

EFFECT OF STRIKE IS FAR-REACHING

Stability of Europe Depends Upon Outcome, Says Empire Club Speaker.

The extraordinary complexity of the political and economic situation in Europe and the importance of a stabilization of the same by Great Britain were clearly and forcibly described by Captain James A. Roy, at the Empire Club luncheon yesterday.

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Racial hatred, communism and Bolshevism, said Capt. Roy, were rapidly placing Europe in a state where the questions of frontiers, etc., arising in a vicious circle, growing larger and larger until the problems were international and practically insoluble.

The coal strike in Britain had a far greater influence on Europe than was realized. Bolshevism under the able leadership of Lenin and Trotsky was having its last great fling by an attempted upheaval of the British Empire, and on the outcome of the strike which was really a fight between proletarianism and constitutional government, would depend the stability of Europe.

The program arranged for the musical treat tonight by Miss Lenora Sparkes, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Co., and the famous London (Eng.) String Quartet is an exceptionally interesting one and will prove to be one of the finest that will be given in Toronto this season.

"Accidental death" was the verdict brought in last night by Dr. Buttis in the case of Gavril Stavayonitch, who died in his room at 384 East Queen street on Oct. 8. He had attempted to enter the house by way of the balcony, because the door was locked, and had fallen to the pavement, sustaining injuries which placed him beyond any medical aid, even if it had been rendered immediately.

MEN YOU HEAR OF Seen as Their Friends Know Them

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TORONTO DESIRES SHARE OF AUTO LICENSE FEES

City Council Will Seek Legislation at Forthcoming Session—Money Returned to Be Expended on Highways—Ask House Again for Power to Establish Fair Rents Court—Legislative Program.

Acting on the suggestion of the British Imperial Association of Canada, the committee of the city council on legislation yesterday declared to ask the province to return to Toronto fifty per cent. of the fees collected in Toronto for auto licenses.

On motion of Mayor Church the committee resolved to again ask the legislature to pass the bill presented at last session giving the city power to establish a fair rents court.

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Ald. Baker put up a stiff fight to have his motion adopted calling for the imposition of a heavy fee on the professional baseball clubs that play in the city.

At the afternoon session of the Canadian Advertisers' Association held at the Prince George yesterday, dresses of four minutes were given on "What is the most effective thing done in your advertising and selling this year?"

Mr. Elvins gave a report of the direct by mail committee, enlarging upon the value of that branch of distribution. Mr. Beecher, in his address on "Merchandizing of Gillettes in Canada," spoke of the manner in which their advertising had been strengthened by the present system, and how valuable a medium concise and snappy advertising proved, as shown in the increase in sales for the past year.

"Psychology of Color," by Mr. Sampson, of Color Craft, Toronto, and "Arrangement and Design," by Mr. Robinson, art director of Rous and Mann, Toronto, were other lectures delivered under "The Dress of the Package."

LIBERAL CANDIDATE STARTS CAMPAIGN

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Veterans Import Fuel Direct From America, Supplying All Needs.

The Oakwood branch of the G.A.U. reports that largely due to the activities of President Marshall, the coal problem of members of the branch has been solved.

J. V. Conroy and J. F. Marsh, representing the G.W.V.A. and G.A.U. V., will go as a joint delegation today to Colonel Nettleton of the D.S. O.R., and will request that Sgt. Richardson be appointed to the position of Secretary J. F. Marsh, where he is staying at the time.

Provincial Secretary Turley of the G.W.V.A. addressed the organization meeting held last evening of the Toronto branch of the organization.

An active winter's growth of the G. W. V. A. is prophesied by Provincial Secretary Turley. Mr. Turley states that in the past year, of the association's 120 branches, 100 have had at least 15 applications from towns desiring charters.

Provincial Secretary Turley of the G.W.V.A. has been asked to interest himself in the coal problem of the Toronto branch.

EXAMINATIONS IN MUSIC UNCHANGED

Not Affected by Conservatory Amalgamating With Toronto University.

Although the Toronto Conservatory of Music has amalgamated with the University of Toronto, the examinations in music in both institutions will, for the current academic year, be conducted exactly as heretofore.

Realizing that it is essential that standards of music should, as far as possible, be set for the whole province, and that this can be done only under the control of the provincial university, those interested in the Toronto Conservatory of Music have handed over to the board of governors of the University of Toronto the important trust held by them for many years for the advancement of education in music.

TENDS TO DEplete MILITARY FORCES

Occupation of Hospital by D. S. C. R. May Result in Reduction of Toronto Strength.

That the occupation of the former Dominion Orthopedic Hospital by the D.S.C.R. will seriously embarrass the militia authorities who had been practically promised this building at the expiration of its usefulness as a hospital, was the statement made yesterday by Colonel R. Brooke, Director for Military District No. 2.

SOME UNCERTAINTIES ABOUT SUGAR'S FUTURE

Anti-Dumping Act May Possibly Be Enforced, and in Some Quarters a Rebound in Sugar Prices in U. S. Markets is Anticipated.

The possible enforcement of the anti-dumping act and a possible recovery of the American market were mentioned in The World yesterday as factors which, in spite of the government's action in rescinding the board of commerce order, fraught the local sugar situation with uncertainties.

The value of a commodity which must be declared in order that it may evade the anti-dumping provisions: "The value shall be the fair market value of such goods in the usual and ordinary commercial acceptance of the term, and as sold in the ordinary course of trade."

Collector of Customs W. G. Bertram pointed out that the ambiguity in the above sections rests in its failure to provide a definite source of authority for the determination of the fair market price.

The provisions of the anti-dumping act take no cognizance of a price difference unless it is in excess of five per cent. Any greater difference is collected as a dumping duty up to a maximum of 15 per cent. of the price declared by the government to be the fair market value.

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STIRRING APPEAL FOR NAVY LEAGUE

Concentrating Interest on Canadian Mercantile Marine, Declares Col. Williams.

Leut.-Col. Cecil G. Williams delivered a stirring address at the luncheon in the King Edward Hotel yesterday before the leaders in the campaign of the Navy League of Canada.

"The spirit of the Navy League," said Col. Williams, "is as necessary today as it was in the days of the great naval wars."

CONCENTRATING INTEREST ON CANADIAN MERCANTILE MARINE

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Col. Williams told some tales of heroism on the part of the dependents of merchant sailors who fell in the great war.

DEATH OF HENRY J. SIMPSON

We regret to announce the death of Henry J. Simpson, a well-known Toronto photographer, 357 1/2 Yonge street, Toronto, who died in his 59th year, from double pneumonia, after an illness lasting four days.

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FOOT CAUGHT IN BELTING

Man Caught in Belting at Willard Co. Chocolate Works.

Finlay Quackenbush, 72 Denison avenue, 16 years of age, machinist at the Willard Co. chocolate works, Dupont street, was in the act of putting some finishing touches to machinery at the works just prior to closing yesterday evening, when he caught his right foot in the belting. The foot was painfully but not seriously injured, and the young man was taken to the Western Hospital. It will not be necessary to amputate.

IMPORTING CHARGES

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TONIGHT AT 8.15

THE LONDON STRING QUARTET

LENORA SPARKES

Soprano, Metropolitan Opera House, N.Y.

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DOROTHY DALTON in "1/2 an Hour"

NEXT WEEK—A Glorious Picturization of 'THE TRANSLATION OF A SAVAGE' By Sir Gilbert Parker

Behold My Wife

A Paramount Picture

Special Prolog Featuring MISS LENORE IVEY

A PARAMOUNT-ARTCRAFT PRODUCTION

THIS WEEK An Epic of Human Interest.

Now Playing ALHAMBRA

Now Playing OAKWOOD

Now Playing FAMILY

Now Playing GARDEN

Now Playing TECK

RETURN OPEN VERDICT ON UNKNOWN WOMAN

An open verdict was returned last night by Dr. Pickering's jury at the inquest held on the body of an unknown woman about 25 years of age, who was found dead on the Grand Trunk tracks, 100 yards west of Woodbine avenue, on the morning of Oct. 9.

There were no marks on the woman's clothing or her rings by which she could be identified, nor was there any evidence of criminal assault. It was thought that she might have been Mary Penicott, but, as stated in The World on Oct. 15, Miss Penicott is living in Hamilton. Detective Whitehead received word yesterday morning that she is at 274 Wentworth street.

ALEXANDRA I MAT. SAT.

Even. at 8—Mat. at 2 sharp.

THE MAID OF THE MOUNTAINS

NEXT WEEK—SEATS NOW

BARNEY BERNARD HIS HONOR, ABE POTASH

A COMEDY BY MONTAGUE GLASS AND JULES ECKERT GOODMAN

Princess Even. Mat. Sat.

Booth Tarkington's Best Comedy

CLARENCE EVERYBODY LIKES IT

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BURLESQUE AND VAUDEVILLE

Joe Hurtig Offers The Girls of the U.S.A.

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LOEW'S UPTOWN

YONGE AT BLOOR ST.

"THE MISFIT WIFE" Starring ALICE LAKE

22-AUGMENTED ORCHESTRA—22

LOEW'S

THIS WEEK WINTER GARDEN

"The Fortune Teller"

Featuring MARJORIE RAMBEAU

PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE

NOW PLAYING ROSCOE (PATTY) "HIS TAKING" "ARBUCKLE" "THE ROUND UP"

STAR ROUND THE TOWN

WITH SHIRLEY MALLETTE I. B. HAMP—HARRY BENTLEY AND A BIG ALL-STAR CAST.

DEAD MEN TELL NO TALES

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