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## REPORT OF CANNIBALISM IN CANADA

### Indians and Esquimaux In Northern Quebec Driven to it by Starvation.

(Special to The Guardian)  
MONTREAL, May 2.—An appalling picture of cannibalism among the Indians and Esquimaux of northern Quebec was painted by Rev. W. G. Walton, for over a dozen years English Church missionary in the far north of this province, in the course of a statement today. The coming of the modern high power rifle into the northern district had decreased the natural game upon which the inhabitants entirely depend for food, he said.

## CONDENSED SPECIALS

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 221 Water St.

WANTED—A MAID FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 29 Upper Prince Street.

WANTED, POSITION AS HOUSE-keeper, one child. Apply Guardian office.

LOST—GOLD BROOCH, SET with pearls. Finder leave 151, Euston.

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST at general housework. Apply at Guardian office.

WANTED—ROOMS FOR LIGHT housekeeping. G. in care of Guardian.

WANTED—A 30 12 OR LARGER Leflet or Vulcan water wheel. H. D. McEwen, Bristol Lot 40.

FOR SALE—490, 1920 CHEVROLET car; good as new, with spare tire, bumper, chains and snubbers. Apply to Bourke and Windsor garage.

YOUNG PIGS WANTED—WILL persons having young pigs for sale write, stating price, number, when able to ship, etc. H. B. MacLeod, Lorne, Pictou Co., N. S.

WANTED—A MAN OR BOY FOR farm work. Write Box 367 Charlottetown.

WANTED—THE ONE WHO took harness from Ward Hotel stable in mistake, return and get your own.

FOR SALE—25 WHITE WYANDOTTE hens and pullets. Bred to lay. J. B. Rombough, Mt Edward Road, Charlottetown.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, SECOND hand go-cart. Apply 257 Richmond Street or telephone 236-Y.

FOR SALE REGISTERED CLYDESDALE mare 4 years old, (Prize winner) also choice general purpose mare 3 years old. J. H. Crosby, Marshfield.

ROOM AND BOARD—A GENTLE man can be accommodated with room and board in private family, central location. Apply "C" c/o Guardian Office.

WANTED—A HARDWARE TRAVELER required about May 15th for one of the largest Hardware Establishments in the Maritime Provinces. State age, experience and give references. P. O. Box No 2 Charlottetown, P. E. I.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR sale in the city. A centrally located desirable business stand and splendid dwelling is offered for immediate sale. For further particulars apply W. E. c/o Guardian office.

CHOICE FARM FOR SALE—122 acres at Hope River, Lot 22, formerly occupied by Walter Peters, 72 acres cleared, balance lumber, 20 acres plowed. Good buildings. For particulars apply Soldiers Settlement Board, Charlottetown.

DESIRABLE RESIDENCE FOR sale. Mrs. Campbell offers by private sale the conveniently situated and pretty cottage with all modern conveniences, No. 15 Grafton Street owned by R. H. Campbell. Apply at premises.

WANTED FOR PRINCE EDWARD Island salesman to sell on commission Rubbers, footwear, automobile tires, tubes, etc., as manufactured by leading Canadian Manufacturers. Those having trade connection apply to P. O. Box 997 St. John, N. B.

## AN ULTIMATUM TO BE PRESENTED TO GERMANY

### Military Measures to be Used in Case Germany Should Default. Her Answer Must be "Yes" or "No." British Naval Demonstration to Follow a Refusal of Allied Demands.

(Special to The Guardian)  
LONDON, May 2.—Germany must give by May 12th a categorical answer, yes or no, to the Allied reparations demands or suffer the infliction of military and naval penalties, according to the terms of an ultimatum drawn up by the Allied Foreign Ministers today, and submitted to the Supreme Council for its approval.  
The Supreme Council after receiving the report, agreed in principle to the plans of Foreign Minister Jasper of Belgium, providing for an ultimatum to be presented to Germany and for military measures to be used in case Germany should default.  
British naval demonstration in the North sea was slated to be one of the consequences to follow a refusal to yield to the Allied demands.  
Word from Paris showed that the French Military Forces were making preliminary moves looking to the occupation of the Ruhr, in anticipation of official quarters there that Germany would not give the guarantee the Allies were expected to demand and that the occupation consequently would have to be carried out.  
It was indicated that the mobilization of 155,000 men of the class of 1919 was imminent.

## Customs Convention Opens In Ottawa

(Special to The Guardian)  
OTTAWA, May 2.—Men of the Canadian Customs staffs from all over the country attended the opening of the Dominion Customs Officers Association Convention this morning. The main subject of the convention will likely be patronage and its latest evidences, and the amendments to the Civil Service Act proposed by Hon. E. K. Spinnery. The Customs men are very much opposed to the amendments and intend to express their disapproval officially.

## Foreigners Sing National Anthem

HAMILTON, May 2.—At a gathering of about a thousand workers here yesterday afternoon the Ukrainian choir sang the National Anthem in Ukrainian and when a British workman objected to this, he was seized and was being ejected when the police interfered and prevented his removal. Most of the speeches were made in foreign languages, Russian predominating.

## Casualties Heavy In Belfast

BELFAST, May 2.—Three constables were killed today. Constables Shaw and Cuthbertson left the County Cavan barracks for a walk. Later their bodies, bullet-riddled were found a mile away from the station.  
Constable Smith was shot and killed and another constable wounded at Castle Martyr, County Cork. In Limerick on Saturday night bombs were thrown at a party of four constables who were talking to a young woman. Brisk exchange of firing took place between the attacking party and body of policemen who came to the scene. Four constables, two young women and two civilians were wounded.

WANTED—HOUSE TO RENT, size 50 x 22. A. Pickard & Co.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM for light housekeeping. Apply Guardian.

LOST—IN THIS CITY, A SUM of money. Finder leave at A. Horne & Co.

WANTED—BY JUNE 2nd competent middle aged housekeeper, for particulars apply by writing W. T. Burke, Box 42, Charlottetown.

IF YOU HAVE ANY STOCKS OR Bonds you wish to sell and are prepared to quote a bargain price for quick sale send me a list with your lowest cash price and we may be able to do business. Investor, Box 232, City.

NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA Scotia farms are the cheapest on earth. Good climate, fine, class markets, good roads, schools, churches splendidly watered and wooded and all the other advantages peculiar to the Maritime Provinces. Write for large comprehensive free catalogue fully describing 275 farm bargains. Alfred Bruney and Co., St. John, New Brunswick.

## COAL CRISIS SUBJECT OF CONFERENCE

### European Miners Determined to Keep Coal Out of Britain.

(Special to The Guardian)  
LONDON, May 2.—With the British miners strike now in its second month, announcement was made today by the labor interests to keep out coal mined on the continent for Great Britain.  
The coal crisis was the subject of a conference this morning between Robert Williams, General Secretary of the transport workers, and Edo Fimmen, president of the International Transport Workers Federation, after which Secretary Williams issued this statement. Mr. Fimmen has given every guarantee that the Dutch, French, Belgian, German and Austrian workers are determined to prevent the export of coal to Great Britain.

## Maritime Provinces Telegraphic News

(Special to The Guardian)  
ROSS TRIAL IN YARMOUTH

YARMOUTH, N. S., May 2.—The preliminary hearing of Mansfield Ross who is charged with being an accomplice after the fact in the Perry murder case was continued today before Magistrate Pelton.

## FREDERICTON BREAD TAKES A DROP

FREDERICTON, N. B. May 2.—Bread has been reduced one cent in price by the bakers of Fredericton.

## SHOOTING AFFRAY IN GLACE BAY

GLACE BAY, N. S., May 2.—Tony Puri is being held for the shooting of Michael Mosenpuck who is being treated in St. Michael's Hospital for a bullet in his throat. The shooting is said to have followed a lawsuit between the two foreigners.

## \$150,000 FIRE IN STEWACKE

STEWACKE, N. S. May 2.—Loss of over \$150,000 was suffered in a fire which broke out here early this morning and destroyed ten buildings including the McNutt Hotel, Nelson's store and warehouses, and the Royal Bank building. The cause of the fire is unknown. No lives were lost, though there were several narrow escapes. A freaky wind was responsible for much of the damage.

## Both Governments Ready

LONDON, May 2.—The British and French governments reached an agreement on how to deal with Germany, and compel payment of reparations, and exact immediate guarantees.  
It is agreed by the Allies to make a declaration tomorrow, but not to Germany. They will announce that the reparations committee will notify Germany as to the amount she is required to pay, and how it is to be paid, together with proposed financial controls.  
The Allies will then announce within ten days, this period being subject to possible modification by the Supreme Council. Tomorrow they will proceed to carry out the penalties, if the terms are not accepted. The plan provides for a plan of conversion and control of Germany's sources of revenue. It is not completed, but while experts are still working on it, France will proceed with all her military preparations for the occupation of Ruhr. The French government will tomorrow order a mobilization of additional class.

## Still 14 Cents In Charlottetown

HALIFAX, May 1.—A reduction in the retail price of bread is announced by a leading bakery. Effective Monday bread will cost 12 cents per loaf instead of 13 cents as formerly.

## Much Pulp Wood Found In Alaska

WASHINGTON, May 2.—There is sufficient pulp wood in Alaska to furnish perpetually one third of the print paper consumed in the U. S. Colonel Greely, chief forester, who recently made a survey, announced today.  
This could be laid down on the Atlantic seaboard on a basis of being based on 3 to 4 cents per pound, based on present rail freight rates and practically one cent a pound by water, he said.

## Union Jack Heads Parade

WINNIPEG, May 2.—The instructions of the Chief of Police Newton that the Union Jack be placed at the head of the column was only a pith yesterday. May day parade. The order was complied with and two thousand parades moved off without demonstration and without interruption.

## Sinn Fein Took Ambulance Beds In Daring Raid

### FIVE POST OFFICES WERE ROBBED DURING WEEK-END WITH LOSS OF MUCH MONEY

DUBLIN, May 2.—The Labor Party issued a manifesto today declaring against any participation by the party in the coming elections to the Irish parliament. The manifesto urged the workers of both the North and South to demonstrate their loyalty to Ireland and freedom, however, by voting only for candidates standing for the government of Ireland by the Irish people, or in the words of the labor party constitution "for the abolition of all powers and privileges, social and political, based on property and ancestry, or not granted and confirmed by the freely expressed will of the Irish people."  
Raid Post Offices.  
BELFAST, May 1.—Five city post offices in Waterford were raided simultaneously by twenty men in five groups during the week end and large sums of money seized. No arrests have been made in connection with the raids. An ambulance train was held up this morning near Kenmare, County Kerry. Twenty-two beds, a quantity of blankets and sheets and some surgical instrument were taken.  
Soldier Shot Dead.  
Private Weldon, of the Leicestershire Regiment was shot and killed by a civilian in Castletown, County Ross common, today. As Weldon and two comrades came from a dark passage the civilian asked Weldon if he could furnish him with a light. While Weldon was fumbling in his pockets for matches the civilian fired, and the soldier fell dying in the arms of his comrades. Other civilians covered the assassin's retreat.  
An official report of the shooting states that a man named John Bergin, when fatally wounded in an encounter at Loughlilly, six miles from Castlereagh, admitted that under orders he had shot Weldon.

## U. S. Foreign Trade Shows Heavy Drop

Exports to Canada During Nine Months Ending March Much Less Than During Previous Period.  
Washington, May 2.—The foreign trade of the United States showed a heavy falling off during the nine months ending with March as compared with the same period for the year before.  
The exports to Canada for example were \$48,168,076, as against \$80,340,687 during the previous period.  
Imports from Canada were \$31,214,569 as compared with \$41,373,445 in the previous period.  
For the nine months the trade balance rolled up by the United States against Europe was \$2,123,619,000.  
Exports to Europe during the nine months aggregated \$2,881,925,352 as compared with \$3,819,995,432 for the previous period last year.  
Imports were \$764,306,210 as compared with \$857,590,631.

## Irish Parley To Be Resumed

Earl of Derby, Who Had Long Interview With Premier Thursday, Will Return to Ireland Within a Few Days.

London, May 2.—Conversations between Earl of Derby and Irish Sinn Fein representatives will be resumed in a few days when the Earl returns to the island, says the London Times today.  
He will take no written proposals from the British Government but will be empowered to speak as Premier Lloyd George's accredited envoy, the newspaper said.  
The Earl had another long interview with Mr. Lloyd George yesterday.

## Will Play at Halifax

WINNIPEG, May 2.—The Scottish professional football team which will tour Canada and the United States next summer, will play at Halifax on May 18th. President Dan Mitchell, of the Dominion Football Association, announced today.  
They are coming to Canada on the new Canadiana, Cameronia, 16,700 tons which leaves Liverpool May 11, for New York, on her maiden trip.

## Farmers Party Poorly Patronized

FREDERICTON, May 2.—An audience assembled at Marysville Saturday night to hear Hon. T. A. Cramer, National Leader of the Farmers Party, discuss the issues of the York-Sunbury byelection campaign, numbered 23 people. Nobody was present who would act as chairman and Mr. Cramer had to act himself. He and E. W. Stairs, Farmers' candidate, spoke, and the meeting lasted only half an hour.

## To Arctic By Airplane

EDMONTON, May 2.—An expedition to the Arctic coast is now the aim of John M. Larsen, the New York monoplane man, who has returned from his preliminary air trip to Peace River. The plans at first announced for a scouting flight to the oilfields and thereabout have been enlarged to a much more ambitious exploration scheme and arrangements are being made accordingly.  
With a flight to the top country in view, Mr. Larsen, who has returned to Edmonton for the present, will go home to New York in the course of a few weeks, and will come back again in time to fly north early in July. He will then take one of his J. L. planes fitted with pontoons into the far reaches of the Mackenzie country and his ultimate destination may be Victoria's Land in the Arctic ocean.

## Making Good Recovery

NEW YORK, May 2.—Germany, through the economy and sacrifices of her working people has set down to real production and is outstripping the United States and allied nations in the fight toward normal conditions, so Charles M. Schwab declared here yesterday in an address before the Chamber of Commerce of the state of New York.  
"Germany today can put a ton of steel in England at \$20 a ton cheaper than England can make it," he said, "and is selling pneumatic tools in Detroit, where formerly we shipped such machinery to Germany and sold it cheaper than she could make it. The difference is solely a matter of labor costs."  
"It is estimated that 5,000,000 men are out of work in this country. It is accordingly of supreme importance to the working man as well as to the capitalist to restore our prosperity.  
"Insofar as our people in America are prepared to go to work at reasonable wages, insofar as we are prepared quickly to abandon the artificial extravagances of the war, will we lay the foundations for a new prosperity such as we have never enjoyed before."

## AMERICAN SHIPPING THREATENED BY VERY SERIOUS STRIKE

### Intervention by President Harding Anxiously Awaited. Thirteen Million Tons of Shipping will be Tied up 125,000 Marine Workers Idle, Thousands of Others Will be Affected if Strike Goes on.

(Special to The Guardian)  
NEW YORK, May 2.—The marine strike, designed to paralyze American shipping on the Atlantic Pacific and gulf coasts, was growing today while both sides awaited intervention by President Harding.  
The president had intimated that he might appoint a board of arbitration, after a conference with members of his cabinet.  
Although the strike became effective at four o'clock yesterday afternoon its full effects were not expected to be ascertained before tonight.  
Thirteen million tons of shipping will be tied up and about 125,000 marine workers will be idle.  
Thousands of other workmen, including longshoremen and harbor employees, will be immediately affected.  
The loss will amount to approximately one million dollars a day.

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## Blaze In Regina Business Section

REGINA, April 30.—The downtown business district of this city was threatened with destruction this morning when a fire destroyed the auditorium and rink and automobiles valued at \$200,000, stored in the building.  
Assertion was made by the Daily Mail that arrangements have been made for the Earl of Derby to have a personal conversation with Earm-on De Valera.

## Earthquake In Central America

WASHINGTON, May 2.—A severe earthquake was recorded today on Georgetown University Sismograph, starting 12:45 a. m. and lasting until 2 a. m. Maximum intensity was reached at 12:59 a. m. estimated distance from Washington was 1,800 miles probably in Central America.

## Ontario's Labor Troubles

TORONTO, May 2.—On the eve of May day the biggest labor troubles in Ontario are looming up in Ottawa and Hamilton. This city will present a peaceful front to Mad day so far as can be learned last night and no strike is threatened.  
In Ottawa 3,000 men, representing seven unions of the building trades threaten to go out on strike, they having refused to accept a cut from 10 to 15 per cent in wages demanded by the contractors Association.  
Hamilton will probably have a strike of job printers tomorrow, also a strike of carpenters and sheet metal workers, electrical wire men plasterers and lathers.  
Printers threaten a walk-out on account of a 44 hour week, the employers insisting on a 48 hour week.

## FUEL PROVIDES A HEATED DISCUSSION

### Mr. D. D. McKenzie Warmly Refutes an Assertion as to Nova Scotia Coal.

(Special to The Guardian)  
OTTAWA, May 2.—There was more than a hint of spontaneous combustion in this morning's meeting of the special committee on fuel supplies. D. D. McKenzie, (Cape Breton North), with the assistance of Dr. A. W. Chisholm (Inverness), and Louis Simpson of Ottawa, a witness before the committee, supplied between them the discussion which at times almost reached boiling point.  
Mr. McKenzie declared that the witness did not know what he was talking about when he said that Nova Scotia coal degraded in shipment, and said it looked to him as though Mr. Simpson was the advance agent or emissary of American coal companies sent here to slander the Canadian coal.  
The witness declared that he was basing his statements on experience, on government reports and on the statements of previous witnesses.  
Mr. McKenzie retorted that the evidence given by Mr. Simpson was unfair and untruthful.

## Veteran Sailing Master Again In Port

Capt. James C. Skinner, veteran skipper and owner of the schooner "Carl E. Richards" which arrived in Charlottetown from Hastings on Saturday with a cargo of coal for A. Pickard & Co., has the unique distinction of being probably the oldest active coasting sailor in the world. The Capt. who is eighty seven years of age, has been sailing his own craft into this port for the past forty years. During the sixty odd years in which he has commanded a vessel for he was skipper at a very early age, having been at sea since he had of sixteen. It is his proud boast that never in all that time, has he lost a ship, or a man, or taken one cent of insurance money. He has owned and sailed six schooners, and purchased one steamer. In his early days the Captain's route lay chiefly between various ports of Nova Scotia and Boston, but later he has sailed between this port and Hastings, his home town. The Captain is quite hale and hearty, despite advanced years and the buffeting of so many storms. His recollections of the "good old days" when sailing craft of every type and nationality were represented in our Maritime ports, are tinged with an excusable regret. For the past few years he has resigned the active command of his vessel to his son, Capt. David E. Skinner. Another son, James is one of the crew, of the "Carl E."

## THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON, ETC

TORONTO, May 3.—North east winds; fair.  
High tide this morning at 7:31 and tonight at 7:32.  
Sun sets this evening 7:12 and rises tomorrow at 4:41.  
New moon Saturday, May 7th 5:02 a. m.

## Peaceful May Day Demonstrations

MONTREAL, May 2.—The Socialists of Montreal held their third annual May Day Parade and open air meeting yesterday afternoon and beyond a display of two red flags at the head of the parade and some statements by spectators that wage slaves should become free from the yoke of Capitalism by their own efforts the demonstration was unusually quiet. About 2,000 in parade.

## THE PERFECT END OF A DAY

