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Meaning of the Dispute over Morocco

(New York World.)

With the return to Berlin of M. Jules Cambon, the French Ambassador, with precise instructions from the French Cabinet, the 'conversations' on the Morocco question will be renewed with Herr Kiderlin-Waechter, the Foreign Secretary. The extent of Germany's demands for compensation, if they have ever been exactly defined, is still a diplomatic mystery. But France now offers to Germany certain portions of the French Congo in exchange for the absolute recognition by Germany of France's rights in Morocco.

Under the Algeiras convention of 1906 France was granted distinct powers and assumed distinct duties in Morocco. France and Spain were to control the policing of the country from the eight main ports. When the Sultan this year was threatened with a rebellion and was reported to be under siege with his forces in his capital, a column of French troops was despatched to Fez. While this movement was under the German Government remained passive and seemed to approve France's action. Two years ago in a separate agreement France and Germany between themselves established their political and economic positions in Morocco.

The sending of the German warship Panther to Agadir came like a clap of thunder in a clear sky. It was taken in every European capital to be a threat against France, and the latter attitude of Berlin leaves no other interpretation of it. In itself Agadir is a closed port on the southwest coast of Morocco, hardly more than an open roadstead, an almost deserted settlement without trade of foreign population. On the heels of its occupation of Agadir, Germany demanded compensations from France and created a situation in which diplomats read only signs of war.

So far as Germany's entire trade with Morocco can be estimated from official reports, it is of trifling value. From 1906 to 1908 the total exports and imports of Morocco annually amounted to about \$24,000,000, of which Germany's share was about 12 per cent., or less than \$3,000,000. Hides, skins, cattle and other animals, almonds and raisins are the chief exports, and cheap manufactures the chief imports. But back of Germany's move, it is believed in well-informed quarters, are influential private interests like the Krupp and Mannesmanns, which seek exclusive mining and trading concessions. Rich iron deposits and disused mines and the abundant supply of antimony to the south of the Atlas are an alluring bait to concession-hunters who have behind them the greatest military power in Europe.

With all respect for Germany and its civilization, the policy adopted at Berlin seems to be a plain case of black-mail. Berlin says in effect: "We have come late, and if you do not give us a slice of Morocco we want some of the Congo."

Hasty jingoes like some of our excited contemporaries jump at the conclusion that war is imminent. There will be no

war, for the sentiment of Europe is against it. Nor does France stand alone and defenseless, for England's interests are almost equally involved. Imagine a dozen or two English Dreadnoughts between Dover and Calais preventing any German ship from getting in or out of port. With such a naval force as a barrier of destruction, what would become of the great commerce of Germany that has been built up at such infinite pains and expense?

The Kaiser is not a madman. He may bluster and make difficulties over a compromise and secure an addition of some sort to German territory in tropical Africa where German colonists refuse to settle, but he will not risk the peace and power of his empire upon a war in which even victory on land would be disastrous to his own reputation and the welfare of the German people.

Three Arrests in big Lottery Raid

By the arrest of three men and the seizure of thousands of lottery tickets on Thursday in an office in Rose street the police believe they have checked the big game policy and lottery enterprise since the time of 'Al' Adams. So extensive were the alleged operations of the band that \$50,000 is said to be a conservative estimate of the monthly receipts. Besides hundreds of agents in New York city, the lottery is said to have representatives in every large city in the United States.

The police have known for almost a year of a lottery in this city, modelled on one of Italy. Tickets had been obtained, identical with those of the Italian lottery except the royal coat of arms, used on the latter, did not appear. On these tickets were printed "Lotto Pubbico Italiano".

The lottery here is said to have had no connection with the one in Italy of the same name, other than the use of the same system of numbers, so that the drawings in Italy indicated the winners in this country. Each ticket sold here, stated the date and place of a drawing in an Italian city. The Italian squad of the Detective Bureau arrested several alleged agents of the lottery last spring but had been unable to find the head-quarters of the band.

The clue which led to the arrests came from the purchase of three new printing presses. Policemen on entering the office report finding in addition to the tickets, plates and forms for printing them and proofs of the first issue of an Italian news paper. Giocchino Pistelli, Endoro Pistelli and Ottone Ciani were arrested on a charge of having lottery tickets in their possession.—Ex.

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Telephone System of the C. P. Railway.

The new telephone system of train dispatching went into effect on the Atlantic division of the Canadian Pacific Railway from St. John to Megantic at midnight Sunday or 12.01 this morning.

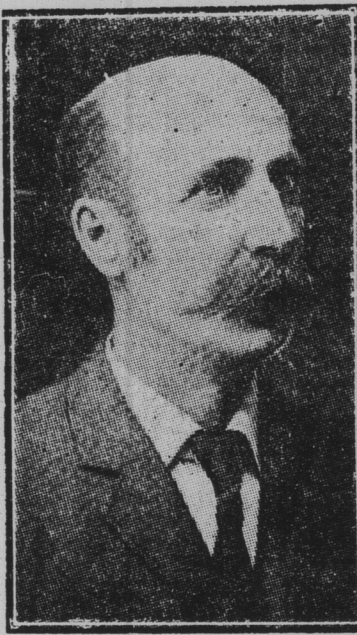
The whole system was ready for use a few weeks ago and the date of its official adoption had been announced, when, at the last moment, it was decided to make Brownville Junction the chief dispatching point of St. John. This course was decided upon as it was thought that the system could be operated from a central point. Accordingly extensive alterations had to be made and these have just been completed.

The change involves the removal of a couple of dispatchers from St. John. Mr. T. A. Stevenson and Mr. R. H. Bruce will probably go to Brownville Junction or Woodstock and Mr. W. F. Noble, who was a despatcher, has been made chief operator at St. John.

Another important change in the staff is the promotion of Mr. Walter Brown, train master and chief train despatcher to the office of assistant superintendent, with jurisdiction over the lines from St. John to Vaneboro and Fredericton and over the N. B. Southern line to St. Stephen.

The operators along the line are using the telephone key for all train messages.

Election Card



St. Stephen, N. B. Aug. 22 1911.
The Electors of The County of Charlotte.

Gentlemen:—

I have been chosen, by a very large and representative convention of the Liberal Party of Charlotte County, as the Candidate to solicit your support in the approaching election, in behalf of the policy of that Party and the Reciprocity Agreement now before the people for their decision.

During the three years I have had the honor of being your Federal representative, I have labored diligently for the interest of Charlotte County in legislation, public works and betterments, that would be helpful to the business, safety and comforts of our people.

Should I again be honored by you on Sept. 21st next by being elected your representative to the Federal Parliament, I shall use every effort to advance your interests as well as those of the Province and the Dominion at large. In thorough accord with the Government, who will rule the next Parliament, I feel I can assist greatly the many interests of the people of Charlotte County if elected their representative.

I believe very strongly in the great good that will come to our County and the whole of Canada by the adoption of the Reciprocity Agreement, which is the great and sole issue before the people in this election.

Both parties have tried to get fair reciprocal trade relations with the United States for many years, and it is now our chance, if we so elect, to profit by this agreement. Any tariff put upon the products of the soil and sea, give not the slightest gain or assistance to the farmer or fishermen. It lessens the great value of his labor, in the home market, and bars him largely from getting into a foreign market. Not tariffs, but larger markets are what the farmers, lumbermen and fishermen need for their best prosperity. Under the proposed Reciprocity Agreement one of the very best and largest markets will be opened to us. Our farms and homes will increase largely in value and our present prosperity greatly enhanced. The heritage of fair and just trade taken from the farmers, the lumbermen and the fishermen by hostile tariffs will be returned to them by the adoption of this Reciprocity Agreement.

I desire, dear sirs, above all things, to be your chosen member to assist in Parliament, in obtaining this great boon for you.

I am, Yours sincerely,
WILLIAM F. TODD.

Most of the veterans seem somewhat suspicious of the innovation but those who have seen it work in other places are satisfied that they will soon get used to it and like it better than the old way. The telegraph lines will still be kept in operation for commercial messages and for use in case of accidents to the telephone system.—Ex.

It's Time For Pickling.

(Women's Home Companion.)

Pickled onions: Peel small, white onions, cover with brine, allowing one and one-half cups of salt to two quarts of boiling water, cover and let stand two days. Drain and cover with more brine; let stand two days and again drain; make more brine, heat to boiling

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point, add onions, again bring to boiling point and let boil five minutes. Put in bottles, interspersing with bits of mace, white pepper corns, clover, bits of bay leaf and slices of red pepper. Fill bottles to overflowing with vinegar, sealed with sugar, allowing one cupful of sugar to one gallon of vinegar. Cork while still hot.

Celery relish: Wipe 17 ripe tomatoes. Remove leaves and root ends from five bunches of celery. Wipe two red peppers. Chop vegetables, mix, put in a preserving kettle and add two and a half cups of sugar, one and a half cups of vinegar, two tablespoonfuls of salt and one teaspoonful, each, of cloves, allspice, cinnamon, mustard and celery seed. Bring gradually to the boiling point and let simmer one and a half hours, stirring occasionally. Fill bottles and seal while hot.

Piccilli No 1: Wipe and chop one peck of green tomatoes, sprinkle with one cupful of salt, cover and let stand over night. In the morning drain, put in a preserving kettle, and add 11 medium-sized onions, peeled and finely chopped, and six green peppers, wiped and finely chopped, then add three and a half teaspoonfuls of cinnamon, allspice and mustard, two teaspoonfuls of cloves, one-half teaspoonful each of white pepper

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Wharf at Little Lameque, N. B.," will be received at this office until 4.00 P.M., on Monday, October 2, 1911, for the construction of a Wharf at Little Lameque, Gloucester County, N. B.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., District Engineer, St. John, N. B., Geoffrey Strad, Esq., District Engineer, Chatham, N. B., and on application to the Postmaster at Lameque, N. B.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Sept. 7, 1911

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

NOTICE OF SALE

To Alvin S. Murphree, late of the parish of Dumbarton, in the county of Charlotte and Province of New Brunswick, Farmer, and to all others to whom it may in wise concern:

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the terms of the power of sale contained in a mortgage made between Alvin S. Murphree of the one part, and Irwin E. Gilmour of the other part, bearing date the third day of May, A. D. 1909, and duly recorded in the Records of Charlotte county, in Book No. 40, at pages 343 to 346, there will, default having been made in the payment of moneys secured by said mortgage, be sold at private sale at the residence of the said Irwin E. Gilmour at Bonny River, County of Charlotte, Province of New Brunswick, on Thursday the 21st day of Sept. A. D. 1911, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Land described in said mortgage as follows: "All that certain lot of land situated in Pleasant Ridge in said Parish of Dumbarton, County and Province aforesaid, bounded and described as follows:—to-wit: Bounded on the west by Bonny Brook, so called, on the north by land owned by John New, on the east by the Boundary line of the granted land on the east of Pleasant Ridge, on the south by and owned by the heirs of one Robert McGowan. Containing 175 acres more or less." Together with the buildings thereon and the privileges thereto belonging.

Dated the 15th day of June A. D. 1911.
Irwin E. Gilmour, Mortgagee.

NOTICE

Owing to the failure of the Lords Cove Team to keep their engagement on Labor Day or to even notify us as to their intention, so that we could arrange with some other team for the day, and to the fact that we have had several games postponed on account of rain, which we could not arrange later, we have been under more expense than our gate receipts will cover so we respectfully ask all whose names are attached to the Guarantee Fund would hand their amounts to the Treasurer.

John C. O'Brien
St. George B. B. A.

"The passion for flying has certainly caught on in my district," said Assemblyman Sullivan. "A nine-year-old boy up there decided one day, after watching a goose fly across the yard, that if such a thing could fly by merely flapping its wings there was no reason why he, Willie Spratt, shouldn't fly by flapping his arms a few times and then boldly plunged off into space. He landed on the side of his head, and to the boy who was watching him said: "The trouble was I forgot to flap."... New York Herald.

Good Hints

An immaculate mattress is essential to good health. It is well to have a separate cover that buttons on, so that it can be frequently washed.

A cloudy day is the best for washing windows, because the warm sun-shine dries the water too quickly, and the window is likely to be streaked.