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## Murder and Rapine Reported In Ireland With Reprisals

Three Men Killed in Different Parts of Country; Train Held Up and Robbed; Viscount French's Letters Stolen.

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

DUBLIN, March 4.—The killing of three persons in various parts of Ireland has been reported during the past 24 hours. Shaw Taylor, a landowner, was shot at Atheney, County Wick, by an unknown man died as the result of wounds received yesterday evening, and Roger Marsh was killed at Cork by a party of armed men.

DUBLIN, March 4.—A score of armed men entered the Lough, County Donegal, railway station Tuesday night on the arrival of the Londonderry train. They seized the master and porter and bound them with ropes, then searched them in the waiting room.

When the train arrived the raiders pulled revolvers and placed the engine and the engineer and fireman under guard and then ransacked the train. The passengers were not disturbed. The cashbox on the train was the only booty secured.

DUBLIN, March 4.—The military and police raided Liberty Hall, headquarters of Larkin's transport workers, and the hall, headquarters of another organization, the Gaelic League, the Leinster College of Ireland, and numerous other houses. The principal arrest known is that of William Larkin, leader of the transport workers, who was prominent in the strike and recently successfully demanded the removal of the mace and sword from the city hall.

The theft of the letters of Viscount French has caused great excitement. All the houses in the district have been searched and numerous arrests made.

## CHANGE MAKES NEW MARKETS

able for Canadians to Trade  
ere Dollar is Nearer Par  
Than in United States,  
Says Senator.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

OTTAWA, March 3.—In the Senate, the Opposition leader, Mr. Bostock, averred that the situation of the Canadian dollar in the United States might be a disadvantage to many Canadian merchants elsewhere, where they receive more or less of the value of the Canadian dollar. "It might be advisable," he said, "to deal with countries who accept our money at a higher valuation than placed upon it by our immediate neighbors. The present situation ought to stimulate trade between Canada and the other parts of the Empire, where the change is normal."

## AL SCHOONER SEIZED IN SOUTH

us Which Cleared from Here  
st Week Had Unmanifested  
Whiskey; Crew Arrested.

Federal authorities in Seattle seized the halibut schooner Ura last Saturday. Its cargo of 100 pounds of halibut was seized and Captain Carl P. and two members of the crew put under arrest following the discovery of five cases of Canadian whiskey aboard which had not been listed in the manifest. The vessel cleared from Prince Rupert on February 24 bound for Seattle. He was not satisfied with the price offered for fish.

The law provides for the confiscation of both the vessel and the cargo if it is shown that the fish was carried unlawfully.

Major Acland left for up-river on the train today.

C. Undertakers. Phone 47

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## WHY DID ADMIRAL SIMS REMOVE FLETCHER FROM COMMAND AT BREST?

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

WASHINGTON, March 4.—An investigation by a Court of Enquiry of the circumstances which provoked Admiral Sims to remove Rear Admiral Fletcher from the command of the American naval forces at Brest has been ordered by Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels.

## CARVING THE TURKEY

Supreme Allied Council Continues  
Process in Vogue for Last  
Sixty Years.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

LONDON, March 3.—The Supreme Council of the Allies has decided that in future Turkey shall have no navy and only a few revenue vessels shall be left for patrol purposes. The Turkish army will be dealt with tomorrow. Although the Council is silent as to just what areas of territory will be left under Turkish sovereignty, it is understood that the subtractions to be made from her present territories will decrease her population from 30,000,000 to 6,000,000. This course of action will necessitate an entire re-adjustment of the Turkish debt. The disposition of the Turkish fleet has not yet been decided upon.

## ENTERTAINING PRINCE COST COUNTRY \$100,000

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

OTTAWA, March 3.—A statement of the Governor General's warrants issued since last session show that out of a total appropriation of \$120,000 allowed, the Federal Government expended \$101,790 in connection with the visit of the Prince of Wales. The statement was tabled in the House.

## SPECIAL SESSION OF STATE LEGISLATURE

(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

SEATTLE, March 3.—Governor Louis Hart has called a special session of the Washington legislature to consider the federal suffrage amendment and to provide funds for state schools.

Wanted, a hundred pairs of well-worn shoes for repairs.—McArthur's Shoe Store.

## \$1,000 A MONTH FOR CANADIAN AVIATORS

(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

VANCOUVER, March 3.—Ten Canadian aviators have been hired at \$1,000 a month by the Chinese Government to teach aviation to Chinese students. Among the applicants are two Vancouver boys.

## SWISS KNOW ENOUGH.

(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

BERNE, March 3.—Swiss Socialists refuse to send a committee of from three to five delegates to study economic and political conditions in Soviet Russia.

## Discursive Debate in Commons French Canadians Prominent

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

OTTAWA, March 4.—The debate on the speech from the throne is following stereotyped lines with the exception of one or two breezy interludes. The speeches and the debate were largely in French and the benches were pretty well deserted. The attendance of Government members at one time got down to 10.

Mr. Trahan, of Nicolet, who opened the discussion yesterday, spoke on Mr. Gauthier's reference on Tuesday to "The Hour of Quebec" and when Quebec would be prepared to confer with the other provinces. Mr. Trahan deprecated any idea that Mr. Gauthier might have intended his remarks as a threat or that they implied revolt but that they merely reflected the opinion of Quebec. "Personal dignity and pride of conscience," said Mr. Trahan, "have made Quebec take the method of taking the lead in proposing the associations intended in order that it may better be controlled."

## POSTAL DEPARTMENT SHOWS NEAT SURPLUS

Postmaster General has Presented  
Statement for Fiscal year  
of 1918-19.

OTTAWA, March 3.—The report of the Postmaster General presented to the Federal House showed a net revenue for the fiscal year 1918-19 of \$21,602,712.62, an increase of \$257,318.20 over the year previous. The expenditure of \$19,273,583.94 shows an increase of \$1,227,016.04. The surplus of revenue over expenditure for the year was \$2,329,128.68.

## PRINCE RUPERT OLD TIMER DIES IN SOUTH

The death occurred on February 24 at a Vancouver hospital, of Headly Fenwick Sinnott, formerly of this city in his 46th year. Mr. Sinnott was well known in this town, being one of the pioneers. He left about four years ago and resided for a time at Revelstoke before moving to Vancouver. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow who is also in Vancouver. They resided in their own home here on Fifth Avenue East near Hays Cove Circle. Interment took place in Vancouver last Thursday.

## WANTED TO CAPTURE LABOR EXCHANGES

MILAN, March 3.—Several hundred anarchists who attempted to capture the labor exchanges here were last night dispersed by the police.

## FISH ARRIVALS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

The King and Wing arrived in port yesterday morning with 75,000 lbs. of halibut for the National Independent Fisheries. The Clara also arrived yesterday with 3,000 lbs. This morning's arrivals included the Harvest with 4500 lbs., Norlund, 30,000 lbs., and Clara N., with 2500 lbs. These boats will await tomorrow's fish sale at the Exchange.

## AUDIT ORDER IS REFUSED A. M. MANSON

Judge Macdonald Says that  
It Would be Invasion of  
Civil Rights.

(Special by Government wire.)

VANCOUVER, March 4.—Judge Macdonald in the Supreme Court chambers today refused to grant an order compelling the Drydock Company to allow A. P. Foster, auditor, appointed by order-in-council under the Company's Act, access to the books and accounts on the ground that it would be an invasion of civil rights and that proper notice should have been given to the Company before the order-in-council was signed.

The application was made by A. M. Manson, M. P. P., who is a shareholder in the company.

## Steamship Line to Oriental Countries

Captain C. H. Nicholson Gives Notable  
Address Before Board of Trade  
Showing Possibilities of  
Service.

"The millions of dollars spent in the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway would have been futile if its object were attained by the completion of the line simply to Prince Rupert, without the tremendous advantages of traffic from the sea, brought to feed the line." Those were the words of Captain C. H. Nicholson used in the course of an address to the Board of Trade at a luncheon on board the Prince George yesterday afternoon. The speech was a very clear and concise argument in favor of a steamship line between this port and the Orient and was well received.

The luncheon was well attended, the capacity of the big dining room being taxed to the utmost. President Parker was in the chair and introduced the visitor and a hearty vote of thanks moved by W. E. Williams and seconded by Mitchell Albert was carried with enthusiasm.

The speaker made a general survey of the Oriental countries, giving facts and figures of great interest to Prince Rupert people. Then he said:—

"Certainly the natural advantages, both of location and trade possibilities are very great. Japan and China are our next door neighbors to the westward. Canada situated at the north of this continent, which extends so far westward as compared with the lower portions, certainly is not at a disadvantage, at least so far as the United States is concerned, and in this respect Prince Rupert has a desirable position and natural advantages over any other port on the Pacific coast, either in Canada or the United States. Lying 465 miles nearer the port of Yokohama than any other Pacific port gives it an advantage which will be of great value in intercourse with these Oriental countries."

**Control Situation.**  
"With the magnificent grades on which our railroad is constructed, with the extensive and valuable harbor lying at our doors, capable of accommodating a vast volume of water-borne traffic, geographically at least, Prince Rupert is destined to become a gateway which will be competitive in the extreme with any other gateway already established. This means that when the railway line is put in first-class condition to permit trains running at the speed its grade and small curvature would warrant, it can compete (even with smaller and slower ships and consequently lower operating costs) with other transcontinental lines not having these advantages, for the great silk and tea trade from these countries. I have always considered the Grand Trunk Pacific would ultimately control the rate situation both on transcontinental and export traffic as well as on grain when it begins to move westward by reason of these things."

**Original Idea.**  
It was, as you know, one of the original ideas in constructing the line and making this city its terminus, that a steamship service on the Pacific should be established. Certainly the millions of dollars spent in the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway would have been futile if its object were attained by the completion of the line simply to Prince Rupert, without the tremendous advantages of traffic from the sea brought to feed the line.

It may have been a cause of wonderment in the minds of you gentlemen who are located in Prince Rupert why this line has not been established long ago.

The Venerable Archdeacon Collier, of Kincolith, returned to town this morning after a visit to the south.

Ask for Atkins' Sausages.

## NEWMAN ERB GETS A JOLT

Judge Decides Against Him in  
Regard to Date of Trial.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

VICTORIA, March 4.—The Erb interests got another jolt in the drydock case in the Court of Appeals here when an attempt to set aside Judge Morrison's order fixing the date of trial in the case for March 22 was dismissed.

The ground of appeal was that an appeal in regard to striking out certain paragraphs in the statement of defence should be first heard. This had been set down for hearing in April, but had not yet come up.

## MOVIE STAR GETS DIVORCE

Mary Pickford Legally Freed  
From Owen Moore on Ground  
of Desertion.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

RENO, Nev., March 4.—Mary Pickford, motion picture star, was granted a divorce here from Owen Moore on the ground of desertion. She has been living at a ranch at Genoa since February 16.

The popular movie queen was accompanied to the court room by her mother, Mrs. Smith, and she wept freely while testifying. Moore was not in court though he was at Minden Monday. He was represented in the proceedings by an attorney.

## WILL SUE AUDITORS FOR DEFALCATIONS

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 3.—Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club is facing a deficit this year owing to defalcations by an official of the club. At the annual meeting it was announced that the club would sue the auditors, Price Waterhouse & Co., and Shaw Tolmie & Co., to make good the loss. The club has a deficit of \$5,000.

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