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That Are Imposed By the Peace Treaty Says Phillip Scheidmann.

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IN WAY OF HANDING OVER THE PERSONS DEMANDED.

Switzerland Is Not Likely to Permit the German War Criminals to Be Tried in That Country.

(Canadian Press Despatch) Berlin, Feb. 9.—Phillip Scheidmann, former secretary for foreign affairs, writing in the National Zeitung, says that since the Government, with the approbation of Parliament, had signed the peace treaty, it had tried to fulfill the conditions imposed, but since June last he had seen that such fulfillment was impossible. Herr Auerl, former minister of interior, says he is well disposed towards the Allies and will place no difficulties in the way of the German Government handing over the persons demanded.

Switzerland Refuses. (Canadian Press Despatch) Zurich, Feb. 9.—Swiss newspapers publish what apparently is an official or semi-official note saying the Government would refuse to have Germans accused of war crimes in the event of their being proposed by Germany. The view is held that Germany may suggest this in reply to the Entente note.

STOCK MARKETS.

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Opening	Closing
Aetna	79 1/2
B. & O.	30 3/4
C.P.R.	121
Reading	67 1/2
Southern P.	72
So. Railway	21
Union Pacific	118 1/2
Marine	32
Marine pfd.	85 1/2
Gen. Motors	266
Studebaker	93
Am. Loe.	92
Am. Smelters	93
Baldwin Loco.	111 1/2
Anaconda	67 1/2
Bethlehem Steel "B"	90 1/2
Int. Nickel	21 1/2
Inspiration Copper	52 1/2
Rep. Steel	107 1/2
U.S. Steel	100 1/2
Midvale	46 1/2

Canadian Stocks.

Canadian	43
Can. Cement	8 1/2
Can. Steamship	8 1/2
Can. Loco.	100 1/2
Cons. Smelters	29
Dom. Steel	71 1/2
Maple Leaf	186
N.S. Steel	60
Steel of Canada	80
N.A. Pulp	7

HAVING GOOD RESULTS.

J. M. Hughes, organizer for the finance committee of the Forward Movement in the Kingston Methodist district, when asked by the Whig if any of the canvassers had reported, said that some made reports which convinced him that everything was going along very well. A number of the farmers who are making the canvass reported on Monday noon that they were having very good results.

Agreement Signed.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—A new wage agreement, affecting some 1,600 employees throughout Canada, was signed by the Canadian Express Company granting a general increase of from ten to twenty per cent. in wages, which in some cases amounts to an addition of forty to fifty dollars per month.

To Have New Motor Boat.

L. E. Frye & Company, boat builders, Clayton, N.Y., have begun work on a new motor boat for George C. Sherman, president of Taggart's Paper Company, Watertown. A force of six men are now at work on the boat which will take two days to build. It will be one of the biggest and staunchest boats on this section of the river as well as possessing considerable speed.

Campbell Teachers.

The request of the twelve assistant teachers of the Campbell public school, for an increase of \$200, was refused by the Board of Education. The present minimum is \$400, and the maximum \$700. An increase of \$50 on the minimum and \$100 on the maximum was offered. This the teachers refused to accept. They have requested a reconsideration.

All the Passengers and Part of the Crew from the Stranded Steamer Princess Anne were Landed Saturday Afternoon at New York.

George Lansbury, editor of the Daily Herald, the British Labor Journal, has left Helmsford for Petrograd.

ACCEPTS CANADIAN DOLLAR AT PAR

New York, Feb. 9.—John McE. Bowman, head of a group of six of New York's largest hotels, announced Saturday afternoon, that Canadian currency would be accepted at 100 cents on the dollar at his hotels in future. Canadian checks will be cashed at the Bowman hotels at their full face value, the announcement also states.

"There is absolutely no reason for any difference between the money of the two countries," Mr. Bowman declares in this message. "There is no boundary in language—no boundary of any sort except what is artificial, and there should be no restriction of any kind upon trade and social intercourse."

Mr. Bowman is a Canadian by birth. Several of the hotels which the controls are patronized extensively by Canadians visiting New York.

EXCELLENT RESULTS OF HOUSING POLICY

Federal Appropriation of \$25,000,000 to Be Taken Up This Year.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—Housing acts, adopting the Federal project for which \$25,000,000 was set aside on February 20th, 1919, have either been passed or are being prepared in each of the nine provinces, according to Thomas Adams, town planning adviser to the Commission of Conservation, who has the Federal scheme in hand. There has been delay in two of the provinces, but it is expected that legislation will also be adopted in these.

According to information reaching Ottawa, British Columbia and Ontario have made most progress in housing development. About 1,400 houses have been erected or are in course of construction in Ontario and some 90 municipal schemes have been prepared or are under consideration. It is estimated that between 4,000 and 5,000 houses will be erected this year in Ontario if money is available. The amount actually borrowed by the provinces and the estimates now available, indicate that the whole of the Federal appropriation of \$25,000,000 will be taken up during the present year. In addition to this amount for housing, the Ontario Government provided \$2,000,000, and there are prospects of further sums from other provinces.

FOUR WERE KILLED IN COURT HOUSE ATTACK

Troops Fired on Mob That Aimed at Lynching a Negro Murderer.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 9.—Four persons were killed and fifteen injured here today when a mob, intent upon lynching William Lockett, a negro who confessed to the murder of ten-year-old Geneva Hardman, charged the court house during the Lockett trial and was fired upon by police and state troops. Two women were among those wounded by troops. While the mob, the ring leaders of which carried a rope, was attempting to get into the court house to get Lockett, the jury found him guilty of first degree murder, and a minute or two later the negro was sentenced to die in the electric chair on March 11th. After the attack, the prisoner was spirited away to a place of safety. Four hundred troops from Camp Taylor, Ky., have been ordered to Lexington to prevent any further trouble.

SEIZED WARSHIP AND TRAIN.

Soldiers Disguised as Railmen Capture the Foodstuffs. Trieste, Feb. 9.—The forces of Gabriele d'Annunzio, Italian insurgent leader at Fiume, have seized the destroyer Carlo Alberto Racchia. The destroyer was on the way from Brindisi to Pola when taken. A train of foodstuffs has been seized at St. Pietro del Casero by d'Annunzio volunteers, marching as railroad engineers.

Board of Commerce Has Granted the Textile Manufacturers Ten More Days, Dating from Today, in Which to Fill in the Questionnaire Sent It by the Board.

Sir George Paish, in his appeal for help for Europe, to the people of Philadelphia, made a charge of extravagance in living against Americans.

AID TO THE ARMENIANS

Harry Lauder in a letter to the Toronto Globe says: "The appeal to the Canadian people on behalf of the stricken remnant of the Armenian race and the wonderful response on the part of your fellow-Canadians is magnificent."

"The sufferings of these people under the heel of the Turk are indescribable and their condition to-day most pitiable."

"As a visitor to your country, may I congratulate you on the appeal and recommend it for further favor of this hospitable and large-hearted Dominion."

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AN INSTITUTE FOR CANADIANS

Is To Be Established in Paris For Purpose of Study.

FRANCE FORCES NEW LINK WITH CANADA IN REGARD TO HIGHER EDUCATION

The Various Provinces Likely To Establish Twenty-five Scholarships For Graduates of Canadian Universities.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—Legislation will be introduced at the approaching session of the Provincial House providing for scholarships for Ontario students in connection with the establishment in Paris of an institute for young Canadians studying in the French metropolis. Similar action will be taken by the other Provinces of Canada, the proposal to establish such an institution having been endorsed by the various Governments of the Dominion.

The scheme has been enthusiastically approved in France, the feeling in Paris being that the great republic is "reaping the first intellectual fruits of victory."

This move in the interests of higher education for Canadians is the sequel to visits made to the Dominion by Hanotaux, of the French Academy, a very well-known public man, and M. Philippe Roy, Canadian Commissioner-General in France.

Mr. Roy spent some time in Canada interviewing the Provincial Ministers of Education, and was informed by Hon. R. H. Grant, on behalf of the Province of Ontario, that "Mr. Drury, the Prime Minister, and myself, agree fully with your proposal and congratulate ourselves that it cannot but produce the most desirable results for our Province."

It is thought that twenty-five scholarships will be established by the Provinces of Canada, so that many young Canadians will be able to avail themselves of the opportunity for study at the University of Paris and in addition will have at their disposal the facilities of a very fine institute exclusively for Canadian students in the French capital.

None of the arrangements respecting qualifications have been made as yet, but it is thought the scholarships will be for graduates of Canadian Universities.

THE LATEST NEWS OF THE WORLD

Despatches That Come From Near and Distant Places.

TIDINGS FOR OUR READERS

PRESENTED IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

The Whig's Daily Condensation of the News of the World From Telegraphic Service and Newspaper Clippings.

Hon. Duncan Marshall at Hamilton urged farmers to take more pride in their occupation.

David Kyle, M.C., vice-president of the Algoma Steel Corporation, died at Saint Simeon, Ottawa, counsel for the Retail Merchants' Association; Mr. Justice Sir Louis Davies, figures in the action of the Board of Commerce to have the Supreme Court determine its status.

FOR PEACE WITH RUSSIA

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M. Joffe, the newspaper adds, said Russia desired peace with all nations, and merely stipulated a main condition, no interference in her internal affairs.

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AT COMMERCE BOARD TRIAL. From left to right the upper figures are: T. Robinson, Ottawa, counsel for the Retail Merchants' Association; Mr. Justice Sir Louis Davies, figures in the action of the Board of Commerce to have the Supreme Court determine its status.

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ALL THAT SHE OWES WILL BE EXACTED WHO IS LEADER OF OPPOSITION?

Germany Must Pay France Every Dollar, Premier Millerand Tells Parliament.

Paris, Feb. 9.—The Chamber of Deputies voted confidence in the cabinet upon an interpellation with regard to its foreign policy. The vote was 518 to 68. Premier Millerand asserted that the government was determined to execute vigorously and fully the peace treaty and serve notice upon Germany that "all that she owes we will exact."

The premier said he considered that the Germans had flagrantly failed to execute the delivery of coal, which was most important to France, while burning more coal than the French to warm themselves.

M. Millerand declared he regretted that the United States had not yet ratified the treaty, but remarked that the reparations commission was functioning, and "we have no dispute concerning the final decision of the United States."

LICENSE FEES WILL BE RAISED FOR 1921

The Farmers' Government Intends to Boost the Ontario Auto Revenue.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—Revenues to the Province of Ontario for motor license in 1921 will reach the new high record of nearly \$2,000,000, it is anticipated by officials. This will mean something like \$500,000 of new income for the province, as last year's revenue was approximately \$1,500,000 from this source alone.

As intimated some time ago in a speech by Hon. F. C. Biggs, Minister of Highways, there is a probability that all motor license fees will be boosted proportionately in the near future. The reason for the contemplated boost is to help pay the expenses in carrying out an elaborate road-building programme that the new Farmers' Government has mapped out. Motorists, it has been limited, will be called upon to pay an average of \$1 a year for the road privileges they enjoy or the average of \$3 a year more than they now pay.

GETS TOLL ROADS.

County of Carleton Takes Over Thirty-eight Miles Near Ottawa.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—The ownership of all six toll roads running into Ottawa, with a total mileage of about thirty-eight and one-half miles, passed to the county of Carleton, when Judge Constantineau, gave the county permission to enter onto the roads, after the four toll companies concerned had waived their right to have a deposit on the roads paid into the Supreme Court of Ontario.

NEWS IN BULLETIN.

Sir Glenholme Falconbridge, chief justice, died of pneumonia on Sunday morning in Toronto.

Herr Noske, German minister of defence, announces that it will be absolutely impossible to deliver the generals and admirals demanded by the Entente.

Former high war officials of Germany are hurrying over the border into Switzerland in great numbers.

It is officially announced that Odessa has been occupied by Russian Red forces.

The British steamer Bradovne foundered in mid-ocean. Twenty five were rescued and fifteen not heard from are believed to have been lost.

The British Parliament reassembles on Tuesday.

Hockey—St. Pats, 4; Ottawa, 3; Canadiens, 6; Quebec, 2.

Petitions for \$2,000 Bonus. Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 9.—Two petitions asking the government to grant the \$2,000 bonus to returned soldiers are being circulated by a committee representing various veterans organizations. The petition to be signed by returned men asks that they be re-established in civil life.

Possibility of a Canadian railway strike appeared Saturday when it was learned that the Canadian general committee had forwarded a letter to union headquarters in Cleveland asking sanction of strike action.

Seven members of the Canadian Royal Mounted Police with forty dog teams have started from Twelve Mile, Yukon, for Fort MacPherson.

"IS YOUR NAME SMITH?"

1,000,000 Members of Smith Family to Be Hunted Down.

New York, Feb. 9.—Twelve thousand Smith College girls started today to hunt down the 1,000,000 members of the Smith family in the United States. As each Smith is found he or she will be asked, "Do you realize you have a great name?"

When he or she answers "yes" the girls will call attention to the \$4,000,000 Smith College endowment fund now being raised. If each Smith gives a dollar it will help. If each gives \$4 all work will be done.

G. K. Chesterton said: "In the case of Smith, the name is so potent that it must be an arduous and heroic matter to live up to it. Smith is the name of the one trade that even kings have respected."

Only Demand the Cruel.

London, Feb. 9.—Great Britain does not mean to make a "wholesale demand" for the surrender of German generals, statesmen and princes, said Lord Robert Cecil at a mass meeting in Albert Hall. "It is our intention to have those who ill-treated prisoners in Germany punished, but we do not mean to make a wholesale demand for the surrender of generals, statesmen and princes."

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Hartley Dewar Wants the Job And Also the Allowance.

Ferguson Doesn't Care

THE SUEAKER MAY DECIDE THE KNOTTY QUESTION.

Or It May Be Referred to the Chief Justice of Ontario For an Opinion.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—Premier Drury and his followers have had some trouble figuring out who will be the official leader of His Majesty's Royal Opposition in the Ontario Legislature. They don't want to offend Mr. Dewar, nor would they hurt Mr. Ferguson's feelings, if they can help it. The Liberal leader believes he has a title to the position, and the \$5,000 that goes with it, together with the \$2,000 salary which is voted for his secretary. He has been occupying the office of the leader of the Opposition at the parliament buildings, and has already applied, it is said, for the salary for his secretary, in order that the stipend may be paid monthly.

The Government may abolish the \$5,000 salary that goes with the Opposition leader's position, so that nobody's feelings may be hurt. As the act stands, it is up to Mr. Nelson Fortin, the new chief minister, to name the official leader of the Opposition. The act says the speaker must designate the leader of the forces opposed to the Government, and until he does the \$5,000 cannot be paid.

There is some talk at Queen's Park of asking the chief justice of Ontario for an opinion on the matter. Some of those concerned in the appointment say that it is a matter of law and that the speaker is not called upon to decide the question.

Meanwhile, however, Hon. G. Howard Ferguson is not worrying about who gets the \$5,000, and says that Mr. Dewar is perfectly welcome to the leadership of the Opposition so far as he is concerned.

Inasmuch as Mr. Dewar wants the office, therefore, he seems more likely to get it, unless by default. There are some Liberals who do not want to be forced into the position of opposing the U.F.O. "Let the Conservatives oppose the farmers," they say. "It is bad policy for us to attack them any more than we can help."

ARE DEMOLISHING THE PHANTOM CITY

St. Joseph, Near Bayfield, That Has Everything But Inhabitants.

London, Ont., Feb. 9.—A London wrecking company is engaged in the demolition of "St. Joseph's," the phantom city on Lake Huron, near Bayfield, established twenty years ago by Narcisse Cantin, a French-Canadian, who secured the backing of Montreal capitalists. It is claimed that nearly three-quarters of a million dollars of private property were sunk in the fruitless project, while the Dominion Government aided the plan by building a harbor and wharf. The buildings included a two hundred bedroom four-story hotel with a hundred-foot bar, on what had been a country estate. The building was never occupied, and in recent years sections of it have been wrecked from year to year to meet the unpaid tax bills. In addition there were a three-story garage, a machine shop and an electric lighting plant, with valuable machinery. A large administrative building, a block of retail stores, and scores of large houses. The streets were laid in macadam, sidewalks were laid, arrangements were made for a public heating service, but none came to patronize the place and the venture collapsed. The deserted village was a curiosity for Western Ontario motorists in recent years, but the hotel site will this year be again a waste field. The shortage of building materials in London is the cause of the demolition of "St. Joseph's."



MISS JEAN GRANT OF CALGARY who publishes the weekly newspaper of market prices for ranch and farm products.



FRANK HARRISON Native of Stratford, Ont., who is succeeding E. G. Macpherson, as chief postmaster at Vancouver. Mr. Harrison has been assistant postmaster at Vancouver for 15 years.

ESTABLISHING A CLINIC HERE

FOR QUEEN'S MEDICAL STUDENTS

Kingston Clinical Association Limited Incorporated With Capital of \$100,000—Present Public Library Property Purchased for Building.

Incorporation has been granted to the Kingston Clinical Association, Limited, with a share capital of \$100,000. The purpose of the Association is to conduct a medical clinic which will supply a standardized systematic examination for the benefit of the medical students of Queen's. Specialists in each branch of medicine will be in charge and all modern scientific equipment will be used.

The Association has purchased from the Anglican Synod, for \$12,000 the property upon which the present Public Library stands and the land adjoining to the east of it. An architect has been engaged and plans for a suitable building are being prepared. In this building the doctors will have their offices and laboratories and electrical and other necessary equipment will be installed.

The names which appear on the application for incorporation are J. C. Connell, W. T. Connell, G. W. Mylke, J. F. Sparks and J. P. Quigley. It is intimated that Dr. W. T. Connell will be director of the Clinic and that other medical men than those named will join the association.

This is an interesting development in view of the present hospital agitation and with reference to the recent proposals to dismember the Queen's medical school. It will have the effect of making Kingston a more important medical centre than it is at present. It is the first Clinic of the kind to be established in Canada.

Dean Connell is doing everything possible to make Queen's medical college the very best. Several years ago he inaugurated the scheme for the enlargement of the Kingston General Hospital and this scheme now is to be carried to a successful issue. In connection with it is the inauguration of the above mentioned clinic, which will give medical students who come to Queen's more facilities for practical study than are afforded by either McGill or Toronto medical schools.

QUEEN'S STUDENTS

We have just received a special order of Swiss Silk Neckwear, woven in the University colors.

Collier's Toggery