

Call Up Army and Navy Reserves

BRITISH GOVERNMENT TO APPEAL FOR VOLUNTEERS IF BIG STRIKE CALLED

Triple Alliance of Labor Lines Up Against Owners Of Coal Mines in Britain

LONDON, April 8.—(Noon).—In view of the prospective strike a Royal proclamation will call up the army and navy reserves, Premier Lloyd George announced in the House of Commons today. It is the intention of the British Government to issue an appeal for volunteers for transport and other services.

LONDON, April 8.—The leaders of the National Federation of Transport Workers and the Union of Railwaymen have decided to call off the dogs of the two unions. This brings the entire power of the triple alliance of labor into the greatest industrial controversy for many years.

Representatives of the British miners have refused to accept Lloyd George's offer to meet the owners of the mines on the condition that the return of pump men and engineers to the mines be a matter settled at the conference.

A strike of the railwaymen and transport workers has been called for Tuesday morning, failing the reopening of negotiations settlement of the coal strike.

HOW FREIGHT RATES MIGHT REDUCE

Elimination of Unnecessary
and Reduction of Wages
Way, Says Carvell

ERY MANAGERS RETURN TO NORTH

Johnstone, Inverness, and
Kang, Sunnyside, Came
Back Wednesday

Canadian National Rai'way and Merchant Marine under Fire at Ottawa Yesterday

OTTAWA, April 8.—Stating that the losses of the National Railway, exclusive of the Grand Trunk, amounts to \$5,000 every mile for a year, Senator Gasgrain said, speaking in the House yesterday. The amount involved more than the total expenditure of the Dominion of Canada on the war. He urged an investigation of the "leakage."

The Canadian Government merchant ships were also under fire in the House of Commons. The opposition charged that the vessels were operated at a deficit.

William Buff, member for Lunenburg, claimed the loss amounted to \$58,669,952. He said the premier did not know what he was talking about when he said the condition of the business was satisfactory.

CONTRACT SUPPOSED TO BE LET

McDougall & McNeill of Calgary
Lowest on Rupert
Court House.

VANCOUVER, April 8.—While not announced officially, it is understood on good authority that McDougall & McNeill, Ltd., contractors of Calgary, were the successful bidders for the erection of the Prince Rupert court house. The bid is said to be over \$400,000 but is the lowest of fifteen who tendered.

A. G. McDougall is believed to be en route to the coast to sign the acceptance.

NICHOLS IN HOSPITAL

Lieutenant-Governor will Undergo
Operation for Gall
Stones.

DUKE WELCOMED

CALGARY, April 8.—A great welcome was tendered to the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire on their arrival here this morning.

CARPENTIER PUTS UP GUARANTEE TO APPEAR IN RING

NEW YORK, April 8.—Carpentier's \$50,000 forfeit money guaranteeing his appearance in the ring with Dempsey on July 2 has been deposited with a local trust company.

Word has been received that Carpentier will arrive in this country during the first week in May to commence training for the fight.

THIS APPOINTMENT NOT REALLY MADE

Premier Oliver Declares J. P. Cougherty, Vancouver, Not
Inspector Insurance

VICTORIA, April 8.—In regard to reports that J. P. Cougherty, Vancouver, has been appointed to have been appointed inspector of insurance for the province, Premier Oliver declared that his name had not yet come before the executive and he knew nothing of the appointment.

NEWSPAPER MAN'S SON EATS POISON, DIES FROM EFFECT

VANCOUVER, April 8.—The four-year-old son of W. C. Findlay, the well known local newspaper man, is dead from eating rat poison. The poison was found in the basement of a neighbor's house.

FISH ARRIVALS

Four Carloads Handled Through
Fish Exchange This
Morning.

Four of the five express refrigerator cars available at the waterfront for American shipment this morning are being loaded with halibut this afternoon and one is thus left on hand.

The following were the arrivals and sales this morning:

Crescent, 13,000 pounds; Imperieuse, 4,000, and Shrub, 7,000 pounds, to the Allin Fisheries at 12.4c and 5c.

Daisy, 12,000 pounds; Mab, 8,000 pounds, and Lilian M., 4,000 pounds, sold to the Canadian Fish and Cold Storage Co. at 12.3c and 5c.

Beaver, 8,000; Nornen, 10,000, and Adelina, 6,000 pounds, sold to the Booth Fisheries Canadian Co. at 12.7c and 5c.

Amie F., 9,000; A.H., 11,000, and Ellen, 2,000 pounds, sold to the Booth Fisheries Canadian Co. at 12.7c and 5c.

Rennell sold 6,000 pounds to the Gold Storage Co. at 11.6c and 5c.

The President, 200 pounds; Emma D., 2,200; Siren, 900 and Spot, 900, were the salmon boats in. They sold their catches to various buyers at 18.5c for reds and 5c for whites.

LATEST PHOTOGRAPH OF YALE'S NEW PRESIDENT.



Dr. James Angell recently made his first visit to the university in New Haven since he was appointed chief. Mr. Angell will take up his new duties and hopes to put Yale far above any university in existence.

Legislators Make Free with Wine and Women Says Ministerial Association

VICTORIA, April 8.—The alleged behavior of members of the legislature after the closing of the house last Saturday night and generally during the session at cabarets, hotel rooms and road houses has been taken up by the Victoria Ministerial Association.

The alleged actions of members, especially those from outlying districts in the province, were denounced. The open way in which they are claimed to have carried on with liquor and women, married and unmarried, was mentioned.

A resolution dealing with the alleged actions of the members was passed but was not made public.

Visited Many Big Centres, Met Many Prince Rupert People in Their Travels

Concluding one of the most wonderful tours conceivable, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Self returned home last night after having been at the various United States and Canadian centres since January 13, when they left Prince Rupert. One of their chief aims was to improve their health and this they did, for they are looking wonderfully well and strong compared with when they left.

Mr. Self took advantage of the visit to the big centres to make a thorough study of the motion picture business and doubtless the patrons of the local theatres will benefit from what he saw. He says that the only enemies of Prince Rupert were a certain element in Vancouver and those whose business it was to know about the place but who did not.

MUTINY ON SHIP BOUND SAN PEDRO FROM NEW YORK

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—Mutiny of a serious nature broke out on the steamer Willhilo bound from New York to San Pedro. The light cruiser Tacoma had to be summoned to quell it. The vessel is now under convoy of the Tacoma en route to San Pedro.

Mr. Self tells of his experiences in connection with the Canadian National Railway. He says they have palatial offices at New York on 33rd and Broadway which must cost a lot of money to keep up, but the man in charge there hardly knew where Prince Rupert was.

"Prince Rupert? Let me see, that's in British Columbia isn't it?"

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Leek Resigns from Police Force; New Lineup Is Decided

Warden Albert H. Bailey becomes senior sergeant next in command to Chief Vickers on the city police. Constable Hugh McGilichy becomes sergeant and Special Constable George P. Logan is now a permanent constable, according to the decision of the police commission at its meeting last night. As a result of the recent shooting affair in the city jail the resignation of Constable Leek was received and accepted.

There was a large attendance at the meeting in the council chamber on account of the announcement that the commission would deliver its finding in the Leek affair. The resignation of Constable Leek was the first business dealt with. The officer in his resignation referred to the city jail as a "bull pen" and stated that being an officer for 27 years he had started that work before the main witness in the shooting case had been born. Through this experience he knew more about police work than some of the present officers would ever know.

NEW SCHOOL TO BE READY BY NEXT TERM

Architect Potter Reports Good
Progress Made and Should
be Completed by July.

BUILDING WILL COST
APPROXIMATELY \$170,000

At the school board meeting last night Architect Potter reported that the new school building would be ready for occupation at the beginning of next term. At least one floor would be finished in six weeks from now and the whole work should be complete by the end of July. That would give a month to get in the furnishings. There was fire in one boiler now, good progress was being made with the plastering, and the work was proceeding as fast as possible.

Bills on construction amounting in all to \$11,323.55 were ordered paid.

Mr. Potter in answer to a question said they would keep just about within their estimate. The cost of the building complete would be about \$170,000.

FINAL HEARING FREIGHT RATES

Will be Held in Ottawa Some
Time in July by Railway
Commission.

VANCOUVER, April 8.—British Columbia's case for lower freight rates will be presented to the Board of Railway Commissioners at a final hearing in Ottawa some time in July, Chief Commissioner Frank Carvell announced yesterday.

WINNIPEG ISOLATED BY STORM YESTERDAY

Tempest of Sleet Swept Across
Manitoba and Western
Ontario.

WINNIPEG, April 8.—A sleet storm yesterday swept across Manitoba and western Ontario, taking down before it telegraph and telephone wires and poles. Winnipeg was virtually isolated as a result and was without telegraphic communication.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Ramsay, of Edmonton, were passengers from the train to boat last night on their honeymoon trip. Mr. Ramsay is a son of James Ramsay the well known Edmonton department store proprietor.

CABINET MET THIS MORNING TO DEAL WITH LIQUOR LAWS

VICTORIA, April 8.—The cabinet met again this morning and discussed the appointments to the liquor board and the possibilities of bringing the act into force by May 1.