

To-Day's Messages.

WHOLESALE EXPULSIONS.

NEW YORK, April 26. More than two thousand local railroad workers were expelled Sunday from the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen for the part they have taken in the unauthorized strike in this district, and according to Edward McHugh, Chairman of the Strikers' Executive Committee, the charters of nine local unions were revoked.

RETROGRESSION.

VIENNA, April 26. Austria is suffering from a stamp famine, due to a paper shortage and the activity of collectors, and the Government may resort to the old custom of having mail prepaid and forwarding it without stamps.

CIVIL WAR IN MEXICO.

WASHINGTON, D.C., April 26. Fighting between Revolutionary troops and the supporters of the Carranza Government has begun on the threshold of Mexico City, in the Aduco Mountain, according to private advices received yesterday by General Alvarado, agent of the Sonora Government here. No details of the engagement are given.

CLOSES TO-NIGHT.

PARIS, April 26. The San Remo conference will close to-night, according to Havas Dispatch. Premier Millerand and Marshal Foch and the Japanese and Greek delegations will leave for Paris by a special train Tuesday morning. The Italian Premier will leave for Rome on Wednesday by sea.

PERILOUS RESCUE.

HALIFAX, April 26. In thick weather early to-day, the schooner Attainment from St. John's Newfoundland for Parroboro, to load deals, ran ashore at Bear Cove, Digby, and will probably be a total loss. A heavy sea was running and boats from shore could not be launched. A cable was sent ashore and a basket rigged up, in which Captain Sheppard, his wife and seven of the crew were landed safely. The vessel is expected to go to pieces.

FRENCH DISASTER REPORTED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 26. Five hundred French troops are reported to have been wiped out in the evacuation of Urfa, in the northwest part of Mesopotamia, but details are lacking.

GOMPERS SIZES UP SITUATION.

WASHINGTON, April 26. Sweeping charges that the present Congress has failed the American nation, with "completeness and abandon" are made by Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, in the current issue of the American Federationist. "America must get rid of its Veto Congress, and elect an action Congress," he says. "The 'no' Congress must give place to a 'yes' Congress." The labor leader asserts that Congress has failed on the Peace Treaty, with reconstruction and the cost of living, and that it also has "failed us in intelligent comprehension of every great question affecting the lives and welfare of our people." Also, says Mr. Gompers, "America cannot play for ever the part of a peevish child in international relations. The affairs of the world are the concern of the United States."

WHOLE FAMILY MURDERED.

TURTLE LAKE, N.D., April 26. Eight persons were found dead yesterday at the farm home of Jacob Wolf, three miles north of here being victims of a mysterious tragedy. The dead are Jacob Wolf and his wife, their five daughters and Jake Hofer, who was employed on the farm. Only one member of the family escaped, Emma, a baby eight months old. Indications are that the murderer was committed in the kitchen of the Wolf home, and that the weapon used was a hatchet. The bodies of the mother, three daughters and the hired boy were thrown into the cellar by the slayer or slayers, and those of the father and two daughters were put in the cowshed and barn, and covered with hay.

FIVE POWERS REACH AGREEMENT.

SAN REMO, April 26. An agreement between Premier Millerand and Lloyd George, regarding Germany, was presented to the

Supreme Council late this afternoon, and will form the basis of a very stiff note to Germany, which will be ready for signature to-morrow by Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and Belgium.

HUNGER STRIKING POPULAR.

LONDON, April 26. Among the 160 Irish prisoners in Wormwood Scrubbs Prison, a large number have been on hunger strikes since yesterday, as a protest against their detention without charge or trial. One of the men was released unconditionally on Friday night, in a state of collapse.

CANTING HYPOCRISY.

BERLIN, April 26. A vote of thanks to former Emperor William as "the last temporal head of the Protestant State Church," was given at the closing session of the annual general synod. The synod also paid a tribute to the former monarch and his consort, for having "in many ways testified to their practical Christian spirit by works of love towards their brethren."

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Weather and Ice Conditions.

Greenspond.—Wind N. E., thick fog. Westleyville.—Wind N. E., light breeze, thick fog. Seal Cove.—Wind East with snow; ice conditions unchanged.

SALE OF WORK.—A Sale of Work in aid of the Girls' West End Club will be opened by Lady Crosbie in George St. School-room Tuesday afternoon, April 27th, at 4 o'clock. Afternoon teas will be served at 30c. each. Admission 10c. An Entertainment will be held in the evening at which the Methodist Guards' Band will assist. Admission 20c. Ice Cream for sale.—apr26,11

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SOLE AGENTS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Attempted Suicide.

MAN SLASHES THROAT WITH RAZOR.

This morning John Brasil, owner and master of the schooner Alice C., attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. It appears that the man had recently purchased the vessel for \$1,500 and had to put her on dock for repairs, which cost him \$500, but after coming off, it was found that the vessel needed a new mainmast and some extra rigging. The worry of these unlooked for expenses played on his mind, and for the past couple of days he was noticed to be not normal. The schooner was hauled to Steer Bros. which the unfortunate man went to his cabin, being there only a few minutes when his son heard cries. Rushing down he saw what had been done, so he quickly called for assistance. Dr. Murphy was on the scene in a short while, made an examination and found that the man's wound was not serious. He ordered him to hospital, where he was conveyed in the ambulance.

Re-Establishment Committee Meeting.

At last week's meeting of the Civil Re-establishment Committee, 28 cases were considered; 23 applications for courses in general education and motor engineering granted, and 5 extensions to vocational training allowed. Hon. Justice Kent presided, and in attendance were H. E. Cowan, Esq., Dr. V. P. Burke, Rev. Dr. Curtis, Major W. H. Parsons, M.C., Maj. for B. Butler, D.S.O., M.C., Dr. W. W. Blackall, B.A., Vocational Officer, Lieut.-Col. W. F. Rendell, C.B.E., and by invitation, Lieut.-Col. Geo. Carly, Capt. Leo Murphy, Capt. J. B. O'Reilly, Capt. G. Whitty, M.C., and Capt. Gerald Byrne, M.C., Secretary to the Committee.

Miss Evelyn Smith, of the Department of War Aides, Ottawa, was also present by invitation, and gave a very interesting outline of occupational training for veterans who are receiving treatment in the military hospitals, displaying a number of samples of the work done in the Canadian institutions by disabled men. Miss Smith has already visited Jensen Camp, Escasoni, and the General Hospital, and the organization of the local training will be taken up at once and it is felt will result successfully. A special sub-committee, comprising Hon. J. M. Kent, Dr. Parsons and Dr. Blackall, was appointed to be known as "The War Aides Committee" to inspect the progress of the training at regular intervals.

A sub-committee, consisting of Hon. A. Campbell, chairman; A. J. Bayley, secretary; H. E. Cowan, of Brookfield, H. R. Cook and Lieut. Col. G. T. Carly, to consider the qualifications of applicants under the Land Settlement Scheme, will meet every Wednesday and Saturday at 11 a.m. to go into the individual merits of each case. Fifty-two applications under the Agricultural scheme have been received to date.

The Vocational Officer announced that arrangements had been made whereby Lieut. Curtis would lecture each morning to the Students of the Engineering School on "Shop Mechanisms and Elementary Science," and Lieut. Lloyd Woods in the afternoon on the "Internal Combustion Engine."

The reading of correspondence, minutes, etc., terminated a very busy session. Major B. Butler, D.S.O., M.C., who had been acting as Deputy Vocational Officer, leaves to-day for Scotland, and will be absent about two months.

NOTE OF THANKS.—The members of the C. E. I. Athletic Association desire to tender their sincere thanks to the ladies whose whole-hearted efforts contributed so much towards making the recent affair such a brilliant success. Many of the members have been showered with congratulations on the way the arrangements were carried out, and they all feel conscious that the results were due almost entirely to the industry and enthusiasm displayed by the ladies who so kindly gave their assistance. The Association also desire to thank all those who gave donations, and those who helped in various other ways.—adv.

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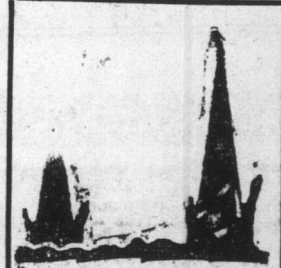


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MISS POWER'S Dancing Class will be held to-morrow (Tuesday) night.—apr26,11

CALL FOR TO-MORROW.—The hearing of the Hickman-Cave election case is called for to-morrow.

Owing to unforeseen circumstances the proposed meeting of Spencer Club for Tuesday, 27th inst., has been deferred to Thursday, 29th inst., at 4.15 p.m. J. TAYLOR, Hon. Sec. apr26,11

POLICE COURT.—A drunk and disorderly given in charge by his wife, on promising to abstain from drinking "ginger" was let go.

C.L.E. OLD COMRADES' ASSOCIATION.—A Special Meeting of the above Association will be held to-morrow (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock sharp. As business of the utmost importance will be transacted, every member is requested to attend. By order, R. G. CHAFE, Secy. apr26,21

BROUGHT ALONG PRISONERS.—Constable Hubbard arrived by Prospero from Grand Bank this morning, bringing two prisoners, for the penitentiary. They were tried by Magistrate McDonald for larceny, one was sentenced to 12 months and the other to 4 months imprisonment.

EVERYBODY CURIOUS.—A genuine money saving Sale to begin Tuesday next is before the public now just when they need their wearing apparel most. Everybody's anxiously waiting to get in on it and take advantage of a money making proposition which is large enough to share equally with every citizen. LONDON, NEW YORK and PARIS ASSOCIATION OF FASHION, Grace Building. apr22,26

McMurdo's Store News.

MONDAY, April 26.

Do not forget that we have a carefully selected stock of American Cabbage Seeds, in all necessary variety to cover the entire season. The list comprises Early Spring, Early Summer, Early Jersey, Waterfield, Charleston Wakefield, Succession, (American) Drumhead and (American) Flat Dutch. These seeds are all of the highest quality, and secured from one of the most reliable seed growers in America; and we believe that they will give as good results in crops as usual. Price \$5.00 a pound; 60c. an ounce. Zylox Soap is one of the finest skin soaps on the market, and with people who have sensitive skins it is a favorite. Price 30c. a cake.

During Dr. Howlett's absence his practice will be continued by Dr. Davies of Pictou, N.S. apr24,21

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A Grand Dance will be held at

St. Andrew's Club Rooms, Smallwood Building, Duckworth St., on Wednesday, 28th April, at 8 o'clock. Ladies, 50c.; Gent's, 75c.—apr22,31,th,s,m

DIED.

On Sunday morning, of meningitis, Cyril, aged 5 years, darling child of John and the late Mabel Maud Stowe. At St. George's, 23rd inst. James McFarridge, leaving four sons and three daughters to mourn their sad loss.

IN LOVING MEMORY

of Jessie Douglas Lythgoe, who died April 26, 1919, aged 13 years.

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