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SIR R. L. BORDEN EXPLAINS OBJECTIONS TO ARTICLE X.

To Preserve Territorial Integrity of all Members of League Would Make it Impossible to Forecast Future.

(Special to The Guardian) OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—In a communication handed to the press last night Sir R. L. Borden, former Prime Minister and head of the Canadian delegation to the Peace Conference, explains the chief objections of Canada's delegates to Article X of the Peace Treaty, which were set forth in a memorandum prepared by Sir Robert in consultation with his colleagues. Sir Robert, in his statement summarized the chief objections in point of principle raised by a memorandum which pointed out that Article X involves an undertaking by high contracting parties to preserve territorial integrity and existing political independence of all states and members of League. It further observed that the undertaking seems to involve initially a careful survey of the consideration and determination of all territorial questions between the various states and declares that if such a survey is practical it would be impossible to forecast a future.

HON. W. N. ROWELL STANDS FOR CANADA'S INTERESTS

Sharply Attacked Plans Proposed for Organization Which Placed Control in Hands of Europeans Rather Than in Representative Assembly.

(Special to The Guardian) GENEVA, Dec. 7.—Fifty thousand Canadian soldiers under the command of which the League of Nations Assembly, more than a year ago, took the striking statement at this morning's session when he sharply attacked the plans proposed for the formation of the technical organization of the League of Nations, dealing with finance, health and transportation. Canadian representative argued, tended to take such organization out of the hands of the assembly which should control them and throw them under the influence of Europe, throw the responsibility of them on European nations sending their best there or to conferences annually. Mr. Rowell's energetic intervention in the debate took the assembly by surprise, most of the European delegates gave no sign of recovery from their astonishment as the Canadian delegate concluded that he was warmly applauded from all the other benches.

MIGRATORY BIRDS ACT IS UPHOLD

Prince Edward Island Supreme Court Rejects Contention of Magistrate.

(Special to The Guardian) OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—Mr. J. B. Harkin, Commissioner of the Dominion Parks Branch, which administers the Migratory Birds Act, has received the full text of a judgment given by the Supreme Court of Prince Edward Island, which is contrary to the contention that the Migratory Birds Act, was ultra vires. The Department of the Interior appealed in this case against the decision of a magistrate who had dismissed a charge against Russell G. C. Clark, of Mount Stewart, P. E. I., who was found coming from the ice with 14 dead Canadian geese in his boat. It was contended during the course of the appeal hearing that birds found in the province of Prince Edward Island are the property of the province. The judgment states that the Migratory Birds Act was passed to give effect to a convention or treaty between Canada and the United States for the protection and preservation of migratory birds traversing many parts of the Dominion and the United States, and that the title or possession of these birds is not vested in any particular country or province. "The decision of the court" further points out that the Dominion Parliament had power to pass the act under its general power to make laws for the order and good government of Canada, and under its general power to carry out of legislation treaty obligations.

POSSIBLE CHRISTMAS TRUCE IN THE IRISH SITUATION

Acting President of Sinn Fein Asks Lloyd-George for Proposed Terms. Irish Member of Parliament Urges Truce.

(Special to The Guardian) DUBLIN, Dec. 8.—Rev. Michael Flanagan, acting president of Sinn Fein, has sent the following telegram to the Prime Minister of England: "You state you are willing to make peace at once without waiting for Christmas. Ireland also is willing. What first step do you propose?" A Christmas truce in Ireland was suggested by R. N. Sweetman, a Sinn Fein member of Parliament who recently urged that advantage be taken of the labor commission's visit to Ireland to bring about a conference between the commission and the Irish Labor Party, the Irish Peace Conference and the moderate opinion in Ireland in support of Cardinal Luce's appeal for "a truce for God."

St. John Man Killed By Fall

(Special to The Guardian) ST. JOHN, Dec. 8.—The first serious accident in the winter port this season happened last evening about 7.25 on C.P.O.S. liner, Mellita, number six berth, Sand Point. Alonzo Doucette, ship liner of west St. John, while descending a ladder into the hold of the ship accidentally lost his footing and fell to the bottom, a distance of about twenty-five feet. He struck his head and skull was fractured. Death came while he was being lifted to the deck on a stretcher.

Cattle Embargo To Continue

(Special to The Guardian) MONTREAL, Dec. 8.—Just returned from a visit to England, Duncan A. Campbell, one of the best known Canadian cattlemen in this city is back with the impression that the cattle embargo against Canada is likely to remain force until such time as the people of the United Kingdom realize that it is one of the contributing factors of high prices of meat and he is of the opinion that an awakening is due shortly in this respect.

Unemployed Veterans Make Demonstration

(Special to The Guardian) TORONTO, Dec. 8.—About one thousand unemployed veterans of Toronto gathered in Queen's Park shortly before noon today as a protest against the labor situation as presented and proposed for relief by both the provincial and municipal governments. They met with a measure of success at the parliament buildings obtaining a surance from the cabinet and Mr. Rollo, Minister of Labor, in particular that some sort of immediate relief would be afforded them.

President Wilson Instructs League

(Special to The Guardian) WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—President Wilson has completed his recommendation with regard to the boundaries of Armenia and has forwarded them to the League of Nations in session in Geneva, it was said today at the State Department.

New York Police Sinn Feiner Arrested

(Special to The Guardian) NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—John Scanlon, formerly police lieutenant of this city is under arrest in Ireland, charged by the British authorities with being a Sinn Fein suspect.

Father Shoots Wife and Child Then Suicides

(Special to The Guardian) BUFFALO, Dec. 8.—Joseph Zabrincki and his young son were dead and Jennie, his wife, probably fatally wounded, when the police, attracted by sounds of shots broke in the door of their home on Broadway today. Indications, the police said, was that Zabrincki had shot his wife and child and then committed suicide. They had quarrelled and separated.

Combine to Fight Typhus in Europe

(Special to The Guardian) GENEVA, Dec. 8.—War against typhus in the near east, occupied the attention of the League Assembly yesterday morning to the exclusion of virtually all else. The debate was widespread in its scope representatives of all climes and races are taking part. Mr. Foster, of the Canadian delegation led the van with a ringing appeal to the world to stamp out this dread disease which is gradually spreading over Europe. Others who spoke represented Great Britain, France, India, China, Persia, Norway, Greece, Spain, Holland, Roumania.

United Miners Hold Election

(Special to The Guardian) SYDNEY, Dec. 8.—Another United Mine workers election will be run. Figures received last night show that the majority received by President Robert Baxter is not sufficient to assure him reelection. Similar conditions apply to William Delaney, Glace Bay, although Mr. Delaney obtained a long led on other opponents, minorities were not capable of installing him in office formerly occupied by Mr. David Ryan.

Greeks Vote for Constantine's Return

(Special to The Guardian) PARIS, Dec. 8.—Ex-King Constantine received 98 per cent of the votes cast in Sunday's plebiscite on the question of his return to the throne of Greece, announced an Athens despatch dated on Monday received by the Greek legation here today. Voters added numbered 300,000 more than the total taking part in recent parliamentary election.

Germany To Restock France and Belgium

(Special to The Guardian) PARIS, Dec. 8.—The reparations committee announced today that Germany must deliver to France and Belgium a total of 1,740,000 fowls within four years, 25,155 goats, within three years 15,250 pigs within one year. German representatives agree to this program.

Canadian Beaver As National Emblem

(Special to The Guardian) OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—The old Canadian beaver as a new national emblem was urged by E. C. Bedford, Dominion Government. Poultry expert at a meeting last night, following a report that beaver was dying out.

Archbishop O'Leary Received With Cheers

(Special to The Guardian) EDMONTON, Dec. 7.—His Grace Archbishop O'Leary, the new head of the Roman Catholic Church in Alberta, arrived in the city this afternoon. He was warmly welcomed by a large concourse at the station, who greeted his arrival with cheers. There were civic and clerical receptions.

Lindsay Crawford Threatens Reprisals

(Special to The Guardian) MONCTON, Dec. 8.—Lindsay Crawford blames the Toronto Orangemen for all his troubles. He left Moncton with no ill feeling against any one, he stated in an interview, but threatens the Orangemen of Toronto with reprisals.

Germany Agrees to Fulfill Terms

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New Interprovincial Political Party

(Special to The Guardian) WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—The establishing of an inter-provincial political party composed of farmer organizations, with the Canadian Council of Agriculture as co-ordinating agent, was discussed at length at a meeting of the council today. No decision was reached and the discussion will continue tomorrow. At the outset, according to officials, of the council, five provinces, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Ontario, Manitoba, New Brunswick came into the new party if organized and an effort will be made to bring in later the other provinces of the Dominion.

Authorities Watching Drug Operations

(Special to The Guardian) OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—In an effort to defeat the drug ring believed to be illegally operating in Canada in disposing of large quantities of opium, morphine, cocaine and other narcotics, a close watch is being kept by the authorities of the Federal Department of Health on the railways and on all suspicious characters. In spite of the careful survey however it is stated that enormous quantities of narcotics are being smuggled into Canada every day. The extent of the traffic can hardly be realized when it is stated that Canadians are doing even a greater volume of work than that is being carried out in the United States.

Enormous Berg Is Sighted Off Cape Race Now

(Special to The Guardian) BOSTON, Dec. 8.—An iceberg that towered 180 feet above the sea and resembled a cathedral spire, was sighted off Cape Race in the westbound trans-Atlantic steamer lane by the Swedish ship Gustaf, which reached port here from Rotterdam today. The big berg was said by officers of the ship to be fully half a mile long. In its wake was a smaller mountain of ice. The companion bergs had apparently been sighted by other vessels as they were en route to Rotterdam today. The reports of their presence were made within a few hours. Hydrographic officials at this port calculated today that as the known proportion of ice bergs above water is one in nine, the berg probably was 1,440 feet under water and 1,620 feet from the bottom to the tip.

U. S. Get Hard Canadian Wheat

(Special to The Guardian) PORT WILLIAM, Dec. 8.—While the United States has been talking about an embargo on Canadian wheat, exporters have quietly moved over the border 45,000 bushels of Western Canada hard wheat.

No Truce in Ireland Till Rebel Surrender

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, Dec. 7.—Sir Hamar Greenwood, Chief Secretary for Ireland, declared emphatically against a truce in the spirit of common sense today that he was "convinced there can be no truce, or successful advocacy of a truce, in Ireland until the extreme leaders of the Irish Republican army either surrender or are delivered to their arms, or are arrested."

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Red Couriers Go to South America

(Special to The Guardian) THE HAGUE, Dec. 7.—Absence in peace time, of any strict control of immigration in most South American countries, makes it particularly easy, the Associated Press correspondent was told by a member of the British diplomatic service, for Bolshevik couriers sent out by Moscow, to reach South America. Recent investigations by the correspondent in several countries of Central Europe have indicated that a continuous effort is being made, through use of a courier and propaganda system that includes perhaps 25,000 Moscow paid workers, to spread the doctrine of Bolshevism throughout the world. In this effort, South and Central America are considered by the Bolsheviks not only as excellent fields for local "missionary work" along the lines of strikes and political unrest, but also as advanced field basis for promoting Bolshevism in North America, where stricter immigration laws prevail. At Lisbon and Spanish ports, the Moscow Government has established courier bureaus, particularly designed to handle agitators and propaganda en route to Brazil, Argentina, Chile, etc., and one of the four sub-bureaus directing the entire world force of agitators, is understood to be located either in Mexico or in one of the South American countries. "So far as Brazil is concerned," a Brazilian diplomat said, "no national constitution seems to prevent any serious efforts on the part of the Atlantic to weed out undesirable immigrants. In peace times, Poland will eventually reach a high level of efficiency and prosperity. This photograph shows the Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand as their steamship was passing the Statue of Liberty.

Lt. Col. Lister's Majority 35

(Special to The Guardian) NELSON, B. C., Dec. 8.—Complete corrected returns from the Kaslo riding give Lieutenant Colonel Fred Lister, Conservative, a majority of 35.

Maritime Provinces Telegraphic News

(Special to The Guardian) HYDRO ELECTRIC FOR ST. JOHN. ST. JOHN, Dec. 8.—The taking over and distribution of electrical power to the provincial Government hydroplane now being established on the Musquash River was discussed here today at a conference of the city fathers with the New Brunswick electric power commission. Hon. Dr. E. Smith, chairman of the commission presided.

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THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC. TORONTO, Dec. 8.—North-west winds, mostly cloudy and somewhat cool. High tide this morning at 10.31 and tonight at 9.42. Sun sets this afternoon at 4.15 and rises tomorrow morning at 7.30.

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