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SEDITION DOCUMENTS ARE DISCOVERED BY THE POLICE NEIGHBORHOOD OF LONDON

PAPERS DEAL WITH SUGGESTED PLOT TO SEIZE AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES AND ESTABLISH A SOVIET GOVERNMENT

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, August 12.—Seditious documents have been seized by the police in a raid on the western suburb of Acton. The papers dealt with a suggested seizure of arms and ammunition from military stores by revolutionaries and the establishment of a soviet government in London.

This bears out a statement recently made by the Times to the effect that the authorities were convinced that a number of the strikes in England were part of a conspiracy for the purpose of harassing the government, and that if the police strike had succeeded it was to have been the signal for a general rising. Apparently the police strike failed and the English "Bobbies" are at their posts with the exception of a few hotheads who have been dismissed and who are still trying to foment trouble.

BOLSHEVIK SHORTAGE OF MUNITIONS

Operations Against Kolchak Have Ceased Owing to Lack of Supplies for Army.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, August 11.—The Bolsheviks of Russia are suffering from a shortage of supplies and munitions and as a result their armies have been forced to cease operations against the troops of Admiral Kolchak, head of the All-Russian government at Omsk.

The collapse of the Bolsheviks probably means the overthrow of the government and the death of Bolshevism as a real menace to the peace of Europe.

TEN FISH BOATS SOLD THEIR CATCHES HERE THIS MORNING

Today is a buying day at the Fish Exchange and there are a large number of boats in from the banks discharging their catches. All report very fine catches on the outside during the last few days. Many boats, which were held up at the end of last week, are not expected back until Friday or Sunday.

Those posted on the Fish Exchange for today are:—Holdal, 1,000 lbs.; Albatross, 18,000; Nier, 3,000; Albatross 30,000; Ahnel, 4,000; Norna, 4,000; Ahnel, 7,000; Lenor, 15,000; and, 8,000; Sadie, 1,500; Agnes, 11,000, and Alliance 7,000 pounds. They sold at from 10.10 to 11.10 a pound.

The Markwell has returned with 1,000 lbs. of red spring salmon and 750 cohoes.

The Zorra which is packing salmon from North Island for the Fish Fisheries, left for Stephens Island today. The other packer, the Kitgora, which is in the same service, is expected in shortly.

In the police court this morning before Magistrate McMordie, Tronson was fined \$15 and costs. He was arrested yesterday evening in front of the Empress hotel and was charged today with indecency. The man was under the influence of drink.

EMPRESS
New Show Tonight
THE AMAZING ACTRESS
PRISCILLA DEAN
IN
"The Wild Cat of Paris"
A thrilling drama of the Paris underworld
FATTY ARBUCKLE
MABEL NORMAND
in "Sea Nymphs"
Pathe British Canadian Gazette
Admission 15 and 30 cents
Two Shows, 7:15 and 9.

BREMAN'S ENTIRE CREW HAVE ARRIVED
Berlin, August 12.—The entire crew of the big German submarine Bremen have arrived home safely. The vessel was thought to have been sunk three years ago with all on board.

CARD CASE DISMISSED

Insufficient Evidence to Convict Chas. Gustafson of Cheating at a Card Game.

In the preliminary hearing of the case of Chas. Gustafson who came up before Magistrate McMullin in the Provincial Police Court yesterday afternoon it was found that there was insufficient evidence to convict him. Gustafson had been arrested by Chief Vickers upon the complaint of Pete Dio who said that he had been swindled while playing black-jack on the way down from Anyox.

On the ship, Dio had complained to the captain and Constable Logan, who was also on board, accompanied the captain to the second class quarters to make an investigation. The game was over when they arrived there, but a deck of cards produced in court was picked up. These were all marked on the back and a face card could be distinguished from the number card which had the number imprinted along the fan on the back of the bicycle deck. No one was found who admitted owning the cards and Gustafson said that it was not wrong for him to win at cards. As dealer he had got \$175 from Dio. There was not enough evidence to push the case any further.

LONDON BAKERS BACK AT WORK

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, August 11.—The big strike of bakers in England which caused so many people to go hungry, ceased yesterday and the men are back at work today.

This strike has been in effect for some time and has caused much inconvenience to the greater part of the population.

SEVEN BURNED TO DEATH AT MONTREAL

(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Montreal, August 11.—Seven persons were burned to death in Sunday night's fire on the scenic railway at Dominion Park, an amusement resort close to this city.

SHIPBUILDING SITUATION IS STILL UNCHANGED
There is today no change in the shipbuilding situation. The Dominion Government shipbuilding inspector and Lloyd's representatives are in the city today, but they find the work tied up owing to the perversity of some of the people at the head of affairs. Prince Rupert people are looking for the Dominion Government to take action. It is ridiculous on Government contracts to have the business tied up at the whim of one man. Newman Erb of New York controls the shipbuilding concern. He is the man people look to and if he has failed we have no one but the Government to watch our interests.

FRENCH GIANT AIRPLANE IS ON LONG TRIP

Arrives at Casa Blanca on Way to Senegal, Distance 1820 Miles.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Paris, August 12.—The giant French airplane Goliath, has arrived at Casa Blanca en route to Senegal. The long journey of 1820 miles is expected to be completed in three days.

The big ship has a crew of ten men.

PROTEST AGAINST ROUMANIAN EXCESSES

(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Vienna, August 11.—The British representative at Budapest has protested to the Roumanian commander against the excesses of the Roumanian troops in Hungary.

HUNGARY RECOGNIZES ARCHDUKE JOSEPH

London, Aug. 11.—A despatch from Budapest says the new ministry has decided to recognize Archduke Joseph as regent until an assembly is elected.

MINIMUM WAGE FOR GIRLS IN THIS PROVINCE

New Order Goes Into Effect on Saturday Next With Heavy Penalty for Contravention.

Notices have been sent out to a number of the employers in this city with a copy of an order of the Minimum Wage Board in regard to the wages of girls. It provides for a minimum wage for girls working in offices or stores or similar positions and gives the length of day they may work.

Girls under 18 years of age must receive a minimum of \$11 a week during the first six months of employment, with a dollar a week raise every six months.

Girls over 18 years of age must be paid a minimum of \$15 a week or \$65 a month and no girl over or under eighteen years of age must work more than 48 hours a week.

Girls employed as cooks, waitresses, housekeepers, janitresses, chambermaids or similar occupations must be paid not less than \$12 a week if under 18 years of age and \$14 a week if over 18 and the hours of work shall not exceed 48 hours a week. If lodging is provided the sum of \$3 a week may be deducted for it and \$5.25 a week for board of 21 meals.

Employers are under a heavy penalty for breaking this order which comes into effect at the end of this week.

CONDITIONS IN HUNGARY

Commission Appointed to Investigate and Report to Peace Conference.

Paris, August 12.—An inter-Allied commission has been appointed and sent to Hungary for the purpose of thoroughly investigating conditions and reporting on what course of action should be taken in regard to that country. Unless this mission reports no action will be taken by the Peace Conference.

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CAPTAIN HOY'S MACHINE CRASHES AT GOLDEN AS HE IS LEAVING FOR THE COAST

ARRIVES SAFELY FROM CALGARY AFTER HAVING CROSSED ROCKY MOUNTAINS, BUT IS UNABLE TO CONTINUE OWING TO DAMAGE TO PLANE

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Golden, August 12.—Captain Hoy arrived here yesterday just after noon but owing to an unfortunate accident to his machine was unable to continue his flight. When attempting to rise in order to continue his journey to Vancouver the machine crashed to the ground but fortunately the aviator was unhurt. The machine was so badly damaged that Capt. Hoy was unable to continue the flight.

Captain Hoy started on his return flight from Calgary at 9:56 Monday morning going by way of the Kicking Horse Pass instead of the Crows Nest. He arrived safely at Golden.

SEVERAL THOUSAND CASES OF SALMON ARRIVED HERE TODAY

The tug boat Alice is tied up at the Grand Trunk wharf this morning, having returned from Alaskan waters with a large scow load of canned salmon. The barge which is carrying the salmon is new and has an elevator on board which can handle the 70-lb. boxes very efficiently.

Today's shipment which is being distributed by W. C. Hume, of San Francisco, has been loaded onto the box cars on the siding at the freight shed. The shipment consists of between 5 and 6 thousand cases.

INCREASED PASSENGER BUSINESS TO PORT

Tourist Travel Heavy and Local Developments Have Stimulating Effect.

The passenger traffic through this port over the main line, has been much heavier this year than ever before. The tourist travel especially has been heavy and as a result the railway and steamship line have been doing a large business.

The local developments such as the revival of Stewart, the increased interest in Alice Arm, and the general return to more nearly normal conditions following the war, have had a stimulating effect on travel this way.

FRASER SOCKEYE PACK IS A FAILURE

Total Catch for Season in That River is only 200,000 Cases.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Vancouver, August 12.—The Fraser River fishermen say that the sockeye run this year is again a failure. According to their estimates the total pack for the season will not exceed 200,000 cases.

BOARD OF COMMERCE TO BE APPOINTED

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Ottawa, August 11.—It is stated here that Judge Robson of Winnipeg will be chairman of the new Board of Commerce and that W. F. Connor, K.C., will be a member.

The new board is to be both investigatory and mandatory and will have power to deal with combines, which have for their purpose the undue enhancement of prices.

PRINCE OF WALES IN NEWFOUNDLAND

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

St. John's, Newfoundland, Aug. 12.—The Prince of Wales landed from the battleship Renown at Topsail, a fishing village on Conception Bay, for the first visit on Newfoundland soil.

LOCAL CIVIL SERVANTS MEET

Report of Delegate to Vancouver Convention Indicates Salary Increases—Annual Ball in September.

Last evening a meeting of the local branch of the Civil Servants Association was held in the Court House, W. J. Ledlie, president, in the chair. The meeting was called primarily for the purpose of hearing the report from the delegate to the grand convention held in Vancouver recently.

W. S. Fisher, who was the delegate from the Prince Rupert branch, said that the convention had been well attended by delegates from all parts of the province. The association was now one of the strongest of its kind, and had some 950 members, all active. The convention was addressed by Hon. E. T. Barrow, minister of agriculture, representing the government, who said that the movement had the heartiest sympathy of the members of the cabinet, as they realized that in such times it was necessary to have co-operation for the purpose of improving their position.

The civil service commissioner, W. B. McInnes, also addressed the gathering, and intimated that the work of regrading the salaries of the staffs was now well under way. The result of this work when completed would mean that there would be an average increase of some thirty per cent all round in salaries, and in addition, the members compelled by their duties to live in the northern parts of the province would also be made a living allowance extra, on account of the higher cost of living there.

This report was well received by last night's meeting. The only other business was the recording of a decision to hold the association's first annual ball, which will likely take place during the third week in September.

INTERNATIONAL LABOR MEETING

Conference to be Held at Washington on October 29, According to Treaty.

The International Labor Conference which was provided for in the Peace Treaty recently ratified, has been called to meet in Washington on October 29. Labor being international in its scope, and the industrial conditions of one country having a great effect on the labor conditions in every other country, the only method of settling labor problems is by united international action.

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R. W. Sinclair and F. Goodenough came in from Inverness by boat yesterday afternoon.



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