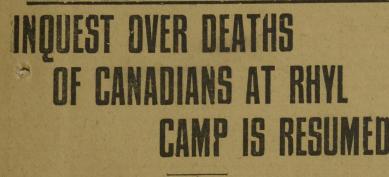


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Witnesses Say There Were Fifty or Sixty Men Marcell had killed his wife and then Among the Rioters Who Were Described as Ringleaders-Rioting was to a Large Extent Attributable to Drink-No Ammunition was **Issued** to the Rioters.

RHYL CAMP, March 28.—At the resumption of the inquest The body of Mrs. Marcell was bad-into the deaths of five Canadian soldiers during the Kinmel ly charred. The jury decided that the Park rioting on March 5, today, the coroner asked Major Collier if he had found anyone who could pick out a rioter who had actually fired.

Major Collier said that Sergeant Roberts, who was in court saw a rioter go down on one knee and take deliberate aim and fire in the direction of Private Gillan, who was one of those Killed. Witness added that there were fifty or sixty men among the rioters whom he would describe as ringleaders. All those concerned in the disturbance were now, he believed, in captivity.

#### **Camp Defenders Procured Ball Ammunition** And Returned the Fire of the Rioting Men

A juryman asked if the witness attributed the rioting to drink, and Major Collier remarked that he did to a very large extent. It was an aggravating cause. Lieut. H. Wilde, who was with Private Gillan when he was shot, said that when they realized that the attacking party was using ball ammunition, some of the defenders procured ammunition from some place or other and returned fire.

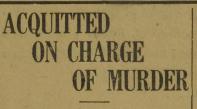
The coroner asked if the men were ordered to fire, and the ed one to two points, but rails were witness answered in the negative. He said they were not issued ammunition. He had no idea where the men got it.

### **Canadian Engineer Says Rioters Were Twice Repulsed Before Any Firing Took Place**

The next witness, Captain Scott, spoke of seeing several rioters taking deliberate aim, and added that after they started firing he used ball ammunition. Some of the defending party returned the fire of the rioters. The witness did not see any of the defenders' party using bayonets. No orders were given to the men to fire. The witness added that it was not drink entirely, but more the Russian element that caused the riot.

Sergt. Roberts, Canadian Engineers, gave evidence that the rioters had been twice repulsed before any firing took place. Then he saw one rioter fire twice. After the second shot Private Gillan fell, but he could not say it was this man's shot that killed Gillan. Other rioters came forward with revolvers and started firing and he did not think it was safe to stick around. He thought he could recognize the man who fired just before Gillan fell.

# HUNS CLAIM NO HAND IN THE



Northbay, Ont., March 26-John M. Arcell, of Sturgeon falls, who was accused of the murder of his wife about a year ago, was acquitted at the assizes here today after a two day trial. The crown charged that set fire to the building to destroy the

evidence of his guilt. The defense contended that the residence of the Marcell's accidentally caught fire, and that the husband

her, but had saved his niece, nine years old.

crown had failed to prove that a murder had been committed.

## **STOCK MARKET IS STRONGER**

New York, March 28-Many acces ions to early gains were made in the course of the morning, the market broadening as prices rose. The inquiry for steels and kindred shares under lead of United States Steel and Bald win Locomotive was more substantia than at any recent period, these divis ions gaining one to three points. Advances in oils and motors were fully sustaied and motor specialties were high by two to five points. Shippings coppers, tobaccos and fertilizers gain

restrained by pressure.

WAR PRICES **COMING DOWN** 

bolt and rivet manufacturers of the had been feared would take place. United States and Canada agreed upon a cut of from twenty to forty percen in war prices of the products made by

their companies at a meeting here yes-

Attracted Big Crowd The debate on the potato enquiry

terday.

last evening attracted the largest crowd of visitors to the Legislature in years. One old timer was heard to say that it reminded him of the old days when the Blair government was in power. Many ladies occupied seats tired. in the galleries and so interested were

# Draft of League of Nations Is Practically Completed

MARYSVILLE HAPPENINGS

Marysville, March. 27-At the Daw son Club bowling alleys last evening : very interesting match took place be tween a team of loom fixers and a team of weavers from the cotton mill. The game resulted in a victory for was unable to reach the wife to save the weavers by a margin of 20 pins. Mr. Joseph Dolphin is in Montreal on a business trip.

> Friends of Mrs. James Forbes daughter of ex-Coun. and Mrs. J. B. McInnis will regret to learn that her

recovery from her recent illness is not as rapid as would be hoped for. Mr. Frank Miller son of Mr. and Mrs. James Miller who returned from overseas a few months ago left last evening for Halifax where he will take a course of instruction in electrical

engineering at the Technical College Mrs. W. J. Kelly has returned from St. Stephen where she has been sup plying as pianist in the Bijou theatre for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison W. Eno are eceiving congratulations on the arrival of a young son at their home.



Dublin, March 26-"By the A. P." John McGarry, a Sinn Feiner, who escaped from Lincoln prison with Professor Edward De Valera, and who is a member of the Dublin corporation, appeared at a meeting of that body today.

Dublin is perfectly quiet and the Pittsburg, Pa., March 28-Represen- people generally welcome the abtatives of ninety-eight plants of the sence of the disturbances which it

> **NEWSPAPER** MAN'S DEATH

Contains No Reference to the Monroe Doctrine or the Japanese Proposal-Many Important Amendments Have Been Adopted-The Principle of Woman Suffrage is Accepted-Nations Can Withdraw from League on Two Years' Notice.

**D**ARIS, March 27.—Containing neither any reference to the Monroe doctrine nor to the Japanese proposal for recognition, of the racial equality of nations, the draft of the covenant of the League of Nations today is in the hands of the special drafting committee.

The draft was completed Wednesday night at a sitting of the full commission, and the covenant is expected to be realy in completed form early next week. These two amendments. around which has centred the greatest interest and much divergence of opinion, however, may be offered either in the Council of Ten or to the plenary Peach Conference, to which the covenant must go for final action.

Among other amendments adopted Wednesday night was one directly recognizing the principle of women's suffrage, in that it provides that the offices of the league are open to women as well as to men.

## The Monroe Doctrine Amendment Withheld By President Wilson for the Present at Least

The much discussed question as to the possibility of the withdrawal from membership in the League of Nations was settled by an amendment permitting withdrawal on two years' notice, but not until such nation has filled out its international obligations.

Article X of the covenant, to which the Monroe doctrine amendment would apply, stands in its original form, President Wilson having reserved for the present the amendment which had been prepared as expressing the views of the Américan delegation. It is now explained that it was not the exact text, but only the general form of the amendment which was given to the press, and that hence criticism must be withheld for the present. Careful considerations are being taken to ascertain the reception that is likely to be given this amendment by other delegations. If unfriendly sentiment develops or the pressing of other obnoxious amendments is threatened as a consequence of insistence upon the Monroe doctrine, it is said the amendment may be withdrawn.

## Workings of the League will be Speeded Up To Meet Requirements Which are Arising

Being the first mention of the desire of Japanese to secure an addition recognizing equality before the law for all subjects of the League of Nations states in other countries, the Japan-

Chicago, March 26.—Frederick H. Hall, pioneer newspaper man, died at his residence here last night. Mr. Hall came to Chicago after the civil war with Charles A. Dana, and for twenty-two years was city editor of the Chi-cago Tribune. Ten years ago he re-thred the requirements that now daily are arising throughout the world. Another amendment gathers into one section all of these separate conventions which are to be incorporated in the covenant, such as those relating to labor, commerce and finance, so that these are not made a part of the treaty, but that the countries signatory agree to do the things set forth therein. This would leave the league only to execute the terms of such conventions as may be agreed upon by the separate states. Provision is to be made for similar treatment of other conventions on other subjects.

# DISAPPEARANCE OF U.S. COLLIER they in the proceedings that they did not budge until the House adjourn

BERLIN, March 28.-The German Admiralty says it is unable to give assistance in solving the mystery of the disappearance early in March of last year of the United States naval collier Cyclops, while bound from Brazil for the United States with a crew of fifteen officers and 221 men, 57 passengers and a cargo of manganese. The German Admiralty say they received no report of the sinking of the Cyclops, and add that no German subs were operating at the time in West Indian waters.

#### SERBIANS EVIDENCE **OF GERMAN** ACCUSED VANDALISM **OF CRIMES**

Paris, March 27-The Montengrien

The memordandum accuses Serbian

Parts, March 28-"Havas"-The senate considered yesterday the report of govt. has handed to the peace confera commission which was sent to inves. ence a memorandum accusing Serbian tigate conditions in the north of officials with the following crimes in Free which were occupied by the Germans during the war. M. Reinald, Montenegro: Massacring, torturing and starving the inhabitants: intern-ment of civilians: forced enrollment of reporting for the commission, said that the inhabitants in the Serbian army: the Germans methodically destroyed confiscation and destruction of priproperty and that many German offi- vate property: destruction of historic cers brought their wives to the occu- monuments: misuse of the white flag. scribing the systematic village of St. lies and usurping authority. The Mon-Quentin and Rheims, M. Reinald said: tenegrien govt. demands the punish-

against the people of northern and committee has the against the allies". ance the project. eastern France and instances of wanton destruction were cited by the speaker, who introduced a resolution asking the senate to take action on the commissions report.

ed at 1.30 o'clock. It was easily the

#### FATAL EXPLOSION

Venice, March 28-"Havas"-Thirty most important debate from a spectat- persons were killed and thirty oth ors standpoint that the Legislature ers injured by the explosion of an oil has witnessed in twenty five years. tank steamer here yesterday.

# THE CITY OF VIENNA IS SAID TO **BE THREATENED WITH FAMINE**

Railway Strike Threatens to Spread to All Parts of the Country-Sympathy With the Hungarian Revolution is Manifested and the Situation is Very Grave.

VIENNA, March 28.-A grave strike on the railwas has been called and threatens to spread to all the roads in this country. The strike was called partly for higher wages and partly because of sympathy with the Hungarian revolution. It is feared it may lead to the establishment of a soviet republic in German Austria. The trouble began last night when men employed by the Southern Railroad walked out. All traffic over this road is at a complete standstill, even Allied food trains from Trieste being stopped. As a result of this interruption of transportation of supplies Vienna is threatened with famine. The situation is extremely grave.

#### Would Attack Vienna.

London, March 28.—Premier Lenine has sent a wireless pied regions to held them carry away goods taken from French homes. In dearmy against Vienna, according to a Budapest despatch received in Berlin and forwarded by the Exchange Telegraph Co. "Examples of German atrocities ent of "The crimes official serbia sub Lenine promised to advance one hundred million krones to fin-

#### A Plot Nipped in the Bud.

NO DAYLIGHT SAVING London, March 28 .- Action by American troops looking Ottawa, Darch 27-Daylight saving after Russian prisoners in Germany is believed to have nipped was defeated in the commons at 11.30 in the bud an important Bolshevik plot, according to an Ex- Doaktown are registered at the Queen breaking down under close confine tonight on a decision of 105 to 51. change Telegraph despatch from Berlin dated Thursday.

#### **Reports are Premature.**

Paris, March 28.-Reports that the German peace delegates will reach Versailles Sunday are premature, the Petit Journal says in its issue today.

#### PERMANENT **MAKING WAR** STAFF URGED **ON THE JEWS**

Paris, March 28-It is reported that London, March 27-The Zionist organization reports having received the amendment to the league of natfrom an eye witness news of a series ions covenant urged by Leon Bourof programs in the Ukranian. Hund- geois, previding for a permanent milireds of jews and jewess were killed or tary and naval staff for the league, wounded, according to the report. Jew- has been rejected by the league of ish nobilitiese were drowned or shot nations commission.

and Jewish women were subjected to shameful treatment. Not a single Jewish township between Kiev and Back-matsih was spared, the report says. natsih was spared, the report says.

#### RESUMED WORK.

London, March 27 .- Thirty thousand South Wales miners resumed yer who for the past year has been unwork tonight. The remainder of the der arrest charged with complicity in

today.

FREEDOM

Paris, March 28-Paul Conby, a lawstrikers will resume work tomorrow. the Caillaux and Bolo Pascha, has been allowed to leave the prison temporar-Dr. J. Wier and Miss F. M. Wier of ily because his health was found to be

ment.