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10,000 FOR P.E. ISLAND BRANCH NAVY LEAGUE

Mr. J. O. Hyndman, P. E. I. Delegate to Annual Meeting in Toronto Reports Optimistically on General Work of League Throughout Canada. \$10,000 Granted P. E. Island for Carrying on the Work.

Mr. J. O. Hyndman has returned from Toronto where he attended the Annual Meeting of the Dominion Council of the Navy League of Canada. There was a good attendance of delegates from all parts of the Dominion.

Prince Edward Island has been granted \$10,000 to carry on the work of the Navy League in the training of boys for the Navy and Mercantile Marine, for educational work as to the value of sea power to the Empire and for Sailors' Institutes.

In the newspapers throughout Canada, a report has become current that a lack of interest in Navy

League work has been shown by the public since the end of the War. This report, Mr. Hyndman states, is not correct. While the membership has fallen at some points, there was never so much interest taken in furthering the work of the Navy League by the Dominion Executive, representing all the Provinces of Canada, as there is today. This report seems to have come about by certain newspaper reporters coming into the meeting during the proceedings of the Dominion Council Meeting when a discussion was on about one particular point, and this unfortunate report was sent broadcast, whereas it does not at all indicate the general outlook throughout Canada. The Ontario, Alberta, P. E. I. Divisions, and others, are taking a greater interest than ever in the training of boys and men for the Mercantile Marine and for educational work along the lines of the Navy League.

New Dominion Officials have been appointed to supervise the education departments of the various Divisions through Canada, and also to systematize Boys' Naval Brigade Training.

The Navy League of Canada have succeeded in making arrangements with the Canadiana Merchant Marine and the Canadian Pacific Ocean Service to take on boys as cadets from time to time as required, from different Divisions of the Navy League in Canada. This will be a special inducement for the boys who wish to follow the sea, to become efficient.

Commodore Aemilius Jarvis of Toronto was unanimously re-elected President of the Navy League of Canada, and the meeting was honoured by the presence of General Townshend of the British Army, who was a visitor in the city.

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Republican Nominee Still In Doubt

(Special to The Guardian.)
CHICAGO, June 8.—As the crowds started flowing towards Coliseum today for the first session of the Republican convention, the situation with regard to the nomination remained "wide open." No candidate could claim a commanding lead; no candidate would admit he had not the choice. There was no early trading or bargaining, practically every man in the contest believing he might win.

(Special to The Guardian.)
CHICAGO, June 8.—The National Committee called the delegates to order shortly after 11 today and the work of selecting G. O. P. standard bearers began. At the opening of the great conclave it was generally admitted the fight still was free for all and none of the candidates had succeeded in capturing a commanding lead. The most important events of the first session were the keynote speech of temporary chairman Lodge, and the appointment of a Big Four committee including resolutions which will decide the principles on which republican candidates will make their fight for election.

Next Parliament To Meet In Jan.

OTTAWA, June 7.—Tonight the government asked that one sixth of the estimates be voted to enable the public services to be carried on until all estimates are passed. It was strongly contended by the Liberals that the House should be called together earlier so the estimates could be passed before the fiscal year ends. As a result of the protest and before the money was voted, Sir Henry Drayton promised on behalf of the government that Parliament next year will be called together in January.

Prince of Wales Backs the Winner

(Special to The Guardian.)
MELBOURNE, June 8.—"At last I have backed the winner" said the Prince of Wales at the Melbourne races yesterday. The bookmaker paid the Prince in gold which brought the remark: "Where'd you get them; it's years since I have seen so many." The Prince's week's rest commences on Monday.



Miss Helen Taft.

Mr. and Mrs. William Howard Taft have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Taft, acting dean of Bryn Mawr, to Frederick Johnson Manning. He is an instructor in Yale University. Mr. Manning was a member of the class of 1916 in Yale and until September, 1919, was a first lieutenant in the Field Artillery, U. S. A. Reports of the engagement a month ago were denied. The wedding will take place in Canada in July, probably at Murray Bay, Quebec, where Mr. and Mrs. Taft usually spend part of the summer.

PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE DISCUSSES RUSSIAN TRADE

Contends that Russian Trade is Necessary for Reconstruction of the World and Russia's Misrule Should not Interfere with Trade.

(Special to The Guardian.)
LONDON, June 8.—Premier Lloyd George, Earl Curzon, the Foreign Minister and Andrew Bonar Law, government leader in the House of Commons, conferred today with Gregory Krassin, Russian Soviet Minister of Trade and Commerce at the Premier's official residence. Premier Lloyd George's speech in the House of Commons gave no information as to the results of today's conference. The Premier based his arguments on the absolute need of Russia in the world's reconstruction and the impossibility of fighting and crushing Bolshevism unless the allies are prepared to sacrifice hundreds of thousands of lives and add thousands of millions to the national debt.

He admitted there were conflicting reports on the amount of exportable commodities in Russia but said that that was not a reason for refusing to trade. He concluded by appealing to the House not to seek quarrels in a world full of explosive matter. Mr. Lloyd George provoked a hearty round of laughter by remarking that this country has opened up most of the cannibal trade of the world. He went on:

Maritime Provinces Telegraphic News

(Special to The Guardian.)
PRENTICE BOYS OPEN GRAND LODGE

ST. JOHN, N. B., June 8.—The fifteenth annual session of the Grand Lodge of Prentice Boys of British North America was opened this morning in the King Edward Hall, West St. John, with Grand Master Andrew Mason in the chair.

HAMPTON TUXIS BOYS WIN CHAMPIONSHIP

HAMPTON, N. B., June 8.—In the Tuxis National Athletic contest for boys from 15 to 19 years of age which was conducted by the Y. M. C. A. some weeks ago the Hampton Tuxis square won the Dominion championship and the provincial shield with an average of 332 points.

HEAVY SENTENCES FOR ST. JOHN BOYS

ST. JOHN, June 8.—In the County Court this morning Albert Connel, Charles Ritchie and Thos. Connel were sentenced to 5 years each on a charge of breaking and entering a summer house on the Sandy Point Road and 10 years on the charge of stealing therefrom. The sentences to run concurrently.

NO POLITICS FOR HALIFAX G. W. V. A.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 8.—The local branch of the G. W. V. A. at its monthly meeting last night decided not to participate in politics.

\$150,000 FROM MOTOR VEHICLES
FREDERICTON, June 8.—Receipts from motor vehicle license fees in New Brunswick this year have already exceeded \$150,000. Hon. P. J. Veniot, Minister of Public Works said today.

FRANK J. POWER TO START RACING

HALIFAX, N. S., June 8.—Frank J. Power of this city has agreed to start the trotting circle racing at Fredericton, as well as the exhibition racing at Charlottetown and it is possible he may start all the racing in the Maritime circuit.

C. N. R. BRIDGEMEN ON STRIKE

ST. JOHN, N. B., June 8.—Forty five workmen on the new C. N. R. bridge at Reversing Falls went on strike this morning demanding 50 cents an hour for a nine hour day, instead of 40 cents an hour for a ten hour day which is now in force.

German Election Returns Incomplete

(Special to The Guardian.)
BERLIN, June 8.—Revised figures from the twenty main districts in Germany, out of a total of 32, today showed Nationalists will have 26 members of New Reichstag Volkspartei 29, Centrists 13, Democrats 18, majority, Socialists 41, Independents 42 and Communists 2.

Returns indicate the continuing trend toward right and left wings but missing districts may add to successes of Centrists, Volkspartei and Independents, especially Centrists, whose strongholds have not yet reported.

Gold Discovered In Manitoba

(Special to The Guardian.)
THE PAS, Man., June 7.—Smashing the quartz in a mortar and using quicksilver to gather it, a prospector secured four pounds of gold bullion at Elbow Lake where he found a gold shoot. This discovery rivals the one made at Copper Lake which is ten miles distant and a large force of prospectors is en route to the new field.

Sinn Feiners Kill Policeman

(Special to The Guardian.)
BELFAST, June 8.—One Sinn Feiner was killed and two policemen badly wounded when a body of Sinn Feiners attacked the police patrol at a Gaelic League Fete at Cullihanna County, Armagh. A revolver battle continued for some time. No arrests were made.

Valuables Removed From German U-20

(Special to The Guardian.)
PARIS, June 8.—The removal of valuables and explosives from German submarine U-20 which sank the Lusitania on May 7th, 1915, and afterwards ran aground off the west coast of Jutland, has just been completed, according to advices from Copenhagen. The U-20 has been lying half buried in the sands since it was stranded and now only the hull remains. This will be destroyed by means of German mines which have drifted ashore in Denmark.

Bomb Thrown Into Hotel Cavour

(Special to The Guardian.)
MILAN, June 8.—An unknown person today threw a bomb into the dining room of the exclusive Hotel Cavour. The fuse sputtered and went out without exploding the bomb.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON ETC.

TORONTO, June 9.—Fine with higher temperature.

The tide will be high this afternoon at 3.19 and tomorrow at 4.26; it will be high tomorrow morning at 4.17 and Friday at 5.05.

Sun sets this evening and tomorrow at 7.50; it rises tomorrow morning and Friday at 4.08.

Full moon Tuesday, June 1st 1.18 p. m. Last quarter moon Wednesday, June 9th. 2.59 p. m.

Noozie The Sunshine Kid.

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SUPREME COURT AT SUMMERSIDE

Grand Jury Finds True Bill in Ellis Case on Charge of Murder. One Other Criminal Case. Accused Escheats His Bail. Bench Warrant Issued.

Thomas Corbett Ellis of Harmony, was arraigned before the Supreme Court in Summerside yesterday on a charge of murdering his wife Alice Marie Ellis at Harmony on January 7th last.

Following are the Grand Jurors: Arthur C. Rogers, (Foreman). Jas. K. McGougan, George W. Simpson, Patrick McBride, Thomas Compton, D. P. McNutt, Lauchlin McNevin, James B. Proffitt, Major Townshend, Thomas Bell, Stephen M. Arsenault, George D. Brown, Herbert Crockett, George Main, John W. Woodside, Ernest Compton, John Silliker, Jesse A. Wright, David Manson, Alfred Wedge, Shias M. Hicks, John B. Townshend.

In charging the Grand Jury His Lordship, Chief Justice Mathieson briefly reviewed the circumstances. According to the deposition of the witnesses the late Mrs. Ellis, outside of the immediate family was on the night of January 6th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsay where she stayed until 4 o'clock in the morning. Dr. Stewart of Tyne Valley was called in by telephone from Alex Ramsay's place at 6.30 on the evening of January 7th. He arrived at the Ellis home at 7.20. Mrs. Ellis was then dead. The charge was subsequently made that her death was caused by her husband and it was the duty of the Grand Jury to review the evidence and bring in a true bill or no bill according to their discretion.

At 12 o'clock noon the jury retired and at 3.50 brought in a true bill.

On the indictment being read to the accused by the prothonotary he was asked to plead. Rising, Ellis, in a firm voice said: "Not guilty, My Lord." The prisoner is being defended by Mr. A. C. Saunders and Mr. E. H. Strong while Hon. J. J. Johnston, Attorney General is acting for the Crown.

The taking of evidence will not be proceeded with until tomorrow morning. Mr. Strong stated that an expert witness was coming from New York and that it was necessary for the defence that the expert in question should be present to hear all the evidence. Mr. Johnston objected to delay pointing out that there were crown witnesses from a distance who would be very inconvenienced; also owing to circumstances the other criminal cases could not be proceeded with in the meantime.

His Lordship stated that the matter of convenience would have to take second place to necessity. If it were absolutely necessary for the defence to have the expert mentioned present before proceeding, their request for delay would have

to be granted. In view of the extreme gravity of the case every chance should be given the accused in the preparation of his defence. He suggested however that a compromise might be effected.

Mr. Saunders said that after the empanelling of the common jury the day might be profitably spent in a visit by the entire court, judge jury and counsel to the scene of the tragedy. The defence would arrange the motor transportation. His Lordship was favorably disposed to this idea. He pointed out that it would obviate exhaustive and minute descriptions in court. The suggestion however was left to be argued in regular petition before the jury. The Crown promised to consider the suggestion and might be prepared to accede to the request when it was petitioned for in the regular way this morning. The court adjourned with the understanding that if the crown saw no objection to the visit that it would be arranged.

REVIVAL OF PUBLIC INTEREST

With the convening of the Supreme Court public interest in the Ellis case has been revived. It is almost the sole topic of conversation in Summerside and throughout Prince County. The slim attendance at the court yesterday is explained by a general understanding that the opening formalities would occupy most of the day. Curiosity is general as to what additional evidence the Crown may have to submit. It is known that there are two Department of Justice investigators in Summerside who were also there during the winter. Dr. McTaggart of Montreal a professor of Medical Jurisprudence is also in Summerside to give expert medical testimony. This authority has had much experience in criminology and has figured at a number of murder trials both in Canada and in the Old Country. His testimony therefore as to the nature of the wound which caused the death of Mrs. Ellis will be of great interest.

OTHER CASES.

The Grand Jury had only one other criminal case to deal with; that of James Milligan, Freetown, charged with seduction. A true bill was returned but when the accused's name was called he did not answer. A bench warrant was issued for his arrest and his bail escheated.

A true bill was returned at the previous term of the Supreme Court against George McNeill who is charged with firing on a Government Patrol boat near Alberton last year. The case was postponed till this term owing to the absence of the accused for whom a bench warrant had also been issued. The Grand Jury reported favorably on the condition of the jail and court house and commended the jailer on his care and cleanliness.

Congress Votes Prohibition Legal

(Special to The Guardian.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—The prohibition amendment and the enforcement of the act were held constitutional by the United States Supreme Court today in an unanimous decision. The court's opinion rendered by Justice Van Devanter was sweeping. It held that the amendment not only came within the amending power conferred by the federal constitution but was lawfully proposed and now was the law of the land. While recognizing that Congress has limitations in respect to the enforcement of laws regarding beverages the court held those limits were not transgressed in the enactment of the enforcement act restricting alcoholic contents of intoxicants to one half of one per cent.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

**There will be an ice-cream social on South Freetown School grounds, Friday evening, June 11th. If weather proves unfavorable, Saturday evening, 9.05.

**The Ladies Aid, French River intend holding a bazaar in the Hall on the afternoon, and evening of June, 10th. Choice hand work, fancy articles, aprons, also ice cream for sale. 9588-6-9-21

**THE MOUNT ALLISON QUARTETTE will give a musical and literary entertainment in the Orange Hall at Kensington on Wednesday the 9th inst. Doors open at 7.30. Entertainment to begin at 8.15 p. m. Admission 35c. 9587