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Covers Prince Edward  
Island  
Like The Dew

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## THE C. N. RAILWAYS ARE A PAYING PROPOSITION

### Declared Mr. D. B. Hanna, Politics must not be Allowed to Interfere and his Orders Forbidding Employees to take part in Elections must Stand.

(Special to The Guardian)....  
ORILLIA, April 9.—"Every foot  
of the C. N. Railways is capable  
of successful operation," said Pres.  
D. B. Hanna in an address here  
last night. He said those who  
claimed Canada had too many  
railways did not know what they

## Grand Trunk Board Ended by Time Limit

MONTREAL, April 9.—After sitting  
for forty five days, the Grand  
Trunk board appointed by the  
Federal Government to fix the  
price to be paid for the railway  
company's stock in connection with  
the government acquisition of the  
road, adjourned today as the limit  
set for the duration of the enquiry  
had expired. During the meetings  
that have been held, the case for  
the Grand Trunk has been practically  
completed, but no evidence for  
the government has been submitted.  
Continuation of the hearing  
cannot be undertaken without formal  
authorization from Ottawa.

## LABOR GROUP TO CALL UPON NORRIS TO RESIGN

WINNIPEG, April 9.—The labor  
group in the Manitoba Legislature,  
through A. E. Smith, member for  
Brandon, will present on Tuesday  
next a motion calling upon Premier  
Norriss to vacate office and turn  
over the administration to a cabinet  
composed of representatives of  
the various groups in the order of  
their numerical representation in  
the House. Announcement to this  
effect was made today.

## MAID WANTED TO ASSIST IN HOUSEWORK. Apply 179 Kent St.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE  
second hand book case. Apply  
at Guardian office.

WANTED.—A MAID FOR GENERAL  
housework. Apply 29 Upper  
Prince Street.

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOM  
centrally located. Apply at  
Guardian office.

WANTED.—BOY TO WORK ON  
fox ranch. Apply J. B. Rom-  
bough, Mount Edward Road,  
Charlottetown. Phone 554.

CARRIAGE REPAIRING done  
promptly. Rubber tires put on  
wheels at Large & Sons, Great  
George Street.

WANTED A MAID FOR GENERAL  
housework. Apply 277 Rich-  
mond Street.

WANTED.—A MAID FOR GENERAL  
housework. Apply Mrs. Lily  
Wellner, 164 Prince St.

FOR SALE.—HEAVY BROWN PA-  
per, suitable for placing under  
carpet. 5 cents a roll at Guardian  
office.

WANTED.—COMPETENT MID-  
dle aged housekeeper. Apply in  
writing stating wages to A. C.  
Care Guardian.

WANTED.—A housekeeper to take  
care of two children in their own  
home. Apply M. care of Guardian.

TO LET.—THREE FURNISHED  
rooms, situated in centre of  
city. Modern conveniences.  
Apply in afternoons to 16 Elm  
Avenue.

BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE FOR  
ALE, by private sale, the residence  
of Mrs. Aeneas Macdonald,  
situated at 126 Rochford Street.  
Interested purchasers may in-  
spect property any afternoon by  
applying on premises.

EGGS FOR HATCHING.—WHITE  
Wyandotte hens, holding certifi-  
cate in Record of Performance,  
Ottawa, for laying 165 to 204  
eggs in one year. Price \$3.50 for  
fifteen. J. D. Rombough, Char-  
lottetown. Phone 554.

THERE WILL BE SOLD BY  
Public Auction at 2 o'clock on  
Wednesday, the 4th day of May,  
instant, A. D., 1921  
on the premises, Lower Montague,  
the dwelling house and property  
of the undersigned. This  
property is beautifully situated,  
having a front on the Lower  
Montague road, large garden at  
back, good out buildings and  
close to church, schools and  
store. Conditions made known at  
sale. Also on same day, quantity  
household furniture. Chas. E.  
McNeill.

## Hon. Sydney Fisher Died Saturday.

(Special to The Guardian)....  
OTTAWA, April 9.—Hon. Syd-  
ney Fisher, former Minister of  
Agriculture in the Laurier adminis-  
tration, died at 2:30 this morning  
after an illness of several weeks.  
The funeral will take place in Mon-  
treal. Mr. Fisher was a member  
of the House of Commons for 30  
years. He was first elected for  
Brome in the eastern townships  
of Quebec province in 1882 and  
continued to represent this con-  
stituency until the general election  
of September, 1911, when he was  
defeated by the late Colonel G. L.  
Baker.

## Poincare's Visit to London Postponed

(Special to The Guardian)....  
LONDON, April 9.—Former  
President Poincare of France has  
been asked to postpone his visit  
to London in connection with the  
formal adoption of Verdun by the  
city and county of London. This  
postponement has been requested  
from the miners' strike.

## The Prince and The Highlanders

### MEMORIES OF SCOTLAND

LONDON, April 9.—The Prince  
of Wales (the Duke of Rothesay)  
was the guest of the Highland So-  
ciety of London at their 133th an-  
niversary festival dinner at the  
Hotel Victoria. The Prince wore  
the Highland costume, as did most  
of the large and distinguished com-  
pany present, and as he entered  
the banquet hall, accompanied by  
the Duke of Richmond and other  
members of the society, the King's  
Piper headed the procession play-  
ing "Highland Laddie."  
The President, in proposing  
the toast of the Royal Family, said  
that they were honouring the  
Prince not so much as the Heir  
to the Throne, but for what he  
had done. He hoped that the  
time was not far distant when His  
Royal Highness would be pro-  
claimed as president of that so-  
ciety.  
The Prince, in reply said:  
It is not so very long ago that I  
was in Scotland, and I knew the  
warmth of a Lowland welcome  
You have all reminded me to-night  
that a Highland welcome can be  
just as warm and just as pleasant  
I want, on behalf of my family,  
who have been long connected with  
this association, and on behalf of  
myself, to thank you very much  
for the kind way in which you have  
drunk this toast. I also want to  
thank the president for the far too  
kind words which he has used in  
reference to myself.  
I feel that you know all what I  
feel about the Highlands. I think  
the best thing about Scotland was  
the road to London. (Laughter.)  
Well, I am personally very fond  
of London indeed, but I cannot  
agree with Dr. Johnson. It would  
be much nearer the mark if you  
put it the other way about and  
said that one of the best things  
in London was Easton Station, and  
breakfast at Parth or some other  
place in the Highlands in the morn-  
ing. That is my own personal  
feeling, because I associate the  
Highlands with some of the very  
best times in my life. It is a very  
great pleasure to me to attend  
this splendid Highland gathering  
because it reminds me how very  
many I have been up in Scot-  
land.  
It is a very long time since I  
have been in the Highlands—far  
too long, I think—and a long time  
since I wore a kilt. The last time  
I wore a kilt was at Oxford. I  
don't suppose there are any of my  
Oxford friends here to-night, but  
we had a club at Oxford which  
we called the Caledonian Club, and  
there, after dinner, we used to  
make a lot of noise; that was  
kitts and danced reels; that was  
in the summer of 1914. That was  
the last time, and I am looking  
forward to this year.  
By keeping in touch with High-  
landers and seeing their work in  
several of our Dominions and Col-  
onies which I have visited, I have  
many intimate friends, which link me  
to all parts of our great Empire.  
But there are no associations of  
which I am more proud than those  
which link me to the Highlands,  
and which have been strengthened  
quite lately by the honour done me  
by making me Colonel-in-Chief of  
that famous regiment, the Seaforth  
Highlanders. I have already thank-  
ed you for drinking my health and  
the health of my family, and now I  
want to thank you for having made  
me a member of your society. I  
hope I shall be able in the future to  
take advantage of the privilege that  
membership of your society offers  
to me.

## THE STRIKE SITUATION IN GREAT BRITAIN

### No Settlement yet in Sight and Indications are that a General tie-up will be the out- come. Conferences are Being Arranged for.

(Special to The Guardian)....  
LONDON, April 9.—Representa-  
tives of the national union of rail-  
way men and of the national fed-  
eration of transport workers called  
upon Prime Minister Lloyd  
George this morning for the pur-  
pose of conveying to him the de-  
cision of the two organizations to  
support the striking miners. There  
was in this city, early today, an  
impression that the conversation  
between the labor leaders and the  
prime minister might result in  
some new move toward the solu-  
tion of the situation.

LONDON, April 9.—Government  
preparations for meeting the em-  
ergency created by the threatened  
walk out of hundreds of thousands  
of workers next Tuesday night  
were speeded up this morning.  
Although there was little  
of these activities noticeable, all  
reservists were under instructions  
not to report at their places of join-  
ing without waiting for individual no-  
tice from the authorities. The gov-  
ernment proclamation calling up army  
and navy reserves during the strike  
invited loyal citizens including  
these serving with territorial forces  
capable of bearing arms between  
the ages of eighteen and forty, to  
report at the nearest territorial  
depot hall for the purpose of being  
commissioned or attested for tem-  
porary service.

LONDON, April 9.—The Daily  
Graphic says United States citizens  
are flooding steamship companies  
with applications for berths to the  
United States. Apprehension as  
to the effect of a nation wide  
wide strike on the chance of the  
election is expressed and it is sug-  
gested that this fear may play a  
part in the conversation which  
will be held between government officials  
and leaders of the working men.  
Commenting on the crisis before  
the country, the London Times  
says the business has been mis-  
management throughout by all  
parties concerned. The govern-  
ment has been too hasty and the  
mine owners have demanded un-  
reasonable and sudden wage re-  
duction causing the mass of neu-  
tral opinion to swing in favor of  
the revolutionary labor wing.

## DRAWING OTHER UNIONS IN TO STRIKE

LONDON, April 9.—Parliament-  
ary labor party leaders and the  
executive committee of the trade union  
congress will send a conference  
to the House of Commons  
here this morning for the consid-  
eration of the industrial situation.  
It was believed that the conference  
would determine whether a spec-  
ial session of delegates of the con-  
gress should be convened at which  
the attitude of affiliated unions  
with a membership of more than  
6,000,000 workers (toward the Tri-  
ple Alliance will be con-  
sidered should be conveyed. It  
is probable it will confine its ac-  
tion to passing a resolution declar-  
ing the Triple Alliance without  
justified, thus putting the whole  
trade union organization behind  
the strikers. It is said that the  
congress would leave the question  
of actually calling a strike among  
steel workers, ship workers and  
other trades to the decision of the  
executive committee and of the in-  
dividual unions.

## Plan to End All Railway Disputes

Unions Representing 500,000 Mem-  
bers Submit Proposition to  
President Harding—Con-  
ference Desired.

CHICAGO, April 9.—Five railroad  
mechanical unions with 500,000  
members tonight submitted to Pres-  
ident Harding's labor plan for end-  
ing industrial disputes between the  
roads and their workers, proposing  
that the president call a confer-  
ence of representatives of both  
sides at which new rules govern-  
ing working conditions would be  
worked out to take the place of the  
national agreements now in dis-  
pute before the railroad labor board.  
The proposal is that all wage dis-  
putes be held in abeyance, pending  
the conference holding that the  
matter of wages could be quickly  
adjusted to the satisfaction of all  
as soon as the question of rules  
had been settled.  
Included in twelve points which  
the unions said should be upheld  
were the basic eight-hour day and  
the right of collective bargaining.

## Pussyfoot Johnston Again Howled down

(Special to The Guardian)....  
KINGSTON, April 9.—Pussyfoot  
Johnston was howled down in the  
Grand Opera House last night and  
after several vain appeals from  
those in charge of the meeting to  
give him a fair hearing, the meet-  
ing terminated. The ejection of a  
returned soldier who heckled Mr.  
Johnston when he began his speech  
made the anti-hostile and when  
the police escorted the veteran  
into the street. Pandemonium  
broke loose.

## Gravest Problem in Her History

LONDON, April 9.—Tuesday  
night, unless there is some new  
development in the meantime will  
see the commencement of the  
greatest labor struggle in the coun-  
try's history. Approximately 2,  
000,000 workers then will have  
ceased their duties in protest  
against what they consider to be  
an organized attempt on the part  
of employees to enforce a general  
reduction of wages.

The central fact in the labor sit-  
uation, as it developed today, is  
the breakdown in miners' confer-  
ence, consequently a decision by  
the triple alliance made up of  
miners, railway and transport work-  
ers, for the first time since it  
organized, that its entire mem-  
bership, roughly estimated at 1,000,  
600 miners and 500,000 men each  
from railway and transport work-  
ers organization, should quit work  
and support strike miners. The  
government's standpoint, as voiced  
by Premier Lloyd George in a brief  
speech on the House of Commons  
yesterday afternoon is the action  
of the miners and other members  
of the triple alliance an attempt by  
direct action to intimidate parlia-  
ment and the nation. The Prime  
Minister announced that the mili-  
tary and other measures which the  
Government intended to take de-  
feat this attempt from the stand-  
point of the miners is that the  
sudden removal of control from  
coal miners is the result of a pact  
between the government and the  
mine owners to enable the owners  
to effect an unjustifiable reduction  
in wages. The attitude of the rail-  
waymen is that unless there is sup-  
port for miners at the present time  
a similar dilemma will happen rail-  
waymen on some future occasion  
when the railways are released  
from government control.  
Premier Lloyd-George has al-  
ready indicated that a special con-  
stituent body, formed during the war  
and totalling about 250,000 men,  
will be called out.

## Russian Soviets Joins Interests

STOCKHOLM, April 9.—Soviet  
Russia and the Soviet Republic of  
Russia have signed a treaty  
under which they become a single  
Republic according to reports re-  
ceived today.

## Change Personnel of Highways Board

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portant changes in the personnel  
of the provincial highways board  
were made today. The resignation  
of Colonel Thomas Cantley, Percy  
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## ST. JOHN'S NFLD. HARBOR IS WELL FROZEN OVER

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## \$15,000 FIRE IN CARAQUET GARAGE

BATHURST, April 9.—The Fou-  
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stroyed by fire on Wednesday night.  
Seven cars were in the building  
at the time and all were destroyed.  
Only two of the seven were insured  
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## LUMBER JACK FOUND IN MONTREAL WITH 57 WOUNDS ON BODY

MONTREAL, April 8.—Gravely  
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wounds and screaming loudly for  
help, George Sochotuk, a lumber-  
jack, who had been working in the  
bush at Temiskaming during the  
winter, was discovered by Assis-  
tant Chief Clerrier, of the Lachine  
Police, at noon today on the corner  
of Sherbrook Street and Sixth  
Avenue. He was taken to the hospi-  
tal where it was found that he had  
fifty-seven wounds, and also that  
his leg was broken. He stated that  
he had been attacked by a gang of  
bandits who had attempted to rob  
him.

## GREEKS ARE PESSIMISTIC OVER DEFEAT BY TURKS

### People Believe the Government is With- holding Information. Greek Casualties have been very Severe.

(Special to The Guardian)....  
ATHENS, April 9.—Reverses  
suffered by Greek forces in Anato-  
lia and the casualties inflicted upon  
them by the Turkish Nationalists  
have caused a great depression  
here. Official statements on  
the situation are very meagre and  
are interpreted to mean that the  
government may be withholding the  
truth from the people. There is a  
decided note of alarm and pessim-  
ism noticeable here among all  
classes of Greeks.

## Lord Byng's Message to Canadians

LONDON, April 9.—Lord Byng,  
who was Commander-in-Chief of  
the Canadian forces four years ago,  
sends the following exclusive mes-  
sage to Canada via the Dominion  
News Service on the anniversary  
of the battle of Vimy Ridge.  
"To all my old friends of the  
Canadian Corps, I wish the very  
best of luck and happiness. May  
their recollections of the ninth of  
April, 1917, be as full of pride as  
those of their commander on that  
occasion."

## League of Nations Considers Some Items

GENEVA, April 9.—The Com-  
mission of the League of Nations  
for discussing the proposed amend-  
ments to the covenant, opened here  
today, Rt. Hon. Arthur J. Balfour  
presiding. The sittings are not op-  
en to the public, it is understood,  
that Mr. Balfour, in addressing the  
Commission, admitted that the cov-  
enant was not perfect, and that  
some of the amendments proposed  
might effect a great improvement.  
He remarked that the amendments  
were of two categories, one highly  
technical and legal, and the other  
political.  
The commission considered some  
amendments which were not quite  
clearly understood. Regarding  
Argentina's amendment that all  
states should be asked to join the  
League of Nations, it was felt that  
the Argentine Government should  
be requested to submit a full state-  
ment of its reasons for proposing  
this amendment. Concerning the  
Canadian amendment to omit ar-  
ticle X from the covenant about lea-  
gue members undertaking to re-  
spect and preserve territorial integ-  
rity and the existing political inde-  
pendence of all League members in  
case of aggression, the Commission  
felt that this had best be discussed  
when M. Vivian returns from the  
United States. The Chinese were  
also asked to explain their amend-  
ment to article 21 concerning the  
Monroe Doctrine.

## SOVIETS HAVE SIGNED TREATY ONE WITH ANOTHER TO KEEP PEACE

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## Maritime Provinces Telegraphic News

(Special to The Guardian)....  
N. B. TEACHERS PENSIONS

FREDERICTON, April 9.—A plan  
submitted by the New Brunswick  
teachers association for an increase  
in teachers pensions has been laid  
over until the next session of the  
House. Premier Foster assured  
the association that if some fur-  
ther information was supplied by  
the teachers he had no doubt their  
bill would be agreed to.

## KILLED BY A FALL

PECTOU, April 9.—Death re-  
sulted when John G. McDonald  
aged 74 of Durban, fell from a load  
of hay in his barn yesterday.

## BOXING BOUT PROHIBITED

MIKE MCGUIRE and George Robin-  
son have been matched to box here  
on April 20th. Chief of Police  
Haarhan has prohibited the bout.

## CRACKSMEN BLOW UP SAFE IN ST. JOHN

ST. JOHN, April 9.—A safe was  
blown open with nitro-glycerine by  
cracksmen in the New Systems  
laundry early this morning. The  
police are on the trail of the  
burglars.

## SYDNEY MAN ARRESTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

SYDNEY, April 9.—George Hill-  
ier, financial secretary of local No.  
V. A. M. H., has been arrested  
for misappropriating funds to the  
amount of \$800.

## ST. JOHN MAN VALEDICTORIAN FOR U. N. B.

FREDERICTON, April 9.—A St.  
John boy, R. K. Wills, has been  
chosen valedictorian for the U. N.  
B. undergraduate class of 21. He  
is an overseas man.

## THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON, ETC

TORONTO, April 10.—Fair at  
first, followed tonight by North  
West gales and rain.  
High tide this morning at 11.54  
and tomorrow morning at 12.55.  
Sun sets this evening at 6.42  
and rises tomorrow morning at  
5.18.  
First quarter moon Friday, Ap-  
ril 15th at 6.12 a. m.

## ICE IN GULF

MONTREAL, April 8.—Today's  
gulf report contains the following.  
Belle Isle—Heavy open ice.  
Point Amour—Heavy close pack  
ed ice everywhere moving west.  
Borden—Heavy loose ice.  
Grindstone—Heavy sheet ice.

## SLIPPED INTO BOILING WELL IN CAR SHOPS

MONCTON, N. B., April 9.—  
William Wood, an employee of the  
lumbering room of the C. N. R. erect  
ing shop, had a narrow escape from  
being scalded to death while at his  
work yesterday afternoon. As it is  
sustained a badly scalded leg  
Some one had left a cover off a hot  
well in which there was six feet  
of boiling water. Wood accidently  
backed into the well but fortunately  
caught himself as one foot went  
in. Had both feet gone in the young  
man would have been dead before  
he could have been rescued. His leg  
was terribly scalded almost to  
his body.

## THE SPORTIN' PAGE IS WAKING UP

