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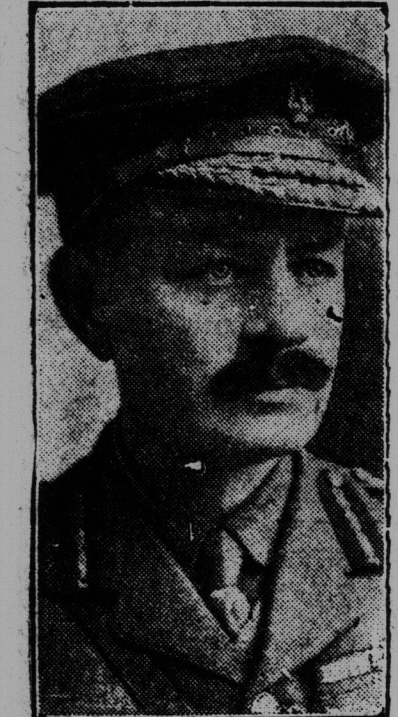
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TWELVE PAGES—ONE CENT

Preparing For Peace Between Bolsheviki Russia And Poland

MAY REPRESENT KING GEORGE IN CANADA.



Latest despatches from London mention General Lord Byng as the likely successor to the Duke of Devonshire as governor-general of Canada. Lord Byng was commander of the Canadians when they took Vimy Ridge and was very popular with the men.

Independence of the Polish State Demanded

Allied Officials Ordered to Leave Warsaw — Strong Attacks by Bolsheviki on the Bug River — British Soldiers Refuse to Unload Ammunition for Poles.

London, Aug. 2.—Two cardinal points which peace between Soviet Russia and Poland must include are the independence of the Polish state and the right of self-determination for the states east of the Polish frontier, according to a Warsaw despatch to the London Times.

LIGHTNING BOLT KILLS THREE MEN

Bulgarians at Niagara Falls Dead — Another Severely Burned.

Niagara Falls, Ont. Aug. 2.—This district was visited by a brief but severe electrical storm on Saturday afternoon.

THE JAPANESE OCCUPATION IN NORTH RUSSIA

Will be Carried Out in Spite of Other Nations' Protest, Cabinet Says.

Honolulu, Aug. 2.—The Japanese cabinet has decided to adhere to the policy of Viscount Uchida to occupy Northern Saghalin and Nikolaevsk, despite possible protests of other powers, according to a Tokio despatch.

POPE ISSUES CIRCULAR LETTER

Asks World to Celebrate in Honor of St. Joseph, Patron of the Universal Church.

Rome, Aug. 2.—Evil conditions confronting the world today are outlined in a circular letter issued to the church by Pope Benedict.

TURKISH PEACE TREATY WILL BE SIGNED THURSDAY

Paris, Aug. 2.—The treaty of peace between the Allies and Turkey will be signed on Thursday, according to newspaper here.

K. OF C. CONVENTION

New York, Aug. 2.—Delegates were arriving in large numbers today to attend the opening session tomorrow of the thirty-eighth annual convention of the Knights of Columbus.

LATE SPORT

New York, Aug. 2.—Shamrock IV, Sir Thomas Lipton's unsuccessful challenger for the America's Cup, was towed from her moorings in the Hudson River today to City Island to be dismantled and probably scrapped.

FREE RADIUM TREATMENT FOR CANCER

\$225,000 Appropriated for Purchase of 2 1-4 Grams of Mineral.

New York, Aug. 2.—Free radium treatment for sufferers from cancer will be administered beginning October 1, by the state institution for the study of malignant diseases at Buffalo. It was announced here today.

INCREASE OF BILLION AND HALF IN U. S. Freight Rates Will Go Up

83 1-3 Per Cent. on September 1 — Fifty Per Cent. Surcharge on Pullman Rates.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Readjustment of the whole rate structure of the United States transportation systems was started today with a view to putting into effect the new freight schedule.

LOCAL NEWS

RAILROADS. An old iron railing, which was struck and bent by a train, was fortunately nobody was in the vicinity at the time.

INSURANCE. The funeral of William T. Gibson was held on Saturday afternoon from his residence, 43 Duke street.

STREET PAVEMENT. Employees of the public works department commenced this morning laying a surface of concrete on the street between King street and the Commercial.

PHONE SERVICE AFFECTED. A few of the business and private phones in the vicinity of Union and Waterloo streets this morning were interrupted for a short time as a result of the cable of the N. B. Telephone company being changed.

TO NEW HOME. Lowell G. Myers, who was formerly manager of the marine department of T. McAvity & Sons and who recently accepted a position as sales manager of the Lunenburg Foundry Company of Lunenburg, N. S., left this morning with his family for their new home.

REFUGES FREED UNTIL COMRADES ARE RELEASED. Washington, Aug. 2.—Agnes V. Debe, Socialist candidate for presidency, refuses to be a free man—ever should his political friends succeed in getting him released—as long as "my comrades are held criminals and convicts."

GORED TO DEATH BY A HEIFFER. Belleville, Ont. Aug. 2.—Robert Watts, farmer of Wellington, Ont. died in Pictou Hospital as a result of being terribly gored by a two year old heifer, which Watts and Clarwin Harnes were driving along the road.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbloom, "do you like fog?" "I ain't aghur taking you like fog?" said Hiram, "an' a little more afore you'll be 'ere."

EXCHANGE RATE PREVENTS TRADE WITH RUMANIA

The Lei, Normally 19 Cents, Now Worth About Two—Considering Barter Policy.

Ottawa, Ont. Aug. 2.—Trade with Rumania is practically out of the question at the present time, owing to the exchange situation.

\$11,489 IN TAXES FROM AUTOMOBILES

Value of Those in City Is \$885,540 — The Douglas Avenue Crossing — New Retaining Walls.

At a committee meeting of the common council this morning, Commissioner Frink moved that a debit of \$600 for the installation of water and sewerage in Hawthorne avenue be paid out of maintenance.

NEITHER STREET CARS NOR MUSIC FOR DENVER

Operators of Cars and Musical Instruments on Strike—Both Want More Money.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 2.—Not a street car has been operated in Denver since five o'clock Sunday morning, when a strike of carmen employed by the Denver Tramway Co. was called.

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Ontario Man Commits Suicide in B. C. — Will on Back of Recommendation.

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IN WALL STREET

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Amundsen, at Nome, Is Provisioning His New Schooner. Nome, Aug. 2.—Captain Amundsen's schooner, the Maud, of which the explorer intends to leave in a few days on a try for the North Pole, arrived here Saturday from Sledge Island, near Nome, where, for two weeks, she has been riding out a storm.

To Demand Payment For Lumber Cut on City Land

Recommendation of Committee Which Investigated Alleged Cutting.

Ottawa, Ont. Aug. 2.—The committee of the whole council appointed to investigate allegations made against certain persons for cutting and removing lumber from the city's lands surrounding the watersheds of Loch Lomond and Lake Latimer reported this morning as follows:

THREW CAROLIC ACID TO SPOIL HIS GOOD LOOKS

Police Say Widow of Sokolowsky Confessed to His Murder — Letter From Another Woman.

New York, Aug. 2.—Mrs. Alexander Sokolowsky, widow of Frank Sokolowsky, was arrested here last night charged with the murder of her husband at their home at New Haven, Conn., on the morning of June 28.

ORDERED TO PRODUCE BOOKS

New Jersey Prosecutor Anxious to Learn More About Ponzis' Business Methods.

JUMPS INTO LAKE AND DROWNS

Man Overboard From Boat Between Niagara and Toronto.

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Toronto, Aug. 2.—A man jumped overboard from the Canada S. S. Line steamer Cayuga last evening shortly after the boat had left Niagara-on-the-Lake on its way to Toronto and was drowned.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries, U. S. S. S. S., director of meteorological service.

Toronto, Aug. 2.—Since Saturday morning the area of high pressure which was over Manitoba has spread eastward over the Great Lakes, causing fair, cool weather in Ontario and Quebec.

Clearing Tomorrow. Maritime—Moderate winds, unsettled, with showers today, clearing tomorrow.

Temperatures. Toronto, Aug. 2.—Highest during the day, 8 a. m. yesterday night.

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Precautions to Prevent Further Taking of Wood — A More Stringent Patrol to Be Inaugurated.

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NOT GUILTY OF BIGAMY

Ontario Man Who Elopel With 17-Year-Old Girl Is Freed — Was Not Legally Married Before.

Woodstock, Ont. Aug. 2.—Demetrius Valdes, a Beachville stockbroker, who was a prominent labor leader, was a handsome man and she wanted to spoil his good looks, after she found a letter written him by some other woman.

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