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All are Jolly Well Glad to be Back in Canada Once More-Only a Few Officers and Men of the Original Corps are Left - Col. Adamson Approved of Col. Peck's Attack in Parliament on Sir Charles Ferguson—4th and 5th Canadian Mounted Rifles Also on Board Carmania.

HALIFAX, March 16.— The Cunard liner Carmania, from England with the Princess Pats, the '49th Battalion and the 4th and 5th C. M. R., of the Canadian expeditionary force on and sale of liquor. board, arrived in port this morning shortly before eight o'clock and docked at pier No. 2 at nine o'clock.

The Princess Pats were the first to land. They marched Smith is visiting his parents for a few down the gangplank by platoons, in typical St. Patrick's day days. He has lately returned from weather to the music of a band of pipers. Lieut. Colonel Ham-ilton Gault, D. S. O., and Lieut. Colonel A. Adamson, D. S. O., watched the proceedings from the boat. Col. Hamilton Gault said there was nothing for him to say except that "All were jolly well glad to get bock to Canada." They were detraining about thirty of the men who went over with the original battalion, but as the regiment had suffered so much in the past consult a specialist with regard to from incomplete reports of its activities, he declined to particu- eye trouble. She will be accompanied larize. Lieut. Col. A. Adamson, who commanded the regiment by her mother Mrs. William Cain who death with much regret. in the field for some time, is one of three remaining officers who went over as officers with the battalion. The third is Major Nivens, who will come out later with his wife.

COL. ADAMSON SAYS THAT CANADIANS AT KINMEL CAMP HAD A GREAT DEAL OF PROVOCATION

Colonel Adamson was in Cologne the day Sir Charles Ferguson issued the order to which Colonel Peck took exception arrive home from overseas in Parliament last week. He stated he was glad Colonel Peck Mr. J. Bettle of St. John is visiting had brought the matter to the attention of the House. General triends here Plumer had caused the order to be rescinded a few days later and had succeeded in squaring the matter up, but Ferguson was a weak administrator and should never have been ap- daylight saving legislation is being pointed to the office. Colonel Adamson was at Liverpool during the Rhyl riot. He doubts if the men themselves were really being largely signed, considerable opreconsible for the outbreak. He thought they had a great montest The proposal being deal of provocation. It had been General Currie's idea that the units should return to their homes with their own wounded, from this constituency. but Argyle House had decided against the plan on the ground that it involved too many documents.

Colonel Adamson relinquished the command of the Pats Eno when his eyes failed him. He was transferred to corps headquarters and was succeeded in the command of the regiment by the late Colonel Charles Stewart of Halifax. Colonel Adamson is proceeding to Toronto.

ONLY TWO OF ORIGINAL OFFICERS ARE RETURNING

WITH THE FIFTH CANADIAN MOUNTED RIFLES The 5th Canadian Mounted Rifles, of Montreal.



Marysville, March 17-At a meeting of the quarterly board of the Metholist Church held at the parsonage on Thursday evening resolutions were dopted requesting the Dominion Govrnment to enact legislation in furtherance of the Order-in-Council of night of Mrs. Henriette Blanche Sher-March 11. 1918 and that such legisla- wood wife of Mr. Abram Sherwood, tion remain in effect until such time manager of the Dominion Express as the electors shall have an oppor- Company, and formerly manager of

Gunner Earl Smith formerly of this place and son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred for a time under treatment at the

overseas

Cotton Mill Down

Owing to a shortage in the water supply due to a freeze-up the cotton mill did not start work this morning. Hillsboro, where the family had resid-Mrs. William Cameron is leaving to-ed for a number of years. She was a bright and estimable lady and had the province who will learn of her will visit relatives at Rumford, Me., and her sister Miss Edna Cain who will make an extended visit to relatives Grace, Harmon and John Sherwood all at home. There are also two step-

Mr. William Harrison of Halifax was a week-end visitor in town. Mr. G. Milburn White has received word from his son Sergt. George M. White to the effect that he will shortly

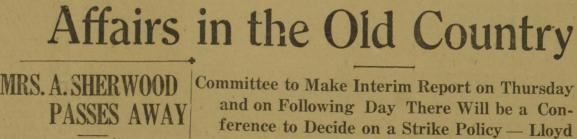
vive. Great sympathy will be felt for them in their bereavement The funeral service will be conduc

Against Daylight Saving

petition against the proposed circulated throughout the town and is o'clock train to Hillsboro for intermanifest. The petition will be for-

Mrs. Alfred Higgs of Nappan, N. S. s visiting her daughter Mrs. H. W.

A very enjoyable party was tendered Pte. George Banks at the home of food commission, which has been con-Coup. and Mrs. Harry Stephenson on ducting negotiations at Vienna, has Friday evening. Pte. Banks who lately concluded sessions there and has returned home from overseas was pre-reached an agreement by which Gersented with a fountain pen. The evening was spent with participation in man-Austria will receive five conveys games, music, etc. and refreshments of grain daily by way of Trieste, according to advices received here were served.



Wife of Manager of Dominion **Express Company Succumbs** to an Attack of Heart Trouble.

The lamented death occurred at her

trouble and had been in delicate

health for some months, having been

The deceased was a mative of

late Rev. John M. Currie a well known

Baptist clergyman. About seven years

ago she removed to this city from

many warm friends in many parts of

Besides her husband the deceased is

sons. Edward, manager of the Salis

bury & Harvey Railway, and Clifford

who lately returned from overseas

Two sisters and one brother also sur-

ted by Rev. G. C. Warren, at the

house this evening at seven o'clock.

The body will be taken by the nine

Basle, March 17-The inter-allied

from the Austrian Capital. A credit

of thirty million dollars has been ar-

None Reported missing, not now

Victoria Hospital.

Committee to Make Interim Report on Thursday and on Following Day There Will be a Conference to Decide on a Strike Policy - Lloyd George Returning to London This Week-The West Bank of the Rhine to be Test for Huns at the Conference.

A Critical Week in Labor

home on Waterloo Row on Saturday | ONDON, March 17 .--- Premier Lloyd George is expected to return to London to be present during a week which is looked upon as critical in the labor affairs of the country. On Thursday the committee will make its interim report, which is expected to decide whether the miners will proceed with their threatened strike. There will be conferences on Friday between the railway men and the triple alliance of labor to decide on a strike policy.

Revelations made by the coal commission relative to large profils in the coal industry are leading to insistent demands for similar inquiries into the shipping, iron and steel and other Gagetown, being a daughter of the large industries.

The test for the German delegates at the peace conference will be the west bank of the Rhine, says a Berlin despatch to the Mail. The delegates will be authorized to break negotiations if this matter is forced upon them, and in this case the cabinet will support the delegation and will resign if the National Assembly takes a different attitude.

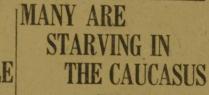
MONARCHIST REACTION IS GROWING IN GERMANY

AND OVERSHADOWING THE NEW GOVERNMENT

Special despatches from Berlin report that the suppression of the recent Spartacan outbreak there has shown that a miliary and monarchist reaction is growing and overshadowing the new government. The Berlin correspondent of the Mail, who on February 27 sent a despatch outlining plans for a monarchist uprising in Germany, has arrived in London, having left Berlin on March 14th, after a residence of three months. He reiterates statements made in his despatch saying that President Eberi, Chancellor Scheidemann and War Minister Noske are merely puppets. He declares that for the purpose of retaining power they have allowed members of the military caste to reappear as organizers of the new Republican armies. These men are the real government of Germany," he says. They make the edicts and Chancellor Scheidemann and his colleagues willingly sign them."

BOLSHEVISTS THE TEUTONS **PLANNING TO MAKE TROUBLE**

Archangel, March 15-On the anni-Bolsheviki addresses, where upon the commission recently sent to that reg provisional government arrested a ion by the American committee for number of the speakers and declared relief in the near east, received by Its determination to vigorously sup- cable at the headquarters of the compress all such attempts to lend as mittee here today. "There is no bread sistance to enemies and hamper the any where," said the report. "The struggle of the allies against the Bol- gov't had not a pound. There are 45,sheviki. There is increasing evidence 000 people in Erivan wholly without that the Bolsheviki agitators are ready bread and the orphanages and troops to take advantage of any minor dis- all through Erivan are in a terrible turbance to bring about a Bolsheviki condition. revolt behind the lines at any time There is not a dog, cat or horse livwhen the allied troops are hard press- ing in all the Igdir region. We saw ed at the front.



New York, March 16-Three thousversary of the Russian revolution Mar. and men women and children . are 12, the celebrations by the city and the starving to death in the Caucasus, accouncil of professional unions was cording to the first report from Dr.

with 26 officers and 621 other ranks under the command of Lieut. Col. W. Rhodes, D. S. O., M. C., who went as captain and adjutant of the regiment. The regiment sailed from Canada in July, 1915, and during its service at the 22 officers and 4,890 other ranks have passed through it. Lieut. Col. Rhodes and Major J. Todd, who is second in command, are the only two officers returning with the unit who went over as such.

Lieut. Col. Rhodes was promoted to the command of this lowing regiment in January last year. He was decorated with the D. S. O. in January 1918, and received a bar to his decoration shortly after the armistice was signed. He also received the M. C. in 1916 and was decorated by the French government in MINISTERS DOING ALL POSSIBLE TO August, 1917. He is a veteran of the South African campaign and was present at the coronation of King Edward VII.

Licut. Col. Rhodes spoke very highly of the conduct of his men. He said there were only two officers returning who went over with them, and about seventy other ranks. His regi ment was in the battles of the Somme, Passchendale and in the engagement of June 2nd last suffered heavy casualties.

M RDERED HOCKEYISTS **BY PEASANTS** AT SEATTLE

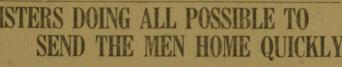
La Sn, March 17-General Count Vancouver, B. C., March 16-The man army in Flanders, during a large world's professional hockey championers Von Arnima shot at Peasants of the National hockey league. gathering fire wood on his property | The Canadiens arrived here this and that the mob invaded and pillaged morning. his chateau after killing him.

Returned on Carmania R. M. S. Carmania. Those who will Marysville.

ranged to carry out the agreement. IN CASUALTIES Bayview, N. B.; E. Nolan, Sunny Cor ner, N. B.; G. Albert, Caraquet, N. B. Ottawa, March 17-Casualties; A-Engineers: J. D. Gagnon, St. Leon

mong Maritime men include the fol- de Stanton Que.

Infantry, Died: W. H. McDonald, missing G. R. Jones St. Stephen, N. B.



Delays are as Disappointing to the Government as to the Men, Says Sir Robert Borden at a Canadian Banquet in Paris-Declares He is a Convinced Supporter of the League of Nations, Though Too Much Must Not be Expected at Once.

DARIS, March 16.—The Canadian ministers attending the Peace Conference proceedings are following the progress structed railroads to turn their clocks of demobilization and are doing their best for the prompt re- ahead one hour at two o'clock Sunday

turn of Canadian troops from oversas. At a "Canadian even-Von Arnima, commander of the Ger- first game in the series to decide the ing" held in the "Corne rof Blighty" hospitable soldiers' club, Paris, last night, Sir Robert Borden reminded the soldiers that will be held only at terminals. part of the war, has been beaten to ship will be played at Seattle on Wed- the authorities were doing everything passible to expedite de

death by peasants at Tsche, Bolemia, nesday evening between the Seattle mobilization, compatible with the need to finish up the task according to a Paris despatch to the team, champions of the Pacific Coast for which Canadians had left Canada, but difficulties connected Echange telegraph. It is said that Gen- league and the Canadiens, champions with transport and shipping sometimes caused delays which

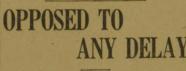
are as disappointing to the government as much as to the men. Sir Robert said the war had shown the people of Canada and

other dominions that it was the ideal rather than the material which lived in history. Sir Robert said he was a convinced sup- of the Manitoba grain growers associ- veyances were provided for wounded arrive in this city from this vicinity porter of the league of nations. He was not one of those who ation here on Friday last, a resolution believed that things could be done all at once, but if they could was passed contending that any furcher, Pte. W. D. Seymour, Pte. J. Mc- make all nations agree to accept the principle that in future ther delay in dealing effectively with lyn and other borroughs of the city. A large number of returned men ar-Arthur, T. C. Melton, Sapper W. Sap-before war was declared there must be discussion, publicity the evils resulting from the establish-

preventing a recurrence of the horrors of this war.

THE DAYLIGHT

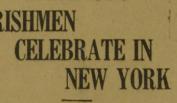
Washington, D. C., March 16-To make effective the daylight savings law, director General Hines today inmorning March 30th. Trains will run on the new schedule thereafter but



rived at Halfax today on board the pier, North Devon, and B. Beatty, and mediation, much would have been accomplished toward ed tariff system would not be thought of by the government.

mes L. Barton, Chairman of the

refugee women stripping the flesh from a dead horse with their bare hands today. "Thirty deaths a day are reported from Ashtarag and twentyfive from Etchmiadzin; Izier and Sada-SAVING PLAN bad certainly more. Another week will score thousand lives lost.



New York, March 17-Soldiers and sailors were accorded the honor placed by the great St. Patricks parade in which thirty-eight thousand representatives of some one hundered Irish sail-Winnipeg, March 16-At a meeting ors were assigned to places today. Conshal.