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Dominion Bank Sound, Toronto Officials Announce

MORE VALUABLE IN GERMAN RIOT

DRAWING OF DEPOSITS IS ALARMING

Refusal of Payment on a Check Starts Many Withdrawals. STATEMENT MADE Bank Stock is Among the Strongest on Montreal Market.

(By Canadian Press.) Toronto, Oct. 15.—That the Dominion Bank of Canada is absolutely sound with all reserves and investments in good condition, was the substance of a statement issued today from the head office of the institution here.

The statement followed an unprecedented withdrawal of deposits on Saturday and today at the head office and some of the local branches of the bank, particularly in the savings departments.

The rush for withdrawals was said to have started from the fact that when a foreigner presented a check after closing hours on Friday afternoon, payment was declined and he assumed that the bank was in trouble.

On the stock exchange here Dominion Bank stocks were the strongest bank stock in the market. Nearly 600 shares were bought this morning at 188, an advance of one half since Friday.

OKLAHOMA RIVERS FLOODING COUNTRY

Situation Worst State Has Known—People Rescued in Boats. Oklahoma City, Oct. 15.—Western Oklahoma, with hundreds of acres along the North Canadian and South Canadian rivers inundated and higher ground seeping mud, dotted with pools of water, was in the midst of the state's worst flood, according to reports received here last night.

Communication with nearly thirty northwestern Oklahoma and western Texas towns has been cut. Woodward and Blair, Oklahoma, are completely isolated and other towns are without telephone facilities.

New Canadian Radio Record Made

Calgary, Oct. 15.—Six thousand miles from Calgary on the night of September 23, H. W. Soave, Darlington, Durham, England, bears the broadcast of the service of Grace Presbyterian Church in Calgary. This establishes a Canadian record for long distance broadcasting and is the first time that any Canadian or American radio broadcasting station west of Montreal has been heard on the other side of the Atlantic.

MILLERAND REVIEWS AFFAIRS IN FRANCE

Paris, Oct. 15.—President Millerand, in a speech here today, proclaimed a policy of better relations with the Allies and for more, births, less expenses and lots of common sense. The address was a great review of France's foreign and domestic affairs.

Taxes, he said, had risen from 460 gold francs per capita prior to the war, to 2,600 francs last year. France, nevertheless, must brace herself for drastic economy and a wholesale overhauling in the public administration.

A higher birth rate, said the president, must be reached, for the question had become "almost tragic in its gravity and urgency, for it means that France is either to be or not to be."

London, Oct. 15.—(Canadian Press)—The Review of Reviews, founded by the late W. D. Sted, has been bought by Wickham Street, formerly editor of the Times.

Quebec, Oct. 15.—In the Church of the Holy Sacrament, St. Foy Road, today, the marriage of Major Victor Pelletier, formerly A. D. C. to the Lieutenant-Governor, and Miss Lydia Drey, of this city, took place.

Halifax, Oct. 15.—Advice was received here today that the tank steamer Gedania, which ran ashore recently in the Gut of Canso while en route from Mexico to Montreal with oil, has been floated by the tug Mina Brea and that she will come to Halifax for repairs.

ASKS JEWS TO PREVENT NEW WARS

Author Says the Forces of Israel Must be Mobilized. BRITAIN BLAMED. The Mishandling of Palestine is Laid at Door of British.

(By Canadian Press.) New York, Oct. 15.—The forces of Israel must mobilize against another war and rather than "throw a match into such a powder factory as the globe has become, facing their political hopes in Palestine, it was declared last night by Israel Zangwill, Jewish author and publicist, who spoke before the American Jewish Congress in Carnegie Hall. He arrived from England recently.

Mr. Zangwill declared he believed the fact that not even "state lands and waste lands" had been allowed to the Zionists and that "the Jews were not to be given the right to control their own immigration in Palestine."

REPORTS MUTINY IN ARMY OF IRELAND

Anonymous Correspondent of London Morning Post Says Force is Split in Two. London, Oct. 15.—An anonymous Irish correspondent of the Morning Post alleges that a dangerous crisis exists in the Free State army.

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Hospital Chest Rifled By "Pals"

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—Two men claiming to be visiting a pal entered St. Luke's Hospital here Saturday night, rifled the hospital medicine chest and stole a quantity of "dope."

TRAPPED BY FOREST FIRES, LOSE LIVES

Los Angeles, Oct. 15.—Bodies of two victims whose charred remains were found half way up a blackened ridge, fingers frozen deep into the earth, were brought to Glendale yesterday. Two others were reported to have been found by deputy sheriffs in the hills back of La Canada.

RAIN-DRENCHED MIST TURNS INTO A DRIZLE ON PÓLO GROUNDS

Polo Grounds, Oct. 15.—The ground crews removed the goal as well as the diamond in the afternoon and the playing field was found to be in fair shape.

BYING IN WEST

Winnipeg, Oct. 15.—Baron Byng, of Vimy, is in Winnipeg today, the guest of Sir James Aikins, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, at Government House. Two official functions are scheduled for today, the unveiling of war memorials at the law courts and the Bank of Commerce.

Halifax, Oct. 15.—Because of misunderstanding of instructions, James B. McLachlan of Glace Bay, whose trial on charges of seditious libel was to have opened in the Supreme Court this morning, was not expected until noon today, and the court adjourned until two o'clock this afternoon.

FERGUSON IS GROOMED FOR PREMIER

Ontario Conservatives Seek Help From the Hon. Robert Rogers. SCHEMERS HUNT Ottawa Citizen Thinks That Meighen is Slipping as Leader.

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—"It may sound absurd, but the opinion is being expressed even within the ranks of the Conservative party here, that Premier Howard Ferguson may be the next Prime Minister of Canada," says the Ottawa editorially today. "More than the purchase of ice cream for the little Quebecers will be required of Mr. Ferguson before he can break the solid phalanx of 62 members who sit together on what is called the Liberal side of the House."

SEDITION CHARGED

Arrest of 20 Leaders of Committee in India and More To Be Taken. Lahore, B. I. Oct. 15.—The leading members of the Gurghara Parbandhak Committee, including President Nehab Singh and nineteen others, have been arrested at Amritsar by orders of the Punjab Government. They are charged with sedition and conspiracy.

UNVEIL TABLET

Impressive Ceremony Is Carried Out in Memory of 1812 War. Niagara Falls, Ont., Oct. 15.—An impressive ceremony carried out Saturday afternoon one mile above Chippewa, was the unveiling and dedication of the monument erected on the battlefield site of the war of 1812.

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Ostrich Egg? Nix! Mushroom!



Six Die In New York Attic As House Burns; Woman Leaps; May Die

New York, Oct. 15.—Six persons were trapped in an attic and burned to death, and a seventh, a woman, suffered grave injuries in leaping from the flames in a fire which early today destroyed a frame three story dwelling in the Bessborough section of Brooklyn.

5 VIOLENT DEATHS OVER THE WEEK-END

Montreal, Oct. 15.—Five fatalities were reported in Montreal and district over the week end. The dead are Robert Peters, 50, of 376 Leclaire street; Alec Jarvis, this city; Israel Levasseur, 66, of Joliette; E. Blouin, 47, of St. Edouard de LaPrairie and E. Bisson, 30, of St. Jacques Le Mineur.

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Earthquake Is Felt in Victoria

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 15.—An earthquake of moderate intensity was recorded on the instruments of Gonzales Heights Conservatory Saturday night. The quake continued for three quarters of an hour and was probably in the direction of Northern California.

Weather Report

Synopsis—Pressure is high over the eastern half of the continent and depressions are centered in Alberta and over southern Texas. Since Saturday night, a few showers have occurred from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, but the weather over the Dominion on the whole has been fair and in Saskatchewan and Alberta quite warm.

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Three persons were injured in a food riot at Frankfurt-on-Main on Saturday. ISSUES MANIFESTO Berlin, Oct. 15.—Minister of Communications Office, has issued a manifesto to the railwaymen in occupied territory, instructing them to work for the Franco-Belgian railway administration and take the required oath, which the chief of railway police has publicly explained has only disciplinary significance and does not involve the question of German territory.

Duesseldorf, Oct. 15.—The German railroad men's organization in the occupied areas have approved the order issued in Berlin by Herr Oscar, the minister of communications, instructing the men to work for the Franco-Belgian Railway administration and to take the required oath, French headquarters here announced today. The Berlin Government has explained that the oath is considered to have only disciplinary significance, not involving the question of German sovereignty.

Manifisto Is Issued. (Winnipeg, Oct. 15.—A dictatorship in Germany is inevitable, in the opinion of Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George in an interview being reaching Winnipeg on Saturday. This form of Government was necessary because of the emergency situation, he said, after being informed of the food riots in Germany.)

Lloyd George, in reply to a question, said he did not think a dictatorship would come in Germany as a result of a Nationalist coup d'etat, adding that he did not think Chamberlain's man would go in for anything like that.

Revolution May Come. "If it becomes necessary to establish a dictatorship and it falls, then revolution will come," he said. "In fact a dictatorship is the only thing standing between the German people and revolution, and if revolution comes, there will not be one, but a conflict of revolutions, while and red, counter revolution, fighting virtually anarchy and chaos."

Workers Held Their Option Time Limit. Constantinople, Oct. 15.—The Turkish authorities have declined to assent to a request by Colonel E. Clayton Kennedy, representing the Ottoman American Development Company, for an extension of the time limit for taking up the option on the Chester concession. Col. Kennedy therefore has declared his readiness to begin work on the stipulated date, November 8, on the Samsun-Sivas railway.

Table with 4 columns: Station, 8 a.m. Yesterday, Highest during night, Lowest during day. Rows include Victoria, Winnipeg, Montreal, St. John, Halifax, and New York.