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GIANT SNOWSLIDE BURIES TRAIN; 1 KILLED

PLOW SPECIAL OVERWHELMED IN NOVA SCOTIA

Cecil Embree, C. N. R Operator, Caught By Slide, Smothered

CREW ESCAPES

Tender, Coach and Flanger Carried Away By Force of Huge Drift

DRIFTS STILL ENGINE

Crews Still Working on Slide

Brakeman S. N. Mackinnon of Sydney, who rode the top of the slide for a distance of 105 feet, escaped unhurt.

The heavy locomotive and plow remained on the rails, but the tender, coach and flanger were carried away by the force of the slide, turned crosswise of the track and buried under several feet of snow.

Up to noon today wrecking crews were still working on the slide, with a prospect that it might be open by four or five o'clock this afternoon.

At this point the cut is about 75 feet high and from its top the ground slopes sharply away to the east, to a mountain for a distance of over 100 feet.

Brakeman Mackinnon laboriously made his way up the banks to the telegraph line and was about to attach his instrument to the wire when the whole mass of snow started to move under his feet, and hundreds of tons of it poured down on the train.

Cecil Embree, the operator, had come out of the van and was standing on the platform watching the brakeman assure the wires. Before he could move, the snow was upon him, and he was buried.

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Lenglen Defeats Wills In Finals of Carlton Tennis Tournament

Another Test Vote Due In House Tonight

PREMIER BRIAND WINS VOTE OF CONFIDENCE BY 258 AGAINST 149

Queen Lenglen at and Away From Court

FRENCH PLAYER WINS STRAIGHT SETS 6-0; 8-6

Suzanne Gains Decision By Superior Steady Game

PROVES PEELESS Both Girls Play Carefully, Refusing To Take Any Chances

CANNES, Feb. 16.—Suzanne Lenglen gained a second victory over Helen Wills today, when, in the finals of the women's doubles in the Carlton tournament, the French champion and Miss Vlasto defeated the United States girl and Miss. Contalavos, 6-4, 8-6.

CANNES, Feb. 16.—Suzanne Lenglen today defeated Helen Wills, 6-3, 8-6, in the final of the women's singles of the Carlton lawn tennis tournament.

The French woman showed in her first meeting with the United States tennis champion that she was unopposed in the game by any other player of her sex.

The match as a whole failed to provide the high class quality of tennis that the spectators expected from two such champions.

Both girls were extremely careful, taking absolutely no chances, and remaining on the base lines throughout the two sets.

Miss Lenglen won through superior steadiness, making fewer errors than the California girl.

Miss Wills had the point set when Lenglen called for a ball in the error on the part of a linesman, a ball which was good, which thousands of spectators were certain was plainly outside.

WILLS SLEWS DOWN This seemed to unnerve the overseas girl and from then on her game lacked the speed and enthusiasm to which she has accustomed the Riviera fans.

The point score of the first set: Lenglen 4 2 8 4 4 1 4 5-31-6 Wills 0 4 5 0 2 4 1 3-19-3

The point score of the second set: Lenglen 0 5 2 2 4 4 5 4 4 3 8-32-8 Wills 4 8 4 4 1 1 2 6 0 2 5 4 3-46-6

Weather and court conditions were excellent for the match. Miss Wills, with a slight stiffness in one knee as the result of a fall and a gash in the semi-finals, insisted before the match that she was all right, and would have no excuse.

There was nearly a riot when the gates to the court opened two hours before the match. Several women had stood in line all night, fainting. Reserved seats were all sold. It seemed as if at least two thousand persons were unable to gain admittance.

LENGLEN TAKES THREE Mile Lenglen won three games in the first set at love and one in the second.

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SUZANNE LENGLEN'S dazzling ability to reach 'em anywhere and everywhere is indicated by the action views of her shown above along with photos taken when she wasn't making a racquet. The French woman showed in her first meeting with Helen Wills, United States tennis champion, that she is unopposed in the game.

CHAMBER PASSES FINANCE BILL AFTER ALL NIGHT SESSION; THREE BILLION FRANCS NEEDED IN MAY TO AVERT INFLATION; MEASURE GOES TO SENATE.

PARIS, Feb. 15.—Premier Briand early this morning wound up the day and night long debate in the Chamber of Deputies of the Government's bill, which seeks the financial restoration of France, by making a vote on the bill as a whole a question of confidence in his Government. The Premier was upheld by a vote of 258 against 149.

With the fear of their constituents ever before their eyes, the deputies of whatever party could not bring themselves to vote fresh taxation. As a consequence, the financial bill is shorn of most of the measures intended to obtain funds for balancing the budget. It will now be sent to the Senate, where the government counts upon the upper chamber to restore the provisions eliminated in the Chamber of Deputies and add such other clauses as may be necessary to meet the government's requirements.

BRIAND DETERMINED The Chamber adjourned at six o'clock this morning until next Tuesday, when it is hoped the bill will have been sent back from the Senate. The chamber will then, in the words of Premier Briand, either have to take it or leave it. He says he is determined to brook no further delay, and is resolved to push the existence of his administration on balancing the budget before the end of the present month.

During the all night session debate on article after article of the financial bill, was completed. Many clauses were rejected and others added. Among the additions was an amendment voted despite strong opposition of the Finance Minister. Deputies, it would have included receipts from Louis Loucheur's tax bill intended for the sinking fund in the budget, and allow taxpayers an extension of time to meet their dues. Louis Malvy, head of the chamber's finance committee, declared the delay in the payment of the sinking fund in the budget, and allow taxpayers an extension of time to meet their dues. Louis Malvy, head of the chamber's finance committee, declared the delay in the payment of the sinking fund in the budget, and allow taxpayers an extension of time to meet their dues.

FOUR MEN TRAPPED Four engineers and repairmen were trapped in the pent house, a three-story superstructure on the roof chiefly containing elevator machinery, and were found by firemen on a narrow ledge, 43 stories above street level, nearly 400 feet up. The only ladder available was a short one, which was placed on the shoulders of the tallest fireman to reach the trapped men.

Five firemen, suffering from smoke suffocation, were attacked by ambulance surgeons, after the fire.

When the deputies finally had completed debate, the resources to balance the budget had shrunk to 1,600,000,000 francs. M. Doumer offered his stamp tax to secure the other needed 2,400,000,000 francs. His proposal was rejected, 889 to 112.

The Turkish press is demanding that the Greek government agree to return properties alleged to have been taken from Turks living in Macedonia and Western Thrace, who do not belong to the classes to be exchanged.

The exchange of populations between Greece and Turkey has resulted in the transfer of two million people, but no one yet has received reimbursement for their properties they were forced to abandon. Once prosperous men are walking the streets of Constantinople and Athens, without other assets than promissory notes from their respective governments.

Fire shortly before three o'clock this morning damaged the residence on King street, West, owned by the Sussey estate and occupied by Mrs. George Bell, and George Ferguson and families. The residence of Leslie Mavor was also slightly damaged by fire this morning.

Antimony ore is being shipped in as large quantities as possible from the Lake George mine to New Brunswick, N. J. and would be taken in larger quantities if available. The war in China has cut off the low priced Chinese product and the Canadian ore is in demand. Snow is hindering operations.

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SEE'S SETTLEMENT OF LEAGUE DISPUTE

Majority in Prince Albert By-Election Over 6,000

FIRE PREVENTION MEASURE IS SOUGHT

Chamberlain and Briand Working Together, Says Westminster Gazette

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Feb. 16.—For the second time in its history the Federal constituency of Prince Albert has elected a premier and leader of the Liberal party as its representative in the House of Commons.

Special to The Times-Star. FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 16.—The city of Fredericton is to promote legislation forbidding shingled roofs within the fire and water limits and otherwise amending existing legislation in that particular. It will also promote legislation to legalize the payment of administration of justice accounts common to both this city and to the County of York on a basis of one-third by the city and two-thirds by the county. Authority will also be sought to authorize a bank overdraft to an amount not to exceed one-half the amount of the preceding assessment and further to permit the vote of ratepayers who are in arrears for taxes during the year preceding an election. The City Council in committee decided upon these matters. Action must be confirmed by the council later.

LAND POLICY'S FATE

Liberal Convention to Give Decision on Lloyd George's Scheme

D. Nelson Victim of Accident in China, Peking Reports

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Lloyd George's land policy will stand trial tomorrow when fifteen hundred Liberal delegates will gather at the Kingsway Hall for the purpose of deciding its fate. Urban policies will be discussed during the first day of the convention, and rural problems the next. Unless illness prevents his attendance Lloyd George will be present throughout the sessions on both days. The Earl of Oxford will also attend on both days.

Complete returns on the voting are not expected until Friday, when it is planned to make official declaration. Following a campaign in which the Liberal spokesmen used the speech from the throne at the opening of the present session of the House of Commons, as the basis for their appeal for the election of the Premier, the voters of the constituency, literally snowed out of election, when the contest was a three-cornered one.

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Norwegian Steamer Caught in Ice Field

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On Council Change

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 16.—The Norwegian steamer Thyra, bound for N. S., with a cargo of pulpwood, was fast in a field of heavy ice 12 miles southwest of Guyon Island, off the Cape Breton coast, this morning, according to advices reaching C. H. Harvey, agent for the Marine and Fisheries Department.

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 16.—More than 250 persons are seriously ill with influenza and twenty deaths from the malady have been reported in Dallas since Saturday noon. Thousands are suffering from a mild form of the disease.

SYDNEY, Australia, Feb. 16.—It is reported that at least nine labor members of the legislative council contend that the government should take a referendum before abolishing the council. Many public meetings throughout the state, have passed resolutions against the abolition without a referendum.

ENTERTAINED AT BRIDGE

MANITOBA ADOPTS Industrial Measure

MISSIONARY KILLED

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WINNIPEG, Man., Feb. 16.—A bill respecting the investigation of industrial disputes, which makes the provisions of the Dominion Lemieux Act as amended last year, operative in the Province, was given third reading in the Manitoba legislature last night.

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MELBOURNE, Australia, Feb. 16.—Thousands of persons have been rendered homeless by the forest fires which broke out again at the end of last week with renewed fury. Two survivors of a party of eighteen living in a saw mill at Gilderone barely escaped with their lives owing to the rapidly with which the flames destroyed the building. Reaching the open air to find themselves encircled by fire, the two survivors rushed through the flames but were terribly burned in the attempt and lay for many hours after their ordeal before they were discovered by a party of rescuers from Melbourne.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 16.—The engine and six of the ten coaches of the fast Lehigh Valley passenger train plying between New York and Buffalo, are reported to have plunged over an embankment as they came down the steep grade at Newport Crossing, ten miles from here, this morning. Wrecking crews have been dispatched to the scene. One man is reported killed and another perhaps fatally injured.

NEW ENGLAND: Fair and somewhat colder tonight; Wednesday fair with slowly rising temperature, shifting west and northwest winds becoming southerly.

TEMPERATURES

REPORTS

FORECASTS

CANCER BACILLUS EXAMINED, CLAIM

Rendered Visible By New Staining Process, Says German Professor

By FREDERICK KUM United Press Staff Correspondent BERLIN, Feb. 16.—Addressing the Micro-Biological Society, today, Prof. Josef Schumacher declared he had succeeded for the first time in rendering the bacillus of cancer visible.

Application of entirely new methods of coloring or staining the mass to be examined made possible the discovery, he declared, adding that the bacilli occurred in such vast number as to comprise a tenth of the whole cancerous mass.

The London scientists Doctors Gye and Bernard announced last summer that with the aid of new and powerful microscopes they had been able to discover "virus of cancer." This virus, he explained, was a sort of extract of cancer tissue from which cancer could breed.

TRAIN DERAILED

Engine and Six Coaches of Lehigh Valley Train Over Embankment

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