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"IF HUNGER STRIKERS DIE THEN YOU WILL DIE"

Was the Message of Sinn Feiners to Officials and Physicians in Charge of Hunger Strike Prisoners.

(Special to The Guardian.) DUBLIN, Aug. 23.—"If the hunger strikers die then you will die," Sinn Fein sent this message to the officials having charge of cases of these men now in jail at Cork. Doctors were warned in same message to resign.

Dying Mayor Refuses to Eat.

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, Aug. 23.—The last sacrament was administered today to Terence MacSwiney, Lord

Mayor of Cork, who was dying in Brixton Prison as the result of a hunger strike. The dramatic action of MacSwiney's young wife, in urging him to carry out his self imposed sentence when she visited him in prison Saturday, had attracted unusual attention to his case. Huge crowds of sympathizers fumed about the prison gates again as fast as they were dispersed by the police. Officials feared rioting. MacSwiney is serving two years for sedition.

Six Killed In Auto Collision

(Special to The Guardian.) CAMDEN, N. J., Aug. 23.—The Pennsylvania electric train struck an auto bus containing fifteen persons last night, killing six occupants of the vehicle and injuring at least four others.

Glance Bay Boy Killed in St. John

(Special to The Guardian.) ST. JOHN, Aug. 23.—Michael McDonald, laborer in the employ of the Foundation Co., which is erecting a new bridge across the reversing falls was killed Saturday by being struck on the head by a flying piece of rock. McDonald who was seventeen years of age, was a native of Glance Bay, N. S., and had been in the city only a few weeks.

Groom of 100 Weds Maid of 72

(Special to The Guardian.) LOS ANGELES, CAL., Aug. 23.—Andrew Malcolm Morrison, who gave his age as 100 yesterday, obtained a license to marry Mary Augusta Barny who said she was 72.

CONDENSED SPECIALS

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HOUSE TO LET. BYRNE BROS. North River. 2393-8-24-31 pd

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POSITIVELY NO ADVERTISEMENTS accepted at this office for next day's issue after 6 p. m. unless paid for in advance.

WANTED BY SECOND WEEK of September a cook to do plain cooking. Good wages. References required. Apply Mrs. H. W. Long worth, care of Guardian Office. 2246-8-19-1f.

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Double Drowning At Five Islands, N.S.

(Special to The Guardian.) HALIFAX, Aug. 22.—A tragic double drowning in which Lena Crowell, of Halifax, and Everett Malcolm, of Newport, N. S., lost their lives in Five Islands Lake, St. Margaret's Bay Road, late this afternoon, added two to this summer's already long list of similar accidents.

Neither of them were expert swimmers, but waded beyond their depth to rescue Michael Hemsworth, another member of their party who was in difficulty a short distance from the shore. Kennedy Sullivan, who happened to be bathing nearby the Lake, managed to bring Miss Hemsworth safely ashore, but was so exhausted that his efforts to help her were unable to attempt a rescue of the others. A telephone message to the Camp of Dr. A. C. Hawkins, some distance down the lake, brought a party to the spot too late to save Malcolm and Miss Crowell. The bodies were recovered by the life guard methods of resuscitation had been applied under Dr. Hawkins' direction for an hour and a half. Miss Crowell was twenty-three years of age. She was the daughter of S. J. Crowell, of 33 Lady Ham-ilton Road, Malcolm was twenty-five years of age. Both were employees of the Nova Scotia Telephone Company.

Maritime Provinces Telegraphic News

(Special to The Guardian.)

MORE WATER FOR ST. JOHN. ST. JOHN, N.B., AUGUST 23.—To provide citizens of the West End with a greater water pressure the city purposes laying 22,000 feet of pipe to Spruce Lake. The contract for this work was awarded this afternoon to the Canadian Lock Joint Pipe Company of Toronto, at an estimated cost of \$375,000.

SUPREME COUNCIL TEMPLE OF HONOR AT ST. JOHN.

ST. JOHN, August 23.—74th annual session of the Supreme Council of the Temple of Honor of North America meets here tomorrow. Among the speakers are Hon. F. B. Carvell, Dominion Fuel Commissioner and Minister of Railways, arrived in the city from Ottawa last night. He held a conference with coal mine operators and representatives of the miners this forenoon to familiarize himself with local conditions and left in the afternoon for Ottawa.

CARVELL CONFERS WITH COAL MINERS.

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ROTHESAY N.B., August 23.—Weather postponed the inter-provincial tennis tournament here this morning. Mr. Dawson of Bridge water is substitution for Mr. Rice of North Sydney, the Nova Scotia champion and will be matched with Hazen Shot, the N.B. champion.

SONS OF ENGLAND. All members of Lodges Prince Edward and Etton will meet in Lodge room at 1.45 o'clock, today, to attend the funeral of our late brother Ernest Rice. Full dress. ARTHUR HENRY, Secty. Prince Edward. H. E. WARD, Secty. Etton.

POLES STILL ADVANCING AND REDS RETIRING

36,000 Prisoners so Far Taken by Poles and their Progress is Practically Uninterrupted.

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, Aug. 23.—Poles are continuing their advance on a wide front in the center while the Russians are still gaining at the extreme right and left of a 500 mile battle line, according to latest advices received here today. President Pilsudski's smash northeast of Warsaw was said to have further imperilled 40,000 Reds north of the capital and rendered their withdrawal practically impossible. The Poles reported that an additional captures over week end had brought the total of Bolshevik prisoners to about 36,000.

Armistice Not Concluded.

BERLIN, Aug. 23.—Erroneous report that an armistice had been concluded between Poland and Russia, received here shortly after midnight from the Kovno correspondent of the United Telegraph company, was later corrected by that same agency company explaining that the error was due to a dispatch garbled in transmission referring to ratification of the proposed terms by Lithuanian government.

France Advises Poland Not to Accept Russian Terms.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—Reports were circulated here today that the French government has formally advised Poland not to accept the Russian armistice terms. These could not be confirmed statements wireless from Moscow reiterated that Poles are deliberately delaying negotiations and that they "do not want peace but are only making believe." The third session of negotiations was scheduled for today.

Three Bolshevik Armies Cut Off.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—Three Bolshevik armies operating in Poland are now completely cut off from each other, according to Warsaw advices to the French Foreign Office today.

Russians Have Evacuated Brest Litovsk.

MOSCOW, August 22.—Russian troops have evacuated Brest Litovsk, a Bolshevik official communique announced today.

Unionist Riots in Reprisal.

BELFAST, August 23.—Unionist sympathizers in reprisal for the murder of Police Inspector Swaney in Lisburn, yesterday, rioted in

that town throughout last night injuring several Nationalists and burning nationalist property valued at half a million dollars. General Wrangel Makes Further Successes.

CONSTANTINOPLE, August 23.—General Wrangel's anti-Bolshevik forces have gained new successes both in the Crimea and Don region, it was reported here today. Entire left bank of the Dnieper east of Kherson has been cleared of Red troops it was said, more than a thousand prisoners, 34 field guns and 100 machine guns have been taken. The offensive between the Don and Manich was said to be progressing actively.

Poles Probably at Limit of Strength

BERLIN August 23.—Military experts expressed the belief that Poland has reached just about the limit of her success against the Bolshevik armies. The reasons given were, first, that the Polish offensive has slowed down as a result of the stiffening by the Reds and second, because while the Bolsheviks are in touch with ammunition reserves and can be supplied with more, the Polish armies have limited supplies and the boycott of international labor against allied replenishment of ammunition and arms is bound to hurt Poland soon.

Poles and Russians Urged to Make Peace.

PARIS, August 23.—Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain and Premier Giolitti of Italy have urged both Russians and Poland to conclude peace immediately on the basis of mutual concessions dispatched from Moscow reiterated that Poles are deliberately delaying negotiations and that they "do not want peace but are only making believe." The third session of negotiations was scheduled for today.

Three Aviators Were Killed

(Special to The Guardian.) RENWOOD CITY, CALIF., Aug. 23.—Three men were instantly killed at Varney aviation field here late last night when their airplane crashed to the ground from a height of 300 feet.

RE-OPENING OF PRINCE EDWARD

Citizens Delighted With Their Magnificent Re-Created Theatre and Splendid Pictures.

Charlottetown theatre patrons turned out en masse yesterday at the reopening of the Prince Edward Theatre and on all sides from the many hundreds who attended were heard expressions of delight and remarks of the most complimentary nature upon the magnificent changes which have been made in this most popular playhouse. Congratulations are due all round to management, the artists, and various workmen who have helped to make these splendid improvements and to the Charlottetown citizens whose happy lot it will be to enjoy them. At last night's performances a programme de luxe was presented in a theatre de luxe, a programme which excellent as it was followed by programmes of even greater excellence according to Mr. F. G. Spencer, the lessee of the theatre, who leaves this morning upon his return to St. John, delighted with the manner in which the citizens have expressed their appreciation of the good work done. The programme of last evening had as a special opening attraction a rattling five act feature entitled "Double Speed", relating the adventures of one "Speed Carr," a captivating species of the genus homo who left New York a millionaire, and reached Los Angeles a tramp. The story is beyond doubt one of the finest things in moviedom seen here for some time and Wallace Reid who portrays the character in all its clever and laughable situations proves himself an inimitable screen artist. Then there was a big generous opening installment of another great story, "Dare Devil Jack," a

Pathe serial which will hold the close attention of Prince Edward patrons for weeks to come. It is a spell-binder and the main character is taken by the noted Jack Dempsey, reputed to be the best known man in the world, and whose athletic ability which has made him famous fits him admirably for the part he has to play. This serial is alive with amazing adventure and vibrant with vivid surprises and Prince Edward patrons will eagerly await the chapters to follow. It was a delightful revelation to the citizens who attended last evening's shows to note the changes made and the up-to-dateness of everything in connection with the theatre. From the moment of entering the lobby the beauty of the place attracts the attention and the whole redecorated interior with its myriad soft tones which capable of being put on at any degree of illumination at will, makes a scene in itself hardly surpassed by any theatre in Canada. The other improvements made at this theatre and still in process of being made have already been referred to. Yesterday's excellent programme will be repeated today.

FUNERAL NOTICE. All Odd Fellows are requested to meet at the Lodge Rooms at 2 p. m. today for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late Brother Ernest Rice. G. P. NICHOLSON, Secy. P. E. I. AMHERST, N.S., August 23.—The Springhill mines are again working full blast. Additional firemen have been employed in No. 2 and an increase of 5 to 15 cents a ton according to the depth at which they are working was granted the miners of No. 6 the men went back to work this morning.

BRITAIN TO RECOGNIZE INDEPENDENCE OF EGYPT

Egypt Will Recognize Britain's Position in Valley of the Nile and in Case of War Lend all Assistance.

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, Aug. 23.—The London Times yesterday morning says it understands Great Britain has decided to recognize the independence of Egypt, among the fundamental points of agreement are: dence of Egypt. Among the fundamental points of agreement are: the Valley of the Nile and agrees in case of war to afford every facility for access to Egyptian territory. Great Britain will maintain her rule on Egypt in the canal zone, Egypt to have control of foreign relations subject to her not making treaties contrary to British policy and will have the right to maintain diplomatic representatives abroad.

(Special to The Guardian.) OTTAWA, Aug. 23.—The argument in the application of the Canadian railways for increased freight and passenger rates was completed on Saturday and the case is now before the board of Railway Commissioners for judgment. Indications are that the decision will not be long delayed. When the hearing closed Chief Commissioner Carvell thanked the assembled council for the courteous business like way in which the case had been presented and said the Board had been placed in a position which would enable it to render fair and impartial judgment.

"GREATER LOVE" FUND

Generous Response to DeBlois Brothers Appeal on Behalf of the Widow and Orphans of the West River Hero, the Late Captain Wm. McRae.

The Patriot has opened its columns to subscriptions to this most worthy fund and to it Messrs. Prowse Bros., have contributed \$100 and Hon. C. W. Crosby \$25. Today we have received a cheque for \$25.00 from Mr. W. A. Weeks and another for \$50 from Mr. D. Nicholson, M. P.

Danzig Germans Proclaim Soviet National Coal Strike Feared

(Special to The Guardian.) BERLIN, Aug. 23.—German workmen in Danzig have proclaimed a Soviet, according to reports received here today. The Soviet, immediately announced a "blockade" and refused to permit the French cruiser Greydon to dock. British Commissioner Tower declared he would not be responsible for results if the cruiser attempted to unload its cargo of munitions intended for the Polish army.

A Bad Fire at Colville Millerand Sends Cheering Message

A very serious fire occurred at Colville Station Sunday afternoon when two large barns and one small barn were totally destroyed together with their contents of hay etc. The origin of the fire is unknown but the firemen were handicapped by the fact that the well house caught fire thus cutting off the water supply. The house was saved with difficulty by the neighbors. The amount of damage is not yet estimated, but it is understood there was no insurance on the destroyed property. Mr. McLeod is a brother of Mr. John McLeod, merchant tailor, of this city.

Tramp Knew Nothing of Murder

(Special to The Guardian.) ST. CATHERINES, ONT., Aug. 21.—Holiday Gahan, a tramp, who was taken to Brantford last Wednesday for investigation as to what he might know concerning the murder of Margaret Boucock, the Thorold child, was brought to liberty again, the Thorold police being convinced he knows nothing of the crime. All the investigations proved was that he had asked two women at Brantford for a drink of water and while taking it stated that he knew the father of the murdered girl.

SPRINGHILL ON AGAIN. AMHERST, N.S., August 23.—The Springhill mines are again working full blast. Additional firemen have been employed in No. 2 and an increase of 5 to 15 cents a ton according to the depth at which they are working was granted the miners of No. 6 the men went back to work this morning.

TWO STEAMERS COLLIDE IN LAKE SUPERIOR

One Ship Went Down Carrying Twenty-Nine Persons to Death. Boiler Explosion Followed Impact.

(Special to The Guardian.) SAULT ST. MARIE, Michigan, Aug. 23.—Search is being continued by the savers for the bodies of 29 persons who are missing, following the sinking of the Lady Superior on Friday night, a freighter from Superior City which went down after colliding with the steamer Willis T. King. Late last night no word had come from the searching parties of the White Fish Point where the accident occurred and little wreckage from Superior City has been found. One missing person, a woman was the wife of the second engineer of the lost ship. The remainder were members of the crew. Four survivors who were picked up from the wreckage had all but abandoned hope of rescue owing to the short time which elapsed between the

collision and an explosion in the boiler room which completely wrecked the steamer. The survivors were Capt. Edward Sawyers, Almont, Mich.; Walter Pitcher, Ohio; Boatwain; Cal Lehue, Chicago; second mate, and Pete Jacobson, Cleveland, wheelman. They left here last night for their homes after receiving treatment for injuries sustained when they were thrown with the wreckage into Lake Superior. Jacobson, who was at the wheel when the ship rammed, declared the King bore up on them after exchange of usual signals. The sea was calm and the weather rather hazy but he could easily distinguish lights of the King he declared. Capt. Herman Nelson King, however, maintained that the fog enveloped the vessels and was responsible for the accident.

Tragic Death of Rev. H. S. Bagnall Police Inspector Is Shot Dead

The following is a clipping from the Calgary "Albertan" of August 12th: Rev. H. S. Bagnall of Medicine Hat, former pastor of the East Calgary Baptist church, one of the leading ministers of the Baptist church in Alberta, and organizer for the federal constituency of the coming referendum, was killed yesterday afternoon south of Bow Island when his automobile overturned, pinning him underneath the car on a bad piece of road. An eye-witness who saw the car turn turtle hastened to the spot and found him dead on the road a short time afterwards. He was alone at the time of the accident.

(Special to The Guardian.) BELFAST, Aug. 23.—Police Inspector Swaney against whom a verdict of wilful murder was given by a Coroner's jury in connection with the assassination of Mayor McCurtain March was shot dead today while proceeding to his home from Church Lisburne, to which town he had been transferred after the finding of the Coroner's jury.

\$300,000 Fire In Newcastle, N. B.

(Special to The Guardian.) NEWCASTLE, Aug. 23.—A disastrous fire which consumed property estimated to be worth \$300,000 broke out yesterday afternoon in the lumber yards of Edward Sinclair, lumber merchant, about three miles from Newcastle. The fire started in the lumber pile and the strong wind blowing at the time quickly fanned into a big conflagration.

Forest Fires East of Winnipeg

(Special to The Guardian.) WINNIPEG, MAN., Aug. 23.—Three persons are dead and twenty homes were destroyed and a new school building was razed by bush fires which swept through the village of Malvhill, 96 miles north of Winnipeg, Friday and Saturday.

St. John Farmers Fail to Organize

(Special to The Guardian.) ST. JOHN, N. B., Aug. 23.—An effort to organize the farmers of St. John County into a political organization was made by Thomas Caldwell, M.P., President of the U. F. of N. B. at a general meeting at St. Martin's on Saturday night. No action was taken. About seventy-five people attended the meeting which was addressed by Messrs Caldwell and Pratt of Winnipeg, and McLeod, of Toronto. A motion that the County organize a branch of the United Farmers of New Brunswick did not carry.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

The tide will be high this evening at 7.30 and tomorrow at 8.30; it will be high tomorrow morning at 6.32 and Thursday at 7.23. Sun sets this evening at 6.53 and tomorrow at 6.51; it rises tomorrow evening at 5.11 and Thursday at 5.12. First quarter moon, Saturday, Aug. 21st, 6.52 a. m. Full moon Sunday, Aug 29th 9.03 a. m. The lowest temperature Sunday night was 67 degrees. The highest was 78; at 9 p. m. yesterday was 78; at next day's issue after 6 p. m. unless paid for in advance. AUG 23.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

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A. F. & A. M. Funeral Notice. The officers and members of St. John's and Victoria Lodges A.F. & A.M. are requested to meet at the "Worshipful Master and Warden of Victoria Lodge at the Lodge Room, this afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Ernest Rice. The funeral will leave his late residence, 17 Rockford Square, at 2.30 p. m. for St. Paul's Church thence to the People's Cemetery. By order of the Worshipful Master H. S. MacLEOD, Secretary.