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SHALL CANADA ENACT TOLL ON GERMAN GOODS?

Matter not yet Definitely Decided. Imports From Germany to Canada are Negligible

(Special to The Guardian)
OTTAWA, March 24.—The Canadian Government has not yet made up its mind as to what action will be taken in connection with Premier Lloyd George's plan to retain fifty per cent. of the purchase money from Germany for reparations purposes. On

several occasions Premier Meighen has been asked in the House whether Canada intends to adopt the plan. On each occasion he has answered that the matter is still under consideration. At the present time imports from Germany to Canada are negligible in quantity.

CONDENSED SPECIALS

*WANTED—A MAID TO ASSIST at housework. Apply 186 Prince St.

*PIT GAME EGGS FOR SALE. 80 Spring Park Road.

*WANTED BY 15th, APRIL house with about 10 or 12 rooms. Apply P. O. Box 1173, Montague.

*HOT CROSS BUNS.—ORDER early. Phone 314, Tomlin & Hynes Baking Co.

*FARM FOR SALE, 80 ACRES situated in Auburn, 40 acres cleared, balance covered with hard and soft wood. For particulars apply to James Quinn.

FOR SALE—CAR OF SEED OATS due to arrive in short time. For further particulars apply to J. F. McMillan, 31 Upper Hillsboro St.

*FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 50 acre farm, new house, easy terms. Apply Guardian.

*JNO. ALFRED McDONALD, Land Surveyor, (Hermanville) Charlottetown.

SLAG FOR SALE—PARTIES wanting same, will please hand before opening of navigation and save expenses. Calvin Howatt, Victoria.

*WANTED—CAPABLE MAN FOR farm work. Apply Horne Bros. Winsloe.

FOR SALE—SLIGHTLY USED military riding saddles; a bargain at \$18.00. Charlottetown and Montague. S. L. Hardy & Co.

*HORSE FOR SALE—CHOICE from four head, also nine choice sheep to lamb in May. Jack MacKinnon, Grandview.

*AUCTION SALE—ON MARKET square Saturday at 2.30 p. m. 3 heavy draft mares. Benj. Carter, auctioneer.

SEED OATS—IMPORTED AND ISLAND GROWN. White and black on hand and to arrive. Good quality. Get our prices before buying. A. J. MacInnis, Produce Merchant Charlottetown.

*PIANO TO RENT IN FAMILY where there are no small children. Rent \$5 per month. Write "A" to Guardian.

*FOR SALE—A PRACTICALLY new Duesenberg Piano in first class condition. For price write "B" to Guardian.

*SALE ON MONDAY MARCH 28 in the premises of C. W. Crosby. Bonshaw, stock, crop and implements and furniture. See handbills No reserve. Farm sold.

*FOR SALE—THREE DESIRABLE city building lots situated on North side Victoria Avenue. Size 50 x 130 feet. Apply Palmer and Palmer, city.

*CLOTH, CLOTH, CLOTH—DO your women folks need materials in good quantities for their dresses and suits. We have thousands of yards that will sell as low as \$2.75 per yard 1/2 rod. price. In goods 54 to 56 inches wide. This is an excellent opportunity to get materials in better quality than usually found in women's fabrics and also take care of the children's needs. Call at once store address 155 Richmond St. Swedish & Danish Wares Sales.

*SALESMAN WANTED—SALESMAN a self-respecting salesman whose ambition is beyond his present occupation might find more congenial employment with us and at the same time double his income. We require a man of clean character sound in mind and body, of strong personality who would appreciate a life position with a fast growing concern where industry would be rewarded with far above average earnings; married man preferred. Apply to Mr. J. C. McLean, 515 Queen St., opposite Province Building.

*ALL UNCALLED FOR SUITS and overcoats from our 30 branch stores throughout Canada will be sold at \$14.00 each, odd trousers \$2.95. In many cases this price is less than 1-3 their actual value. Merchants buy these goods for resale to their customers. Wise men will buy 2 or 3 suits and an overcoat at this price. For sale at 155 Richmond St., English and Scotch Wares Sales.

Sugar Prices Advanced 50 Cents

FREDERICTON, March 24.—Local wholesale grocers were advised by refiners today of an advance of fifty cents per cwt. in sugar prices.

Nova Scotia Racer Ready for Launching

LUNenburg, March 24.—Everything is in readiness here today for the launching Saturday morning of the schooner Bluebonnet with which Nova Scotians hope to recapture the International Fishermen's Trophy won by the Gloucester man and the Esperanto last fall.

War Criminals To Be Tried

BERLIN, Mar. 23.—Trials of "war criminals" before the Supreme Court at Leipzig are expected to commence at the beginning of May. According to the newspapers, cases brought by British Government will be taken up first and witnesses are coming to Germany from England to testify.

Milan Theatre Is Bombed

LONDON, Mar. 24.—A bomb explosion took place in the Diana theatre, Milan, Italy, last night, when twenty persons were killed according to a despatch to the London Times from that city. Many were injured, at least twenty of whom are not expected to survive. The police believe the outrage the work of anarchists as a protest against Malatesta's imprisonment.

Rotary Luncheon

There was a large attendance at the regular weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club yesterday afternoon. Rotarian George S. Inman presided. The program of the day as originally arranged provided for short addresses on the principal features of the recent District Conference at St. John, at which many local Rotarians were present. The sudden death of Rotarian Judge Fitzgerald however, affected all the members with a sense of personal loss which naturally found expression at the meeting. A silent tribute was paid to the deceased Judge's memory when at an early stage of the luncheon his name was mentioned and all present rose to their feet.

Rotarian Inman voiced the thoughts of every member when he said that the death of Judge Fitzgerald, which had broken the little circle gathered here, has been a distinct loss to the city and to the province. The late Judge was looked upon by his fellow Rotarians with love and respect. A dignified cultured gentleman of the old school, he made a genial addition to Rotarian gatherings the enjoyment of which he entered into as heartily as any of the younger members.

President Archie Irwin, spoke touchingly in the same strain, alluding to the delight the late Judge had taken in literature and the enjoyment he had often communicated to the club through his love of it. The President concluded his remarks with the following words from the poet Shelley:

Shadows rise, the lark sings on,
The sun
(Singing his benediction,
Sinks, and the darkening air
Thrills with a sense of the triumphing night
Night, with her train of stars
And her great gift of sleep

So be my passing—
My task accomplished and the long day done,
My wages taken, and in my heart
Some late lark singing—
Let me be gathered to the quiet
West
The surdow splendid and serene
Death.

The following guests were introduced: Mr. Bruce Duck, of the two-manual address, complimented Charlottetown Rotarians at their splendid spirit maintained at their luncheons and the pleasure it afforded visiting members to be with them.

The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Cardinal Gibbons has Passed Away

(Special to The Guardian)
BALTIMORE, Md., March 24.—James Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop of Baltimore and Primate of the United States Roman Catholic church died at the Archbishop's residence here today, after a prolonged illness which mainly affected his heart. He was in his 87th year. The end came peacefully at 11.33 o'clock. Cardinal Gibbons suffered a relapse Palm Sunday evening, the unseasonable higher temperature having a depressing effect upon him. As it is expected that the most of the church dignitaries in the United States will attend, it is probable that the funeral will not take place much inside of a week.

No Defence In John Doughty Case

TORONTO, Mar. 24.—There was no evidence offered on behalf of the defence in the trial of John Doughty at the County Criminal Court here on a charge of stealing \$105,000 of Victory Bonds, the property of his former employer Ambrose J. Small, wealthy theatre owner of this city, who has been missing since December 2, 1919, and the hearing was concluded in the afternoon.

Heated Discussion By Railway Board

CHICAGO, Mar. 24.—General W. W. Atterbury, Vice President of the Pennsylvania lines testified before the railroad labor board yesterday that his railroad maintained an extensive spy and espionage system among its employees and had little arsenals at various points where guns and ammunition were kept. Brigadier General Atterbury charged the unions with attempting to force the closed shop and Frank P. Walsh, Labor Attorney, retailed with a declaration that Pennsylvania had maintained spies and arsenals to take care of labor trouble. The whole day's testimony revolved about Atterbury's stand, he could negotiate agreements with his own employees but no just and reasonable agreements, applicable to the entire country could be written by anybody. He also maintained the right of the minority voice and charged the unions with assuming to represent all unions and using coercion in attempting to make them join the union.

In Parliament

OTTAWA, Mar. 24.—There is no word yet as to the date the Budget will be brought down. Canada's expenses at the League of Nations are about twenty-five per cent of the whole. Ways and means whereby Canada can secure adequate supply of coal was discussed by private members and Mr. A. R. McMaster asks about Cabinet Ministers who are Directors in Companies.

Real Snakes For "Hooch Chasers"

Novel Form of Punishment

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—In an effort to reform the "hooch hausers," of McKees Rocks, a nearby borough upon whom fines and all sentences are having little effect, chief of police Charles Street has imported six Mexican Pine and "hooch" snakes with which he expects to bring about the reformation of the hardened "rum hounds."

The snakes, harmless, are six feet in length and extremely dangerous looking. A specially constructed cell, called "the terror box" houses the reptiles and when a drunk is brought in he is given a berth with the snakes. When he awakens from his sleep and finds himself among them he invariably is panic stricken. However, he can obtain his release only by signing a pledge promising reform. The snakes are fed on mice.

LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS FOR EASTER HOLIDAYS

Premier Again Urged to Table Public Accounts but Accounts are not Forthcoming. Joint Address to Governor General in Council Asking for Standardization of Railway and Second Car Ferry.

MARCH 24th.
The House opened at 11.40 a. m.

MR. A. E. ARSENAULT asked for particulars regarding the Haldimand Bridge project.

HON. MR. CROSBY (Commissioner of Public Works) said that his department had just received word of trouble in connection with this bridge about a week ago.

HON. A. E. ARSENAULT—"May I ask the honorable gentleman just what is the trouble?"

HON. MR. CROSBY, in reply, asked that this question be not pressed too strongly at present. He was not very clear on some points of the matter himself.

In accordance with notice given, Mr. J. C. Irvine asked the Commissioner of Public Works whether he had received a petition from certain inhabitants of Barncliffe and China Point praying that the road known as Cherry Valley Road be extended from Seal River direct across the Beers and Melnis properties to the South end of the Cherry Valley Road which runs to Pownal; and if so also what action the Department intended taking in the matter.

The Commissioner of Public Works replied that the statement referred to had been received, but the Department had no time yet to fully look into the matter.

In accordance with notice given Mr. E. T. Higgs asked the Leader of the Government if he had received any petitions or requests that the franchise be granted to women in this Province. If so, how many requests had been received and from whom received, also if it is the intention of the Government at the present session to introduce legislation granting the women the franchise in this Province.

PREMIER BELL in reply stated that so far he had received one petition from a lady in Summerside. Until further petitions had been received the Government could not move in the matter. Replying to further questions the Premier expressed his willingness to table the correspondence so far received.

HON. A. E. ARSENAULT rose to raise questions, the leader of the Government regarding the Public Accounts. It would be well to have them before adjournment so that the members could scan the work of the Government during the Easter holidays. He was now given to understand, that though the Premier had been making the printers the "goat" in regard to the tardiness of the Accounts, the printers themselves were strongly objecting to being placed in such a position.

HON. A. E. ARSENAULT—"I suggest, we take a walk there and investigate."

The Attorney General (Hon. Mr. Johnston) rose on a point of privilege. In the Guardian's report of his remarks on the draft address he was quoted as eulogising the Leader of the Opposition as the peer of any man in this Province. The statement he had made referred to Premier Bell.

The House then went into committee with Mr. B. W. LePage in the chair. Second reading was given to "An Act to amend an Act to provide for the prevention and suppression of fire." This was carried and ordered to be read a third time tomorrow.

PREMIER BELL introduced an Act to further amend the Act to incorporate the Telephone Company of Prince Edward Island, which was given first reading and first time and which was ordered to be read a second time tomorrow.

The following resolution moved by Hon. Geo. E. Hughes and seconded by Hon. A. E. Arsenault, was carried unanimously.

RESOLVED that the House do now resolve itself into a committee of the whole to take into consideration an humble address to be presented to His Excellency, the Governor General in Council praying that immediate measures may be adopted by the Dominion Government to complete the widening of the gauge of the Prince Edward Island Railway, and for the construction of a

SERIOUS RIOTING NOW THROUGHOUT GERMANY

Communists Protests Against Allies Terms Stirring the Masses into Revolt, Street Fighting and Numbers Killed, Bank Robberies and Train Derailments have Occurred.

(Special to The Guardian)

LONDON, March 24.—Communist disorders in central Germany are increasing and large sections of the industrial regions are actually in the hands of the insurgents says an Amsterdam despatch which quotes telephonic advices from Berlin during the night. A Copenhagen despatch quotes Hamburg advices to the effect that 1400 communists yesterday occupied the Blohm and Voss shipyards in Hamburg where they were surrounded by security police. An account of the troubles at Hamburg telegraphed by the Berlin correspondent of the Central News, says that more than fifty communists and police are reported to have been killed in the fighting last night at Heiligengelst Field in the Altona section of Hamburg. The message adds that fighting is continuing.

Working on the public dissatisfaction with the Allied terms radicals are seeking to stir up a general here today, stated the Allies revolt. Especially was the scene of a particularly violent demonstration against the station. Street fighting broke out there with the police beleaguered in their barracks. The Frankfurt Berlin Express was derailed when communists tore out a section of track. A party of armed men riding in a motor lorry attacked two savings banks in Mansfeld yesterday morning and succeeded in securing about 200,000 marks from the institution. The savings bank at Heilbr was also robbed during the day. Huge bands of communists joined by lawless elements united in the looting of banks and post offices at Lamsleben and Leipzig.

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"Scotland As It Is Today" Described by Rev. D. M. Lamont

The Caledonian Club rooms were filled last evening with an interested audience of both sexes and of all ages when Rev. D. M. Lamont delivered his lecture "Scotland as it is today." The lecture carried with him a number of papers for reference but spoke chiefly extempore from his broad experience of Scottish life and character. Mr. J. H. Malcolm, vice President of the Club occupied the chair, and favored the audience at the beginning of the meeting with a solo "The Cambray men" which together with a strain on the pipes served as a fitting prelude to the remarks of the reverend lecturer.

Taking the audience, in imagination across the ocean with him, the speaker described the first impressions of a traveller on seeing a ship at sea, the horizon just above the water, the low hills along the coast, past the beautiful Arrysshire hills, beyond the Hebrides and up through the Clyde and Glasgow, thence through "Burns country" and through Scott's Coum story. Counting part of his tribute to the splendid educational system of the country, particularly in the city of Glasgow.

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