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TROTSKY SERIOUSLY ILL WHILE SOVIET REGIME IS AGAIN THREATENED

Officially Announced That Government Liquor Control Will Be Effective June 15

VICTORIA, May 19.—Government control of the liquor business will come into effect on June 15, according to the official announcement of the Liquor Board this morning.

The increase of taxation on liquor import consequent upon recent changes in the tariff announced last week at Ottawa will be absorbed partly by the board and partly by the consumers fifty-fifty basis. The new tax will mean an additional cost of 65 per bottle.

Secretary of Labor is Empowered to Settle the Big U.S. Seamen's Strike

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Representatives of the seamen and marine engineers have empowered Secretary of Labor Davis to settle the marine strike for them with the ship owners.

The Shipping Board understands that the basis of the agreement Mr. Davis will propose is a reduction of fifteen per cent. He is asking for changes in regard to overtime and working conditions which will bring the actual reduction of from ten to fifteen per cent.

The cooks and stewards were not represented at the conference with Mr. Davis.

Hostilities Continue in Old Ireland

and Ambushes Still Take Toll of Killed and Wounded.

Police Inspector Was Attacked in a Church

DUBLIN, May 19.—Hostilities between the crown forces and the various factions in Ireland are continuing apace and each day sees its toll of dead and wounded in the struggle.

A person was killed yesterday in a riot which followed a meeting of the Unionists in Dublin. Police Inspector Walsh was attacked by three men in a Catholic Church in that city and seriously wounded. As a result eight men have been arrested.

In County Waterford thirteen men, surprised by the military, were killed without a struggle. Dick Bunney, a former soldier, was taken from his home and killed during an attack on a military lorry one civilian lost his life.

Leader Captured.

Labels boarded a train in County Mayo and compelled the train to stop. Fire was opened on the barracks and the police used the rebels. One was killed and Jim Hunt, a prominent leader in the district, was captured.

Two policemen were killed and were wounded in an ambush by revolutionaries in County Londonderry.

Sailor named Williams was taken from the barracks on Point and riddled with bullets on the seashore.

BIRTH.

A son was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kelly, 11th Avenue, at the General Hospital.

DOMINION HOUSE MAY PRODUCE NEXT WEEK; BUDGET VOTE TONIGHT

OTTAWA, May 19.—An effort is being made to prorogue parliament by Friday or Saturday of next week with the practical closing down of committee work. It is expected that the house will commence morning sessions shortly.

The vote on the budget is expected tonight.

JAPAN ORDERS NEW 20,000 TON SHIP IN UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, May 18.—The Japanese navy commission which is visiting here has signed a contract for the construction in the United States of a 20,000 ton fuel ship to supply the Japanese navy. It is to be electrically driven.

SASKATCHEWAN JUDGE DIED THIS MORNING

Mr. Justice Elwood Passed Away at Regina After Long Illness

REGINA, May 19.—Mr. Justice E. L. Elwood, of the Saskatchewan court of appeals, died this morning after a long illness.

He was born in Gooderich, Ontario, in 1868.

ADMIRAL WATSON CLEARS FROM SEATTLE BOUND FOR ALASKA

SEATTLE, May 19.—The steamer Admiral Watson, the second steamer to sail from here for Alaska since the marine tie-up, cleared this morning with a crew signed on under the new Shipping Board wage scale.

ROTARY CLUB GETS CHARTER

Two Visitors at Luncheon Held Today—Message from Victoria.

Capt. Newcombe of D. G. S. Malaspina and Newton F. Pullen of Victoria were guests today at the Rotary Club luncheon held in the St. Regis Cafe club room upstairs.

Capt. Newcombe congratulated the club on its formation and spoke appreciatively of the work of Rotary clubs generally. He felt sure the club would be an influence for good here.

Newton Pullen said he came from the south into whose way went the money which was paid out here and he came with fear and trembling. He said he was a member of the Gyro Club recently formed in Victoria, he attended the meeting of the Kiwanis Club every week, and he had also attended some of the meetings of the Rotary Club and these were powerful forces in a community. One stood for "Service before self," the motto of another was "We Build" and the third stood for "Friendship." He looked forward to the time when service and not self would be the guiding principle in men's lives and he wished them every success.

At the commencement of the meeting the secretary read a letter from the District Governor stating that the local charter had been granted.

From Victoria.

A letter from the secretary of the Victoria Gyro Club was read as follows:

"At its luncheon held on Monday, May 9, the Victoria Gyro Club unanimously passed and instructed Gyro Dick Pullen to personally deliver the following resolution:

"The Gyro Club of Victoria cordially greets the Rotary Club of Prince Rupert. We fully realize that both new organizations have a responsible work in an immense field, that our aims are identical. Gyro is but a child of Rotary, aiding in the unifying of a world to the end that friendship, in its highest interpretation of mutual assistance, shall become more widespread."

President Doby said the District Governor would be here in the near future to officially install the officers and start the club going. They should put on an entertainment for the occasion so he appointed the committees.

CITY OFFICIALS VISIT POWER BASE

Mayor, Aldermen and Superintendent Have Gone to Thulme River.

Mayor H. B. Rochester, Aldermen S. E. Parker and John Dykhaven and T. C. Duncan, superintendent of utilities, have gone to Thulme River to inspect the dam site and transmission line on the power project that is now being considered for the city with that river as the base. They will be gone a couple of days.

MAY CONTEST HUSBAND'S WILL.



Mrs. Cecil Ready Oyster, the 26-year-old bride of the late 72-year-old bridegroom, George W. Oyster, wealthy clubman and philanthropist, who died several months ago. Friends are wondering whether or not Mrs. Oyster was left anything by her aged husband, who left a \$15,000,000 fortune. It is reported that she will contest the will.

Another Revolution Threatening Soviet Government Russia

RIGA, May 19.—Leon Trotsky is reported to be seriously ill with cancer.

Premier Lenin is seeking permission to proceed to London to continue trade negotiations.

Many strikes have made conditions bad in Moscow where the workers demand increased bread rations. Five hundred people have been arrested in connection with the disturbances but the strikers are demanding their release and are threatening violence.

Omsk, Siberia, is reported captured by revolutionaries numbering 40,000 who are now marching on Tomsk. Part of the Soviet garrisons have joined the revolutionaries.

Not on Trade Mission.

STOCKHOLM, May 19.—The report that Lenin, the Russian Bolshevik premier, intends to go to London to negotiate with the British government regarding trade relations is denied by Leonid Krassin, the Bolshevik minister of trade.

Russia has placed orders in England amounting to five million pounds and British ships are now loading in Petrograd, the minister further declared.

LIVED AT CHILLIWACK SIXTY-THREE YEARS

CHILLIWACK, May 19.—Isaac Kipp, the first white man to locate in the Chilliwack valley, is dead here at the age of 82 years. He was born at Woodstock, Ont., and came here 63 years ago.

INDEPENDENT STATE

LONDON, May 19.—The War-saw correspondent of the London Times suggests an independent state for Upper Silesia as the only solution of the question.

NEW LIGHTHOUSE TENDER EXPECTED TO ARRIVE TODAY

Birnie, Capt. Ormiston, was at Alert Bay Bound North On Saturday.

The auxiliary lighthouse tender Birnie, Captain H. A. Ormiston, is expected to arrive at the Digby Island marine station this afternoon from Victoria to take up her work in the northern waters supplementing the Newington on smaller jobs where it is not necessary for the steamer to go. The Birnie was at Alert Bay last Saturday on her way north. She is a 75-foot gasoline launch.

CHIEF JUSTICE WHITE DIES AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Chief Justice White died here this morning early. He had held the position of chief justice since 1910.

Imitation Hayseeds Fed Gay Time Last Night at Big Dance and Tombola

The big Hayseed Dance given by the Agricultural Association last night in the Exhibition Hall was a great success in every way. Everyone had a great time and there was much mirth and hilarity. As a result of the affair the total gross receipts were over \$1,100 and the net proceeds towards the improvements of the fair building and grounds will be in the neighborhood of \$800 or \$900. The association tenders its thanks to the generous donors and the committees who worked so hard towards making the event the success that it was.

The affair started with the parade of the G. W. V. A. band from down town and soon after its arrival at the hall the celebration commenced and continued till the early hours of the morning. The band provided very creditable music and many took the floor. George Frizzell, as master of ceremonies, kept things moving in good shape and there was never a dull moment.

Appropriate Costumes.

Prizes were awarded for the most appropriate costumes and there were indeed some clever ones. Of course, owing to the nature of the affair, these were mostly all along grotesque lines and some of the costumes were indeed well made up. With the use of makeups and costumery some well known persons about town had their friends guessing to identify them for a while. About 10 o'clock there was a grand march of those in costume and the prize winners were chosen by the judges, Mayor Rochester, Mrs. J. G. McLennan and H. F. Pullen. The awards went to Miss Rose Green and P. J. McCormack, lady and gentleman respectively. Both were garbed in farm costumes, the former a neat farm girl, while the latter was along more comical lines.

The Tombola

The drawings for the plenitude of prizes commenced early in the course of things and kept many interested. This drawing continued until well on to midnight, many of the prizes being claimed on the spot while there is a large list of numbers waiting to be claimed. The principal prize, the handsome cake donated by the St. Regis Cafe, was won by Chief Engineer Scott, of the Malaspina. The numbers still out for prizes as yet unclaimed are as follows: 160, 153, 256, 122, 497, 44, 534, 5, 24, 309, 13, 289, 35, 568, 409, 771, 379, 165, 873, 942, 189, 607, 391, 286, 682, 324, 767, 414, 138, 744, 57, 826, 231, 504, 889, 814, 169, 151, 624, 913, 688, 618, 62, 498, 527, 599, 185, 619, 393, 458, 308, 809, 863, 325, 804, 847, 597, 281, 692, 30, 52, 751, 549, 664, 920, 427, 900, 941, 638, 395, 95, 755, 860, 2 and 642.

Those Responsible

For the success of the affair much credit is due to Jack Venables, who originated the idea and worked energetically in making arrangements and in the carrying out of the event last night. Assisting him on the prize committee was John Meltzer. The refreshments were attended to by the Daughters of the Empire, who served ice cream, cake, coffee, tea and such refreshments, while Ben Self, with his band of assistants, dispensed hot dogs, pop, candy and smoke.

Other committees were:

Publicity and Printing—George Munro and W. E. Thompson.
Dance—George Frizzell.
Decoration—S. E. Parker.
Finance—George Bryant and F. G. Dawson.

On this trip the boat will catch halibut and black cod, all other fish taken on the banks being thrown back into the water. In taking black cod, it is the custom to fish rather deeper than for halibut.

The Andrew Kelly and the G. E. Foster will leave, one next week and the other the week following, the former skippers being in charge.

The cold storage reports a small quantity of salmon coming in but the prices are tending downwards, from 12 to 14 cents being paid for red springs.

ITALIAN SITUATION

ROME, May 19.—The National coalition supporting Premier Giolitti has been returned to power by a large majority. The opposition split six ways.

GEDDES FAVORS DISARMAMENT

Denies Report that Britain and Japan are Allied Against the United States.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Sir Auckland Geddes denies the rumor that England and Japan are allied against American peace.

Geddes favors a reduction of armaments but says that one nation could not disarm alone. He urged the formation of an international agreement between the businessmen of the United States and Great Britain.

POLISH REBELS DEMOBILIZING

Korfanty Orders Men to Surrender Arms and Go Back to Work

LONDON, May 19.—Polish consul Beuthen has notified the interallied commission that Korfanty has declared a cessation of hostilities in the Silesian revolution and has ordered a surrender of arms and resumption of work. The consul declares ten thousand men have been demobilized already.

JAMES CARRUTHERS LEFT FOR HALIBUT BANKS THIS MORNING

The fishing steamer James Carruthers left this morning for the halibut banks with Captain Parsons and a crew of 31 men including eighteen fishermen.

The Carruthers is one of three fishing steamers operated by the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company, each with a capacity of 170,000 lbs. of fish. On one memorable occasion one of them brought in 200,000 lbs. of black cod.

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