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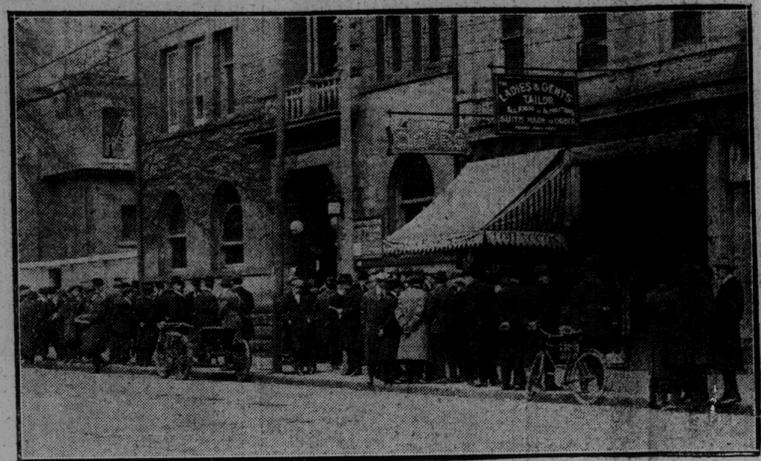
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COMPROMISE GIVES FIUME TO ITALY TWO YEARS HEUCE

CANADA TO HAVE PERMANENT STAFF AT WASHINGTON

Hon. N. W. Rowell Makes the Announcement in House of Commons.
CONTROL AERONAUTICS
 Bill to Create a Canadian Air Board Passes the Committee Stage.

Ottawa, May 5.—Canada is to be permanently represented at Washington. The question will remain, so Hon. Mr. Rowell told the House tonight, until a permanent representative is appointed. Sir Robert Borden is now conferring with the imperial authorities on the question. At the time, the house was in supply on a vote of \$50,000 for the Canadian war mission and representation at Washington. While approving of a Canadian representative at Washington, the leader of the opposition took the view that parliament should have been consulted. These were serious matters he argued, and not so simple that they could be dealt with by order-in-council. E. E. Armstrong of East Lambton, made a strong plea for joint control of ocean freight rates. Mr. Armstrong argued that unless some control of ocean rates were effected there would be serious interference with the development of Canada's overseas trade. Replying, Mr. Rowell said the question had already been taken up with the imperial authorities, and was being impressed on the attention of the British government. There was some discussion in committee on a government bill authorizing the creation of an air board to control aeronautics in Canada. Mr. Lemieux on the opposition and Mr. Cronyn on the government were in urging consideration of government ownership of air craft. Mr. Maclean, who had charge of the bill, said the government had not yet considered the advisability of such a course. The immediate intention was to control aeronautics in view of probable commercial developments. There was urgent necessity, Mr. Maclean went on.



STRIKERS AT THE LABOR TEMPLE
 More workers are on strike in Toronto today than ever before. The Labor Temple, Church street, is the headquarters of the various unions now out, and of others threatening to stop work. It is also one of the busiest spots in the city, as may be seen by the above photo, taken yesterday afternoon.

Fiume Problem Is Solved at Last Italy To Get Port in Two Years

London, May 5.—According to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Paris, the question regarding Fiume has been settled in full agreement with the Italian government on the basis that Fiume shall remain an autonomous port for two years, when it will be assigned to Italy. A despatch from Rome states that Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino started for Paris today.

STRIKERS GAIN STRENGTH OTHER TRADES AFFECTED

Meat Cutters Stand Solid—Allied Workers Considering Joining Movement in the Near Future—Packers Issue Statement.

The labor situation in Toronto has not improved within the last twenty-four hours. At the moment of writing the packing houses and the meat cutters are engaged in a strong fight, the packers avowedly to fight unreasonable demands and the meat cutters avowedly to fight for the principle of trade unionism. The metal trades strike is as bitter as ever, and the committee of the council has expressed the hope to reach all provincial centers by this evening. The bakers have won their fight without "letting any blood," and the bread drivers meet tonight to decide what action they will take with respect to agreements with the bakers. It was stated last night that the master bakers would accept their demands. Failing such action the drivers would go out on strike. The teamsters, who are making every effort to prevent foodstuffs from going into the plants affected, and it is understood that the freight handlers' union and the teamsters' union will do all in their power to assist the striking meat cutters in their desire to prevent foodstuffs from getting into the plants. The teamsters, seated upon an emotional volcano, and their meeting on Friday night may result in an enlargement of the present strikes.

Lou Braithwaite, business manager for the Meat Cutters' Union, stated last night that while it might not be correct to say that there were 500 returned soldiers in the union, there were very many of them, and all had decided to stand by the strikers. They had also expressed their intention of bringing the matter before their respective organizations, the G.W.V.A. and the G.A.C., at the first opportunity.

Frank Meegan, secretary of the William Davies Co., in a report for the five big packing houses concerned, stated last night that the packers had made every possible effort to avert a strike. There was no reasonable grievance, he said, as to wages, hours of work or conditions of labor. He stated that the working conditions were considered satisfactory. He further stated that the wages paid in the packing industry were higher than in other Toronto industries. The rates, he said, had been raised voluntarily by the company themselves, and such rates had been made from time to time during the war. The working time had been reduced to 48 hours, and at the same time the rates had risen to meet that exigency.

Continuing, Mr. Meegan stated that the Davies Co. had invited the employees to select a committee to discuss any dispute or grievance. Later, the five companies had decided upon a joint proposition, which was presented to the men, to select a committee of five, one selected by employees of each of the five companies, thus providing for direct negotiations between the employees and the companies.

Officials of the union pointed out yesterday that this proposal of the companies was entirely an inside arrangement, which ignored the principle of trade unionism.

Ask Government Interference.
 "Failing all other legitimate means of coming to an agreement with the Davies Co., we request the government to take over the packing industry in Toronto," said Lou Braithwaite, last night. "It is incorrect that the Toronto packing houses are doing their best for their employees. As a matter of fact, the working conditions are intolerable. Employees after working in the fetid atmosphere of the killing room are often told off to the cooling room, which averages a temperature of 32 degrees, without the opportunity of changing their clothes. Also the companies in Toronto have not the proper dressing-room facilities which are found in the Chicago and Omaha houses. In the

GREAT CONCESSIONS GRANTED BELGIUM

Premier Gives Reasons Why His Government Should Accept the Peace Treaty.

Brussels, May 5.—Premier Delacroix in a statement today in connection with the decision of Belgium to adhere to the terms of the peace treaty and sign the document, said: "We considered it impossible to withdraw from the conference, as our delegates have secured important results. The negotiations had arrived at a deadlock but the powers had granted us very great concessions, releasing us from loans contracted during the war amounting to 6,000,000 francs, while we shall have priority in receiving 2,500,000,000 francs, payable in gold and destined to cover inter-provincial bonds we were obliged to issue during the war."

The Belgian domestic loan had excellent results. It produced more than a billion francs. For the rest of the money we shall be able to borrow abroad and be able to rely on the support of the allies to enable us to participate in the inter-allied loans.

"Our task will be facilitated by the recovery of our debts from Germany and the fact that we are to receive 8,000,000 tons of coal from Germany annually for ten years, and also 40,000 horses and cattle in addition to dyes.

"As regards African questions, the treaty establishes principles which are a prelude to measures satisfactory to us."

Delacroix urged the necessity of the nation getting to work and economizing.

FIRE TRAPS MANY IN APARTMENT HOUSE

Columbus, O., May 5.—Fire in a downtown business and apartment building at midnight tonight unquestionably has trapped many persons, police say.

Scores of women who jumped from upper apartments of the seven-story building have been rushed to hospitals as seriously injured. Thirty minutes after the fire started police reported several dead and those trapped may run to 20 or 30. A dozen small children and babies in arms were tossed out of the windows.

SERIOUS BUTTER RIOTS OCCUR IN FREMANTLE

Thirty-two Casualties Are Reported—The Police Have to Use Bayonets.

From Reuter.
 Perth, Australia, May 5.—Serious riots broke out today on the wharves at Fremantle, a large crowd preventing the authorities from erecting barricades to protect the workers. Missiles were freely thrown at the police, who were armed with bayonets. There were 23 casualties, including 24 among the police. The riot act was read. One returned soldier was wounded with the bayonet. The trouble resulted from a shortage of butter, meat and potatoes.

AVIATORS HUNTING NEW AIRDROME ON "FOUR WIND" FIELD

In Present One, Only Easterly or Westerly Wind Will Allow Start.

NEW DEVICES INSTALLED

Raynam Puts in Control Attachment, and Hawker Two Heating Arrangements.

St. John's Nfld., May 5.—Balked by continued adverse winds and weather, Harry Hawker and Capt. Raynam, the British aviators seeking first honors for a trans-atlantic flight today joined forces in a hunt for a new airdrome site which will allow them to "hop off" with the wind in any direction. At present only an easterly or westerly wind can be of service because of the narrow "two wind" fields they are using.

For two hours the rival pilots searched for a site with enough room for a "four wind" field, but their search was fruitless. They plan an aerial reconnaissance for a new site unless conditions suddenly become favorable for the transatlantic "hop off."

As a means of relieving the physical strain to be met in the 20 hours or more of continuous flying required for the transatlantic flight, Captain Raynam has equipped his Martinsyde with a rubber band attachment by which the controls are set. Raynam's investigations said that the plane could be kept headed in the desired direction with lateral and longitudinal stability reasonably assured by adjusting the rubber bands to the "joystick" and rudder.

Hawker has installed two heating devices in his Sopwith hankar to keep the engine warm in constant readiness for instant flight. He announced that he has retained the two-bladed propeller tested a week ago.

GERMANS TO LEARN PEACE TREATY TERMS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Clemenceau to Preside Over Ceremonies—Fifty-Eight Allied Delegates and Six Germans to Be Present—Big Three Make Inspection—Orlando is Returning to Take Part in Historic Function.

Paris, May 5.—The time for handing over the peace treaty to the Germans was set today for 3.15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau and President Wilson visited the Trianon this afternoon to inspect the arrangements for the ceremony of handing over the peace treaty to the Germans. They expressed themselves as satisfied.

Premier Clemenceau will preside over the ceremonies Wednesday, and it is announced that the members of the press will be admitted. There will be 58 delegates from the allied countries and six German present.

Arrangements have been made for some 40 journalists to be present at the ceremony.

Vittorio Orlando, the Italian premier, and Baron Sonnino, the foreign minister, are to return to Paris, it is officially announced this afternoon. They will take a train from Rome for this capital tonight.

In the meantime it had been announced that Marquis Imperiali, the Italian ambassador at London, had been designated to participate for Italy in the meeting this afternoon of the executive committee of the league of nations.

The information regarding Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino came from the Italian ambassador in Paris. He transmitted it to the French foreign ministry, which immediately informed the heads of the allied press associated governments. The Italian representatives will reach Paris Wednesday morning, it was stated.

MURDER AND ROBBERY UNDER BOLSHEVIK RULE

Courts a Travesty, Judges Partisan, and Commission Has Power to Execute Without a Trial—Hundreds Murdered.

By the Associated Press.
 Bielski, Province of Orenburg, Russia, April 21.—The story of Bolshevik rule unfolded by the occupation by the Syrian army of a large section of territory, disclosed wholesale murder, robbery and persecution. Investigation by the Associated Press shows that a single instance of constructive work.

Throughout the district of Ufa, Bielski and Bugulma hundreds of citizens of the better class are small property owners are known to have been murdered; other hundreds have disappeared. The fate of seven hostages from Ufa, including Count Peter Tolstol, member of the first imperial duma, and several engineers is not known. The widow of a prominent physician of Bugulma, who had been in jail for five weeks charged with political activity, related that groups of her fellow prisoners were taken before an inquiry commission at intervals and from each group about one third the number were condemned to death, among them a priest, local government officials and hand owners. Prisoners were sent to the cemetery to dig graves for those who were executed. This woman, whose name is Varvara Andreyev, was released from the inquiry commission, but is organized anarchy, the autonomy of the commissioners surpassing the old time imperialism. The commission of opinion is that the Bolshevik government, the most imperfect, constitutes the nucleus of an administration which should be supported.

Discipline in the red army was maintained thru communists in whom confidence was reposed. One man was incorporated in every small unit. A word from him casting suspicion on his fellows was fatal.

In the opinion of the citizens of Ufa, including social democrats, who at first tried to co-operate, Bolshevism cannot be considered from a political standpoint, but is organized anarchy, the autonomy of the commissioners surpassing the old time imperialism. The commission of opinion is that the Bolshevik government, the most imperfect, constitutes the nucleus of an administration which should be supported.

CANADIAN TROOPS BACK FROM SIBERIA

Over Thousand Members of Expeditionary Force Arrive at Victoria, B.C.

Victoria, B.C., May 5.—With the first complete unit of the Canadian Siberian Expeditionary Force aboard, repatriated from Vladivostok, the C.P.R. liner Mont Eagle reached this port this evening. She brought across the Pacific 56 officers and 1026 men of other ranks. In addition to her military complement, the liner carried 36 passengers in the saloon. About noon the Mont Eagle arrived at Williamhead, and, owing to a case of scarlet fever on board, the ship was detained longer than usual by the quarantine officers. The entire military force on board will go to Vancouver, where the Canadian Siberian dispersal headquarters are located, arriving there some time tonight. It has been announced that the Mont Eagle returned today will be followed by two others on the Empress of Japan and Empress of Russia, the three sailings being sufficient to transport the expeditionary forces.

Building Two Million Bushel Addition to Pt. Arthur Elevator

Port Arthur, Ont., May 5.—A two million bushel addition to the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company terminal will be commenced next month. The present capacity is

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The Associated Press issues the following:
 The peace treaty formulated by the allied and associated powers is to be handed to the German delegates at Versailles Wednesday afternoon.

Definite announcement of the time when the Germans are to be made cognizant of the price that once imperialist Germany must pay for having instigated the world war at last has been made.

With peace measurably near by reason of this fact, there now also seems to be good basis for belief that the differences between Great Britain, France and the United States and Italy, over Italy's claims regarding Fiume and the Dalmatian coast may yet be settled with full accord.

Signor Orlando, the Italian premier, and his foreign minister, Baron Sonnino, are returning to Paris from Rome, where they have been since they quitted the peace conference

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more than a week ago, owing to inability to obtain what Italy considered concessions which would satisfy Italian ambitions.

With the Italian question settled, almost complete unanimity of sentiment should prevail in the peace conference. The obstacles represented by the protests of the Belgians have been surmounted by the Belgian crown council having decided unanimously to sign the treaty. It having been pointed out by the head of the Belgian delegation that the document gave honorable and satisfactory terms to Belgium.

China's protest against the award of Kiaochow to Japan and a number of smaller items are yet under discussion. The council of three sat Monday afternoon in an endeavor to settle the minor ones.

A plenary session of the peace conference is to be held Tuesday afternoon at which the peace treaty is to be presented to the smaller powers.

JAIL GUARD NOW BACK ON THE JOB

Had Been Suspended Following Interview Secured From Vera De Lavelle.

Guard Charles H. Spanton of the Toronto Jail, who was suspended from duty for eight days while the government authorities were trying to find the person responsible for allowing an evening paper reporter to interview Vera De Lavelle, a prisoner on remand, has been reinstated. Spanton was on the main door when the reporter gained entrance, and, thru Miss Soady, jail matron, was allowed to interview the Lavelle woman, who is charged with aiding and abetting Frank McCullough to escape from custody.

Spanton returned to duty last night. Whether or not he will be paid for the time he has been off duty could not be ascertained.

Judgment in the case of Miss Soady, also suspended when Spanton was temporarily discharged, has not been rendered.

FOUR TROOPSHIPS NOW ON ATLANTIC

Steamers, Bringing Seven Thousand Canadians, Include the Mauretania.

Ottawa, May 5.—Four transporters, carrying in all 7,375 Canadian troops, are now on their way across the Atlantic, according to advice received by the militia department. The Casandra, with 36 officers and 1,549 other ranks on board, sailed May 2, and should reach Quebec about May 11. The Mauretania and the Royal George both sailed on May 3. The former carries 150 officers, 3,658 other ranks and 16 civilians and will reach Halifax about the 8th. The Melita is also on the way across.

INTERNATIONAL NICKEL HAS PASSED DIVIDEND

New York, May 5.—Directors of the International Nickel Company today decided to omit the quarterly dividend on the common stock due at this time. Three months ago 50c a share was paid, which was a reduction from one dollar a share declared last November.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

Steamer	At	From
Geo. Washington	New York	Boston
Santa Ana	New York	Bordeaux
Las Saverie	New York	Have
Alfonso XIII	New York	Bordeaux
Cap. Filistera	New York	Brest
Carmania	Liverpool	New York

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