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MEETINGS YESTERDAY OF P.E.I. TEACHERS' FEDERATION

Morning and Afterno on Sessions at Prince Street School Were Followed By Enjoyable Banquet a t Cafe Paul–Closing Session T his Morning

The fourth session of the Prince Edward Island Teachers Federation met yesterday morning at 9 a. m. A resolution to raise the standard of qualifications for teachers licenses was read and passed.

Miss Archibald, M. A., then favored the teachers assembled with a very splendid address on Better English.

Miss Wilson, Chief Health Nurse of the Province outlined the aims of the Red Cross.

Miss Estelle Morris then read a very instructive paper on English.

Prof. H. H. Shaw gave a most helpful lesson on the use of the globe.

The afternoon session opened at 2 p. m. Interesting papers on Arithmetic and Geography were given by Miss Mary Gillis and Mr. Daniel Bell respectively.

The president then called upon Dr. Robertson who gave a very comprehensive address on educational matters.

Prof. Hansuld addressed the assembly on the Use of the Blackboard. This address was of great benefit to the teachers in general.

A paper on History by Miss Isabelle McDonald and a paper on Current Events by Mr. Francis Campbell closed the proceedings for the afternoon.

In the evening a banquet was held in the Cafe Paul at which about 200 ladies and gentlemen sat down to a feast which did credit to the culinary department of this popular institution. The banquet was the first held in connection with Teachers Conventions and, judging by the expressions of appreciations heard after it was over, it shall not be the last.

The Teachers Federation has just cause to feel proud of its personnel, as not many functions held in the city in many years have been graced with more intelligent or better looking guests.

The banquet was under the patronage of His Honour Liutenant Governor McKinnon ad His Worship Mayor McKenna and was presided over by the President of the Federation, Mr. Lewis Lowther.

After the tables had been cleared a toast list was presented, the proposals and responses to which brought forth addresses of a very high order even a summary of which is regrettably crowded out for want of time, the proceedings not being ended until after ten o'clock. The toast list was as follows:

The King, proposed by the President and responded to in the National Anthem.

The Province and Legislature, proposed by Principal Jelly, responded to by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor and Hon. Dr. McMillan.

Department of Education, proposed by Principal L. Wynne, responded to by Chief Superintendent R. H. Rogers and Inspector Lloyd Shaw.

The City, its Council and Board of School Trustees, proposed by Principal H. Johnson, responded to by His Worship Mayor McKenna and Mr. Henry Smith

The Teachers' Federation proposed by Hon. J. H. Myers, responded to by President L. Lowther and Principal J. D. Seaman.

The Press, proposed by Mr. C. McDuff, responded to by Mr. R. McDonald and Mr. D. K. Currie

The Ladies, proposed by Mr. J. Heartz, responded to by Miss Rosamond Archibald and Mr. H. H. Shaw

The National Anthem

Before and during the banquet Professor Hiram Ball enlivened the proceedings with some excellent piano selections. Captain Jack Sterns also sang in splendid voice a solo, Shipmate O' Mine, and responded with "Lucky Jim" both of which, as were all the speeches, were loudly applauded.

Today's session begins at 9 a. m. The business will include reports of committees, resolutions, question box, and election of officers.

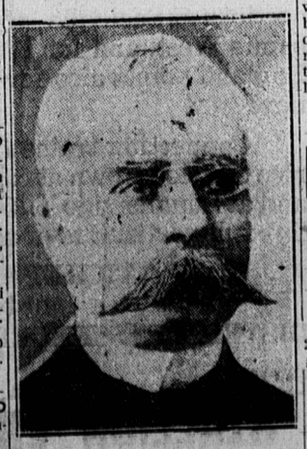
During the conference there was an interesting exhibit at Prince Street School by the School Supply department in charge of Mr. William Woodside.

ANXIETY FELT OVER FRENCH STAND

On Reparations Report Recently Submitted by Experts.

(British United Press)

LONDON, April 23. —Developments within the last few days in London and Paris go to show that there are apparent fundamental differences in the views of the French and British premiers as to the policy which must be followed in carrying out of the Dawes report. All British parties have accepted the report with a feeling of thankfulness and relief but there is more anxiety over the recent developments of the French policy as indicated in speeches of Poincare and departures which they seem to show from the policy of full and wholehearted acceptance of the experts' findings. It is obvious the French Premier's attitude at present is largely influenced by the near approach of the French election and if Poincare is returned by a large majority his policy may undergo a serious change.



MAY HEAD NEW REPUBLIC

Former Premier Alexander Zaimis of Greece, who is likely to be elected President of that country at the elections to be held next month.

NFLD. DEPT. OF JUSTICE MAKES DRASTIC MOVE

Former Premier Sir Richard Squires, Former Minister of Agriculture and Others Wanted for Arrest.

(Canadian Press.)

ST. JOHNS Nfld., April 23.—Warrants were issued this afternoon by the Minister of Justice for the arrest of Sir Richard Squires, former Premier of Newfoundland, Hon. Alex Campbell, M. D., former Minister of Agriculture and Mines and John T. Meaney ex Comptroller of Liquor the three parties against whom Comm. Walker made findings after the completion of the Royal Commission of inquiry a few weeks ago. Dr. Campbell had been adjudged guilty of using public funds to pay personal expenses, while Sir Richard Squires and Mr. Meaney were declared to have misappropriated funds from the Department of the Controller. Bail was accepted in all three cases, Sir Richard's bondsmen being Harold Mac Pherson Managing Director of the Royal Stores Limited, H. M. Winter, son of Sir Marmaduke Winter member of the Warren executive.

Warrants of arrest were also served this afternoon on three former public officials. Action against J. Whitford McNeilly until recently accountant at the Department of Agriculture and Mines, was taken consequent on charge of misappropriation of departmental funds made against him by Commissioner Walker. Alex Rooney was taken into custody on a charge of misappropriation of funds of the Department during his term as accountant and W. F. O'Reilly former magistrate at Placentia, was ordered arrested in connection with shortage of funds of the post office in the ancient capital of Newfoundland. The warrant was not served on the last mentioned who is out of town, Mr Neilly and Rooney were admitted to bail.

The action of the Department of Justice has created a great deal of excitement here and all sorts of rumors are current as to the attitude of the present government party to the drastic action against the former leader Sir Richard Squires. It is rumored that a government party meeting is to be held within the next twenty four hours to discuss the action and policy of the Warren administration during the session of the legislature which convenes on Thursday. The prediction is made that friction within the party will lead to the downfall of the present government early in the session if not before the House opens.

Tablet Unveiling in Parliament At Ottawa

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, April 23.—There is to be unveiled in the House of Commons lobby tomorrow a bronze tablet serving the unique double purpose of memorial as well as tombstone to the late Bowerman B. Law in his life time member of parliament from Yarmouth, N. S.

Mr. Law met death in a fire which destroyed the parliament building February 3, 1916 and curious enough no trace of the remains were ever found. The site of the Commons is consequently his last resting place.

BOER GENERAL GETS 3 YEARS

(Canadian Press)

CAPETOWN, South Africa, April 23.—Maine Maritz former Boer general, one of the most prominent figures in the 1914 rebellion, was sentenced today to three years imprisonment. Maritz was living in exile since 1914 until a few months ago. Maritz was not only a member of the defence forces but he persuaded subordinates therein to join the rebellion along with him, and he handed over loyal members of the force to Germany in southwest Africa.

DISPLEASED WITH ACTION OF SOLICITOR-GENERAL

"An insult to the judge who pronounced the sentence and to the entire bench, and a serious blow to the good administration of justice," was the opinion voiced by Judge Amedee Monet, when informed that according to an Ottawa despatch, Hon. E. J. McMurray, Solicitor-General, had amended the sentence of twenty-five years and twenty lashes imposed by him on Roaul Beauchamp, convicted of holding up the Molsons Bank. The Solicitor-General lifted the sentence of twenty lashes.

WIRE BRIEFS

Last Minute News Flashed in Over the Wires

(Canadian Press)

KARACHI BOMBAY, India, April 23.—Stuart MacLaren, British aviator who is attempting the round the world flight arrived here at six o'clock tonight from Bunder Abbas, Persia.

NEWARK, N. J., April 23.—President Coolidge yesterday overwhelmed Senator Hiram W. Johnson, California, in the New Jersey preferential primaries with 479 election districts still unreported. The president had a lead of nearly 80,000 votes, which was being increased by belated returns.

ST. JOHN, April 23.—It is practically certain today that the small two masted schooner that foundered off Spenser's Island Saturday last when two men were drowned was the schooner Champion, as reported. The two men were Captain Andrew Baxter of Lower Granville, N. S., and T. W. Bungay, deckhand reported to have been from Newfoundland.

QUEBEC, April 23.—The White Star Dominion freighter Cornishman, which was the first Trans-Atlantic steamer to come through the Gulf of St. Lawrence and proceed up the river this season, ran ashore at 10.25 o'clock this morning while steaming into middle ground entrance to the South Traverse some sixty miles below this port. It is believed something went wrong with the steering gear and before anything could be done she ran aground.

Mothers, Show This To Your Daughter

(Canadian Press)

OMAHA, Neb., April 23.—Fifty dollars a year is all a girl needs to spend on her clothes, Miss Jessie Towne, dean of girls at Central High School, told the parent-teacher association.

"A recent survey at Central High School showed that a majority of the girls dress for $50 a year or less," said Miss Towne. "Some may spend $500 a year on their clothes, but that is no excuse for sensible girls to be extravagant."

Miss Towne defended the modern "flapper."

"Flappers are no different from young girls at the time when our grandmothers were dancing the Virginia reel," said Miss Towne. "Conditions have changed, however. The great need now is for greater companionship between girls and their mothers."

LLOYD GEORGE RAPS LABORITE DELEGATES

Believed Speech Was Made to Arouse Resentment Against Labor Methods.

(British United Press)

LONDON, April 23.—The effectiveness of the speech delivered yesterday by Lloyd George to Labor delegates assembled at York for their annual convention in which he lectured the Labor men for their cavalier treatment of the Liberals who have given them such valuable support and made their retention of office possible is not likely to be lasting.

Labor knows perfectly well that when the Liberals think the hour is opportune to turn them out of office they will not hesitate to do so by combining with the Conservatives and they make no secret of the fact that they are making hay while the sun shines.

Parliamentary constituencies throughout the country are beginning to show increased activity which means nothing less than preparation for another appeal to the country and it is generally admitted that a general election this year is in vitable. Keen observers believe the speech of Lloyd George was directed largely towards members of his own party in an endeavor to arouse keener enthusiasm in those ridings where Liberal votes helped to elect Labor members in the last election and believed Liberal laders will continue do this by arousing resentment against Labor methods both in and out of parliament.

Resolution Against Jap Exclusion Enactment

(Canadian Press)

KYOTO, Japan, April 23. — The Federation of the Chamber of Commerce of Japan, at the annual meeting yesterday passed resolutions regretting the passage by the United States Congress of the Japanese Exclusion Bill and the proposal to make effective Article 28 of the American Merchant Marine Act, which it is alleged would disturb international trade relations.

Rome Mourns the Death of Eleanor Duse

(Canadian Press)

ROME, April 23. —The death of Eleanora Duse has caused the greatest grief through Italy, as the great actress was warmly beloved by all Italians. Before the end came numerous messages were sent by her colleagues of the stage here expressing the hope that she would soon be able to return to her native land.

Rich Finds Made in British Cliffs

(Canadian Press)

GREAT YARMOUTH, April 23.—Subsidences of the cliffs at the little hamlet of California, on the Norfolk coast, five miles north of Great Yarmouth, have revealed hoards of gold coins and jewels. The treasure is believed to have been hidden in the days when pirates infested the coasts.

The inhabitants of the district are eagerly continuing the search.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

RATES.—2 cents per word each insertion.

**Biggest event of the season. Tea and Bazaar at St. James' Hall today.

**Hear the Cantata "The Easter King" by The Canadian Girls in Training in Heartz Memorial Hall Thursday night. 2612 4 23 3i

**A meeting of the Winsloe and Wiltshire Shipping Clubs will be held Saturday, April 26th. Members with hogs to ship, please notify secretaries of above clubs. 2632-4-24-21

ENDORSE STAND OF JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

Privy Council Discusses Immigration Controversy-Ministers caution Against Violence.

(Canadian Press)

TOKIO, April 23.—Reports on the immigration legislation of United States as it affects Japan were submitted at a meeting of the Privy Council today by Premier Kyoura and Foreign Minister Matsui. It is understood the council generally endorsed the government's conduct.

Extra precautions have been ordered by police to protect persons and property of United States residents of Tokio. Although some "patriots" are distributing handbills warning of the approach of a Japanese-American war, thus far there have been no untoward incidents. Many speakers while bitterly attacking United States as a notion are cautioning their audiences against violence locally, pointing out this would only be a boomerang to Japan.

London Receives Coolidge Address With Favor

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, April 23.—President Coolidge's speech in New York yesterday has been very favorably received here both by the press and officials of the MacDonald Labor government. It is expected the premier himself will take the earliest opportunity to proclaim either in the House of Commons or in a public address, his wholehearted support of the executive's proposed conference for further world disarmament.

N. S. Schooner is Abandoned in a Sinking Condition

(Canadian Press)

HALIFAX, April 23.—A wireless message from Cape Race received this morning by the Department of Marine and Fisheries here stated that the schooner David Critcey was abandoned in a sinking condition in latitude 40. 10 N longitude 56.07 W. The David Critcey is a Nova Scotia tern schooner of 284 tons, and is last listed as having sailed from New York on March 19 for Halifax. She is commanded by Captain Legge.

Daugherty Defends Late President Harding

(Canadian Press)

WASHINGTON, April 23—Harry M. Daugherty in a statement issued here last night declared that "President Harding was nominated and elected the freest man that ever stepped across the threshold of the White House." "All the cheap, sensational talk by Partizan Committee and others in regard to the manner in which President Harding was nominated and elected, is false," the former Attorney General declared.

Prince of Wales Invited to Kenya

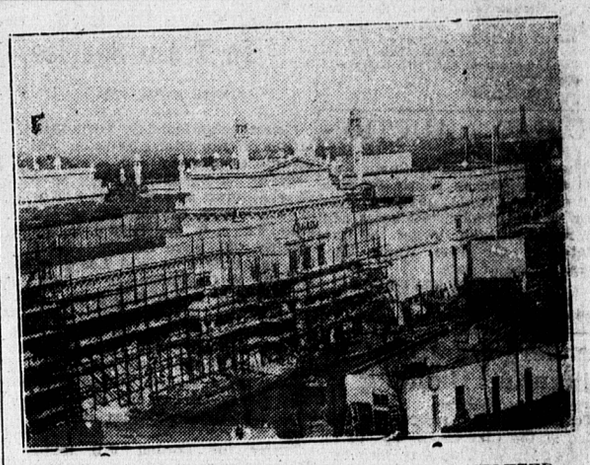
NAIROBI, Kenya, April 23.—The Prince of Wales has been invited to visit Kenya Colony this summer, as the proposed visit of His Royal Highness to South Africa has been postponed on account of the South African general election.

Sir Robert Coryndon, Governor of Kenya, has sent the Prince the invitation in response to strong expressions of popular feeling in favor of the Prince being invited.

Holy Name Society To Hold Convention

(Canadian Press)

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Business men of the capital city are co-operating with the local Catholic clergy in making plans for the national convention of the Holy Name Society, to be held at the Catholic University Sept. 18-21 next. Ten thousand delegates, representing the ninety-six Catholic dioceses of this country, will be in attendance. On the last day of the convention 200,000 of the 1,500,000 Holy Name men of the United States will take part in a national rally to commemorate 650 years of Holy Name activity throughout the world.



CANADA BUILDING JUST BEFORE BEING COMPLETED

The British Empire Exhibition was opened yesterday April 23rd by the King. This building erected to house Canadian exhibits compares very favorably with those built by the other dominions. Wembley now represents a city of buildings of all shapes and sizes.

JAPANESE LAND FORCES LACK MODERN EQUIPMENT AND ADEQUATE AIR DEFENSE

(Associated Press)

TOKIO, April 23. —The leaders of the Japanese army are planning to modernize the organization, Lieutenant-General Kazushige Ugaki, minister of war, has appointed a commission with the vice minister of war, Lieutenant-General Ichisuke Tsuno, as chairman, to study the question of bringing the equipment of the land forces up to date. Its report will be ready by March of 1925. In connection with this work a party of Japanese army officers has gone abroad to study modern organization in France, Great Britain and the United States.

It is pointed out that generally the equipment of the Japanese army has changed little since the Russo-Japanese war. At the same time it is realized that the question of money is one of the most difficult involved in the problem. Earthquake reconstruction is keeping the army apropriations to a low figure. The modernization program, in the beginning, must be paid for largely out of economies effected within the army.

Japan's military leaders consider their greatest deficiency to be in aviation. The army air forces now consist of six flying squadrons. The high command would like to double this number, although the problem of training enough aviators is a serious one, probably more serious than the shortage of funds at present, for the Japanese have not proved themselves good aviators, and the high casualty rate among flying officers does not make the service attractive to young men seeking a military career. However, the authorities are considering an aviation expansion program to spread over approximately five years.

Chemical warfare is almost a closed book to the Japanese army. Although Japan has no intention of nullifying the Washington submarine and poisonous gas treaty, her army leaders plan extensive research into the employment of and defence against the latest chemical weapons.

Japan is without tanks, to all practical purposes. A few were brought back to Japan after the war for study purposes, but there is no branch in the Japanese army corresponding to the tank corps of the American and European forces. Motor transport also is backward in the Japanese army. The use of armored cars also will receive consideration from General Tsuno's committee.

Machine guns and automatic rifles still are comparatively little employed in Japan's army, and one of the chief duties of the party now in Europe will be the study of such weapons. In field artillery there is believed to be considerable room for modernization.

In all discussion of the proposed army program Japanese officers insist on the non-aggressive intentions behind it. It is stated that Jap an merely desires to bring her army to something like the standards held by the other great powers, who learned at first hand the bitter lessons of the great war.

KING GEORGE'S MESSAGE TO DOMINIONS

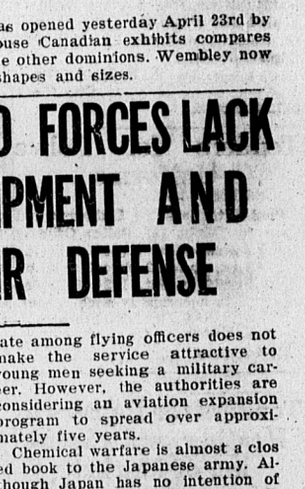
(Canadian Press)

MONTREAL, Que. April 23—The message of King George to the overseas dominions formally opening the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley completed the world circuit in eighty seconds.

The King sent the message to all overseas dominions direct from Wembley:

"I have this moment opened the British Empire Exhibition."

The message was forwarded to Canada over the imperial cable to Halifax thence by over land lines to the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company to Banfield Creek, B. C., and then over the cable to Australia via Fanning Island, Suva Fiji and Norfolk Island to Sydney Australia. It was released to Durban South Africa and Capetown, and from there to the exhibition grounds, at Wembley via Aszores. The commencement of the cable was received back in Wembley just as the message was completed to Halifax.



TORONTO, April 244.—Maritime: moderate south-west to north-west winds; scattered showers in east, mostly fair in western districts.

High tide this afternoon at 1.50 and tomorrow morning at 3.29.

Sun sets this evening at 7 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.55.

Last quarter moon Saturday, April 26th 12.28 a. m.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Maximum and Minimum temperatures.

Toronto, clear	43	36
Montreal, fair	42	32
Quebec, snow	38	32
Charlottetown, cloudy	45	35
Halifax, rain	50	36
St. John, fog	40	35
Boston, fair	60	44
New York,	62	40

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