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Nfld Representative.

Revolution and Murder Reported in Bulgaria

Settlement of Dock Strike May be Effectuated
To-day--Stellarton Presbyterian Church
Destroyed--Scotland Defeats Ireland in
Rugby Match--Poincare's Economical
Policy Approved.

BULGARIA A REPUBLIC.

LONDON, Feb. 24. There are rumors of a Communist revolution in Bulgaria and the establishment of a Republic in that country, says a Reuters' despatch from Athens, quoting local newspapers. The despatch adds it is reported King Boris has been sent into rural seclusion and that the Premier and some Ministers have been murdered. No confirmation is available in official quarters.

SPAIN WITHDRAWS.

ROME, Feb. 24. Spain has withdrawn officially from the naval disarmament conference because she was not granted the tonnage she requested. She will remain an observer of the proceedings.

PROSPECTS OF DOCK SETTLEMENT TO-DAY.

LONDON, Feb. 24. There seems every prospect tonight that the strike of Dock Workers will be settled to-morrow, and that work in the ports will be resumed Tuesday. Mass meetings of dockers were held to-day at all ports in the British Isles to discuss the terms of settlement accepted by their delegates in conference with the employers. At Liverpool, Glasgow, Bristol, Hull and some of the other ports the dockers voted strongly in favour of acceptance. A meeting of 2000 dockers has also voted for acceptance, but the attitude of all the London men is less certain.

PASSENGERS INCONVENIENCED.

LONDON, Feb. 23. The dockmen's strike, which is hanging on over the week-end with no definite assurance of settlement as yet, has caused serious inconvenience to the first-class passengers from the

liner Berengaria which arrived at Southampton from New York at midnight. They are in London to-day without their baggage and without much hope of getting it soon, despite the heroic efforts of the white-collared baggage smashers who left their desks in the Cunard offices to unload it from the steamer to the baggage cars of the boat train for London. The train proceeded a hundred yards or so from the Southampton station when the engineer refused to run any further until the baggage cars had been detached because they had been loaded by non-union labor. The steamship company planned to bring the baggage to London in lorries, but Labor Union officials at Southampton refused to allow the motor cars to enter the dock.

POINCARÉ'S PLAN OF ECONOMY.

PARIS, Feb. 23. The Chamber of Deputies approved Premier Poincaré's entire taxation and economy plan this morning after an all night session. The vote was 354 to 218.

COOLIDGE ENTERS THE FIGHT.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 23. President Coolidge formally entered to-day the Ohio Republican Presidential preference primaries for President by filing his declaration with Secretary of State Brown.

BRIAND OPENS CAMPAIGN.

PARIS, Feb. 24. Aristides Briand, seven times Premier of France, to-day opened his electoral campaign with a speech at Carcassonne, as prelude to the May elections, in which he hopes he will be returned to office. Defence of France against the charge of militarism was M. Briand's leading theme. It is the France of revolution and liberty

which freed the world, the speaker declared, and if she was not isolated in 1924 it was because she represented in the eyes of the world justice and progress, while Germany typified reaction and oppression.

CRUSHED BETWEEN RAILWAY CARS.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 24. Three stranded British harvesters were instantly killed Saturday afternoon when crushed between cars while working in the Canadian National Railway Yards at Mimico, a Western suburb in Ontario. The accident was due to the freight car slipping off the icy rails and crushing the men against some standing cars.

WORK OF REDS NOT YET ACCOMPLISHED.

LONDON, Feb. 23.

The task of the Red Army is not yet accomplished, its struggles are not yet finished, says a statement by the Executive Committee of the 3rd Internationale, on the occasion of that organization's anniversary. It points out that Russia is still surrounded by a "light ring of capitalist states" and that any time workers and peasants of some other country may seize power in that country and precipitate a world-wide struggle between capital and labor. There were no parades as on the previous anniversaries of the Internationale.

DISGRUNTLED COMPETITOR TAKES ACTION.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.

Suicides and complaint for \$100,000 damages was filed against Edward W. Bok, donor of the American Peace Award, by Frank Hendrick, a lawyer, who was one of more than two thousand persons to submit peace plans in competition for the \$100,000 prize. Hendrick bases his suit on the contention that the plan submitted by him "if fairly considered" would be unanimously selected as prize winner.

CANADA'S IRON ORE.

OTTAWA, Feb. 24.

Of the two million tons of iron used annually in Canada, about 95 per cent is imported from the United States, according to a report which has just been issued by the research council of Canada on the utilization of low grade ores in Canada. The report states that vast deposits of iron ore of Canada would be suitable used for reduction in blast furnaces, but the cost of such treatment makes competition with imported ore extremely difficult.

STELLARTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH DESTROYED.

STELLARTON, N.S., Feb. 24. The Sharron Presbyterian Church was totally destroyed by fire early this morning after the conclusion of this morning's service. The church was valued at \$50,000.

AWARDED LEONARD MEDAL.

MONTREAL, Feb. 23.

F. W. Gray has been awarded the Leonard gold medal by the Engineering Institute of Canada for the best technical paper written during 1923, the title of successful paper being "The development of the coal industry in Canada." Mr. Gray is with the staff of the British Empire Steel Corporation and is at present located in Sydney.

FINDING AGAINST CREW OF TOMOKA AFFIRMED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.

The U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in opening handed down to-day an affirmed finding of the Federal Judge Augustus N. Hand in the contempt proceedings instituted by the Government against eight sailors found aboard Canadian schooner Tomoka when the vessel was seized as a rum runner off the New Jersey Coast.

FRAUDULENT CLAIMANTS OF WAR DAMAGES PUNISHED.

LILLE, France, Feb. 24.

Five persons charged with fraud in collection of indemnities for war damages, were convicted here yesterday, and sentenced to fines or imprisonment. August DeLoire, a merchant was ordered to pay the Government 52,000 francs overpayment. Two other men and two women were each sentenced to three months' imprisonment and fined three hundred francs. They were also ordered to return all payments received and their rights to damages were cancelled.

REBELS DYNAMITE TRAINS.

VERA CRUZ, Feb. 25.

A scout train and a passenger train following it, were dynamited Friday near Soledad by Rebels under the command of Pedro Gonzales. The scout train was only slightly damaged and escaped. A guard of fifty men defended the passenger train, but were overwhelmed, and it is reported some passengers were killed. The Rebels robbed passengers and looted and burned the express and mail cars.

HE MUST HAVE BEEN IRISH.

At a dinner party Mr. Jones had been trying to say something nice to his hostess.

"What a small appetite you have, Mr. Jones," she remarked.
"To sit next to you, Mrs. Smith," he replied, "would cause any man to lose his appetite."
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When Kaiser William lost his head
And tried to smash the blinkin' earth,
"I s'pose it's up to me," I said,
"To show the blighter what he's worth."
I had no taste for soldierin' ways,
I fact I wanted nothin' more
Than livin' peaceful all my days,
But up I got and went to war;
And four long beastly years I stuck
Of blood and sweat and wounds and muck.

I never had, through all that spell,
One thought of glory or of pride;
I hated all of it like hell,
And often wished I could have died
(Like better men); but all the same,
Somehow inside o' me I knew
"Would be an everlastin' shame
If England didn't see it through;
That Englishmen were bound to fight
The brute idea that might be right."

And when we'd done the job, see I,
"We've won a better state of things,
No more will men be forced to die
For whims of Kaisers and of Kings;
Nations won't squabble all the while;
They'll nod along in sober style,
With Peace and Reason hand-in-hand."

A dam had prophesied, dreamin' dreams,
My breath was wasted, so it seems.
I'm sickened, lookin' round to-day,
The world seems pretty well as mad,
Swords rattlin' in the same old way,
And muffled fists shakin' just as bad;
It makes a feller half inclined
To envy those that sleep out there,
Who never guessed the rotten kind
O' disappointments we've to bear,
With hopes still bright they look their
call!

Were they the happiest, after all?
--"Punch"

Casino Theatre

Abraham Levi, whose father's heart is set on his marrying a nice little Jewish girl, brings home as his bride Rosemary Murphy, whom he met in France when he was with the A.E.F., and she was an entertainer. To appease his father's first wrath, Able introduces Rosemary as Rosie Murphick. Father Levi is cooled in all Rosie's father arrives, and turns out to be Patrick Murphy. Right there a comic war is started. Able and Rose have been married by a Baptist Minister, are married again by a Rabbi to please Levi, and a third time by a Catholic Priest to satisfy Murphy. Rosie's wisdom in having twins, a girl to be called Rebecca and a boy to be known as Patrick Joseph, halts the family feud long enough to bring the play to a close.

Llewellyn Club

Annual Social

The Annual Tea and Concert of the Llewellyn Club will be held on Thursday, when Rev. J. B. Elliot will give a short talk on "Ireland of To-day," illustrated by lantern slides. Mrs. Herbert Outerbridge and her players will present a one act play, and an enjoyable evening is assured.

Social events are delightful

When graced with the elegance of an exquisite cake that gives distinction to the hospitality. Mother Drake's Fruit Cake gives that distinction. The hostess is confident that her guests will express their genuine gratification. The chosen fruits and nuts from France, Italy and the Orient give a rare pleasure to old friends and young palates.



Charlie Chaplin on Public Taste

The famous movie comedian, Charlie Chaplin, has recently astounded British critics by a magazine article in which he declared that the public does not know what it wants and that unless picture-makers learned to make the public a secondary consideration their work lacked freshness and originality. Speaking for himself, Mr. Chaplin says:

"There was no idea in the public mind that I wanted to see the character that I have played in so many films and through so many situations until that character was revealed. Before I could get that character to the public I met with every discouragement. It would require quiet treatment, and what 'they' wanted was robustness. It would be necessary to make make-up, and that was not effective on the screen. The public paid to see real persons as they are. In the early days, when I made pictures for the sheer money, and vicarious happiness I got out of the work, I had no responsibility, and I turned out genuine comedy. Suddenly, with no thought to that end, it was brought home to me. I may write in all modesty, that I was famous."

"From that time on, at least from the time that I felt I had a reputation to sustain, I had responsibility, and my work became in most ways improved, but in many respects more studied."

"It was some time after he had made a name for himself that Mr. Chaplin received a letter from an unknown admirer of his films, which read: 'I have noticed in your last picture a lack of spontaneity. Although the picture was an unfailing success as a laugh-getter, the laughter was not so round as at some of your earlier work. I am afraid you are becoming a slave to your public, whereas in most of your pictures the audiences were a slave to you. The public, Charlie, likes to be a slave.'"

Mr. Chaplin took the lesson to heart. "My work could be no good unless

I got the right spirit of joy, joy in itself. And since that letter I have tried to avoid what I think the public wants. I prefer my taste as a truer expression of what the public wants of me than anything that I can fathom out of the things that I can observe, either in my own work or in that of others that are unmistakably successful."

"This is obviously not meant as a slap at the public, but rather at those of us who think we can tell just what 'they' want, whether we are editors, theatrical managers, or business men who have commodities to sell to the public."

Icemen's Benefit Night

On Wednesday afternoon and night the Prince's rink will be given over for the benefit of the Icemen. Skipper Jim and his associates are hopeful that atmospheric conditions will enable them to prepare an excellent sheet of ice for the occasion. At night the first indoor skating meet of the season will take place. The programme of events, with the large number of contestants taking part is bound to attract a large gathering of spectators. "Billy" Johnson, the Winnipeg "Ace," who caused quite an impression with the fans by capturing all the main events, is we are sorry to state, not with us this year. However, a large number of our local speedsters are all ready for action and it would not be surprising if new champions were found and several of the local indoor records swept by the boards. In addition to the programme already announced, a Mercurio hockey game, which will practically decide the championship, will be staged between A. Harvey and Harvey & Co. teams. Following the sports programme, general skating will be kept up until 11 o'clock. Bennett's Orchestra will be in attendance.

TEMPERATURE.—There was 20 degrees of frost last night, according to the thermometer at Valley Nurseries. This morning it registered 12 degrees.

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