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Flames Cripple Fire Fighters Then Ravage Homes In Fairville

Fire Station and Equipment Burned, Gaiety Theatre and Several Dwellings Destroyed in Early Morning Conflagration.

NEW PREMIER OF GREECE MAN OF 80

Rhallis Has Succeeded in Forming Cabinet

Constantine for King in Declaration of Victorious Party—Plebiscite, Then Call Him Home.

Athens, Nov. 17.—George Rhallis, former premier, has succeeded in forming a cabinet to succeed the Venizelos government, defeated in Sunday's elections, and the new ministry is to be sworn in today.

Mr. Rhallis previously had informed Admiral Courmouris, the regent, that he would accept the task of forming a cabinet, but only after the resignation of the old government had been definitely announced.

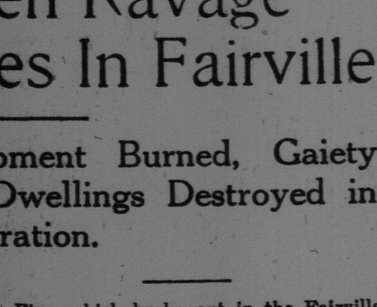
Athens, Nov. 17.—There are rumors that it is possible the Greek army which is supposed to be loyal to former Premier Venizelos may create the republic of Smyrna, in Asia Minor.

Athens, Nov. 17.—It is believed here that the Allies will be known to Greece their intention not to recognize Constantine should the ex-king be restored to the throne.

Athens, Nov. 17.—Constantine is our rightful king, said former Premier Gounaris, leader of the successful party in the Greek elections.

London, Nov. 17.—(Canadian Press)—Hon. E. G. Theodore, premier of Queensland, Australia, announces that the American loan offer was form 9 1/2 to 10 per cent.

As Hiram Sees It



"I see," said Mr. Hiram Hignbeam to the Times reporter, "that the partridges is getting mighty thick in Mouton-walkin' right into people's houses an' pokin' around as if they owned the place."

The fire broke out in the Fairville engine house at an early hour this morning, destroying the entire fire fighting equipment of the Lancaster parish.

The fire started in the engine house and evidently had been burning for some time before it was detected.

When the apparatus arrived from the city and Carleton the engine house, Gaiety Theatre and three dwellings were a mass of flames and every effort was then made to prevent the blaze from spreading.

The heaviest loss was that of the engine house, in which were kept a steam boiler and a telephone call was sent to Chief Blake of the city and another to district chief Clark of Carleton asking for assistance.

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Under the terms of the new ruling, regulation suits must be worn by both men and women.

LABOR MEN CALL HOOVER IN

Executive Council of A. F. L. Meets in Washington

Washington, Nov. 17.—Herbert Hoover, former federal food administrator, was called into conference yesterday by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor.

Mr. Hoover was invited to the meeting, it was explained, because of his wide knowledge of economic and industrial conditions in the United States.

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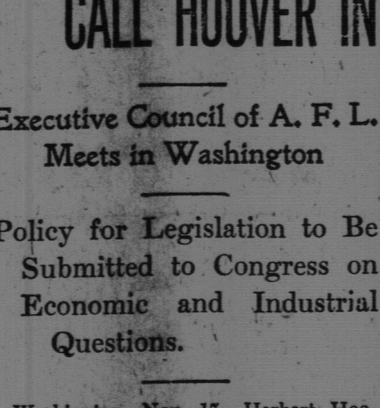
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Toronto, Ont., Nov. 17.—Sixty-five returned soldiers, who were employed temporarily at the Toronto post office and were recently discharged from the army.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Chicago will furnish the turkey for President-elect Harding's Thanksgiving dinner.

London, Nov. 17.—The British Columbia court of appeal yesterday declared to be ultra vires legislation enacted by the government of the province for the purpose of preventing the employment of Japanese under logging and timbering licenses.

THE NEW RAILWAY BRIDGE



PARTIAL ELEVATION LOOKING SOUTH: PROPOSAL TO PASS DOUGLAS AVENUE UNDER THE TRACK LEADING TO NEW BRIDGE OVER SAINT JOHN RIVER.

The above cut shows the present approach to the new railway bridge at the falls, and shows also that by extending the pusher grade 750 feet the bridge done, Douglas Avenue could be unmaking the grade any steeper than at present—only a little longer.

SAYS MERCHANTS' SECRETARY WRONG

Statement by Deputy-Minister Taylor on Matter of Luxury Stamps.

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—(Canadian Press)—There is absolutely no truth in statements alleged to have been made in Toronto by E. M. Trowen, secretary of the Retail Merchants Association of Canada.

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 17.—Fred Chase of Lower Durham, a fifteen-year-old boy, was instantly killed at Durham bridge, on the Nashwaak, yesterday afternoon.

London, Nov. 17.—Forty-four aviators, including many army, navy and Royal Air Force pilots, many of whom competed in the trans-continental air race and other endurance contests.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Loss in the Chicago-Burlington and Quincy mail car robbery here last Saturday night will total at least \$8,500,000 according to a story published by the Chicago Evening Nonpareil.

Montreal, Nov. 17.—Great enthusiasm marked the second luncheon in connection with the McGill Centennial endowment campaign, in St. Lawrence Hall yesterday.

Morristown, Pa., Nov. 17.—August Pasquale, self confessed kidnapper and slayer of 13 months old Blakey Coughlin, was placed on trial today.

London, Nov. 17.—Earl Curzon, secretary of foreign affairs, explaining in the House of Lords last night the government's Persian policy, announced that all the British troops would be withdrawn from Persia by next spring.

MAKE RETURNS OF THE NARCOTICS

Ottawa Order Affects Dentists, Veterinary Surgeons and Retail Druggists.

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—All dentists, veterinary surgeons and retail druggists who obtained supplies of narcotics in any quantity to administer directly or in connection with practice to their patients, are considered to be engaged in the distribution of these drugs.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 17.—While driving from Amherstburg to the Bremer Mond Works yesterday afternoon, W. E. Martin, general superintendent of W. R. McEachern & Sons, contractors, and Miss Batten, pal clerk, were held up and robbed of \$3,200.

St. John's, N. Y., Nov. 17.—Snow has been falling in this region since early Tuesday morning, highway and street car traffic is almost paralyzed.

St. John's, N. Y., Nov. 17.—Western New York is digging itself out today from a heavy blanket of snow and sleet to find wire communication badly crippled by the storm.

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HAITIAN CASE IN BRITISH COMMONS

Under Secretary Says No Request Made for Intervention.

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BOY KILLED ON THE NASHWAAK

Lad Engaged in Twitching Logs When One Fell on His Head.

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SOLDIERS OUT OF TEMPORARY JOBS

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WELL ON FOR THE SECOND MILLION

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ON TRIAL IN THE CASE OF COUGHLIN BABY

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BERNSTORFF TO GENEVA ON HUN MISSION

Geneva, Nov. 17.—Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, is reported due here at an early date.

GERMANS INVADE JAPAN FOR TRADE

Washington, Nov. 17.—More than sixty German merchants have arrived recently in Japan to solicit trade, according to advices to the department of commerce from Kioto.

WEATHER REPORT

Table with columns: Stations, 8 a.m., Highest, Lowest, Night. Lists weather for various locations like Prince Rupert, Victoria, Kamloops, etc.

Applications for admission into the air service of Canada have been coming steadily during the day to Lieutenant H. B. Stewart of Charlottetown, who is at the Royal Institute recruits for the mechanical branch.