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LELINE ASKS FOR ARMISTICE

Offers to Cede Bessarabia to Roumania on Certain Conditions.

(Special to The Guardian.)
LONDON, July 23.—A Bolshevik delegation has arrived at Kishineff with an offer of peace to the commander of the Roumanian Division troops on behalf of Nikolai Lenin, the Bolshevik premier. According to a Berlin government wireless despatch Lenin offers to cede Bessarabia to Roumania on condition that Roumania shall prohibit Ukrainian citizens and the bands of Admiral Kolchak, head of the all-Russian government at Omsk, from crossing the Roumanian frontier.

FRANCE TO TAKE OVER U. S. PROPERTY

Military Property Consisting of Docks and Railway Stocks to be Taken at One Fifth Cost.

(Special to The Guardian.)
PARIS, July 23.—France will offer to take over American military property in France, consisting mainly of docks, railways and real estate, at one-fifth of its cost to the Americans, according to a statement given to the Associated Press today by Louis Moret, under-secretary of State for the liquidation of stocks. M. Moret said that what seemed to be a low offer in reality is liberal, because much of the military construction will be of little value in peace time, and much of the property, such as railway equipment, was designed for a use different from that required for French operations. Foods and other movable stores, it was said, probably will be returned to the United States.

Negotiating For Saar Valley

(Special to The Guardian.)
PARIS, July 23.—Negotiations between German and French delegations for the transfer of the coal mines of the Saar Valley began today at Saar Bruck. The delegates are mostly mining experts.

Russian Soviet Office in Detroit

(Special to The Guardian.)
DETROIT, July 23.—Prepared to spend \$120,000,000 for Detroit and Michigan manufactured goods, and pay for them in gold or securities, the Soviet government of Russia has opened a purchasing agent's office in Detroit with Dr. A. Rovin as purchasing agent. On the office door appears this announcement: "Commercial department Russian Socialist Federal Soviet Republic." "This office," said Dr. Rovin, "has been opened for business and for no other purpose. Political prejudices have no part in the business. Russia needs manufactured goods, especially machinery, textile, rugs, automobiles and motor trucks. Most of the materials needed can be purchased in Detroit. Realizing the prejudice against the Soviet government and the well known fluctuation of the Russian ruble the Soviet government has placed in American and foreign banks \$20,000,000 in gold to be used for purchases made in America. I speak conservatively when I say that Detroit and Michigan, because of their generous manufacturing interests, can have at least 65 per cent. of that \$20,000,000."

RETURNED SOLDIERS, MARK YOUR BALLOTS FOR JAMES PATON FOR COUNCILMAN AND PICTON S. BROWN FOR ASSEMBLYMAN.

WOMEN'S FRANCHISE IN HOUSE OF LORDS

Bill Introduced Entitling Women to Hold Public Offices and Exercise Public Functions.

(Special to The Guardian.)
LONDON, July 23.—The bill entitling women to hold public offices and exercise public functions, which passed second reading in the House of Lords yesterday, is one introduced by the government as a substitute for the bill of William J. Adamson in the House of Commons on behalf of the Labor party. The Adamson bill gave women the franchise on the same terms as men, but only at the age of thirty. The government bill does not change the women's franchise and does not remove the disqualification excluding women from the higher ranks of civil service. It contains a clause entitling peeresses in their own right to sit in the House of Lords, but this clause was only included as a concession to the wishes of some quarters and may yet be rejected.



PREMIER ARSENAULT

KING WILL UNVEIL CARTIER MONUMENT

By Pressing a Button at Balmoral the Statue in Montreal will be Unveiled by King George.

(Special to The Guardian.)
MONTREAL, July 23.—King George has consented to unveil the memorial here to Sir Etienne Cartier, by pressing a button at Balmoral. The Duke of Connaught today cabled E. W. Villeneuve, President of the Cartier Centenary, of which the former Governor General was a patron, that His Majesty would unveil the statue by this method on September 6, the anniversary of Cartier's birthday. A wire will be run from Balmoral to connect with the Atlantic and Canadian cable lines thus forming a direct electrical connection.

Million Tons of Canadian Lumber for Europe

(Special to The Guardian.)
LONDON, July 23.—It is anticipated in well informed shipping circles that the government freight requisition for the month of August will be 25 per cent. This is a reduction of 5 per cent. only as against 10 per cent. for July. It applies to eastward voyages from North America to the United Kingdom while the gradual whitening down of government control gives satisfaction. There is some disappointment because the process is not faster. Any increase in the monthly rate of reduction is not anticipated. The reason given is the government's decision to bring over to the United Kingdom 300,000 stamands, say one million tons, Canadian lumber bought during the war by the British timber controller's bill held at his disposal. The whole of this lumber is to be shipped during the next twelve months if that is found practicable. It is to be distributed in all parts of the country and utilized in the construction of tens of thousands of houses to be erected under the National Housing Scheme which, as a factor in industrial pacification, is regarded as a matter of prime urgency. At the same time it is realized that operations of such magnitude are bound to militate against the speedy improvement in the shipping position.

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Another Effect Of Winnipeg Strike

Four Tons Eggs and 1,300 Pounds of Fish Rotted In Cold Storage.

(Special to The Guardian.)
WINNIPEG, July 23.—Four tons of eggs and thirteen hundred pounds of fish were taken from several Winnipeg cold storage plants yesterday and burned. Chief Inspector Pearson stated that the commodity apparently rotted in the plant during the strike owing to the lack of transportation to distribute them.

Anti-Bolshevists To Attack Petrograd

(Special to The Guardian.)
LONDON, July 23.—General Denikin, anti-Bolshevik leader, has ordered his southern forces to advance on Moscow, according to a News Agency despatch from Ekaterinodar.

Polish Government Has Resigned

(Special to The Guardian.)
BERLIN, July 23.—The Polish Cabinet has resigned, according to a report from Warsaw. It will be reconstructed as soon as Premier Paderewski returns from Paris, the report added.

Shortage of Wheat In France

(Special to The Guardian.)
PARIS, July 23.—France may again be put on bread rations in September. It was said today that the system of bread cards probably would be re-established in that month because of a possible shortage of wheat.

Home From Overseas

There arrived home from Archangel, Russia last evening a well known Charlottetown boy in the person of Gunner William Gillespie. He is the son of Mr. W. G. Gillespie, city. Previous to going overseas he was on military service in Halifax for nearly a year. On April 1st, 1916 he went overseas with the 11th Brigade, Ammunition Column, subsequently transferring to the 3rd Divisional Ammunition Column. With that unit he took part in several battles, including Vimy and Hill 70. He was invalided to England and when recuperated volunteered for Russian service and has been in service there ever since. Gr. Gillespie has had some thrilling and interesting experiences. His sister, Miss Nellie Gillespie is still overseas.

Nursing Sister Ina Gillan.

Among arrivals in the city last evening was Nursing Sister Ina Gillan, daughter of Mrs. Belle Gillan, Grafton Street. Miss Gillan has put in two and a half years service in France and will be heartily welcomed home by her many friends here after her creditable record of service.

Rioting Resumed In Washington

(Special to the Guardian.)
WASHINGTON, July 23.—Riots hatred in the National Capital engendered by attacks on which women negroes and fanned by their successive nights of rioting, found expression again tonight in clashes between whites and blacks. A home defence guard was shot and killed; a second guard fatally wounded and another white man slashed severely by a razor-wielded by a negro. All the negro assaultants escaped. Fifteen hundred troops, cavalry, infantry, marines and sailors patrolled the streets and awaited in reserve for possible outbreaks supplementing regular and volunteer police. Detachments of marines from Quantico, Va., and regulars under command of Major General W. G. Haan, from Camp, arrived early in the evening and took up stations in various parts of the city or on the outskirts. Tonight's casualties brought the number resulting from the rioting which began Saturday night to seven persons dead, eleven believed to be fatally wounded, and scores injured more or less seriously.

HUNDREDS OF FORMER LIBERALS DISGUSTED WITH THE DEFECTIONS AND MISREPRESENTATIONS OF THE OPPOSITION WILL VOTE FOR THE GOVERNMENT TOMORROW.

GRAND POLITICAL RALLY AT KENSINGTON

Conservative Candidates Made a Splendid Hit at Large and Enthusiastic Meeting.

What was perhaps the largest and most enthusiastic political meeting ever held in Kensington Hall, took place on Tuesday night, July 22nd. The charge of maladministration against Premier Arsenault's regime were received in doubtful silence. Mr. John H. Myers, who followed Mr. Bell, was the bright particular speaker of the evening. He stated in clear tones and concise manner the stand of the Government on the questions occupying the minds of the electors at the present time. He scored Mr. Bell rather hard on his inclination to put self interest before the interest of his party as a whole, by reason of his sticking exclusively to meetings in his own district, and not helping in his brother in other districts in contradistinction to the game spirit exhibited by Premier Arsenault in limiting himself to two meetings in his own district and spending the greater part of his time with his colleagues. Messrs. Bell and Lea are certainly nervous with regard to the outcome of the struggle, they feel that the ground is slipping from beneath their feet in the Fourth District of Prince.

German Strike Put Down by Police

(Special to The Guardian.)
COBLENZ, July 23.—Military police armed with machine guns and sawed-off shot guns, put down a strike of German workmen in less than two hours after the men had walked out, merely by their presence in the district, the strikers aggregating 800 Germans. The strike was in Bendorf on the Rhine. It was called in conjunction with the general strike in Berlin and other parts of Germany, notwithstanding warnings issued from army headquarters.

IF YOU DON'T WANT THE ERA OF DEFICITS AND NEGLECTED PUBLIC WORKS TO RETURN, VOTE FOR THE ARSENAULT GOVERNMENT. SUPPORT PATON AND BROWN.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

**THE YOUNG LADIES Mission Circle of Kensington, Presbyterian Church will hold an ice cream social at Margate on David Profit's lawn, on Thursday evening July 24th. 7252pd

LABOUR MEN VOTE FOR PATON AND BROWN, NOW AND ALWAYS THE BEST FRIEND OF THE WAGE EARNERS.

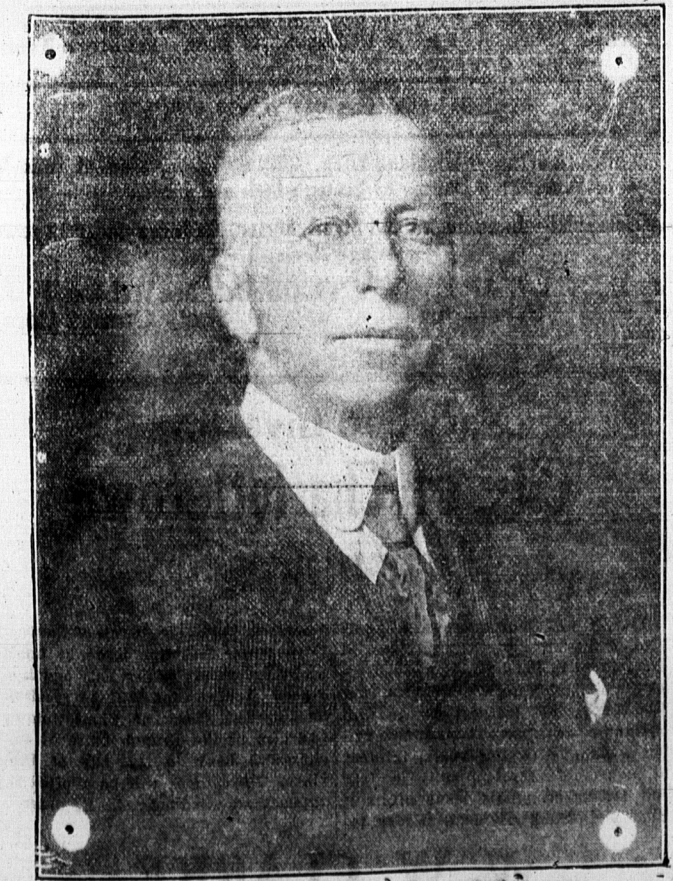
Arresting Aliens In Vancouver, B.C.

(Special to The Guardian.)
VANCOUVER, B. C., July 23.—The preliminary hearing of the aliens arrested here on Friday by the North West Mounted Police is proceeding before the Immigration Commissioners. All those against whom charges are sustained will be deported. Other arrests, it is believed, will be made. The hearings are not public, but the accused are represented by counsel.

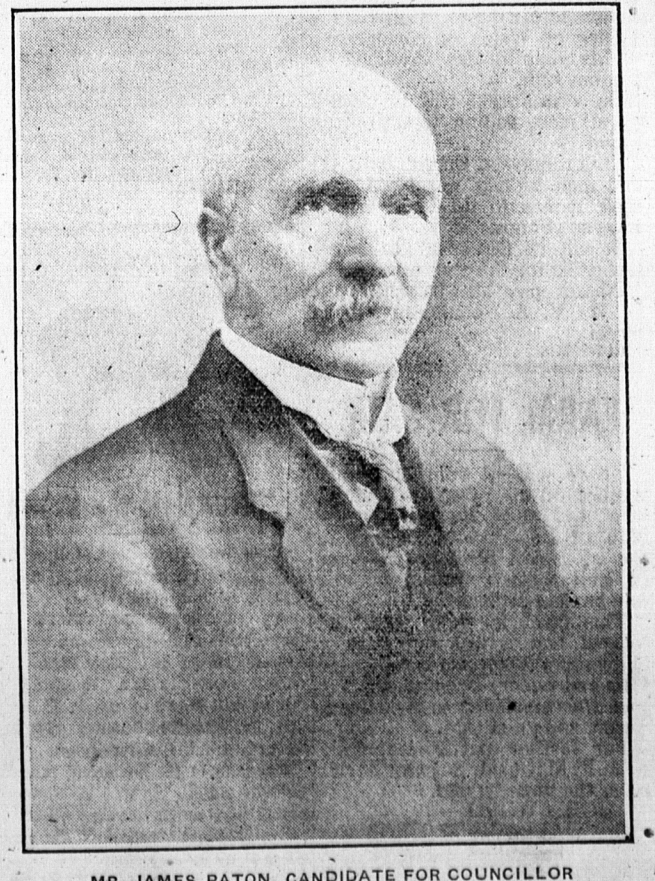
CONSERVATIVES HAVE ENGAGED THE MARKET HALL FOR ELECTION NIGHT. EVERYBODY COME AND HEAR THE RETURNS OF THE GOVERNMENT'S TRIUMPHANT VICTORY ALL OVER THE PROVINCE.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE.

The tide will be high this morning at 7.11 and tomorrow at 8.18; it will be high tonight at 9 and tomorrow at 9.55.
Sun sets this evening at 7.51 and tomorrow at 8.50; it rises tomorrow at 4.58 and Saturday at 4.55. Last quarter moon Sunday, July 20, at 6.03 a. m.
New moon, Sunday, July 27, 12.21 a. m.
RETURNED SOLDIERS VOTE FOR THE GOVERNMENT WHICH GAVE YOU THE VOTE.



MR. P.S. BROWN, CANDIDATE FOR ASSEMBLYMAN



MR. JAMES PATON, CANDIDATE FOR COUNCILLOR

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