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Germany Makes List Of Allied Criminals(?)

BERLIN, March 6.—Germany's counter lists of war criminals, consisting chiefly of allied officers and men accused of mistreating German war prisoners is longer than the lists of accused Germans submitted by the allies, the Berliner National Zeitung said today.

Ottawa Timber Merchant Leaves Large Estate

LONDON, March 7.—Mr. Robert Montgomery Cox, Ottawa timber merchant, left an estate in England of nearly one hundred and forty thousand pounds sterling (\$360,000).

Will Move Rejection Of Home Rule Bill

LONDON, March 6.—Under the headline "Home Rule Bill" a daily newspaper parliamentary correspondent said today he understood Mr. Asquith will move an amendment for the rejection of the Prime Minister Lloyd George's new plan for Home Rule in Ireland when the bill is brought up for second reading on March 29.

PROCEEDINGS IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

Appointments to Board of Management. Canadian Railways Not Yet Decided. Robson Correspondence at Next Sitting.

OTTAWA, March 6.—In the House of Commons this afternoon, Hon. Dr. Reid, Minister of Railways, told Hon. Mackenzie King that the matter of appointments to the Board of Management of the Canadian National Railways has not yet been finally decided.

President Wilson Sticks to His Guns

LONDON, March 6.—President Wilson in his reply to the allied communication of February 26 reaffirmed his position that the only settlement acceptable to the United States in the Adriatic dispute will be agreement by direct negotiation between Italy and Jugoslavia.

Erzberger Loses His Libel Suit

BERLIN, March 6.—The Chief State Attorney has proposed a fine of 300 marks for Dr. Karl Helfferich in the suit brought by Matthias Erzberger, suspended minister of finance.

France will Refuse To Surrender Ships

PARIS, March 6.—The majority groups in the Senate and Chamber of Deputies have joined with the committee of war veterans organizations in pledging their support to Premier Millerand in his fight to prevent consummation of the allied request that France return part of German tonnage awarded to her.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

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A BAD FIRE ON SATURDAY NIGHT

Mr. R. J. Vessey's Harness Store was Badly Scorched.

The fire alarm sounded at 10:20 on Saturday night for a blaze at the harness store of Mr. R. J. Vessey on Great George Street. The firemen who made their usual quick response, upon their arrival found the flames bursting from the front of the building and from the side facing Mr. Cameron's barber shop.

Three Ships Ashore In Blizzard

NEW YORK, March 6.—Three steamers were reported ashore today on the Atlantic coast in a blizzard which swept the seaboard last night and continued today.

Portuguese Revolution Officially Denied

LONDON, March 6.—Reports of a revolution in Portugal have been denied by the British Foreign Office today.

Demand Increased Salaries for Judges

OTTAWA, March 7.—An improved standard of salaries for judges was urged on members of the Government today by delegates headed by Sir J. A. M. Aikens representing the Canadian Bar Association.

Economic Agreement By Council of Premiers

PARIS, March 6.—The text of a widely discussed economic agreement, drawn up by the council of premiers at its London conference embraces three main facts: Stephen Laurance, famous French editor, declared today.

Whole Thing an Accident is Explanation of Murder Charge

COOKSVILLE, Ont., March 4.—In an interview today Joe La. brother of Frank Larson, was told that death has overcome him. One said today, "but if it has been known that he had to go nothing would suit him better than to have the end come in the woods, where he loved to be."

PRESS COMMENTS ON IRISH SITUATION

Only Utmost Coolness on Part of Authorities Can Prevent Tragedies.

LONDON, March 6.—The speech of Sir Horace Plunkett at Dublin last night, in which he severely criticized the new Irish Home Rule Bill, taken with Ian MacPherson's defense of the Irish administration in the House of Commons, formed the basis of comment in some of the morning newspapers.

Death Due to "Misadventure"

LONDON, March 7.—A verdict of misadventure was returned at the inquest into the death of Robert Nathan, a member of the thirty-eight Company Director and who had been a member of a wealthy Canadian family.

Former U.S. Minister Warns Japan

NEW YORK, March 6.—Paul S. Reinsch, former American Minister to China, will declare in the current issue of the magazine Asia that Japan employed its participation in the allied Siberian expedition to further its own ends in the region.

Allied Presidents To Control Plebiscites

PARIS, March 7.—The council of ambassadors today notified the German Government that the presidents of allied commissions in various plebiscite areas have been charged with full diplomatic rights.

Veteran Trapper Not Heard From For Some Months

MONCTON, March 5.—Henry Brant, veteran trapper and guide in America, has not been heard from for several months, and parties of woodsmen are being sent into his hunting grounds on the Miramichi to see if any trace can be found of him.

New Montreal \$750,000 Theatre

MONTEAL, Mar. 4.—Announcement was made here today that arrangements have been completed for the purchase by Famous Players Canadian Corporation of an extensive property on St. Catherine Street, near Mansfield street, in the heart of the up-town retail section of Montreal.

Railway Wreck Near Edmundston, N.B.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 7.—Word reached here this morning of the wreck of the Transcontinental division of the Canadian National Railway when a passenger train left rails. C. N. R. officials declined to give out any more information here than to say that the wreck took place west of Edmundston. Nobody was injured and passengers were being transferred from the wreckage to another train.

Cold Wave Removes Danger of Flood

QUEBEC, March 7.—Heavy rains yesterday had caused fears of a flood in Beauce where the water has been rising in the Chaudiere River which is blocked with ice but a cold wave and snow have temporarily removed the danger.

Fail to Reach Decision In Steel Merger

MONTREAL, March 6.—Directors of the Dominion Steel Corporation after a three-hour session here this afternoon, dispersed without arriving at any definite decision on the matter of the much discussed consolidation of the company with the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company, or with respect to the recommendations of the expert English engineers involving an outlay of about \$25,000,000 on the plants and properties in Cape Breton and elsewhere.

Find Casket With Body Floating Among Wreckage

HALIFAX, N. S., March 6.—One of the tugs which was salvaging cargo at the wreck of the steamer Bohemian found a casket, containing a body, floating in the water, and brought it to the city.

Crew Suffered Cruel Hardships

HALIFAX, N. S., March 6.—Butteted about the stormy seas in a small schooner with unexpected cold weather and reduced rations, scantily clad, there in wretched condition, the crew of the schooner Terra Nova told a story of hardship on reaching Barrington Passage, on the southwest coast of Nova Scotia today.

The Weather Temperature Tide, Moon Etc.

TORONTO, March 7.—Northwesterly winds, snow flurries, moderating towards evening. The lowest temperature on Saturday was 34 degrees at 9 o'clock yesterday morning it was 10 above. It rose to 13 during the day and was 10 above at 9:30 last night. The velocity of the wind was 20 miles per hour. The tide will be high this afternoon at 1:02 and tomorrow morning at 1:41 and Tuesday at 2:21. Sun sets this afternoon at 5:00 and tomorrow at 5:56. It rises tomorrow morning at 6:23 and Tuesday at 6:31. Full moon, Thursday, March 11, at 5:13 p. m. Last quarter Friday, 1:57 p. m.

Wants to Investigate Newspaper Profits

(Dom. Press Special.) LONDON, March 7.—William Shaw, member for Forfar, intends to ask the premier if he will institute an enquiry into the profits of great newspaper trusts in England. The Express declares that it is not a daily paper here today showing profit taking commodities at their present prices.

Scandinavia Joins League of Nations

PARIS, March 7.—Norway, Denmark and Sweden have decided by executive action to join the League of Nations. The state department was informed today.

General Ludendorff Goes to Russia

LONDON, March 7.—General Ludendorff, erstwhile head of the German military staff, has passed through Finnish territory on his way to Russia, according to a Heisingford despatch to the Central News. The general was accompanied by a large staff, the message adds.

Indians Suffer From Influenza

PORT ARTHUR, March 6.—Indian Agent Brown has received a wire from the Registrar Dewey, of White River, which states that the Indians are dying of influenza and that there is no one to care for the sick or bury the dead. He asks for authority to incur expenses to care for the stricken Indians of that section.

Jury Exonerated Men Who Killed Night Intruder

MONTREAL, March 4.—The law in the criminal code which states that a man defend his home from intrusion during the night even to the point of killing the intruder, if necessary, was the cause today of a jury exonerating from all blame George Gigan, Billy Lillont and Harry Smith, in the case of the death of Giuseppe Livoni. The latter had broken into Gigan's house early in the morning of February 26, and had attacked Mrs. Gigan, severely wounding her with a razor. In defence of Gigan's home the three accused attacked the intruder and gained from a severe beating in the course of which he sustained injuries that ended in his death.

Next Two Years Prosperous Ones for the Farmer

HALIFAX, March 4.—Dr. J. W. Robertson, who, as dominion government director of food, represented the dominion department of agriculture at the peace conference, was the speaker before the Commercial Club today, giving a spirited and thoughtful speech to a large audience. While his main theme was a strong appeal for increased production, he touched upon many of the salient features of war time food policies, and what has been evolved from them. He also mentioned briefly his experiences overseas, emphasizing the respect that Canada has won through her soldiers, her munitions, her food supplies and her generosity to the Red Cross, and pointed out the fact that this respect bled anticipation of what Canada might accomplish in the future.

Soviet Agent in U. S. Takes Precautions

(Dom. Press Special.) WASHINGTON, March 4.—Ludwig C. A. K. Martins, Soviet agent in the United States, today admitted cabling his government to take appropriate action in case he is deported. The cable was sent recently to Martins admitted, when a copy was read to him by Counsel Ellis before Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Reports that Mexico is Preparing to Demand the Removal of the Arms Embargo because of Secretary Lansing's Departure from the Cabinet

Reports that Mexico is preparing to demand the removal of the arms embargo because of Secretary Lansing's departure from the cabinet brought strong intimations today that there will be no change in the State Department policy.