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YESTERDAY'S SESSION PROV. LEGISLATURE

Reply to Address Aably Moved by Mr. J. S. Martin, and Seconded by Mr. H. J. Feehan. Eloquent Tribute to Late Mr. James W. Richards, M. P., by Premier, Hon. John McLean and Hon. Charles Dalton.

THURSDAY, March 18, 1915.

The House of Assembly resumed this afternoon at 3 o'clock, the Speaker, Hon. J. E. Wyatt, in the chair. Prayers having been said, on the motion of the Premier the first order of the day was read, the reply to the speech from the throne.

THE GREAT WAR.

During the history of the war we have not been in such turmoil as at this present moment. By far the greatest part of humanity is plunged into war and the unrest and depression covers all the world.

It is indeed a pleasing thought that in our own Dominion there is a unified people. All, or nearly all, political differences are forgotten in the greater desire to create a oneness of purpose in these provinces, and do all in our power, to aid the nations, both our own beloved and the Allies, in the hour of their need.

The loyalty of the people of this vast Dominion is unquestioned, and she has responded to the call and sent forth her sons and her substance in defence thereof, regardless of political distinction.

Great Britain, unprepared in a measure for land warfare, put her honour above preparation and entered a war which she had by her wise Ministers tried to avoid, but without success. Our Empire could not with honour do anything else, and a treaty with Belgium was to her a sacred obligation. The question was not will we win, but "Duty" obligation. She asked for no assistance from her Colonies or Dominions, nevertheless from all her children covering many and distant lands, came the same loyalty and generosity, and the hearts of all her subjects are burning with a desire to help her in her hour of deepest struggle against the unscrupulous, unjust, tyrannical and powerful enemy.

Canada has been growing for years in peace. She knows her size from forest, mine, field and stock, but she knew not what force her sons possessed until danger called it into being, and now her second contingent, numbering in all over 60,000 of her choicest young blood, her strongest to endure physical trials, have responded to the call, and are fighting in the ranks of the defenders of our nation's cause or in training to fill the places in which their compatriots had fallen, and a third contingent is now being enlisted. Prince Edward Island, our own and the smallest of the provinces of this Dominion, claims no small share in the giant struggle, her sons have gone forth in larger numbers in proportion to population than they have from any other province of our Dominion, and already their blood has stained the battlefield. We cannot see the heart aches in the many homes from which our sons have departed, because their loyalty and patriotism of these homes is too great to allow one thought of complaint.

COMING EVENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

ONE CENT per word each insertion for advertising in this column. Cash must accompany orders. Minimum charge twenty-five cents.

The annual meeting of the West River Telephone Co. will be held in Afton Hall on Friday, March 19th at 8 p. m. If stormy, next fine night. 9071-3-19ME11

The Pownal Red Cross Society intend holding an entertainment and basket social in Pownal Hall on Tuesday, March 23rd. Doors open at 7.30. Admission 10c and 15c. Proceeds in aid of the Red Cross. If not fine will be held the following evening. Come one, come all! 9074-3-19M31

POULTRY MEETING.—Mr. T. A. Benson, Dominion Poultry Representative, will address Poultry Meetings as follows.—North Side Eggs Circle, in the Mayfield Hall, Monday, March 22nd, 2 p. m. Webster's Corner, in the Hall, Tuesday, March 23rd, 7.30 p. m. Central Bedeque, in the Hall, Wednesday, March 24th, 7.30 p. m. Kinkora, in the Hall, Thursday, March 24th, 7.30 p. m. Rustico, in the Hall, Friday, March 26th, 7.30 p. m. All interested are invited to attend these Meetings and Eggs Circle Members should make a special point of being present, ladies being especially invited. 9078-3-19ME11

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CALAIS BOMBARDED SEVEN KILLED

(Special to the Guardian.) PARIS, March 18.—The following official communication was issued by the War Office to-night. A Zeppelin airship has dropped bombs on Calais, aiming at the railway station. No serious material damage was done, but seven employees were killed. In the Champagne we made gains to west, to north and east of ridge 196, and north-east of Lemensis. The enemy made a counter-attack, but were repulsed. Our gains extended eastward into the ravine which runs from ridge 196 in the direction of the Beausejour. In the wood of Conseneric, north of Verdun, we have carried two German trenches and made prisoners. At Hartmann and Herkopf we gained a little ground to the previous position. The enemy's losses were very heavy and his trenches were full of dead.

TO CUT OFF GERMAN SUPPLIES

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, March 17.—Regarding Sir Edward Grey's replies to America's notes the Express says: "We are determined to cut off Germany's supplies from America and all other neutral countries. America will of course protest. We shall consider her protest with all courtesy but we shall not change our purpose. It is surely better to tell the truth."

LOSS OF KARLSRUHE NOT CONFIRMED

(Special to the Guardian.) LONDON, March 18.—Inquiries at the Admiralty failed to secure confirmation of the report printed in the morning papers, that the German cruiser Karlsruhe had been blown up by an explosion. The report was based on a dispatch from Copenhagen, but the despatches failed to give the location of the supposed disaster.

GUY DE MAURIER KILLED IN BATTLE

LONDON, March 16.—Lieutenant Colonel Guy de Maurier, of the Royal Fusiliers son of the late George Du Maurier, author of "Tribby," and brother of Gerald du Maurier, the actor manager of Wyndham's theatre, has been killed in action. The news was received by Gerald du Maurier last night at Wyndham's theatre, has been killed in action in "Raffles." It was announced from the stage and the actor left the theatre, his part being filled by an understudy.

Lieutenant Colonel Guy de Maurier was the author of the play "An Englishman's Home" based on an imaginative invasion of Great Britain by Germany. The play was a great success in England. He was born in 1865 and had served in the army for thirty years.

NIOBE SEAMAN IS CRIPPLED FOR LIFE

PETROLEA, Ont., March 14.—Crippled for life, as the result of a fall through the hatchway of the Canadian cruiser Niobe, George Richardson, a reservist, has returned to his home here. Richardson, who was assigned to duty on the Canadian warship when the war broke out, suffered complete paralysis of his right arm and side in the accident, and will apply to the Dominion Government for a pension.

\$2,000 paid by the Government for freight. The gathering of this large quantity from the various localities of our province entailed much labour and detail, but it was done quickly and orderly, and in a short time after the battlefields of Europe, choice morsels, to the dumb hearts that also bled and suffered in the deadliest carnage in history.

The Red Cross Society appeals met with a hearty response, and in its ranks are some of our own fair daughters and sons. Every hamlet and village and town in our province organised a society in their midst, and the mothers and daughters in the homes, and buildings rented for working purposes, served their needles busily for these several months, to add to the personal comfort of the brave men who are facing the rigours of winter in our behalf and in our defence. Suitable supplies in large quantities have been forwarded, besides cash to the amount of \$10,567. Thus in every corner of our land the war has brought its task, and it has thus far been taken up by our men, women and children as their bounden duty, privilege and responsibility, and we are equally as well assured that the further calls upon us will be met in the spirit of loyalty and patriotism.

EDUCATION.

The schools of our province have received more attention and thought than at any previous time in our Provincial Legislature, the records of last year are a monument to the efforts of this Government for their betterment; our school buildings are being improved, bringing comfort to our teachers and children who are housed within them. Inspection of buildings and school work, hitherto a matter that could not be attended to, but once a year and of some schools once in three or four years is now done many times a year, because of the increased number of school inspectors appointed for this purpose. The added service of this new departure cannot be over-estimated. It has already justified its existence. The salaries of our teachers having been increased by about \$80 on an average since the year 1911, and the supplement from the districts

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GREAT TRIBUTE TO GERMAN BRAVERY

At Battle of Neuve-Chappelle, Their Losses 19,700.

(Special to the Guardian.) LONDON, March 18.—A remarkable tribute to German bravery in the great battle of Neuve-Chappelle, Northern France, was paid in an official eye-witness narrative issued today by the Government Press Bureau. This account, which describes the fighting around Neuve-Chappelle, reports that three German princes, including Prince Leopold of Hohenzollern, a member of the reigning family of Germany, was killed in action. On the night of March 12 and 13, the statement says, the Germans attempted to retake their old position, but their attacks were repulsed. For three days the enemy, backed by a severe bombardment and strong reinforcements from many units that had been arriving continuously since the 10th, the attempts failed. German reinforcements were thrown into the fight as they arrived on the field. The captured officers were very optimistic. It was a prisoner who gave the information about the three princes being killed. German losses are estimated at 19,700, of this number 1,700 are being held as prisoners.

WAR SUMMARY

LONDON, March 18.—Sir Edward Grey's replies to the American notes on the use of neutral flags on British merchantmen and the prohibition imposed upon foodstuffs destined for Germany, who for the first time great Britain definitely announced her intention to "establish blockade" have again brought diplomatic questions to the front. Replies which were published here with the American notes contained no surprise for the use of the word "blockade" which heretofore has been avoided in their terms have been for the most part known to neutral shipping will be interfered with as little as possible and that neither ships nor cargoes will be confiscated. It is felt here should go a long way towards meeting the objections. However, another protest is expected.

Even these diplomatic questions, on which the only momentary distraction attention from the battles on the Eastern and Western fronts, operations against the Dardanelles and the activity of German submarines which secured additional victims today.

While Earl Kitchener, Secretary for War, and Premier cabinet ministers and lead are bending their energies towards increasing the output of war material and encouraging recruiting, complete optimism prevails. That the victories of the last week were gained only after heavy sacrifices and that the war progress is fully realized, however, as the progress is fully realized, that when the time comes for an offensive there will be no turning back.

At present the armies of Belgium, Great Britain and France are fighting on Hills and other points along the long front which will be of greatest advantage to the army holding them. The advance begins. According to a French communication the Belgians continue to improve their positions in Flanders and the French to North of Arras and in Champagne have added enclaves to their gains which are of some importance. French and German Official communications, however, are so contradictory that it is difficult to decide when any change is being made generally in disposition of the two armies.

The optimism which prevades the Western Allies is shared by the Russians. All Petrograd correspondents of London papers lead the public to believe big events are impending. It is apparent the Russians again and not the Austrians are on the move particularly at Smolnik and on the River San, where it emerges from the Carpathians, while in Bukovina, according to unofficial despatches from Bucharest, the Austrians have been defeated in a battle which has been raging along the entire front.

In Northern Poland isolated actions are being fought from the Niemen River to Przasnysz, the big battle which was expected having apparently been called off or postponed by Field Marshal von Hindenburg, who is thought to have attained his object when he extricated his forces from the Forest of Augustowo.

A Russian Caucasian army is working along the coast of the Black Sea and was taken the Turkish Port of Archava and repulsed attacks of Turks who are still operating on the fringe of Russian territory.

By publishing the casualty list to-night the British admiralty confirmed reports from Athens that the Cruiser Amethyst made a dash into the Dardanelles and was struck by a number of shells. It is presumed here that Vice Admiral Carden sent the cruiser on this risky mission to unmask any concealed batteries which the Turks might have located along the Straits and which the Allied fleet has not destroyed when they were bombarded by the Amethyst. It is presumed here that she would receive no damage from coming into contact with mines and in their opinion her success proving that heavily armored ships could at the present time penetrate the Straits as the guns which could not sink a light cruiser would make little impression on battleships.

There is considerable speculation as to the negotiations which are reported to be taking place at Sofia, where the King of Bulgaria today received the Ministers of the Allies, the Roumanian Minister and General Sir Arthur Paget who is resuming from a mission to

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK BY TORPEDO

(Special to the Guardian.) LONDON, March 18.—The British steamer Glenartney, of Glasgow, was torpedoed this morning off Beachey Head by a German submarine, which gave no notice of her intention. In the scramble for boats one of the crew was drowned, the others, numbering 40, several of whom were injured, were picked up by a steamer and landed at Newhaven.

The Glenartney, which was 3,309 tons registered, was bound from Bangkok, Siam, for London loaded with 8,000 tons of rice.

GERMANS USE BIG GUNS ON BRITISH SHIPS

(Special to the Guardian.) PARIS, March 18.—The British warships which were bombarded yesterday by the Germans with their 16-inch guns. It was those guns which bombarded the trenches of the Belgians and Indians at Neuport.

CASUALTY LIST IN DARDANELLES

(Special to the Guardian.) LONDON, March 17.—A casualty list issued by Admiralty tonight discloses that in the fighting in the Dardanelles on Saturday night the Light Cruiser Amethyst, which, according to Athens dispatch made a dash through the Strait as far as Nazara, had 23 men killed and 19 wounded severely, 18 slightly wounded. The battleship Ocean had two men killed and the battleship Prince George 2 men wounded, while trawlers between them had 3 men killed and 2 wounded.

BOTH STEAMERS APPARENTLY AT FAULT

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 16.—A "grave error of judgment" was committed by Captain Abram Kean, of the steamer Sephano, and an "error of judgment" by George Tuft, Chief Officer of the steamer Newfoundland, in connection with the seal hunting operations, which resulted in the death of 73 members of the crew of the Newfoundland last Spring, according to the finding of a commission made public today.

The Commission was composed of Supreme Court Justices Johnson, Chief Justice Horwood and Justices Emerson and Johnson, of the Colonial Bench, who after a hearing and after a minority opinion that neither Kean nor Tuft was in anyway to blame for the disaster. The commission was unanimous in holding that the loss of the sealing steamer Southern Cross, with her crew of 175 men, about the same time, could be ascribed only to the perils of the sea.

THE TERRIBLE ACCURACY OF THE BRITISH SHELLS

LONDON, March 15.—The Daily Express correspondent on the Belgian frontier telegraphs:—

"The sudden offensive of the allies, from Champagne to the sea, resulting in gains at many points, seems to have taken the Germans wholly by surprise. A convincing indication of a partial or temporary demoralization of the troops which bore the brunt of these five days of successive onslaughts, is the arrival at Ghent and Brussels for trial by court martial of parties of soldiers sent under escort from the trenches for having failed to respond to the order to make counter attacks with sufficient enthusiasm. In some cases, it is said, they even failed to advance at all.

"Great havoc was caused by the accurate fire of the British artillery, which apparently was the prime factor in the paralysis of the Germans. "All the accounts of the week's fighting filtering through the frontier from German sources, chiefly from the wounded, lay stress on the terrible accuracy of the British shells, which made some of the positions wholly untenable.

THE BRITISH PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

LONDON, March 15.—Baron Newton suggested in the House of Lords today that the American government be asked to make inquiries concerning the treatment of British prisoners in Germany. The services he said, which the American government had rendered this country during the war, not only in Europe but in other parts of the world, could not be exaggerated and for this reason might seem almost ungracious to ask Washington to do more. But, he added, on the simple grounds of humanity and justice, there would be justification for the request that the American government undertake this additional task.

Earl Beauchamp, lord warden of the Channel Ports, speaking on behalf of the British government said there was reason to hope that the German government would sanction this government's proposal that United States officials should supervise the distribution of relief provided by Great Britain for British prisoners in Germany. That, he thought, would constitute a better guarantee of proper treatment being accorded British prisoners than would cursory inspection by American officials of the detention camps.

There is a possibility of Bulgaria and Roumania simultaneously intervening in the war is suggested, the former accepting the offer which Greece declined.

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YESTERDAY IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

Sir Robert Borden Announced That Resolution Similar to That of Last Session, Providing That Representation in Commons Should Not Fall Below Senatorial Representation Would be Introduced.

(From our Own Reporter.)

OTTAWA, March 18.—Sir Robert Borden announced in the House today that a resolution affecting Prince Edward Island representation will be introduced this session. This will be the same which the Senate killed last session. This will provide for a petition to the Imperial Parliament asking that the representation in the House of Commons from any province should never be less than the Senatorial representation. This would assure Prince Edward Island of four members. The Conservative members from Prince Edward Island are delighted over the announcement.

Government bills were taken up in the evening, there being a long discussion. Hon. C. J. Doherty's bill to amend the criminal code: This bill includes the provisions of a bill introduced by Geo. McCraney, of Saskatchewan, as well as a suggestion by Hon. J. P. Leclercq, of Quebec, for the purpose of infringement of foreign copyright in Canada. Mr Doherty explained that while it is now forbidden for alien enemy in Canada to leave the country, the law provides no penalty for those who assist aliens to escape from the country during war. This was demonstrated by a recent case in Toronto. The amendment makes this a treasonable act. That

FREEDOM OF DUBLIN IS WITHDRAWN FROM GERMAN KUNO MEYER.

DUBLIN, March 15.—The Dublin city council, by a vote of thirty to eighteen, withdrew today from Kuno Meyer, of the University of Berlin, the freedom of the city, in order to indicate "disapproval of the anti-British campaign he has been conducting in America."

Professor Meyer had urged the formation of an Irish brigade out of Irish prisoners in Germany, to be used against England.

Chief Justice Quaid declared that no greater insult could be offered the Irish people.

Kuno Meyer, who is a German, and has his professor of Celtic at the University of Berlin since 1911, was for a time director of the School of Irish Learning at the University of London, and founded the School of Irish Learning at Dublin, for the promotion of the old Irish language and literature. For his work in promoting Celtic interests he was made an honorary Freeman and Burgess of the cities of Dublin and Cork. During a recent visit to the United States, Professor Meyer delivered several addresses in behalf of Germany.

FIRST FLIGHT IN NEW MONO- PLANE ENDED IN DEATH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 15.—Structural defects in his new monoplane, not inability to control the craft, are believed by local aviators to have been responsible for the death of Lincoln Beachey, who while flying over the Panama Exposition grounds yesterday fell into San Francisco Bay and was drowned. The wings of the aeroplane had crumpled under the pressure of "banking," after an almost perpendicular glide over 2,000 feet. Yesterday was the first time Beachey had made a public flight in the new monoplane, his previous flights here having been in a biplane, over which he had perfect control. The aviator was unusually grave as he took his seat and according to his mechanicals, he seemed to have a premonition of trouble, but was determined to please the crowd of 50,000 people. Beachey's mother, Mrs. Amy Beachey, who lived in this city, collapsed when she heard of her son's death and is

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TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

(Special to The Guardian.) TORONTO, March 19.—Maritime: Strong Northwest winds, mostly fair and cold; snow flurries, North and East.

THE WEATHER.—Yesterday was blustery with almost continual snowfall developing into a snow storm at night.

The lowest temperature recorded for Wednesday night was 24 deg. above zero and the lowest of yesterday was 30 deg. above. At 9 a. m. it was 32 deg. above; at 9 p. m. it was 30 deg. above. The highest of the day was 34 deg. above.

The moon will be high this afternoon at 12.45 and tomorrow at 1.10; it will be high tomorrow morning at 1.39 and Sunday at 2.19.

The sun sets this evening at 6.11 and tomorrow at 6.13; it rises tomorrow morning at 6.02 and Sunday at 6.

The moon sets tonight at 10.50.

There was a new moon on Monday March 15th at 3.42 a. m.

The first quarter of the moon will be on Tuesday, March 23rd, at 6.48 p. m.

The length of today will be twelve hours and five minutes.

portion of the bill taken from Mr McCraney's measure provides that a person selling land to which he has no title, or which is encumbered, must apply the proceeds of the sale to making good his title and if he does not do so he is guilty of an indictable offense and liable to 3 years imprisonment.

Hon. Wm. Pugsley, E. M. Macdonald, Mr Green, of Kootenay, and Mr Barnard thought the bill went too far. It was proposed to protect people who took no ordinary precautions to protect themselves.

Mr McCraney urged that under the Saskatchewan act the vendor in such case, who has no financial responsibility, cannot be got at. Something, he said, should be done to protect unwary purchasers.

A. A. MacLean, of P.E.I., said that eastern people had lost thousands of dollars through the purchase of western lands, the sellers of which had no title.

W. M. Martin, of Regina, said that the worst subdivision sales in the west had been put through by eastern people. He would rather invest in western land, he said, than in Cobalt mining propositions or the fox farming industry of P.E.I. (Laughter).

The bill with the real estate clauses eliminated was given a second reading.

under the care of physicians. Beachey made the statement several days ago that if he should find himself falling he would head his machine out to sea, so as not to fall on the exposition crowd. He kept his word, his fall in the Bay being about 50 yards from shore.

The body was found by a sailor in the battleship Oregon, who made two descents in a diving suit.

Miss Bell Shoemaker, Beachey's fiancée, was not told of his death until today. She believed him to have been only injured.

DEATH OF EX-SUPERINTENDENT. ST. JOHN, March 18.—Edward Manning, M.A., former Superintendent of Education in P.E. Island, died today in Digby, N.S., aged 82 years.

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