

WITHDRAW FORCE FROM RUHR BASIN

Chancellor Mueller States That Main Cities Will Be Vacated Soon.

Berlin, April 12.—"Military action in the Ruhr basin is about to come to an end," said Chancellor Mueller in the course of a declaration before the national assembly which opened today. "All troops not indispensable will be withdrawn. Negotiations are going on with the allies for a three months extension of the occupation of August, 1919. The occupation of the main cities will end shortly."

The chancellor's declaration was a bitter attack on the French premier's action in the Ruhr by arguments already advanced in the German notes, and maintained that a democratic Germany was possible only if the Franco-German duel ceased and economic collaboration was undertaken seriously, instead of merely announced.

Lord Kilmarnock, the British charge d'affaires, and other diplomatic representatives began with a strong protest from the president Feinbach against the allied commission in preventing the upper Silesian deputies from attending the assembly. Here Feinbach denounced the entente for its "encroachment on the rights of the German people's representatives."

FREIGHT FOR U. S. CARRIED IN MOTORS

Cars Dash Thru Blizzard Between Port Huron and Detroit, to Relieve Congestion.

Sarnia, Ont., April 12.—While dozens of motor cars are fighting against a blinding snow storm somewhere between Port Huron and Detroit in their effort to reach this city to relieve the freight congestion on railway officials here tonight report that over a million dollars' worth of freight for the United States is at present tied up in the local yards.

The Grand Trunk officials tonight report that for places west of Sarnia there are nearly five hundred cars because of the strike of switchmen here, late today voted to call all switching crews employed in this city to handle passenger traffic out on strike tonight. About fifty switchmen are affected. It was said, however, that the strike situation was not materially improved today, the majority of Pennsylvania switchmen, who voted yesterday to return to work, having remained on strike.

Freight is congested and two steel plants employing a total of one thousand men were forced to close as a result of the strike.

U. S. GOVERNMENT TO ACT

Is Awaiting Further Information Regarding Railroad Strike Crisis.

Washington, April 12.—Determination of the government's course in the railroad strike crisis tonight awaited further information from field agents of the department of justice.

Attorney-General Palmer, after numerous conferences with government officials, said that a decision might be reached tomorrow adding that the "government would not shirk its responsibility."

Meanwhile, official announcement was made tonight at the White House that President Wilson would send to the senate tomorrow the names of nine members of the railway labor board created by the transportation act.

In discussing the attitude of the government in the crisis, Mr. Palmer declared that if federal action was taken, the government would not enter the controversy as a supporter of either the strikers or the railroad companies. Its action, he said, would be governed entirely by its responsibility to the people, "by whom the government was created and whom it was to serve."

Agents of the department reported L.W.W. fomentation in a score of trouble centres, officials declared. They were said also to have revealed that members of that organization were offering financial, as well as moral support, to the cause of the strikers—but the extent of this aid was not clear.

Federal district attorneys and field agents were instructed to deal with individuals and firms "making exorbitant profits out of the situation under the profligate states."

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FRENCH PREMIER EXPLAINS VERBALLY

Gives British Ambassador Precise Information on Intentions of French Ministry.

Paris, April 12.—The Earl of Derby, British ambassador to France, delivered to Premier Millerand at one o'clock this afternoon the British reply to the French premier's note of last evening. M. Millerand refused to discuss the contents of the note with the newspaper correspondent.

Immediately after receipt of the note, M. Millerand left to call upon President Deschanel, who had arrived at the Lyons station from a short holiday on the Riviera at 12.50 o'clock. The premier reached the Elysee Palace at 1.30. The note was immediately made the subject of discussion by the foreign affairs personnel.

The opinion was expressed freely that the incident was in a fair way to being settled and that the note delivered would prove to be the next to the last in the rapid-fire exchange of the past few days.

During the conversation, lasting over a half hour, between Premier Millerand and Lord Derby, after the conferences of ambassadors, the British ambassador, after handing in his government's reply to the last French note to Premier Millerand, asked M. Millerand for certain explanations which would give more precise information on the intentions of the French government. Such information was so simple and easy to give, says a semi-official note issued late this afternoon, that M. Millerand was able to supply it at once, without making it the subject of a written communication.

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Expenses of the Senate Were Third-Million Dollars

Ottawa, April 12.—(By Canadian Press).—Colonel C. P. Focke, vice president in the house of commons today told the cost to the country of the senate, during 1919, was \$3,652,293. This cost was divided as follows: Independence expenses, \$1,843; administration expenses, \$1,212; salary of Speaker, \$4,000; allowance for Speaker's residence, \$3,000.

NORTH OF ENGLAND IS NOT SOCIALIST

Organized Industrial Workers Find Little Attractive in Doctrines.

London, April 12.—(By Canadian Associated Press).—Parliament resumes today after a short Easter recess with an exciting program for the week, although the debate on Wednesday in the house of commons on the divorce bill may produce something interesting.

The most arresting domestic political feature of the moment is the result of the by-elections announced on Saturday, whereby the Coalitionists retained both the Stockport seats but lost the Dartford, Kent, constituency. In the Dartford contest, the successful Labor Socialist candidate was a young shop steward from the Woolwich Arsenal, and a comparatively uneducated man. On the other hand, the noted economist, Sir Leo Money, was defeated in Stockport on the Labor ticket with the local co-operative Labor candidate.

Several critics, including the anti-Coalition Times, the Coalition Telegraph, and the Coalition Manchester Daily, draw the moral that the organized industrial workers in the north of England had little to attract them in the Labor Socialist doctrines when these workers now have a stake in the country's prosperity in the way of owning their own homes and holding war saving bonds. The Dartford division, on the other hand, these commentators assert, contains a large number of voters, who often find it difficult to make ends meet, and consequently, are attracted by socialist doctrine.

Both Horatio Bottomley's independent "Lieutenant" and Aid. O'Brien, the Sinn Fein candidate in prison, who fought Stockport, will probably forfeit £150 each through failure to poll one-eighth of the total votes.

The Manchester Guardian ruefully reflects that the only party which has no ground for rejoicing over either Stockport or Dartford are the Liberals.

Hamar Greenwood, the new Irish secretary, who is being looked like having a walk-over in Sunderland, is now faced with Liberal and Labor opponents.

LAUNCHING MONTREAL UNIVERSITY.

Montreal, April 12.—The task of launching the University of Montreal into official being was commenced this afternoon, when the various committees to which are entrusted the task of building and guiding the new university met for formation purposes.

Officials Swear Allegiance To New Regent of Hungary

Budapest, April 12.—Army officers, judges and administrative officials swore allegiance to Admiral Horthy, Hungarian regent, here yesterday, taking the oath upon the constitution. The ceremony took place on the parade ground behind the palace in the presence of a great throng.

The text of the oath simply mentioned the constitution, and implied the former monarchical constitution was regarded valid.



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GUATEMALA REVOLT PROVES SUCCESS

Cabrera Government Overthrown After Severe Fighting in Various Cities.

Mexico City, April 12.—The Estrada Cabrera government in Guatemala has been overthrown, according to dispatches to the newspapers here. The revolutionists have formed a new government, with Carlos Herrera as president.

Advices to The Universal of Mexico City from Tapachula, state of Chiapas, say that the Unionist party is triumphant. The revolt began in the capital and spread quickly to the interior and principal cities. Firing in the capital continues, and the principal railroad is in the hands of the Unionists.

One report has it that Cabrera is a prisoner, and another that he is besieged in his home.

Great excitement prevails throughout the republic. Numerous Guatemaltecos are crossing the Mexican border to participate in the revolt.

Guatemala City Shelled; Many Civilians Killed

Guatemala City, April 12.—The long threatened revolution in Guatemala has broken out. Many non-combatants have been killed in Guatemala City, which has been under shell fire of the forces of President Estrada Cabrera since Thursday evening.

DEATH SUMMONS PRIMATE OF IRELAND

Armagh, Ulster, Ireland, April 12.—The Most Reverend John Baptiste Crozier, Archbishop of Armagh and primate of all Ireland, (Church of Ireland) died here last night. He had been ill for some time.

Archbishop Crozier was born April 1855, and was educated at Trinity College, Dublin. He became primate of all Ireland in 1911.

Manitoba Seeding to Be Late Unless Weather Improves

Winnipeg, April 12.—Seeding will be comparatively late this season in Manitoba, unless the weather remains fair and becomes much warmer. Prof. T. J. Harrison of the field husbandry department of the Manitoba Agricultural College, announced today.

Should really warm weather prevail for the balance of this week, seeding might become general by April 15 or 20, Prof. Harrison said.

SWEDEN'S KING IN ENGLAND.

Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, April 12.—King Gustave of Sweden arrived here this morning and later left for London. The king is on his way to the Riviera, and his visit to London will be unofficial.

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