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MINERS IN MORE CONCILIATORY MOOD

Now Desire Resumption Negotiations for Settlement of Dispute.

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, May 15.—Following the conciliatory speech in the House of Commons yesterday by Mr. Lloyd George was a strike situation yesterday by Mr. Lloyd George, it was learned unofficially overtures have been made mood to accept the guidance of their leaders if offered fair and equitable terms.

British Favor German Concessions

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, May 15.—Berlin despatches assert there is going forward an exchange of views relative to cancellation of penalties placed on Germany after the meeting of the supreme allied council in March. This included the establishment of a customs screen along the Rhine and the occupation of Ruhr ports along the Rhine. It is declared Great Britain favors a relaxation of allied pressure now that Germany has accepted the allied reparations terms and is preparing to carry them to fulfillment.

Fall in Ontario Farm Produce

(Special to The Guardian) KITCHENER, May 15.—Produce took one grand drop on the market yesterday morning. Butter was selling at 35 cents, a drop of 20 cents a pound in one week, eggs sold at 35 cents a dozen, a drop of five cents a dozen, potatoes sold at 75 cents per bag.

France Favors Intervention in Poland

(Special to The Guardian) PARIS, May 15.—France is unalterably opposed to any German military operations in Upper Silesia, declared Premier Briand today. Entry of German troops into Upper Silesia would provoke intervention by regular Polish troops which would mean war, and in such a war France could not remain neutral. According to expressions in official circles here today, Premier Briand himself took the unusual course of reviewing all the foreign newspaper correspondents in a group this afternoon to recount to them what the French Government had done and intended to do so.

Honors Even In Regina

(Special to The Guardian) REGINA, Sask., May 15.—In returning to work the Regina printers will receive the same hour rate as previously in job offices. A 44 hour week entailing a loss of four hours pay a week over the former wages will prevail, while the men in newspaper offices who continue at the 48 hour week will receive the same pay as formerly.

Many Convicts Storm Prison

HUNTSVILLE, Tex., May 13.—More than a score of state convicts, many of them armed, mutinied yesterday, stormed the arsenal, shot two guards and fled. One guard probably was fatally injured. Six convicts obtained pistols and charged the front gate of the prison, then charged guards on the inside of the prison walls and broke into the armory, obtaining shot guns, then they returned to the inside walls, making another charge on the guards. The prisoners escaped by way of the east railway gates. About twenty-five shots were fired by the convicts. The guards returned the fire but it was not known whether any of the escaping men were hit.

Maritime Provinces Telegraphic News

(Special to The Guardian) NO AGENT REQUIRED
HALIFAX, N. S., May 14.—A resolution to appoint a commercial agent to market the Provinces' coal introduced by W. D. Morrison, Labor member from Cape Breton was voted down in the House last night.

BANDITS IN NEW BRUNSWICK

ST. JOHN, N. B., May 14.—Two masked men armed with a shot gun and rifle held up the C. P. R. operator and his assistant at the Fairville station early this morning and rifled the till. Their swag amounted to about sixteen dollars.

JURY IN STEEVES CASE DISMISSED

HOPEWELL, N. B., May 14.—The jury in the Steeves case after an all night deliberation failed to agree and were relieved from their duties by Chief Justice Mackewon today. Eight were for conviction, and four for acquittal.

HON. MR. WIGMORE TO SPEAK

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 14.—The Hon. W. R. Wigmore, Minister of Customs is to speak at Russett, Agomish today in the interests of W. B. Hanson the Government candidate in the York-Subsidiary election.

NO PERMIT FOR WAREHOUSES

ST. JOHN, N. B., May 14.—The local Temperance Alliance have received definite word from Ottawa that no permit will be issued by the Government for the Federal bonded warehouse, which Montreal liquor dealers wish to locate in this city.

Death of Mrs. A. A. Alley

The Guardian records today with sincere regret the death of Mrs. Arthur A. Alley, who passed away on Saturday at her home, 275 Richmond Street.

Island Senators and The Potato Situation

OTTAWA, May 15.—In the senate today, Senator Prowse called attention to his freight rates in Prince Edward Island. A surplus of a million bushels of potatoes could not be marketed on account of them, he said. He urged that the government railway needed a manager familiar with local conditions. Potatoes were selling for seventeen cents per bushel, while freight rates were forty-three cents per hundred pounds.

MEIGHEN GOES AFTER SCALPS OF OPPONENTS

Strips Camouflage From Operations of Liberals and the Farmer Parties. "Foes Rake Political Garbage and Ashes" Merciless Assault on Platform of the Opposing Parties and Their Tariff Views

OTTAWA, May 14.—In a fighting speech which occupied the better part of two hours, Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Prime Minister of Canada today led the attack against both Liberal and Progressive parties in the House of Commons. He was the Prime Minister's contribution to the heated debate, and an opportunity for him to answer criticisms which have been levelled at the government since and since the discussion of Canada's financial affairs was launched.

Challenged All Enemies

This he did, but in addition he threw down the gauntlet to leaders of both parties on the other side of the chamber. The Progressives, he declared, were playing practical politics. A desire to get into the same boat with the Liberal opposition dictated the support of the Fielding amendment.

Rake All Garbage

The speech of the Prime Minister was listened to by a well filled house and galleries. Loud applause from the Government benches greeted his sallies, and there was practically no interruption from either the Liberals or Progressives.

Really Protectionist

(Hon. W. S. Fielding, the mover of the amendment, was in reality an adherent of the policy of protection. He had demonstrated this conclusively during his tenure of office as Minister of Finance in the Laurier administration. He had found a protective tariff in effect when he took office and he had left it in effect.

Disaster For Canada

It would be disastrous on the eve of a tariff revision in the United States for Canada to make any changes. The budget as presented by the finance minister had met with the general approval of the country.

A Double Picture

The amendment to the budget gave expression to the principles of Liberalism on fiscal matters. It recalled a double picture. First, the fiscal policy of the government, and secondly the Liberal policy which had given to this country its happiness and prosperity.

Cuba to Toronto By Aerial Cruiser

(Special to The Guardian) TORONTO, May 15.—Circling over the harbor like a huge white bird the aerial cruiser Santa Maria flying from Cuba to Detroit via New York, Montreal and Toronto, dropped gently to the waters of Toronto Bay at ten o'clock yesterday morning and plowed her way westward until she dropped anchor in front of the harbor board building. Hundreds of curious spectators on the harbor building roof and along the docks watched her as she swooped gracefully into port. At the wheel was an old Toronto boy Capt. Theodore L. Tibbs, and when he came to shore in a harbor board launch he was affectionately greeted by his sister Mrs. F. L. Troyer, who had not seen him for the last two years.

Funeral of the Late Rev. William Phelan

The funeral of the late Rev. William Phelan of Sturgeon took place on Wednesday morning last at 9:30 and was one of the largest ever seen in that part of the country. People of all denominations from far and near, as well as decessor's own parishioners being present, while almost all the clergy of the diocese took part in the service. Rev. Alex McAulay was the celebrant, with Rev. F. McGuigan as deacon and Rev. M. J. Smith, sub-deacon, and Rev. Maurice McDonald, master of ceremonies. His Lordship Bishop O'Leary was present in cape and mitre, assisted by Rev. Mr. McLean and Rev. Dr. McLellan of the St. Dunstan's University. His Lordship delivered an appropriate funeral oration. The remains were laid to rest in the vault beneath the church which the deceased had erected.

Death of Rev. Alfred Hall

TORONTO, May 13.—Rev. Dr. Alfred Hall, senior chaplain and general secretary of the National Council of the British and Foreign Sailors Society in Canada, died yesterday at his home here after a long illness.

London May Not Collect Fifty Per Cent

LONDON, May 12.—A Berlin despatch to Reuters Limited says that while the British Government will retain the act empowering a levy of 50 per cent on German exports the levy bill will virtually be suspended in favor of the collection of the 25 per cent tax prescribed in the ultimatum to Germany.

MISSING TREASURER WEDS YOUNG GIRLS

Although He left Wife Behind He Was Able to Marry Again Under Loose Connecticut Laws

Mystery of Open Grave Explained By Maine Police

BRUNSWICK, Me., May 14.—The mystery surrounding the opening of a grave in the Abbott family burial lot on a farm near here has been solved to the satisfaction of the police who for several days have been looking for supposed resurrectionists. The explanation the police found was that an elderly man had a dream that a ghost led him by the hand to a place, leading him with the suggestion that if he would dig in the spot he would find a pot of gold. The place of the dream was the Abbott burial lot.

GREAT SNOW STORM IN MICHIGAN

Blizzard Strikes Lake Superior and Causes Loss of Two Barges.

(Special to The Guardian) ST. MARIE, Mich., May 15.—Two barges, the Mistic and the Peshtigo, broke away from the steamer Seillah of the O. W. Blodgett Line, six miles above Whitefish point during a raging snowstorm on Lake Superior yesterday morning. According to a wireless despatch from Whitefish Point the Seillah was able to get in the lee of Whitefish Point and is reported safe, but the barges have not been located. A coastguard cutter has been sent out to search for the barges. No other mishaps have been reported as result of the blizzard one of the worst in years. Six inches of snow fell during the night and the temperature dropped to below freezing.

Speaker's Brother Has Small Majority

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, May 15.—In the by election in Penrith rendered necessary by the retirement, Hon. J. W. Lowther, former Speaker of the House of Commons, his brother Sir Cecil Lowther, coalition unionist, polled, 7,675 votes and his opponent Mr. Levi Collison, independent liberal, polled, 7,647 votes.

At the Methodist Church Yesterday

(Owing to the illness of the Rev. Mr. Glendonning the pulpit of the Methodist Church was occupied yesterday morning by the Rev. Mr. Raymond, the Rector of St. Paul's Church, Charlottetown.

Montreal Fur Auction Proves Island Superiority

Mr. Chester W. McLure, who returned last week from Montreal where he attended the Canadian fur auction, declares that it was quite evident that the better quality skins, which fetched the big prices, were the product of P. E. Island.

A Building Boom Needed

The building boom that is spreading through Canada this year is based on the fact that building expenses are as low now as they will be any time this year. The fact is the expert opinion of all manufacturers in the building world and covers every industry even remotely connected with the trade.

THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON, ETC

High tide this evening at 6:15 and tomorrow morning at 7:11. Sun sets this evening at 7:27 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:25. Full moon Saturday May 21st at 4:15 p. m.

Noozle the Sunshine Kid

I DO THIS ONCE IN A WHILE TO REST MY FEET

