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TURKEY HAS ACCEPTED PEACE PLAN OF POWERS

BALKAN ALLIES BOMBARDING SCUTARI—DISASTROUS FLOODS AT AND NEAR MONTREAL

HUNDREDS OF HORSES AND CATTLE DROWNED AT LONGUEIL

TERROR STRICKEN RESIDENTS OF MONTREAL SUBURB ARE PERCHED ON ROOFS—HEAVY DAMAGE.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Montreal, April 2.—Four feet of raging waters are rushing over the streets of Longueil, a suburb of the city, across the river. Terror stricken residents have taken refuge on the roofs of houses.

Hundreds of horses and cattle in the district have been drowned. Many houses were swept into the river. Lawrence by the rush of water.

The damage will run well over hundred thousand dollars.

The recent disasters in the United States from the floods have had the effect of further inflaming the fears of the residents with regard to the situation.

Part of Point St. Charles is under water, and in Verdun, on the shores of the St. Lawrence, the water by noon had risen to level with the first windows of the suburban homes and families began to rush pell mell out of the houses, carrying all possible furniture to higher ground.

So flooded is the town of St. Lambert, across the Victoria bridge, that a wedding procession of boats headed to the Catholic church through the submerged

streets this morning. When Omer Camerlain, the bridegroom, awoke he found six inches of water on his bedroom floor. He hailed a boat and reached the church just in time for the ceremony. The bride, Miss Anna Boiesey, was late because boats are scarce in St. Lambert. However, the marriage was finally performed and the happy couple were rowed to the St. Lambert station.

About \$15,000 damage was caused in St. Lambert by the flood. Telephone wires are still down after the storm and the suburban street cars discontinued service in most cases this morning owing to the water rising over the tracks.

Floods Near Brandon.

Brandon, April 2.—The district north of the Canadian Pacific Railway tracks, known here as the flats, which forms the surrounding country to the Assiniboine, is inundated today and the inhabitants, who are mostly foreigners, are moving out quickly. The ice in the river gives no sign of breaking, but the water on top is several feet deep in places and rising rapidly.

BE READY WITH YOUR CHECK TO HELP ALONG THE EXHIBITION

TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS TO BE AWARDED IN PRIZES FOR EXHIBITS—OUTLYING DISTRICTS ENTHUSIASTIC.

In a day or two everyone will be called upon for a subscription to the agricultural and industrial fair to be held here in September. It is hoped the collectors appointed will be treated liberally and the success of Prince Rupert's first annual fair assured.

A meeting of the fair directors, held last night in the office of Mr. McMullin, the city was divided into four districts for the purpose of collecting subscriptions, under four committees, as follows: J. H. McMullin and Dr. Remayne, Frank A. Ellis and A. Prudhomme, A. H. Allison and Crippen and J. L. McLaren and German Naden.

The list of prizes to be offered is again carefully gone over and finally adopted. The prizes for agricultural and industrial exhibits foot up to \$2,000. This does not include prizes for competitions such as horse racing, duck drilling, athletic contests and so on, which are to be decided upon later.

The drill hall will not be available for the fair, in fact it seems doubtful if its erection will have been begun by that time, so the skating rink will be made available with the addition of a large tent alongside for the live stock and other agricultural exhibits.

Alderman Bullock-Webster reported last night that the outlying districts are taking a very keen interest in the project and are promising all kinds of assistance.

A communication was read Messrs. Hitt Bros., pyrotechnic artists of Seattle, offering to put on a series of good fireworks displays at a more modest sum than was at first asked. This will be further considered when the fair's bank balance seems to warrant it.

The Indian band contest will be a feature of the exhibition. J. S. Gray reported that the Indians are quite agreeable and it was proposed that each of the bands should be engaged to play during the fair at a satisfactory figure. It was also proposed to strike off a number of souvenir medals, to be presented to each musician who competes.

Crockery, open stock dinnerware in many pretty patterns and at moderate prices. Wallace's. 77tf

SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO NOW BOMBARDING FORTS OF SCUTARI

TURKISH GOVERNMENT UNQUALIFIEDLY ACCEPTS TERMS OF PEACE OFFERED BY POWERS.

Subscribe for the Daily News. Belgrade, April 2.—The joint forces of Serbia and Montenegro yesterday bombarded the forts of Scutari with great success. The surrender of Scutari is confidently expected within the next day or two.

Turkey Accepts Terms.
Constantinople, April 2.—The several powers were yesterday notified that the Turkish government unreservedly accepts the terms of peace proposed by the

powers. Nothing has yet been heard from the Balkan allies, who are still fighting, but it is believed the war will be concluded by the end of the week.

New Teacher Engaged.

The new school for Seal Cove being almost completed, the school trustees at their meeting yesterday afternoon engaged a teacher.

Wallpaper—new designs, moderate prices. Wallace's. 77tf

SERIOUSLY INJURED FROM FALL OFF WALK

Man Found in Unconscious Condition on First Avenue Last Night—Taken to Hospital.

Shortly after 9 o'clock last night the police were notified of an accident on First avenue, near the Austrian Hotel. Constables Cargill and Hamblin were soon on the spot and found Matt K. Brerig rather badly hurt and in an unconscious condition. He had fallen over the side of the retaining wall and sustained a scalp wound about six inches long. He was immediately taken to the police station in an automobile and thence hurried to the hospital, where he remained unconscious until about 2 o'clock this morning. Late reports today indicate that the injured man is getting along satisfactorily.

APRIL FOOL JOKES PLAYED YESTERDAY

School Teacher Believed She Had at Last Found a Man Under the Bed.

That the old custom of playing stupid April Fool jokes has not entirely died out was proven yesterday even by such eminently practical people as those of Prince Rupert. It began shortly after the birth of April First by Mr. Corley Sr., a practical joker of the deepest dye on every available occasion, being called from his bed by the story of a terrible holdup which of course proved a myth. Mr. Corley took revenge by nailing to the floor at the entrance to the Royal a fat looking pocket book and watching the people who attempted to slyly and surreptitiously purloin it.

Late last night a school teacher turned up the light and was about disrobing when she remembered that she had overlooked looking under the bed for a hiding man. She was overwhelmed to find that for once there was a man there, or, as he afterward turned out when her screams called friends to her aid, at least a pair of stuffed boots and a pair of stuffed trousers of a man.

There were quite a number of other more simple jokes. One of these was at the Central Hotel, where at dinner the guests were served with dainty looking hot buns filled with cotton.

WANTS SPEEDY TRIAL

Man Charged with Stealing Cheque Will Be Tried Tomorrow.

John Foley, the man who appeared in police court last Wednesday charged with stealing from John Brown a cheque for \$16.05, came up for election this morning. He elected for speedy trial before Judge Young and the trial was fixed for 11 o'clock Thursday morning.

OFF TO SILVER CREEK

Old Time Prospector, with His Dog Team, Ready to Join the Stampede.

Gordon Grassett, an old time prospector from Hazelton, intends leaving tonight on the Spokane to join in the placer stampede to Silver Creek, in the Teslin Lake country. He has a fine team of dogs and two hundred and fifty pounds of grub and supplies that he is taking with him.

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NEW ZEALAND IS CRITIC OF SCHEME

Calls Churchill's Patrol Another Sentry at the Gate of Europe.

London, March 31.—While New Zealand approves on the whole the formation of the Imperial naval squadron, with headquarters at Gibraltar, in which the overseas larger ships are to be incorporated, the Post, according to a cable, expresses regret that it should be based so near home. "Churchill's imperial patrol," it says, "has become another sentry at the gates of Europe." It goes on to ask whether the Pacific has been omitted from the admiralty map of the world, and emphasizes the anomaly of including New Zealand's battle cruiser both in the squadron and in British naval superiority in the North Sea.

FOOTBALL MEETING

Four Organizations to Meet Tonight for the Purpose of Forming a League

A meeting will be held in the St. Andrew's Society Rooms, on Second Avenue, this evening at which it is hoped that every foot ball fan in the city will make it a point to be present. Representatives of the Men's Own, the Callies, the Sons of England and the Shamrocks are expected to attend. Rules and regulations will be discussed with the hope of forming a league of at least the four organizations named.

MRS. PANKHURST IS COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

Charged with Inciting Others to Destroy Lloyd-George's Home.

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, April 2.—A true bill has been returned against Mrs. Pankhurst, the suffragette leader, by the grand jury at the Old Bailey, on a charge of incitement to commit damage and destruction to the residence of Rt. Hon. Lloyd-George on February 24.

The suffragettes are collecting the instruments used in forcible feeding of those committed to jail. These will be exhibited in American cities in the hope of exciting sympathy.

Liberal Meeting

A meeting of the Prince Rupert Liberals and all others interested in progressive legislation will be held in the K. of P. Hall, Helgerson block, on Thursday evening, April 3rd, at 8.30 o'clock. Everybody come. 78

Grand Bazaar

AND DANCE AT THE KAIEN ISLAND CLUB

Under the Auspices of

The Ladies' Auxiliary

in Aid of the

GENERAL HOSPITAL

Thursday, April 3

Afternoon and Evening

The bazaar will open at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Admission free.

A grand dance will be held in the evening. Evening admission 50 cents.

Don't forget to bring your purse in the afternoon, as there will be many devices to separate you from your money.

SUPPLY BILL IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

Naval Debate Was Not Continued or Even Referred To.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, April 2.—The session of the House of Commons yesterday was given over to general business and the naval debate was not continued or referred to. A supply bill consisting of one-sixth of the main estimates, outside of the new works to be charged to capital account, was debated and the discussion of the new Japanese treaty was resumed.

William Smith, a resident of Prince Rupert for the past two years, returned to the city this morning after a three months' visit at New Glasgow, Que.

PART OF RAILWAY TO BE DOUBLE TRACKED

Grand Trunk Pacific Enters Into Track Scheme with Canadian Northern.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway has entered into an agreement with the Canadian Northern to build a double track line on the same grade along the shore of Moose Lake, twenty miles west of Yellowhead Pass. One of the tracks will be used by the C.N.R. This arrangement was made when it was discovered that engineering difficulties were involved in the building of a C. N. R. line through the same section but on a higher elevation. Construction work will be started shortly by Foley, Welch & Stewart on behalf of the G. T. P., but the cost will be borne by the other railway company. The proposed double-track section will be twelve miles long.

GOTCH STILL CHAMPION

He Defeated the Great Russian Wrestler by Two Straight Falls

(Special to The Daily News.)
Kansas City, April 2.—Frank Gotch still retains the title of champion of the world in wrestling. Last night he defeated Ulrich, the Russian, by two straight falls, one in eighteen minutes and the other in five minutes. There was a big gate.

DOUKHOBORS MOVING

Six Hundred More Families Coming to this Province to Settle

(Special to The Daily News.)
Saskatoon, April 2.—Six hundred more Doukhobor families passed through here this morning, en route to Castlegar, B.C., to join the large colony there.

Panorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4.

Pacific Coast Baseball

San Francisco, April 2.—The Pacific Coast baseball season opened yesterday with the following scores:

Portland 3; San Francisco 2. Sacramento 5; Oakland 2. Los Angeles 3; Venice, formerly Vernon, 2.

THE WEATHER.

The weather report at 5 o'clock this morning read: Barometer, 29.752; maximum temperature, 45; minimum temperature, 38.

Housecleaning? Wallpaper, pretty, reasonable. Wallace's. 77tf

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OHIO'S FLOOD SITUATION IS BEING RAPIDLY COPED WITH

DAYTON'S LOSS OF LIFE ABOUT TWO HUNDRED—RELIEF FUNDS FROM ALL PARTS.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Columbus, April 2.—Human effort has so far failed to penetrate the pile of debris on the west side of the city, where it is believed the bodies of many persons missing since the flood will be found. Up to now seventy-one bodies have been found in that section. Good news is received from Dayton. The waters are receding and it is not believed the loss of life will be much over two hundred. The property loss from fire will not exceed \$1,500,000. The damage caused by the floods to mercantile houses, factories will run anywhere from one to twenty millions. Residents of portions of the city still inundated are being rapidly removed to sections not affected by the floods. Bountiful relief is being distributed by the federal government, in addition to which liberal subscriptions to relief funds are being received from all parts.

Floods in Illinois.

Shawneetown, Ill., April 1.—The entire city is under water, ranging from ten to thirty feet deep. In order to relieve the floods the south levee was dynamited yesterday afternoon by military engineers.

Ohio River Still Rising.

Louisville, April 2.—The Ohio river showed a stage of forty-five feet at 7 o'clock this morning, and is still rising slowly.

DIED IN THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. John Dolan Made a Brave Struggle for Several Weeks.

Shortly after midnight Mrs. John Dolan passed away at the general hospital. She resided with her husband at 116 Eighth street and was a native of Scotland, aged 36 years. When she was taken to the hospital several weeks ago it was thought she could only live for a few hours, but she made a brave struggle to the very end.

First Trip to Stewart.

The G. T. P. steamer Prince George will leave at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning for Stewart. This will be the first trip on the new weekly schedule to the northern mining town.

WITH ALMOST DAILY SERVICE EVERY BOAT IS CROWDED

PRINCE GEORGE ARRIVED ON TIME THIS MORNING WITH SEVENTY-FIVE SALOON PASSENGERS AND LARGE CARGO OF FREIGHT.

Notwithstanding that Prince Rupert is now served with practically a daily boat service from the south, every ship brings a large contingent of passengers, many of whom are becoming permanent residents of the city or the district immediately surrounding. The Prince George of the G. T. P. coast service arrived this morning sharp on time with about seventy-five saloon passengers as well as a large number of third class passengers and a heavy cargo of freight.

The landing made by Captain Donald this morning was one of the best ever witnessed at the G. T. P. wharf and was second to none ever made by the popular Captain "Barney," who established a reputation in this respect. The big steamer glided up alongside the wharf at a lively pace as though she were just going to give onlookers a glimpse of her graceful form, but in an instant her engines were reversed and her speed was checked within a few feet of the wharf. Within a very few moments the passengers were cheerfully hurrying down the gangway.

Following is a list of the saloon passengers:

John Anderson, M. Miller, H. Anne, M. Bowison, John Sarher, P. Bakkin, Ed. Nelson, F. Blendt, C. T. Thompson, O. Sands, G. Crawford, T. E. Muir, D. Nelson, Mrs. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. O. Nakagawa, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Millington, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Rumley, J. W. Ambrose, A. Hepburn, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Smith, William Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. Low, Mrs. Nicholson, Nellie Porter, Mrs. D. Porter, A. L. Eaton, Miss Vera Clark, James Eastment, E. T. Kenny, F. W. Johnson, James Lamb, F. Smallwood, W. Raddikough, C. R. Francis, R. A. Grant, A. A. Cox, S. Darton, A. G. Buckley, Charles Darnson, J. K. Smith, J. Lindsay, W. J. Panes, Colonel Leckie, Ethel Elliot, W. Orr, W. W. Kerr, Mrs. W. M. Hyde, O. P. Lainhart, W. H. Johnston, D. Critchey, T. N. Bolitho, T. G. Bolitho, Mrs. D. McNeill, W. Ferrier, George Driver, E. Lowhoskie, F. Scheller, Fred Clapp, Ed. Clapp, Mrs. Fred Clapp, Lily Cohen, Mrs. D. Cohen, Andy Archer, Miss A. Carty, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Dickinson, Etta Carlson, W. T. French, R. K. Bacon.

FORMER CAPTAIN OF QUADRA DIES IN A VICTORIA HOSPITAL

BETTER ACQUAINTED WITH PACIFIC COAST LINE THAN ANY OTHER NAVIGATOR.

Victoria, March 31.—Flags on many public buildings and on all steamers in port were lowered to halfmast this morning. The signal of death was flown out of respect for Captain John T. Walbran, one of the most prominent mariners on the Pacific Coast and one of Victoria's most highly respected citizens, whose demise occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital early today. Although his death

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