

SOUTHERN CROSS NOT DEAD—LOSS OF 170 MEN IS FEARED—U. S. CUTTER TO AID IN SEARCH

Seventy-Seven Members of the Newfoundland's Crew Known to Have Perished and Others May Succumb—Rescue Ship Will Reach St. John's Today.

Canadian Press Despatch. ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, April 3.—As the hours went by tonight without word from the sealing steamer Southern Cross, fear grew that her crew of 170 men had been added to the toll of Tuesday's blizzard in which men of the sealer Newfoundland lost their lives.

Cutter Will Search. In an effort to solve the mystery of the disappearance of the Southern Cross, the Newfoundland Government asked the American revenue cutter Seneca to leave the ice patrol and search for the missing sealer.

Altho the vessels of the so-called wooden walled sealing fleet of which the Southern Cross was one, have bucked ice floes with impunity, and are regarded as very staunch ships, sealers say her cargo of 17,000 seal pelts would be an active danger during a storm on account of instability.

CY WARMAN'S ILLNESS SERIOUS, NOT CRITICAL

Rocky Mountain Poet Has Been in Chicago Hospital Several Weeks

CHICAGO, April 3.—The condition of Cy Warman, known as the Rocky Mountain poet, who has been ill in a hospital here for several weeks, tonight is serious but not critical, according to his physicians.

SUBMARINE SAVED BY COOLNESS OF OFFICERS

Struck Propellor of Gunboat and Was Severely Damaged

LONDON, April 3.—While rising after having been submerged during a sham attack off Harwich, Essex, today, submarine C2 struck the propeller of a gunboat. The periscope and part of the conning tower of the C2 were torn away by the impact, and only the coolness of her officers and crew prevented her from sinking.

Renewing an Old Acquaintance



Major Leonard's Offer Regarding Military Training Not Yet Accepted

RECOGNITION OF CARRANZA BY U.S. ASKED

Foreigners Owning Property in Mexico Consider That Rebel Victory at Torreon Should Justify Washington in Step—Believe Peace Would Soon Be Restored.

Canadian Press Despatch. EL PASO, April 3.—The effect of the rebel victory at Torreon was felt here in a stiffening of the market for constitutional money, and in the beginning of a movement to organize foreigners owning property in Mexico to appeal to Washington to recognize the Carranza government.

The latter idea originated with former Governor George Curry of New Mexico, but having placed the matter in the hands of certain leading Democrats to work out, as they promised to do, he expressed a desire to serve only in the ranks for the success of the movement.

QUEBEC TO SELL TIMBER LIMITS

Gouin Government Makes Important Departure From Policy to Encourage Pulp Industry.

Canadian Press Despatch. QUEBEC, April 3.—Departing from the rule which it has observed for eight years the Quebec Government has decided to open new districts to the lumber and pulp industries and will auction off limits in the Abitibi and Lake St. John districts during the months of August and October.

FEDERAL REVENUE TO SHOW LITTLE CHANGE

Increase in Postoffice Receipts Offsets Decline in Customs

OTTAWA, April 3.—While the final figures of revenue for the fiscal year just ended are not yet available from the finance department, it is estimated that Hon. W. T. White in his budget speech on Monday will be able to announce a total of just about the same as last year.

TWO FELL DEAD WHILE WATCHING FIST FIGHT

Man and Woman Were Overcome by Fright at Worcester, Mass.

WORCESTER, Mass., April 3.—Patrick Eagleton, 76 years of age, of Duane street, Spencer, and Mrs. Dennis Arsenault, 60 years old, of 48 Maple street, Spencer, dropped dead from fright in the street this afternoon as they witnessed a three-cornered fight between Martin Niederberger, a chauffeur employed by Walter Watson of Leicester, and Stanley Oritt and Chas. Bannan, employees of a Niagara Cereal Company who were distributing samples in the town.

LORD ROBERTS IS CHOSEN HEAD OF THE BRITISH COVENANTERS

Ulster Sympathizers at Meeting in London Adopted Pledge to Seek to Prevent Establishment of Home Rule in Ireland Without Consent of Nation.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, April 3.—Lord Roberts tonight was elected president of the League of British Covenanters at a meeting held in Caxton Hall. Resolutions were adopted at the meeting pledging the British covenanters to do all in their power to prevent the establishment of home rule in Ireland without sanction of the nation and the support of the

TO DRIVE LAST SPIKE ON THE G. T. P. IN WEST

Main Line From Winnipeg to Prince Rupert Will Be Linked.

Canadian Press Despatch. WINNIPEG, April 3.—A large number of railway men and special guests left Winnipeg tonight on No. 1 over the G.T.P., bound west for the driving of the last spike in the Grand Trunk Pacific, which will link up the main line from Winnipeg to Prince Rupert.

The party included Morley Donaldson, general manager and vice-president of the G.T.P.; G. W. Cave, assistant general manager; A. S. Smith, manager of G.T.P. telegraphs; H. H. Hansard, legal representative; H. A. K. Drury, engineer of the board of railway commissioners, and a number of other officials.

CITY'S OFFER IS REFUSED BY LIGHTING COMPANY

Windsor City Council Would Eliminate Competition With Hydro System.

Canadian Press Despatch. WINDSOR, Ont., April 3.—The president of the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railroads Company has refused an offer of \$155,000 made by the city light committee for the company's lighting plant, and expenditure proceedings probably will be taken. The object is to eliminate competition to the Hydro system.

GREEKS AND ALBANIANS IN A FIERCE CONFLICT

Irregular Forces Reported to Be Making Attacks on Towns.

VIENNA, April 3.—A report was received here today from Avlona, Albania, that Greek irregular forces were fiercely attacking Koritsa and other towns on the Argyro-Castro and Koritsa lines. Koritsa was reported to be in flames, and many persons were said to have been killed.

MONEY IS FLOWING FREELY IN MONTREAL'S CIVIC FIGHT

Campaign Which Ends Monday, Will Cost Quarter of Million Dollars—Split Among English-Speaking Forces Great Handicap to Candi dates.

Canadian Press Despatch. MONTREAL, April 3.—More than a quarter of a million, it is acknowledged, will have been spent by Monday, polling day, in behalf of the two mayoralty, fifteen controllership and 69 aldermanic candidates who are seeking to impress the 133,000 odd voters with the fact that they are at least the best men available to compose the city council for the next two years.

TORONTO PRESS CLUB SAVED FROM THE FLAMES

Fire at 158 Bay Street Caused \$500 Damage Last Night

Fire of unknown origin caused about \$500 damage to the building at 158 Bay street, occupied by the Toronto Press Club, Brown Jewelry Manufacturing Company and Dressmakers' Supply Company at 8:30 last night. The building is damaged to the extent of about \$250, and the balance of the loss equally divided between the jewelry concern and Dressmakers' Supply.

To the splendid work of the Bay and Adelaide street fire brigades under District Chief Forsythe are Toronto newspapermen indebted for the saving of their billiard tables, piano and club furniture. The building, constructed mostly of wood, proved a particularly difficult one in which to fight a fire.

GOVERNMENT IS BOUND TO GIVE AID TO C.N.R.

Report That Serious Hitch Has Occurred in C. N. R. Negotiations Not Accepted as Inspired—Obligation to Finish Both Transcontinental Systems Made Clear.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, April 3.—Rumors are flying again of a block in the negotiations between the Canadian Northern and the government: that Minister of Finance White is making demands that Sir William Mackenzie will not concede. Notwithstanding these rumors, however, the best opinion is to the effect that Mr. Borden, in concluding his speech on the transcontinental debate on Thursday night, meant to convey that while the policy of Sir Wilfrid Laurier had saddled two transcontinental railways on the country, yet the present government recognized its responsibility for the commitment of its predecessors, and that it would live up to that responsibility, whatever it might entail, and that as a consequence substantial aid will be forthcoming to complete the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern as well.

It is uncertain whether any reference to the project will be contained in the budget speech of Hon. Mr. White on Monday. It is nevertheless likely that some settlement will be reached to the negotiations that were carried on today and will occupy most of tomorrow—Saturday.

REPUBLICANS TO OPPOSE REPEAL

Minority in Senate Lining Up Against Wilson in Hope of Party Advantage.

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UNITED STATES HONOR NOW IN THE BALANCE

London Spectator Gives Warning Regarding Panama Tolls Situation.

Canadian Press Despatch. LONDON, April 3.—The Spectator, commenting upon the status of the Panama Canal tolls repeal bill in the United States Congress, says in an editorial today: "The honor of the United States is now at stake before the whole world. We do not think we shall be charged with affectation if we say that the question whether British ships are, or are not, to pay more than their share for the up-keep of the canal is as nothing compared with the question whether the United States can or cannot be counted upon to accept the obvious meanings of treaties and scrupulously to observe them."

UNIONISTS MAY OPPOSE ASQUITH

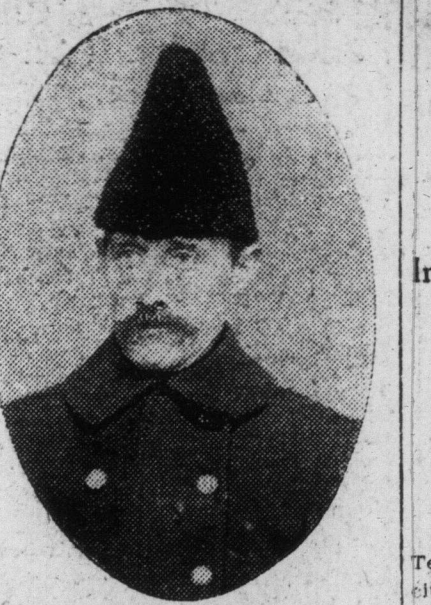
Should Premier Raise Army Question Today, Seat in Fife Will Be Contested.

Canadian Press Despatch. COUPPAR-ANGUS, Scotland, April 3.—Premier Asquith, accompanied by Mrs. Asquith and their daughter, arrived here at 8 o'clock this evening, after a triumphal progress from London. Mr. Asquith received deputations of Liberals at Granton, York, Newcastle, Berwick and Edinburgh during the day, and at each place delivered a brief speech of thanks. These speeches, however, were without special reference to politics. The premier tonight is a guest of Sir James Low at Kilmarnock Castle.

MISSIONARIES REPORTED KILLED BY BLACKS

PERTH, Australia, April 3.—It is reported that the blacks have destroyed the Drysdale River mission and murdered two priests and lay brethren and many half-breeds.

WALTER F. CHAPMAN



Officer Walter F. Chapman (22), of number one division, was yesterday appointed by the Dominion Government captain of the life-saving crew at the island.

NORTH TORONTO MAY BOYCOTT TELEPHONES

In Effort to Obtain Equitable Basis of Rates, District Will Be Canvassed—Citizens Would Force Company to Build Exchange This Year—Meeting Tonight.

Altho Manager Dunstan of the Bell Telephone Company has assured the citizens of North Toronto that a telephone exchange will be erected in that locality in 1915, and that they will then be given telephone service at the same rate as that which prevails in Toronto proper, the citizens are not satisfied. They claim that as North Toronto is now a part of the city they have the right to enjoy telephone service at the same rates as is enjoyed in the older sections.

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THE BIG TIME FOR HATS

Next week and then Easter. The time for new hats for every man. And the buying of a new hat should not be any trouble to you should you remember that if you buy one with the name of a big maker on the inside band you are making the best investment.

SOONER THE BETTER

Alexander Bryce, Alexandra boycotter, stated his willingness to "take part in the boycotting scheme, no matter how much inconvenience it caused him. He could not understand how the Ontario Railway Board had arrived at its decision in view of the evidence submitted. "What the people want is service, not matter how it is given them, and they want it at the same rates as it is given to citizens of central Toronto. If the Telephone Company must have an exchange in this district why do they not build it? They have the land. If, as Mr. Dunstan states, we will have to wait until 1915 for a reduction of rates we should take some action and the sooner we take it the better. Gentlemen who are behind this movement have my hearty support."

A BATTLE OF WITS

The different scenes in "Tante" at the Princess Theatre this week disclose an interesting battle of wits between Madame Mercedes Ormsa (Ethel Barrymore), known as "Tante" and the English barrister, Gregory Jardine (Charles Cherry). "Tante" is one of the season's great plays—one that is particularly interesting to ladies.

Office space to rent... King Street West... TANNER & GATES, Realty Brokers... 12.00... 5.50... 8.00... 11.50... 80c... 1.50... 2.00... 3.00... 4.00... 5.00... 6.00... 7.00... 8.00... 9.00... 10.00... 11.00... 12.00... 13.00... 14.00... 15.00... 16.00... 17.00... 18.00... 19.00... 20.00... 21.00... 22.00... 23.00... 24.00... 25.00... 26.00... 27.00... 28.00... 29.00... 30.00... 31.00... 32.00... 33.00... 34.00... 35.00... 36.00... 37.00... 38.00... 39.00... 40.00... 41.00... 42.00... 43.00... 44.00... 45.00... 46.00... 47.00... 48.00... 49.00... 50.00... 51.00... 52.00... 53.00... 54.00... 55.00... 56.00... 57.00... 58.00... 59.00... 60.00... 61.00... 62.00... 63.00... 64.00... 65.00... 66.00... 67.00... 68.00... 69.00... 70.00... 71.00... 72.00... 73.00... 74.00... 75.00... 76.00... 77.00... 78.00... 79.00... 80.00... 81.00... 82.00... 83.00... 84.00... 85.00... 86.00... 87.00... 88.00... 89.00... 90.00... 91.00... 92.00... 93.00... 94.00... 95.00... 96.00... 97.00... 98.00... 99.00... 100.00