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Germany Is Seething With Unrest

LEGISLATURE DECIDES AGAINST SALE OF NEAR BEER BY PRIVATE PERSONS

Lunenburg Member Pleads for Prince Rupert to be Given Cars to Handle Fish Catch

"Mr. Speaker, I only rose to say a few words in regard to the Prince Rupert fishing industry. I do hope that the minister of railways and the Government will see these people get the necessary refrigerator cars to handle the fish which goes into that port three times a week. The fishing industry of Prince Rupert should be encouraged. There is no reason why the Government should not give Prince Rupert the proper accommodation. If they do so the population of that port will increase by leaps and bounds and it will be a most advantageous thing for the section of the Canadian National Railways connecting with that port."—W.M. DUFF, M.P. for Lunenburg.

Ten days ago a telegraphic despatch told that William M.P. for Lunenburg, had taken up the cudgels on behalf of Prince Rupert in the House of Commons at Ottawa. The Hansard of Mr. Duff's speech is now to hand and the following is therefrom:

GREEKS ARE OUT AFTER THE TURKS

Offensive Commenced Yesterday With 120,000 Men—Turks Have 90,000.

ATHENS, March 24.—Greek troops numbering 120,000 are participating in the Greek offensive against Turkish Nationalist forces in Asia Minor. The Turks have about 90,000 troops. The offensive commenced on Wednesday.

Public Scandal

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The fishery of British Columbia is a very important source of revenue and it is a public scandal that the Government, especially the Minister of Marine Fisheries, should treat the fishery of Prince Rupert in the manner which has been going on. For instance, on the first of this month no less than 145,000 fish were taken and a disgrace for those

Red Flag Was Hoisted and Bombs Freely Used in German Socialist Riots

BRUN, March 24.—Communist workers have seized the administration building in Hamburg, occupied the Blohm-shipyards and hoisted the red flag. Workers in the other parts of the city have quit work and begun organizing demonstrations. The city hall has been destroyed by a bomb and the police have been used against city administration buildings at Leipzig, Dresden and other cities of central Germany, the riotous have directed their efforts against court houses and banks, banks and police headquarters.

Financed by Soviet.
LONDON, March 24.—(Noon)—A general strike in Germany is declared, by the Communist Party. The strike is spreading throughout the industrial districts of Germany and is threatening the great economic, political and copper works, say from Berlin.

Death Toll.
LONDON, March 24.—(Noon)—

SILESIA DECLARED TO BE A REPUBLIC INVADED BY POLES

LONDON, Mar. 24.—Armed Polish hands have crossed the frontier into Upper Silesia and declared a republic. Germans are fleeing in disorder. This is a counter move to prevent the country becoming a part of Germany.

GREAT CATHOLIC DIGNITARY DEAL

Cardinal Gibbons Passed Away This Morning in Baltimore, Aged 88.

WAS GREAT POWER IN CHURCH AND STATE

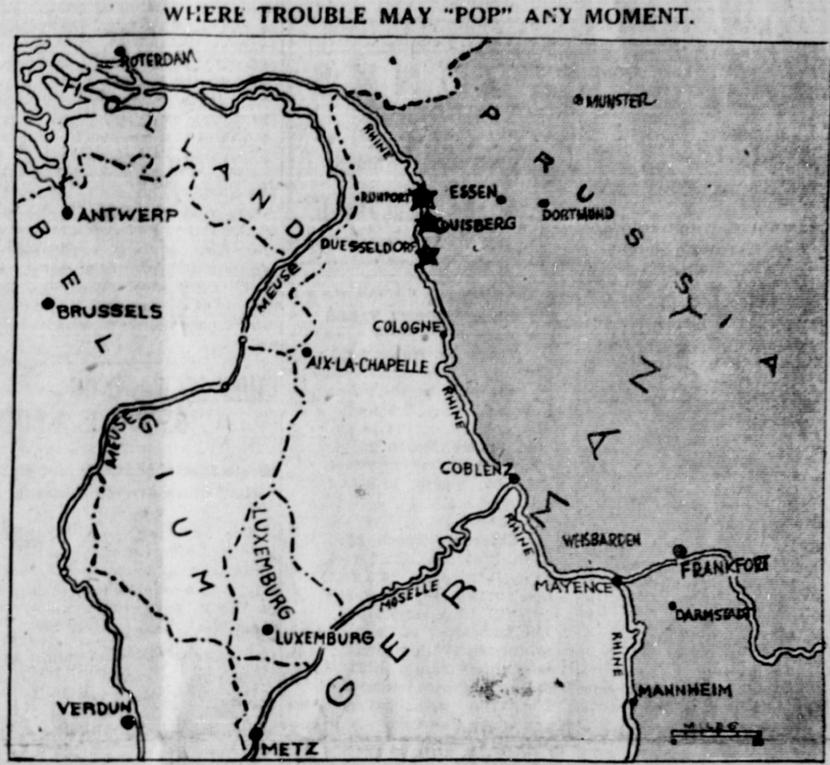
BALTIMORE, March 23.—Cardinal Gibbons died here this morning. He was born in Baltimore July 23, 1833, and was the son of Irish parents. Cardinal Gibbons, as senior bishop of the church, wielded a strong influence outside as well as within the United States. The confidant of three popes, he made several important tours to Rome the last in August, 1914, a few days after the opening of the war, to elect the successor to Pius X. He arrived too late, however, to participate in the ceremony that elevated Benedict to the Pontificate.

Active in War.
Cardinal Gibbons was active in his work for the Allies in the war in a letter written to the Catholics of the archdiocese of New York in 1917 when the United States entered the conflict, urged the fullest support of the government.

In a sermon at Baltimore, in 1918, he praised the speech by Lloyd George and said that Germany's war aims would fail. About the same time he explained Benedict's war policy, an article which so pleased the Pope that he ordered it translated and published broadcast.

Supported League of Nations.
The Cardinal's views on political, economic and sociological questions were frequently sought by newspapers. In interviews he endorsed the plan for the establishment of the Jewish Homeland in Palestine, he opposed the government ownership of public utilities, maintained that prohibition meant "the invasion of home and sacramental practice," condemned divorce, praised the work of the Salvation Army in France, favored American military training, implored the clergy to fight Bolshevism, demanded that the Turk should be driven from Europe and appealed to the public to support America's entrance into the League of Nations. At a convention of Irish Nationalists in Philadelphia he expressed the hope that the Paris Peace Conference would make it possible "to free Ireland."

Throes of Anarchy
LONDON, Mar. 24.—Further details have been received of the disorders in Hamburg. Four persons were killed and 36 wounded at the shipyard. A minor state of siege is declared and the industrial districts in the middle of Germany are said to be in the throes of anarchy.



Occupation of German territory which the Allies had announced they would take possession of as one of the penalties for Germany's failure to meet the Allied reparations demands has been carried out. The occupation of the city of Duesseldorf, the largest of the cities taken over, was the first city entered and that of Duisburg and Ruhrort, comprising together the chief port of the Ruhr coal and industrial region, followed.

TWENTY BILLION GOLD MARKS PAID OR MORE PENALTIES

PARIS, March 24.—The German Government has been notified by the allied reparations commission that the total amount of twenty billion gold marks due under the peace treaty must be paid by May 1 or additional penalties will be inflicted upon Germany.

MORE OUTRAGES IN CORK NEIGHBORHOOD

Number of Young Men Driven From Refuge Farm—Four Killed.

CORK, March 24.—A number of young men have been driven from the refuge farm at Glogheen and four shot dead as they ran. Police Sergeant Coughlan was killed and three policemen wounded in an ambush in County Mayo last night. A party of soldiers were ambushed by 200 revolutionaries near Longford. Capt. Peak was killed and every other member of the party wounded.

ANARCHISTS BLOW UP MILAN THEATRE

Supposed to be Work of Malatista Sympathizers—Many Casualties.

LONDON, Mar. 24.—The Diana Theatre at Milan has been blown up, it is believed by sympathizers with the imprisoned anarchist, Malatista. Twenty were killed in the explosion and twenty more may die. There are many other casualties.

Make New Province of All The North from Parallel 52

Ottawa, March 24.—The formation of a new province of Canada consisting of "all that portion of British Columbia which lies north of the 52nd parallel of north latitude and including Yukon Territory, subject to the approval of the majority of the electors of all the territory mentioned as determined by a plebiscite" is the substance of a resolution moved in the House of Commons by Col. Peck and seconded by Colonel Alfred Thompson of the Yukon.

The 52nd parallel passes south of Ocean Falls and Bella Coola, but north of Rivers Inlet. The proposed new province would therefore take in all the industrial centres of the north and would include the Cariboo.

There Will Be No Beer Except in Government Stores, says Legislature

VICTORIA, March 24.—There is to be no beer clause in the moderation bill unless it should be inserted when the bill comes up for its third reading. An amendment will be moved then to have eight per cent beer sold in clubs and hotels.

The vote on the Mackenzie amendment to raise the percentage of alcohol by weight from one to two per cent was defeated by a vote of 32 to 12.

Near beer was dealt a death blow by the adoption of an amendment presented by M. B. Jackson, member for the Islands, to the effect that no other than the government vendor shall sell or deal in any liquid known or described as beer, near beer or by any other name whatsoever commonly used to describe malt or brewed liquor.

Those who supported the Mackenzie amendment for two per cent beer were Pattullo, Sloan, Hart, Farris, King, Mackenzie, Kergin, Perry, Lister, Uphill, Sutherland and Anderson. Other amendments by the attorney-general were proceeded with.

CHAMBERLAIN RE-ELECTION

Appointed Lord Privy Seal; Speaker Retires in Favor of Deputy

LONDON, March 24.—Austen Chamberlain, new leader of the House of Commons, has been appointed Lord Privy Seal, necessitating a re-election in Birmingham. The seat is considered a safe one.

Speaker Lowther is retiring from his position and the position has been offered to Deputy Speaker J. H. Whitley.

IRISH QUESTION DOMESTIC ONE

So Says Pemberton Billings in an Address at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, March 24.—The Irish question is a domestic problem for Britain to settle and the United States should not intervene, Pemberton Billings, member of the British Parliament, declared in an address to the Chamber of Commerce. He said that agitators were using the Irish situation as a cause of cleavage between the two people, British and Americans.

FRANCE AND GERMANY

Reply Sent Regarding Indemnity But Not Yet Made Public.

PARIS, March 24.—The Government sent a communication to the German Government tonight in reply to Germany's refusal to pay the indemnity of a billion marks. France's reply is not made public.

ECONOMY FOR CIVIL SERVICE EXPRESSED BOTH SIDES OF HOUSE

VICTORIA, March 24.—A demand for greater economy in the outlays for the civil service has been voiced in the legislature both by the government and opposition members during the discussion of the estimates.

SOVIET TROUBLES

Armies in Disorder and Troops Deserting in Crowds.

LONDON, March 24.—Two Soviet armies stationed near Pskov are in open disorder and the soldiers are deserting in crowds. Martial law has been declared in sixteen provinces.

Tsimpsaan and Tyoe Lodges A. F. & A. M.

The funeral of the widow of our late Bro. Byron Dewhirst, P.M.P.Z. of St. Augustines Lodge No. 972, England, will be held on Saturday, March 26, leaving the B.C. Undertaking Parlors at 2:30 p.m. All brethren are requested to attend.

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Secretary Tyoe Lodge No. 66.