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June 12, 1925

Great Britain Threatened With a General Coal Strike

Liberals and Labour Seek an Understanding to Avoid Three-Corner Contests—British Columbian Started for the Pole Yesterday—Four Local Unions Reject Besco Proposals.

TO AVOID THREE-CORNERED CONTESTS.

LONDON, June 22. According to the Westminster Gazette discussions are proceeding among members of the moderate section of the Labor Party in Great Britain on the question of the possibility of an understanding being reached between the Labor and the Liberal Party to avoid three-cornered contests in the next general election.

MINERS' STRIKE IN BRITAIN POSSIBLE.

LONDON, June 22. A possible general strike in the coal mining industry in Great Britain is being considered. Unless some compromise is reached in the next few weeks a strike or lockout is almost certain, with resultant peril to the trade of the country. The miners' federation will hold a final conference of delegates from all Britain in London on July 3 to consider action.

STARTS FOR NORTH POLE.

LIVERPOOL, Eng., June 22. Grettir Alagarsson, the Victoria, B. C. explorer who has been planning an effort to reach the North Pole in a small dirigible, started from the Mersey this afternoon in what he said was to be an attempt to reach the farthest north.

ANTHRACITE DISPUTE NEXT.

NEW YORK, June 22. Representatives of 150,000 anthracite coal miners of Pennsylvania will meet in Scranton, Pa., on June 29th, and formulate demands to be served on the supply committee of anthracite operators for embodiment in a new agreement. The present agreement expires August 31st. Advances which have reached New York indicate the Corporation will probably ask for a 15 or 20 percent decrease in wages

and the miners for a ten per cent increase. If both sides adhere to the apparent programme, suspension of activity in the hard coal fields is likely to occur on September first, but no protracted strike is expected.

SAMEEN PREPARED FOR EMERGENCIES.

CANTON, June 22. Sameen, the artificial island which is Canton's foreign settlement, today was in a stage of siege. Two gunboats, one British and one French, had a commanding position in the creek separating Sameen from the city. All approaches to the island were fortified with piled-up sand bags and quick firing guns, testifying to the preparedness of the foreign forces for emergencies.

GOOD WHEAT CROP EXPECTED.

WINNIPEG, June 22. Heavy rains during the last two weeks together with the moderately cool drying weather of the past few days have combined to hold out promise for an exceptionally good wheat crop throughout the prairie provinces. This likelihood of a large crop has given rise to a very optimistic spirit, but it is in itself no guarantee of prosperity, as the value of the crop to the Canadian people is dependent upon world supply.

BRITISH STEAMER AFIRE.

HAVRE, France, June 22. Fire to-day aboard the British steamer Lowther Castle, anchored here, destroyed almost two thousand tons of cotton, lumber and grain and damaged the vessel.

A COSTLY COMMITTEE.

OTTAWA, June 22. The special committee of the House of Commons which investigated the Petersen ship subsidy contract has cost in operation to date \$13,454 exclusive of Counsel's fees. A statement filed in the House to-day shows the

services of Auditor Gordon Scott, Montreal, who audited the shipping cost books for the committee, involved an expenditure of \$1326 and printing costs of \$3506.

NOT ONE VOTED OUT.

TORONTO, Ont., June 22. The Church Union Bureau of Information to-day issued the following statement: "A total of 43 congregations in Manitoba and New Brunswick reported as voting yesterday to remain in the United Church of Canada. Not one Church is reported to have voted out." The voting in these two provinces is by show of hands at congregational meetings.

TO AID AGRICULTURE.

OTTAWA, June 22. The Government's rural credit legislation received a first reading in the Commons to-day. The resolution on which the bill is based provides that the Government may advance money to the sum of ten million dollars to pay one or more of the Provincial Governments for the purpose of assisting agriculture by enabling the Province to make terms of loans to farmers. The advance, it is provided, shall be secured by issue and delivery of bonds of the Provincial to the Dominion Government.

BESCO'S PROPOSALS REJECTED BY SOME UNIONS.

SYDNEY, N.S., June 22. Interest in the British Empire Steel Corporation's proposal for a settlement of the Nova Scotia coal problems attaches at the moment to what International President J. L. Lewis, of the United Mine Workers of America, may say. Pending some word from him the local executive is remaining quiet and the Corporation is saying nothing. However, four of the local unions and the upwards of twenty in the province have rejected the proposals, mainly mechanics, Birch Grove, number 14, and on the mainland, Springhill. The heads of the local unions were supplied the copies on Saturday for their information. Sub poenas are being issued for the investigation into the shooting of William Davis, at New Waterford, on June 11, and this enquiry, together with the Supreme Court opening on June 30, when the trials of lodging charges will be held, share interest with any developments which might arise out of the settlement proposals. There is conjecture as to whether or not Hon. James Murdock or E. McQuirk, of the Federal Labor Department, may visit Cape Breton to renew Mr. Murdock's attempts at conciliation. Interest in Thursday's Provincial elections largely overshadowed the minor developments of the past few days in the commercial-industrial situation. Five men, who are charged with interfering and illegal picketing came up before Stipendiary Magistrate Nicholson to-day at Glace Bay, and were remanded until next Monday.

BALLOTING SATISFACTORY.

WINNIPEG, Man., June 22. Returns are very gratifying, declared Rev. Dr. J. A. Cormie, chairman of the Manitoba Presbyterian Committee which handled the Church Union balloting in this province.

SOCIALISTS ARE DIVIDED.

PARIS, June 22. Socialist members of the French Chamber of Deputies are as uncertain as ever whether to break with Premier Painleve. A poll of 104 Socialists resulted in some voting to withdraw support from the Cabinet while thirty-five favored partial assistance to the Government.

MARTIAL LAW MAY BE DECLARED.

SHANGHAI, June 22. It was reported to-day that General Chang Hsuen Liang may declare martial law in the Chinese districts adjoining the foreign settlement.

APPLICATION GRANTED FOR POWER PROJECT.

WASHINGTON, June 22. The International Joint Waterways Commission decided to-day to grant the application of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission to construct a power project at Grand Falls within a few miles of the international boundary.

Re-Opening Limestone Quarry

Passengers from the West Coast say that the limestone quarry at Port au Port leased by the Besco Co., which has been idle since July, 1924, may be worked for a couple of weeks to quarry and ship a sample cargo of stone it is said for the American market. This may not have any significance, but there are those who see in it if not a transfer of the property a hope at least that this sample lot may create a demand for the stone in the United States. The wish is no doubt father to the thought for while much may not be expected of a stone quarry in the ways of permanency of employment, yet this particular one has fallen so short of what was hoped for in it in this respect there seems slight chance for improvement, while in the hands of its present lessee.

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By EDGAR GUEST.

UBLY AND LUM.

On the road to Pointe Aux Barques, Situated in the Thumb, Is a narrow sign which marks Roads to Uby and to Lum; And I think as I go by I must visit them some day, Lum is toward the western sky Uby can't be far away.

Uby has a gurgling name Like the bubbling of a spring And I wonder whence it came. Lum is quite another thing, And I chuckle soft and low At those arrows, cold and dumb, Showing me the way to go On to Uby or to Lum.

Well I know, some summer day, As that arrow points I'll turn And go journeying down the way Where the lights of Uby burn; For those names are holding me Like a tune the minstrel's strum, And I wonder what can be In the little town of Lum.

So this ditty now I sing To those towns of Michigan, Whose quaint names have such a ring They've entranced this city man. Lovely Uby, very soon, As the arrow points I'll come, And before another June I must surely visit Lum.

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