

1,000 Inhabitants of Transjordan Killed by Wahabi Tribesmen

Turkish Troops Mobilized to Deal With Kurdistan Revolt—Shipment of Canadian Fresh Fish Successfully Marketed in London—N.S. Legislature Opens.

SLAIN IN TRANSJORDANIA.

DAMASCUS, Feb. 26.—One thousand inhabitants of Transjordan were killed, and many were taken by surprise by Wahabi tribesmen who crossed the border of Transjordan and started a march to Amman. This announcement was made today by Sultan Ismail Saoud's representative.

CANADIAN FRESH FISH INDUSTRY

MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—That Canadian fresh fish can be marketed in England and great demand is expected in this market in the near future, was the statement made by W. T. Marlow, General Freight Agent of the C.P.R., when he received news today that a trial shipment of fresh fish from St. John's, Newfoundland, had been satisfactorily marketed at Billingsgate. The idea was furthered lately by Major Hugh Smith, who came here from England to assist in the development of fresh fish shipments to England. A steady stream of fish carrying steamers is proposed for the near future.

PUTTING TEETH INTO IT.

HALIFAX, Feb. 26.—Premier E. H. Armstrong stated this morning that the proposed amendment to the Prohibition Act, indicated in the Speech from the Throne, will have mainly to do with making more easy to secure prison terms about the option of fines, in the enforcement of the Act.

TURKS MOBILIZING.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The Turkish Government has ordered a partial mobilization in Anatolia, calling up five classes, according to News Agency despatches reaching here. Constantinople papers say that the revolt in Kurdistan is assuming a character of a general revolution pro-monarchical movement.

LOVE IN AN APARTMENT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—One of the world's richest girls will wed from her parent's mansion into a modest apartment of a young lawyer when Miss Abby Rockefeller, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and David Merritt, Jr., are married next week.

CROW'S NEST PASS RATES.

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—The Western Provinces have won their appeal in the Crow's Nest Pass case. The Supreme Court of Canada decided this morning that the Crow's Nest Pass rates Act was

binding on the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada but they apply only to the points in existence on the Canadian Pacific railway when the Crow's Nest Pass Act was passed in 1897.

NEUTRALITY AGREEMENT.

SOPIA, Feb. 26.—Bulgaria has reached an agreement with Jugoslavia providing for the maintenance of neutrality along both sides of the frontier.

N. S. PARLIAMENT OPENED.

HALIFAX, Feb. 26.—The last session of the fourteenth legislature of Nova Scotia was convened by his Honor Lieut. Governor James Robson Douglas, with all the traditional trappings associated with such a ceremony, at three o'clock this afternoon. Detachments from the permanent forces at Halifax formed a Guard of Honor and a salute thundered from the citadel with the arrival of His Honor. The Speech from the Throne, bristling with references to the hardships imposed upon Nova Scotia by reason of the sacrifices she made at the time of confederation, was read by the Governor before a brilliant assemblage, headed by Premier E. Armstrong and members of the Legislature.

LUNENBURG'S FISHING FLEET INCREASED.

LUNENBURG, Feb. 26.—Six new schooners will be added to this spring's fishing fleet, including the 145 foot Andrava launched here yesterday and five others being built at various yards along the South Shore. If the Andrava fulfills expectations during the coming season, she will, it is stated, be sailed in the Fishermen's Race at Halifax against the schooner now being built at Shelburne for Halifax and Lunenburg parties.

The Tigers Retort Hits General Gourand

PARIS, Jan. 16.—At the funeral of Anatole France, Gen. Gourand, the one-armed Governor of Paris, who visited the United States in 1923 as guest of the American Legion, was noticed shaking hands with Joseph Caillaux. The incident was reported to Clemenceau. "If a man has only one hand, he should keep it clean," was the 'Tiger's' only comment. Stung to the quick by this retort Gen. Gourand recently called at Clemenceau's residence in Paris to explain the incident, but the 'Tiger' refused to see him.

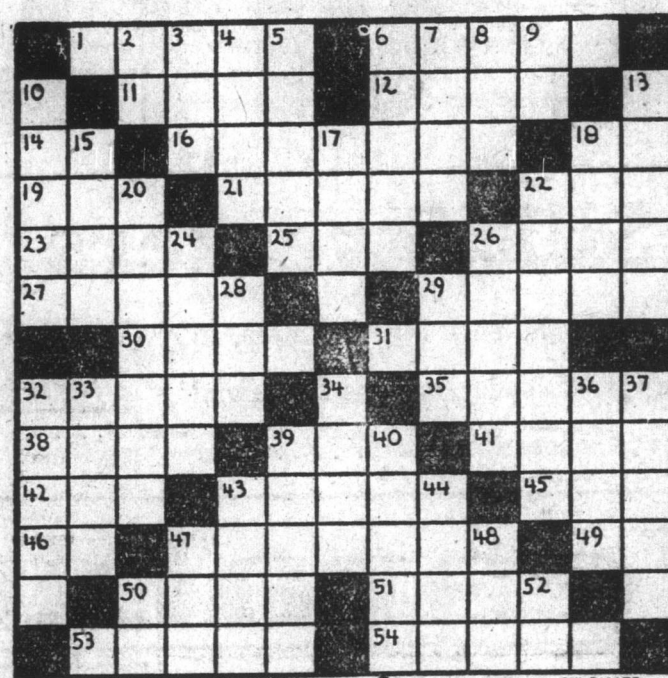
U. S. Plans the Greatest Airship of All

Dwarfing the giant proportions of the Los Angeles and the Shenandoah, and even the two great dirigibles ordered by Great Britain, is an air-liner proposed recently by United States naval experts. It would be by far the largest airship in the world. With a capacity of 6,000,000 cubic feet, nearly three times that of either of the American dirigibles and 1,000,000 cubic feet more than the British ones, it could be used for regular transatlantic trips. It would carry 80 passengers on a voyage and at least 32 tons of mail and freight. Counting on 40 round trips a year between New York and London, it is estimated that the levithan would make a net yearly profit for the United States Government of approximately \$5,000,000.

Canon Fired by the Sun Tells the Time

The only known automatic sun gun in the world, located at Cintra, 20 miles from Lisbon, Portugal, shows the correct time to surrounding towns and hamlets from a height of 2,000 feet. By a convex lens arrangement supported by the canon, and controlled by a special, the sun's rays are concentrated at noon each day on the touchhole of the canon, and thus it is automatically fired by old King Sol himself.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES

Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

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| <p>HORIZONTAL</p> <p>1—To extend to</p> <p>2—A brittle mud</p> <p>11—Thick mud</p> <p>12—Unites</p> <p>14—An exclamation</p> <p>16—Detested</p> <p>18—An exclamation</p> <p>19—Limit</p> <p>21—To smooth the feathers</p> <p>22—A vision</p> <p>23—Mark of a wound</p> <p>25—Product of pine trees</p> <p>26—Containers</p> <p>27—A singer</p> <p>29—State</p> <p>30—Merriment</p> <p>31—Spirit</p> <p>32—Cornered</p> <p>35—Mysterious</p> <p>38—Possessive pronoun</p> <p>39—Large body of water</p> <p>41—A sidelong look</p> <p>42—Suffix used to form feminine nouns</p> <p>43—Household pest</p> <p>45—To perceive</p> <p>46—Pronoun</p> <p>47—A wild animal</p> <p>48—Baby's papa</p> <p>50—Suffering</p> <p>51—Popular name of a European country</p> <p>53—A proponent</p> <p>54—A station</p> | <p>VERTICAL</p> <p>3—Printer's unit of measurement</p> <p>6—To be afflicted</p> <p>4—Product</p> <p>5—An organ of the body</p> <p>8—An anesthetic</p> <p>7—Legal claim</p> <p>9—Regal</p> <p>10—Part of verb "to be"</p> <p>13—A box for storage</p> <p>15—Plural of this</p> <p>17—To rend</p> <p>18—A relative</p> <p>20—A singer</p> <p>22—Newspapers</p> <p>24—Parts in a play</p> <p>25—Heartless</p> <p>28—A color</p> <p>29—To pull</p> <p>32—Possessive pronoun</p> <p>33—Ease</p> <p>34—Fish</p> <p>35—Coarse grass with hollow stem</p> <p>37—A vision</p> <p>39—Parent's term of endearment</p> <p>40—Pained</p> <p>43—Invasion</p> <p>44—Present</p> <p>47—A cushion</p> <p>49—To rend asunder</p> <p>50—A parent (abbr.)</p> <p>52—Negative</p> |
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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle.



Household Notes.

With a salad of jellied fruit cheese wafers are nice. With the same course one might serve a spicy fruit punch. Serve a jellied pineapple filling in an uncovered pie crust. Mix rice balls with raisins and serve with whipped cream. Very nice served with deviled whitefish are steamed, stuffed cucumbers.

Municipal Council

WEEKLY MEETING.

The weekly meeting of the Council was held yesterday afternoon. Mayor Cook presided and Councilors Martin, Guterbridge, Collier, Ryan and Dowden were present.

After reading and confirmation of the Minutes of previous meeting the following matters were dealt with. An application was read from Mr. R. C. Hopkins for position of applanter. There being no vacancy, the communication was ordered filed.

Mrs. M. Dwyer wrote for the need of having Garrison Hill re-numbered and stated at the present time the irregular numbering at this place was an inconvenience and annoyance to the residents. Mr. W. Whittle applied for lease of land, Mundy Pond Road. This was deferred.

Tenders for supply of Hose and Lead pipe were ordered to stand over. J. Anderson offered to supply horse for the Sanitary Department. This was ordered to be given consideration by the Sanitary Committee. The Medical Officer of Health reported two new cases of Diphtheria, two Scarlet Fever and one Typhoid in the city during the past week.

Deputation from the City Taxi Drivers, consisting of Messrs. Volsey, Boone, Woods, Crotty and others, were then admitted to the meeting.

Mr. T. P. Hailer, on behalf of the deputation, informed the Council of the object of their visit, which was to see if some regulations could be brought into effect whereby bona fide taxi drivers only, who earn their living by this work, would be allowed to solicit fares or ply for hire. He pointed out that a great injustice was being done these men by private car owners who take advantage of Sundays, holidays and other such occasions, to go on the stand, thereby interfering with the taximen's legitimate calling. He thought this was most unfair, and asked that the Council would favourably consider their petition. At the present time, he was not in a position to definitely place before the Council the views of the delegation on the matter, but was prepared to do so at the next regular meeting if the Council would extend to the delegation the courtesy of permitting them to be present. This was agreed to, and the deputation then retired.

Following the petition of the Managers of the Moving Pictures Theatre for exemption from the tax on their performances, which came before the Board some time ago, it was decided that they be informed the Council is unable to accede to this request.

Reports of the City Engineer, Sanitary Supervisor, etc., were tabled. Resolutions for various Departments were granted and with the passing of accounts, disposal of several minor matters, the meeting adjourned.

Wholesale Prices increase in Great Britain

Wholesale prices in Great Britain in December, as recorded by the Board of Trade, showed a slight increase of 0.2 p.c. compared with the November average and an increase of 4.1 p.c. over the figure for December, 1923. According to advices received by the Bankers Trust Company of New York from its British Information Service, the increase as compared with a year ago was 29.9 p.c. in cereals, 4.6 p.c. in meat and fish, 24 p.c. in miscellaneous textiles, but it showed a decrease of 6.5 p.c. in cotton. Considering all items, the increase in food products was 10.2 p.c. while in other articles the increase was 1 p.c. The average figure for December, 1924, was 168.2; for 1923 it was 155.9.

Common Ailments of Middle Age

are indicated in women by nervous conditions, irritability, melancholia, pains and aches in the back, dizzy spells, headaches and heat flashes. These trying conditions may be easily overcome and such symptoms controlled by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It will interest women to know that in a recent canvass among over one hundred and twenty-one thousand women, ninety-eight out of every hundred reported benefit from its use.

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A stuffed tenderloin of pork might be garnished with rings of fried apples. Place asparagus tips on triangles of toast and serve with mushroom sauce. Artichokes are nice served with game. Dice and fry to a golden brown. Flavor hard sauce with chopped blanched almonds and a little fruit juice. Sauteed mushrooms make an appetizing garnish for sliced fried meats.

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By CY HUNGERFORD



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