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## MEMORIAL WORKSHOP OPENS IN MONTREAL

### An Institution to Provide Permanent Employment for Physically Disabled Soldiers. McGill College Building Secured for Purpose.

(Special to the Guardian)  
MONTREAL, Feb. 1.—On Monday will be launched the "Montreal Memorial Workshop" an institution to provide permanent employment for returned soldiers who have been physically disabled. The building in

which the operations will be carried on was formerly the college of pharmacy of McGill University and has been secured free for rent until May 1921. The various departments will include wood working in all its branches, shoe repairing and basket making etc.

## 70 Carpet Weavers Coming to Toronto From Old Country

(Special to the Guardian)  
TORONTO, Feb. 1.—In railway circles today it was learned that some 70 carpet weavers and their families would arrive in the city from the Old Land. It is understood that they have been brought out to Toronto by a West end firm.

## U. S. Tank Steamer Broke in Two, 23 Men Missing

(Special to the Guardian)  
NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The American tank steamer Mieler, from Matanzas, Cuba, January 23, for Philadelphia, broke in two and sank at sea, according to a wireless message received here today by the Canadian Customs Service. One boat with the chief officer and seventeen men has been picked up by the steamer Ozette and another boat with the captain and 22 men is still missing.

## MONS WILL CARE FOR CANADIAN GRAVES

### Association Formed Through Which Each Family Will Care for One Grave and Communicate to Next of Kin.

(Special to the Guardian)  
OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—Work has been received by the office of the overseas military forces of Canada from M. Guiteau, President of an association formed by the people of Mons to care for the graves of Allied soldiers. The Burmaster and inhabitants of the communes of the district of Mons are assisting the association. The

aim is to allot one grave to a family to be cared for and beautified by that family. Further, the family must endeavor to get into communication with the next of kin of the deceased soldier and inform them that they are in charge of his grave, and if the next of kin proposes to visit Belgium they will be the guests of the family in charge of the grave whilst there.

## LARGE FLOUR MILLS ARE CLOSING DOWN

### Owing to Freight Congestion at St. John, N. B., Where 20,000 Tons Flour Awaits Shipment.

(Special to the Guardian)  
MONTREAL, Feb. 1.—The large flour mills in Canada are closing down because of a congestion of freight in St. John. Recently the Canadian Wheat Board notified the millers to stop work on large con-

tracts given in December and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company informed them that no more flour could be accepted as freight for the present. It is understood that 20,000 tons of flour are awaiting shipment from St. John, N. B.

## GENERAL PERSHING ADVISES PREPAREDNESS

### Says United States May be Called Upon to Face a Great Enemy With No Allies to Hold Enemy in Check While Raising an Army.

(Special to the Guardian)  
PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 1.—General Pershing, last night at a dinner here, described his plan of preparedness. The General advocated a six months military course for all male students. "The time may

come," General Pershing said, "when the U. S. will be called to face a great enemy and when it will not have a trained army of allies to hold the enemy in check while the United States citizens learn the game of war."

## Proposal in Italy to Annul Childless Marriages

(Special to the Guardian)  
MILAN, Jan. 30.—The annulment of a marriage has been obtained here solely on the ground that it was childless. This decision is expected to be followed by numerous applications for annulment on similar grounds for there is no divorce in Italy.

## Quebec May Restrict Pulp Exportation

(Special to the Guardian)  
MONTREAL, Feb. 1.—Sir Lomer Gouin, premier of the province of Quebec, announced tonight, at the seventh annual banquet to members of the Canadian Pulp and Paper Association, held at the Ritz Carlton hotel here, the possibility of further restricting export of pulp and pulpwood from Quebec province, and stated the intention of placing an embargo on the pulp and pulpwood resources of the province of Quebec, so that the industry might not suffer. He stated the intention of the Provincial Government was to relax in no way the present policy of keeping Canadian raw materials for the use of Canadian mills. Premier Gouin reviewed what the provincial government had done to foster and encourage what he regarded as the finest natural resources of the Dominion of Canada, and urged those concerned to do their utmost in turn to exploit that resource for the benefit of the province of Quebec and of Canada at large.

## COUNTRY SUFFERING FROM EXTREMISTS, SAYS HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN

### Essential that the Moderate Man of Every Class Should Form a Party that Can Hold the Ship of State Steady and Steer It Safely.

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 30.—Hon. Arthur Meighen, Minister of the Interior, addressed the Canadian Club here tonight. He said that the Unionist Government had been charged with drifting. Only a short time ago, he said, the charge was that the government was traveling too fast. He reminded the gathering that only parliament could legislate and he said that the sole duty of a government between sessions was to conduct the public services.

Hon. Mr. Meighen said that this country was suffering from extremists and he considered it essential that the moderate men of every class should get together and form a party that could hold the ship of state steady and steer it safely. Class organization was all right, he said, but class organization for national control was another thing. Hon. Mr. Meighen emphasized the need of workers to produce the goods that the world needed, the selling of those things in the best markets and the saving of as large a proportion as possible of the money paid for them.

## Harvard Club Members Half Baked Idealists

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 31.—The deportation of ignorant or misinformed aliens as a solution of the problem of social unrest was ridiculed by John R. Rathon, editor of the Providence (R. I.) Journal, in an address before the City Club tonight. The real danger to the country he thought was in the influence of impractical idealists with their dreams of internationalism and of those "hyphenated" citizens who did not have an eye single to the best interests of the United States. Mr. Rathon attacked the Harvard Liberal Clubs, discussing the membership of which he said: "I make no charge of deliberate deception of men of this type. Simply say they are composed, for a large part, of half-baked idealists who know nothing of practical life, who play with words without understanding what they mean and who, whether most of them know it or not, are plowing the ground for whatever fruitful seed those who direct deliberate anarchy and confusion are awaiting to sow."

## P. E. I. Man Who Addressed The Canadian Club

Hon. Frederick J. MacLeod, formerly chairman of the Massachusetts committee on the International Club who addressed the Canadian Club last evening, although only fifty years of age, has had a distinguished career. Hon. Mr. MacLeod was born at Charlottetown the son of the late Hector MacLeod. He was educated at Prince of Wales college, Dalhousie University and Harvard. He was graduated from Dalhousie in 1890 and won his A. B. at Harvard in 1891 and A. M. in 1892. In 1899 Harvard conferred on him the honor of a doctor of laws. He was instructor at Mercerburg College in 1894 and 1895 and at the State University of Nebraska in 1895 and 1896. In 1899 he became an attorney at Boston. He was an expert agent in corporation law and taxation and a member of the United States industrial commission in 1899. He assisted in drafting the business corporation laws. In 1905 he was elected a member of the Massachusetts state senate as a Democrat. He was also chairman of the Democratic state committee. He is a member of the Harvard Union and has been vice-president of the Victorian Club, Boston; president of the Canadian Club of Harvard; president of the Canadian Club of Boston and president of the International Club, a Boston organization of former maritime provincialists. He is an author and authority on corporation laws and public utilities. He was formerly chairman of the Massachusetts railroad commission.—St. John Telegraph.

## Supreme Court

The case of Frizzell vs Tremere which came up before the Supreme Court on Thursday was resumed again this morning before Mr. Justice Hazard.

## Flu in Toronto is Not Of a Virulent Type

TORONTO, Jan. 31.—One hundred cases of influenza have been reported in Toronto, according to Dr. J. O. Hastings, medical officer of health, and ten deaths have occurred here from this disease. So far the influenza in this city is not of a virulent type.

## Stealing From The Farmers in Ontario Centres

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—Wholesale robberies from farmers in the different townships in Carleton whereby large quantities of poultry, horse and cattle feed and even machinery which have taken place very frequently of late have culminated in even cattle being taken away "on the hoof."

## Betrayer of Edith Carvell Gets Off With 20 Years

PARIS, Jan. 30.—Georges Gaston Quien, who was sentenced last September to die for the betrayal of Edith Carvell to the Germans and whose case was appealed by his counsel was today sentenced to twenty years imprisonment for intelligence with the enemy. The money was his betrayal of Miss Carvell, was given up at his second trial.

## Million Dollars Paid To Ex-Soldiers Out of Work

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—In the neighborhood of one million dollars has been paid to ex-soldiers out of work since the opening of the Federal Emergency Fund, as announced this morning. Returns from all Canadian centres are not yet complete but the estimate includes the cost of administration as well as the unemployment amounts paid to the men.

## Westminster Presbyterian Church Toronto, Burned

TORONTO, Jan. 30.—Westminster Presbyterian Church, Bloor Street East, this city, was destroyed by fire shortly after six o'clock this evening. The men of the church were holding a banquet in the building in connection with the Inter-Church Forward Movement and ladies of the church were sitting on them, when the small of smoke disturbed the gathering.

## MARRIED MOVIE STAR AND REPENTED FEW MONTHS LATER

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Captain Francis C. Badgley, Canadian war hero, who married June Elvidge, the actress in November, 1918, when he was attached to the British mission here, was granted an absolute divorce today. Justice Pendleton signed an interlocutory decree to be made final in three months.

## GOMPERS STRONGLY DENOUNCES REDS

WASHINGTON, January 31.—Writing in the current number of the Federationist official organ of the American Federation of Labor, Samuel Gompers, condemns Bolshevism "completely, finally and for all time."

## CELEBRATE FOUNDED LEAGUE OF NATIONS

PARIS, Jan. 31.—A public celebration of the organization of the league of nations was held today in the Sorbonne, presided over by President Poincaré. Paul Deschanel, the president-elect, Leon Bourgeois, Albert Thomas, former Premier, Ribot and Andre Honorat, minister of public instruction, occupied places of honor.

## WAVES FROM OTHER PLANETS QUITE POSSIBLE

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## PROTECTION OF LOBSTER INDUSTRY

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—Mr. Andrew Halkett, naturalist of the fisheries branch, Department of Naval Service has left for the Maritime Provinces to continue the educational campaign carried on during the past two summers for the greater protection of the lobster industry. He will deliver lectures at various points, beginning at Halifax, and he will spend the major part of the summer in the East.

## THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON ETC.

The cold weather remains unbroken. On Friday night the official mercury registered 16 below zero, and on Saturday morning it was very keenly felt. At 9 o'clock Saturday morning the mercury registered the same. Saturday night was also very cold; register 13 below but there was no wind. At 9 o'clock Sunday morning it was 9 below, and at noon 4 below which was the highest during the day. At 10 o'clock last night it was 9 below.

## BRITISH LORDS DEMAND FIFTY CENT DINNERS

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The House of Lords, annoyed over the high prices in restaurants has requested the kitchen committee of the House of Commons to cater for the dining the coming season at the flat rate of 50 cents per dinner, a service which has been given the commons for two years.

## AMHERST WON CHAMPIONSHIP

AMHERST, Jan. 30.—The Amherst Ramblers won the championship of the Eastern Hockey League by defeating the Moncton Victorias tonight, nine to four, the game was Amherst's from start to finish. The Ramblers keenly indicating a marked superiority over the visiting team. The game was clean and comparatively free from penalties. Frank Brown of Moncton handled the game in a manner eminently satisfactory to both teams, long rushes and scores were the feature of the game. Will Stewart, the big local defence man scored four of the tallies by individual rushes. Lester Lowther, Geo. Stewart and Heck Grimley were the other scoring Amherstians.

## CONDENSED SPECIALS!

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## PORPOISES WRECK HAVOC IN SARDINE FISHERIES

BREST, Jan. 30.—Such havoc has been wrought in the Sardine fisheries off the coast of Brittany by shoals of porpoises that the fishermen have appealed to the French Ministry of Marine for relief.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

\*DON'T FORGET the entertainment and social in Afton Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 4th. 6696.

## SWITZERLAND ASKS FOR NEUTRALITY

(Special to the Guardian)  
BERNE, Feb. 1.—The Swiss Government, has addressed a note to the league of nations asking that the question of Swiss neutrality be the first dealt with at the meeting of the council of the league in London February 22.

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## RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA IN THE UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The Russian Soviet Government succeeded in transmitting \$150,000, to its ambassador in the United States. The money was sent by couriers, ten of whom reached Washington and another ten were intercepted in Finland or Germany. Some of the latter were shot. This statement was made today by Ludwig and Martens, Bolshevik ambassador to the U. S., before the senate committee investigating Bolsheviki propaganda in the United States.

## FUNCTION OF THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

The services that may be performed by the agricultural colleges in Canada, in the upbuilding of a rural life, as viewed by the president of these institutions, were graphically outlined in the January number of The Agricultural Gazette of Canada, published by the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa.

## BRITAIN'S DEBT IS £7,048,000,000

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## ANOTHER NEW STAR DISCOVERED

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 29.—The discovery of another new star was announced last night by the Harvard College observatory, the new being discovered in the course of examination of plates taken two years ago. The position was right ascension 16 hours 48 minutes 24 seconds; declination, minutes 29 degrees, 27.3 minutes (1900.)

## STRIKE IN INDIA

BOMBAY, Jan. 31.—Five thousand dock yard workers here have struck for an increase in wages.

## SUMMERSIDE PIONEER SCORES ATTORNEY GENERAL

Because of Delays in Ellis Case. If Attorney General's Services are Needed Elsewhere Why Not Delegate His Function as Crown Prosecutor to Other Counsel Asks the Pioneer.

(Summerside Pioneer, Jan. 31.)  
"The wheels of justice grind slowly but they grind exceedingly small" is an axiom which may be applied to the Ellis case when there should not be any occasion. Since Corbett Ellis first appeared before Mr. Alex Campbell, J. P., on January 9th, charged with the murder of his wife there have been adjournments involving twenty-one days. In that time the court sat only a day and a half for the taking of evidence, eight witnesses being examined. It appears now that the case will not be resumed until Monday, Feb. 2nd.

The reason announced for these frequent adjournments was the engagement of the attorney-general at the Supreme Court in Charlottetown. This seems hardly sufficient excuse for keeping the accused man in custody under the suspense occasioned by the most terrible charge in the criminal code; for keeping immediate relatives in the greatest anxiety; the remaining witnesses in a most unenviable frame of mind; and lastly the public in a state of impatience to have the affair cleared up, the accused committed for trial or else released. If any other reason had been submitted; that the Crown required more time for consideration, the production of additional evidence, or that new aspects required enquiry, it would be generally understood and appreciated.