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CANADIAN RAIL MEN WILL STRIKE TUESDAY

TURKS BOMBARD SMYRNA, CLAIM GREEK AIRMEN

State City Being Evacuated Amidst Scenes of Great Disorder.

GREEK TROOPS RIOTING

Believe Allies Will Occupy Smyrna as Greek Navy Leaves.

Athens, Sept. 9.—Smyrna is being bombarded by the Turkish Nationalists.

Nine airplanes from the Greek naval base there arrived here this morning, the airmen telling of their departure from the city under artillery fire. As they left the Smyrna airdrome an enemy shell damaged a tenth plane, which was just leaving the ground. The machine was unable to continue, and the aviators were ignorant of the fate of their comrades.

The city is being evacuated amidst scenes of great disorder, according to refugees, 2,000 of whom have arrived here. Panic reigns as the Turks approach the town. It is declared, and Greek soldiers are contending with the civilians for places on the outgoing ships.

Rioting is reported among the troops in the Bursa sector, in the north, where the Greeks are embarking at Mubania, on the Sea of Marmora.

M. Kalogoropoulos, the premier designate, is expected to present the names of his ministers to King Constantine tonight.

"The only program we have is to try to extricate the country from the present critical situation," he declares.

General Hadjiafentis, former commander-in-chief in Asia Minor, who was succeeded by General Trikoupi, has arrived in Athens incognito. He is quoted as declaring: "The defeat of our army was inevitable and fatal. I will speak when the moment arrives and show that I was not responsible for the defeat. My advice and suggestions were not acted upon."

GREEK NAVY LEAVES.

Smyrna, Sept. 9.—The Greek fleet left Smyrna harbor this afternoon. The Greek commissioner of police planned to embark tonight.

The allies will probably occupy the town tomorrow. Allied detachments were landed at noon today from the warships for the protection of the foreign population.

Turkish Nationalist vanguards have been reported fifteen miles from the city.

IS CHARGED WITH MAINTAINING STILL

Isaac Boom Gets Case Adjudged in Order to Obtain Witnesses.

In order that the defendant might be allowed time to obtain witnesses, Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon in police court this morning adjourned the case of Isaac Boom, charged with having in his possession apparatus suitable for distilling spirits, contrary to section 180 of the inland revenue act. The case was laid over until September 15. If friends give two sureties of \$500 each, Boom will be freed until his trial.

Cecil Webb, inland revenue officer, Police Inspector Thomas Lucas and Sgt. William Middaugh and Elmer Walsh conducted the raid on Boom's farm, near Putnam, about sixteen miles east of the city, yesterday afternoon, and seized apparatus and a quantity of alcohol.

According to Boom, another man has been working his farm. Boom purchased the farm about four months ago. He has been a resident of London for thirteen years. Albert M. Judd is his counsel in the case.

REGINA SELECTS LAWYER TO BEAR LIBERAL BANNER

Regina, Sept. 9.—At a Liberal convention here last night, Donald A. McEwen, lawyer, of this city, was selected as the Liberal candidate to contest the by-election to be held here September 26, to fill the vacancy in the local legislature caused by the elevation of Hon. W. M. Martin to the bench.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS.

Today—Moderate to fresh southwest winds; partly fair, with local thunder.

Sunday—Westerly winds; partly cloudy and cooler, with a few scattered showers.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 90; lowest, 59.

The official temperature for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 73; lowest, 59.

Barometric Readings.

Friday—8 p.m., 29.34.

Today—8 a.m., 29.36.

Gives Injunction



JUDGE WILKERSON.

JAMES A. WILKERSON, judge of the federal district court at Chicago, who, on petition of Attorney-General Daugherty, granted a sweeping injunction against the striking railroad shopcraft unions. The order restrains the strikers from interfering in any way with men employed in the railroad shops during the strike.

RUM-RUNNERS CHANGE ROUTE

County Constable Says Fourth Concession Not Conducive to Speed and Safety.

Bootleggers Choose Fifth Concession, Westminster, as Alternative Road.

There is a perfectly good reason why members of the rum-running fraternity, during recent weeks, have discontinued their flights through London Township, according to Arthur Corsaut, county constable.

A bad stretch of road on concession 4, just west of the Proof Line road, is a decided menace, the latter contents for any who might be on their way west with a cargo of a questionable nature.

The hill would be a most unfavorable place to be stalled in, he points out, as the road is not in the best shape to insure speed and safety.

As a direct consequence, it is believed, the wholesale "bootlegging" gentry have selected a more suitable route, and concession 5, of Westminster, is more than often the choice.

Up until a few weeks ago the illicit liquor caravans were noted time and again on concession 3, of London, until Adelaide street was reached, when the cars were switched to concession 4, and the trip was continued to a certain point west of Richmond street, where conditions were favorable, if occasion demanded, for a change of trucks and drivers.

In due time, of course, certain police authorities were apprised of this latter procedure, and a sudden visit was staged, but the prey had flown and nothing now remains but what was formerly one of the principal transfer stations on the Kitchener-Windsor liquor route, but a collection of weather-beaten cases.

IRISH PARLIAMENT MEETS AMID CALM

Only One Anti-Treaty Member Present as Provisional Government Assembles.

Dublin, Sept. 9.—The provisional parliament for Southern Ireland, provided for under the Anglo-Irish treaty, met this morning in the new semi-circular parliamentary chamber in Leinster House.

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The day's program called for formal organization, with the election of a speaker and other officers.

The only anti-treaty member present when the session began was Lawrence Ginnell. The various military chiefs, including Richard Mulcahy and Owen O'Duffy, were in civilian clothes, the only uniform seen being worn by Capt. Sean McGarry.

The roll call showed that nearly every pro-treaty, independent and labor member was present.

London's Fair Officially Opened Monday

CHILDREN WILL SET PACE FOR WONDER WEEK

Young Citizens of District To Be Admitted Free First Day.

EXHIBITS TO BE IN PLACE

Attractions and Show Entries Promise to Set New Record.

Monday, Children's Day, marks the official opening of Fair Week.

The gates were opened to the public Saturday morning, but the entire program of exhibits and attractions will not be complete until Monday morning.

No conditions will be attached to the admission on that day. Any child, irrespective of place of residence, the color or nationality, may enter the grounds free and revel to his heart's content.

The Wortham Shows, which form the Midway, are constantly arriving and all the acts for the grandstand, which will be free to children Monday, will be there ready for the afternoon and evening performances.

Exhibitors Busy.

Exhibitors were busy Saturday in the Crystal Palace and Machinery Building, and the last shipment of pictures for the Art Gallery came by express from Detroit Saturday morning.

In the Horticultural Building there are nearly 600 exhibits of flowers, and in the amateur class alone there is an advance of 66 shown over last year. It will be completely arranged by Monday afternoon.

Butter-making commences Monday

afternoon, and will continue until the next Friday morning.

Rotary, Kiwanis, Shriners, Lions, the Motor Club and the Advertising Clubs have arranged conveyance to and from the Fair Grounds for all the children in homes and institutions in the city. A committee of men from each of the Fair Grounds all day to undertake the somewhat gigantic task of looking after the youngsters.

Will Watch Children.

For the benefit of those who stray, or get into tangles of any sort, there will be an information bureau set up where the kiddies may go to have their troubles cleared away and to get further help, the Child Welfare Association is setting up a tent at the grounds.

Boys Scouts are tenting at the Fair Grounds all week and are giving exhibitions before the grand stand, Monday and Tuesday. On Wednesday and Thursday Girl Guides will give an exhibition of their work and training.

Secretary A. M. Hunt and an augmented staff are at the general offices, making extensive preparations in anticipation that Monday will be a record day in Western Fair history.

URGE RETENTION OF TARIFF AS PROPOSED BY SENATE

Farm Bloc Wants U. S. House To Accept Rates On Agricultural Products.

Washington, Sept. 9.—Farmers of the United States want the tariff rates proposed by the senate for agricultural products retained in the administration bill, the executive committee of the house farm bloc was told yesterday by a delegation representing 30 national farm, live stock, dairy, wool and poultry organizations. The house farm bloc leaders were urged to insist that the house accept the senate rates which are now in conference.

The delegation, headed by T. C. Atkeson, representing the National Grange, have found 75 per cent of the house members willing to approve the senate rates, according to a statement issued last night. The statement also announced that the farm organization leaders would request a conference with house farm bloc members as soon as the bill was out of conference, if the rates were not favorable to agriculture.

ROBS COUNTESS IN HOTEL ROOM

London, Sept. 9.—A dispatch to the Express from Berlin says the Countess Von Bluecher, formerly Alma, Loebe, of New York, has been robbed at a hotel in Kreuznach, Rhineland Prussia. The thieves broke into her room and chloroformed her.

A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Berlin says the countess was in bed unconscious from chloroform, and that her jewels had been stolen from beneath her pillow.

Vandals Destroy Subway Lights At Western Fair Grounds Friday

THE first incident of a disagreeable nature in connection with the new subway had been completely stripped of electric lights.

"They not only took the bulbs," Secretary Hunt said, "but tore down the fixtures, and the wiring is so damaged that it will require an extensive amount of repairing in order to put up new lights."

City Police were on the job Saturday morning, but Secretary Hunt said: "To cope with people who would do a trick like that, we should need a policeman every six feet."

President of Dail



WILLIAM T. COSGRAVE.

DUBLIN, Sept. 9.—William T. Cosgrave, minister of local government, was elected president of the Dail Eireann by the new parliament at its inaugural session today. He succeeds the martyred Michael Collins.

W. O. INCOME TAX 5 MILLION

65,000 Returns Filed at London Branch of Taxation Department.

Inspector Reports Receipts for 1921 Lower Than Those of 1920.

People of Western Ontario have contributed approximately \$5,000,000 to the Dominion government in income taxes during 1921. This announcement was made at the London branch of the department of taxation Saturday morning, and as the fourth installment is not due until October 31, this amount will be considerably increased by the end of the year.

George Tambling, inspector of taxation for the London district, which stretches as far west as Amherstburg, north to Georgian Bay, and east to, but not including Hamilton, pointed out that although the population of this district is about 1,000,000 people only 65,000 filed returns this year, whereas in 1919, nearly 100,000 returns were received by the London office.

"Of course, that was the peak of high wages," Mr. Tambling pointed out, "and this year the amount received is considerably lower than that collected in 1920."

Although comparatively few have taken advantage of the four installment plan of paying their income taxes, the local office has to wait until the last of October before any idea may be obtained of the amounts received, or of the number of persons who have paid taxes in the London district in 1921.

Up to the present 10,000 returns have been dispatched to Ottawa, subject to the approval of the department, and 10,000 more will be sent in a short time.

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COSGRAVE WINS LEADER'S POST IN DAIL EIREANN

Irish State Parliament Selects New President at Inaugural Session.

APPOINTS FULL CABINET

First Meeting Held As Calm Prevails Amid Watching Crowd.

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After the election President Cosgrave nominated Desmond Fitzgerald as minister of foreign affairs, and Fitzgerald was elected. The remaining ministers were appointed as follows:

Minister of Home Affairs—Kevin O'Higgins.

Minister of Local Government—Ernest Blythe.

Minister of Agriculture—Patrick Hogan.

Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labor—Joseph McGrath.

Other ministers were appointed as follows:

Minister of Education—Prof. John McNeill.

Minister of Defence—General Richard Mulcahy.

President Cosgrave nominated himself for the post of minister of finance. He said that those of the new ministry who were serving in the army would shortly be released.

FEW MEMBERS KNOWN.

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NATIONAL LABOR MEETING OPENS

Shoppers Strike to Lead Discussions at Atlantic City Conference.

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 9.—The eyes of organized labor throughout the United States were today focused upon Atlantic City, in which the executive council of the American Federation of Labor went into conference to lay down the organization program for the coming year. Samuel Gompers, head of the federation, is to preside over the executive council sessions, which are expected to continue well into next week. Sitting with him are Frank Morrison, secretary; Daniel J. Tobin, treasurer, and eight vice-presidents of the organization.

Also in attendance, but without voice in the official proceedings of the council, are a score of the heads of national labor organizations, who will remain in touch with their American Federation of Labor officers and report developments to their constituents.

The shoppers strike and the Daugherty injunction, together with discussion of the American Federation of Labor political program were expected to lead discussions today.

CLAIM SOUTH LONDON HIGH SCHOOL IS INACCESSIBLE

Chelsea Green Residents Complain That Children Are Denied Entrance to Central Collegiate.

School Trustees A. N. Udy has reported that after a mass meeting a dozen or more Chelsea Green residents complained to him that their children had been denied entrance at the Central Collegiate Institute, and were compelled to attend by circuitous routes the South London High School.

School trustees believe, however, that suitable arrangements can be made with the principals of the two institutions whereby all difficulties can be satisfactorily overcome. The chief reason advanced was poor street car service, and the members of the board are more than inclined to sympathize with the students.

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In Arctic Region



VILJALMUR STEFANSSON.

CANADA'S explorer, Stefansson, is expected to hop off for the Far North in the near future. He will attempt to use airplanes in penetrating the frozen wastes.

SEEK TEACHERS FOR COLLEGIATE

Trustees Find Four Additions to Staff and More Room Needed.

Two New High Schools Fail to House Many Students.

Permission to use once again the old Commercial school and the authorization of an increase of four teachers, granted by the school trustees Friday, is another sharp reminder that the problem of classroom accommodation for city students is a real live issue.

With the opening of the central collegiate institute and the South London high school, W. H. T. Mooney and E. A. Miller, respective principals, have discovered to their dismay that they cannot adequately handle the situation as at first anticipated.

A report, submitted by Principal Mooney, reveals the startling fact that while the inauguration of a branch collegiate in South London is accommodating about 300 students, there are at this moment 64 more pupils attending the central collegiate institute than there were at this period last year and more are expected after fair week.

Principal Miller reports the presence of 281 children at his school, including the Technical school, and expects that the number will increase once the exhibition at the fair is concluded. He is compelled to open another classroom, creating the necessity of another specialist in teaching.

The trustees have approved also of the recommendation from Principal Mooney that at least three additional teachers be secured at once, and contrary to earlier expectations, the old Commercial school, saved from the fire, must again be utilized.

One class will be added for first year pupils, at the old Princess avenue public school, the collegiate annex, while it has become imperative to add another second year class as well.

The average per class-room is now far in excess of the department ruling, the principal declares, and cannot be countenanced if efficient work is to be noted. He reports the attendance at 951, as against 887 in 1921.

Brought face to face with the situation the trustees have discerned no other alternative and have granted approval to all recommendations except the immediate addition of another story to the central collegiate institute, as suggested seriously by Trustee Edwin Smith.

As the motion passed for the purchase of the Technical school, Trustee Silverwood placed himself on record as unfavorable, holding that all the members should have been first consulted.

CURRIE URGES EAST AND WEST TO WORK TOGETHER

Calgary, Alberta, Sept. 9.—"There should be no cleavage between the east and west," declared Sir Arthur Currie, K.C.B., principal of McGill University, and former commander of the Canadian corps, in speaking at a reception in his honor at the Calgary Military Institute yesterday.

"The viewpoint should be a national viewpoint. The interests of the east and west may be different in detail, but the principles are the same. Canadian opinion should allow no disagreement to darken that reality."

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OPPOSES BUYING COAL ORDERED BY TRUSTEES

A. E. Silverwood Believes 'Smooth' Salesman 'Put One Over' Mayor.

SAYS COAL INFERIOR

Holds All Members of Board Should Have Been Consulted.

"It was a smooth salesman who slipped it over Mayor Cameron Wilson and his associates when he sold them 50 cars of coal."

This was the frank opinion emanating at Thursday's session of the Collegiate Institute committee from School Trustee A. E. Silverwood, following the declaration by Trustee Rev. A. A. Rice, that he (Rice) had, upon his own initiative, directed the authorities to "go ahead and dump off a few tons, and if there was any loud complaint from the other trustees he would tell them to stop."

While the committee, after a lengthy discussion by and large, sanctioned the purchase of five cars, the motion was passed only after the most vigorous objection had been registered by Trustee Silverwood, who likened the coal operators to "a set of pirates who were simply forcing the market up with a quantity of coal inferior to that already purchased by the trustees."

In Different Position.

"The school board is in a different position from the other civic bodies," he declared. "We have purchased our coal from Buchanan, a man who guarantees that he will deliver it to us. Why, then, should we purchase it elsewhere?"

"You have tied Buchanan to a \$4,000 bond to insure prompt delivery and the required quality, and his coal has been analyzed at your direction. Now you propose to go into the market and purchase without a guarantee from pirates who are doing nothing less than forcing the market up."

"If the city aldermen find that they are stuck in a bad hole, why should we buy their coal just to help them out. Let them worry, when they attempt to slip it over on the board of education."

"I have consulted Buchanan, and he states that he understands that the coal is of good quality, and he is not stampeding the trustees into the idea that he will fall down on his contract. He has 80 tons on hand at this moment, and states that there is no cause for alarm."

Coal May Be Raised.

"Further than that, it informs me that he has been notified by the operators that the coal might be boosted another dollar. If so, the price would only be \$9.45, as against the city's at \$12.60."

"But there are seven schools, including the Technical school, and the coal is lying there and we could get some of it and be on the safe side. In any event it is city coal, and it would only be a case of taking the money out of one pocket and transferring it to another."

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