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TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

Stockholm, June 9th.—What the newspapers here today considered a sensational and widespread plot for a Bolshevik revolution in Sweden was uncovered as a result of the arrest of a widely known Bolshevik Leader in Kiruna in the iron-mining district. Several arrests also have been made in Stockholm.

London, June 9th.—Great Britain is now urging on France the insufficiency of the neutral zone in Upper Silesia and the necessity of reestablishment of the authority of the control commission throughout the entire zone. This would involve pushing back the Poles on an extensive front which has already been begun by British forces and of making a slight adjustment of the German line. The proposed action against the Polish insurgents it was stated today in official circles is the logical sequence to the ultimatum sent to Germany demanding the halt and withdrawal of the troops of General von Hoefer, leader of the German defence forces.

London, June 10th.—The West Indian Aviation Committee today held its first and a very successful meeting. It is understood that the proceedings included the consideration of the specific problems immediately confronting the Bahamas and British Guiana and the appointment of local representatives in these colonies.

London, June 10th.—The conference of the coal miners delegates held here today declared that a ballot should be taken in all the coalfields on proposal of the mineowners for a settlement of the strike. This is generally considered a long step towards peace in the coal industry.

Athens, June 10th.—Many lives are believed to have been lost in the sinking of the Greek steamship "Bouboulina", which struck a mine and foundered in the Aegean Sea. The Greek battleship "Lemnos" has arrived at Piraeus from Smyrna with two passengers who were picked up. Details are lacking of the disaster.

Paris, June 10th.—The mail packet "Bouboulina", which has been sunk by a mine in the Aegean, had 240 passengers on Board, besides a crew of 25, says an Athens despatch to the Radio Agency.

London, June 10th.—The funeral service and burial of Mr Will Crooks, the "Poor Man M. P.", in the east end was an impressive occasion yesterday. It had been suggested that Mr. Crooks' labour in behalf of the national welfare entitled him to burial in Westminster Abbey, but he himself had expressed the wish to be buried among the people for whom he had worked so many years. Born in a workhouse, this man, who rose to a position of Member of Parliament and earned the love and respect of all with whom he came in contact, whether political opponents or friends, was laid to rest in the presence of a multitude of people. Three thousand filed passed his coffin as it lay in the local church on Wednesday night and another three thousand yesterday morning. The shops of Poplar were shuttered; houses had their blinds drawn and flags were at half mast. The King, the Queen, Lady Astor and many other notable sent messages of condolence to the widow.

Cairo, June 10th.—Tremendous rains have fallen in the province of Dakhaljel in the Nile delta region north of here and a despatch from Mansura, capital of the province, says that 3,000 acres of cotton and wheat have been devastated. It is estimated that 80% of the cotton yield of the province has been lost.

Washington, June 10th.—World economic conditions during May points to no immediate business revival, according to the monthly summaries from its foreign representatives issued last night by the United States Bureau of foreign and domestic commerce. Considerable improvement financially was noted in Europe but trade and shipping were dull, with marked industrial difficulty apparent in some countries. In the Far East, improvement in conditions was reported slightly and in South America the situation was declared unchanged, with no confidence in future prospects.

London, June 10th.—The Bye Election for the Heywood Division of Lancashire resulted as follows:—Hall (Labourite) 13,480, England, (Coalition Liberal) 13,125, Pickstone (Liberal) 6,671.

Constantinople, June 11th.—The Greek destroyers have bombarded Karamursal Village on the southern shore of the gulf of Ismid, and there have been several skirmishes along the Turkish front in Asia Minor. The Turkish Nationalist Govt. has requested the Italians not to evacuate Adalia on the southern coast of Asia Minor, expressing fear that the British may use the new docks there as a base, and that they will cut off communication between Angora and Europe.

Gleneagles, Scotland, June 11th.—Mr. A. B. Mitchell, of the North Foreland Club, was the winner in the thousand guineas professional gold tournament here today. Mr. Mitchell in the final defeated Mr. Jos. Kirkwood, the Australian open champion.

Washington, June 12th.—Rear Admiral Sims leave of absence in England was revoked today by Secretary of the Navy. Derby and he was ordered to report at once to the Secretary of the Navy. Remarks attributed to him in press reports of recent address before the English speaking Union in London, in which he criticised the activities of Sinn Fein sympathizers in the United States, were not correctly quoted and were misleading. Admiral Sims declared in a cablegram received today by Secretary Denby. "Statements that were attributed to me", said the message, "were not correctly quoted. Context misleading and garbled. Reports of statements, incorrect and inferentially wrong. Statements actually made were substantially the same as repeatedly made in public in the United States and in my book 'The Victory' and in public address at meetings held for increasing good relations between the English speaking peoples."

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