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# SWEDEN AND DENMARK REFUSE TO JOIN THE BLOCKADE

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### OVER 200,000 MEN NOW OUT ON STRIKE IN PARIS

PARIS, June 4.—Reports from various centres of the city this morning are to the effect that the industrial situation is rapidly becoming graver. Union men place the number of men on strike at over 200,000, chiefly tube railway workers and employees of the metal trades.

### GREAT BRITAIN IS IN FAVOR OF SEVERAL CONCESSIONS TO GERMANY BUT FRANCE IS OBDDURATE AND U. S. ON THE MIDDLE GROUND

*But in Any Event the Enemy is Likely to Get Better Peace Terms—Petrograd Alleged to Be in the Hands of the Finns.*

There is a probability that Germany may secure as a result of her strong counter proposals some lessening in the severity of the peace terms of the allied and associated powers. Germany's pleas that it will be impossible to fulfill the financial requirements have been heeded and are being discussed by the council of four. Paris reports that in certain quarters of the peace conference the German viewpoint is receiving strong support.

A full discussion of the German counter proposals, especially concerning reparations and other economic features of the peace treaty, has been had by President Wilson and the staff of American experts of the American peace delegation.

Great Britain is said to favor a number of concessions to Germany, but France continues firm in her stand not to waver from the original terms. On the other hand the Americans are declared to be not averse to minor concessions, but are not in favor of going to the extent that the British propose.

The German government is incensed over the formation of a Reinish Republic. It has ordered the arrest of Dr. Dorten, the president of the Republic, and also has protested to the peace conference and the armistice commission at Spa against the behaviour of the French authorities in the occupied Rhineland. French support of the Reinish Republic is characterized by the German government as high treason against the empire.

Strikes by dissatisfied Germans in the American occupied area, called in protest against the republic, ended quickly when the American commander issued a warning against the movement.

The supreme council has been requested by the Lithuanian delegation to the peace conference to have an allied commission investigate alleged pogroms and other illegal acts by the Poles in occupied Lithuania.

An unconfirmed report has reached Copenhagen that Petrograd has been captured by Finnish and Estonian troops.

The head of the Austrian peace delegation has departed from St. Germain, for Innsbruck, carrying with him the allied peace treaty.

Counter revolutions are reported from numerous towns in western Hun. Hundreds of refugees are arriving at the Austrian frontier towns seeking safety.

Sweden and Denmark have come into line with Switzerland and Norway in declining to join a blockade against Germany in case Germany refuses to sign the peace treaty. Like Switzerland and Norway, the plan is made by Sweden and Denmark that such action would be a violation of their neutrality.

Big strikes have begun in Paris, Lille and other towns in France.

The Metagama docked at Quebec, with troops and other passengers, but was detained at quarantine on account of chickenpox.



SIR ADAM BECK  
Whose spirit of fairness prevented a strike of the Hydro Power House employees last week. The men are pleased with the new wage schedule submitted by the Chairman of the Commission.

### WATCHED MEN MOURN HIM AS A WAR VICTIM

Detroit Man Sees his Own Name on Roll of Honor of City's Fallen. Then he Reported to the Mayor.

Detroit, June 4.—Among the names engraved on Detroit's big Liberty Statue—the monument erected by the city to its heroic sons who died fighting in the recent war—appears that of Charles J. Van Hove, 78th Company (th Regiment of Marines, Van Hove was officially reported killed in action.

The young soldier declares the report to be greatly exaggerated. He reached home in time to stand in civilian clothes on Decoration Day with his left hand before the monument, which bears his name, and to witness his fellow citizens do honor to his memory. Then he visited the Mayor's office and made his own report. He was wounded at Chateau Thierry and at Mount Blanc, when four of his party of five were killed. He was taken to a dressing station of another corps and his identity thereby lost to his own organization.

Today as a result of the conference between the marine and the Mayor, sculptors are at work on the monument removing Van Hove's name from the list of dead heroes.

The Metagama docked at Quebec, with 32 officers, about 400 other ranks, and a number of soldiers' dependents.

Judge Gauld has ruled that the salary Hamilton is to pay Dr. Roberts as Medical Officer of Health shall be \$5,000.

Twelve prominent men at Dawson are dead as a result of ptomaine poisoning at a dinner attended by thirty-six men.

### FREE CZECH SCIENCE FROM TEUTON TAIN

Paris, June 4.—Bohemian science must be emancipated completely from the German. Dr. Emanuel Radl, a professor at Prague University declared in an article in The Temps.

First of all, Dr. Radl says, we must provide a solid basis for Czech science, which is now concentrated at Vienna under German direction, and we must replace the erroneous conception of the German scientific system by a more just, more human and more democratic one. I believe that in the coming years the Czech scientists will study British and American science and become acquainted with their most illustrious representatives.



MARSHAL FOCH  
Allied Generalissimo who is now making preparation for any means of pressure that will be necessary if Germany refuses to sign the Peace Treaty.

### Head of the I. W. W. in Pittsburg Placed Under Arrest Following Bomb Exploits in United States

W. J. Flynn is Appointed to Run Down Band of Anarchists Who Attempt Reign of Terror

Washington, June 3.—William J. Flynn, former chief of the United States secret service, was selected yesterday by Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer to head the bureau of investigation of the department of justice to run down the anarchists who placed bombs in eight eastern cities Monday night.

Flynn, who has recently been chief of the secret service and police of the railroad administration, arrived in Washington today. For fifteen years all matters relating to anarchists dealt with by the United States secret service have cleared through his hands. His appointment is part of a reorganization of the investigation service of the department of justice recently announced by Attorney General Palmer.

### GARVAN NAMED BY PALMER.

In addition to the appointment of Mr. Flynn, Attorney General Palmer's reorganization of the investigation service includes the appointment of New York, as assistant attorney general with general charge of all investigations.

Mr. Garvan, who is alien property custodian, was assistant district attorney of New York under Jerome and Philbin for nine years. He was connected with a number of famous cases including the Molyneux, Patterson, Patrick, Kennedy cases and the fire insurance frauds.

John T. Creighton becomes special assistant attorney general to act as Mr. Garvan's assistant. Mr. Creighton is a member of the firm Brown, Hay and Creighton of Springfield, Illinois, which is the successor to Lincoln's old law firm.

Investigation of the bomb explosions which were intended to kill public men, has convinced secret service chiefs here that the outrages had a common source, and that they probably can be classed as an unsuccessful attempt on the part of and unknown anarchist group to resume a campaign of terrorism begun with the May day attempt to plant his cargo of explosives. Mr. Palmer himself dismissed the incidents to day as "utter failure to terrorize the country and stay the hand of the government," which purpose he ascribed to the authors of the outrages.

Police at New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Newtonville, Mass., Boston and Paterson, N. J. were engaged in the widespread hunt. Detectives were sent from Washington to the first two named cities in order to connect up operations.

### CONGRESS TO TAKE ACTION.

The hat of the Washington bomb planter, purchased in Philadelphia and other details, indicated a possibility that the consignment of explosives had been sent out from there. Another connecting-link in the view of authorities here was the similarity of the anarchistic handbills found near the scene of the explosions in several cities.

Government experts on explosives, after surveying the site of the explosion here, and the partially demolished dwelling, came to the conclusion that two separate bombs exploded, probably when the man carrying them tripped over a stone step at the entrance.

In both houses of Congress, members began the preparation of measures providing new and severe penalties for convicted perpetrators of such crimes. References to the outrages were made during debate in both houses.

### DAWSON CITY HIT HARD BY RARE TYPE GERM WHICH KILLS TWELVE CITIZENS IN A FEW DAYS AT A GOLD MINING PLANT

### PARIS ACADEMY HONORS BALFOUR AND VENIZELOS

Paris, June 4.—Arthur J. Balfour the British Foreign Secretary, has been elected a foreign member of the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences, to succeed the late Grand Duke Nicholas Michaelovitch of Russia.

Eliptherios Venizelos, Premier of Greece, has been elected to succeed the late Col. Theodore Roosevelt.

### FINNISH FORCES TAKE PETROGRAD

Copenhagen June 4.—Estonian and Finnish forces have taken Petrograd according to an unconfirmed telegram from Vardo, received by The National Tidende.



MAYOR T. L. CHURCH  
Of Toronto who is working hard to arrange a settlement of the general strike now in progress in the Quebec City.

### WIRELESS WAS PICKED UP AT HARBOR GRACE

British Biplane Received Message Sent out by German and Italian Land Stations.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., June 4.—Wireless messages sent out by German and Italian land stations nearly four thousand miles away, were picked up yesterday by the Handley-Page biplane, which is being assembled at Harbor Grace for a transatlantic flight in competition for the London Daily Mail's \$50,000 prize.

Reports of the test made yesterday of the plane's wireless receiving apparatus while the plane was on the ground, were brought here last night by many citizens of St. Johns, who with the airmen encamped here celebrated King George's birthday by going to Harbor Grace to inspect the Handley-Page.

They said the German and Italian messages could be heard only faintly, but that signals from the station at Clifton, Ireland, were picked up easily.

It is expected fully as satisfactory results will be obtained from the air.

Frederick P. Raynham, "skipper" of the Martinside plane, which is being put in shape for the Mail's prize flight, said he hoped to be able to announce some time today the selection of his navigator.

### THE WEATHER

Toronto June 4.—A disturbance which was in the southern states on Monday morning has moved northward to the Missouri Valley while the Barometer has risen steadily over the Great Lakes. The weather has been fine throughout the Dominion with extreme heat in Ontario and the west part of Quebec and moderate temperature in the other provinces.

Easterly winds, fine and decidedly warm today and on Thursday.

One hundred and ninety-six thousand five hundred persons died in Paris between October 1 and February 28 from influenza and diseases resulting therefrom.

### Health Authorities Have Destroyed the Entire Yukon Company's Camp and All Supplies and Utensils As a Result.

DAWSON, Y.T., June 4.—The past few days witnessed the blackest period in the history of Dawson, with the exception alone of the Princess Sophia disaster, which claimed many Dawson lives, as the result of death occurring from ptomaine poisoning following the dinner at the Yukon Gold Company's plant, No. A 54, below Sinker Creek, May 24, at which thirty-six prominent men of the north sat down in a veritable lottery of death. Twelve drew fatal tickets, as follows:

George Munden, 43, of Montreal, known here as Tios, Monday.

Antoine Zandavleitch, better known as Smith, a native of Dalmatia.

Otto Nordling, 40, native of Sweden, leaving wife and five children at Dawson.

Findlay McDonald, 62, New Glasgow, N.S.

Angus Christolm, 40, of Antigonish, N.S., leaves wife and two small children in Vancouver.

Albert Gauderieu, 49, single, St. Thomas, Que.

Wm. Cyrus Lawson, thirty-nine, of Fort Scott, Kansas, formerly a prominent dredge man of Oroville, Cal., assistant superintendent of the Yukon Gold Company, Dawson, leaves wife in Dawson and a son in the American Aviation Corps, France.

Andrian Barratt, forty, Bartholomew, Que., leaves wife and three children, Dawson.

Alphonse Rioux, forty-four, Montreal, leaves daughter.

John Grant, fifty-three, native of Antigonish, N.S., twenty years prominent in silver mining at Aspen, Colo., where he was also sheriff; he leaves wife and eight children in Dawson.

John Thompson, forty-nine, native of Ireland.

Wm. McNeill, Antigonish, N.S. Four other men in the hospital are expected to recover.

The entire camp supplies and utensils of this camp have been destroyed. The poisoning is said to be of a rare type of germ known as botulism. Samples of food have been submitted to eminent bacteriologists of America for analysis.

### BUFFALO MAN HIGH

ST. THOMAS, June 4.—Frank S. Wright, of Buffalo, the famous amateur shooter who has visited the local traps for almost a generation, in fact, has become a part of it, won high honors yesterday in the annual event. He made a score of 198 out of a possible 200.

In the afternoon event he made 98, and thereby tied with J. Vance of Tillsonburg, and a hooter by the name of Marshall.

In the shoot-off Marshall lost out after 19 birds. Vance shot 38 out of 40, while Wright made the even 40 without a miss. This is considered the best shooting ever witnessed on the local grounds.

The weather was ideal, but there was a tricky wind blowing, which caused the finding of the birds a little difficult.