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GENERAL ALLENBY APPOINTED HIGH COMMISSIONER TO EGYPT OWING TO GRAVE SITUATION IN THAT COUNTRY

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
London, March 22.—Owing to the grave situation in Egypt, General Allenby, commander of the Allied forces in Palestine, has been appointed special High Commissioner for Egypt and the Sudan. He will have supreme authority in all military and civil matters and will take expedient measures to restore order and maintain the protectorate over Egypt.
Unofficial advices show that disorders have spread through the whole valley of the Nile from Cairo to Assuan.
General Allenby reached Cairo on Tuesday and has already placed the country under military control. The large number of troops already in Egypt are being reinforced, and active and immediate steps are being taken to cope with the situation.
A large number of armed Bedouins have entered Beherira, a province of lower Egypt, robbing towns and villages.

COMMISSIONER WILL ORGANIZE SCHEME LAND SETTLEMENT

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Ottawa, March 22.—F. B. Stacey, M. P., of Chilliwack, B. C., leaves for British Columbia tomorrow, as the special representative of W. J. Black, Chairman Soldiers Settlement Board. The special mission is to direct the organizing of the soldier settlement in harmony with arrangements made with representatives of the Empress of Asia soldiers co-operative community scheme. He will reach Vancouver on April 1. The community scheme was set down by the Dominion Government and later adopted under pressure had been brought to bear through the British Columbia members of Parliament on the endorsement of the scheme by the Provincial Government.
Ottawa, March 22.—The deputy representing the soldiers of the Empress of Asia proposed colonization scheme is returning in complete accord with the Soldiers Settlement Board for the settlement of land under the co-operative system.

BAD SNOWSTORMS.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Denver, March 22.—The western section of the country is isolated as a result of a snow and sleet storm. All wire communication with the west has ceased.

"DEMERS"

We are showing some very smart hats for kiddies from two to ten years, in the best straws and silk poplins. By the way they are going they must be the right thing. Also a few coats in taffeta for two to five years.

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ZAMORA WILL COME HERE FOR SPRUCE LUMBER

Steamer Will Load at Prince Rupert Dock in April for United Kingdom.

LOGS BEING PULPED AT SOUTHERN MILLS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Vancouver, March 22.—The British Ministry of Shipping has arranged to clean up the spruce lumber which was collected and stored at Prince Rupert. The steamer Zamora will load two million feet for the United Kingdom, going on berth about the middle of April at Prince Rupert dock.
The Zamora cleared for this port recently from Callao in Peru. After loading she will go to Great Britain by way of the Panama Canal.

CARDS AND DANCING AT SEAL COVE SCHOOL

Large Number of Guests Spend Most Enjoyable Time—Funds Aid of Red Cross.
A most delightful function took place last evening in the Seal Cove School house, when the Seal Cove branch of the Red Cross Society gave a whist drive and dance. Over a hundred guests were present and one and all testify to the enjoyable nature of the monthly gatherings.

BUILDING QUESTION

Board of Trade proposes to Call Meeting to Discuss it Next Week.
Arrangements are being made by the Board of Trade to have a meeting in the city hall possibly on Wednesday next for the purpose of discussing the question of providing homes for the people who are coming here. There has been much discussion over the question what is to be done to meet the situation which is serious.

NEWMAN ERB PASSED THROUGH WINNIPEG

Newman Erb, executive member of the Prince Rupert Drydock and Engineering Co., with headquarters in New York, passed through Winnipeg Thursday on his way to Prince Rupert. He is expected to reach the coast Sunday evening.

TERRACE MAN DIES AT GENERAL HOSPITAL

The death took place at the General Hospital yesterday of Thomas Smith, aged 19 years, from tuberculosis. The deceased was brought down from Terrace on Thursday night's train very ill, and was immediately taken to the hospital, where in spite of every attention, he was unable to rally. He was accompanied to town by his sister.
Mr. Smith was born in Colorado and is the son of C. A. Smith, of Terrace. The funeral arrangements are in the hands of Hayner Brothers.

REGIMENTS REFUSED TO SHOOT BOLSHEVIKI

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Paris, March 22.—It is reported that two regiments in the Odessa region mutinied when ordered to attack the Bolsheviks. They said they would not shoot their brothers.

WONG KIM, LEO HONG AND CHOW HING CHARGED WITH BREAKING INTO THE PALACE CAFE ON 6TH STREET, WERE BROUGHT UP FOR ELECTION THIS MORNING AND CHOSE SPEEDY TRIAL. THEY WILL BE TRIED ON MONDAY AT 10 A.M. BEFORE JUDGE YOUNG. THEY PLEADED NOT GUILTY.

SHIPYARD MEN STRIKE WHEN WAGES REDUCED

Object to Carrying Out of Robertson Award Reducing Wage Cent and Quarter an Hour.
(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Port Coquitlam, March 22.—Shipyard workers numbering 250 have gone on strike here because their wages have been reduced under the Robertson award by a cent and a quarter an hour. The reduction was on the sliding scale adopted at the time of the former strike and was based on the cost of living which has been slightly reduced.
The men were working on ships which are being built to the order of the French Government.

DOMINION WILL SPEND MONEY IN PROVINCE FOR ROAD BUILDING

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Ottawa, March 22.—In the House of Commons yesterday Hon. J. D. Reid, moved a resolution providing for the payment within the next five years of the sum of \$20,000,000 to the various provinces for the encouragement of the construction of good roads.

CANADA'S CLAIM FOR DAMAGES FROM ENEMY

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Ottawa, March 22.—Canadian claims against persons of enemy countries and against enemy Governments, were so far reported to total \$31,525,000. They comprise debts owing by individuals and corporations in Germany, Austria and lands allied with them to Canadians to amount of \$775,000; claims for property of Canadians in enemy countries aggregating \$750,000 and demands for compensation for damages due to illegal warfare \$30,000,000.

STRIKE IN ENGLAND HAS BEEN DELAYED

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
London, March 22.—A triple alliance of railwaymen, miners and transport workers at a conference reviewed the whole position and passed a resolution recommending railwaymen to continue at work pending further negotiations with the Government. This action is interpreted to mean that there will be no strike before Wednesday.

LAND SPECULATOR IS GOING TO VICTORIA TO MAKE A PROTEST

Objects to His Land Being Taken by the Government at \$5.00 an Acre When it Cost \$11.
(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Winnipeg, March 22.—Lysle Abbott of Omaha, Nebraska, who represents a syndicate of American capitalists with large investments in British Columbia lands and who has 25,000 acres along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway is proceeding to Victoria to protest against the Land Settlement Board taking over at their appraised valuation their unencultivated farm lands.
The Board has valued the lands at five dollars an acre when the owners claim that they represent an investment of eleven dollars an acre.

GRAND TRUNK MADE OFFER TO DOMINION GOVERNMENT OF FIVE MILLIONS A YEAR

FOR THAT SUM ANNUALLY IT WOULD TURN OVER ALL HOLDINGS—CONTRA OFFER WAS MUCH LESS—IMPASSE SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION
(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
London, March 22.—At the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Grand Trunk Railway, Chairman Smithers of the Board of Directors said that the Canadian Government had offered the company an annuity of £740,000 at the end of eight years, over and above fixed charges.
The company's offer to the Government, the chairman added, was to accept an annuity of £997,000 immediately in addition to what an arbitrator might give over and above that amount, or an immediate annual payment of £1,063,000 without arbitration. This would be approximately \$5,000,000.
The meeting unanimously passed a resolution which was cabled to the Dominion Government stating that the amount offered by the Canadian Government was inadequate.

AGRICULTURAL ASSN. DIRECTORS MEETING

Proposal to complete Exhibition Building—Officers for Year Elected.
At the meeting of the directors of the Northern British Columbia Agricultural and Industrial Association held in the office of the association last night the old directors wound up their business and handed it over to the new. A sum of something like \$1,800 was on hand to commence the new year, that being the result of the queen contest which was so successful last year.
A recommendation was made to the new board that steps should be taken at once to complete the exhibition building, the exterior to be covered with rustic and the interior to be strengthened and finished. Action will probably be taken on this recommendation.
Officers were elected for the coming year, C. C. Perry being chosen president and D. McD. Hunter vice-president. The directors are advertising for a permanent secretary.

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