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DEPLORABLE ACCIDENT AT KENSINGTON STATION

Percy Power, of Sea View, Had Both Legs Severed by Moving Train. Was Taken to Prince County Hospital. His Condition Very Critical.

A deplorable accident occurred last night at Kensington, by which a young man, Percy Power, aged 19, of Sea View, had both legs severed. The young man and a companion were walking along the station platform, near the edge, as the special train from Summerside was pulling in. It seems that another young man walked in between Power and his companion, accidentally pushing the former against the moving train. He was knocked down by the moving car, fell between the train and the platform and the wheels of at least one car passed over his legs below the knees, completely severing one and crushing the other so that it hung only by a portion of the skin.

SECOND DAY OF PRINCE COUNTY EXHIBITION

The second day of Prince County Exhibition was attended by an immense crowd, upwards of 4,000 persons passing through the gates during the day. The formal opening took place at noon by His Honour Lieut. Governor McDonald. The President, Mr. McArthur, presided and in a few well chosen words introduced His Honour. Governor McDonald in a short address congratulated the County and the management on the grand showing in every department of the Exhibition, which he formally declared open. Short addresses were also made by His Worship Mayor Jardine who on behalf of the town welcomed the citizens, and Hons. Murdoch McKinnon, Jas. A. McNeill, Senator Murphy and others.

Table with horse names and race results: FREE-FOR-ALL (Purse \$200), 240 CLASS TROT AND PACE (Purse \$100), 3-YEAR OLD TROT AND PACE (Purse \$100)

CONDENSED ADS. TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

ONE CENT per word each insertion for advertising in this column. Cash must accompany orders. Minimum charges 25 cents. SAUNBONE SAUSAGES MADE fresh every day from selected young pork. Saunders, Newsome & Co., Market Building. 2248-9-25M6mos.

Harbour Improvements Darnley and Malpeque

The Dredge, Pownal, No. 11 left here on the morning of the 4th inst. for Rustico, in tow of the tug "Island." This dredge has been operating at Darnley Basin and in this harbor all the summer of 1915 and this season a cut of over half a mile was put through at Darnley from the Basin to the bridge. This enables fishing boats to get right up to the bridge and in to the deep water above the bridge. This work is of incalculable value to the fishermen of this locality of which there are a large number. At Malpeque, the approach to Keir's wharf has been deepened and straightened so that vessels drawing up to fifteen feet can enter and leave at any ordinary tide. No doubt these improvements will be greatly appreciated by the farmers and fishermen of this thriving district who have to depend so much on the condition of the harbour to do their trading, in importing coal, lumber and other commodities as well as the exporting of the products of the farm and fisheries.

IS GERMANY ABOUT TO SUE FOR PEACE?

Reported Authoritatively that U. S. Ambassador Gerard, Now Returning from Berlin, Will Ask President Wilson to Sue for Peace at Instigation of German Officials.

(Special to the Guardian.) NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—The New York Evening Post today publishes a story to the effect that it has been learned from a trust worthy source that Ambassador James W. Gerard, now on his way back from Germany will lay before President Wilson a request that the President use his good offices in suing for peace with the Allies. Gerard has definitely decided to apply to President Wilson, the article says to use his good influences in suing for peace with the Allies. This was learned today from sources in a position to have absolutely trustworthy information on these matters. It is understood that Ambassador Gerard who is on his way over here will lay the Kaiser's request before President Wilson within a week. It is a fact, however positively it may be denied officially, that the possibility of President Wilson acting as mediator has been discussed by German officials with Gerard. It is therefore by no means surprising that reports now take a definite shape in connection with Gerard's trip to this country. As to the high cost of living, the minister for the Government to control and regulate the nationalization of shell manufacturing. He said it was too late for the Government to control munition shops as word had been received from the British government that not many more shells would be required. Contracts in Canada would extend to 1917 and it is doubtful if any more would be let. The Russian government might award contracts.

Russians Making Violent Attacks

(Canadian Press Despatch) LONDON, Oct. 6.—The Russian attacks on the eastern front are more violent than any known since the start of the war, according to a Copenhagen despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, quoting the Eastern correspondent of the Berlin Lokai Anzeiger. The despatch states that near Karytruca and Zubulin, Russian Infantry have attacked German lines for the last thirty-six hours without cessation. This assault was on a front of fifty kilometers, and the cannonade continued all night. German officers who participated in the battle on the western front, are quoted as saying that the Russian bombardment was now nearly as violent as that on the Somme. "The Russians are using thousands of cannon, and in a few days the Germans fired sixty thousand shells on a very small front."

NO PEACE TALK FROM NEUTRALS

Holland Warned That Any More Peace Talk Would Be Regarded as Pro-German

(Special to the Guardian.) NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—A News Agency report published today from Rome says, the Entente Allies have informed the Dutch Government that any move towards peace on the part of Holland would be regarded as a pro-German act, it is learned here today. Exactly when this information was sent to the Hague is not known. The fact of such action being taken was disclosed in a discussion of Lloyd George's interview warning neutrals not to intervene at this time. Well informed circles here, say allies are reconciled to the probability that the war will last at least three years more.

No Conscription Will be Introduced

(Special to the Guardian.) OTTAWA, Oct. 6.—There will be no conscription in Canada but a system of registration to distinguish shirkers from workers will be adopted by the government, according to Hon. Robt. Rogers, acting Prime Minister, in reply to the Executive Council of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, which waited on him today and presented a resolution passed at the recent session in Toronto. As to the high cost of living, the minister announced that he would approve a scheme whereby the same method that had been adopted to regulate profits on munitions would be used to control food prices. An interesting statement was made by minister re the nationalization of shell manufacturing. He said it was too late for the Government to control munition shops as word had been received from the British government that not many more shells would be required. Contracts in Canada would extend to 1917 and it is doubtful if any more would be let. The Russian government might award contracts.

Russians Drving Back the Turks

(Special to the Guardian.) PETROGRAD, Oct. 6.—The Russian offensive against the Turks is being successfully pushed, it is announced by the war office today. The Turks are being forced back in the region of Karshub River, 40 miles south west of Trebizond.

Steel for New Quebec Bridge Span

Rush Orders Have Been Placed in Pittsburgh. (Canadian Press Despatch) Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 6.—Rush orders have just been placed here for steel to complete a new span in the Quebec bridge to replace the one which recently fell into the St. Lawrence river. It became known today. The Dominion Bridge Company has placed a contract with the American Bridge Company to fabricate the new span and the Carnegie Steel Company will beam 5,000 tons of steel shapes and beams at its homestead plant.

INSTITUTE WORK

MEADOWBANK. The regular meeting of the Meadowbank Women's Institute was held on Sept. 20th, at 3 p.m., in the school house. The attendance was good. The roll call was responded to by a quotation from well known poets. The regular business of the meeting was transacted after which Miss Gordon gave a demonstration in "Flower-Making." At the November meeting of the Institute the school children will be present and will give a demonstration in physical drill.

HARRINGTON-WINSLOW

The regular meeting of the Alexandra Institute was held on Sept. 18, 3 p.m., at the home of the Secretary, Miss Rebecca Stewart. After the regular business of the institute had been taken up, Miss Gordon gave a demonstration in Stencilling. The institute has been very active in Red Cross work, and all the members do their share in knitting for the soldiers. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Cephas Nunn's, when a demonstration in Salads will be given by the Supervisor.

MAPLE LEAF.

The Maple Leaf Institute held their regular meeting on Sept. 21st, 2:30 p.m., at Mrs. A. J. Linkletter's, Sherbrooke. There were 25 members present. The regular business was taken up, after which Miss Gordon gave a demonstration in Dry Cleaning. The Secretary of the institute sends reports of the institute meetings to the members who are unable to be present at the meeting. This is appreciated very much by the members, as they can keep in touch with the institute activities. Hospital shirts to be made up were distributed to the members, and they are also doing a great deal of knitting.

SPRINGFIELD.

The regular meeting of the Springfield Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. B. Haslam, Sept. 22, at 7:30. Miss MacFarlane was present and gave a demonstration in Candy Making. There were upwards of 45 present at this meeting. The institute is continuing knitting for the soldiers.

NEW LONDON.

The New London Institute met for their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Davi's on Sept. 20, 2:30 p.m.

GENERAL SIR SAM HUGHES RETURNS TO CANADA

During His Visit to England Was Made a Lieutenant-General of the British Army by His Majesty the King, an Honour Held by Only One Other Outside Britain.

(Special to the Guardian.) (Canadian Press Despatch.) HALIFAX, October 6.—Among recent arrivals in Canada from Great Britain was Lieutenant General Sir Sam Hughes, K. C. B., Colonel Murray, Major Basset, A. D. C., and Miss McAdam and Miss Creighton, General Hughes' secretaries. During his visit to England His Majesty King George at the unanimous request of Lloyd George, minister of war, Sir William Robertson, and the army council, has conferred the extraordinary honor on Sir Sam of making him Lieutenant-General of the British Army. This is only two steps from a British Field Marshal's baton, and is an honor enjoyed by only one other overseas soldier and statesman, viz. Louis Botha, the conquering Lion of South Africa! The King and the British war office could pay no greater tribute to Sir Sam's ability as soldier and administrator, nor express their confidence in him in any more marked and emphatic manner!

PRESBYTERY MEETING AT TRURO, N. S.

At Truro and within the Hall of the First Presbyterian Church there, on Wednesday the fourth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and sixteen, and at the hour of eleven ante meridian at which place and time the Presbytery was constituted by the moderator, Mr. J. M. McLeod, with whom were present Messrs D. Wright, E. Lockhart, J. Murchison, A. J. McNeill, M. D. McLeod, W. A. McQuarrie, H. J. Fraser, J. Greenlees, R. Davidson, J. R. McKay, John Gillis, Wm. McLeod, R. Murray, R. P. Murray, A. Sutherland, R. L. Coffin, and Dr. Fullerton, ministers; Messrs J. Beers, D. A. McLeod, M. R. McLeod, D. Barbour, George McIsaac, Angus McLean, Humphrey, E. C. Holm, R. Davidson, J. R. Coffin, and D. H. Murchison, elders. Rev. Dr. Fullerton was appointed Moderator. The Clerk reported that a call addressed to the Rev. J. H. Fraser of Summerside, from St. Andrew's Church, Truro, had been received from the Presbytery of Truro, that he had cited the session and congregation to appear for their interests at this meeting, and that Messrs, J. M. McLeod and Taylor were present as commissioners. The conduct of the clerk was approved and the Presbytery proceeded to issue the call. The extra minute of the Presbytery of Truro was read, after which Rev. W. P. Grant for the Presbytery of the pastoral charge of Gardigan, Messrs Frank Smith, Martin Dickie, W. R. Campbell, and Dr. Clarkin, for the congregation calling, and Messrs Jardine and Taylor for the congregation of Summerside. On motion the call was placed in the hands of Mr. Fraser who intimated his acceptance of the session, and Mr. Fraser was requested to await the instructions of the Presbytery of Truro. Mr. W. A. McQuarrie was appointed interim moderator of the session of Summerside and instructed to have the pulpit declared vacant immediately after Mr. Fraser's removal. The Clerk reported that owing to no information being on hand in respect to the reading of the citation in re the resignation of Mr. J. C. Pringle of the pastoral charge of Gardigan the resignation was laid on the table, he now reported that that citation had been duly served and moved that the resignation be accepted to take effect on and from this date, which motion was carried, and the pastorate vacated, and Mr. O. Wright appointed interim moderator of the session and to declare the pulpit vacant with as little delay as possible. The Clerk reported that he had received the resignation of Mr. John Gillis, of the pastoral charge of Wood Islands, that he had cited the session and congregation to appear for their interests. On motion the conduct of the Clerk was approved, Mr. Gillis persisted in his resignation and at his request it was resolved to accept the resignation and to dissolve the pastoral tie to take effect on and after this date. Mr. M. D. McLeod was appointed interim moderator of Wood Islands and to declare the pulpit vacant at an early date. On request of Mr. Gillis it was resolved to grant the request and further unanimously resolved to take the necessary steps to place him on the "Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund." On motion Mr. W. J. McLeod, licentiate, was appointed as ordained missionary to West and Clyde River for one year at a salary of (\$1000.00) one thousand dollars and the free use of the manse, of which sum the congregation shall pay (\$700.00) seven hundred dollars. The Presbytery agreed to apply to the Home Mission Board for a grant of (\$300.00) three hundred dollars. The Presbytery appointed the ordination and designation of Mr. W. J. McLeod to take place in the church at Clyde River on Wednesday the eleventh day of October instant, at the hour of half past two, afternoon, Dr. Fullerton, to preside

Y.M.C.A. Work Among the Soldiers

Mr. A. S. McAllister, National Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for the Maritime Provinces spent yesterday in the City in conference with the local Y. M. C. A. Secretary and other members with reference to the Older Boys' Conference which opens here on the 12th inst. Mr. McAllister leaves this morning for Summerside where he will speak in the churches tomorrow, telling the story of Y. M. C. A. work in connection with the army at home and overseas. A committee will be organized in Summerside to canvas the citizens for financial assistance in connection with this great work as is being done in all the towns in the Maritime Provinces. The work has grown so extensively during the past six months that the Association has now over four hundred men giving their spare time to the service among the troops. The work is fully appreciated by the boys away from home is abundantly evidenced in the frequent commendatory references in letters received from them. A Nova Scotia boy writing from the trenches last month to the Y. M. C. A. Secretary at Halifax, made the following statement: "I wrote you a few lines from Tidworth, England, and what I said about the Y. M. C. A. there has been more than confirmed during the last 17 months in France. For many months, the Y. M. C. A. has been to most of us here, the place where we live and move and have our being, and is like an oasis to the traveller in the desert. I have made the acquaintance of some Y. M. C. A. men whom I will hardly ever forget. It is the meeting place for everybody of all ranks. Certainly no Military Camp is complete without a Y. M. C. A."

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THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

TORONTO, Oct. 7.—Moderate fresh, north-westerly winds, fair and a little cooler. The coldest temperature recorded last night was 58 degrees above zero. At 9 a. m. it was 60 and at 9 p. m. 52. The highest temperature recorded yesterday was 71. The tide will be high this evening at 7:48; tomorrow at 8:36 and Monday at 9:19; it will be high tomorrow at 8:58 and Tuesday at 9:40. The sun sets this afternoon at 5:27 and Monday at 5:25; it rises tomorrow morning at 6:07, Monday at 6:08 and Tuesday at 6:09. The moon rises tonight at 3:43 and tomorrow at 4:02. The first quarter of the moon was on Wednesday, Oct. 4, at 7 a. m. The moon will be full on Wednesday, Oct. 11th at 3:02 a. m. The length of today will be eleven hours and twenty-two minutes, and of tomorrow eleven hours and nineteen minutes.

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