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GENERAL STRIKE IN IRELAND AS PROTEST AGAINST ILLEGAL METHODS

IRISH BEGIN A GENERAL STRIKE AS PROTEST AGAINST TREATMENT OF PRISONERS IN THE DUBLIN JAIL

Walkout Does Not Include Employees of Newspapers, Telegraph Service. Bakers and Men Required For Care of Horses and Cattle—Political Prisoners in Mountjoy Jail On Hunger Strike.

TANKS AND ARMORED CARS ARE SENT TO MOUNTJOY PRISON

Dublin, April 13.—The general strike declared in Ireland in protest over the treatment of the political prisoners, who are on a hunger strike in Mountjoy prison here, went into effect today.

Famous Surgeon's Body Turned Over; Medical Research Brain of Dr. Joseph Simms Is Removed by Colleague.

Dublin, April 13.—The body of the famous surgeon, Dr. Joseph Simms, who died on Sunday at the age of 86 years, was today removed by his colleague, Dr. Edward A. Spitzka, in compliance with a wish expressed in the will of the deceased surgeon.

QUEBEC MURDERERS SENTENCED TO HANG

Quebec, April 13.—(By Canadian Press.)—The case of King vs. Nick Debocka and George Morhar, charged with the murder of Toter Kostin at Kemogamian on the night of the 27th of July, 1919, drew to a close yesterday.

SCOTIA MINERS DECIDE IN FAVOR OF TWO YEAR CONTRACTS

N.S., April 13.—(Canadian Associated Press.)—The United Mine Workers, in their annual convention, today decided in favor of two year contracts.

GERMAN COMMUNIST BAND BURNS HOMES, ROBS PEOPLE AND CREATES REIGN OF TERROR IN SAXONY

Leipzig, April 13.—(By Associated Press.)—Owing to the energy of the government against Max Hoelz, minister leader, and former lecturer in political science, Hoelz, and his band of marauders have disappeared.

RAILWAY CONDITIONS IMPROVED IN WEST, BUT GROWING MUCH WORSE IN THE EAST

Thousands in Pennsylvania Coal Regions Threatened With Enforced Idleness.

NEW YORK SUFFERS ARMED SOLDIERS USED MOTOR TRUCKS TO DELIVER MAILED

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SOUTH CAROLINA REFUSES TO HEAR EAMON DE VALERA

Columbia, S. C., April 13.—Because of objection by prominent alumni, notably members of the American Legion, Eamon de Valera, president of the Irish Republic, will not speak at the University of South Carolina today.

SETTLEMENT IN SIGHT

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ADVOCATES CANADA'S ENTRY TO PAN-AMERICAN UNION

Montreal, April 13.—The entrance of Canada into the pan-American union was forcefully and vigorously advocated before the Young Men's Canadian Club here last night by the Hon. John D. Barrett, director of the union, who, in his address, emphasized the necessity for the nations of America to unite in resisting the wave of Bolshevism which threatens to cross the Atlantic, while he also urged the commercial and general benefits which would result from such a union.

GERMAN SPECULATORS RAVE WHEN TOLD OF SECURITIES TRANSFER

Berlin, April 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—Panic-stricken speculation reigned in the stock exchange yesterday in consequence of the putting into effect of an order for the compulsory transfer of foreign securities held in Germany, as provided by the peace treaty.

THE WEATHER

Table with columns: LOCAL TEMPERATURES, FORECASTS, TOMORROW—FAIR, and THEATRES.



A portion of the catch of 200,000 pounds taken in one night by the Mount's Bay Fleet, England. The prices of these fish range from 19s to 2s per hundred. One boat on her maiden trip realized over \$3,500.



SPEAKS SIX LANGUAGES BUT IS UNABLE TO PASS LITERACY TEST

New York, April 13.—Although he speaks fluently six languages and had lived in New York City ten years, George Arsenis, a Greek grocer, has been held, with this wife, at Ellis Island since February 20, because he is unable to pass the literacy test.

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"Wrath of Heaven and Eternal Torments of Hell" Are Called Down On Heads of Moslems

Constantinople, April 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—Sultan Mehmed VI. of Turkey has thrown all his political and religious power into the balance as a final measure in combating the Nationalist movement in Asia Minor.

DEPUTATION TO ASK THAT HIGHWAY PASS THROUGH ARNPRIOR

Ottawa, April 13.—A deputation from Arnprior passed through Ottawa last night on its way to Toronto to interview Hon. Mr. Biggs, minister of highways. The interview is for the purpose of asking a promise that the Ottawa-Kingston road, which will pass through Arnprior.

300 WERE KILLED IN PRUSSIAN EXPLOSION

Paris, April 13.—Latest reports say that 300 were killed in the explosion of a munitions dump at Rotterdam, East Prussia, on Sunday, and several hundred others were injured. Previous reports placed the number of dead at 80.

TITULESCU APPOINTED DELEGATE

Paris, April 13.—M. Titulesco, former Rumanian minister of finance, has been appointed a delegate from Rumania to the peace conference.

Free Beer Policy Elects Mayor of Artists' Colony

Jules De Paquitt Heads New Independent Section in Paris.

Paris, April 13.—Montmartre, the famous artist colony, has declared its independence by electing its own mayor, Jules De Paquitt, a cartoonist, whose platform was brief, being simply "Free beer!"

POLES PUT REDS TO FLIGHT FOLLOWING PROLONGED BATTLE

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FORMER EMPRESS OF GERMANY REPORTED IN SERIOUS STATE

Berlin, April 13.—The Deutsche Tageszeitung today says it has learned from a reliable source that the former German Empress Augusta Victoria has become so grave that the announcement of her death may be expected at any moment.

BRITISH BUDGET WILL BE INTRODUCED MONDAY

London, April 13.—(By the Canadian Associated Press.)—The chancellor of the exchequer will introduce the budget next Monday. He will be called upon to make up a deficit of £226,000,000 while the revenue needed amounts to £1,200,000,000.

JAPANESE MISSION ARRIVES IN PARIS

Paris, April 13.—A Japanese mission has arrived in Paris to assist the Japanese ambassador in matters concerning various clauses of the peace treaty. The mission is composed of the Marquis Maeda, a member of the House of Peers, and Majors Phidan-Ya and Sakai.

SULTAN ORDERS THAT PARLIAMENT DISSOLVE

Constantinople, April 13.—Dissolution of the Chamber of Deputies has been ordered by the sultan, and in obedience to this command members of the house have dispersed without disorder.

INDIANS STRONGLY OBJECT TO COMPULSORY ENFRANCHISEMENT, WANT PARENTS' POWER RESTORED

Rev. Peter Kelly, Representing British Columbia Indians, Supports Idea of Compulsory Education, But Objects To the Placing of Children in Boarding Schools Without Parents' Consent.

Ottawa, April 13.—(By Canadian Press.)—Further opposition to the proposed amendments to the Indian act, chiefly on the ground that it means compulsory enfranchisement, also that it places too much power in the hands of the superintendent general, was heard by the special committee of the Commons today.

\$2,000,000 EXPENDITURE WITHOUT PEOPLE'S CONSENT

London, April 13.—(By Associated Press.)—The London and North Western Railway Commission has announced that it has approved a plan for the expenditure of £2,000,000 on the extension of the railway.

Interesting Reading Found in Items Submitted in City of London Bills During Past Ten Years.

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BATTLESHIP RAINBOW WILL BE SCRAPPED

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DOMINION GOVERNMENT UNABLE TO SELL WAR VESSEL

Vancouver, B.C., April 13.—According to reports here, efforts of the Federal Government to sell H. M. C. S. Rainbow, now lying at Esquimaut, have failed, and the officials have decided to scrap the ship.

SWISS FAVOR ADHERENCE TO LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Berne, April 13.—At a general meeting yesterday of the Liberal Democrats, the leading Swiss political party, resolutions were passed favoring Switzerland's adherence to the League of Nations.

NEW AEROPLANE "HARBORS"

Montreal, April 13.—Lieut. Col. W. G. Barker, of the R.C.A.F., is addressing the annual meeting of the Montreal Aero Club, held yesterday night. He stated that there was a little hope for progress in commercial aviation until the municipal or other governments started constructing "airports" for seaplanes.

HUDSON BAY CO. HEAD DIES

Winnipeg, April 13.—Roderick MacFarlane, ex-chief of the Hudson Bay Company, died yesterday night. MacFarlane was born in Stornoway, island of Lewis, Scotland, 1853. He came to Canada in 1882.