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## 20 PERSONS WERE EXECUTED IN MOSCOW

Among Those Put to Death Was Capt. Riley, An Englishman, Alleged To Have Been Traveling at the Expense of the British Govt.

(Special to The Guardian) MOSCOW, June 10.—Twenty month white guards and spies alleged to have been in the pay of British intelligence services including Great Britain have been executed. M. Menjinski, chief of the Soviet police, announced today that 20 persons were executed. Menjinski alleged that some of those executed attempted to take the lives of four Soviet government leaders including Tchitcherine, foreign minister, Rykov, president of the Union Council of Peoples Commissaries, M. S. Stalin and Bukharin.

The Englishman, Capt. Sidney George Riley, alleged to have been spy, another man George Elvenberg, who was also executed, attempted to kill Tchitcherine and others upon their return from Geneva, the police chief said. He alleged that they were travelling at the expense of the British government. LONDON, June 10.—British officials were shocked today by the announcement in Moscow of the execution of 20 persons charged with anti-Soviet activities and furnishing information to the British diplomatic service in Moscow. The diplomatic service in Moscow, The mission returned to London last night.

## Helen Willis In Record Victory

(By British United Press) LONDON, June 10.—Helen Willis' 6-0, 6-0 victory over "Billie" Tapscott, of South Africa, in 18 minutes by the clock in the Kent County Lawn tennis championships today is heralded as a performance surpassing anything that Suzanne Lenglen, France's famous star, ever achieved.

## Actress Branded With Letter "K"

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., June 10.—Helen marked with seven scarlet "K's," carved with a razor blade, Doris Dore, 21-year-old actress, of New York city, was found in her apartment here today in a hysterical condition.

## Prince Will Spend 3 Days In Quebec

QUEBEC, June 10.—His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, when he visits Canada at the end of next month, will spend some three days in Quebec City. Plans for the visit of the Prince and Premier Stanley Baldwin to the Dominion on the occasion of the diamond jubilee of Confederation have been discussed in Ottawa during the past few days and it is tentatively arranged that these two distinguished visitors of the Empire, when they arrive in Canada on July 29, will stay in the Ancient Capital for three days before leaving for Montreal and Ottawa and other cities of the Dominion on the 31st.

## Funeral Notice

All members of K. of C. please meet at the "Home" Sunday afternoon at two o'clock to attend funeral of our late Bro. Jas. J. McKinnon. E. J. H. MORRISSEY, Rec. Sec. "Ordinary Dress." 7018

## By-Election Won By Conservative

(Special to The Guardian) VERNON, B. C., June 10.—Election of W. F. Kennedy, Conservative representative in the British Columbia legislature for North Okanagan riding over Dr. K. C. MacDonald, Liberal in the by-election here Thursday was considered almost certain here last night when returns showed that 15 of the 23 polls gave him a majority of 301. The seat was formerly held by the late A. O. Cochrane, Conservative.

## Shooting Of Foxes Prohibited

(Canadian Press) QUEBEC, Que., June 10.—Because the supply of foxes on Magdalen Islands is almost exhausted an order in council signed by the Lieut. Governor forbids the shooting of these animals for a period of five years. For some time there has been concern among the islanders on the scarcity of the foxes and the municipal authorities some time ago passed a resolution urging that the government be asked to prohibit the shooting of foxes on the island.

## Boy Scouts For Diamond Jubilee Parade

Mr. J. A. Barrie of Fredericton, N. B., Field Commissioner of the Boy Scout Association of Canada, is at present in Charlottetown reorganizing the Boy Scout troops and making preparation for the Scouts participation in Diamond Jubilee Celebration. It is being arranged that the Scouts will take part in the Jubilee Parade and will also place wreaths on the graves of the Fathers of Confederation, six of which are in Cemeteries in the vicinity of Charlottetown. They are as follows: Hon. Andrew Archibald Macdonald, Hon. Edward Whelan in St. Dunstan's Cemetery; Hon. George Coles, Hon. Thomas Heath Haviland in St. Peter's Cemetery, Charlottetown; Hon. Edward Palmer and Hon. John Hamilton Gray in Sherwood Cemetery, Hon. William Henry Pope in St. Eleanors Cemetery, St. Eleanors.

A meeting of the Boy Scouts was held last night in the League of the Cross Hall and arrangements made by Mr. Barrie for a reorganization meeting to be held next Friday night. Several games were enjoyed by the boys and an informative lecture was given by Mr. Barrie which the boys all appreciated.

## Condensed Specials

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## Packing House Merger Announced

(Special to The Guardian) TORONTO, Ont., June 10.—The daily expected announcement of a packing house merger was made yesterday by J. S. McLean of the Harris Abattoir Co., who will be president of the new combination, the Harris Abattoir Company, Guano, Ltd., the Canadian Packing Co., and William Davies Company. The new holding company will be called Canada Packers Ltd., and the capitalization will be preferred stock authorized \$10,111,111 to be issued about \$8,750,000 common stock, \$200,000 of no par value. The preferred and common stock will be issued in exchange for the securities of the holding company. No securities of the holding company will be offered to the public at the present time.

## Migration Figures Show Big Increase

LONDON, June 10.—Statistics of migration within the Empire for last year show substantial increases, according to the annual report of the Oversea Settlement Committee. The report marks the close of the first five years' administration of the Empire Settlement Act. Summarized the results of a year's work are: Net emigration, that is, balance of departures over arrivals, from Great Britain to all countries during 1926 was 115,538, compared with 81,259 in 1925.

Net Empire migration grew from 62,886 in 1925 to 93,227, and of this number 66,103 settlers received assistance under the Empire Settlement Act, as against 39,559 in 1925, an increase of about 67 per cent. The geographical distribution of assisted settlers was as follows:

Australia	22,527	32,732
Canada	8,809	21,314
New Zealand	8,997	11,795
South Africa	125	232
	39,559	66,103

The total of 66,103 for 1926 comprises 21,436 men, 18,668 women, and 25,999 children.

## Political Meeting At Canoe Cove

There was an over-flowing audience at the hall at Canoe Cove on Thursday night, where the candidates discussed the questions of the day. Mr. Allen Livingstone presided. The first speaker, Mr. B. LePage, received a good hearing and discussed at considerable length the various questions, charging the government with extravagance and incompetence and alleged that if the liberals were in power they would enforce the act.

Mr. J. H. Buntain followed and had a splendid reception. He reviewed the record of the Stewart Government and effectively answered Mr. LePage's charges. The latter however continually interrupted the speaker until members of the audience shouted to him to keep his seat. Mr. Buntain dealt very effectively with the temperate question and showed how essential it was to have a law that the people respected and which could be enforced.

He ridiculed the propaganda of the Liberals who claimed there would be a tin shop at every settlement, and pointed out that under Government Control the authorities would be in a position to regulate the drink traffic in a way that was impossible under the Prohibition Law. He said the consensus of opinion of those who had the best interests of the people at heart and who were not merely political prohibitionists was in favor of the proposed change. He was a life-long abstainer and he knew the evils of the drink traffic. He was sorry to say, however, that the hopes he had cherished for an improvement under prohibition had not been realized. In common with many other abstainers he had come to the conclusion that something means should be tried to grapple with the evils and he was behind Premier Stewart in his courageous endeavor to deal with the matter by his measure of improved temperance. Mr. Buntain sat down amidst hearty applause.

Mr. McPhee followed and expressed his regret that he was not better prepared to deliver an address. He had come away without some of his papers and manuscripts and so he would have to be content with endorsing Mr. LePage's remarks. He then dealt with the Temperance Question and expressed his belief that Prohibition could be made effective if the Liberals were returned.

## ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING AT IRISHTOWN HALL

### Government Candidates Get Great Reception.

That the past financial record and proposed legislation in regard to controlling the sale of spirituous liquor is popular in the Irishtown and Long River districts, was evidenced in no small degree at the first joint meeting of the district campaign held at Irishtown hall on Thursday night, June 9th. Both the government candidates, Messrs. Murdoch Kennedy and Walter McKenzie made most favorable impressions. Mr. Kennedy, the dean of the P. E. I. legislature, was never in better form; his sincere and straightforward statements not only pleased his old time friends and supporters, but evangelized many who are generally passive and apathetic in matters affecting the welfare of the people. After the usual felicitations, Mr. Kennedy reviewed the financial standing under the present and past administration to the very evident disparagement of the latter. He gave a review of the ways and means adopted by Premier Stewart and his colleagues in securing \$165,000 extra yearly Dominion subsidy for P. E. Island, and remarked incidentally that it was a strange coincidence that anything worth while in matters of subsidies under conservative administrations, Mr. Kennedy also referred to the very considerable reduction in taxation made by the Stewart administration viz., abolition of poll tax (\$100,000 approx.) reduction of 20 per cent. reduction in land tax and reduction in income tax—with a promise of further reduction in taxes.

On the matter of the disposition of spirituous liquors the speaker exhorted his audience to put their trust in a sane and sensible liquor law sponsored by legislators who have a reputation for carrying out their promises—deal with the evil best, as it is known to exist among us, under prohibitory liquor laws for a great number of years—rather than be led astray by the protagonists of the "ghost," prohibition, who in their zeal for a discredited law, conjure up all sorts of hypothetical premises and surmises of what will happen under government control—propositions childish in their absurdity.

He also reminded his hearers of the favorable disposition of the late Liberal administration to the liquor interests, instancing the granting of import and export licenses to three houses in Charlottetown at \$5,000 per year. The personnel of the opposition is practically the same as the government which granted those licenses.

Mr. Peter Sinclair, the Liberal candidate for assemblyman followed. This was Mr. Sinclair's initial bow to a political audience. He presented a good "case" for the opposition considering the material he had to work with. He was well fortified with blue books and newspaper clippings. Mr. Sinclair made an appeal to the electorate on the principle that it would be better to have our provincial Government "in line" with the federal government. He made a not over-zealous effort to defend our prohibitory liquor law. The next speaker Mr. Walter McKenzie, government candidate for councillor also made his debut as a political speaker. His fine appearance and nicely modulated tone of voice, made him an instant favorite with his audience. In reviewing the political situation he showed a good knowledge of affairs relating to the government of this province—past and present—has a proper medium of resourcefulness and self assurance in debate at close quarters. Mr. McKenzie will make a first class representative.

Mr. Stewart, Liberal nominee for councillor was the next speaker. Mr. Stewart's home is in the southern end of the district, and he seemed to be rather out of his element in the north. His ideas and his vocal apparatus did not coordinate, hence his address was short. Mr. Kennedy's ten minute reply to the finish was a "classic." He was thoroughly aroused by some indiscreet statements made by Mr. Sinclair in his address, which the Honourable Murdoch refuted in no uncertain terms amid loud continued and vociferous applause.

In acknowledging a vote of thanks moved by Mr. McKenzie and seconded by Mr. Sinclair, the chairman, Mr. Michael Ready complimented the audience for its close attention and epitomized its feelings when he said "I'm particularly pleased with the addresses of the young candidates, and best of all with the 'old war horse'."

## LONDON SKYLINE BROKEN BY BUILDINGS GOING UP

LONDON, June 10.—A prominent feature in the city today is the builders' crane. Almost everywhere the skyline is broken by the rising of some new building. This building of the city began in earnest about the year 1910, although there had been big development in Moor-Fields, around Finsbury-circus, shortly before.

The principal building under reconstruction is, of course, the Bank of England. The greater part of the interior has been demolished and a quarter of the foundations of the new structure are already in. Opposite, across the front of the Royal Exchange, a large area has been cleared for the erection of a building with frontages to Cornhill and Lombard-street for Lloyd's Bank. Nearby in Poultry the fine headquarters of the Midland Bank are in an advanced state.

In Bishopsgate the entrance to St. Helen's place is now marked by a huge building for the Hudson's Bay Company. It is one of the outstanding new buildings of the city, the archway being, according to an expert, the finest in London next to the Admiralty Arch. On the other side of the road Hambro's Bank in red brick with stone dressings is a notable addition to city architecture.

## Government To Do The Selecting

(Special to The Guardian) TORONTO, June 10.—The Dominion government is taking over the selection and examination of immigrants coming to Canada. This was the effect of a statement made last night by Hon. Peter Heenan, Minister of Labor, when queried in regard to the subject in connection with which some complaint has been made about the newcomers taking up their abode in cities rather than going on the land. The government, said Mr. Heenan, felt that some drastic restrictions should be put upon immigrants from European points and that they could handle them probably better by their own immigration officers than the railway companies, so, he added, we are taking the selection and examination of the immigrants out of the hands of the railroads for the present.

## King Ferdinand's Condition Critical

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, June 9.—Reuters correspondent at Bucharest telegraphs that the condition of King Ferdinand of Rumania is so critical that fatal termination of the illness appears only a question of days. The King is 61 years old.

## Lord Beatty May Be Chief Delegate

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, June 10.—That Lord Beatty may at the eleventh hour be chosen as Britain's chief delegate to the Coolidge Conference at Geneva is now rumored. It is argued that the United States and Japan will both be represented by a galaxy of naval experts.

## Good To Be A Germ

(By British United Press) LONDON, June 10.—A walk through gardens heavy with the scent of flowers led courageous visitors the other day to the new Germ Home of Hither Green, officially known as the Research and Pathological Laboratories of the Metropolitan Asylums Board which were opened recently.

The germs have already been made to feel thoroughly at home and are so much at ease that they have introduced into their manor millions of sons and daughters or whatever form infants are called. Numerous assistants were attending to their every need and watching them with the tenderest care. They were being incubated, dyed, and generally molly-coddled.

They were placed gently into test-tubes on bottles of the chemists' not the housewife's composition—corked with coloured cotton-wool, and pulp into a cupboard the exact temperature of the human body, where they were left to grow. They were dyed in many bright colours, because the germ is a particular little fellow and will only eat what he thinks he will. His fastidiousness is largely his undoing, because it is by what he eats that the doctor knows him.

The prettiest was perhaps a royal blue germ, with spidery legs. "That," said a proud assistant, "is diphtheria, and although it looks as large as a money spider through the microscope it is actually only twenty-five-thousandth of an inch in diameter." "There are millions and millions of germs in this room," went on the cheery young man, picking up a glass plate on which were thousands of black dots. "Each of these dots," he continued, "is a colony of thousands of germs. These are typhoid."

One visitor at least took it like a man and casually asked whether germs crawled. "Oh, yes, some of them do," said the assistant, and made the uncalled for observation: "There are hundreds of germs in your throat, you know." He continued to pick up plates and tubes of germs, and was nearly obliging enough to drop one just to show how he would deal with the scattered germs.

## All Contracts Will Be Carried Out

(Canadian Press) MONTREAL, Que., June 10.—L. F. Gorus, Soviet Trade representative in Montreal, stated today that according to instructions from Moscow all contracts concluded here before the break of relations between Soviet Russia and Canada would be carried out. He also thought it quite possible that the order for 4,000 horses, which was reported cancelled would be accepted.

## 5,000 Mile Flight To Be Undertaken

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, June 9.—Another British effort to establish a nonstop airplane record says the Daily Mail probably will be made next week. The plane to be used as described by the paper will carry enough gasoline for about 4,500 miles. The flight will be to Asia and it is hoped not only to make greater distance than that covered by Chamberlin and Levine in their New York-Germany flight but if the wind is helpful to fly nearly 5,000 miles.

## Pigeons Won Novel Race

LONDON, June 9.—Brigadier General Christopher R. F. Brooks, Conservative M. P. for the Pontefract division of the West Riding of Yorkshire, engaged in a novel race yesterday against homing pigeons. The distance covered was 172 miles and the birds won.

Brigadier General Brooke himself liberated the pigeons outside of the House of Commons. He then took a taxi-cab to Kings Cross and from there travelled by railway train to Wakefield and from Wakefield went in a motor car to Pontefract. The pigeons won the race by exactly one minute. The first pigeon, which had been liberated at 10.25 a. m., arrived at Pontefract at 9.47 p. m.

## Miss Willis Wins First Important Match In England

STAMFORD HILL, Eng., June 9.—Helen Willis won the North London women's tennis championship today, defeating Elizabeth Ryan, also of California, 6-2, 6-2. The tournament was the first for Miss Willis in England this season.

Later Miss Ryan came back and won the doubles championship with Mrs. Lambert-Chambers, the English veteran. They defeated Mrs. Deamish and Miss V. Valentine, 6-4 and 6-2.

## Drinking Horn Will Be Given Chamberlin

VIENNA, June 10.—The brewers of Pilsen, not to be outdone by those of Berlin and appreciative of Clarence D. Chamberlin's choice of Pilsener beer, have decided to present him with a silver drinking horn when he arrives in Prague, Czechoslovakia, June 16th.

They also will name a brand of beer in his honor if the American flight hero will permit it.

ANNOUNCEMENTS  
Reserve Wednesday, August 17th for the Mammoth tea party at St. Peter's. 6046-6-9-31  
Hope River Tea party, Saturday, July 16th 5812-6-28-art if  
Inquire Re Chron. Diseases 112 Prince Street, Dr. Giff. Don't delay, recovery in next three months. 6063-4-1 Sept. 8  
Coming—Kingsboro Hall, Monday, June thirteenth, big show. 6013 6 10 21  
Mount Herbert Shipping Club will load hogs Tuesday afternoon, June 14th. Hogs must be listed with secretary at once. Earl Innes Sec'y. 6037, 6 9-31  
Come and see the show at Comedy Drama "Cyrano de Bergerac" St. Peter's Pantomime Club in C. G. Hall, Monday Evening, June 13. 6029-10-1-3  
Grand Musical Concert by Charlottetown's best talent—Masonic Hall—Hunter River, June 28th, 6007-4-Wed Sat

## DISCUSSES THE WAR DEBTS SITUATION

### Mr. Justice Knowles Queries Why United States Should be Free From Post-War Burdens.

(Canadian Press) WINNIPEG, Man., June 10.—"Is it right that the people of the world should for seventy years be under the handicap to pay tribute to the United States?" asked Hon. W. E. Knowles, K. C., of the Court of King's Bench, Sask., speaking on "Law and Moral Ethics" at a Manitoba Bar Association banquet here last night.

Mr. Justice Knowles declared that if a thing was not right it should be removed, and after reviewing the war debts situation, he pleaded for a world organization under which the ethical rights between nation and nation might be upheld as between individual and individual.

Mr. Knowles said he did not wish to speak unkindly of the United States whose people would no doubt settle the question themselves, but he asked why the United States alone should be free from post war burdens while other nations were pauperized.

Growing out of the League of Nations, Mr. Knowles saw a world government that would maintain the ethical rights of the nations as they were now upheld in the British Empire.

## Canadian Wheelmen Are Neutral

OTTAWA, June 10.—The Canadian Wheelmen's Association, the governing body for the bicycle sport in Canada for the past 45 years, has decided to maintain a neutral position in the Maritime Provinces, although it is officially affiliated with the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada.

With this in mind, the executive committee of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association has appointed Carl Hawn, 150 Cameron Street, Moncton, N. B., as the district chairman for the Maritime Provinces of the association. This is the first time in years that the C. W. A. has a direct representative in the Maritimes.

Chairman Hawn has been authorized to issue sanctions for road and track bicycle races and to issue amateur cards to racing cyclists. These are known as riding licenses and they are recognized by the A. A. U. C.

## Canadian Plan Urged

RECOMMENDED TO N. J. BAR ASSOCIATION AS LIQUOR SOLUTION  
ATLANTIC CITY, June 10.—Adoption of the Canadian plan of Government control in liquor distribution was urged as a solution of the prohibition problem in this country by William T. Read, of Camden, retiring president, in his address before the annual meeting of the New Jersey Bar Association here today. He also advocated a curb on law-making.

## The Weather, Etc.

THE BIGGER THE MAN THE LESS HE HAS TO SAY WHEN INTERVIEWED



Toronto clear ..... 78-56  
Montreal cloudy ..... 76-60  
Quebec rain ..... 72-48  
Charlottetown fair ..... 60-46  
Halifax cloudy ..... 74-52  
St. John cloudy ..... 76-52  
Boston, fair ..... 84-68  
New York clear ..... 82-66  
(High tide this morning at 7.44 and tonight at 8.39.)  
Sun sets this evening at 7.51, and rises tomorrow morning at 4.08.  
Full moon Wednesday, June 15th 6.55 a.m.