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#### HERRIOT REFUSES TO FORM MINISTRY.

PARIS, June 5. Edouard Herriot, Radical leader, has declined to undertake the formation of a Ministry to succeed the Poincaré Cabinet. It was announced this evening. President Millerand offered the Premiership to M. Herriot, which he did after taking the advice of the President of the two Houses of Parliament. M. Herriot raised the question of the President's continuation in office. President Millerand reiterated his determination to remain for the full constitutional term and M. Herriot then declined the task of forming a ministry.

#### HERRIOT APPEALS FOR BRITISH AND U. S. SYMPATHY.

PARIS, June 5. Edouard Herriot, leader of the Radicals, and potential Premier of France, in a luncheon address before the Anglo-American Press Association of Paris yesterday, made a strong plea for British and U.S. collaboration and sympathy to aid him in the task of directing the new Government. At the same time he asked the Press of both countries to cooperate with him by assuring their readers he was not exactly an anarchist or a Communist. "Radical Socialism does not mean what you think, but only is equivalent of democracy."

#### SOUTH AFRICAN CHAIRMAN.

LONDON, June 5. Prime Minister MacDonald announced in the House of Commons this afternoon that Justice Feetham, of South Africa, would be Chairman of Irish Boundary Commission.

#### RAILWAY SHOPMEN STRIKE.

LONDON, June 5. An unofficial strike broke out today among the shopmen at the London electrical railway workshops and on the Great Western Railway. The men demanded ten per cent increase in their weekly wages, with a minimum of three shillings, the inclusion of 16 shillings a week war bonus in their present wages, and one week's holiday on full pay. The suddenness of the strike, which became effective last night, caused considerable inconvenience to thousands of workers using the stations in the north of London affected by the strike, and the inconvenience spread later in the morning to the underground system where only a skeleton service was maintained. This morning forty

tube stations were closed, because many of the employees at the big Chelsea power station ceased work in sympathy with the strikers. The National Union of Railway men has not officially recognized the strike and has appealed to its members to remain at work, but there is fear that the movement will spread as a crisis has developed in connection with the demands made by the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen which is holding the final session of its annual conference today. The members of this Society threaten strike action unless the Railway Companies abolished certain classifications.

#### JAP AVIATORS KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

TOKIO, June 5. Five naval aviators were killed by the explosion of the fuel tank on a hydroplane of the 75 type this morning. The entire personnel aboard the craft died almost immediately.

#### FURTHER RADIO EXPERIMENTS TO BE MADE.

LONDON, June 5. Further tests in radio telephony between Australia and England are to be made next Sunday. Monday and Tuesday, on wave length of 100 metres and using about thirty kilowatts, according to the Daily Mail's Sydney correspondent.

#### POG MADE TRIP IMPOSSIBLE.

TOKIO, June 5. Captain Georges D'Oisy, French aviator, who reached Taikoo, Korea, yesterday on his flight from Paris to Tokyo, made a second attempt to fly to Japan, but was compelled to return to Taikoo owing to dense fog. It is reported he will make another attempt Saturday.

#### CLERGYMAN MURDERED.

LOWELL, Mass., June 5. Rev. Michael C. Gilbride, Pastor of St. Mark's Church, in Collinsville, District of Dracut, four miles from here, was shot to death at the home of John King, Sr., in that town today. Capt. David Petrie, of the Lowell police, was seriously wounded while pursuing John King, Jr., who was arrested and charged with murder.

#### DEATH RAY INEFFECTIVE.

LONDON, June 5. The "deadly power of the death ray" failed to materialize in recent government tests, the House of Commons

was told last evening by William Leach, Under Secretary of the Air Ministry. During the tests, he said, one of the Ministry's experts placed himself in the path of the ray only ten yards from the point of emanation. If the inventor's claim had been borne out he ought to have disappeared, but the Under Secretary was pleased to report he was doing nicely and showed no signs of suffering.

#### YACHT RINNERS WOUNDED.

NEW LONDON, Conn., June 5. Three men, including the Captain of the rum laden yacht Verelst, of New York, were wounded, one severely, when the Coast Guard cutter Somersford fired on the vessel which attempted to escape capture eight miles southeast of Block Island last night. The Captain and thirteen members of the crew who refused to give their names, were held for trial. The Verelst sailed out of Newport early yesterday, taking a cargo of 1,300 cases of champagne, whiskey, and alcohol valued at \$100,000. At rum row, off Montauk Point, according to members of the crew, a blank shot failed to halt the craft and four solid shots failed to hit the mark. The next two shots one of which exploded over the pilot house and the other hit the house, injuring the captain and two of the crew, halted the ship.

#### Majestic Artists Win Great Applause

Misses McShane and Habel continue without interruption to increase their popularity as entertainers. Last night, despite the interest manifested in the election counts, another large audience greeted the Majestic artists. Their programme was all that could be desired, each item calling for another, so much so that the talented ladies were forced to respond repeatedly to the requests for additional numbers. The violinist was never heard to better advantage, her rendition of the "Rosary" winning the admiration of all. The feature "Just Outside the Door" was likewise appreciated. Edith Halor, the star, recently won a universal popularity contest in which several of the greatest actresses had entered. In accepting the principal part in "Just Outside the Door" she instantly won place and fame in the film world seldom attributed to few in the profession. The Majestic comedy was very much enjoyed and the whole show pleased the patrons immensely. It will be repeated to-night, also tomorrow afternoon and night.

#### Carpenters' Local Union, 1320, U.B.

The eighth annual session of Local Union 1320, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America was held in the L.S.P.U. Hall, Duckworth Street, Tuesday evening. Reports presented show the Union to be in a good position financially. A large number have joined the past year and many transferred to the United States. By correspondence submitted from some of them it is very encouraging to note they are making one dollar and thirty-five per cent. Bro. H. Taylor, P.P., was appointed chairman to conduct the election of officers. In a short address he thanked the members for the honour conferred upon him. The election was as follows:—President—E. Horwood, re-elected. Vice-Pres.—J. Monch, re-elected. Rec. Secy.—E. Day, re-elected. Fin. Secy.—A. Johnston, re-elected. Treasurer—J. Clark, re-elected. Conductor—T. McCarthy, elected. Warden—M. Delaney, elected. Trustees—H. Taylor, J. Myler, J. Jacobs.

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After a vote of thanks was tendered the chairman the meeting adjourned.

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#### Outward By Schem

The following have booked passage by the Schem, sailing for Liverpool to-day:—G. Burt, T. Crowther, Miss A. Horwood, Mrs. J. C. Joel, Miss T. S. Wells, H. W. and Mrs. L. Massarier, Lieut. Richard, Mrs. Richard, Rev. Mons. McDermott, H. Coxan, L. Larsen, Mr. Turk, Mrs. C. J. Fox, R. and Mrs. Hearder, Rev. C. and Mrs. Lench, T. E. Wells, F. Wells, T. R. Burt, Rev. H. Johnson, A. Foster, J. Meyers.

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#### Portia in Port

S.S. Portia, Capt. Connors, arrived from the Westward at 8 p.m. yesterday, bringing a large quantity of freight, and as passengers:—J. Bannan, Capt. and Mrs. White, Miss Bannan, H. S. Oakley, Rev. F. Thorne, R. L. Cowley, S. Kelly, M. Duggan and 4 steerage. Portia sails again on Tuesday next.

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Tweed Caps . . . . .	Reg. 1.10 98c.
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