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DESCRIBES EXITING SCENE AT THE RECENT RIOT AT CAMP KINMEL

Private Edmonston, of Canadian Cavalry, Pleads Not Guilty to Charge of Participating in the Mutiny—Says Rioters Jeered When Warned by Officers Not to Approach the Camp—Strong Evidence Against the Accused.

Liverpool, May 8.—One of the most exciting incidents in the Riot at Kinmel Camp was described by Private Russell Henry Edmonston, of the Canadian cavalry, yesterday, who pleaded not guilty to charges of joining the mutiny and not endeavoring to suppress it.

On the afternoon of March 3rd, a party of men carrying the red flag was rushed and dispersed by pickets at Camp 20, which later was attacked by the main body of rioters. Though warned by the officers not to approach the camp they laughed and jeered and continued to advance, Private Edmonston said.

Twice they were driven back, but they returned the third time with rifles.

Shots were fired from both sides, and in the raking fire men were struck until the rioters, some of whom were concealed behind trenches and trees, showed the white flag.

THE ACCUSED IDENTIFIED BY WITNESSES AS HAVING HEADED A PARTY OF RIOTERS

Witnesses identified the accused as heading a party of rioters to whom he shouted "Come on boys, follow me." He was seen entering a trench later, going with five or six men behind a tree, from whence shots came. After the firing had ceased he was arrested behind the tree. He was hit on the head with a rifle bullet and also in the right leg.

Accused denied participation in the riots. He said he was attracted to the scene while standing with a crowd of spectators. He saw a drunken man who had run forward fall wounded. The accused said he had rushed out and dragged the wounded man behind the trees. He did what he could for the wounded man, resting his head on his knee and wiping the blood from his face. This man, he thought, died later.

The court called for evidence of character and the accused was removed under escort.

TRANSATLANTIC FLIGHT BEGUN BY TWO PLANES AT ROCKAWAY

New York, May 8.—The first trans-Atlantic flight was begun when three N. C. hydro-airplanes left the government's airstation at Rockaway Beach at ten a. m. today on the first leg of their journey—Rockaway to Halifax a distance of 540 miles. The N. C. 3 with commander John H. Tovers, chief of the expedition, was the first plane to take the air.

The N. C. 1, with Lieutenant Commander R. N. Bellinger, and the N. C. 4, with Lieutenant Commander A. C. Read as the commanding officers were close behind.

The planes were escorted to sea by a squadron of navy scout planes.

Proceeding in a generally northeasterly direction the trio of hydro-airplanes should reach Halifax before nightfall, barring mishaps.

The next route runs 460 miles to Trepassey, 1,350 miles to the Azores, another 800 miles to Portugal and on to Plymouth, England.

Wood's Hole, Mass., May 8.—The naval flyers on the way to Halifax passed over Navision Island at 12.50. The three machines were close together and flying high.

TO DISPOSE OF WARSHIPS

London, May 8.—The policy of the British Admiralty with regard to the disposal of warships was stated in the House of Commons yesterday by Parliamentary Secretary MacNamara, in reply to a question by Earl Curzon.

He said that since the armistice only one British warship, namely a light cruiser, had been sold to India, but an arrangement was proceeding for the sale of a further eleven warships.

Also he hoped shortly to dispose of a further 150 ships. All these vessels were obsolete. Vessels of fighting value, he added, would be sold under pledge that they would be broken up.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

New York, May 8.—Renewal of the speculative activity in shipbuilding and oils at gains of one to almost five points attended the early trading in the stock market today. New high records were made by Atlantic Gulf and Sinclair Oil, Texas Co. Mexican Petroleum and Pan-American Petroleum also were very strong. United States

TO ORGANIZE AN OUTLAW LEAGUE

Boston, May 8.—George H. Lawson, recently discharged from the Canadian army, in which he was a sergeant major, in the Royal Engineers, announced tonight plans for the formation of an outlaw baseball league, to be known as the Allied League.

He said that only men who had seen service in the American Expeditionary or Allied armies would be eligible to play. Mr. Lawson, who promoted the "outlaw" United States League a few years ago, said he had assurances of backing which would enable the league to start its season on June 1.

He announced as the probable circuit: Boston, Providence, Brooklyn, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Montreal, Ottawa or Toronto, and Newark. He said grounds were available in all of these cities.

Provincial Appointments
Michael F. Breen of Minto and Jeremiah Sullivan of Grand Falls have been appointed provincial constables.

Steel's rise of a point was among the reassuring features. Coppers added to yesterday's gains and tobaccos were strongest of the specialties.

NEW LIGHTING EQUIPMENT FOR MARYSVILLE

Town Council Makes Extra Assessment—Two Weddingsdings — Building Improvements.

Marysville, May 8.—The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council was held Tuesday evening with a full board and His Worship Mayor Stafford occupying the chair.

The order of business was suspended in order to hear the report of Mr. N. T. Nesbitt representative of the Northern Electric Company of Halifax in connection with the installation of a new system of lighting for the town. Mr. Nesbitt estimated the cost of installing the Series System at approximately \$3,200, and gave detailed information in connection therewith. After some discussion the Council decided to proceed with the work as outlined by Mr. Nesbitt and the sum of \$3,500 was included in the assessment to cover cost of such installation and the maintenance of the lights for the ensuing year.

The reports of the different committees were received and adopted. The report of the Finance Committee showed that there was an amount of approximately \$200 in outstanding taxes which they were instructed by the Board to have collected at once. After the disposition of other matters of importance the meeting adjourned.

Married Tuesday

A very quiet wedding took place at the Baptist parsonage at South Devon Tuesday evening last when Miss Sarah Agnes only daughter of Mrs. Thomas Galley was united in marriage to Mr. Elmer W. Peterson formerly of Boiestown but now located here. The bride who was unattended was attired in a suit of navy blue with hat to match. After the ceremony they returned to Marysville where a sumptuous wedding supper was served. The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts attesting to their popularity. They will make their future home in Marysville.

An old building on Morrison Street owned by the Canadian Cottons and formerly occupied as a dwelling is being torn down and it is probable that an up-to-date tenement will be erected on this site.

Married Last Night

Mr. J. Alfred Nichols only son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nichols Water Street and Miss Gertrude Hall daughter of Mr. Michael Hall of Newcastle were united in marriage at the home of the groom's parents last evening. Rev. J. B. Daggett officiated and only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present. At the conclusion of the ceremony a wedding supper was served. The bride and groom received many beautiful presents. They will make their home here.

Personal Mention

Miss Rachel Banks is visiting relatives at Nashwaak.
Mrs. G. B. Hanson has returned to her home after nursing at Fredericton for a few months.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Arnold of Edmund

COLORS PRESENTED TO CANADIAN BATTALIONS AT WHITLEY CAMP

Ceremony Performed by the Princes of Wales in the Presence of A Great Crowd of People—Five Thousand Troops Marched in Procession.

London, May 7.—The Prince of Wales visited Whitley Camp today to present colors to four Battalions of the Second Canadian Division who are about to return home. Five thousand men paraded and thousands more witnessed the ceremony, including many hundreds of Canadian soldiers who swarmed upon the neighboring hills and beat a tattoo of welcome with their heels on the corrugated iron roofs. The Prince of Wales was received by General Sir Arthur Currie and other officers. He inspected the troops, attended the consecration ceremony on the parade ground and afterwards presented the colors, which received by subalterns on bended knee.

The Prince then addressed the troops, recalling their services in France and his association with them. He said that future generations would recall their noble deeds. Colors fostered the regimental spirit—the spirit which had carried our invincible infantry to victory. He wished the troops God Speed and a safe return to their homes.

General Ross responded, and the proceedings terminated with the march past.

German Peace Delegates Will Consult Government

RED TRIANGLE DRIVE STARTED YESTERDAY

Fredericton Asked to Do Its Duty by Y. M. C. A.—Amount Half What it was Last Year.

The drive for funds for the Red Triangle Y. M. C. A. started yesterday morning and the reports from the different teams are very encouraging to the General Committee. This city has always taken a strong part in every good work and indications from the first day's results would lead to the feeling that again this year the fund will be well subscribed. The Y. M. C. A. with the Red Cross and Chaplains service was, during the war, officially recognized as being an integral part of the Canadian Army Corps, and all testimony on the part of those interested points to the wonderful influence that this branch of work had in keeping up the morale of the troops.

The work is not yet finished and the funds asked for, practically fifty per cent of last year, are to help carry on the work that is already being begun.

The collectors meet with the criticism "that the war is over and why should more funds be required?" Since the armistice was signed the work has been doubled, in camps, where training has been dispensed with, on transports, with troops coming home, at disembarkation ports, on troop trains, and demobilization centres. This great work must be kept up and the collectors feel assured that this city will once again go over the top in this campaign.

COURT MARTIAL AT ST. JOHN

St. John, May 8.—Under presidency of Brigadier General V. A. S. Williams a court martial was opened here this morning in connection with the Depot Battalion canteen.

The whole morning session was taken up with organization and the preliminaries. Lieut. Col. N. M. Young is acting as prosecutor. Several of the officers under court martial are represented by counsel.

ston were recent visitors here.

Mr. J. A. Arnold has returned from a visit to Edmundston.

Mrs. Alex. Sherman is confined to her home with illness.

Miss Vesta Savage of Newcastle and formerly of this place who has been confined to Victoria Hospital for some weeks is rapidly regaining her health, and expects to return to her home shortly.

Major C. G. Pncombe left this morning for Newcastle on business connection with the Department of the Interior.

Several of Them will Probably Start at Once for Berlin—Exchanges Made Between the Delegates and the Home Government are Being Kept Secret—Scene at the Conference was an Impressive One—Spokesman for the Huns Admitted His Country's Defeat.

Paris, May 8.—Intimations reaching the peace conference from Versailles lead to the belief that two or three members of the German delegation will probably return to Germany to consult their government, the others remaining at Versailles.

Germany has not yet submitted any communication with regard to the peace treaty. All the exchanges between the delegation at Versailles and the home government are being kept secret.

GERMANS LEFT THE PALACE UNDER ESCORT AND WERE GREETED WITH OPPRESSIVE SILENCE

Versailles, May 7.—The German delegates were the first to leave Trianon Palace after the meeting today. Before their appearance the military guard had been withdrawn so as to avoid any semblance of military honor. Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau and Herr Landsborg came out first and the whole of the party was speedily shown into automobiles which left immediately under a British and French escort and moved through crowded streets, the absolute silence of which was oppressive. The Germans were conspicuously undiplomatic in their appearance and they suggested rather a party of travel-stained tourists as they entered their motors.

THE SPOKESMAN FOR THE GERMANS REMAINED SEATED WHILE DELIVERING HIS ADDRESS

London, May 8.—Describing the scene at the Trianon Palace yesterday when the terms of peace were handed to the German delegation, a Paris despatch to the central news says that Premier Clemenceau stood while making his address, but that Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau, the spokesman for the Germans, wearing big horn spectacles, remained seated while he read his speech, which was transcribed sentence by sentence.

As the German foreign Minister preceded with increasing decision, the despatch says that it was interesting to note the demeanor of the assembly. The Germans seemed to stiffen their bodies and, with folded arms they sat stern and silent by Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau's side.

ATTITUDE OF GERMAN SPOKESMAN CREATED A DEEP IMPRESSION UPON THE DELEGATES

While the speaker was admitting the acceptance of defeat and the obligations of peace those watching the German delegation saw that they turned their eyes in other directions.

On concluding his speech Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau replaced his spectacles in their case spread his hands on the table and waited. It was clear, the despatch says, that his attitude created a deep impression upon the delegates. Premier Clemenceau immediately rose and in a couple of sharp sentences brought the proceedings to a close.

A SLASHING ATTACK ON NAVAL SERVICE

Ottawa, May 8.—A slashing attack on the Canadian naval department was made in the House of Commons last night by Mr. Duff, Liberal member for Lunenburg, N. S., who charged that there had been bungling, mismanagement and gross extravagance in connection with the administration of the Dominion's war vessels. Being the owner of numerous fishing vessels and having a warm corner in his heart for the men who go down to the sea in ships, he was especially indignant over the alleged failure of the Canadian naval authorities to go to the aid of Nova Scotia fishermen who were thrown into the sea, fired upon and left to row 140 miles in open boats when their schooners were sunk by a German submarine last summer.

He charged that naval officers, bedecked in fancy, gold braided uniforms, were strutting about Halifax and attending bridge whist parties and pink teas when they should have been hunting the Hun pirates. He alleged that the cruiser Niobe was tied up to the wharf at Halifax several days after the war broke out, while German liners with rich cargoes and millions of dollars in gold in their strong boxes sailed by unmolested.

Got Wireless Call.
He asserted that the Canadian oil tanker Luxblanca was torpedoed and her crew shelled by the undersea boat guns, suffering many casualties, were left to their fate by dilatory naval authorities who ignored for many hours the S.O.S. call. Very serious also was the allegation that an American destroyer which had been sent to fight the German raider, convoyed a vessel aboard which were important personages, while poor Nova Scotia fishermen were left to the pirates and had

WANT SAFE CONDUCT FOR DE VALERA

London, May 8.—"We have had no conference and have requested none with Premier Lloyd George, as has been stated," was a statement made last night by Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the delegation of representatives of Irish societies of the United States, which has been visiting Dublin during the past week.

Mr. Walsh left Dublin last Monday night, leaving his colleagues in that city.

"We wanted safe conducts from Ireland to Paris off Prof. Edward De Valera and a delegation representing the Irish republic," he continued, "and transmitted our request to Mr. Lloyd George directly. He answered to Col. E. M. House that he wished to confer with us before acting, but that his duties precluded his seeing us in less than a week. So we went to Ireland and will be back early next week to meet the Premier."

KERENSKY IS NOW IN PARIS

Paris, May 8.—Alexander Kerensky, the former Russian premier, is in Paris, it became known today. He has not, however, made an appearance in peace conference circles.

to row for two days before reaching land.

About the same time, Mr. Duff added, "the Lady Evelyn," one of Canada's best war vessels, was sent to the Magdalen Islands with six lead pencils for the wireless operators there.