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DIVE AGAINST BOLSHEVSKI IS LAUNCHED BY POLES

BURGLES SO COMMON INSURANCE COMPANIES WILL NOT ACCEPT RISKS

Theft After Theft Committed and No Captures Made—House and Shop Breaking Never So Prevalent in City's History.

A prominent Dundas street merchant stated to The Advertiser today that as a result of the unusual thefts in the city lately and no arrests in connection with them, burglary insurance companies are refusing to accept any more business here.

This merchant's store is located close to the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets, and has been broken into half a dozen times lately.

"The latest robbery was on Thursday night," he said, "I did not report it because the same thing has happened frequently and I have had no results from telling the police. Shop and house breaking has been more common in London lately than ever before. Today I saw a letter from one of the big companies handling burglary insurance, refusing to accept any more business here. This is a serious matter, and something should be done."

Another robbery was reported to The Advertiser today by Mrs. J. Johnston, 530 Talbot street. She stated that her sister, who was visiting her from Detroit, had three valuable rings stolen from her house last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Johnston and her sister went to the market in the morning, and bought some vegetables, and Mrs. Johnston's sister took her to the house, and then went into the garden.

Nothing more was thought of the rings till Saturday evening, when she told her sister that the rings had been stolen from the table. A search through the house was made, but no rings could be found.

Another search was made on Sunday, and then the case was placed in the hands of local detectives.

Mrs. Johnston stated that one of the rings was a brown cameo. Another was an emerald, which her sister had given her as a keepsake, and the other was a solid gold signet ring.

In South London.

On Friday evening last, while Anson B. Nichols of 36 Beaconsfield avenue was out at the fair, and his wife out of the house for a short time, sneak thieves gained entrance to the dwelling through a rear window. They ransacked a bureau in a bedroom, and from a lower drawer took a tin box containing Mr. Nichols' Masonic apron, an insurance policy and some coins. The coins included several English pieces and a Cuban coin. A valuable gold ring, with the initials, B. L. N., belonging to Mr. Nichols' son was also taken. Nothing was known of the theft until the following morning, when the tin box was found at the foot of the G. T. R. embankment at the rear of the house by a neighbor boy, R. Hunt. The tin box, which was locked, had been forced open and then thrown away, and the insurance policy with it. The case was reported to the police.

Mrs. Nichols is inclined to place the blame for the theft on boys whom, she thinks, may have taken the money in order to go to the movies.

Market Clerk Charles Baker informed The Advertiser today that so far no trace of the thieves who stole money and money from his house last Thursday has been found.

FROM RED TRAIL OF WAR TO PROSPERITY IN WESTERN CANADA



Thousands of Canada's soldier sons, returned to the paths of peace, have availed themselves of the opportunity provided by the Soldiers' Settlement Board of establishing themselves on farms throughout the Dominion. The above pictures give a good idea of some of the homes and farms owned by these soldiers. 1. Is the home of Edward Livesey, a lieutenant in the 49th Battalion in North Saanich, Vancouver Island. He has 20 acres and is prospering. 2. Shows W. W. Latta on his farm at Moore Park, Man. 3. Is Mrs. Gallagher, who is taking the place of her hero husband, killed at the front while serving with the 25th Battalion. She has a 40-acre farm at Matsqui Station, B. C., where she is taking up dairying. She is the tenant of the Matsqui farm adjoining, and is seen among part of a crop of carrots. 4. The neat home of A. J. McCarthy, Regina District, Sask.

FRANCE WILL PAY ENTIRE LOAN TO U.S.

\$250,000,000 Amount Due in October Will Be Forthcoming.

Paris, Sept. 22.—France will pay every dollar of the \$250,000,000 loan due in New York October 15. M. Francois-Marsal, the minister of finance, officially announced to the cabinet council today.

The sum is France's share of the \$500,000,000 Anglo-French loan floated in the United States during the war. M. Francois-Marsal informed the ministers that French treasury already had shipped to the United States \$150,000,000 in gold and securities. He added that the success of the \$100,000,000 loan contracted through J. P. Morgan & Co. would permit the picking up of all notes due October 15.

This was expected to be the last cabinet meeting of the Millerand ministry. It was attended by all the ministers and under-secretaries.

Ex-Kaiser In the "Spotlight" In the City of Amerongen

Doorn, Holland, Sept. 22.—William of Hohenzollern, former German emperor, promises to be the central figure of the gala week, which began in this city and in Amerongen, which for more than a year was the home of the former monarch. He has given 1,000 guilders to the committee in charge of the national Grange celebration at Amerongen, where the streets have been decorated with the proceeds of his gift.

The climax of the celebration will be the formal turning over by William to the president of the Order of the Knights of St. John of a hospital at Amerongen, which was built and furnished by the former emperor as a memorial to his stay here. This will be followed in a few days by the wedding of Elizabeth von Bentinck, daughter of Count von Bentinck, who was William's host at Amerongen, to Captain Husemann.

Preparations are under way for the reception of Prince Henry of Prussia, who will arrive here soon to spend ten days with his brother.

ITALIAN METAL WORKERS DECLINE TO EVACUATE FACTORIES SEIZED; DISPLEASED WITH SETTLEMENT

Men Demand Guarantees From Employers and Government and Full Pay For Time Plants Were Occupied—Radicals Distributing Literature Among Workers, Telling Them That They Have Been Betrayed by the Confederation of Labor in Negotiations.

Rome, Sept. 22.—Italian metal workers, against reprisals from the masters and the government. They also are claiming payment of their wages for the entire period of their occupation of the plants in accordance with the settlement agreement recently reached with the employers after government intervention, according to dispatches to the Giornale d'Italia.

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20,000 VICTIMS OF CHOLERA IN KOREA

Tokio, Sept. 22.—Fifteen hundred new cases of cholera have been discovered in Korea, according to a dispatch from Seoul, issued at Seoul. This makes the total number of victims of the epidemic in that country, it is estimated, more than 20,000.

MAY ASK FOR WOMEN J. P.'S

Delegation To Take Up Important Matters With the Attorney-General.

A special meeting of the sub-executive of the Ontario branch of the National Council of Women is being called by its vice-president, Dr. Augusta Stowgallen. This meeting is to be held in Toronto on Tuesday next, September 28, to appoint a delegation to wait on the attorney-general the next morning, for the purpose of considering the resolutions decided upon by the National Council of Women at their annual meeting held in St. John, N. B., in June last.

Although the notices calling this meeting do not state what these resolutions were, they undoubtedly are those which would come under the department of the attorney-general and probably concern changes in the criminal code affecting women, such as the raising of the age of consent and an equal moral standard. Other matters which might be discussed at this conference with the attorney-general would be the appointment of women magistrates and justices of the peace.

U. S. Government Will Not Assist Defiant Captain

New York, Sept. 22.—Capt. Thomas Stone, master of the freighter, Pand-handle State, who sailed from New York declaring he would land at Queenstown, Ireland, despite orders of the British Government that ships from the United States must not stop there on the eastward passage, was arrested by the United States state department if he comes to grief in an attempt to carry out his threats.

It is generally recognized that any government has the right to close one of its ports against ships of all nations in time of stress.

POLES LAUNCH OFFENSIVE IN GRODNO REGION

Advance Made Against Reds On Thirty-Mile Front.

London, Sept. 22.—Polish forces have commenced an advance in the region of Grodno, on the northeastern Polish front, according to an official statement issued yesterday in Moscow, and received here by wireless.

The Polish declaration of the Poles has advanced along a front 33 miles in length, large numbers of troops being engaged. Fighting is proceeding, it is said.

WRANGLER WILL CONSOLIDATE HIS AVAILABLE FORCES

Constantinople, Sept. 22.—Gen. Wrangel is expected to consolidate the anti-Bolshevik forces before renewing his advance. Gen. Makno, commanding the peasant minute-men, has entered into agreement with Wrangel for co-operation. Makno is at present working in the rear of the Bolsheviks along the Dnieper River and cutting off their Kharkov supplies. His army is reported to number 30,000 now that harvesting has ended.

LONDON LINEMAN FELL 30 FEET

Alex. Gordon Is in the General Hospital At Strathroy.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Strathroy, Sept. 21.—Alex. Gordon of 14 Queen's Place, London, had a close call from being fatally injured late this morning when he was working on a telephone pole which he was working on and fell 30 feet. He was taken to the General Hospital and is suffering from an injured shoulder and elbow and a badly scraped face. His injuries are serious, and he will be taken to his home in London in a day or two.

FRENCH RULERS CHOOSE PREMIER AS CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENCY

Millerand Is Choice of Caucus of Senate and Chamber of Deputies.

TWO WITHDRAW NAMES

Leon Bourgeois and Raoul Peret Declare Themselves Out of Running.

Paris, Sept. 22.—By the Associated Press.—Premier Alexandre Millerand was chosen as a candidate for the presidency to succeed former President Deschanel, who resigned as chief executive of the republic because of ill health, by the joint caucus of the members of the senate and chamber of deputies in the senate chamber this afternoon.

TWO DECLARED OUT

Paris, Sept. 22.—Two of the candidates who were prominently mentioned as possible successors to Paul Deschanel in the presidency of the republic, declared themselves out of the running. These were Leon Bourgeois, president of the republic, and Raoul Peret, president of the senate and chamber of deputies, respectively of the senate and chamber of deputies.

M. Bourgeois authorized the definite announcement that he had declined to be a candidate and M. Peret declared he would not run against Premier Millerand for the office, which M. Deschanel formally resigned yesterday because of ill health.

Before Premier Clemenceau left Paris last night on his hunting trip to India he remarked to one of his former co-workers, according to the Parisian press, that he regarded Premier Millerand as the man best qualified for representing France in the eyes of foreign peoples.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE TO MAKE FINAL ATTEMPT TO INDUCE GOVERNMENT TO GRANT DEMANDS OF MINERS

Union Committee Will Confer With Lloyd George Today—Action Will Depend Upon Premier's Attitude At Interview—Strike Will Start Monday Unless Some Concessions Are Made.

London, Sept. 22.—Another attempt to induce the Government to grant the demands of the coal miners of the country for an increase in wages was decided upon today by the Triple Alliance, comprising the miners, railwaymen and transport workers.

At a meeting of five hundred delegates of these unions this decision was reached, and a committee was appointed to visit Premier Lloyd George late today. Upon the outcome of this interview the action of the alliance will probably depend. The hopes for averting a strike of the miners, to begin next Monday, hang upon the course the alliance decides upon. Another meeting of the delegates will be held tonight to hear the premier's reply.

GRAIN CUTTING IS COMPLETED IN THE PRAIRIE PROVINCES

Winnipeg, Sept. 22.—(By the Canadian Press).—Grain cutting was practically completed in the prairie provinces last week, according to the last crop report issued by the Canadian National Railways and the threshers are now busy finishing up the work of saving a very satisfactory crop.

In the Red River Valley farmers turned their attention to fall plowing as soon as they got their threshing done, and in some localities 50 per cent of this work has already been done. Marketing of grain is being deferred in order that this important work shall not be interfered with.

DETROIT POLICE DRAGGING RIVER TO FIND PASSENGER

Motor Car Co. Passenger.

Offer \$8 Per Day For Farm Labor

Great Dearth of Help in Tobacco Fields At Duart.

Duart, Sept. 22.—There is a great dearth of laborers in the vicinity. As high as \$8 per day is being offered for help in the tobacco fields, with but few to supply the demand.

Miss Jessie M. Thomson and Miss Rosa Shular are in attendance at the London Normal School.

Morris Jeffords has on exhibition two potatoes dug from his own patch, one weighing 2 pounds and 3 ounces, and the other 2 pounds and 1 ounce, eight tubers making a peck. The two are but a sample of the whole field.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Layman recently took a trip to North Bay, where they spent two weeks with Mrs. Layman's father, A. J. O'Brien.

Tenders are again being asked for for the purchase of 25 No. 2. The salary attached is not sufficient to make an eager demand for the position.

WOMEN MAY HAVE TO PAY THE TAX

Move To Make Them Liable For Statute Labor.

That equal rights entail equal responsibilities may be the basis for a movement to make women liable for the statute labor tax. At present the tax is levied on all male citizens between the ages of 21 and 60 who are not exempted by law. The tax is drawn up long before woman suffrage was thought of. Now that the tax is levied on all male citizens, it is also the possibility that they will have to pay the tax.

OWEN CAMBRIDGE VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA

Owen Cambridge of 150 Rectory street died at his home early today, following a brief illness with pneumonia. Mr. Cambridge had also been troubled with aneuria for some time. For a period of thirty years he had conducted a grocery store at the corner of Rectory and Lovett streets.

He was 58 years of age, and is survived by his widow, and five daughters, Mrs. T. Richardson of this city, Mrs. Keith Lusk of Elgin, Sask., and Mrs. May and Irene living at home. One son, Robert, and two brothers, George and Jack, Cambridge, are also living. His wife, Mrs. Angus Buchanan of this city, is a sister.

The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon from his residence to Woodland Cemetery.

MACSWINEY IS NOW CHAMPION "FASTER"

Exceeds Record of Famous Dr. Tanner.

London, Sept. 22.—Terence MacSwiney, lord mayor of Cork, today began the first day of his hunger strike at Brixton Prison, there being no change from his condition yesterday, according to the report of the physician at Brixton Prison to the home office. No reference was made in the report to the prisoner either accepting or refusing nourishment.

The morning bulletin issued by the Irish self-determination league said that the lord mayor slept quite well during the night and that, as a consequence, he was somewhat refreshed this morning. The condition of prostration which lasted throughout yesterday was said to have been somewhat relieved.

"BLACK AND TAN" POLICE SHOOT LIMERICK MAN

Dublin, Sept. 22.—County Councilor Lynch, a prominent Limerick man, was shot dead this morning in his hotel apartment in the heart of Dublin. His assailants are alleged to have been "black and tan" police.

The murder took place at 3 o'clock this morning, according to the Press. The victim was shot in the chest and entered the hospital, the Royal Exchange Hotel, and going prostration in the room of their intended victim, shot him dead.

TROPICAL STORM NOW SWEEPING LOUISIANA

Weather Bureau Predicts the Hurricane Will Soon Diminish in Intensity.

Washington, Sept. 22.—The centre of the tropical hurricane passed into the Gulf of Mexico last night, and is now over northern Louisiana, the weather bureau announced early this morning. The storm was said to be diminishing in intensity.

New Orleans, Sept. 22.—The tropical storm reported to be sweeping slowly toward the city, has now reached the mainland in this vicinity early today. Weather bureau indications were that the greatest force of the hurricane would be felt on the coast east of the Mississippi River, probably during the day.

No loss to shipping has thus far been reported here. Traffic on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, however, was at a standstill, one bridge having been washed out near here, while the tracks were reported under water at several points.

Trees were uprooted, windows were broken and signs were blown down by the wind here. One unidentified man was killed by a falling power line. Considerable damage from the high winds and tides was reported from coast points east of here, the wind at Bay St. Louis and Chefmeton having been estimated at 60 miles an hour during the night. In some localities wires were down or out of commission.

U. S. NAVAL OFFICER SAYS CRUISER NOT VIOLATING TREATY

Washington, Sept. 22.—The United States coastguard cutter, Chillicothe, which is cruising on the St. Lawrence River, carries no armament which would violate the provision of the treaty with Great Britain concerning armed vessels on the waters between the United States and Canada. It was stated today by Commodore Reynolds, commander of the coastguard service, that the Chillicothe is not in violation of the treaty with Great Britain concerning armed vessels on the waters between the United States and Canada. It was stated today by Commodore Reynolds, commander of the coastguard service, that the Chillicothe is not in violation of the treaty with Great Britain concerning armed vessels on the waters between the United States and Canada. It was stated today by Commodore Reynolds, commander of the coastguard service, that the Chillicothe is not in violation of the treaty with Great Britain concerning armed vessels on the waters between the United States and Canada.

ARE CRACKSMEN COMING HERE?

Bad Gang Reported On Way West After Robbing Buffalo Store.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Buffalo, Sept. 22.—Burglars who used high speed drills to cut through the steel doors of the safe in the shoe store of Clifford B. Marsh, 475 Main street, last night, and carried off Liberty bonds and cash amounting to more than \$2,000, are believed by police to have crossed the border into Canada, and are working their way toward Detroit.

More than \$600 worth of the Liberty bonds were owned by employees of the store. One young woman clerk is said to have been the owner of \$400 worth of them.

Employees discovered the burglary when they opened the store for business. The door of the safe had been cleanly cut and the papers, cancelled checks and account books were scattered on the floor.

Entrance was gained by cutting away one of the steel bars of a rear window. The lock on the window was then broken and the burglar stepped into the office. Protected by a partition that shielded them from observation from the street, they worked in comparative safety.

After the safe had been opened, the burglar turned the key in the lock and drawers in the office desks. Very little of value was found, but just as a first belief the burglar was about to leave, he was stopped by a man who had been in the store. The man, who was a check book several of the firm's checks that had been signed in blank by Manager Watson, was being wanted by the police. The man, who was a check book several of the firm's checks that had been signed in blank by Manager Watson, was being wanted by the police.

GREAT BRITAIN TO REQUIRE MILLIONS OF BUSH OF GRAIN

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—An estimate of Great Britain's probable requirements in imports of wheat, barley and oats during the next twelve months, furnished the Department of Trade and Commerce by Trade Commissioner Harrison Watson, give the following totals: Wheat, 1,000,000 bushels; Barley, 500,000; oats, 600,000.

The estimates are based on the official forecast of the United Kingdom yields, which have since to be confirmed by actual results.

Big Flax Yield Means Wealth For Indians

Many of Them Making \$25 Per Day in Northern Districts.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Blyth, Sept. 22.—If Alexander Pope were on earth again he would have to scrap his famous quotation: "Lo, the plowman sows the seed, the Indian sows the corn." At least those in this section who want to pull flax are not. They are getting from \$20 to \$25 a day, depending largely upon the size of their families and the amount of land they have. Prices for flax pulling this season have ranged from about \$18 to \$20 per acre, and as one of the largest crops on record to be harvested, the Indians have had things pretty well on the way.

All through the northern townships flax has been grown abundantly. Over 40,000 acres there will be about 400,000. Around Wingham there will be 500 acres, and at Seaford will onto 400 acres, not to mention heavy crops around Stratford district.

Many of the Indians have been making more money than they ever made in their lives before, and they are spending it freely. It sometimes seems as if rather out of place to see an Indian maiden in a calico dress out pulling flax in a pair of white shoes that cost \$10 or more. However, the money is the Indians to spend as they see fit, and they are buying just what they want for their fancy.

MASHER FINED \$10 AND COSTS

Rocco Morro Followed Girls He Did Not Know and Spoke To Them.

Another master was added to the Carling street honor roll today when Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon fined Rocco Morro, 236 York street, \$10 and costs for his conduct toward two local girls last night.

Sergeant Thomas Lucas followed two girls along York street, and stopped them near Wellington. When the young women informed the officer that they did not know the youthful swains, he arrested them, but released one when the victims of the mashing declared that he took no part in the conversation.

The girls later identified Morro as the person who asked permission to accompany them home.

"I did not speak to three girls," declared the prisoner. "The sergeant was too far away to believe everything the girls said. We were walking by fast and the girls asked us what was our hurry."

Morro paid his fine, thus escaping the option of a ten-day term in jail.

Elanche Henderson, charged as a vagrant, was allowed her freedom on suspended sentence after appearing several days in jail.

Lewis Slobosky disregarded the signals of Traffic Officer East at the main corner recently and as a result answered a police court summons today. When informed by the court that the traffic officer directed traffic any way that he wishes, and that motorists must obey such directions, regardless of their position, Slobosky seemed quite surprised. As his offence was not intentional, the magistrate dismissed him with a warning and no repetition.

Albert Bous broke a city bylaw recently and the court broke the sad news to him this morning to the tune of \$2 and costs. Thomas Hull pleaded guilty to a charge of reckless driving and paid a fine of \$10 and costs. He was arrested following a motor car accident downtown last week, when several pedestrians were endangered.

FOREIGNER COMMITS SUICIDE BY LEAPING UNDER LOCOMOTIVE

Saskatoon, Sask., Sept. 22.—By leaping from the side of a G. T. R. locomotive that was travelling at 60 miles an hour, an unidentified man, apparently a foreigner, committed suicide near Arrow River, Man., according to members of the train crew on arriving here.

At a water tank, he climbed aboard the engine, and when the train had gathered top speed, he crawled along the footboard and jumped. He was instantly killed.

JAP PREMIER HOPES FOR EARLY SETTLEMENT OF U. S. CONTROVERSY

Tokio, Sept. 22.—Hope that negotiations between the Japanese and American Governments over the California question would reach a settlement, in view of the historic friendly relations between the two countries, was expressed by Premier Hara in addressing provincial governors here yesterday. He declared he could not make any definite statement as to the progress of the work.

What's Doing Tonight?

LOEW'S—Ethel Clayton in "The Ladder of Lies" and vaudeville.

GRAND—Rio Grande.

PATRICIA—Sensational Hayaka in "The Devil's Claim" and vaudeville.

ALLEN'S—All-star cast in "Why Change Your Wife?"

OTHER EVENTS.

St. John's Chapter, Royal Arch Meets tonight.