

GERMANY MUST BE DISARMED

That is Declaration of French
Policy — Reparation De-
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With.

Paris, Jan. 21.—That the prime purpose of the Briand ministry in directing the government of the nation will be to obtain real security for France through the disarmament of Germany, was declared in the new ministry's statement of policy presented to the chamber of deputies yesterday.

"We have a treaty of peace with Germany," the ministerial declaration read, "but we have not real peace as yet — a peace which will solidly establish France's essential rights and assure her security. We shall obtain that security only if Germany is disarmed. That is for us the vital question, marking out for the government its first and most sacred duty. We shall not fail in it."

Reparation comes next in the government programme. On this the declaration says:—

"The reconstruction of our ravaged soil, our destroyed industries and the equilibrium of our finances are possible only if Germany executes the reparation clauses of the treaty of Versailles. To this end our allies will give us their support. Unless the frightful inequity of war is repaired, a resumption of normal relations and commercial exchange will remain impossible."

Paris, Jan. 21.—Aristide Briand, the new president of the council of the French republic, replied to interpellations in the chamber of deputies today. The new cabinet's declaration of policy seemed to have been a disappointment to many, and real interest centred around today's debate, which preceded a vote of confidence. There seemed but little doubt that the ministry would be endorsed.

Deputy Forgetot made a strong impression in the chamber yesterday when he insisted the ministry's declaration was not sufficiently explicit, and demanded more information. This view is shared by most newspapers of this city.

The Figaro, one of the critics of the new cabinet, says the declaration contained "only elementary truths," and that "a strange timidity paralyzed the premier's pen when he came to setting forth a plan, or even a method in default of a plan."

The Echo de Paris found the declaration "quite lacking in the necessary clearness on certain essential points."

"To judge it at its true value and with impartiality," the newspaper continued, "we must wait for the supplementary explanations which Mr. Briand will give this afternoon."

MORNING NEWS
OVER THE WIRES

Driven away from the city hall in Montreal yesterday by the police, a crowd of 150 jobless men walked into Child's restaurant, McGill street, and demanded a free meal. They acted in an orderly manner, and the manager, B. L. Bennett, acceded to their request.

L. D. Morris, chief accountant for the Nova Scotia highways board, at the investigation in Halifax yesterday, said that he had refused to issue a check for the full amount of a statement rendered by the Nova Sales Company of St. John, N. B., on the ground that the item of customs charges on twelve Mack trucks, purchased in the U. S., was not accompanied by a copy of the customs clearance papers. It was said that the alleged customs charges were nearly \$5,000 in excess of the actual charges.

At the annual meeting of the Sackville Board of Trade, yesterday, H. Berman was elected president.

The officers of the Carleton Light Infantry held a banquet at the Masonic Hall, Andover, last night, the first for many years in Victoria country. Lieut. Colonel Kennedy, officer commanding, was in the chair. The usual toasts were proposed and responded to. N. J. Wootton was toast master.

Ernest, John and Caleb Harrison and William Smith appeared before Judge Steeves at Moncton, yesterday, on charges of theft from several stores in Albert county, also stealing two packages of meakers from C. N. R. flag station at Forest Glen. John Harrison pleaded not guilty to the two charges against him, but the other men pleaded guilty to some of the charges. They were remanded until Monday, when sentences will be passed.

Heads N. S. Fruit Growers.

Windsor, N. S., Jan. 21.—M. K. Ellis was elected president of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association at the annual convention here yesterday.



"Health and Fry's"

JELL-O
for Dessert
Cherry

Strawberry
Raspberry
Cherry
Orange
Lemon
Chocolate
Vanilla

Dissolve a package of Cherry Jell-O in a pint of boiling water. Pour into a bowl or mould and put into a cold place to harden. Serve plain or with whipped cream.

TELEPHONE CO. EMPLOYEES MEET

The New Brunswick Telephone Workers' Association held its annual convention last evening, representatives from all parts of the province were present.

Officers were elected as follows: President, J. W. Duncan; vice-president, O. Tracey; treasurer, L. R. Webb; recording secretary, R. Betz; corresponding secretary, A. C. Leamon; warden, B. Edwards. After the business of the convention was satisfactorily disposed of a banquet was served.

After a bounteous repast had been served choruses were sung and toasts

proposed and responded to. Col. F. B. company, and other directors addressed the gathering. F. J. Nisbet, manager of the local exchange thanked the employees on behalf of the directors, for the pleasant evening spent.

**WON \$100,000 ON
HONEYMOON TRIP**

Woman Passenger on Imperator Tells of Success at Monte Carlo.

New York, Jan. 21.—Mrs. Betty Schwartz, six weeks a bride, returned this week after her honeymoon to Europe \$100,000 richer from a visit to Monte Carlo, while her husband, H. H. Schwartz, of 880 Broadway, was \$12,000 to the good as the result of a crap game Sunday night aboard the Imperator, which docked nearly two days late, after making the roughest voyage of its career.

Mrs. Schwartz, who was Miss Betty Sadowsky, is pretty and twenty. She believed her age was lucky, so she played twenty on the roulette wheels of Monte Carlo. And she won, time after time, without losing once, until she had amassed \$100,000 of winnings and hubby decided it was time to quit.

Mr. Schwartz won his from five professional gamblers, who had found the trip lucrative from the use of a pair of "magic" dice. The gamblers' never-failing bones, however, were "lost" Sunday evening, and Mr. Schwartz decided that a man with a good throwing arm had a fair chance. The \$12,000 was the result.

Officers of the Imperator said the trip was the worst they have ever seen, and that despite her size, being the largest passenger ship afloat, she was badly tossed in the storm, seas washing her decks, and inundating her cabins, forcing passengers to dryer quarters.

**ONE-CLASS PASSENGER LINER
IS COMING FROM LIVERPOOL**

London, Jan. 21.—For the first time a transatlantic liner has sailed from England for America with no distinction of class in its passengers. There is not a first, second or third class berth on the Albania, Cunard liner, which left Liverpool for New York via Queenstown on her maiden trip.

LOCAL NEWS

Alexander I. Machum has been appointed secretary of the G. W. Y. A. at a salary of \$1,800 a year. Mr. Machum will start upon his new duties in the near future. He takes the place of W. J. Brown, who has been acting as secretary, without remuneration, since A. E. Frame gave up on account of illness.

Another accident occurred yesterday at the West Side docks when Clarence LeBlanc, a longshoreman employed in unloading one of the vessels, had his right hand caught under a heavy box severing three fingers. He was taken to the emergency hospital about 2:30, where the wound was dressed and the stiches of the fingers stitched. After this treatment he was able to go to his home.

A new girl's organization to be known as the "Ever Ready's" was formed yesterday at the Y. W. C. A. recreation centre by members of the F. W. Woolworth Co. Ltd. Officers were elected as follows:—Miss Winnifred Macaulay, president; Miss Hazel Finley, vice-president; Miss Viola Giguere, secretary; Miss Dora Kelehar, treasurer. Constitutions for the new club will be drawn up.

In the circuit court yesterday two Bulgarians, Mike Sherbanoff and Carlo Staranoff, were allowed out on their own recognizance. Arthur Merritt, charged with stabbing, was also allowed out on his own recognizance. The case of Knox vs. Smith et al was continued before Judge Chandler. The plaintiff is seeking \$20,000 damages for alleged libel.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Pythian Castle Company was held last night. Satisfactory reports were received. The following were elected as the company representing N. B. Lodge, No. 1, and Union Lodge, No. 2:—C. H.

Smyth, president; William C. Clarke, vice-president; W. H. Golding, secretary-treasurer; J. F. Kelly, Garnet W. Wilson and R. M. Barbach directors.

At the regular meeting of the Y. P. S. of St. Andrew's church last night Hon. J. G. Forbes gave an address on the "Task of the Christian Church." He was tendered a vote of thanks. H. B. Rosier was in the chair.

A congregational re-union was held in the vestry of Fairville Methodist church last evening. Rev. Thomas Marshall presided and those taking part in the musical programme were:—Church choir, Hopkins brothers, Mr. Thomas, Exmouth street Methodist choir, J. Stout, Miss Minnie Myles, William McCavour, Miss Edith Magee, Mrs. Fisher and H. M. Stout. E. E. Thomas delivered an address.

At a meeting of the Board of Trade council held yesterday a letter was received from Lewis Seidensticker expressing regret at having to sever connections with the board on account of his removal to Montreal. It was decided that special teachers for new Canadians entering the province were not needed.

At a meeting of the board of governors of King's College, Windsor, yesterday morning, afternoon and evening, at the Church of England Institute, His Grace the Archbishop of Nova Scotia presided, and when he retired His Lordship Bishop Richardson of Fredericton took the chair. The need of more accommodation for the ladies' college was discussed. It is expected to launch the drive for \$1,000,000 early in the spring. The work of re-building is said to be progressing rapidly. The appointment of Eric Boulden as bursar was announced.

George Monello of Elizabeth, N. J., has built a model of a battleship five feet long that weighs 500 pounds and has four turrets whose armament consists of 82-calibre pistols. It took his spare time of twenty years to make it.

GREAT SACRIFICE SALE

Is still going on and many are profiting by the great sacrifice in prices. Why not you? The following are only a few of the great bargains:

Velour Coats, 14-18	\$14.95
Velour Coats, 36-42	19.95
All-wool Serge Dresses	7.50
All-wool Serge Dresses	10.95
All-wool Serge Dresses	14.85
Silk-Poplin Dresses	7.95, 9.95
Satin Dresses	15.75
Accordion Pleated Skirts	6.48
Plaid Silk Skirts	3.75

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On Sale \$4.85 and \$5.85	On Sale \$2.95

Spats and Garters.....\$1.50 to \$2.50

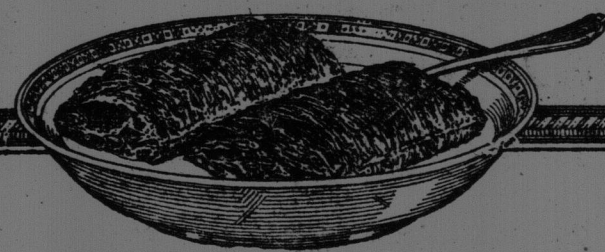
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