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NEGOTIATE FOR SURRENDER OF NORTHERN BOLSHEVIK ARMY

(Canadian Press Despatch)

London, Aug. 25.—Negotiations leading to surrender to the Poles have been begun by the northern Russian Bolshevik army, according to a Vienna despatch received here. The latest information from Warsaw indicates that the advance of the Polish armies continues rapidly and that the Bolsheviki seem anxious only to lose contact with the Poles.

Warsaw advices report the capture of Kolno near the east Prussian frontier, north of Lomza. More than ten thousand prisoners were captured in this region. Reports from various fronts, particularly the northern sectors of the line, indicate that the Bolsheviki are demoralized and fleeing everywhere in great disorder. The Polish minister of war has issued a statement stating that of the 250,000 Bolsheviki troops participating in the offensive on Warsaw, more than 140,000 have been accounted for, and that nearly all the other detachments have been shot to pieces.

Poland Rejects Soviet Terms.

London, Aug. 25.—Poland's reply to the peace terms presented by the Russian Soviet delegation at Minsk amounts to a flat rejection, says the Manchester Guardian's Minsk correspondent in a wireless despatch filed in that city Monday.

"Out of the fifteen Russian demands," he continues, "only one is acceptable, and that relative to demobilization, and that only on condition that Russia takes a similar course simultaneously. The terms relative to disarmament, the closing of munition plants and the delivery of munitions to Russia are indignantly rejected. The Bolshevik terms relative to a Polish workers militia and control by Russians of the railway line from Bialystok southward are declared beyond discussion."

NEW YORK'S CRITICAL HOUSING SITUATION

Mayor Hylan Favors Using City's Sinking Fund on Loans for Dwellings.

New York, Aug. 24.— New York city faces a housing situation this fall no less acute than that which last spring caused an army of tenants to march on Albany demanding new rent laws.

Last spring the immediate problem which faced legislators was passage of measures which would protect tenants in a city where every apartment was at a premium from grasping landlords. Next fall the problem which is expected to engage attention of state law makers is the encouragement of apartment house building.

Experts have given it as their opinion that next fall, instead of having more flats, New York's meager supply will be depleted by several hundred. The reason, they said, was that demand for office space, especially on Manhattan, had caused many property owners to raze old apartments for construction of commercial establishments which they could rent at higher prices. Some experts asserted that rent laws passed last spring, designed to check the meteoric rise of rents, had tended to check building of apartment houses.

Various plans have been suggested for encouragement of home building, including co-operative ventures and use of the city's sinking fund for loans on bonds or mortgages. The latter plan has been advocated by Mayor Hylan, who is seeking to establish the legality of such action.

Farmers Party Not Planning Active Campaign Just Now

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—The Farmers political party will not this fall undertake any public campaign throughout the Dominion, it is stated here. During the summer a good deal of quiet work has been done in the way of organization and perfection of the detail of their political machinery, but it is not the intention of the leaders of the party to follow the example set by Premier Meighen and Hon. Mackenzie King to the extent of making a series of public addresses, according to what can be learned here.

Drowns When He Takes His First Dive Into Lake

St. Catharines, Aug. 25.—Clarence O'Donnell, aged 38, of Niagara Falls, was drowned while bathing at Port Dalhousie. The man, who had not become very proficient at swimming, decided to take his first dive. He chose the harbor for the dive and failed to come up after the plunge. His body was recovered by Walter Parnell half an hour afterwards, but the pulmotor failed to revive him. His mother is an invalid.

Ouija Lifts Emerson Trophy.

Rochester, N.Y., Aug. 25.—The Ouija, dinghy of the Lake Sailing Skiff Association, Toronto, won the 12-foot championship of Lake Ontario here, defeating the U. S. boat, Arrow, by seven minutes thirty-five seconds elapsed time, over the six-mile course. The Ouija won the first race a week ago. In addition to the championship, the Ouija wins the Emerson trophy.

First Wheat Yields $2.51.

Dauphin, Man., Aug. 24.—F. Forsberg was the first farmer to sell his wheat on Dauphin market this season. He sold 2,000 bushels of No. 1 Northern, to the Grain Growers' Company, at $2.51 a bushel. The grain is yielding well and will grade high.

First Trans-Canada Flight Next Month

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—While no definite choice has yet been made, it is practically certain that the first trans-Canada flight, to be attempted next month under the auspices of the Canadian Airboard, will see Col. Robert Leck, superintendent of the certificate branch of the C.A.F. as pilot. It is understood that the first half of the trip will be made by seaplane and from Winnipeg west by airplane. While the general operations of the air-board are for exploration, survey and fire protection purposes, the board proposes to test out the commercial possibilities of air transport. The board itself does not propose to make any commercial ventures, but will supply general information on the subject.

DOORS SHUT TO V.C. MEN.

Suggestion That Heroes be Guests Ignored in Toronto.

Toronto, Aug. 25.—More than twenty holders of the Victoria Cross are expected to attend the Canadian National Exhibition on Saturday, the opening day, and a great deal of disappointment, as well as surprise, is being expressed at the fact that not one of the wealthy residents of Toronto has offered the hospitality of his home to a V.C. veteran, notwithstanding hints from the press that this would be expected. Hotel accommodation is being arranged for the V.C.'s, now that private hospitality is not forthcoming.

IT IS KAFFIR COWPOX

Prince Expresses His Regret Over Epidemic in Jamaica.

Kingston, Aug. 25.—The Prince of Wales has sent a message to the governor of Jamaica, expressing his distress over the outbreak of an epidemic on the island. He assured the people of his warm sympathy for them in their misfortune, and expressed the hope that the disease would be speedily arrested.

The epidemic is not small pox, as was feared at first, but has been diagnosed as kaffir cowpox. Four hundred cases have been reported.

SHORTAGE OF MATERIAL

Tar Replaces Cement In Capital's Streets.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The shortage of cement in the capital has driven not only contractors but also the city engineering department to dire measures to repair roadways. The contractors are using bricks to replace cement in the building of foundations while the city engineering department is using tar instead of cement to cement cobble stones together.

COURSE OF TRUE LOVE,

Cut-in On Engagement Goes to Prison For Year.

London, Aug. 25.—Paul Mellor, the ex-army officer, recently arrested on a charge of fraud, was sentenced to twelve months imprisonment. Mellor is the officer who figured in the Helen Butler episode, recently, when the typist was reshipped by immigration officers from Halifax to London via New York, following her refusal to marry her original fiancee, Capt. Kitchin, Sydney, N.S.

Wireless Operator Drowned.

Cornwall, Aug. 25.—Stanley J. Drenk, wireless operator on the big steamer Lake Ikatan, of the United States Shipping Board, the headquarters of which are in Cleveland, Ohio, was drowned in the Bergin Lake section of the Cornwall Canal Sunday evening.

Drenk tried to swim ashore from a boat anchored about one hundred yards from shore, but never reached the land. It is supposed he was seized with cramps. His body was recovered shortly afterwards. Dr. Messecar, Mille Roches, was present and made efforts to recover life, but they proved unavailing.

Owning Homes.

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—City records show that one in every eight residents of Winnipeg owns his or her home. The city's population is placed roughly at 215,000. Although 33,000 owners are listed, 7,000 reside elsewhere, leaving 26,000 actually occupying their property.

Can Nominate Canadians.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

St. John, N. B., Aug. 25.—Military headquarters here reports that a limited number of vacancies at the Royal Military Academy, Woolwich and Royal Military College, Sandhurst, England, have been allotted to the Canadian government for nomination; ages are between seventeen and eighteen.

Fifth Felt Factory Planned.

Kitchener, Ont., Aug. 25.—Barney Joseph, a local Akron dealer, has decided to erect a felt factory in this city for the purpose of preparing raw material for the trade. His plant will make the fifth felt factory to be built here.

Orange Lodges' Forward Movement.

Belleville, Aug. 25.—Lieut. M. J. O'Brien has ben recommended as organizer for the Orange Association forward movement for Ontario East and his appointment will be officially announced in a few days.

Dame Lloyd George.

London, Aug. 25.— Mrs. Lloyd George has been awarded the Order of the Dame Grand Cross of the British Empire, and will now be officially designated as Dame Lloyd George, G.C.B.E.

CHILE IS SETTING THE PACE IN NAVIES

It is Buying Warships From Great Britain—May Fight Peru.

Washington, Aug. 25.—The Chilean Government has bought the warship Canada and four light cruisers from the British Government and it is rumored that six more British destroyers of the 900-ton type are to be purchased by Chile. The balance of power in South America has been badly dislocated by these additions to the Chilean fleet, and it is already evident that Brazil, Argentina and Peru are taking a decided interest in the matter of increasing their naval strength.

Word has been received here that the Commanding Admiral of the Chilean navy has sailed with his staff from Valparaiso for Arica on the battleship O'Higgins. The Tacna-Arica boundary dispute has been a source of controversy between Chile and Peru for years, and there are indications of another conflict between the two countries over it. Chile has 12,000 troops in Arica and is making preparations to receive 3,000 more there.

In quarters where all international moves are watched with interest the sale of the British warships to Chile is not construed as shewing any effort on Great Britain's part to assist Chile in preparations for war.

There is a general agreement that the British Government is entirely innocent of such intention. The news of the sale of the Canada and a number of destroyers to Chile is officially interesting to observers of international affairs as showing a new naval policy on the part of the British Admiralty.

DRUGLESS HEALERS TO OPPOSE ORDER

London Doctor Declares That the Quarantine Decree Will be Fought.

London, Ont., Aug. 25.—The convention of Drugless Healers of Canada to be held here in September will consider plans to fight "petty persecution" alleged to be directed against osteopaths and chiropractors. The matter is brought to a focus by the order of the provincial health authorities directing local medical officers of health to quarantine any drugless healer who attends cases of diphtheria or other communicable diseases. Dr. A. W. MacFie, of this city, one of the prominent officers of the Drugless Healers' Association, declared today that if another influenza epidemic should break out, or if his services were otherwise required by the sick, he would attend in contravention of the order though he should be jailed for it. Recently he refused to attend two cases of diphtheria because such patients are not sought by chiropractors and osteopaths, but the members of the profession object to being legislated into restricted channels.

Dr. E. S. Detwiler asserted that the issue would be fought for the purpose of establishing a precedent as soon as the medical officer of health moves to enforce the new quarantine regulation.

Carvell Will Hear 'Phone Rates Application

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Attawa, Aug. 25.—"You can say that I will be on the bench when the application of the Bell Telephone Company for increased rates comes up for hearing," said Hon. Frank Carvell, chairman of the railway commissioners, to the Canadian Press, this morning when attention was drawn to newspaper reports that he would not be able to hear the Bell Telephone Company's application for increased rates because of his connection with the New Brunswick Telephone Company. Mr. Carvell said he had been a director and a small shareholder of the telephone company, which is operated under the Utility board of New Brunswick, and this does not come under the jurisdiction of the railway commission.

THE PRINCE OF ROYAL BLOOD.

New York Greets the Crown Prince Carol of Roumania.

New York, Aug. 25. — Crown Prince Carol, of Roumania, widely known as the "Prince of Romance," because he risked forfeiture of his succession to the throne by following the promptings of true love to take as his bride a girl not of royal blood arrived at the Grand Central terminal yesterday for a six days' visit. The visit is unofficial, as he is travelling incognito, and the city which welcomes him can do so only unofficially.

Prince Carol, whose marriage a year ago to Mile Zizi Lambrino, daughter of a Rumanian army officer, caused him to be hailed as a "regular fellow," had very little of the appearance of royalty as he stepped from the train from Chicago, which was an hour late in arriving.

He wore a gray suit covered by a belted tan raincoat, while a tweed rainproof hat completed his likeness to the average travelling European. His appearance was not at all distinguished, but it seemed to please more than 200 Rumanians assembled at the station to see him—even if the United States secret service men would not permit them to greet him at close quarters.

HELD FOR RANSOM

U. S. Citizens Are Released; British Subject Is Held.

Mexico City, Aug. 25.—Pedro Zamora has released six of the United States citizens who were kidnapped recently by him in the state of Jalisco, but is holding one W. A. Gardiner, superintendent of the Esperanza Mining Company, for 100,000 pesos ransom, and W. B. Johnson, a British subject, for 50,000 pesos, according to advices received here today.

Winnipeg Board of Trade elected Edward Parnell its new president.

CLAIM MADE FOR $43,000,000

Romance Connected With Big Estate of Bishop Who Left Austria.

Montreal, Aug. 25.—A claim to a $43,000,000 California estate, now in the hands of the United States government, the heirs to which have been advertised for for a number of years, was placed in the hands of Lyon W. Jacobs, K.C., by Hyman Horovitz, of 1371 St. Urbain street, montreal.

The estate, it is claimed, was left by Mr. Horovitz's father's uncle, also named Horovitz, who was a bishop in the Roman Catholic church in the United States. There is a long romance connected with the case which ended in the death of the bishop, who died in Mount Sinai hospital, New York, leaving an estate worth $43,000,000 . The bishop was born in Austria, leaving that country after a love affair, which terminated because the girl was not of the same religion as himself.

Mr. Horovitz claims he is in possession of documents proving that he is second cousin to the dead bishop. The claimant keeps a small grocery store in this city.

International Nickel Planning New $3,000,000 Rolling Mill

Toronto, Aug. 25.—The International Nickel Company, which already has one of the most complete organizations of the kind on the American Continent, is planning the expenditure of close upon $3,000,000 on a new rolling mill at Sudbury. This plant is to be used exclusively for the rolling of monel metal—work that is now done at Bayonne, N.J.—and eventually, it is understood ,all the operations of the company will be carried out in Canada, either at the mine and plants at Sudbury and Copper Cliff or at the recently established refinery at Port Colborne. Monel metal is a composition of pure nickel and pure copper, and is in demand because it is not susceptible to the influence of acids, because it is only affected in small measure by the presence of heat or cold, and because of its freedom from oxidization it will not, like steel, gather barnacles. For this latter reason monel metal entered largely into the construction of the yacht Resolute, which sucessfully defended the America's Cup.

Take Action in Winnipeg To Curb Rent Profiteers

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—The joint council of industry is to ask the provincial government for permission to launch an investigation into the rentals in Winnipeg, according to a report among those actively engaged in frustrating profiteering by apartment block owners.

Endorsation of a plan to call a public meeting of tenants, to be followed by an interview with provincial cabinet ministers, at which a demand would be made for the passage of a "fair rental" bill at the next session of the legislature, will be considered by the Army and Navy Veterans' Association at an executive Apartment owners and rental agents declared that they would welcome an investigation into general advances being made in rentals.

Settling in the West.

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—During the first six months of this year 12,869 immigrants from Europe and the United States passed through Winnipeg on their way to homes in the west acording to figures complied at the immigration hall here. The settlers brought with them more than $6,000,000 in cash and goods worth about $2,000,000.

SUSPECTED MURDERER ARRESTED ON SHIP

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Rio Janeiro, Aug. 25.—Eugene Leroy, wanted in Detroit in conection with the murder of a woman supposed to be his wife, was arrested on board a British freighter which arrived here yesterday. Leroy was a member of the crew. The ship will sail to Buenos Ayres, then to New York, where the man will be turned over to Detroit officers. The body of the murdered woman was found in a trunk about a month ago in a baggage rom in New York.

ARRESTS FOLLOWED GIFT TO MINISTER

Alleged That Centrepiece Presented Was Stolen From a Cottage.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The arrest of David Sheperd, his wife and two children, of Bristol Corners, Ont., on the charge of burglary, followed the presentation of a beautiful centre piece by Mrs. Sheperd to Rev. Mr. Smith, of that place, who is leaving to acept a position in a university in Eastern Quebec. The centre piece was identified as one stolen from the summer cottage of Mrs. Lowthian, at Norway Bay. It is said the Sheperd children made a statement. A number of other articles were also taken from the cottage and the authorities are endeavoring to locate them.

MESSAGE FROM OSHAWA WORRIES MAN IN JAIL

Roland Cartwright Sentenced In New York for Theft of Automobile.

New York, Aug. 25.—A young man who said he was Dr. Roland Cartwright, Rochester, N. Y., was sentenced to ninety days in the city prison in the county court, Brooklyn, for the theft of an automobile belonging to Solomon Feinman, Brooklyn. Cartwright was arrested at Peekhill June 19th, while trying to dispose of the automobile for $400. He had run out of gas and money at the same time, according to the police. While awaiting trial he received mail and telegrams at the jail. Over one of the messages, which said that "Louise' was sick, he displayed some emotion, but he would not identify "Louise." The message was from Oshawa, Canada.

$35,000,000 IN PENSIONS.

Canada's Bill for Next Year Increases by $10,000,000.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The last pensions cheques before the coming into effect of the new scale are now being issued. These are the August pensions cheques, which have been going out from the Pensions Board's offices here since August 10th. The September cheques will carry the increases recommended by the special parliamentary committee, and which were the basis of amendments to the Pensions Act made during last session. Canada's pension bill for the 12 months ending August 31st this year will be, it is estimated, in the neighborhood of $25,000,000. With the increases going into effect on September 1st of this year, it is estimated that the pensions bill for the next twelve months will be increased by $10,000,000 and the total will be $35,000,000. This is exclusive of the payments necessary through the commutation of pensions, as provided for in the amendments to the act.

Two Sets of Twins.

Quebec, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Charles Auclair, of this city, during the last fifteen months has given birth to two sets of twins, the first pair being born in May, 1919, and the second on Saturday. All the babies and the mother are in excellent health.

HOW THE POLISH CAPITAL WAS SAVED.

The military situation on the Polish front is indicated on the above map. The Poles, in a desperate effort to save Warsaw and the complete overrunning of their country, broke across the Vistula south of Warsaw in a drive eastward, and smashed northward from the region of Cholm, the two attacking forces effecting a junction south of Siedlce, capturing thousands of Bolshevik soldiers. Some powerful counter move is necessary to save the bulk of the Russian army, and this move is developing in the form of a drive on Lemberg, which already has made considerable progress. The shaded areas north of Brody indicate the gains made by the Poles, the inner area representing the result of the first attack, when the Russian front was broken. The south shaded area represents the Russian gain in their counter offensive.

SOVIETS TO LEAVE LONDON; WAR DECLARATION POSSIBLE

(Canadian Press Despatch)

London, Aug. 25.—The Soviet delegation is preparing to leave London for Russia. It is admitted that the departure of the delegation is tantamount to a declaration of war by Soviet Russia on Great Britain, and Russian hopes this will be the destruction of the British Empire in the east.

Leo Kameneff and Leonid Krassin, Soviet emissaries, said that they are leaving London by instruction of their government. They expect to leave before the end of the week. This is the Soviet reply to the latest reversal of policy of Premier Lloyd George, as indicated by his denunciation from Lucerne of the insistance by the Moscow government of the formation of a Polish proletariat militia.

The Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, lord president of the council, addressed a not to M. Kameneff, Bolshevik trade commissioner here, demanding information as to whether the additional Russian armistice proposals to Poland are as unofficially reported.

The note, which was made public yesterday afternon, said that upon Russia's answer will depend the future policy of the British government toward that country.

FIRST WOMAN PRISONER BROUGHT INTO WARSAW

Sat Upright in a Cart in Middle of a Nondescript Horde.

Warsaw, Aug. 25.—The first woman prisoner of the Russo-Polish war, a Soviet Red Cross nurse, was brought into Warsaw yesterday. She was dressed in the regulation uniform, soiled with the dust of the road.

The nurse sat upright on a cart in the middle of a long convoy of prisoners. For a long time she gazed straight ahead, almost statue-like. She broke down and cried when the parade halted to permit several Polish Red Cross nurses to take her from the cart to care for her. Their greeting was friendly, and in a moment she was sobbing in their arms.

The parade of prisoners was viewed by thousands. Polish soldiers in uniform were in the lead and then came the mondescript horde in all kinds of clothing and in all stages of unkemptness. They were the prisoners of Soviet commissaries who ruled in towns captured by the Red troops, but who failed to get away when the Polish troops swept back over the area.

Part of the guard was made up of Polish peasants who had captured fleeing Bolshevists. They wanted the thrill of bringing their prizes to the capital. The peasants were armed chiefly with scythes and clubs.

VACCINATION ORDER THREATENS TRAFFIC

Officials Say That Passengers Will Cease Using the Canadian Routes.

Quebec Aug. 25.—Steamship officials are disturbed over orders issued by the immigration department that no passengers on ocean liners, whether saloon, second cabin or third class, be permitted to land at Canadian ports before being vaccinated, unles they can give proof that they have previously been vaccinated within the required time.

As a result of this order the C.P.O.S. Prinz Friedrich Wilhelm was recently held up at Grosse Isle for five hours, and the passengers did not reach Montreal before midnight, when it was difficult to secure hotel acommodation.

Steamship officials state that if the order holds pasengers will cease to use the St. Lawrence and other Canadian routes when they can get accommodation on others. They point out the the ruling is absurd, since the passengers can land at any point in the United States and enter Canada by a dozen railways without being vaccinated.

PONZI INVESTORS SAID TO BE LEGION

Estimated at 30,000 People—Bankruptcy Denied—Wants Jury Trial.

Boston, Aug. 25.—A list of investors in the Ponzi postal coupon scheme—persons who trusted in the ability of the over-night financier to make riches for them in a month or two—looked like a cross-section of the community when it was printed to-day. All walks of life were there—men and women of the professions, of business and of labor. It is estimated that thirty thousand in all placed their money in the scheme, which is now in receivership, and of these about one-half withdrew it with or without the 50 per cent. interest which Ponzi paid before the crash. The others are relying on Federal receivers to recover what is left.

The list runs the gamut from judge to office boy. Whole families joined in trusting to Ponzi to bring them wealth, the word-of-mouth method by which his propaganda spread being traced in the lists through families, communities and business circles. In the Italian quarter especially his investors were legion.

Twine Is Very High.

Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 25.—Fishermen in British Columbia are faced with another and serious advance in the price of nets and twine. A net which has sold for $300 up to the present time will henceforth command $450. The scarcity of the basis of the twine, flax, is given as the cause of the increase. Many fishermen declare that they will be unable to follow their craft this fall on account of lack of capital to finance high-priced nets, unless there is an improvement in the market for salted dog salmon in the Orient.

Purchases Labor Temple.

Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 25.—The provincial government has purchased the Labor Temple building here, paying $165,000 for the property. The building will be turned into a technical school. The sale of the property was necessitated because of threatened forclosure of the first mortgage.

TARIFF REVISION GETS UNDER WAY

Arrange Tentative Programme for Commission That Will Probe the Facts.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—A tentative program has been arranged for the tour of the Tariff commission throughout Canada to hear evidence on which to base the revision next session of our customs duties. The first session will be held at Winnipeg on September 15th and following this the commission will go to British Columbia, holding meetings in that proivnce at Victoria, Vancouver, Vernon and Nelson. Then in Alberta at Calgary and Edmonton, in Saskatchewan and Saskatoon and Regina; closing the western tour with a session at Brandon and another ont at Winnipeg.

The Ontario tour follows with sessions at Fort William, Saut St. Marie, London, Hamilton, Toronto, Kingston and Ottawa. After Ontario the commission visits Quebec, taking evidence at Montreal, Sherbrooke, Three Rivers and Quebec. The tour closes in the maritime provinces with sessions at St. John, Charlottetown, Sydney and Halifax.

The commission will be composed of Sir Henry Drayton, Hon. J. A. Calder, Hon. Gideon Robertson, with Hon. Dr. Tolmie acting until the return of Hon. J. A. Calder, from England. The tour of Canada to hear those interested in tariff revision will take at least two months, but this will permit of ample time to prepare the revision for the next session.

CAN RESTORE LIFE AFTER HEART STOPS

A Paris Surgeon Declares a Stopped Heart Can be Re-animated.

Paris, Aug. 25.—Resurrection from the dead is no longer merely a Biblical legend, but an authenticated fact, acording to the celebrated French surgeon Tuffier, who asserts that a heart which has stopped beating can be reanimated.

"Injections of andrenalin in the cardical cavity," says Dr. Tuffier, "may restore life to a heart already dead. The heart may also be kept beating artificially for a certain length of time by means of massage or certain chemical excitants."

Dr. Tuffier's statements have created a great sensation in Paris, where medical circles are discussing the possibilities of saving lives by artificial heart stimulation just as is now practised by artificial breathing.

Dr. Tuffier also claims that a man can live for years with a bullet in his heart. In fact, says the eminent surgeon, the heart is far from being the fragile organ it is generally supposed to be. Delicate operations, he claims, can be performed in the heart tissues without mortal effect.

NEWS IN BULLETIN

Mrs. D. C. Coleman, wife of the vice-president of the C.P.R., lost her life while bathing at Winnipeg.

Resort to forcible feeding is being made at London in the case of Cork's lord mayor.

The affairs of the Spanish River Lumber Company occupied the attention of the timber probe commission Tuesday.

Bush fires wiped out two trading posts near The Pas.

Hon. Benjamin Bowman denies that he is about to resign his portfolio.

Goderich, Ontario, residents have purchased their own debentures for new public improvements.

St. John, N. B., has awarded a contract for $375,000 for the extension of its water mains.

The British consulate at New York is being picketed by "sandwich" women with inscriptions on their backs referring to the condition of Ireland.

Government Cannot Release McSweeney

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Lucerne, Aug. 25.—Premier Lloyd George in a statement today concerning the case of Lord Mayor McSweeney of Cork, whose condition is grave, because of his hunger strike in Britain jail, said, in substance, that whatever the consequences the government could not take the responsibility of releasing McSweeney. The premier declared he regretted that McSweeney had decided to starve himself, but said that if he were released then all the other hunger strikers would have to be released.

"A law which is a respector of person is no law," he continued, in his statement. "If the cabinet, therefore, departed from its decision, a complete breakdown of the whole machinery of law and government in Ireland inevitably would follow."