FOSTER'S WARNING TO UNITED STATES

If Tariff Bill Goes Thru Canadians Must Buy Less From Their Neighbor.

New York, Jan. 30.—An appeal for practical "neighborliness" between the United States and Canada was made by Sir George E. Foster, Canadian minister of trade and commerce, and one of Canada's delegates to the assembly of the League of Nations, speaking last night at a banquet of the superintendents of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company at the Hotel Astor.

"We are pretty good neighbors to you," said Sir George. "We came over from Canada in 1920 and bought $921,000,000 worth of stuff from you in the United States. This means that every man, woman and child in Canada spent on an average $115 in purchasing from the United States last year. The United States, by the same statistics, came into Canada and bought $560,000,000 worth only, exactly five dollars for every man, woman and child in the United States. Let us be neighbors. Buy as much from us as we do from you. And when we come down here with our goodwill-security Canadian dollars, be above offering us 88 cents."

Disclaiming any desire to "meddle with public affairs in the United States," Sir George referred to the Fordney emergency tariff bill, now before the senate in Washington, as a measure that would "prevent us from sending down our cattle and sheep and agricultural products in order that we may pay you."

"Well, there are but two things for us to do," continued the minister. "One is not to buy the extra four hundred million dollars' worth from the people of the United States. That is my appeal to the commercial portion of the United States. It may be a good thing to think of these things before we legislate too far."

"QUEEN OF THE HOBOES" DROWNS WHILE ON TOUR

New Westminster, B.C., Jan. 30.—Evelyn Butler, 17 years old, who styled herself "The Queen of the Hoboes," jumped off the Fraser River bridge here this afternoon into the river and was drowned. The girl left her home in Prince George a short time ago and came to Vancouver with the avowed intention of making a tour of the world. She had been detained in Vancouver by the police, who intended sending her home. She escaped from a home there and was on her way across the bridge when, to avoid arrest, she leaped into the river below, a distance of 60 feet.

RIGHT CONDITIONS THRU STUDY OF ECONOMICS

Montreal, Que., Jan. 30.—James R. Brown, president of the Manhattan Single Tax Club, and well known in New York as a speaker on political economy, addressed the Montreal Reform Club Saturday on "Is it to be Socialism, anarchy or freedom?"

He decided that between the Socialist, who wished the government to be all-powerful, and the anarchist, who desired its abolition, the preference should be for personal freedom, and argued that study of economics would remove many ills that at present afflict government systems.

EX-OFFICER IS INSPECTOR.

Belleville, Ont., Jan. 30.—(Special.)—Captain Collison, an ex-army officer, has been appointed license inspector for North Hastings, succeeding John Stokes, who has retired under pension after many years of service. He will reside in Belleville.

JEWELER BEATEN; STORE IS ROBBED

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he was struck over the head with something in the bandit's hands—he does not know what it was. He said he fetl a sickly sensation and felt himself falling. That was the last he remembered.

Discovery of Crime.

Mrs. Shoot returned to the store about 5.45. When she entered there were several customers waiting to be served. Recognizing her, some of them asked her where her husband was, stating that they had been there about ten minutes and he had not put in his appearance. Becoming alarmed, Mrs. Shoot ran in next door for a friend. Together they searched the upper living-room apartment, where the Shoots live, but found no sign of the missing jeweler. Then coming downstairs, Mrs. Shoot went to the cellar door, which she found to be bolted. Unfastening it, she saw her husband lying at the foot of the stairs, still unconscious.

After reviving her husband as best she could, Mrs. Shoot went to the safe, which she found had been rifled of the entire contents. She at once notified the police and detectives and plainclothesmen were quickly on the scene.

Entered By Rear Door.

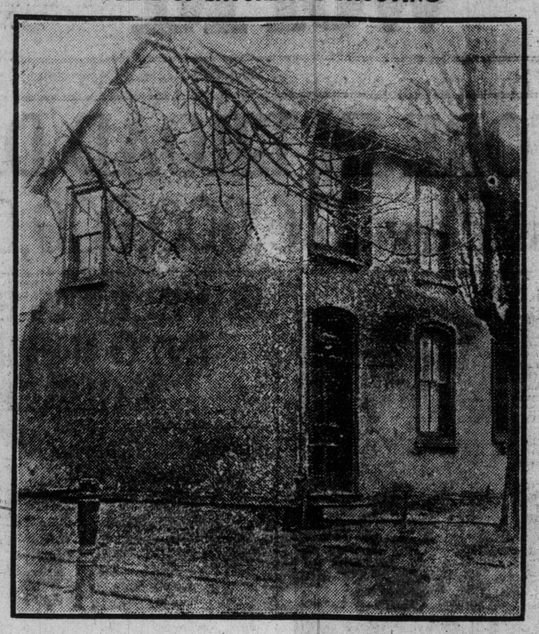
Mr. Shoot stated that the gunmen entered the store by the rear door opening on a lane leading to Bulwer street. His office commanded a clear view of the front door. Mrs. Shoot when she arrived home found the rear door open, evidently left so by the men in their hurry to get away from the place.

The most remarkable feature of the case is that Mr. Shoot's loss is not greater. Not a thing in either of the showcases or on the shelves was disturbed.

The bandits apparently timed their "job" most opportunely. As it was during business hours, the big safe, about six feet in height, was standing with its swinging door open. Also open was the small burglar-proof safe within it. In this latter the valuables were kept.

As none of the men were masked, Mr. Shoot got a clear view of their features. "I would be able to identify them in ten years' time," he emphatically declared. Two of the men, he said, were over six feet in height and the third was about 5 feet 6 inches. All were dressed in dark clothes and wore caps.

SCENE OF SATURDAY'S SHOOTING



In this house, at 76 Huron street, William Storey was seriously, if not fatally, wounded, by a woman known as Margaret Richards, but said to be the wife of Raffelo Rosso. The house was, according to a witness of the shooting, a centre for illicit liquor traffic.

FOIL HIGHWAYMEN UPON GUELPH ROAD

Man and Woman Motorists Fired at Three Times by Hidden Bandits.

Guelph, Ont., Jan. 30.—(Special.)—An attempt at highway robbery was made last night on the road between Rockwood and Guelph, when Roy Young of the former place was stopped as he reached the top of Moore's Hill, some two miles west of Rockwood, as he was driving along in his auto. He noticed a fence rail across the road and stopped in order to remove it, but as he hesitated before getting out of the car a man called out in the darkness that he had better hurry out and remove the rail or he would know the reason why. He then came to the conclusion there was something wrong, and instead of getting out of the car he "stepped" on the gas and speeded away.

Escapes Bullets.

As he did so three shots were fired, but fortunately none of the bullets hit either Mr. Young or his sister-in-law, Mrs. A. Young, who was with him. All three bullets struck the car, one hitting the hood, another the frame of the cover and the third entered the rear of the body of the car. This bullet was found in the car this morning. The Guelph police are on the trail of the would-be robbers.

TORONTO-OWEN SOUND CAFE PARLOR CAR SERVICE.

The Canadian Pacific Railway, effective Jan. 31st from Toronto, and Feb. 1st from Owen Sound, will operate a Cafe Parlor Car in trains leaving Toronto Union Station at 5.20 p.m., arriving Orangeville 7.30 p.m., Owen Sound 11.00 p.m., and leaving Owen Sound at 6.35 a.m., Orangeville at 9.30 a.m., arriving Toronto Union Station 11.35 a.m.

HITCH IN NEGOTIATIONS FOR RUSSO- POLISH PEACE

Copenhagen, Jan. 30.—A despatch to The Politiken from Riga says a crisis has arisen in the Russo-Polish peace negotiations. M. Dombski, the Polish representative, demanded seventy million gold rubles from Russia, but M. Joffe, the chief Russian representative, declined to offer more than thirty million. The despatch adds that both the delegates have declined to sign the points of the treaty already agreed upon.

COMMUNIST PARTY STARTED IN ENGLAND

London, Jan. 30.—The Daily Herald (Labor organ) says that several British communist groups met behind closed doors at Leeds Saturday, adopted resolutions and amalgamated three main British groups on the basis of the third (Moscow) internationale statutes. This organization will be known under the title of "the communist party of Great Britain."

To Protect Greek Interests In Unredeemed Turk Territory

Constantinople, Jan. 30.—The Greek patriarch held a secret meeting of the synod and of the committee of national defense here today at which it was decided to send delegations to the London conference to protect the interests of Greeks living in territory not yet redeemed from the Turks.

A message also was sent to M. Venizelos, the former Greek premier, pleading with him to defend the Sevres treaty and to prevent the loss of Thrace and Smyrna.

MR. JUSTICE CANNON DEAD.

Quebec, Jan. 30.—Mr. Justice L. J. Cannon died suddenly at his home here at an early hour this morning.

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LARGE BRANTFORD PLANT TO REOPEN

McClary Firm Resumes This Week—Hamilton Lineman Electrocuted.

Brantford, Jan. 30.—(Special.)—The McClary plant (Buck Stove Works), among the local plants which closed down at Christmas, is the first to reopen, the announcement being made today that it will be opened some time this week. The staff at first retaken on will not be up to capacity, but will be increased as market conditions warrant.

Life Is Snuffed Out.

The life of Albert Wylie, a Hamilton young man, was snuffed out Saturday afternoon when he touched a high power transmission wire. He was a lineman on the Hydro circuit, and was working between Brantford and Paris. Hailing from the old land, he had no relatives in this country, but the remains will be taken care of by Miss Martha Wilkinson, Hamilton. The youth resided at the Courthouse Hotel, Hamilton.

Farmers Expand

Sales of $52,043, an increase of $18,636, were reported for the past six months at the semi-annual meeting of the Brant Farmers' Co-Operative Society held Saturday. The 33 members present subscribed an additional $10,000 for bonds to cover the purchase of the Wood mill property for warehouse and other purposes. Chas. McIntyre and A. Van Sickle were re-elected directors and T. W. Clark, auditor.

MILITARY DESTROY HOUSE NEAR DUBLIN

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aghan, when his comrades were killed, also died in a hospital today.

Auxiliary police were rushed to the scene, but the assailants escaped.

A police patrol was fired on near Virginia, County Cavan, last night. The police returned the fire and three of the attacking party were seen to fall. There were no police casualties.

One of the members of the ambushing party which was surprised by military forces Friday at Coachford, County Cork, died in a hospital here today of wounds received in the engagement.

It appears the party had trenched the road running from Cork to Macroom. The members of the party who escaped carried off and concealed their slightly wounded comrades, but were obliged to abandon the five seriously wounded.

Shooting a Mystery.

Dublin, Jan. 30.—A dairyman named Doody was shot dead Saturday night in Rathmines, a suburb of Dublin, when he alighted from his pony cart at the behest of two men who stepped suddenly from a side path of Leinster road, in the residential quarter.

The authorities in Dublin Castle describe the shooting as a complete mystery.

Divisional Commissioner Holmes, who with five constables was wounded Friday in an ambush near Castle Island, county Kerry, died yesterday. He had only recently been appointed commissioner for the southern counties in succession to Col. Smythe, who was murdered some time ago in a Cork club.

SHOT AT LIMERICK.

Limerick, Jan. 30.—Thomas Blake, president of the Limerick branch of the Chemists' Association, was found dead today near his home. He had been shot.

PUT CANADA'S ATLAS IN SCHOOLS OF U. S.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—British and American school children are gaining authentic knowledge of Canada and her resources thru the "missionary work" being carried on by the publicity branch of the department of immigration and colonization. Last year more than 100,000 copies of "Canada," an up-to-date descriptive atlas, giving all information regarding the Dominion and the various provinces, were distributed among British school children and some 80,000 were placed in schools in the United States.

CONSECRATES ANEW ALLIES SOLIDARITY

British and French Papers Agree in Satisfaction With Settlement.

London, Jan. 30.—The London Times, in an editorial on the Paris conference, says that the settlement may be open to objection in more respects than one, but has "the supreme merit that it consecrates anew the solidarity of the allies."

It continues:

"The decisions are drastic enough to teach Germany that the allies do not mean to be trifled with any longer. They are not inconsistent with her economic restoration, and they are not—despite the German outcry—unreasonable in other respects."

If Germany refuses, The Times adds, the allies may be compelled to apply to the letter the terms of the treaty.

French Press Pleased.

Paris, Jan. 30.—Satisfaction with the decisions arrived at yesterday by the supreme allied council regarding German reparations was expressed unanimously by newspapers here today. Many journals praised Premier Briand for the manner in which he conducted the interests of France during the sessions of the council.

"Yesterday was, perhaps, the happiest and most important day we have known since the armistice," said The Petit Parisien, governmental organ. "At last we shall be able to negotiate abroad bonds of the German treasury corresponding to our share of the first annual payment for reparations. Exchange will in a few months be improved and stabilized, trade will revive, there will be an end to idleness and the cost of living will be reduced."

President Millerand was given praise for his work in inaugurating a policy which is considered to have resulted in complete success for France.

SACK BEAVERTON STORES; ONE BURGLAR IS CAUGHT

Beaverton, Ont., Jan. 30.—The stores of F. M. McRae and P. A. Deguerre of this place, were broken into. Furnishings were taken from Mr. McRae's store to the amount of $450, while Mr. Deguerre lost cigars, tobacco, cigarets and chocolates valued about $150. After receiving information, County Constables Donald Campbell, Village Constable W. Dobson and John A. McRae motored to a large swamp on the Sutton line between Pefferlaw and Sutton and secured one of the burglars, also the greater part of the stolen goods. There are supposed to be three men in the party, two of whom are still at large.

Train Collision in Peru Kills Seven, Injures Forty

Lima, Peru, Jan. 30.—Seven perons were killed and more than 40 injured when a passenger train collided with a freight train today at Huachana, near Oroya. Many of the coaches were completely demolished.

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