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FORMER GERMAN KAISERINE DIED YESTERDAY MORNING

Will be Buried at Potsdam. Kaiser and Crown Prince will not be Permitted to Attend Funeral. Body will lie in State in Berlin.

DOORN, Holland, April 11.—Former Empress Augusta Victoria of Germany died here at six o'clock this morning. She came to this country one year after she suffered her first serious attack of heart disease. Reports of the Kaiserine's last hours, said she realized that she was near death and that she faced it calmly. She declined nursing and the Kaiserine's body will be permitted to lie in state in Berlin.

City Council's Monthly Meeting

The City Council met last evening in regular monthly session, Mayor Riley presiding and all the councillors in attendance. A report of the proceedings, owing to press of other matter, is crowded out of this issue.

CONDENSED SPECIALS

- TO RENT—FRONT BEDROOM. Apply Guardian office. MAID WANTED TO ASSIST IN housework. Apply 179 Kent St. PURE BRED YORK BOAR FOR services. Angus MacPiterson, Murray River. FOR SALE—Cooking range in perfect order. Apply 89 Rochford Street. TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM centrally located. Apply at Guardian office. LOST—SATURDAY PURSE CONTAINING sum of money, also laundry check. Pinder phone 515-1. Reward. A SPECIAL MEETING of the Hamilton L. O. L. will be held Thursday night, April 14th. Important business. WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL housework. All modern conveniences. Apply to Mrs. Alex. Agnew, Charlottetown, R. R. No. 6. ROOM AND BOARD—A GENTLE man can be accommodated with room and board in private family, central location. Apply "C" to Guardian office. WANTED—TO PURCHASE second hand book case Apply at Guardian office. WANTED—A MAID FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 29 Upper Prince Street. TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM centrally located. Apply at Guardian office. WANTED—BOY TO WORK ON farm. Apply J. B. Roubach, Mount Edward Road, Charlottetown. Phone 554. CARRIAGE REPAIRING done promptly. Rubber tires put on wheels at Large & Sons, Great George Street. WANTED A MAID FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 277 Richmond Street. FOR SALE—HEAVY BROWN PAVER, suitable for paving under carpet. 5 cents a roll at Guardian office. WANTED—COMPETENT MIDDLE aged housekeeper. Apply in writing stating wages to A. U. Care Guardian. TO LET—THREE FURNISHED rooms, situated in centre of city. Modern conveniences. Apply in afternoons to 16 Elm Avenue. BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE FOR SALE, by private sale, the residence of Mrs. Aeneas MacDonald, situated at 128 Rochford Street. Intending purchasers may inspect property any afternoon by applying on premises. EGGS FOR HATCHING—WHITE Wyandotte hens, holding certificate in Record of Performance, Ottawa, for laying 185 to 234 eggs in one year. Price \$3.50 for fifteen. J. D. Rombough, Charlottetown. Phone 564.

Russia Invites Foreign Investments

LONDON, April 11.—A despatch to the London Times from Berlin, says it is understood that in view of the imminent signing of a Russian commercial agreement the financial group represented by Hugo Stinnes and August Thyssen, already have acquired large concessions in various provinces in Soviet Russia. The despatch adds that it is reported the Soviet Government is issuing permits to foreigners for the operations of branches of business which previously had been strictly forbidden.

Government Wins In Australia

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, April 11.—Cables received here announce that in the South Australia elections the Liberal Government party elected twenty-four members and the other party twenty members each, casting three seats from the country party. As this leaves the country party with only two members the Government party, if it chooses a speaker from its own ranks will have 23 votes in a house of 46 members out of its ability to carry on is said to be assured.

Had Good Intentions

DETROIT, April 11.—A conscientious Mount Clemens woman opened her husband's grave trying to find material to make out his income tax report for 1920. John A. Grogan, collector of internal revenue, reported today. She told Mr. Grogan she could not find her husband's account books, showing his income for last year. After searching through the house, she decided to open the grave. He died recently and was buried in his business suit. No records were found.

Tablet Unveiled

At the morning service in St. Paul's Anglican Church, Sunday, the beautiful bronze tablet recently erected to the memory of the late Chief Justice and Mrs. Edward Palmer, was suitably dedicated with impressive ceremony. After the reading of the Second Lesson, Mr. Rev. H. D. Raymond, M. C., and Mr. Percy Pope, senior Church Warden, proceeded to where the tablet graced the walls of the church. There in the presence of the Palmer family, their relatives and close friends, Mr. H. J. Palmer, K. C., the eldest son of the late Chief Justice Palmer presented the tablet in the following words: "On behalf of myself and other members of the family of the late Chief Justice Palmer I beg leave to give into the custody of the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of the Parish of St. Paul's this tablet, presented in loving memory of our parents."

Sinn Feiners Burn English Goods

BELFAST, April 11.—The first attempt to enforce the Sinn Fein boycott against English goods occurred today in Kilmallock County. Limerick railway station. A quantity of goods from Manchester was burned by armed men.

THE WORK OF JUNIOR RED CROSS SOCIETIES

Interesting Address by Mr. S. B. McCready in Prince of Wales College Hall Yesterday Afternoon.

Prince of Wales College Hall was well filled yesterday afternoon with children from the various city schools as well as a number of parents to hear Mr. S. B. McCready, organizer of the Canadian Welfare Movement for the Canadian Red Cross deliver an address on Child's Welfare and the organization of Junior Red Cross Societies. Mr. Justice Hazard presided and in a few suitable remarks explained the object of the meeting, (old of its importance and introduced Mr. McCready. Mr. McCready, in opening stated that it was nearly five years ago since he had last spoken from the platform of Prince of Wales College Hall. Many things had happened since then—world history had been made, more history in fact than in any fifty years before. A great many things will have to be done on account of that great upsetting of world affairs, caused by the war. There has practically to be a new earth made out of the old and it will take a long time to get back to the former smooth-running conditions. One of the things necessary is to get this sorry old world into a better one than it has ever been before. The Junior Red Cross he went on to say to the children is jiving you into its work in this behalf. To illustrate this subject the speaker related most interestingly, one of Charles Kingsley's stories which was followed with keen attention by the little ones. We in Canada, said Mr. McCready, found out something during the war—that we had not been as strong and healthy as we should, and could have been and that our teaching of hygiene was not what it should have been. The war showed that 50 per cent. of our young men were partially or totally unfit for service, and this state of affairs was true all over the world. This, he said, was due simply either to neglect or ignorance. The Red Cross Society has been asked to try to make the people realize that ill health and disease make a nation weak. The people are ignorant and nothing is so expensive as ignorance. The object of the Junior Red Cross is to defeat ignorance. The speaker here related several instances he had recently of suffering in New Brunswick which could have been prevented had the proper means been taken in the first place. The speaker also pointed out that another object of the Red Cross Society is to teach people a better way of settling their differences than by means of war. War has kept Europe poor for ages. The speaker went on to say that this would be a far happier world if instead of preparing all the time for war, the people were engaged in road making, mining, and all the other peaceful and nation building pursuits. He referred to the League of Nations, declaring that 41 nations are near this objective than ever before. This dream of the ages, "the parliament of man and the federation of the world," is nearer a reality than ever it has been, though there must still be a great deal of work and trouble before the dream can be realized. The Junior Red Cross Society has been organized in South America, New Zealand, South Africa, and many other countries with all the children united under a common programme to fight for better health. The American Red Cross are sending wonderful supplies to the children of the war stricken portions of Europe and are enclosing letters to these children. These letters have brought many replies and the whole tendency of the work is to bring the boys and girls into friendship with one another. He believed that friendship between the boys and girls of the different provinces might be brought about in a somewhat similar manner. Friendliness is one of the great forces in the world and the Junior Red Cross asks the boys and girls to unite in this friendship. The "three R's" used to be considered a very important part in the school curriculum but today the school-men and school-women are talking of the "four R's." These are: Read, Hear, Hand and Health. Another object of this movement is to have the children pledge themselves to go to school and take advantage of all the education they can get, to take such good care of themselves, and to serve Canada well so as not to be a liability to her, to improve the health, to prevent disease and to mitigate suffering. These are three big objects of the Red Cross.

Sydney Hard Hit By Depression

SYDNEY, April 11.—Continued depression in the trade resulted in another week end holiday for approximately 10,000 Cape Breton mine, coal and railway workers. All collieries of the Dominion Coal Co., were closed Friday evening and will not resume operations until Tuesday.

Serious Motor Cycle Accident

MONTREAL, April 11.—Doris Chapleau, 23, was instantly killed, and his brother Leopold, 29, both of 63 Mercier St., was fatally injured today when a motor bicycle on which they were riding struck a telegraph pole on the Notre Dame St. Longue Pointe. Leopold died an hour later in Notre Dame Hospital.

Sydney Directors On Inspection Tour

SYDNEY, April 11.—R. M. Wolvin, President of the Dominion Steel Corporation, accompanied by S. E. Elkin, M. P., and other directors left last night in their private car "Catalone" for Halifax where they will inspect the shipyard division of the new merger.

Maritime Provinces Telegraphic News

- (Special to The Guardian) RESTIGOUCHE ELECTION APPEAL TOMORROW. FREDERICTON, April 11.—The Restigouche county election petition case will be taken up in the court of appeal before Judge Barry tomorrow. SYDNEY SOLDIERS PARADED TO CHURCH. SYDNEY, April 11.—Sydney's returned soldiers, some 400 strong held their annual memorial service yesterday. They paraded to Falmouth Street Church where they were addressed by Rev. Ernest Baines, an overseas padre. SOLDIERS' BUTTONS IN DEMAND. ST. JOHN, April 11.—Seven applications have been received for a returned soldier's button which was found and turned in to the city hall last week. C. B. ELECTRIC COMPANY BUYS SYDNEY MINES LIGHT AND POWER. SYDNEY, April 11.—The Cape Breton Electrical Co. have purchased the Sydney Mines light and power company's interests for \$80,000. TO ABOLISH CHINESE STALLS. ST. JOHN, April 11.—Mayor Schofield and Commissioner Thomson will go to the capital tomorrow to support a bill presented by the city council which has for its purpose the banishing of the Chinese restaurants of the city.

10,000 CHICAGO TENANTS REFUSE TO PAY OR VACATE

Were Notified that Rents Would go up After May 1. They Organized and have Refused to pay the Increase or to Vacate

(Special to The Guardian) CHICAGO, April 11.—Chicago tenants whose leases expire on May 1 have been notified that their rent will be boosted from 15 to 25 per cent. Ten thousand will refuse to pay the increased rentals and will refuse to vacate their homes, according to J. B. Struss of the Chicago Tenants' Commission League.

ANOTHER DAY'S WORK IN PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE

Few Small Bills Advanced a Stage and the Fisheries Resolution Passed.

APRIL 11th House met at 3.40. After a short address by Mr. S. B. McCready representing the Canadian Red Cross Society, a report of which appears elsewhere, HON. J. J. JOHNSTON introduced an Act to further amend Act to incorporate the Trustees of the Estate of the late Owen Connolly. HON. J. J. JOHNSTON introduced an Act respecting Insurance Agents. Bill read a first time. HON. J. J. JOHNSTON introduced a bill to amend the Act relating to the admission of barristers and attorneys. Bill read a first time. House, on motion of Hon. C. W. Crosby, went into committee with Mr. Creelman McArthur in the chair for second reading of an Act to incorporate the Farmers Trading Company Ltd. A lively exchange of legal opinion took place on the bill authorizing the company to increase its capitalization to \$50,000. (The original capital was \$25,000.) THE ATTORNEY GENERAL gave his opinion that the clause was legitimate, the Leader of the opposition did not think it wise to set the precedent of increasing the capitalization of a company at a public meeting. Mr. H. H. Higgs disagreed with the Attorney General and somewhat severely criticized him for not scrutinizing bills more closely. It was for this he was receiving his salary of \$2,000 and he should not leave it to an unsalaried layman to point out such errors. Indeed he should be sport enough to hand over part of his salary to those who are doing his work. The objectionable clause was finally struck out on motion of Hon. G. E. Hughes. The bill was agreed to without further change and ordered to be read a third time tomorrow. The Fisheries Resolution was then taken up. Hon. Ben Odiant discussed at some length the need of care in the packing of lobsters. The lobster business this year is very precarious and the utmost care will be required to effect sales. Many packers had become careless. That unsanitary conditions were being permitted in many factories to the great detriment of the industry. The fishing industry, he said, was second only to agriculture and he thought fishermen had as much right to a special grant for education in their calling as the farmers. Standards are maintained in the fishing industry will not much longer afford a living. He thought short courses should be established for the training of fishermen. MR. H. D. McLEAN followed. He had been remarked by a previous speaker that the resolution probably would do good and he was of the same opinion. No man was more interested than he in the fishery just now, and he knew there were many things that could be done towards helping the industry. The depression in the fishery business at present is not due to anything that could be prevented by Government interference. There was depression in all lines of activity. It was suggested in the resolution that the bounties to fishermen should be made available. These bounties are available if only our fishermen comply with the conditions. They are entitled to these bounties just the same as the Nova Scotia and N. B. fishermen are, provided they use larger vessels in the fishery. Something he thought might be done to help the mackerel fishery. A treaty had recently been concluded with the United States for the international protection of game birds. They all remembered how the mackerel used to come in large schools during the summer; these schools were followed and captured by American seiners. He believed

DESPERATE BATTLE WITH ARMED BANK BANDITS

In London Ontario, One Citizen Killed, Three Robbers Captured and the Fourth is Followed by Hundreds of Armed Men.

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, Ont., April 11.—In a desperate street battle between four armed bank robbers and the men of Melbourne, two miles south west of London, Russell Campbell, 23, was murdered this morning and three of the marauders were captured. Two were suffering from gun shot wounds. The fourth, after a desperate fight in which the people stormed a barn in which the men had taken refuge, escaped on foot. The chase has been taken up by the people of the district armed with rifles, shot guns and revolvers, and detectives arrived from London have joined the posse with a high powered motor car.

FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS IN STRIKE SITUATION

Both Sides Agree to a Conference but Demands and Concessions are Still far Apart. 40 Mines Involving 16,000 men have been Flooded.

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, April 11.—British mine owners and miners conferred this morning on a possible settlement of the controversy which led to the miners' walkout last week. The conference adjourned at noon until 4 o'clock this afternoon. Sir Robert S. Horne, Chancellor of the Exchequer, presided. Mr. Lloyd George made the suggestion during the conference that the owners give a full presentation of their case, stated the reasons why they considered the wage reductions justified, after which the miners' counter-claims should be fully presented. He proposed that the miners then delegate six representatives of mine owners. Adoption of the Prime Minister's proposal will probably mean extended discussions between the two sides to the dispute. However, no time is to be lost and it was expected this afternoon that the latter session would be continued until midnight. Mr. Lloyd George's speech, which was prefaced his suggestions, was essentially a recapitulation of the circumstances of the whole difficulty. "It is not now a question of sharing profits but a question of sharing very serious losses," he admonished both sides; "the whole problem is what can the industry bear for the moment; how can it bear it, which is the best method of arriving at a permanent way of adjusting the wages of the miners to the capacity of the mines." These proposals by the Prime Minister, it is hoped, will form the basis for a successful re-opening of the conference until 4 p. m. The Daily Herald declared the miners would stipulate at today's meeting as the first essential concession, the national wage board, profits pool, against which owners are adamant. Failing to secure these two demands, the newspaper asserted, the order for a strike by the Triple Alliance would be effective Tuesday midnight. The first round has been won by Labor," declared the Herald, which claimed reports that railwaymen at various centres opposed joining the strike were untrue or grossly exaggerated.

Sudden Death of Moncton Surgeon

MONCTON, April 11.—With shocking suddenness death on Sunday morning claimed one of Moncton's most valued citizens and most skilful physicians and surgeons in the person of Fred J. White and the city is much poorer by his passing. Dr. White was stricken with apoplexy in bed at his home corner Queen and Alma streets, and although he received prompt medical attention he failed to rally and died at 11 o'clock.

Twelve Horses Are Burned At Newcastle

NEWCASTLE, April 11.—A barn belonging to the Sinclair Lumber Co., was burned at an early hour this morning. The fire was first noticed by a stableman who went out at four-thirty to feed the horses. Twelve horses were burned and one had to be shot. The barn had a large quantity of hay and all the harness was destroyed. Loss in the vicinity of \$7,000.

Reprisals For Ambushing Soldiers

CORK, April 11.—Regular troops, in charge of an officer, visited the Upton district and arrested several civilians and burned down two farm houses and some produce in reprisal for ambush of soldiers on March 19th at Cross Barry, midway between Kessale and Macroom, in which six soldiers were killed and five others wounded. Residents in the farm houses were given half an hour to remove their live stock and food. The police today discovered a machine gun and ammunition secreted in the grounds of an Agricultural Society here. They also removed a motor car used in the recent republican exploits, as well as many bicycles.

THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON, ETC

TORONTO, April 13.—North west winds, clearing. High tide this afternoon at 1.02 and tomorrow morning at 2.15. Sun sets this evening at 6.43 and rises tomorrow morning at 5.16. Full moon Friday, April 15th 6.12 a. m.