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BOLSHEVIKI SUFFER CRUSHING DEFEAT IN NORTH RUSSIA

Report From Archangel Says They Left Piles of Dead in Front of Blockhouses.

100 PRISONERS TAKEN

Gen. Maynard Taking Steps to Nip Mutiny of Finnish Troops in Bud.

Archangel, April 6.—The allied forces, principally British and Russian, operating in the Sredn Mekhrenska sector delivered a crushing defeat on Friday afternoon to a large Bolsheviki attacking party.

The enemy charged the allied blockhouses and the piles of Bolsheviki dead lying near them this morning indicated the severity of the enemy's losses. In addition, the allied troops captured nearly 100 prisoners, including a Bolsheviki battalion commander and his adjutant. In the Bolsheviki sector American patrols continue to harass the enemy. The allied guns are still heavily shelling the town.

An official statement issued by the British war office on the fighting Saturday south of Archangel, says: "After a night bombardment the enemy attacked near Sredn Mekhrenska, but was repulsed with heavy losses. Enemy dead are lying thick around the blockhouses. A battalion commander, his adjutant and 100 men were captured. We had no casualties."

An official statement dealing with the operations on the Murmansk and Archangel fronts, issued last night says:

"Gen. Maynard is taking energetic action to deal with the situation, which is causing anxiety 120 miles south of Murmansk. Reinforcements of infantry and marines have been rapidly moved down the railway line, and it is hoped that they may succeed in nippling in the bud the mutinous tendency among the Finnish troops who form part of Gen. Maynard's forces. The object of these latter is believed to be to effect a junction with the Bolsheviki.

"The Archangel situation is unchanged. The Bolsheviki have not attacked after their recent disastrous failures."

HANNA PREDICTS C. N. R. EARNINGS

Says National Railways in West Will Earn More Than C. P. R.

Vancouver, April 6.—D. B. Hanna, president of the Canadian National Railways, at a board of trade dinner last night, predicted that beyond peradventure the earnings of the National lines west of Port Arthur would be largely in excess of the C. P. R. Other guests were Vice-President M. H. Macleod and Premier John Oliver.

Mr. Hanna appealed for confidence in the future development—development in which the port of Vancouver was sure to figure largely, and which involved reaching out after trade with China and Japan, and the control of a merchant marine, and of the institution of a boat service between Vancouver and Montreal.

FLEW OVER ANDES.
Santiago, Chile, April 5.—Lieutenant Cortines, in a British airplane, flew over the Andes today at a height of 6,000 metres (18,000 feet).

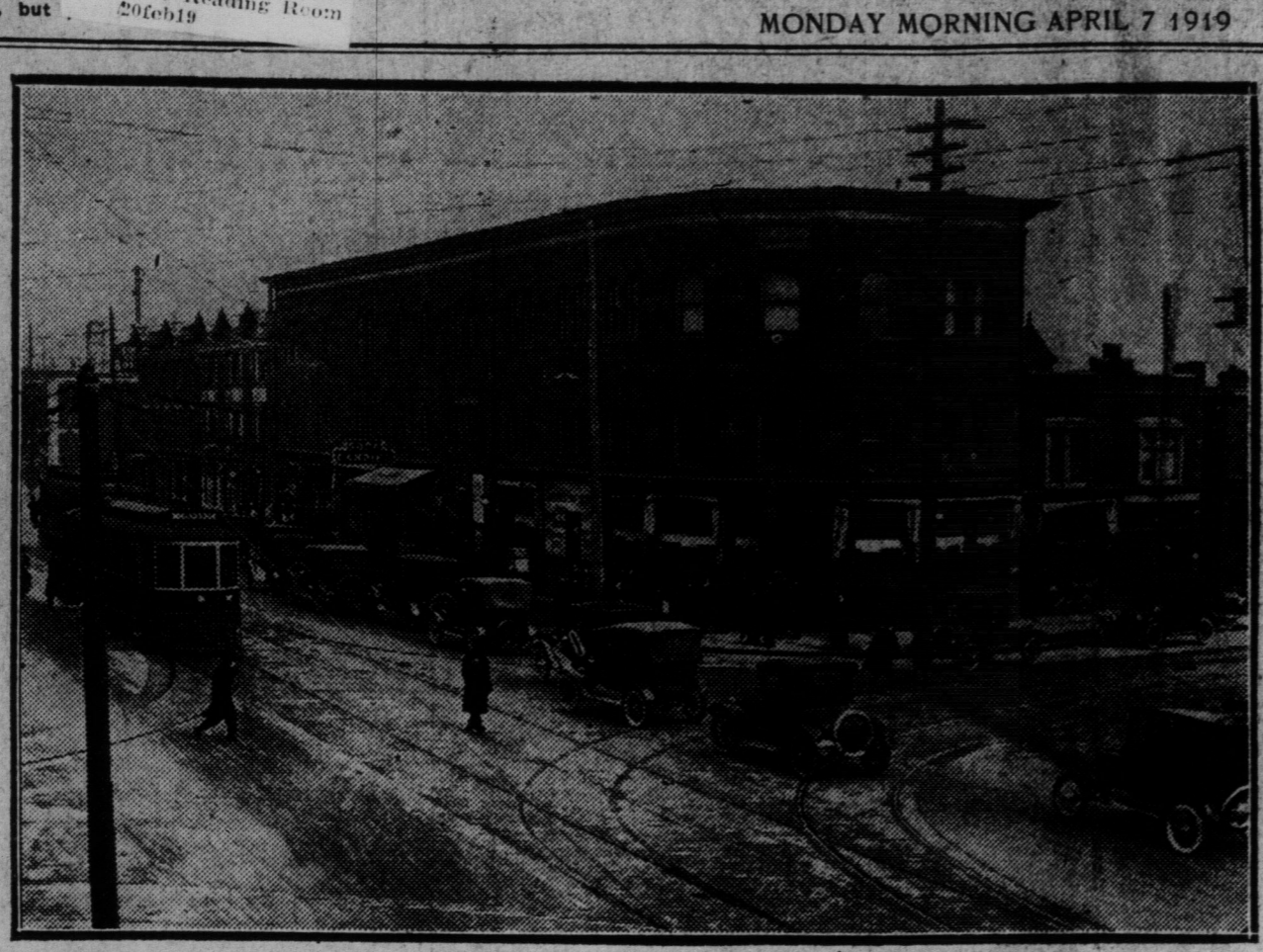
CLEAN UP YONGE STREET IS DEMAND OF RESIDENTS

Insist Upon Definite Settlement of That Thorofare's Difficulty as to Tracks and Pavements Without Express Deal—Mass Meeting Called.

The residents of upper Yonge street are awaiting further developments in regard to the Metropolitan franchise on that street. They know the question has been sent back to Commissioners Bradshaw and Harris to negotiate some modification in their recommendation that the city give the Metropolitan \$500,000 for the surrender of their franchise on the city portion of Yonge street and also agree to carry the package freight of the company from York Mills to St. Lawrence market.

Sir Adam Beck has advised the council against this proposed settlement. He has also undertaken to submit plans of his own, which include the city build a single line on Yonge street, and another one on Duplex street, also one on Duplex street. These plans will be before Messrs. Harris and Bradshaw today or tomorrow.

How far no one has shown Sir Adam's plan will do what the commissioners' recommendations might do: allow the city to clean up Yonge street, put down a double track on the middle of the street, and allow of a first-class pay-



TORONTO'S BUSIEST CORNER SUNDAYS
On fine Sunday mornings and afternoons the corner of Broadview and Danforth is the busiest spot in all Toronto. A constant procession of motor cars and pedestrians stream over the viaduct and out along Danforth. It was long since found necessary to have a traffic policeman there to regulate the flow that began the Sunday after the viaduct was opened, and has continued every fine Sunday since.

ANSWERS BY SIR ROBERT CURRIE TO CANADIAN CRITICISM

At London Luncheon Testifies to Work of Overseas Minister of Militia—Sir Edward Kemp and Generals Currie and Turner Defend Course of Overseas Staff.

(Continued From Page 6).
London, April 5.—At a small luncheon given here today by Sir Edward Kemp to meet General Currie, the overseas minister took the opportunity to voice his own sentiments upon criticisms from Canada. Sir Edward Kemp said he had ever since the armistice urged that Canadian soldiers should be repatriated as fast as possible, and his own view was entirely contrary to that urged in some quarters in Canada that soldiers should not be demobilized too quickly or else they would find no work to do at home. He was absolutely satisfied that they had arrived at the best conclusions possible regarding demobilization and was quite prepared to defend the form it took.

Before the end of this month one-half of all the Canadian troops on this side would be back on the water. "There is, however," he proceeded, "an odd man now and then who returns to Canada. He misrepresents the situation and reflects upon the officers here who are doing their very best. This sort of thing has a boomerang effect and recalls eventually upon the man who makes such statements. One of the favorite things to be uttered," continued Sir Edward, "is that there is an intrigue proceeding. God knows what an intrigue really is, but at any rate it is stated that there was a possibility of General Currie being replaced in the command of the Canadian troops in Italy. I have never heard anyone mention it. More than that, it would be a presumption on the part of anybody here to have thought of it."

Sir Edward Kemp went on to say that it was his duty to defend men who were doing their best. (Continued on Page 7, Column 1).

RETURNING SOLDIERS

Troops from the S.S. Melita, which docked at St. John, N.B., on the 6th inst., are expected to arrive by C. P. R. at the Union Station at 7:10 this morning. Exact hour may be had by phoning N. 3416 or 3417, and Adel. 3180 or 3181, Main from the S. S. Melita and Caronia men which arrived at Halifax on the 5th inst., and are now en route to St. John. Lists will be found on page 11.

U. F. O. CANDIDATE IN SOUTH VICTORIA

Lindsay Convention Nominates F. J. Sandy for Ontario Legislature.
Lindsay, Ont., April 6.—At a large and enthusiastic convention held here Saturday the U.F.O. of South Victoria, by a vote of delegates, placed F. J. Sandy in the field as their candidate in South Victoria for the provincial house. There were 278 delegates present, including six Labor representatives from Lindsay, also including a great number of ladies. The academy was packed. Other candidates balloted for were: Charles D. Logan, A. J. Varcoe, J. Robertson, J. I. Michener. Enthusiasm ran high and the farmers of the district were present, giving a striking proof of standing behind their candidate to the North Ontario election is expected. Mr. Halpert of Uxbridge, president of the U.F.O., was the speaker, giving a striking foreboding address in which he called the audience along with his enthusiasm. He claimed that the farmers of Victoria were undertaking a serious problem when they would have to stand "pat" on our platform, but we are not going to let them. You want a U.F.O. candidate from the north of his feet up. He claimed that the farmers were just commencing to wake up to their own interests. He deplored the fact that corporations and capitalists ruled the government as evidenced by the day-light saving bill.

Railways had every right to change their schedules, but no right to change the time or advance the clocks, yet they did it. We want to co-operate with the common people and with the manufacturers, we want to be fifty-fifty partners with the manufacturers. Don't let politicians come into this riding and raise the racket; cry, a man speak, and mouth locked. They have to jump when the party whip cracks. Mr. Halpert criticized the minister of agriculture (Hon. Mr. Henry) for speaking against the farmers and the U.F.O. "The future belongs to the progressive forces of mankind and we are going to be one. We are not going to be the political ax any longer."

The speaker scored The Toronto Globe for being "muzzled" and the press in general for calling reports of his speeches.

F. J. Sandy said if farmers had more representatives in parliament when their interests would be protected. He claimed that the South Victoria U.F.O. did not decide to place a candidate in the field until there was a definite settlement of the matter.

SIR ROBERT COMING

Special to The World.
Ottawa, April 6.—If the peace terms are signed on Wednesday, as private cables might indicate, Sir Robert Borden may sail for Canada on Saturday, and be here on Easter Sunday. His colleagues are looking for him at the earliest moment. Every important question is being held until Sir Robert's return is settled.

LOOK FOR PROFIT DISCLOSURES OVER STOCK OF C. N. R.

Asking Government About Unacquired Twenty-Five Millions in Debentures.

TORONTO MEN

Said to Have Quietly Bought Big Block of Stock at Opportune Moment.

Special to The Toronto World.
Ottawa, April 6.—Considerable comment has been occasioned by notices for the production of papers recently filed with the clerk of the house by Mr. H. A. Mackie, Unionist member for Edmonton. These notices, if pressed, will require the government to lay upon the table of the house a considerable correspondence leading up to the purchase by the government of the common stock of the Canadian Northern Railway Company. The motions call for all letters written by Major Graham A. Bell, at present deputy minister of railways, but at that time comptroller of the railway department, respecting the value of the Canadian Northern stock at or shortly before their purchase by the government.

Were Quietly Bought.
It will be remembered that the government failed to acquire twenty-five million dollars of income debenture convertible stock and stock of these debentures have never exercised their option to exchange their securities for common stock. At the outbreak of the war, it is said, the convertible debentures were widely distributed and were not regarded as of any great value. The gossip is that Mr. Mackie hurried back to Munich, but a Toronto syndicate in 1917 for 60 cents on the dollar and that they automatically leaped to par a few weeks later when the government took over the Canadian Northern.

BAVARIA MENACED BY A CIVIL WAR

London, April 6.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph says that when the Soviet republic was proclaimed in Bavaria, Herr Hoffmann was in Berlin. He hurried back to Munich, but too late. The Bavarian troops, the despatch adds, declared they would not move a finger for him.

"In a few days Bavaria will be in the throes of civil war," the correspondent continues, "as it is stated that the peasants of various districts are preparing to march on Munich."

GENERAL WALKOUT IN BERLIN MONDAY

Berlin, April 6.—Independent Socialists and Spartacists decided yesterday by a vote of 10,000 to 3,000 to begin a general strike in Berlin Monday. The Majority Socialists opposed the movement, but the employees of the large machine and metal works carried the day for those favorable to a strike. The government troops in Berlin have been reinforced.

CAUCUS ON TARIFF BEING HELD TOMORROW

Special to The Toronto World.
Ottawa, April 6.—The caucus of western unionist members on the tariff question, which the western ministers have been asked to attend, will be held on Tuesday instead of tomorrow, as first announced.

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EXPERTS RESPONSIBLE FOR CONFERENCE DELAY

Lloyd George Says That, While There is No Difference Among Council, Opinions of Those Investigating Have to Be Considered and Reconciled.

NO FOUNDATION FOR PESSIMISM

Reports Regarding Peace Unwaranted, and Preliminaries Ready in Few Days.

London, April 6.—The Sunday Observer, in lead type, says it has the best reasons for stating that the peace conference are entirely unfounded. Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson are doing everything together for a peace which it will be possible for the English-speaking democracies to guarantee, the newspaper declares, and it is authoritatively expected that the preliminaries will be finally settled within three or four days.

400,000 OPERATORS MAY GO ON STRIKE

Protest Against U. S. Postmaster-General's Action on Wage Readjustments.

New York, April 6.—Balloting to determine whether the 400,000 members of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America and six affiliated unions shall strike as a protest against Postmaster-General Burleson's methods of wage control was authorized at a meeting of the union's executive committee here tonight. Ballots were distributed, returnable at the union's headquarters in Chicago, April 22.

S. J. Koenekamp, national president of the union, said the result of the contemplated strike was the result of dissatisfaction over Mr. Burleson's action on requests for wage adjustments. Mr. Burleson also had refused, he declared, to abide by President Wilson's mandate that the rights of workers to organize should not be abridged.

Second Division Troops Embarking From France

London, April 5.—It is officially announced that the embarkation of the first division units will start before the middle of the month. Embarkation of the second division from France to England began last Friday.

STEAMER ARRIVALS

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El Oriente.....New York.....Bordeaux
America.....Boston.....Bordeaux
Araguaya.....Liverpool.....Portland, Me.
Corcoran.....Liverpool.....St. John, N.B.
Metapan.....New York.....New York
Harrisburg.....Liverpool.....St. John
Crisol.....New York.....St. John
Tlalpaval.....Cristobal.....Halifax
War Flour.....Halifax.....St. John, N.B.

The High Price of Butter

Steady Advance Makes Government Inquiry Necessary and May Justify an Early Prohibition of the Exporting of Canadian Product to Europe.

York, living north of Danforth avenue, waited on W. F. Macleod, M.P., on Saturday and requested him to call the attention of the government to the high price of butter in Toronto, and also the high price of oleomargarine; butter was 47c two weeks ago and now it is 67c; margarine is 40 cents. These prices made the use of product through the Dominion. "It has also been brought to my attention that the Italian government are asking for shipments of Canadian butter, and are offering 80 cents a pound delivered in Italy. Should the Canadian people be deprived of butter thru exportation to foreign countries is a question which the Dominion government must immediately decide," he said.

A meeting of the Earlscourt Citizens' Committee has been called to discuss the situation. On Thursday the West Toronto ratepayers will take the matter up, as also will the Danforth and Ward 5 ratepayers and the Central Council of York Township Ratepayers at their next meetings.

PRICES OF BUTTER PUZZLING BRANTFORD

"Cold Storage Situation" is Solution Offered by Some Settlers—Oleomargarine for Dollar a Pound Figure.
Brantford, Ont., April 6.—The railways were masters of the market situation on Saturday morning, for the producers had to rise an hour earlier, and there were few on the market when they reached the city. Butter was the engrossing topic of conversation. When the price was given at 65 cents as a general price inside the dairy building, and 60 cents outside, the price of butter immediately opened to unearth the cause. Most of those selling did not know how to account for the increase in price. Several decided that it was due to the cold storage situation. The big store dealers had been applying for exportation, and now a good price was offered by the big buyers. One or two affirmed that the cows were going dry. But, whatever the cause, there was no prospect of any drop in price. One man said he hoped the price would go up to \$1, because city people had no idea how much work it meant to make a pound of butter.

BIG OIL MONOPOLY IS REACHING OUT

Seeks to Gain Control of Alberta Fields of Canada.
Special to The World.
Ottawa, April 6.—There is every indication that the Shell Transport and Trading Co. the big petroleum monopoly of England, is preparing for another descent on Alberta to get away with a monopoly franchise to develop the oil fields of Alberta. All sorts of propaganda stuff is being put on the newspaper wires. The wonderful wealth of this company, its royal Dutch ancestry, its fifty-fifty offer to the Dominion government, its control of Java oil, Mexico, California, Oklahoma, fields, all this was being set forth within the past week. The Standard Oil concern is said to be overshadowed by the Shell. But the bulk of the western members here are against any deal that will erect an oil monopoly in any company.