks—Petain Holds
Initative—Last Night's Fighting Successful

London, June 1.—The accuracy of yesterday's report from Stockholm that G. H. Roberts will represent the British majority socialists at the Stockholm conference is doubted here and in some quarters denied. Mr. Roberts refuses to talk on the subject, but it is understood that he hitherto has strongly opposed the British majority socialists

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Mr. Roberts refuse to refuse to the seizure of a cargo of Argentine wheat on board def of the government has ordered the seizure of a cargo of Argentine wheat on board of the steamer Rosario, which arrived here on Wednesday. The cargo was consigned to Switzerland by way of Cette.

The Spanish cabinet, the advice states, maintains that it is entitled to take over the wheat to meet the needs of Spain.

On the French front in France, May 81

—(From a staff correspondent of the Associated Press)—Between April 15 and Sociated Press)—Between April 15 and May 24, the number of German prisoners falling into French hands reached a total of 81,829, of whom 28,045 were total of 81,829, of whom 82,045 were total o

ans are showing great nervousness as to what is about to happen, and the slightest captured a German post south of Chevmovement in the French lines calls forth a hurricane of artillery and machine gun of the front."

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ANOTHER SON OF MRS. W. C. WINSLOW

Gunner Arthur Seriously Hit Says Official Telegram From Ottawa

Frank went in the first contingent and was since wounded. He was invalided What Petrograd Needs is Mun John. George was a member of a bat-talion which reached St. John from the HAS BEEN WOUNDED west one Sunday morning and passed on at noon again on its way to Halifax and thence overseas. He is at present in England awaiting word to be dis-patched to France. Another son is in sister of George Carvill of this city.

when war was declared and all enlisted

today charged with the murder of their seven-year-old daughter, Loretta, a year ago today.

Pending a hearing in the district court, the authorities declined to discuss their reasons for causing the arrests to be made at this time. The little girl was strangled by sawdust or cereal st uffed in her nose and mouth.

Boston, June L.—Dr. Holmes M. Jernegan, a widely known specialist in abday all his somith was the daughter lourning and is regretted by all Mrs. Smith was the daughter lourning and is regretted by all Mrs. Smith was the daughter lourning and is regretted by all Mrs. Smith was the daughter lourning and is regretted by all Mrs. Smith was the daughter lourning and is regretted by all Mrs. Smith of Lower Quebec, June 1—Fire last night declined to discuss to be daughter. Clifford, at his home in Back Barries to Wednesday night.

Was attracted by Rev. H. E. Bennett.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh souther-ly winds, fair and warm today. Showers Quebec, June 1—Fire last night declined to discuss to be made at his time. The little girl winds, fair and warm today. Showers to be made at this time. The little girl as ompared with \$8.278,187 for May, Ishowers to be made at this time. The little girl as ompared with \$8.278,187 for May, Ishowers to be made at Boston University medical school for five to word was precialist in abday all Mrs. Smith All Mrs. David N. Smith of Lower Quebec, June 1—Fire last night declined to fresh winds. Study of the plants of the Fraserville, county of the plants of the Fraserville, county of the form of the five of th

OPENLY AGITATE AGAINST MAN OF HOUR IN RUSSIA

Extreme Socialists Campaign Against Karensky

SERIOUS STRIKE SITUATION

Trouble in 120 Petrograd Factories, Most of Them Engaged In War Work—One Matter Settled With Council And Another Difficulty Crops Up

what.

A change so radical as that which toalition contemplates could not be expected without considerable pour-parley
Quebec, June 1.—In a despatch from wing of the socialists is beginning to agitate openly against Minister of War Kerensky.

Matters of Legislation Before The Committees in Fredericton

Workmen's delegates that it was in sole authority of Kronstadt, the fortress de-

ROBERTS WILL GO TO STOCKHOLM

patched to France. Another son is in Glace Bay, a bank manager.

Mrs. Whislow lived for a time in there is no truth in the report that Jainformed the Associated Press that was passed. Chatham but more recently has made there is no truth in the report that said her residence in St. John. She is a pan was to despatch troops to Russia said that Russia does not need men but munitions and supplies.

NOT COLD FEET, BUT COLD KNEES, HE DOES NOT LIKE THE KILTS

consulate here from Americans in the Canadian army who wish to be transferred to American forces, the most unusual reason was given today by a brawny fellow six feet tall, who wanted to get in trousers.

He has worn kilts many months but dislikes such "high skirts." This remark is credited to him: "Not cold feet but cold homes not fee me." feet, but cold knees; not for me."

atmosphere clears, and the capital multiplication of the learning process is anticipated in the form of a statement by minster on the floor of the measures to paralyze production to the Moneton Hospital. Owing to the Moneton Hospital. Owing to the Moneton Hospital to the Moneto

named.

The law committee had under consideration a bill to vest in trustees certain lands and premises in the city of Moncton on which the free meeting house stands. A bill to vary the trust deed of the Congregational church, St. John, and a bill in addition to the police act in St. John relating to the purchase of junk. They were agreed to and a bill to confirm Walter Limerick in the title to certain lands in the city of Fredericton was stood over for further consideration.

on the land last evening.

THE KILTIES

Another change is announced. It is now said that the Kilties will go overseas under command of Lieut.-Colonel P. A. Guthrie, who will have on his staff two majors, three captains, eleven lieutenants, an adjutant, a quartermaster, a medical officer, a machine gun officers. The strength of the unit is 650.

DYNAMITE WRECKS



ANTI-CONSCRIPTIONIST COMPELLED TO SING GOD SAVE THE KING

Guelph, Ont., June 1.-There was trades and labor hall, organized by the socialist democrats. Large numbers of men from the 65th Battery and returned soldiers in the front seats made things awkward for the speakers. One of them, Mervin Smith of Kitchener, was compelled that the claims of the seat the seat of the seat of the seat the seat of the s King, and later to march at the hea

PAPER BY ST. JOHN MAN W. F. Burditt of this city read a paper on Planning and Development of Urban and Rural Land, on Tuesday, at a con-ference on urban and rural development 28,045 Unwounded

Some in London Think He Is To
Be The New Food Controller

Commandeers Carge of Wheat
Enroute From Argentine to

Terence on urban and rural development in Canada, held in Winnipeg on May 28, 29 and 30. Thomas Adams, Dr. Lady R. H. Coats, G. Frank Beer, Lady Aberdeen, Mrs. Adam Shorth and other well known people took part in this

"Tation encounters resulted in our unwounded.

This period covers three phases of the general attack now temporarily abandoned, which the French undoutedly will not continue when the proper moment arrives.

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IROPS TO RUSSIA

What Petrograd Needs is Muntions and Supplies — Tokio Regina, Sask, June 1—A meeting of the working people of Regina called last night Tokio Allies

Tokio, June 1.—The foreign office has informed the Associated Press that

The bring of the American Consultants and Duncan arresolution expressing loyalty was passed.

The detective department has been busy this week rounding up juveniles in answer to complaints. Last night Detectives Briggs and Duncan arrested two more boys, on charge of breaking and entering the house of A. Craft in Acadia street and stealing keys, brass pipes, etc. The boys also destroyed some furniture. In the juvenile court this morning they pleaded guilty and one was let go on suspended sentence of four years in the Boys' Industrial Home. The other was head as tree is a warrant for him for vagrancy. Two Carleton boys before the court yesterday on theft charges were allowed to go on suspended sentence. The glasses will be returned to the owner.

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MANY ATTEND THE FUNREAL OF JAS. PENDER

Many assembled at the home of the late James Pender, 149 Canterbury street, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, to

Taxes This Year Are \$1,108,470

An Increase of \$273,470 Including \$150,000 For Patriotic Fund—Rate up to 2.18—Number of Polls Increased by 665

The additional amount of money required by the city has been secured by adding \$2,803,400 to the real and peral incomes, in-

AMERICAN SUNK; VESSEL IS FIRST RAMSACKED: THE THIRD MATE IS DROWNED

London, May 31.—(Delayed)—The American sailing ship Dirigo has been sunk by a German submarine. The crew has been landed with the exception of John Ray, third mate, who was

Sunday afternoon from her parents' was landed at Plymouth.

London, June 1—The admiralty re-

OFFICERS MUST REVERT
TO LOWER RANK OR
RETURN TO CANADA

munitions and supplies. In reply to a question as to whether with the reson gommer Arthur Osmonal Winsiow, was officially reported series that her son, gommer Arthur Osmonal Winsiow, was officially reported series that the word her beautiful to No. 4 General Hospital, Dames, Camiers, May 22. The news brought nutch distress to her. There of the reson, are in uniform, one of them invalided shome.

Gumer Winsiow went overseas with New Brunsides was enormous. Wires are down nitro word in the word from the more officers of in the west for some years and somether the rough several counties in south of the ministry of munitions and supplies.

Melrose Parents Charged With Killing Their Child was a member of London, June 1.—Sir Richard Burbidge died at his home her was member of the admitted to the house and as three the word of the ministry of munitions and supplies. In reply to a question as to whether the supplies and to which the respect to the fall would be permature to discuss that the would be permature to discuss that the word with the proposed of the farm's more present rank here, and as three new town and as three the word of the farm's more present and here and the proposition of the farm's more present and the farm of the farm's more present and the farm's mo

taxes which must be paid by the citi-zens. Of this amount, \$150,000 is re-quired for the patriotic fund, which is tage of by the city and properties which

crease is not due to changes this year, however, but includes a substantial amount to meet conditions which were not faced the previous year, in the expectation that the man width

election, if the coalition scheme falls through, are likely to be astray in their action, and whether or not it takes place, abinet reconstruction is certain any-way. If not from without it will be from within.

The moderates on both sides are for coalition government. They believe the strong and growing independent body of public opinion in the strong and growing independent body of public opinion in the strong and growing. The moderate in the strong and growing independent body of public opinion in the strong and growing. The moderate in the coalition scheme falls through, are likely to be astray in their through, are likely to be astray in the most at the relieve body up the sastest in the confict between Vice Admiral Koltchak, commander in-chief of the Black Sea facts and the Council of Soldiers and the Council of Soldiers and the content of Soldiers and 6,778,000.00 ers whose bills will be for more than \$50 has been increased by almost sev-

Montreal, June 1.-In his fourth edi-MISS CLARA E. JOYCE

Many will learn with regret of the death of Miss Clara E. Joyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Joyce of 183 Brussels street, which occurred this morning. Besides her parents, she is survived by two brothers and four sissurvived by two brothers and four sissurvived by two brothers are: William and John of this city; the sister, Mary, Margaret, Catherine and Helen, all of this city. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon from her parents'

of John Ray, third mate, who was drowned when the small boats were being launched. The vessel was attacked by ting launched. The vessel was attacked by gunfire by a German submarine, which gave no warning.

The vessel was subsequently sunk by the crew of the submarine. The sink-ing occurred on May 31 and the crew from her army and set them at the plough. The danger is so pressing that plough. The danger is so pressing that at the risk of offending the French en

ager, Arrested, Confesses Lar-