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BIG BATTLE IMMINENT IN MOROCCO

Leader of Rebel Tribesmen is Massing His Forces Along River--Riffs are Great Sharpshooters.

PARIS, May 19.—Abd-el-Krim, leader of the rebel Riflian tribesmen, not only is mobilizing important forces in front of the French along the Quorra River in Morocco, but is declared to be utilizing an extensive efficient propaganda organization behind the French. Marshal Lyautey is taking steps to clear out from the pacified regions of Morocco the agents of Abd-el-Krim who everywhere are insistently spreading the idea of revolt.

Good Sharpshooters

The argument of the Riflians has been exaggerated, while the value of their infantry and intelligence service has been underestimated. The Riflians have some of the best sharpshooters the French ever faced and some of the cleverest propagandists they ever had to contend with. The work of the latter has come to light in every important centre, even as far from the scene of activities as the region of Agadir, the most southerly port in Morocco.

Battle on Wide Front

On the other hand, the French have suffered most of their losses from Riflians. It is pointed out that these specialists likely will prove less effective when Abd-el-Krim's contingents make an attack en masse, as is shortly expected, on a front measuring about 125 miles in length between the Moulouya River and the sea.

Unanimous

(Canadian Press) ROME, May 19.—The Chamber of Deputies today approved a Bill against secret societies by a vote of 304 to 0.

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German Trade Pact With U. S. Is Disclosed

BERLIN, May 19.—Foreign Minister Stresemann ended a bouquet of praise to the United States and provided a shock for France on Monday when he delivered a comprehensive statement of the German policy in the Reichstag. He announced that a commercial treaty with the United States would be presented to the Reichstag shortly.

Earl Haig And Party Will Sail For Ottawa June 19

(Special to the Guardian) LONDON, May 19.—Field Marshal Earl Haig sails June 19 for Canada to attend the British Empire Service League Congress at Ottawa. His party will number about forty, including Colonel Marshall Hole of Rhodesia, General Wyke of South Africa, Captain Spencer Palmer of India, General Horne, Treasurer, Captain Donald Simson, Secretary, Sir Andrew Russell, Commander of New Zealand forces, Mr. Lister of Liverpool, Mr. Appleby of Leeds and others. Most of the delegates are taking their families.

Would Help N. Scotia Miners

MONCTON, May 19.—F. W. Carroll, M. P., Cape Breton South who passed through the city today en route to Ottawa, speaking of the strike situation in Sydney Mines and Glace Bay, said that the people affected were slightly more optimistic regarding a settlement than they had been for several days.

Planting Fish Fry In Prairie Lakes

(Canadian Press) WINNIPEG, May 19.—Almost thirteen million whitefish and herring fry are being deposited in the lakes of the Prairie provinces, according to word received here.

Church Congress

TORONTO, May 19.—Representatives from each non-concurring congregation and each minority opposed to entering the United Church of Canada are expected to attend the Presbyterian Congress here on June 8th for the purpose of planning the constitution of a new church, according to Dr. A. S. Grant. The anti-unionist Divine stated further that between 1,800 and 2,000 delegates will be present at the gathering, one third this number to be women.

Canadian Nurse Does Heroic Work In Chinese Hospital

LONDON, Ont., May 19.—Reports have been received here concerning the heroic conduct of a former London nurse, Miss Bessie Baty, R. N., who for more than four years has been superintendent of nurses at the Canadian Presbyterian mission at Kel Kwoong hospital, Keung Shan, Kwangtung, China. Recently Dr. George C. Wannop, of Winnipeg, the medical superintendent, was compelled to stay away from the institution for several days. A native worker in a sugar cane factory had his arm terribly mangled. An effort was made to get Dr. McDonald, at Kong Moon, to amputate the injured arm, but he bled to death. Miss Baty got a native doctor to administer an anaesthetic. She and she, herself, completed the amputation. The operation proved successful and the worker is now recovering.

Union of Anglican And Roman Churches

(Canadian Press) BRUSSELS, May 19.—Discussion of the Union of Anglican and Roman Catholic churches which was the subject of a meeting in December, 1923, was resumed at Malines yesterday with Cardinal Mercier presiding. The discussion it is understood will continue three days.

Imperial Oil After West Indies Trade

MONTRÉAL, May 19.—Expenditure of more than \$200,000 in the extension of the Imperial Oil plant at Imperial, Halifax, for the purpose of establishing a great West Indies trade and providing facilities for the relative development and increased employment is announced.

Over 75 Injured In Subway Panic

(Canadian Press) NEW YORK, May 18.—At least seventy-five persons were injured, two probably fatally in mad panic which swept a crowded east side subway train as it was about to leave the Grand Central Terminal station today. A blown fuse followed by a series of electric lamp bulb explosions, was reported to have been the cause of the accident.

Advises Miners to Beware of "Reds"

GLACE BAY, May 19.—Rev. M. A. MacAdam, of St. Ann's Church, at the Sunday morning services made a strong address to the mine working members of his congregation on their duties in respect to their Union. He stressed the advisability of the men attending their local meetings, in order that a certain element would not be controlling Union activities, and asked them also to watch special meetings where many queer moves have originated. He referred to recent meetings where those present did not represent ten percent of the membership.

Irish Flag Returns to Sea

HOBOKEN, N. J., May 19.—The Irish flag will return to the sea tomorrow when the North German Lloyd steamer Bremen departs on its initial trip for Ireland. This will be the first time in 600 years it is said, that the Irish flag has been flown at the mast of a vessel at sea.

In Wall Street?

NEW YORK, May 19.—The entrance of Henry Ford into Wall Street was seen by some bankers today in the announcement that the Guardian Detroit Company had been established as the New York investment branch of the Guardian Trust Company of Detroit, of which Edzel Ford is a director.

HERE'S A GIRL NOBODY COULD RUN AWAY WITH



Miss Bouchier (Resister), a girl 23, now appearing at the London Hall as the girl who cannot be lifted, gave a demonstration off the stage the other day, when two stalwart British work men made a futile effort to lift her.

ISLAND STUDENTS FIGURE PROMINENTLY AT MOUNT A.

Largest Graduating Class in History of Academy—Hubert Mason, Montague Won the \$25.00 English Scholarship

(Canadian Press) SACKVILLE, N. B., May 19.—The most satisfactory scholastic graduates and prize winners at the year the institution has ever enjoyed. There was an increase of thirty percent over the residence attendance last year, a total of 81 and in addition there were thirty-four special students, as well as many others from the Ladies College and town.

Britain Would Give France More Time Only Seven Now Left on Rum Row

(Canadian Press) NEW YORK, May 19.—With rum row reported to be dwindling day by day, prohibition enforcement officers are getting busier and busier on land. R. Q. Merrick, Divisional Prohibition Enforcement Chief says the next move will be to cut off runners operating over the St. Lawrence River and Great Lakes. Coast Guard officials in charge of the naval blockade report rum row has dwindled to seven closely guarded ships.

French Bar Spies

PARIS, May 19.—Abd-el-Krim, leader of the rebel Riflian tribesmen, not only is mobilizing important forces in front of the French along the Ouirra River in Morocco, but is declared to be utilizing an extensive efficient propaganda organization behind the French.

24,000 Will Fete

MONTRÉAL, May 19.—Twenty thousand French-speaking Canadians from all parts of Canada and the United States will congregate in Montreal on June 24th to celebrate the first official recognition of St. Jane Baptiste Day.

Lake Disappears In Minnesota

(Canadian Press) ELY, Minnesota, May 19.—Minnesota last night lost one of its famous ten thousand lakes as a result of the disappearance of Bass Lake a body of water two miles long and one mile wide, which has been gradually disappearing since last Thursday. The lake was located three miles north west of here.

Winnipeg Pays Dearly For Its Unemployed

(Canadian Press) WINNIPEG, May 19.—Unemployment relief during the past winter cost the city of Winnipeg \$217,553, of which amount the provincial government contributed approximately \$56,000. In municipalities outside of Winnipeg, the government expended nearly \$5,000 in relief work.

"Tiger's" Grandson To Become An American Citizen

(Associated Press) SEATTLE, May 19.—Georges Gatteau, grandson of Georges Clemenceau the Tiger of France, is an automobile salesman in Seattle. He is a son of Andre and Therese Clemenceau Gatteau.

Received Offer For Whole Fleet

OTTAWA, May 19.—Hon. T. A. Low, Minister of Trade and Commerce who according to correspondence tabled in Commons had received an offer from Sir William Peterson for the whole Canadian Government Merchant Marine fleet, said this morning that "the offer had been submitted to the Cabinet, but no action was taken on it."

Prof. A. McLean To Dig For Indian Relics

(Canadian Press) REGINA, Sask May 19.—Professor A. McLean of the Royal Ontario Mus. um, paleontology department, expects to find the greatest collection of Indian relics and bones of which the mammals ever discovered in Canada at the bottom of the Saskatchewan bog located near Dundurn, in which important discoveries were made last year.

Sanity Test Ruled

TORONTO, May 19.—For the purpose of coming to a decision regarding the sanity of Rev. James Minehan, former parish priest of Dixie, Ont., Mr. Justice Mowatt has decided to take the evidence of three doctors and such other testimony as may be adduced. The clergyman was committed to the hospital for the insane in this city under the direction of Dr. M. P. Barry and Vrooman, of Toronto as being insane.

TO BE CALLED TO BAR

TORONTO, May 19.—Hon. E. Lapointe, K. C., Minister of Justice, is to be called to the Bar of Ontario on the occasion of the meeting of the Ontario Bar Association next week. Mr. Lapointe is already a member of the Quebec Bar.

Three Italians Are Victims of Rum Feud

STAMFORD, Conn., May 19.—Three men, all Italians, are dead, while three others are being sought by the police following an unwitnessed street corner gun battle here yesterday. Officers drawn to the scene by the firing found the bodies of the three men and what they term "certain evidence" that another three men figured in the fight was found.

Says United States Far In Advance

(Canadian Press) LIVERPOOL, May 19.—Very Rev. William Ralph Inge, Dean of St. Paul's who returned today from a visit to the United States, said he thought the United States both materially and spiritually was in advance of Great Britain.

American Submarine Officers to Face Court Martial

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Officers of the submarine S-19 which went aground last January on Nauset Beach, Mass. were ordered today to face a court martial on the charges that the Commander was guilty of "negligence suffering a vessel of the navy to be stranded" and that the crew showed "culpable inefficiency in the performance of duty."

Ontario Village Threatened By Fire

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., May 19.—Forest fires were today threatening the village of Hymers in the White Lake valley agricultural section. One building was burned and telephone wires destroyed.

French Officers And Men Decorated

FEZ, French Morocco, May 19.—The glamor and glory of war have been made to live again by two French officers and 38 Senegalese soldiers who successfully fought 500 Riflians for 14 days and won medals all around for their valor.

Forest Fire Causes \$400,000 Damage

STETTIN, Germany, May 19.—Damage estimated at \$400,000 has been done over an area of 24 square miles by the largest forest fire in this section in many years. It was spreading rapidly today and inhabitants of one whole village had fled, but no casualties had been reported tonight.

The Weather, Etc.

LUCKY LITTLE FLOWER—NOT TO BE BORN ON A GOLF COURSE FOR SOME ONE TO TAKE A PRACTISE SWING AT—

South west winds, fair and a little higher temperature. Toronto, clear 68-42. Montreal, clear 58-44. Quebec, cloudy 53-40. Charlottetown, fair 54-34. Halifax, cloudy 60-42. St. John fair 57-36. Boston, clear 68-46. New York, clear 64-48. High tide this morning at 9.45 and tonight at 11.36. Sun sets this evening at 7.31 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.20. New moon Friday, May 22nd 11.24 a. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

INVESTORS ARE FLEEDED IN BIG "CON" GAME

C. W. Rogers, Former Hearst Organizer is Wanted Man

(Winnipeg Tribune) C. W. Rogers, Rothesay Apts., an investment broker with offices in the Curry Building is sought by the police today for alleged exploits in "high finance" which they claim will rival the wildest dreams of Ponzi, Cortez or Joseph Xavier Hearst, whose stock selling campaign he organized throughout Manitoba.

Specifically, Rogers is charged with obtaining \$1,000 from a Winnipeg resident by false pretenses. A warrant for his arrest on this count was issued today. Actually, police say, ramifications of his operations extended to all parts of the province and his victims are numbered by the score. The amounts involved will total thousands of dollars they say.

It is alleged the fugitive canvassed the victims of the Hearst Music Publishers of Canada, Ltd., and while representing Hearst as aascal of the first lick, held out rosy promises of immediate financial recuperation and the retrieving of lost investments if money were entrusted to his care for speculation.

To what extent the alleged fraud has been carried out thus far has not been determined.

It is known, however that several cases exist in Winnipeg, and that many residents of southern Manitoba, where Rogers was active in the flotation of Hearst stock will be sorely hit by the new alleged confidence game.

Rogers has been missing from his home and office since Monday. His furniture, both at home and at his place of business, has been seized, and a new car he was buying on the instalment plan has been recovered by the dealers. A payment of \$500 falling due Tuesday was defaulted.

Accompanied by Mrs. Rogers, the fugitive left home in a hurry after telling the maid they were leaving on a short trip to the United States. They left no mailing address, however, and did not say when they would return. They carried only hand-baggage.

Police, meanwhile have broadcast descriptions of Rogers and his wife throughout Canada and the United States. With the short stay it is believed his arrest will be effected.

The present investigation police say, has nothing to do with the collapse of the Hearst company, and no charges will be laid against Rogers till that connection.

Only Four Vessels Left on Rum Row

HALIFAX, N. S., May 19.—A dozen schooners reporting in the harbor today from sea and several steam craft liquor laden, are taken to indicate the effectiveness of the blockade of the New England Coast set up by the United States dry navy to offset the activity of liquor steamers on rum row. The row was said in dispatches today to have dwindled from eighty to four craft since the blockade was declared a week ago.

**See Helen MacDonald in Scottish dances at Wheatley River Friday night. 1153 5-20-11

**The Hope River Tea Party, July 3th. 1125 5 19 31

**Annual meeting Protestant Orphanage, Zion Hall, June 4th. 1144 5 20 41

**Grand Concert in Wheatley River Hall Friday evening in aid of Soldier's Monument Fund. 1152 5 20 11

**Come to the Concert and Playette in Long River Hall on Wednesday night, May 20th. If not fine, the following night. 1129 5 19 21

**Y. Rummage Sale in Market building, Thursday at 1 o'clock. Ladies having parcels please phone at 95 or 193. 1140 5-20-21

**Hear Sandy MacGregor in song and story at Wheatley River Friday evening. 1154 5 20 11