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LENINE GIVES HIS VERSION OF THE SITUATION IN RUSSIA

Declares Russia is Ready to Repay Her Entire Debt to the World, Wants to Stop Fighting and Trade With England and United States.

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, March 22.—George Lansbury, editor of the Daily Herald, just back from a six months tour of Soviet Russia, granted today the first interview he has given since his return.

LLOYD GEORGE TALKS PLAINLY TO CALIPHATE DELEGATION

With Reference to Turkey's Claims for Justice the Delegates Were Assured She Would Have it as Austria and Germany Had it—Terrible but still Justice.

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, March 22.—Premier Lloyd George on Friday discussed the Turkish question with the Indian Caliphate delegation, headed by Mohammed Ali, who declared that Turkey should have all her pre-war territory restored.

THE EBERT GOVERNMENT RE-ESTABLISHED IN BERLIN

The Future of the Government is Beset With Many Difficulties. Debris of the Revolution Being Cleared up and the Results Tabulated. 3,000 Killed at Leipzig Alone. Fighting General Over the Country.

(Special to The Guardian.) BERLIN, March 22.—The Government of President Ebert, which left Berlin a week ago when Dr. Wolfgang Kapp and his reactionary troops entered the city, is again in power in the capital.

C. C. BALLANTYNE BANQUETED BY SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

Discusses Proposed Tariff Regulations Which Will not be Class Legislation But Will Cover Diversified Interests of Canada.

(Special to The Guardian.) MONTREAL, March 22.—Announcement that a new fiscal policy is ready and that it will be presented to the House of Commons on the return of Sir Robert Borden about May 1 was made by Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Marine and Fisheries on Saturday night in an address to members of the Canadian workers federation of returned soldiers and sailors who tendered the Minister a banquet in the Windsor Hotel here.

CANADIAN NAVY UNDERGOING IMPORTANT RADICAL CHANGES

500 Officers Being Demobilized, Ships Being Withdrawn from Commission and Others Laid up or to be Sold.

(Special to The Guardian.) OTTAWA, March 22.—Orders which will have the effect of demobilizing 500 officers and men now engaged in the Canadian naval service, of withdrawing ships from commission and placing the naval dockyards in charge simply of caretakers at the end of the present month, are reported here to have been issued by Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of the Naval Service.

AUSPICIOUS OPENING OF FUR AUCTION SALE

First Sale was a Beaver Skin Sold and Re-sold for the Laval University Building Fund. It Brought in all 13,750.

(Dom. Press Special.) MONTREAL, March 22.—The inauguration of Canadian Fur Auction Sale here today was marked by the sale of a beaver skin, which was sold for \$13,750 for one beaver skin.

Ebert Concentrating Troops

STUTTGART, March 22.—President Ebert is concentrating troops from south Germany against the Spartacists in the Ruhr Valley and announces he will attack unless the Reds relinquish control.

3000 Persons Killed at Leipzig

COBLENZ, March 22.—Three thousand persons were killed in the fighting at Leipzig before the Government troops captured the town, Friday, according to state reports.

Ebert Members Return Under Guard

(Dom. Press Special.) STUTTGART, March 22.—Remaining members of the Ebert Government, left here Saturday night for Berlin on a special train guarded by soldiers armed with machine guns.

BOMB EXPLODES NEAR BRITISH EMBASSY

LONDON, March 22.—A bomb exploded outside the British Embassy in Berlin last night as a naval division was marching past, it is reported from the German capital.

8,000 Persons Killed Since Revolt Began

BERLIN, March 22.—Conditions in Germany were described by the Ministry of Defence last night as extremely serious. You cannot paint the situation throughout Germany too black, an official at the Ministry declared.

Consuelo Will Now Get Her Divorce

LONDON, March 22.—Duchess of Marlborough who was Consuelo Vanderbilt of New York today was granted a decree restoring civil rights. The decree is effective in fourteen days.

THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON ETC.

TORONTO, March 22.—Moderate westerly winds, fair and mild. The tide will be high this afternoon at 12.32 and tomorrow morning at 1.24 and Thursday at 2.11.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

*A meeting of the Bangor Egg Circle will be held in the school at Morell East, on March 24th at 7 p. m. William Kerr will be present.

LORD MAYOR OF CORK WAS HONORED IN DEATH

Thousands Viewed the Body as it Lay in State and a Cortege Two Miles Long Followed Remains to Town Hall.

(Special to The Guardian.) CORK, March 22.—Thousands of persons resident in the city and from the surrounding country today passed through the city hall where the body of Lord Mayor MacCurtain who was assassinated early Saturday morning was lying in state.

Some Makers of Canada

Interesting and Entertaining Lecture by Hon. F. J. Nash Under Auspices of Caledonian Club.

There was a large and appreciative audience in the Caledonian Club rooms last evening to hear the Hon. F. J. Nash's lecture on "Some Makers of Canada."

Australia Increases Soldiers' Pensions

(Special to The Guardian.) MELBOURNE, March 22.—A Government repatriation bill, just introduced, raises the pensions of permanently disabled soldiers from four pounds weekly for four years to six pounds for a man with a wife and no children to six pounds for a man with a wife and three children.

Canadian Cattle Interesting France

(Special to The Guardian.) TORONTO, March 22.—Canada grand champion steers, Black Hecker, the winner at the Toronto fat stock show, and Roan Jasper the winner of the premier honor at Guelph winter fair, are creating quite a stir in France where they are now being exhibited.

Esquimalt Navy Yard to be Closed

(Special to The Guardian.) VICTORIA, March 22.—Esquimalt navy yard will be closed down on April 10th, the officers demobilized being allowed to join the fisheries service if they wish.

MEETING OF RETAIL MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION

A meeting of the Retail Merchants Association was held in the Board of Trade rooms last evening when a number of important matters were discussed.

CONDENSED SPECIALS

FOR SALE.—A COTTAGE. Apply 128 Hillsborough St. 7797-3-23ME31
FOR SALE A QUANTITY OF loose hay. Apply D. Darrach. 7795-3-23ME41pd
FOR SALE.—GUERNSEY grade cow. Apply C. B. McKay. East Royalty. 7794-3-23ME41pd
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