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LENINE'S BODY LIES IN STATE IN MOSCOW

His Remains Carried Through Streets of Moscow on Shoulders of Comrades

Press Looks With Favor On MacDonald Ministry

LONDON, Jan. 23.—The new Laborite ministry certainly has no cause to complain of its reception by the London press, especially in view of the fact that all the papers with one exception strongly oppose the Socialistic tenets professed by the large majority of the ministerial party.

MINERS AND OPERATORS RESUME NEGOTIATIONS

Both Parties Will Make an Honest Effort to Reach an Agreement on the Wage Dispute—Conference Opened at Glace Bay.

SYDNEY, Jan. 23.—Negotiations looking towards a settlement of the deadlock between the Dominion Coal Company and the United Mine Workers Association were commenced at Glace Bay this afternoon.

Action to Remove Soldier Pension Board Officials

REGINA, Jan. 23.—Definite action was authorized last night by the Saskatchewan command of the Great War Veterans Association to obtain through the co-operation with every other provincial command in Canada the removal of the pension officials of the Department of Soldiers Civil Re-establishment which was described freely as a heartless, unsympathetic organization; also the sending of two hundred additional appointments to the British cabinet.

May Re-open Negotiations Re British Rail Strike

LONDON, Jan. 23.—The possibility of the re-opening of negotiations between the railway managers and executive committee of the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen as a result of the committee's request for a conference raised hope for an adjustment of differences today.

Condensed Specials

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REPORT MAKING MAY STOP WORK ON TOMB OF KING TUT

For New Schedule for 20,000 Employees of the C. N. R.

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—Progress in negotiations for a new wage schedule for the 20,000 Canadian National Railway employees included in the Canadian Brotherhood of Railroad Employees, was reported today by James E. McGuire, General Chairman of the Central Region grievance committee, who heads the negotiating committee for the men.

NEW LABORITE MINISTRY FORMALLY TAKES OFFICE

Premier MacDonald Calls First Cabinet Meeting at Which Party's Policy Will be Considered—Trouble in Conservative Camp.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—The Labor ministry, headed by J. Ramsay MacDonald, as Premier, formally took office at noon today. The members of the retiring Baldwin Government visited Buckingham Palace in the forenoon and shortly thereafter Premier MacDonald and his ministry arrived at the Palace and received the seals of office.

Firemen Overcome in Montreal Blaze

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—Damage to the extent of \$100,000 was caused here tonight by a fire that virtually destroyed the building and stock of the J. & A. Normandin dry goods store at 171 Notre-Dame street east. Several firemen were overcome by smoke.

Eastern Canada Held Responsible

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—Addressing the Rotary Club here today, Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, portrayed western Canada's need of railway branch lines and declared that a wide impression prevailed in the west that the failure of the branch lines bill to become law last summer was due to eastern Canada influence.

Mother and Four Daughters Perish in Fire

POTTSVILLE, Penn., Jan. 23.—The mother and four daughters, ranging in ages from one to sixteen years, were burned to death in a fire at Middleport, five miles from here, early today, when their home was almost completely destroyed.

FATHER HELD FOR BEATING INFANT RAKTIVAN TAKES VENIZELIS' PLACE ATHENS, Jan. 23.—M. Raktivan, who was minister of justice in the Venizelos cabinet in 1915, was elected president of the National Assembly tonight in succession to M. Venizelos.

British-American Rum Pact Signed by U.S.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The new rum treaty with Great Britain was signed today at the State Department. Senate ratification is required before the new arrangement which has the approval of British dominions, becomes effective, but there are indications that pending the formal approval the two governments tacitly will follow a more lenient policy toward each other in dealing with the liquor question.

Trial for Murder Sequel to Dance

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Jan. 23.—Anthony Hawco, Harbor Main, faced a jury today in the Supreme Court on trial for the murder of Michael Fewer, Chapel's Cove, on Sept. 2 of last year. Fewer and Hawco were said to have been in a mix-up at a dance following a garden party.

A Big Blizzard in Newfoundland

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Jan. 23.—With the temperature at 14 above and a gale of northwest wind, a blizzard, the eastern section of Newfoundland is in the grip of a real, old-fashioned blizzard. No advices have been received as to the full extent of territory covered by the storm.

Island Indian On The War-Path

MONCTON, Jan. 23.—The long period of quietness in police circles was broken last night shortly before midnight by the appearance at the police station of one Bernard an Indian, in a very excited condition. The visitor conveyed news of a big fight that had taken place on Pacific Avenue, in which several were stated to have been roughly handled. The particular circumstances of the fracas as related were verified by the police on their arrival on the scene.

Home Bank to Go to Government?

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—Representatives of the depositors of the Home Bank of Canada will meet the Dominion Government at Ottawa tomorrow morning and will urge that the Government take over the bank under conditions that will guarantee to the depositors 100 cents on the dollar and relieve shareholders of liability.

St. John Case in Divorce Court

FREDERICTON, Jan. 23.—Two cases were taken into consideration by Mr. Justice Crockett in the divorce court this afternoon after hearing the evidence. These were Gertrude Dunham vs. Murray Dunham, of St. John, and Etta Anderson vs. Sanford Anderson, in each case the plaintiff resides at Sunny Brae and the defendant in the United States.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc

RATES—2 cents per word each insertion. The annual meeting of the Springfield Egg Circle will be held in the Springfield Hall on Friday, Jan. 25 at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested. Signed, Walter T. MacKenzie, Secretary.

PROBING "RED" ACTIVITIES IN UNITED STATES

State Department is Submitting Evidence Before the Senate

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—State Department evidence regarding Communist activities in Russia and United States was concluded today before the Senate and Foreign Relations Committee with regard to charges of widespread propaganda in United States. Scores of documents and bulky newspaper files were submitted to prove the department's case. From information regarded as reliable by the State Department it was stated that William Z. Foster had received from Moscow \$165,000 for work among labor unions. Work by Communists among United States mine workers was charged and it was stated motion pictures had been extensively used to create agitation among the negroes which had been extensive it was declared.

Federal Garrison Joins Rebel Ranks

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Jan. 23.—The garrison at Monterey, capital of the Mexican state of Nuevo Leon revolted and went over to the rebels at five o'clock yesterday according to unofficial reports reaching here early today. Federal authorities at Matamoros opposite Brownsville, have ordered trains for Monterey to be held up.

DOCTOR HELD FOR STRIKING A GIRL

PICTOU, N. S., Jan. 23.—Dr. Duncan Murray, Pictou, will be given preliminary hearing tomorrow on a charge of assault upon the 19-year-old daughter of Chief of Police Morrison of Pictou. The alleged assault took place Thursday evening when it is charged the doctor struck the girl with a stick and knocked her down as she walked along the street with two other girls. Dr. Murray has been at liberty on bail of \$1,000.

Body in Glass Coffin Preserved in Alcohol

PARIS, Jan. 23.—For fifty years an obscure notary in the provinces, a man named Granet, has kept his father's body preserved in alcohol in a glass coffin in one room of his house. The notary's death has revealed the fact, and also that he wants to be placed in a similar coffin beside his father. The elder Granet's last request was that he be so preserved on the theory that his material presence would keep his memory alive much better. The son also wants to be kept in this gallery of the dead.

The Weather, Etc.

THE WORST LUCK THAT COULD HAPPEN TO A MAN WOULD BE TO HAVE THE SEVEN YEAR ITCH WHILE HE WAS MAKING OUT HIS INCOME TAX REPORT!



TORONTO, Jan. 24.—Maritime forecast: Fresh northwest winds, fair and somewhat colder. Temperature yesterday: Maximum, 24; minimum, 15. High tide this afternoon at 12:37 and tomorrow morning at 12:30. Sun sets this afternoon at 4:55, and rises tomorrow morning at 7:30. Last quarter moon Tuesday, Jan. 23, at 1:53 a.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.