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RUSSIAN BOLSHEVIK FORCES ARE ON THE CHINESE FRONTIER

They Demand The Russian Consul And Refugees Bolsheviks To Take Place

CHINESE COMPLY OR BE INVADED

London, Feb. 27.—Russian bolshevik forces have advanced to the Chinese frontier in northeastern Turkestan and is reported to have demanded of the Chinese governor of Sin Kiang province that he give up the Russian consul and all refugees and allow the appointment of Bolsheviki consuls. They threaten to occupy Sin Kiang if the governor does not comply.

SPAIN HAD SPRING WEATHER IN JAN. SUNDAY HOLIDAYS

Pic Nic on Sunday And Holidays Were Very Common

FLU WAS CHECKED

Madrid, Feb. 27.—All central Spain including Madrid has enjoyed perfect spring like weather during the first three weeks of January. On Sundays and holidays the open air cafes in the surrounding foothills have been crowded with patrons taking their midday meal in the open air, while the hills themselves have been spotted with family picnic parties. The fine weather has done so much to check the epidemic of influenza which was causing so many deaths in December.

TEN RADICALS ARRESTED HERE

Washington, Feb. 27.—Ten alleged radicals were arrested here today in raids by Federal agents seeking the removal of government funds to stamp out the radicalism and to send the agitators to their native land. Several wagon loads of radical literature were taken.

NEW YORK FACED WITH TEETH FAMINE

New York, Feb. 27.—This city is faced with the possibility of a severe teeth famine today, when 400 members of the Dental Work Industrial Union struck for higher wages and more pay.

SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT RATIFIED IN SOU. CAR.

Charleston, Feb. 27.—The ratification of the suffrage amendment is the most important question taken up by the west Virginia legislature, which began a special session today.

AMERICAN CLUB CHALLENGES THAT OF FRANCE

New York, Feb. 27.—The Aero Club of America today challenged the Aero Club of France for the international aviation trophy which will be contested for in September. The American have entered the aviation trophy being held in hopes of victory by the fact that Americans have won five of the five prizes for international trophies before.

COTTON SEED MARKET

.....	37.68
.....	34.89
.....	32.41
.....	29.81
.....	29.26
.....	\$1.14.

MADRID PAPERS ATTACK GUM CHEWING

Society Girls and Youths Caught American Habit

ELDERS WORRIED

Madrid, Feb. 27.—The young society girls and youths of Madrid have taken to the American habit of chewing gum and their elders have been much exercised as a result. That staid conservative journal, the A. B. C. devoted recently a column to this new practice which it denounced in strong terms. According to the writer of this article gum chewing is the result of reading articles by the Spanish writers who have recently visited America and to the American pictures produced in the Spanish cinema theatres.

EXTRA \$250 FOR RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships draw \$1500 Which Is Not Sufficient

HIGH COST OF LIVING

Oxford, Feb. 27.—Candidates for Rhodes Scholarship in Oxford University will have to pay an extra \$250 yearly to meet the increased cost of living, as the present scholarship of \$1,500 is no longer sufficient to cover the expenses of a full year, including terms and vacations. This is pointed out in the statement of the Rhodes Trust for 1919. The trustees have made a temporary grant of a small war bonus to existing scholars but those elected for any year later than the 1919 session will have to furnish the additional money.

ESTATES OF EXKAISER AND FAM. MAY REACH BILLION MARKS

Accumulations Of Five Centuries Or More Wealth To Be Appraised By Germany

A FEW CASTLES THROWN IN

GREAT WAVE OF GAMBLING NOW SWEEPING OVER SPAIN

Country Where Men and Women risk their last Peseta

TURN OUT PAUPERS

Madrid, Feb. 27.—This country the men and women of which have the reputation of being willing to put their last peseta on some game of chance, has never witnessed such a wave of gambling as that which is now flowing over the country and has been in existence since the conclusion of the war. Casinos have been erected on the borders of the larger cities, so as not to interfere with the concessions of the cities. These gambling houses are crowded during the afternoons and evenings until late in the morning with men and women playing games in which the odds against them make it impossible for any but the extremely lucky to win. The newspapers have started a campaign against this gambling in Madrid especially where, as one newspaper put it, "men and women are pauperized in gambling houses which operate under government license and then turned on the streets to beg."

Berlin, Feb. 27.—The value of the estates which belonged to the former German Emperor and his family may reach 1,000,000,000 marks. In attempting to fix the compensation to Count Hohenzollern for that his private property over by the state, the difficulties have experienced difficulty in deciding what part belonged to the crown and how much was strictly private. The difficulty arose in part from the fact that the appraisers have had to inventory properties which have been accumulating for five centuries. The settlement will be dictated, it is stated, by a desire to offer to the Hohenzollerns a generous adjustment. Their acquiescence is said to have been obtained by the bill in the Prussian Diet to pay the former Emperor 100,000,000 marks for property taken and permit him to retain a number of castles, real estate and personal property.

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RAILROAD MEN OF PARIS STRUCK TODAY

Paris, Feb. 27.—Railroad men at Eastern station here struck this morning and the strike became worse than the Northern Station. Railroad service to suburban points are still further diminished. The cabinet decided today to ask legislation authorizing the requisition of automobiles.

ONE OF THREE PLANES FALL INTO THE SEA

London, Feb. 27.—The three British airplanes which left from Chester for Dublin on Saturday for a three hour trip. One airplane is missing and it is believed that it has fallen in the sea.

DOMESTIC QUESTIONS OF TREATY NOW UP

Washington, Feb. 27.—The domestic questions on the reservation of the Peace Treaty are to be considered today in the Senate following the adoption yesterday of the reservation regarding Mandatored.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Reply was not to be made public until after the President had the opportunity to study it.

PREMIERS REPLY REACH WASHINGTON

Washington, Feb. 27.—The reply to British and French premiers on the Adriatic question was received today at the state department and will be sent to the White House soon.

RAILROAD BILL CONSTITUTIONAL

Washington, Feb. 27.—Attorney General Palmer returned the compromise railroad bill to the White House today with report that he saw no constitutional objection to the measure. President expected to act today or tomorrow.

PEERESSES WORE PLAIN DRESSES

London, Feb. 27.—Peeresses who attended the state opening of Parliament this month wore dresses with low necks, "but without feathers and veils." This was by order of the Lord Chamberlain who in charge of all state functions.

It is understood that this new rule was due to Queen Mary's determination that in future the dress for women attending state functions should be of a simpler character than heretofore. Formerly, the gorgeous dresses worn by the peeresses at these functions displayed a variety of ornaments and "clouds of sightseers and photographers" did a big business.

BOSTON ORCHESTRA STILL ON STRIKE

Boston, Feb. 27.—Unless the Boston Symphony Orchestra players are recognized as a union they will form an orchestra among themselves, under a union affiliation, according to the statement by the committee of players today. Ninety per cent of the members have joined the union and are financially backed for the proposed new orchestra, it is said.

MOTHER AND CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

Montreal, Feb. 27.—Mrs. M. Gregory and her four children were burned to death in her home yesterday. The mother and a two-year-old baby were on the second floor when the other children on the first floor started a fire in the home, playing

TEN STEEL SHIPS SOLD BY U. S. SHIP B.

New York, Feb. 27.—The purchase of ten thousand tons of steel steamships from the United States Shipping Board was announced by Lloyd Royal Budge, of Antwerp.

ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMISSION OF EXPERTS

Strasbourg, Feb. 27. Proposals for the establishment of a commission of Theoretical and Technical experts to study "realization of proletarian republic of Saxony" been laid before the national Socialist Congress in session here.

OFFERED \$350,000 GEO. MORGAN A MINER

Cardiff, Wales, Feb. 27.—George Morgan, a miner who recently came into possession of a piece of land which it is estimated there are 2,000,000 tons of coal, has been offered 70,000 pounds for his rights.

PRESIDENT URGED TO VETO RAILROAD BILL

Washington, Feb. 27. Representatives of the Railroad Brotherhood and farmers' national council called at the White House yesterday to present memoranda to the President urging his veto of the compromise railroad bill.

REPLY TO ADRIATIC NOTE AM. AWAITED

Washington, Feb. 27.—Official circles await with interest the reply of the British and French plenipotentiaries to the President's latest Adriatic note. A response is due tonight or tomorrow.

SITUATION IN SYRIA NOW VERY SERIOUS

London, Feb. 27. Official dispatches on the situation at Marash, Syria where the French soldiers has been struggling with the Turks. It was reported that after the battle the French had to leave the wounded on the field, and that these men were cared for by the American Red Cross. A message confirms the reports of the massacres of the Armenians in the Marash district but it does not substantiate that the Armenians were slaughtered by the thousands.