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KING'S PROCLAMATION OF GERMAN PEACE TREATY

Historic Document Now Ready for King's Signature to be Followed Shortly by Proclamation of Peace.

(Special to The Guardian.)
LONDON, Oct. 10.—The King's copy of the German Peace Treaty will probably be signed by King George tomorrow and forwarded to Paris, it was learned today by the Associated Press. It is expected that the signing by the King will be followed by his Peace Proclamation. The instrument to be signed by King

George is printed on vellum and beautifully bound in leather decorated in gold. For the first time in Great Britain's history water seals will be used instead of the ponderous hanging scale attached to former treaties. The document will be tied with ribbons in colors of the various royal orders such as the Order of the Garter and the order of the Bath.

PROROGATION DATE NOT YET DECIDED

Railway and Prohibition Legislation will Occupy Much Time and Prorogation Not Yet Definitely Fixed.

(Special to The Guardian.)
OTTAWA, Oct. 10.—Although the Cabinet Ministers present did not make any definite declaration at today's caucus of unionist members of Parliament of their intention with respect to the two prohibition bills introduced in the Commons the impression prevails that the Government will proceed with the measures in the House. There they will doubtless pass but their fate in the Senate is said to be less certain.

The introduction of the prohibition and railway legislation will prevent prorogation this week and indeed will leave considerable uncertainty as to the date upon which Parliament can conclude its labor of the special session.

The railway situation also came under discussion. There was some opposition voiced to the proposal that the Government be given power by legislation to deal with the Grand Trunk Railway Company. Some members thought that the subject of the acquisition by the Government of the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific lines should not be opened up at the present Parliament. The majority however were of the opinion that

the Government should proceed with the negotiations with the Grand Trunk Railway Directors. It was practically decided that the question of the acquisition of the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific systems should be left in the hands of the Government. It is likely therefore that an enabling bill will be presented to Parliament before long.

German Troops Attack Lettish Forces

(Special to The Guardian.)
PARIS, Oct. 10.—German troops attacked Lettish forces on Oct. 8th, according to a protest received by the peace conference from the Lettish Government. The Allies are asked to take decisive action against this "violation of the peace treaty," and to compel Germany to comply with the terms of the Versailles pact. It is claimed that German troops in Lettvia are "threatening the world and uniting with pro-German Russians." The Lettish Government declares that it will obstinately defend its independence.

Enormous Increase In Canada's Debt

(Special to The Guardian.)
OTTAWA, Oct. 10.—A disappointing situation in regard to the Dominion Finances is revealed in the monthly balance sheet of the month of September. During last month the net debt of the Dominion increased by nearly sixty five million dollars as compared with an increase of a little under twenty eight millions for the month of September last year. The net debt now stands at \$1,750,000,000, before the war the net debt was \$35,000,000.

The Fur Market

The following telegram was received yesterday from Mr. Chester McLure, Manager of the Fur Sales Board:

E. R. BROW,
Charlottetown.

Silvers sold today. Sale considerably limited offering showed an advance twenty-five per cent. over April sale. Market unbalanced on certain types. High price, five seventy-five; Low One Dollar. Crosses and Reds sell Friday and Saturday.
(Sgd.) W. CHESTER S. McLURE.

CONDENSED SPECIALS

*LOST THE RESIDENCE OF G. W. Dawson, Cape Traverse and J. F. Lord's store, Tryon, an auto rug. Finder please leave at J. F. Lord's store, Tryon.
1454-10-9Mtf

*LOST—A BUNCH OF KEYS EITHER in Charlottetown or on South side of Hillsboro. Reward. Apply this office.

*GIRL WANTED FOR HOUSEWORK by Oct. 15, Mrs. Burgess, 174 Kent Street.
1379-10-4Mtf

*WANTED BY YOUNG LADY ROOM and board in private family. Apply at Guardian Office.
1447-10-8Mtf

*PIANO BARGAINS—2 FINE SECOND hand upright pianos for sale at H. A. Tanton & Co's 144 Great George Street.
1112-9-28Mtf

*BOY FOR STORE, ONE FROM country preferred. State age, Address "D" Guardian Office.
1113-9-23Mtf

*WANTED—MAN FOR GENERAL farm work. Married or single. Apply to W. A. Mitch, Hopeton.
1468-10-9m3ipd

*LOST SOME TIME AGO, GENTLEMAN'S light overcoat, above the average size. N.S. make. Finder please notify Guardian Office.
1510-10-11M31

THE CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND

Plan by Which Remaining Fund of \$7,000,000 May Help Needy.

(Special to The Guardian.)
OTTAWA, Oct. 10.—There is \$7,000,000 to the credit of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, and one plan which is under advisement by members of the Soldiers Re-establishment committee is to take this fund and supplement it to whatever degree is necessary to provide for the needy among the soldiers. Another plan is to give the deserted wives of soldiers an amount equal to their pensions if their husbands were dead and in the case of illness of the bread winner of the family to give him during his disability a gratuity equal to what he would receive if he had been totally disabled in action.

Prince of Wales Revisits Winnipeg

(Special to The Guardian.)
WINNIPEG, Oct. 10.—The Prince of Wales revisits Winnipeg this afternoon, remaining until Tuesday morning. There will be only two outstanding events to mark his stay in the city, a military dinner and ball to-night and a public reception Sunday afternoon. On Sunday evening His Royal Highness leaves for Poplar Point on a hunting expedition. On Tuesday morning he will leave for Cobalt Ont.

Change Imminent In Pay of Postal Officials

(Special to The Guardian.)
OTTAWA, Oct. 10.—An indication that he contemplates some changes in regard to the salaries of postmasters and assistant postmasters is given in a notice by Hon. A. K. MacLean in a bill "to amend the civil service act of 1913 with respect to the salaries of certain postmasters and assistant postmasters."

Clemenceau Not Seeking Re-election

(Special to The Guardian.)
PARIS, Oct. 10.—Premier Georges Clemenceau told a delegation of former soldiers that he would not be a candidate for re-election either for the Senate or for the Chamber of Deputies according to M. Clemenceau's newspaper, "L'Homme Libre."

Nationalization of Mines

(Special to The Guardian.)
LONDON, Oct. 10.—Premier Lloyd George in the course of his speech yesterday to the delegation of miners who presented a demand for the nationalization of the mines, says the Central News today, left the conference to gather that if a large and powerful section of the community continued to press for a policy of nationalization it would be necessary that the entire nation be given the opportunity of declaring its attitude.

Cincinnati Wins World's Championship

COMISKY PARK, Chicago, Ill. Oct. 9.—The Cincinnati Reds became the world's champions this afternoon after out-slugging the Chicago White Sox in the most loosely played game of a loose world's series. The final score was ten to five. Horace Eiler, called Hod, from the banks of the Wabash, might have been the hero of the final but he got a pretty hard pasting in the eighth inning and for a while Pat Moran was meditating yanking his hero in self defence.

THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON, ETC

TORONTO, Oct. 11.—Showery and unsettled.
The tide will be high this afternoon at 12:05 to-morrow at 12:52 and Monday at 1:42; it will be high tomorrow morning at 12, Monday at 12:29 and Tuesday at 1:12.
Sun sets this afternoon at 5:43, to-morrow at 5:41 and Monday at 5:40; it rises tomorrow morning at 6:27, Monday at 6:29 and Tuesday at 6:30.
Full moon, Thursday, Oct. 9th, 8:36 a. m.
Last quarter moon, Thursday, Oct. 15th, 4:05 p. m.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ATTITUDE ON STRIKE QUESTION

Have Accepted Resignation of Three Teachers, Giving Other Nineteen Teachers Until October 24th to Withdraw Theirs.

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of School Trustees of Charlottetown, held yesterday afternoon, at which all the trustees were present, the question of the proposed strike of some of the city teachers was considered and the following resolution was passed:

WHEREAS the Board of School Trustees of Charlottetown have received from three of the teachers in the City Schools a copy of the following resolution with the accompanying notice signed by each teacher:

AND WHEREAS a change of Government has taken place since the passing of the last strike resolution, (May 17, 1919);

AND WHEREAS, that the time of strike called for by the last resolution (mentioned above) be extended;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that a strike of all teachers not receiving the minimum supplement asked for by the Union, or a total salary of \$450.00, that to which such supplement would raise the present salaries, take place on a day exactly three months after the incoming Government assumes office.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that if a settlement is not arrived at within two weeks after the date set forth in the previous clause that all other teachers shall "stand out" in sympathy;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that in case a settlement is not arrived at, the aforementioned dates, thus necessitating a strike, that the teachers be recruited by Hon. A. K. MacLean, District, or both, as shall be agreed upon, for time lost, before teachers return to work.

The above is a copy of the resolution passed at the Union meeting held in Charlottetown, August 19th, 1919. In accordance with the resolution, as a member of the Teachers' Union, I hereby give notice that if a satisfactory settlement is not arrived at before the date mentioned in the said resolution, that on that date you may consider my engagement terminated.

(Sgd.) A. B.,
TEACHER.

AND WHEREAS at a meeting of the said School Board held on the twenty-third day of September, A.D. 1919, the Board, in considering the subject matter of said resolution and notices unanimously passed the following resolution, copies of which were forwarded to the said three teachers:

"WHEREAS, notice has come to this Board from three of the teachers of the City Schools stating that unless a satisfactory arrangement is made between the Government and the teachers by a certain date, that they will resign;

THEREFORE it is unanimously resolved by this Board that if this notice is not recalled by the aforesaid three teachers before the 6th day of October their resignation will be accepted by this Board.

AND FURTHER RESOLVED that this Board strongly deprecate and condemn the principle of sympathetic strikes.

AND WHEREAS the School Board in reply to said resolution passed by the Board have received communications from each of the said three teachers notifying the Board that they were unwilling to comply with the request of the said School Board.

AND WHEREAS the Board has since received from nineteen other teachers of the City Schools similar notices to those originally received from the said three teachers, making in all a total of twenty-two notices received out of a teaching staff of forty-three teachers.

We, accordingly, feel that the tender of conditional resignations to your honorable Board is an improper procedure and, in our opinion, quite indefensible considering the fair and liberal treatment you have accorded us. While feeling thus we can readily understand the possibility of ill-considered action being taken by some, and believing that the three City teachers, who have tendered their conditional resignations, acted in this wise, we would respectfully request the Board—provided no additional resignations are sent in—to allow aforesaid resignations to lie on the table.

AND WHEREAS at the beginning of the present calendar year the teachers of our City Schools applied to the Board for an all round increase of \$100 in their salaries and the Board granted their request in full.

AND WHEREAS, the present salaries paid the City teachers in their several classes are as follows:

Principals (male)\$1300 and \$1250
Vice-principals (male)\$1000
Vice-principal (female)\$787.50
1st Class Teachers (male)\$756.50
2nd Class Teachers (male)\$706.50
1st Class Teachers (female)\$645.00
2nd Class Teachers (female)\$625.00

AND WHEREAS, the demands of the teachers of the villages and of the rural schools in the province, if granted by the Government, will pay the following salaries to such teachers under their respective classification as follows:

Demands of Country Teachers.
Rural
Male 1st Class\$506.00
Male 2nd Class\$481.00
Female 1st Class\$450.00
Female 2nd Class\$425.00
Villages
Male 1st Class\$625.00
Male 2nd Class\$506.00
Female 1st Class\$537.50
Female 2nd Class\$450.00

AND WHEREAS the above two schedules of teachers' salaries for Charlottetown and for the rural villages and districts respectively show by comparison that the City teachers receive salaries varying from 40 to 100 per cent. greater than the salaries now being asked for by the country teachers in the threatened strike.

AND WHEREAS the cost of Education in the City of Charlottetown has about doubled within the last ten years, and now costs upwards of \$28,000 per year.

AND WHEREAS teachers of the City Schools are not asking for any increase in their salaries, and do not make any complaint against the City School Board or the ratepayers of the City whose children receive their education in the City Schools.

AND WHEREAS this School Board is not in any manner concerned or identified with the alleged grievances between the rural teachers and ratepayers of the rural districts, and have no power or authority to remedy such grievances or take any part in the settlement of such grievances or any proposed strike which may arise out of same.

AND WHEREAS it would be a serious calamity if our City Schools were closed and the work of teaching our children be interfered with or disorganized by reason of any sympathetic strike on the part of any of our City teachers having no personal grievances of their own.

THEREFORE RESOLVED that the resignations of the three teachers be accepted by the Board and in accordance with the School Law three months' notice is hereby given that their services will not be required after the 10th day of January, A. D. 1920.

AND FURTHER RESOLVED that in relation to the notices served on the Board by nineteen other teachers that if such notices are not recalled by the teachers who signed same before the 24th day of October, instant, their resignations will also be accepted in similar manner.

CREW OF SCHOONER HARDWICK RESCUED

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 9.—The sailors on the Nova Scotia schooner B. B. Hardwick, dismasted and for two days helpless in the trough of the sea, have been rescued. A wireless message to C. H. Barzic, brings the good news of the rescue. The message follows: "Schooner B. B. Hardwick, abandoned Oct. 7, latitude 41.18 north; longitude 47.32 west, dismasted and crew washed a danger to navigation. Crew saved as follows: "Capt. King, Mate Fraick, Seaman Deagle, Stewart Sanderson, rescued by steamer Marjondol bound east. "Remaining seaman rescued by steamer Maryland, bound to London."

CANADA STEAMSHIP LINE TO ENLARGE OPERATIONS

Services to be Installed with Holland and Belgium in Addition to French Service Now in Operation.

(Special to The Guardian.)
LONDON, Oct. 10.—Colonel Grant-Morden states that the Canada Steamship Line intends to greatly

enlarge its ocean services. Besides the direct French services will be installed to Holland and Belgium within a few weeks.

WANT HALIFAX DECLARED AS WITHIN WAR ZONE

(Special to The Guardian.)
OTTAWA, Oct. 10.—At the opening of the proceedings of the parliamentary committee on Soldiers Civil Re-establishment today a resolution was read from the Halifax Union of Army and Navy Veterans of Canada requesting that the port of Halifax and outstations be declared as having been within the war zone in view of the Halifax disaster, and also that the service of the men who protected the Halifax defences during the four arduous years of war may receive their just reward.

In the absence of Hon. J. A. Caldwell, when the committee began its session, Mr. E. W. Nesbitt was acting chairman.

Mr. C. G. MacNeill asked for a more thorough examination into the cases of men who had not received sufficient vocational training. He exhibited a large newspaper advertisement

ment circulated in connection with the Victory Loan Campaign in which the benefits of the training were emphasized. He also submitted a number of questionnaires, from men who alleged they had been insufficiently trained and suggested that more evidence from the men's side be heard if an impartial knowledge of actual conditions was to be obtained. The D.S.I. representatives were requested to submit further information on specific cases contained in these questionnaires.

Lieut. W. J. Greig, Vancouver, president of the Air Services Association of British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan asked that Imperial soldiers domiciled in Canada before the war receive the same treatment as that given the C. E. F. men.

An appeal on behalf of the Officers of the Canadian Dental Corps was received through Dr. Cowan of Regina.

"THE MASTER MIND" AT PRINCE EDWARD

One of the very best plays in the whole repertoire of the Klark-Urban Company was that of last evening, "The Master Mind," which was enjoyed immensely by another large audience at the Prince Edward Theatre. It is a play of thrilling situations and strong emotions. The story, very briefly, is that the younger brother of a leader among the crooks of a great city, is condemned and executed for homicide, for which he has pleaded the higher, or unwritten law as a justification. The older brother swears vengeance on the district attorney who prosecuted the case, and the chapter of events which follow is characterized by scenes teeming with thrills, but in which everything, through the love of a trusting young

woman, ends happily as all good stories should. The cast was as follows: Walter Blount W. E. Webb
Parker Roy K. Steadman
Andrew Watkins Thos. Brower
John Blount N. S. Scoville
Mrs. Blount Lillian Dean
Lucene Blount Maie Cecil
Courtland Wainwright Cecil Drummond
Professor Forbes Louis Everstine
Susan Dot Jewell
Mr. Marshall Harden Klark
Jim Creagan Arthur Tenney
Very entertaining specialties were furnished between the acts.

Canadian Fair In London 1920

(Special to The Guardian.)
LONDON, Oct. 10.—The organization of a Canadian Fair in London next year is the object of a visit to Canada by H. Greville Montgomery who will sail on the Empress of France on Oct. 21st. The British Industries Fair is to be held at London in 1920 and the Canadians are invited to exhibit but very few have responded. It is thought however that if Canada could compete at Lyons Fair the Dominion could have an exhibition of its own in the centre of the British Empire at a time when Canadian manufacturers are so keen to embark in the world export trade. Mr. Montgomery has already secured a hall for the Fair.

Rifle Shoot On Thanksgiving Day

The rifle matches at Kensington Range, Charlottetown, Thanksgiving Day, (Monday next) promise to be a great success. Thanks to the merchants, the prize list is a splendid one and should draw a large crowd of returned soldiers, volunteers and marks men from Summerside, York, Pownal, Souris Millon and Montague. Shooting commences at 1 p.m. sharp, shooting at the 200 yards range. Several cups will be shot for by teams of three. The city championship begins the open match for all comers. Range, 200, 500, 600 yards.

The following gentlemen have contributed the prize in kind set opposite their names, in order to encourage Rifle shooting which was found during the war to be one of the essential requirements for success. The generosity here shown proves that the men of Charlottetown appreciate this fact.

Cain and Abel

A university professor, declaiming the other day at a Club dinner table, found in the story of Cain and Abel a picture of the age-old controversy between town and country dwellers. The fact that Cain's people were workers in brass tended to show that they were urban, while Abel's folk were the United Farmers of their time. He regretted that a primeval quarrel had not even yet been settled, and thought that the time had come for such ancient differences to be composed.

Under the light tone of the conversation there was a sound doctrine. Canada is mainly an agricultural country, but there is room as well for great industrial production. A well-founded, secure State is the one which provides the greatest variety of work for the citizens. All young men cannot be farmers. All cannot be machinists, but there should be ample room for both unity of spirit is possible between the two classes.

That unity can be expressed in patriotism. During the war there was no quarrel in the ranks of the Canadian Corps because one man was trained at a lathe and another between plow-handles. All were simply Canadian, with one aim and one spirit in like manner the gifts for patriotic purposes, and the subscriptions to War Loans came from all classes.

For the success of the Victory Loan, 1919, the co-operation of all Canadians is a necessity. Otherwise, the nation could not meet its just obligations to the returned men, complete the military expenditures contracted for, and maintain at normal or thereabouts the flow of our surplus products to the European markets. The proceeds of the expenditures will come alike to farmers and "workers in brass," to the farm and the factory. "Canadianism" must overshadow all other "isms" and dull the asperities of class hostility.

Moore & McLeod's, 1 pair mocha lined gloves; Charlottetown Selling Agency 1 pair rubber boots; Bear & Goff, 1 box cigars; Morris, Smith & Beer, 1 pair of boots; Alley & Co., 1 pair boots; Jenkins & Son, 1 box chocolates and tea; C. H. Black, ash tray; J. A. S. Bayer, 1 silver photo frame; Parson's 5, 10, and 15 store, 2 frames Beer & Weeks, 1 picture and 1 frame; Crabbe Hardware, 1 pocket knife; C. W. Patterson, 1 pair cuff links; Fenel & Chandler, 1 pocket knife; Geo. L. Prowse, 1 latest Mallory hat; E. W. Taylor, 1 silver photo frame; Patons Ltd., 1 pair of gloves; Reddin Bros., Thermos bottle; Goff Bros., 1 pair of boots; F. W. Woolworth, \$2.00 (two dollars); S. A. McDonald, 1 cap; E. G. Lowe, 1 barrel of apples; W. S. Louison, \$2.00 (two dollars); J. J. Louison, Montreal, 1 silver spoon; B. Roy Holman, 1 pair of shoes; Carter & Co., 1 book, latest; W. W. Wellner, 1 fountain pen; T. White, 1 box chocolates; McKinnon Drug Co., 1 box cigars; D. Gordon, 1 pair rubbers; A. and P. G. Kennedy, 1 barrel apples; Patriot Publishing Co., Daily Patriot for one year; Charlottetown Guardian, 1 years subscription.

HANDLEY PAGE FLYER WAS FORCED TO LAND.

GREENPORT, N. Y., October 9.—The Handley-Page plane, flying from Parrishboro, N. S., to Mincola, was forced to land here shortly after 11 p. m. because of a shortage of gasoline. The machine made a perfect landing.