

LITTLE TOWN UNDER GUARD

French Hold Important Court-Martial at Werden.

HEADS OF KRUPP WORKS Are Being Tried For Inciting a Recent Attack on French Troops.

Werden, Germany, May 4.—The French brought this little town, which hugs both banks of the Ruhr, before the world today when they decided to hold a court-martial of Gustave Krupp von Bohlen, head of the Krupp works, five of the directors and four members of the workers council, charged with inciting an attack on French troops on March 21st.

Werden is filled with foreigners, most of them newspaper correspondents from France, Britain, United States, Holland, Denmark, Sweden and Switzerland. Restaurants, beer and wine halls are doing a land office business. The horizon blue uniform of the French soldier is seen everywhere. Highways are guarded by troops and admission to the town is only possible through presentation of proper identification cards.

CONDEMN THE HUDSON'S BAY RAILWAY PROJECT

Montreal Engineers Say the Sooner It is Dropped the Better.

Montreal, May 4.—Unsparring condemnation was dispensed last evening by the members of the Montreal branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada on the Hudson's Bay railway project.

FRANCE WILL PROTEST TO THE UNITED STATES

Against the Ruling Forbidding Liquor on Ships Entering U.S. Ports.

Paris, May 4.—Premier Poincare has given instructions that a strong protest be made to Washington against the ruling of the United States forbidding the entrance of foreign ships into United States ports with liquor aboard.

PREDICT EARLY FALL OF CUNO GOVERNMENT

The New German Offer Should Be Used As a Starting Point.

London, May 4.—Rejection by France of Germany's reparations proposals was expected here, consequently it was received like all foreign conclusions. So far there has been little comment, but the Liberal press reiterates its opinion that the German note has furnished an opportunity for conversations leading to negotiations.

Honor Anne Day. Melbourne, Australia, May 4.—Anne Day, April 25th, the anniversary of the landing of the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps at Gallipoli in 1915, has been made Australia's national holiday.

STILL OFFER REWARD FOR AMBROSE SMALL

\$50,000 for Learning of His Whereabouts—\$15,000 for Proof of Death.

Chicago, May 4.—Offer of a reward of \$50,000 for information as to the whereabouts of Ambrose J. Small, Toronto theatrical magnate, who disappeared December 2nd, 1919, renewed interest in the search for the millionaire.

The offer was made known to the Detective Bureau yesterday by S. J. Dickson, Chief Constable of Toronto, who mailed a number of posters bearing a description and a likeness of Small.

KIDNAPPED LAD FOUND NEAR OGDENSBURG, N.Y.

Fifty Men Watching River Points to Prevent Escape of Kidnappers.

Ogdensburg, N.Y., May 4.—The police said early this morning they believed at least five or six persons to be involved in the kidnapping of Vermer Alexander, the Schenectady lad who yesterday was found in a cottage on the Indian river near there.

On His Way Home.

Watertown, N.Y., May 4.—Vermer Alexander, the kidnapped six-year-old lad for whom a nation-wide search was conducted for seventy-two hours and found safe in a shack twenty-five miles from here last evening, was on his way home this morning with his parents.

Traded Lot in Kingston For Some Theatre Stock

Toronto, May 4.—In the Assize court Justice Mowat dismissed the action brought by F. W. Burns against E. D. G. Browne without referring it to the jury.

Hard Coal at Belleville

Belleville, May 4.—Capt. Bowen, of the steamship "Sicken" reached here yesterday with a large cargo of hard coal from Oswego for Col. A. P. Allen, thus opening the season locally in a manner most welcome to those householders desirous of laying up a store of black diamonds against a frosty day.

FLOODS AND WASHOUTS HOLD UP IMMIGRANTS

May Be Necessary to Re-Embark Them on Metagama For Quebec.

St. John, N.B., May 4.—Hemmed in by floods and washouts on all sides, the special Hebrides train for Ontario is held up at St. John indefinitely. Hon. Manning Doherty and the C.P.R. are doing everything in their power to make the new settlers comfortable in their enforced stay in this country.

A REVISION OF THE O.T.A. Is Suggested By the License Commission Board.

WOULD GOVERN STORE SALE OF Patent Medicine And Alcoholic Extracts And Essences By Grocers.

Toronto, May 4.—"If breweries and distilleries continue to be forced upon the province, the government and legislature might well consider the piling upon them of extra taxation for raising provincial revenue," says the report of the Board of License Commissioners for Ontario on the operation of the Ontario Temperance Act for the year 1927, which report was tabled yesterday in the legislature.

The report says that the facilities provided by the province of Quebec for sending liquor into Ontario constitute a real grievance, and it is urged that the government should take steps to remedy the situation.

What O.T.A. Does.

The answers to questionnaires sent out recently are reviewed, and Chairman Hales sums up his report thus: "It is true that there is still considerable illegal manufacture, sale and consumption."

Those who urge that there should be greater liberty to drink liquor should not overlook the fact that liberty to drink is inevitably accompanied by the placing of an unfair handicap upon many others, especially upon women and children.

Dispensary Profits.

The overhead expenses of the dispensaries are kept as low as 10.85 per cent., the report says, which included express prepaid charges amounting to 2.35 per cent. The number of doctors' prescriptions during 1927 is shown to be 623,314; other orders, 83,330.

FLIGHT OF 400 MILES TO SAVE WOMAN'S LIFE

A Patient Threatened With Tetanus Was Brought to Balboa.

Balboa, May 4.—An aeroplane flight of 400 miles, in response to her husband's call of distress, may save the life of Mrs. Helen Gaige, assistant curator of the University of Michigan Museum of Zoology.

Mrs. Gaige and her husband, Fred N. Gaige, have been in Panama for several weeks collecting reptiles and insects for the museum.

SERIOUS SHORTAGE OF ANGLICAN CLERGY Affects the Dominion of Canada as Well as England Herself.

London, May 4.—The serious shortage in the clergy, not only in England, but in the dominions was referred to by Rev. J. Mullins, secretary of the Colonial Continental Church Society, at the society's annual meeting yesterday.

DEAD BABY IN THE MAILS, TEACHER UNDER ARREST

Said to Have Confessed Placing Body in Parcel Post Package.

New Orleans, May 4.—Miss Josie Y. Fultz, eighteen, a young high school teacher of Scott, La., is held at Opelousas, La., on a charge of infanticide.

HISTORICAL POSTS TO MARK HIGHWAYS

Novel Sign Plan Being Considered at Quebec—D'Iberville and Joliette.

Quebec, May 4.—To indicate historic spots on highways and roads in the province, an interesting proposition is now being studied by which indicative signs would be placed at points of historical interest.

MUSSOLINI SUSPENDS FOREIGN SUGAR TARIFF

Italian Cabinet Said to Have Averted Famine Three Months Hence.

Rome, May 4.—The Fascist Cabinet yesterday suspended the tariff on foreign sugar "until further orders." The order not only deals a blow to local sugar manufacturers, who were protected by former Administrations, but averts the peril of a sugar famine three months hence, for which the sugar trust was planning, as a means for eventual rise in prices.

OTTAWA RIVER RISING.

Record Mark of Last Year Likely to Be Equalled. Ottawa, May 4.—The Ottawa River is still on the rise, the water having risen eleven inches during the past twenty-four hours.

English Women Boycott Sugar.

London, May 4.—English housewives have started a boycott of sugar and tea on account of high prices. The movement began in a small way at Deal, but it is spreading to the London area.

It is stated in London that France is to draft a new scheme for reparations.

THE HIGHWAY BILL DROPPED

Ruled Out of Order in the Ontario Legislature.

AN UPROARIOUS SCENE

When Col. J. A. Currie and Liberal Member Mageau Exchanged Compliments.

Toronto, May 4.—To-day is "go away day" at Queen's park, expectations running high that the business of the session will be wound up tonight, with dissolution to follow tomorrow or next week.

Medical Act.

Premier Drury's bill to amend the medical act, which for the last three years has been a bone of contention between the doctors and the osteopaths and chiropractors of the province, was passed by a committee of the whole House without amendment.

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Weather Probabilities.

Prom: Moderate east to northeast winds, fair with much the same temperature.

NO WHOLE CARCASE HAD TO BE DESTROYED

Only Two of 1,200 Canadian Store Cattle Were Seized in Manchester.

London, May 4.—With reference to the statement made by Dr. Dearden, medical health officer, and port sanitary authority for Manchester, that Canadian store cattle which arrived at the port of Manchester were not altogether free from pulmonary tuberculosis, it is reported from Manchester that of 1,200 Canadian store cattle which arrived there only two were seized, and portions of their carcasses destroyed.

PROF. SHORTT'S VIEWS ON OUR BANKING SYSTEM

His Plan For Checking Crises Is to Improve Present Industry.

Ottawa, May 4.—Giving cordence before the Commons banking and commerce committee Dr. Adam Shortt, former professor of economics at Queen's University, and now attached to the Dominion Archives, testified in regard to the history of the Canadian banking system.

A TUBERCULOSIS CURE HAS BEEN DISCOVERED

It Consists of the Use of Pure Carbon and Calcium Gas.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 4.—A cure for pulmonary tuberculosis by the use of pure carbon and calcium gas is claimed by Dr. Walter P. Nolan, of Jenette, Pa., it was learned yesterday.

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FLOOD DOES BIG DAMAGE

Worst New Brunswick Has Experienced in Years.

35 BRIDGES CARRIED AWAY

The Damage to Highways Large—Five Million Feet of Logs Lost.

Fredericton, N.B., May 4.—New Brunswick is returning again to normal conditions after the greatest flood in almost forty years. So far it is beyond possibilities to compile any more definite estimate of the total damage than that New Brunswick has suffered public and private losses which will run into millions of dollars.

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