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TELEGRAMS.

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London, July 12th.—The sixteenth match of their four was started yesterday when the West Indian XI played Wiltshire at Swindon. They had knocked up 356 runs for the loss of eight wickets before declaring their innings closed. Wiltshire then had their turn at the wickets and at the call of time, could only muster 101 for the loss of nine wickets. This is a two-day match and will be finished today. The following are the individual scores. West Indian XI: Nunes 20, Tarilton 9, Fernandes 50, Ince 9, Small 131, Hunter 5, Holt 68, Austin 17, Pascall not out 33, extras 14, total 356, for eight wickets. Innings declared closed. Wiltshire XI: Butler 39, Fuller 13, Newman 0, Sandford 1, Audry 7, Bankier 0, James 9, Darell 24, Fleming 3, Nash not out 0, extras 8, total 101 for nine wickets.

New York, July 10th.—The early raw sugar market was unsettled, but prices were not changed. There was a sale of 10,000 bags of Cubas at 5½¢ cost and freight, equal to 6.91 for centrifugal. The raw sugar market futures was weak under renewed liquidation, prompted by the unsettled feeling in the spot market. Prices at midday were 20 to 25 points net lower, on active positions. Stop loss orders were encountered on the decline and there was also considerable selling by Wall Street and Cuban interests.

Woking, Eng. July 10th.—Angus Patrick Bowes-Lyon, nephew of the Earl of Strathmore and cousin of the Duchess of York, was found dead in a motor car in a lane near here this morning. There were gunshot wounds in the head. He is reported to have been depressed for sometime past. He was 24 years of age and employed by a firm of stockbrokers.

Washington, July 10th.—Forfeiture proceedings were decided on by the United States Treasury and prohibition officials today, as the means of disposing of liquor seized from ships violating the prohibition law. Libel suits will be brought against the contraband liquor, it was announced, and not against the ship or commander bringing it in.

Paris, July 10th.—The plan for the reorganization of France's army of 660,000 men was distributed among the members of Parliament today by Colonel Jean Fabry, reporter for the Chamber army commission. It contemplates a modernized force based on the lessons of the great war, with serious attention to new developments in aviation and war materials. Aviation and gas, the report says, are menaces of the future. Germany, by force of circumstances, must seek her field of action in the air, therefore France must be strong there. "We are preparing the army for war, which we are resolved to prevent" continues the report, "but must be ready to strike the first blow. France is now superior to other nations in aviation, except perhaps bomb-

ing planes, but she cannot rest satisfied and must not be content with machine-guns in the air, for perhaps the time is near when aerial cannon will appear." Colonel Fabry presents three conclusions. First. "France, so long as she bases her existence and respect for her rights upon the prestige of her strength, must, because of her will for peace, maintain such an army." Second. That the army, solidly constructed upon the lessons of the war, ought to be definitely guided toward the utilization and search for more perfected armaments than those with which the enemy can be equipped, so that the army may retain the preponderance of force we are going to give it. Third. The time may come when those who must decide whether to refuse or to accept, or even anticipate war, will have to bear a heavy responsibility, and because of the very brutality and efficacy of the first blows struck, it is important to give them, instead of receiving them". The plan which is the third and final stage in the reorganization of national land and air defense, provides for thirty-two divisions of infantry, each with four regiments and detachments of cavalry and artillery, the cavalry being reduced to five divisions. Reserves would be formed by thirty regiments of cavalry and forty-eight regiments of artillery. The army would include also a great number of technical units. The aviation force would be composed of 132 combat squadrons, 76 observation squadrons, and 34 auxiliary service squadrons, with a personnel of about 33,000. The plan is based on eighteen months service each class of conscripts furnishing about 20,000 with about 100,000 professional soldiers constantly in the army. The officers would be reduced about one fifth from the period before the war, there remaining 107 generals of division and a total of about 30,000 officers. A table comparing the proposed organization with the army at the end of the war shows a slightly less percentage in the infantry, hospital service and administrative employees, a greater percentage of tanks, artillery and aviation. The cavalry numbers more than at the time of the Armistice, but is reduced from what had been originally intended. The total army will number 660,000 and will be composed of 460,000 French troops and 190,000 colonials and 10,000 foreign legionaries. It is proposed to have the second colonial forces more closely interwoven with the French troops.

Hamilton Bermuda, July 11th.—The steamship Vauban, which ran aground here, was refloated yesterday and sailed for New York this morning. The ship is reported to have suffered no damage.

London, July 10th.—An Egyptian Prince, Alikemal Ahmed Bey, was found mortally wounded in the corridor of one of the principal hotels here this morning and died later in a hospital. The

police arrested his French wife, on a charge of murder, and arraigned her in the Bow Street police court, where she was remanded eight days for a hearing.

Cleveland Ohio, July 10th.—Twenty-seven Texas oil promoters including Dr. Frederick Cook, ex-Arctic explorer, were indicated by the Federal Grand Jury here today, on charges of using the mails to defraud and conspiracy to make fraudulent use of the mails.

London, July 11th.—The meeting between Joe Becket and Georges Carpentier has been definitely postponed until September says "Sporting Life", which gives the promoters of the bout as its authority for the statement.

London, July 11th.—Albert Chevalier, an actor, famous as a delineator of coster life, died here after an illness of six months. He was 62 years old. He was the author of several sketches, songs and plays. His stage career covered a period of more than 40 years.

New York, July 11th.—New low records for the movement were established in the local raw sugar market today, with Cuba's selling at 4½¢ cents, cost and freight equal to 6.53 for centrifugal. There were sales of 10,000 bags. Yesterday's sharp breaks in raw sugar futures were followed by active covering and renewed buying for both Wall Street and European account, with prices at midday showing advances of about 10 points. There were no changes in the refined market. With fine granulated listed at 8.75, only a moderate inquiry was reported. Refined futures were nominal.

Lausanne, July 11th.—Ismet Pasha has telegraphed to Angora asking for the pardon of 17 Greeks condemned to death by court martial at Constantinople.

London, July 11th.—The Prince of Wales, it was learned today intends to visit Canada in the Autumn. He will go in a private capacity and will not accept official engagements during his stay.

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