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GENERAL CUT IN WAGES IN NEW ENGLAND TEXTILE FACTORIES —SHOE FACTORIES DO THE SAME

DROP IN COST OF
LIVING THE CAUSE

American Railways Reducing
Number of Employees--Read-
justment of Wages May Per-
mit Full Time for the Fac-
tories--Lynn Shoe Factories
Reduce Bonus Paid to Their
Employees

Boston, Nov. 29.—It was announced here today that many of the cotton and woollen manufacturers of New England at a conference in this city had decided on a general reduction in wages about Dec. 15. The cut will probably average slightly more than twenty-two per cent, and will rescind an advance of twelve and a half per cent made on Dec. 1, 1919, and an advance of fifteen per cent on May 29 last. The reduction will re-establish the level prevailing prior to last winter. It is felt by the manufacturers that all of whom are running on short time or are not doing business at all, that the cost of living is moving down substantially. Because of this fact and lower wage costs in the south and the necessity of bringing down manufacturing expenses to bring down goods costs and end the so-called buyers' strike, the manufacturers have decided on wage revisions.

Shoe Trade Also.
Lynn, Mass., Nov. 29.—The shoe manufacturers of this city today made formal request of the joint council United Shoe Workers of America for abolition of the wage bonus of 10 1/2 to 20 per cent that has been paid for more than a year. This is the first general step towards reduction of wages in this city where normally 15,000 operatives are employed in 100 factories, engaged largely in the making of women's shoes.

Elimination of the bonus is necessary according to the manufacturers, in order to reduce their operating costs to the point where shops may be reopened and run with profit.

Railroads Lay Off Many.

Boston, Nov. 29.—The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad announces that ten per cent of the working force of the system has been laid off. The orders affect 3,000 hands on the New Haven system. The Boston & Maine has also laid off men in all departments and the Boston & Albany is doing likewise, the reductions amounting to about ten per cent. One freight house of the New Haven system here has been closed entirely and sections of others have been shut up.

Reductions in the forces of the Central Vermont and Maine Central roads were announced a day or two ago.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—The government has practically decided to lay off 20,000 of the 92,000 legislative, judicial and executive employees. A cut of \$36,000,000 will be made in the estimates for these departments.

MARYSVILLE HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST

Marysville, Nov. 30.—The many friends of Miss Ruby White will be glad to see her out again, after being confined to her home with illness.

Miss Mary Pickard who was burned a few days ago when she lighted the fire with oil is getting along nicely.

Four candidates were baptised at the Olivette Baptist church last Sunday evening by the pastor Rev. E. J. Barrass. There was a large congregation present.

Mrs. A. J. MacPherson who was painfully injured a few months ago is steadily improving and is now able to move around the house.

Watson Peterson who went west with the harvest excursion has returned home.

Mrs. John Thornton and family have removed to Milltown where they expect to reside in the future.

Mrs. Alice Gibson is suffering from a severe cold.

Mrs. W. H. Gray is still confined to her home with illness.

Walter Sævre is confined to his home, suffering from rheumatism.

Little Kathleen Inch daughter of G. L. Inch is ill at her home with la grippe.

Herman Estey has returned from a big-game hunt. He shot two fine deer near Durham last week.

The numerous friends of Miss Sadie Miller will be pleased to hear that

PRICE OF BREAD WILL DECREASE 1 CENT A LOAF

One Baker Announces Reduc-
tion Today, to Go Into Effect
Wednesday—Others
Maintain Price.

One baker of this city announced today that the price of his bread would be reduced one cent per loaf beginning with December 1st. This will make the wholesale price 14 cents and the retail price 15 cents. The reduction is made on account of reduction in the price of the materials which are used in the making of bread.

Today the other bakers of the city said they knew nothing of a reduction in price. It is believed however that there will be a general reduction in the near future.

This is a sign of easier living-costs which will be welcomed by the general public.

HEAVY FINE FOR ANDERSON, RYAN DISMISSED

Police Magistrate Limerick this morning found Guy Anderson guilty of assault on Patrolman G. Alex. Murray and imposed a penalty of one hundred dollars fine or twelve months in jail. J. J. F. Winslow who appeared for the accused gave notice of appeal and a stay of proceedings was granted.

Remarks of His Honor
In imposing sentence His Honor stated that a policeman was in a difficult position. He might not always display good judgment. In the present instance Patrolman Murray had not used it. He should have acted at first in the matter of this party of young men making a disturbance on the street. Instead he followed the party and aggravated the situation by so doing. Finally ordering them to go home. Up to that point good judgment was not displayed. After that point the officer must be given the benefit of any doubt. He would find the defendant guilty of assault upon the policeman. Members of the police force were entitled to protection.

Must be Physical Assistance
In connection with the case against Anderson, A. J. Ryan had been charged with refusing to assist a policeman in making an arrest by refusing to call the police station on the telephone and tell that Murray required assistance. This case His Honor dismissed taking the ground that immediate physical assistance is contemplated by the act which requires citizens to give assistance when so required by policemen. The fact that Murray asked that a telephone message be sent showed that he did not consider that immediate physical assistance was required. Murray should have called upon Ryan for physical assistance in making the arrest and he regretted that as it was Ryan refused to give assistance to the degree asked and did not help the policeman.

His Honor addressing Chief Finley said that he should instruct all members of the force to show less consideration for the feelings of bystanders and call on them for assistance whenever needed in making an arrest.

Curlers Organize

The Fredericton Curling Club at its annual meeting Tuesday night elected officers as follows: Hon. President, E. H. Allen; President John Neill; 1st Vice President, C. R. Barry; 2nd Vice President, W. A. VanWart; Chaplain, Rev. G. M. Young; Secretary, E. A. McKay; Treasurer, L. C. Macnutt; Auditors, R. F. Randolph, F. W. Porter; Managing Committee, President, Neill, Past President Hagerman; W. Limerick, F. P. Hatt, H. R. Babbitt. The financial condition was reported sound with the membership never larger. New members were elected. It is hoped to curl tonight which would be a record early date.

she is daily improving.

George T. Allen of Penniac is leaving shortly for Erie, Pa., to visit friends.

Mrs. Cecil Higgins is confined to her home suffering from an attack of pleurisy.

W. J. White of Moncton who was here to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Roy Collings, has returned to his home.

Master Ralph Boyce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boyce, who underwent an operation at Victoria Hospital a short time ago, for throat trouble, is getting along nicely.

TWELVE PROPOSALS IN ECONOMIC SALVATION OF THE GERMAN NATION

Richard Calwer, Noted Economist, Has Prepared
a List of Measures --- Reduction in Salaries of
Officials First Suggestion --- Two Per Cent. In-
terest on Old Government Loans Another.

(Special to the Daily Mail, by Cross-Atlantic Newspaper Service.)

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—Richard Calwer, the noted economist, has suggested twelve measures for saving Germany from ruin. They are as follows:

1. A fifty per cent. reduction in the salaries in all state and communal offices.
2. Dismissal of all superfluous elements in such services, the dismissal persons to be employed on the land and in the mines.
3. Reduction of interest on all government bonds and municipal loans to two per cent.
4. Cessation of new paper money issues.
5. The removal of all foreign troops at present in occupied territories, or, if this be impossible, reduction to one-third of the present strength.
6. An increase of fifty per cent in railroad fares and freight rates.
7. The release of control on all goods now under control and the dissolution of all existing central organization.
8. Discontinuance of unemployment doles.
9. Abolition of import duties.
10. Prohibition of all exports of foodstuffs and fodder.
11. An eleven-hour day instead of eight, reckoning the extra hours as overtime, the worker to receive the usual overtime pay, but the employer to give ten per cent to the state.
12. The introduction of compulsory labor on the land and in the mines.

REV. DR. EATON WARNS CANADA AGAINST DANGEROUS IMMIGRANTS

MONTREAL, Nov. 30.—A warning note to Canadians to "go slow" in choosing their immigrants and to have regard rather to quality than to quantity, was sounded by the Rev. Dr. Charles A. Eaton, editor of Leslie's Weekly, who is a native of Nova Scotia, at a luncheon of the Canadian Club here yesterday. Dr. Eaton said Canada should learn by the experience of the United States and eliminate immigrants with "isms" such as Sovietism, Bolshevism, etc. The speaker said that any body of men who worked towards disrupting the Anglo-American entente in the interests of any theory or nation, was guilty of a crime towards humanity.

BOMB EXPLODED IN BUILDING IN LONDON EARLY THIS MORNING

LONDON, Nov. 30.—A bomb was exploded at 1 o'clock this morning in the building occupied by a hide merchant in Old Swan Lane, near London Bridge. A floor of the building was wrecked, but nobody was injured. The bomb apparently had been left in the building in a gripsack with a time fuse attached to it. The premises of the Sinn Fein bank in Harcourt street, Dublin, were set afire this morning, says a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Dublin.

NEW TYPE OF GOLF BALL HAS BEEN DESIGNED

Special to Daily Mail. Copyright 1920
by C. A. N. S. By Abe Mitchell,
leading British professional
Golfer.

London, Nov. 30.—Canadian and American golfers will be pleased to know that the ball made as near as possible to the specifications divided on by the committee of St. Andrews and American delegates has proved a blessing in disguise. It can be driven farther than any small or heavy balls on the English market. But for the action of the American delegates in deciding against the English committee they would have had next year a ball which would float in water. That was not altogether a retrograde movement, as to the rubber cored floating ball does not possess the same penetrating power as even the solid gutta percha ball. Canadian and American golfers will be interested in the tests with Duncan, the open champion, and I have made with the new ball. It is a shade smaller than any of the English balls but on that account alone it flies beautifully against the wind and passed the heavy thirty one penny weight ball easily. On a down wind, too, it more than holds its own. Across the wind, however, it is not quite so steady but flies farther than the other

COULD NOT RECOVER PRICE OF THE BOOZE

Montreal, Nov. 30.—On the principle of law that no action can be maintained for anything which is prohibited or made unlawful by statute, Messrs. Acting Chief Justice Archibald and Justices Demers and Weir sitting in the Court of Review yesterday non-suited Patenaude, Carignan and Company, Limited, in their claim against John Dover et al for the sum of \$786.25 for a quantity of St. Antonio Wine, sold and delivered to the defendants on their order, at their warehouse in Ottawa.

The wine was confiscated by the Ontario Provincial police, and defendants were summoned for violating the Ontario Temperance law. They were fined \$250 and costs and the liquor destroyed. Under the circumstances they declined to pay plaintiffs for the wine, but on the latter's demand, the Superior Court at Montreal condemned defendants to pay claim to the extent of \$786.25.

C. M. Murray of St. John is at the Queen.

Frank C. Murchie of St. Stephen is at the Barker House.

F. M. Anderson of Campbellton is at the Queen.

One gets the impression from the ball, keeps up in the air much longer than the other balls. I am convinced that it carries farther. Duncan is also convinced of this.

GERMANS ENTERING FRANCE BY MEANS OF FAKE CLAIMS TO ALSACE-LORRAINE CITIZENSHIP

EX-INDIAN POLICEMAN WAS KILLED

Fatal Stabbing Affray at Burnt
Church Reserve—John M.
Dedam the Victim—
Suspects Fled.

Chatham Nov. 30.—It became known yesterday that the Indian reserve at Burnt Church was the scene of a stabbing affray last night which resulted in the death of John M. Dedam, former Indian police officer. Two brothers, Peter and Frank Mitchell, residents of the reservation, are wanted by the authorities in connection with the crime. About 10 o'clock last night Dedam was found dead outside one of the houses, having walked across a bridge, a distance of about 100 yards after being stabbed. The Mitchell brothers were employed with a crew working on the new bridge and showed up for work this morning.

When they were told about Dedam being found stabbed to death they immediately disappeared and have not been seen since. Col. John A. Sheridan, of Buctouche, Indian agent for this district, has been notified. Dedam was a widower and about twenty-eight years of age.

An Inquest Ordered.

Newcastle, Nov. 29.—Dr. F. W. Desmond, coroner, and Dr. Bell, of this town, were summoned to Burnt Church today to hold an inquest on the body of John M. Dedam, former Indian police officer, who was killed in a fight at the Indian colony there. Dedam's brother was with him at the time of the stabbing and the two started to leave the place together after the trouble, but John was too weak to proceed far and collapsed. The dying man told his brother to go on and save himself from attack. The tragedy occurred about 10 o'clock last night, but no word of it was known here until today.

Burnt Church is a village on the north side of Miramichi Bay, eighteen miles northeast of Chatham.

STOCK MARKET QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by J. M. Robinson & Sons,
Queen St., Fredericton.)

New York.	
American Wool	71
Atchafson	83 1/2
Bethel Steel B.	53 1/2
C. P. R.	116 1/2
Crucible	89
Central Leather	38 1/2
Erie	15 1/2
Industrial Alcohol	68 1/2
Marine Pfd.	53
Maxwell Common	2 1/2
Reading	87 1/2
Republic Iron & Steel	66 1/2
Rubber	66
Studebaker	46
Southern Railway	25
Texas Oil	49
United States Steel	82 1/2
Utah Copper	50 1/2
Union Pacific	122 1/2
Sterling	348
New York Exchange	13 1/2

Montreal.	
Brazilian	35
Brompton Pulp	59
Dominion Iron & Steel	46
Montreal Power	79
Riordan Pulp	147
Quebec Railway	22
Sugar	22
Shawinigan	102
Smelters	16 1/2
Wayagamac Pulp	88
Victory Bonds, 1937	94 1/2
" " 1933	93 1/2
" " 1927	95
" " 1923	94 1/2
" " 1922	96
" " 1934	90 1/2
" " 1924	91

CRIME WAVE IN NEW YORK

New York, Nov. 30.—The crime wave that has swept New York city during the past eleven months shows no signs of receding, in a survey of police conditions in this city.

On the contrary there is every indication that it is growing and that never before in the city's history have its criminals been so daring.

The city's record of crime during 1920 is traced through a series of 325 holdups, robberies and thefts, which netted criminals more than \$3,100,000, and through a list of more than one hundred unsolved murders.

In November alone thieves and hold-up men obtained more than \$380,000. This is the largest total loot obtained in any of the last eleven months.

Killings have gone on at the rate of one every third day, it is asserted.

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN BY OFFICIALS

Foreigners Resident in France

Must Present Credentials—
First Step to be Taken, at the
Capital — Ulterior Motives
on the Part of the Huns is
Suspected—General Round-
to be Made.

(Special to Daily Mail, by Cross-Atlantic
Newspaper Service.)

Paris, Nov. 30.—Information reaching the French government, it is stated, points to an organized attempt on the part of Germans desirous of securing entry into France for ulterior motives, to lay claim to citizenship in Alsace Lorraine. The French authorities say there has been a systematic manufacture of documentary evidence to provide for citizenship.

As a consequence, the French government have decided to make a strict examination of all credentials of foreigners residing in France. The first will be made in Paris, where there will be a round-up of all foreign residents.

It is understood that the French government does not intend to make the inquiry troublesome for foreigners who may have a legitimate reason for staying in Paris, but these persons will be required to assist the authorities to deal with foreigners of doubtful antecedents seeking refuge in the capital.

BIG FORTUNE LEFT CANADIAN

Chatham, Ont., Nov. 30.—Word has been received in this city regarding the final settlement reached in the contest for the Searles millions in New York. William Blight, Wellington street, a life-long friend of Arthur Walker, the Kent County boy to whom Searles is reported to have left fifty million dollars, has been informed from reliable sources that in the final settlement Searles' nephew, who contested the will, has consented to take \$5,000,000 in settlement of the suit. It was announced a few days ago that the contest of the will had been dropped and a settlement made, but the terms of the settlement were not then announced. It is estimated that Arthur Walker will receive in the neighborhood of \$45,000,000 from the estate.

MONCTON PROTEST.

Moncton, Nov. 30.—A public meeting has been called for Wednesday night in the city hall for the purpose of formulating a protest against allowing Lindsay Crawford and Armand Lavergne to address a public meeting in the city hall in this city. The first named meeting is being called by a committee of citizens.

On Serious Charge.

Sheriff Hawthorne returned today from Napudogon where he arrested a boy aged thirteen years charged with releasing the brakes from a car loaded with coal and allowing it to run from a siding onto the main line. The boy claims that he merely climbed on to the car and that it started without any apparent effort on his part. The offense is a serious one technically being interference with the operation of a railway.

Conditions Favorable.

There is now less than a foot of snow along the Southwest Miramichi at the present time and conditions for lumbering are almost ideal. The Miramichi Lumber Company are the largest operators in that section but are confining their efforts principally to pulpwood. The Partington Company is also getting out a large quantity of pulpwood this season.

Hard on the Deer.

The recent snowfall was rather disastrous for deer and a good many fell before the rifles of hunters, which under less favorable hunting conditions would probably have got by until the close of the season. It is estimated that at least one hundred have been killed during the past week along the lines of the C. N. R. in York and Northumberland Counties alone.

Home From the West.

Messrs. Laughlin and George Donnelly, sons of Stephen Donnelly of Maple Grove, passed through the city yesterday enroute home from Saskatchewan. They have been in the west for three years and are well pleased with the country. They plan to return in the spring.