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Britain is to Save a Quarter Billion ONE MORE FINE BLOCK TO BE PUT UP IN THE BUSINESS SECTION

United States Does Not Want Measure on Reciprocity now

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Hon. W. S. Fielding, Canadian minister of finance, who came to Washington several days ago in the interests of a general tariff reciprocity agreement between the United States and Canada, has been advised by the congressional leaders that Congress does not look with favor upon any such agreement at this time.

Opposition against any general reciprocity agreement with Canada was voiced today by Chairman McCumber of the Senate finance committee, when he was advised that Mr. Fielding was in Washington in the interests of such an agreement.

LOYD GEORGE RESIGNATION SUGGESTION

Story is Sensation of Britain—No Public Announcement Made

LONDON, March 2.—Lloyd George has not publicly threatened to resign but has told Austin Chamberlain he will do so if the opposition continues. The story is the sensation of Great Britain and the elections may be hastened unless Lloyd George resigns personally and leaves the King free to ask Chamberlain to form a Government, which would, however, be short lived.

FIRST LADY IN HOUSE OF LORDS

Lady Rhondda Granted Privilege Which Establishes a New Precedent.

LONDON, March 2.—Lady Rhondda is to be the first lady to sit in the House of Lords. A petition asking for the privilege has been granted by the committee on privileges. This establishes a new precedent and is looked upon as the first step in the reform of the House.

Lady Rhondda is the widow of Thomas who was made a peer in 1916. Not many years before his death he acquired valuable coal fields in British Columbia in the Groundhog country and these are inherited by his wife.

The new member of the House of Lords is an artist of note. She is also interested in public affairs.

EMPERESS WILL SAIL FROM NEW YORK TO LIVERPOOL MARCH 23

NEW YORK, March 2.—The Empress of Britain will sail from New York to Liverpool on March 23, on a special trip. This is the first time a Canadian-Pacific liner will have sailed from New York.

DOMINION COAL OUTPUT IS 15,000,000 TONS

OTTAWA, March 2.—The output of coal from Canadian mines for the twelve months ending December 31, 1921, amounted to 15,000,000 short tons valued at \$74,273,000.

TOTAL OF BOOKS FOR LIBRARY IS NOW 541. Up till noon today a total of 541 books had been received through public donations for the proposed municipal free library. G. V. Wilkinson, who is in charge of the collections, reminds the public that the children will be around on Saturday to collect books, and asks that the parcels be ready for them when they call.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER IS IN DISTRESS OFF SOUTH OF CAPE RACE

BOSTON, Mar. 2.—The Norwegian freight steamer Grontoft is reported to be sinking about 500 miles southeast of Cape Race. Radio messages received give the report that life boats have been smashed. The steamer Estolia is going to the assistance of the Grontoft.

SIX MEN ARRESTED HAD NO CONNECTION WITH TAYLOR MURDER

LOS ANGELES, March 2.—Detective Sergeant Herman Gline, who is in charge of the investigation into the murder of William Desmond Taylor, the moving picture director, said today that the six men who were arrested on Tuesday on suspicion, have no connection with the affair.

MORE DISTURBANCES TAKE PLACE EGYPT

LONDON, March 2.—Three persons were killed and 24 others were injured this morning in disturbances at Tanta, Egypt, 55 miles north of Cairo. Native soldiers quelled the disturbance and restored order.

FLAVELLE TO RETIRE IS OTTAWA RUMOR AND PROBABLY TRUE ONE

OTTAWA, March 2.—Rumors that Sir Joseph Flavelle was about to retire from the chairmanship of the board of management of the Grand Trunk Railway do not indicate any new development, according to Government officials, who state that Flavelle's appointment was only temporary.

FIRST PICTURES OF ELECTION OF POPE PIUS XI.



These pictures, the first to arrive in the United States, show scenes attending the election of Pope Pius XI. The upper picture was taken just before the Cardinals adjourned to a strictly guarded session in Sistine Chapel, where they were confined in separate compartments until a decisive vote was cast. Food was brought to them which was prepared by nuns. This was the first time in history that nuns instead of servants prepared the food for the Cardinals. When the Conclave was called all the Cardinals participating in the voting were given their final instructions by the Grand Marshal of the Sacred College. The lower photograph shows the famous Swiss Guards at the doors of the Sistine Chapel, which were closely guarded throughout the meeting of the College and during the voting for the new Pope.

Rigid Economy in Britain's Government will Effect an Immense Saving this Year

LONDON, March 2.—The British Government expects to save this year a sum approximating £54,000,000 (approximately a quarter of a billion dollars) as a result of retrenchment in the various departments of the government, including the army and navy and education.

Some time ago Sir Eric Geddes was appointed to head a commission which would make recommendations to the British Government how it could save £100,000,000. While they failed to make out a case for as large an amount as that, the recommendations approached very near to it.

Sir Robert Horne, chancellor of the exchequer, dealing with the Geddes economy report in the House of Commons and alternative suggestions submitted by the government, said the reduction in naval plans would be chiefly as regards personnel, officers and administration. The government could not ask for a reduction of the naval personnel below 90,000, and the government proposals for naval expenditure were only £1,000,000 lower than the Geddes suggestion. The government will reduce the education estimates by £6,500,000.

THANKS FOR MESSAGES. OTTAWA, March 2.—Princess Mary cables grateful thanks for the kind messages from Canadian Orangemen. LEST WE FORGET. Tonight the Orangemen invite you. Whist Drive and Dance.

Another Permanent Building to be Erected by Oklahoma Man on Third Avenue West in this City

Another permanent building is to be erected in the business section of the city according to advice which has been received by George Arnold, manager of H. G. Helgeson Limited, from W. R. McGeorge of Oklahoma City. Mr. McGeorge announces that he has definitely decided to build on the south side of Third Avenue West, between The Daily News office and the Beckwith Block, a two-storey concrete building. The first floor will be for stores and the second for offices or apartments, it not having been definitely decided which as yet. The small house which at present occupies one of the two lots on which the building is to be erected will be removed to allow for the full fifty-foot frontage.

Mr. McGeorge, who owns a good deal of property in the city, will be here towards the end of this month to make final arrangements and get construction under way. The agents are considering applications for occupancy of the first floor.

SCOTTISH CUP SOCCER GAMES

Fourth Round Will be Played March 11 and Draw is Announced.

LONDON, March 2.—The draw for the fourth round of the Scottish Cup soccer ties will be played on Saturday, March 11, is as follows: Motherwell vs. Morton. Hamilton vs. Aberdeen. Rangers vs. St. Mirren. Queen of South vs. Partick.

ANOTHER NEW YORK BUSINESS HOUSE HAS GONE TO THE WALL

NEW YORK, Mar. 2.—One more brokerage house went to the wall today when it was announced that the firm of Scott & Stump had been suspended from the Stock Exchange.

TANKER HERE WITH CARGO REFINED OIL

The Imperial Oil Company's tanker Talarite arrived in port at 11 o'clock last night from Iloilo with about 20,000 barrels of refined oil for the local tanks. The vessel is unloading today and will return south tonight or tomorrow.

FEBRUARY WEATHER REPORT VERY GOOD

During Month Just Past Precipitation was 2.35 inches and Bright Sunshine, 122 Hours.

The weather summary for the month of February issued by H. O. Grewe, Dominion meteorologist, is a very satisfactory one indeed. The precipitation was low at 2.35 inches and there were 122 hours of bright sunshine actually recorded. The maximum temperature was 47 above on February 28 and the lowest 8 on February 13.

STOLEN MAIL FROM CHICAGO BELIEVED HAS BEEN DISCOVERED

KANKAKEE, Ill., Mar. 2.—Four mail pouches, filled to capacity and believed to contain registered mail stolen from the central baggage room in Chicago have just been taken from a Chicago train.

GRIFFITH HAS DAIL EIREANN UNDER CONTROL

Collins Urges Members to Get Down to Practical Things in Adjourning House.

DUBLIN, March 2.—While the provincial government have to fight every step of the way and to take part in much lengthy and bitter debate, Arthur Griffiths appears to be gaining strength in the Dail Eireann and seems to have the house under control.

Premier Collins in adjourning the house caustically asked the members to get down to practical things and permit the government to get on with Ireland's work.

KID NORFOLK AND WILLS TO MEET TONIGHT

Battle in New York Might be Described as "David and Goliath" Tableau.

NEW YORK, Mar. 2.—A pugilistic tableau that might be entitled "David and Goliath in Sepia," is to be given here tonight by the two heavyweight performers, Harry Wills and Kid Norfolk. Wills, known as the "Black Panther," weighs 210 lbs. and his height is six feet, four inches. Norfolk, known as the "Darktown Thunderbolt," is seven and one-half inch shorter than Wills and weighs 185 lbs. The meeting will likely develop an opponent for Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, for Wills is considered the most likely of all the heavyweights today.

GREECE RELEASES FRENCH STEAMSHIP

Espoir Sails for Home After Discharging Cargo of Coal at Piraeus.

ATHENS, Mar. 2.—The Greek Government has released the French steamship Espoir, which was captured by a Greek destroyer off the coast of Asia Minor on February 12. The Espoir sailed from the port of Piraeus after the cargo of coal had been removed.