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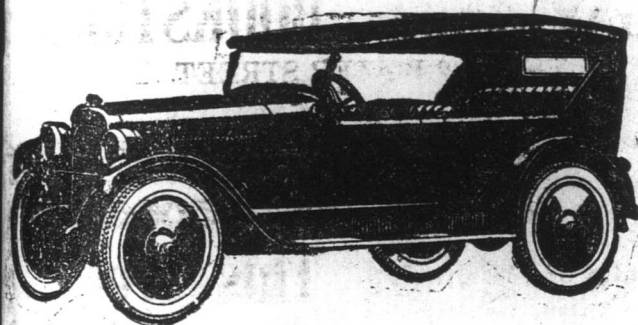
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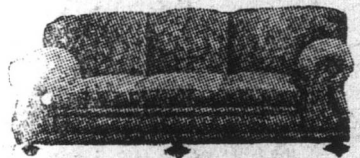
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Michael Collins Assassinated

Head of Free State Government Shot from Ambush--Dail Eireann to Meet Immediately--Germany Will Not Pledge Her Resources -- Unemployed Demonstration in Vienna.

COLLINS ASSASSINATED.

LONDON, Aug. 22. A Press Association report to-night says, Michael Collins was shot dead from an ambush near Bandon, County Cork.

DAIL TO MEET.

DUBLIN, Aug. 23. It is announced this morning that in view of the assassination of Michael Collins, Dail Eireann will be summoned immediately, probably meeting on Saturday of the present week.

GERMANY'S REFUSAL.

BERLIN, Aug. 22. Minister of Finance Hermes was reported to-day to have left no doubt in yesterday's deliberations with members of the Reparations' Commission, that pledging of state forests on the left bank of the Rhine and state mines in the Ruhr district, as guarantees for payment of German reparations was impossible.

AUSTRIA'S SERIOUS FLIGHT.

VIENNA, Aug. 23. Chancellor Seipel's sudden visits to Prague, Berlin and Rome are said, in well informed circles here, to mean the determination of the Austrian Government to force events and bring the country's situation to a precipitate head rather than continue a drifting policy. It is understood the Chancellor will flatly inform the Premiers of these three countries that collapse is morally certain and imminent. He will point out the danger of this eventuality to the neighbouring states and ask them what action they are prepared to undertake, singly or jointly, when the crash comes; whether they will interfere, and if so how. Upon Seipel's return to Vienna he is expected to convene the National Assembly and lay the whole situation before it. Spontaneous demonstration by unemployed workmen yesterday morning betrayed the high tension now existing in Vienna. Iron window shutters crashed, shut as by signal, and the populace faded from the streets.

SUN'S SUN SHINING.

PERKIN, Aug. 23. The Republican Cabinet announced to-day that President Li Yuan Hung was willing to resign in favor of Sun Yat Sen, deposed head of the South China Government, provided Parliament approves such action.

ANTHRACITE STRIKE CONTINUES.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22. Peace in the United States soft coal territory had spread to Illinois, Iowa and Indiana. The recent Cleveland settlement plan, negotiated between the International Union United workers and operators from seven states, was the basis for agreements in Illinois to-day and Iowa yesterday. The Department of Labor at Washington estimates that within a week bituminous coal production will reach nine million tons weekly. The Cleveland settlement provides for the old contract which expired on March 31st last to be effective until

March 31st, 1923 with provision for fact-finding commissions, the personnel to be approved by President Harding, and the appointment of a sub-commission at a joint meeting of operators and miners at Cleveland on October 2nd next, to evolve a method of negotiating wage scales. Negotiations which had been expected to result in a settlement of the anthracite coal strike were broken off to-night and peace in the hard coal regions is apparently as far off as when 155,000 miners quit work on April first in response to a suspension order issued by officials of the United Mine Workers.



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New Parsnips.
New Carrots.
New Beetroot.
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New Cabbage.

TWENTY PER CENT INCREASE FOR STEEL WORKERS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22. Three big United States steel corporations, employing normally 300,000 workers, to-day announced a twenty per cent. wage increase for all day laborers in manufacturing plants. The United States Steel Corporation took the lead, but was quickly followed by Midvale Steel, Ordnance Company and Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company. It is generally believed in financial circles that all important independent steel firms would announce increases within a few days. News of the increase came as a surprise to the financial district. No explanation of the increase is given by the steel corporations. However, it is known that the Immigration Law has cut off the supply of unskilled workers which formerly drifted to iron and steel centres. Resumption of coal mining and an increasing demand for laborers in other industries, combined with unexpected business revival this fall, are reported to have caused apprehension among mill managers, who fear higher prices elsewhere would cause sufficient desertions to hamper operations. Increase will bring the rate for day laborers in the United States Steel Corporation from thirty to thirty-six cents an hour, and swell the Company's yearly payroll by thirty-five million dollars on basis of full time.

WILL NOT RESTORE SENIORITY TO STRIKERS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23. The majority group of the Association of Railway Executives, by a vote of 254 to 4, to-day rejected proposals of the Big Five Train Service Brotherhoods, that the carriers end the nation wide shopmen's strike by reinstating the men with seniority unimpaired, and the strikers, declared that the Association had closed the door to peace and voted for a lockout to smash unionism.

STRIKE'S UGLY PHASES.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22. At walkouts by trainmen on the Southern Railway, resulting in tie-ups in Northern Carolina, bombings, beatings and investigations of alleged wreck plots marked the progress of the Rail Shopman's strike pending, the New York meeting to-morrow of rail heads and leaders of transportation Brotherhoods, mediators for the striking shopmen.

ONE WAR ENDED.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 23. Sun Yat Sen, leader of the Southern China faction, announced to-day that peace reigns again between North and South, and that "war is ended."

Burning of the Impetueux.

The British 74-gun ship Impetueux—one of Lord Howe's prizes in the Battle of the "Glorious First of June"—and, with the exception of the Sans-Pareil, the finest and most esteemed ship among them—caught fire on August 24, 1794, while lying in Portsmouth Harbour, the flames spreading with such rapidity as to threaten the destruction of the whole dockyard. The inhabitants of the town were so much alarmed at the ship's nearness to the powder magazine, that they fled in every direction. The French prisoners in Portchester Castle—amounting to nearly five thousand—evinced feelings of the opposite kind, they shouted, "Vive la Republique!" and sang the "Marseillaise" hymn all the time the flames were raging. To their disappointment, however, the proper precautions had been taken, and the Impetueux after burning to the water's edge, drifted clear of the ship in the morning, and grounded upon the mud on the west side of the harbor.

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