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Anxiety in London Over Absence of News from East

Rumors Persist That Trouble is Imminent if Not Already Begun. Kemalists Said to Have Smuggled Troops Into Constantinople in Civilian Attire. Angora Government Confers With Soviet Russia. Allies Prepared for Eventualities.

(Special to The Guardian)

LONDON, Nov. 11.—All the members of the British Cabinet as well as the Naval and Military advisers are remaining in London over the week-end in order to be available at short notice to deal with any developments of the critical Near Eastern situation. Very little information is trickling through and it is possible that trouble may have aleady commenced. The absence of news is causing the gavest anxiety and the first information received may confront the cabinet with a situation that is already twenty four hours old. The latest despatch shows that conferences are proceeding between the Allied commanders and the Kemalists although it is not yet known whether or not the Turks have withdrawn their demands. The Government has all its plans ready in the event of General Harrington thinking it necessary to resort to martial law and it is expected that hostilities if they ensue will resemble Turkish fighting with all its attendant difficulties of dealing with concealed arms and franc tireurs beside gendarmerie. The Kemalists are believed to have smuggled troops into Constantinople in civilian attire. The larger plan which Foch has developed and which he favors was today submitted. It calls for defence against an organized army rather than the probable trouble of hand to hand fighting. The government is still hopefully striving for peace but is prepared for the worst.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—Telegraphic communication between London and Constantinople continues interrupted. The only news that is coming in is reaching London slowly and through devious routes. Despatches dated Wednesday, received by the foreign and war offices today by naval wireless, indicated that the Allied Commissioners were then awaiting a definite reply from the Angora government to their demand that the Turks recede from their attitude which the Allies regard as out of accord with the Mudros and Mudania conventions. The despatches showed that the Allied representatives also had lodged a strong protest with Rafet Pasha, the Nationalist governor, against the execution of Ali Kemal Bey editor of Sabah, an anti-Nationalist organ.

That the situation continued strained is shown by the fact that the Earl of Derby, secretary for war, was compelled to cancel a political engagement he had in the north tonight. He explained that things were in such shape as to make his presence at the war office absolutely imperative.

Angora Government Confers with Russia.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—The Daily News has the report that the Angora Government has asked the Soviet government at Moscow whether the Russian Bolsheviki will adhere to the Russio-Turkish military agreement in the event of war and its understood that military plans concerning the Near East were discussed again in the British war office yesterday.

Angora Government Declines Terms

PARIS, Nov. 11.—The Near Eastern situation is deadlocked with Turkish Nationalists continued defiance of the Allies today. According to advices here the Angora government rejected the plan between Rafet Pasha, Turkish commander and the Allied high commanders to conciliation re-occupation of Constantinople and taking over of the civil administration by the Kemalists the Echo De Paris declares it has learned.

Excitment in Constantinople.

ATHENS, Nov 12—Allied forces have occupied the customs houses and closed the Bourse at Constantinople, and are taking other extraordinary measures to control the situation. According to advices reaching here the atmosphere there is tense and an explosion may occur at any time Troops are guarding the main points about the city with machine guns and the Sultan remains, in his palace, surrounded by his Imperial Guards and protected by three British Battalions. Anti-Christian excitement is reported high. Foreigners are fleeing by the shipload, agents of Mustapha Kemal are said to have arrested ten former Turkish ministers, eight generals and hundreds of others suspected of being sympathetic with the Sultan. He has threatened to shoot or hang reactionaries opposing the Nationalists regime regardless of their religion.

France Insists on Immediate Conference

(Special to The Guardian)

PARIS, Nov 12—In a flood of notes over the week end which are directed toward London the French leaders insist on an immediate opening of the Lanzanne conference.

WHERE WEST SHOWS HOW IT HAS GROWN.

PORT ARTHUR, Nov. 11. — In 1902, twenty years ago, for the whole of the fall season up to Nov. 3, grain figures were as follows:

Receipts, 8,819,004 bushels. Shipments, 10,821,307 bushels.

For the week ending Nov. 2, 1922, seven days only, figures were as follows:

Receipts, 14,471,067 wheat, 1,066,684 oats, 719,213 barley; 189,178 flax; 558,328 rys, an aggregate of over 17,470,000 bushels.

McGILL WILL MEET YALE IN RIFLE COMPETITION

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 11.—McGill of Montreal, as well as Oxford and Cambridge, are on the schedule of the Yale rifle team made public today. Two triangular matches are also to be held. All matches will be shot by cable, and the targets will be sent to the National Rifle Association to be checked.

The McGill date is March 3. Oxford February 23, and Cambridge March 13.

SUN BATHS FOR HEALTH

PARIS, Nov. 11.—More extensive use of heliotherapy, or sun baths, in the treatment of tuberculosis has been urged upon the Academy of Medicine by Dr. Armand Delille. He reported that a number of tubercular cases and also sufferers from peritonitis had been cured by sun baths in various sanitariums in Southern France.

FIRST DEMOCRAT FROM HAWAII

HONOLULU, Nov. 11.—Election of William P. Jarrett, as the first Democratic delegate ever sent to Congress from the territory of Hawaii was conceded unofficially by Republican headquarters last night. Jarrett's lead over John Wise, Republican, was 2,682, with only a few scattered returns missing.

How the Austrian Crown Has Fallen

OTTAWA, Nov. 10.—The depreciation in value of Austrian currency is strikingly illustrated by the fact that the rate of postage on letters from Austria to Canada is now 600 crowns for the first ounce and 900 crowns for each succeeding ounce. This equivalent to ten cents for the first ounce and five cents for each succeeding ounce. Advice to this effect has been received by the post office department.

When the Austrian crown is at par it is worth approximately twenty cents, or five to the dollar. Therefore the rate charged for mailing a letter, figuring the crown at par, is $120 for the first ounce and $60 for each succeeding ounce.

Status of U. S. Minister Being Discussed

OTTAWA. Nov 12—Before the Canadian Government sends a minister plenitoteniary to Washington there will be a modification of the powers proposed to be conferred upon him. The idea of Canadian representation at the American capital originated with the Union Government which exhausted much time and some temper in determining, by consultation with Great Britain, what was to be his status. The present government approves the plan in principle and considers that plenipotentiary powers are desirable but is absolutely against the provision that the Canadian minister should be a deputy of the British ambassador and in his absence be in charge of the embassy. The potentialities of troublesome complications are foreseen in this proposed power and it is certain to be eliminated before any appointment is made. The Prime Minister stated Thursday night that no selection has been made for the post nor is any one particularly in view.

Lor High Executioner— For P. E. Island

(Special to The Guardian)

OTTAWA, Nov 11—George S. Inman, of Charlottetown, P. E. I. has been appointed a commissioner to report upon charges of political partizanship against government employes in Prince Edward Island.

Sir Hamar Greenwood Has Stiff Fight

LONDON, Nov 12—Sir Hamar Greenwood was reported in London tonight as having a very hard fight in Sunderland with the possibility of defeat. There are five candidates in the field and while much of the earlier feeling against him has abated there is considerable doubt as to his election. Grant Morden's seat today is reported reasonably safe. Colonel Maurice Alexander, formerly of Montreal, is putting up a very vigorous fight for his seat, it was definitely announced in London today. Sir William Horwood, Commissioner of the London Police, is suffering from the malicious administration of poison, the origin unknown.

The Weather, Etc

TORONTO, Nov 13—Moderately strong winds. Unsettled and cold with snow flurries in northern sections.

High tide this afternoon at 5.17 and tomorrow morning at 5.15.

Sun sets this afternoon at 4.31 and rises tomorrow morning at 6.58.

New moon Saturday Nov. 18th., 8.06 p.m.

Summerside tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown.

Armistice Day Observed In Appropriate Manner

Parade of War Veterans From G. W. V. A. Rooms. A Soldier's Cross Witnessed by Thousands of Citizens. Impressive Service at Sqnare.

The celebration of Armistice Day on Saturday last was undoubtedly one of the most inspiring services ever held in Charlottetown. The weather was fine and a very large crowd had gathered at the Soldiers' Cross before the arrival of the war veterans, who paraded at 10.30 a.m. from the G.W.V.A. rooms to the Square, headed by the G.W.V.A. band and followed in the rear by the band of the Caledonian Club. The parade comprised over three hundred returned men, each wearing a poppy, two men at the head of each unit carrying wreaths to be placed at the foot of the Cross. At the head marched Majors J P. Hooper, H.L. Bethune and Capt. (Rev.) G.C. Taylor. Following the veterans came representatives of the Provincial Government, and on arriving at the square the procession marched around the Cross, completely encircling it, halted, and stood at ease.

His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor, Hon. Murdock MacKinnon, accompanied by his aides de camp, Col S.R. Jenkins and Lt. Col Peake, also by Lt Col. D.A. McKinnon, D.S.O., and Lt. Col. C. J. Stewart, M.C., and private secretary, Capt. Palmer, arrived just after the veterans had taken up their position and the Armistice programme commenced. His Honour fittingly referred to the occasion of the celebration and the necessity for perpetuating the memory of the gallant men who had made the great sacrifice.

This was followed by the singing of "O God Our Help in Ages Past," the singing being led by Professor Fletcher.

This was followed by an address and prayer by Capt. (Rev.) G.C Taylor.

Captain Taylor spoke as follows:—

We are assemled today to celebrate the the fourth anniversary of Armistice Day, a day destined to become our greatest national holiday. Other National holidays such as Empire Day, Dominion Day, Labor Day, etc., have only a domestic significance, but Armistice Day is destined to become a great international holiday, devoted to the principles of Peace, Justice and Good Will among all the nations and races of mankind. We are not dreaming the impossible nor merely inferring the principles and sentiments appropriate to observance of Armistice Day. The preliminary agreements upon which the military armistice of November 11th., 1918 as actually signed are written and may be read by all. There is no doubt as to their content. The accepted principles of co-operation for common needs among the nations, as opposed to plans of competitive armaments. They recognized in definite terms the beginning of a period in which Law Order and Justice should dominate rather than force. They called explicitly for a reduction of the armaments which had burdened the people with intolerable taxation, created mutual suspicions and jealousies among the great powers and rendered lasting peace an impossibility.

Nor must we overlook the fact that these same lofty principles were subscribed to by our enemies. They were not imposed upon them. These terms and conditions had been carefully considered by Great Britain and her Allies and approved by all. The representatives of Germany likewise had opportunity to consider carefully and discuss fully every item of the terms of the Armistice before setting their signatures to it. So that the document as signed by our enemies was not a casual memorandum as respects its principles and terms, but an international compact of the highest authority and the most enduring historical character.

The Armistice of November, 1918 was not a truce, not a mere agreement to suspend hostilities. It was a definite ending of the greatest war of all history, on terms meant to secure lasting peace. The peoples of the world unquestionably meant to establish peace on a higher plane of justice and international good-will than had previously existed, when the terms of the Armistice were adopted and the war was ended four years ago. That great purpose must not be forgotten. For many families the closing days of October and the early days of November have their associations of sorrow because the casualties on both sides were appalling in those last stages of the fighting. The Canadian losses were especially heavy. It was in that period that the Armistice terms were being formulated and carefully negotiated. The deliberations with which the governments weighed the terms before accepting them was expensive beyond anything of a similar kind in human history, because each day's delay meant the sacrifice of many thousands of lives. Thus it was the Armistice—an agreement sealed with the blood of choice young men of many nations, that must stand with the nations—that must stand as the real basis of future peace, rather than the elaborate documents subsequently devised in the conference at Paris. These may well be considerad as the raw material of future wars. Let us not forget that this Armistice Day we celebrate, was made possible only through the sacrifices that were made in common by the young men of many countries. We make a mockery of these sacrifices if we do not dedicate our best efforts to the cause of peace and security in the world— the cause for which their lives were given. In the words of Lincoln: "Let us here consecrate ourselves to the unfinished work which they so nobly advanced."

These words written in a trench by one who made the supreme sacrifice shortly afterwards should surely make their appeal to us today:

All that we had we gave,
All that was ours to give,
Freely surrendered all
That you in peace might live.
In trench, in field, and many seas we lie
We, who in dying, shall not ever die
If only you, in honor of the slain,
Shall surely see, we did not die in vain.

We made our sacrifice,
Love of those loved, we left,
Homes, with their social joys,
Homes, now of joy bereft.
But after striving greatly we can sleep,
Content, we sowed that British lives might reap.
If only you, in honor of the slain
Shall surely see we did not die in vain.

Our poppy wreaths of memory we must lay today on the grass, for want of a better repository but we hail with satisfaction and grateful expectancy the prospect of a fitting monument to the memory of our devoted comrades —a monument which shall ever keep before the eyes and near to the hearts of all our people the great principles for which they gladly gave their lives. "Dear noble youth, who lightly in the day of fury put on England's glory and wore it as a common coat."

A selection by the Caledonian Pipe and Drum Band followed. Then the clock struck eleven and the immense throngs surrounding the Soldiers' monument bared their heads, and kept silence for two minutes while the fire bell tolled four strokes.

Sergeant Charles Hines sounded the Last Post, which was the signal for the placing of the wreaths in the memorial enclosure.

God Save the King brought the memorable celebration to a close

The ceremony was witnessed by thousands of our citizens, the great majority of whom wore poppies.

His Worship Mayor Jenkins City Councillors and the Water Commissioners, the chairman of the School Board and Trustees Dr. MacMillan Health Officer and other civic officials were present in a body.

Wreaths surrounding the soldiers' cross were placed by the following:

11th Ammunition Column, Second Siege Battery, Boys of the 26th and comrades of the old 105th, Eighth Siege Battery, G.W.V.A. Originals, 1914, P.E. Island Artillery Auxiliary, Ladies' Auxiliary, G.W.V.A., Second Heavy Battery, Daughters of the Empire also by the Government of Prince Edward Island, the City of Charlottetown, the School Board, Empire Lodge, Knights of Pythias the Caledonian Club, the Knights of Columbus, the Sons of England Comrades of Abegweit Athletic Association, the boys of the Hi Yi Club.

There were also wreaths to the memory of Sergeant Parker Hiter and Crockett, from Captain and Mrs A.R.B. Duck; Gunner Jeremiah Gallant from his brother Joe.

A number of poppies were also planted within the enclosure by the War Veterans.

Regret is to be expressed that during the solemn Two Minutes Silence in commemmoration of the fallen heroes of the Great War some youths in the vicinity of the memorial service caused a disturbance by loud talking and shouting. It is understood that the authorities have taken up the matter and there is not likely to be a recurrence of such unseemly conduct.

I. O. D. E. Cenotaphs Unveiled in Montreal On Armistice Day

(Special to The Guardian)

MONTREAL, Nov. 11.—Armistice Day celebration in Montreal began Saturday morning with the unveiling on Dominion Square of the Cenotaphs erected by the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire. The ceremony was performed by Admiral W.S. Sims, U S.N.

Divorce Law Reform Expected in England

(Special to The Guardian)

LONDON, Nov. 11.—Divorce reform is almost certain to be one of the things pressed upon the Bonar Law government if it survives into the regular session of parliament next year. Interest in reform was stimulated during the campaign by two notable cases.

Clemenceau Leaves For United States

PARIS, Nov. 10.—Georges Clemenceau sails for the United States tomorrow.

Jugo Slavs are Preparing for War

(Special to The Guardian)

BERLIN, Nov 12—Reports here indicate that the Jugo-Slavs are preparing for war. The cabinet has obtained the King's sanction in drawing up an extraordinary proposal for 800,000,000 dinars for the army and navy bill.

ASKS OTTAWA TO CLOSE OUT EXPORT LIQUOR WAREHOUSES

REGNA, Sask., Nov. 11.—Application has already been made by the Saskatchewan Government to the Federal authorities to issue a proclamation closing out the export liquor warehouses in this Province, according to a statement made by Rev. Dr. J.G. Shearer head of th Social Service Department of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, at last night's session of the Saskatchewan Synod here Dr. Shearer made this announcement while speaking of conditions in this Province as a result of the existence of export liquor warehouses, which he characterized as "more shocking than any other Province in Canada."

ASK "TIGER OF FRANCE" TO PAY OFFICIA LVISIT

OTTAWA, Nov. 11.—Georges Clemenceau, "he Tiger of France," who will arive in New York on November 18 to pay a visit to the American Republic and to be the guest of Col. E.M. House, with whom he sat at the momentous Peace Conference at Versailles has been invited by Premier King to come to the Canadian Capital.

The invitation was sent to Hon Phillippe Roy, Canadian High Commissioner in Pars, who, with Hon Ernest Lapointe, extended the message of greeting from the Dominion to France's most picturesque figure.

The latter will decide the matter of visiting Canada with his American host, Col. House.

GO EASY WITH HARD COAL DURING MILD PERIOD IS URGED

MONTREAL, Nov 11.—"Go easy with the anthracite during the mild period, and use substitutes. Have the hard coal for the cold days. There is a shortage of at least 40 per cent of anthracite coal."

This is the message of F. L. Wanklyn, of the provincial advisory fuel committee to the public of Montreal, given this afternoon, after receiving a communication from Washington from the United States federal fuel distributor to the effect that anthracite production this season will probably not greatly exceed sixty per cent if that of last season.

Sensational Developments In British Political Situation

Churchill Renews Onslaught Against Lord Curzon for Latters Denial of Any Connection With Appeal to Dominions. Churchill Admits he Drafted Appeal and Submitted it to Lloyd George Who Consulted His Colleagues and Then Issued the Appeal.

(Special to The Guardian)

LONDON Nov 12—A rather sensational article by the Hon. B. F. M. Fisher is published showing the inexcusable loss of $150,000,000 under state control trading following nationalization. A new turn in the political arena at the Asquith and Younger dinner brought forward the view of a possible co operation between the "Wee Frees" and the "Die Hards' Unionists. But this has been strenuously denied by those concerned and most of the other prominent political leaders were today violently attacking the labor capital levy programme. The London press today was filled with denunciatory letters on the subject of the levy. Winston Churchill is vigorously following up his fiery onslaught against Lord Curzons attempt to disavow knowledge of the famous Saturday appeal to the dominions. Mr. Churchill today definitely declares that the Lloyd George cabinet as a whole including Lord Curzon, foreign secretary, decided definitely on a message to the British Dominions informing them of the decision. Churchill says that Curzon was absent on Saturday not from ill health but for reasons based on personal convenience. Churchill today admitted that he drafted the appeal submitted to Llyod George, who thereupon consulted all accessible colleagues and then authorized publication.

Two More Escape From County Jail

Following the Example of O'Brien and Essory, Two More Young Men Broke Jail Last Night and Departed Without Even Bidding Jailor Burns Goodbye.

Yesterday evening two men confined in Queen's County Jail on a shop breaking charge, awaiting Supreme Court trial, escaped and at the time of going to press no trace has been found of them.

The escaped prisoners are Wilfred Robichand, age 22, and Wilfred Bisso, age 18. They were awaiting trial for breaking into Mr. Carver's store, Weymouth St. and have been in confinement since last July.

The escape was discovered at 9 o'clock, when the prisoners were to be shut up in their cells for the night. Between 6 and 8 o'clock they had access to the upper corridor, facing the Mt. Edward Road, and it was from the corridor window that they escaped. One of the window bars was cut with a hack-saw blade and blankets tied into a rope enabled them to reach the ground.

On discovering the escape of the prisoners at 9 o'clock Jailer Burns notified the Sheriff and Police headquarters. A search is being made for the missing men

Clemenceau Leaves for U. S. on Great Anniversary

(Special to The Guardian.)

HAVRE, Nov 12—Georges Clemenceau sailed for America on the fourth anniversary of the collapse of Germany's military machine he helped demolish, standing on the bridge of the French liner Paris. The Tiger was tumultuously cheered as the great ship swung away from the quay and proceeded slowly out through the narrow gateway in the breakwater, into the English Channel.

QUEBEC RAILWAY BILLS GIVEN FIRST READING

QUEBEC, Nov. 11.—The three bills for the incorporation of the E.A. Robert Companies in the city of Quebec were introduced in the legislative assembly yesterday by J.M. Tichard, M.L.A. for Vercheres. The purpose of this legislation is to divide into three companies the holdings of the Quebec Railway, Light, Heat and Power Company. One company will operate the street railway, another the electric power, and a third company to take over the gas.

PEACE RETURNING IN U. S. RAILWAYS.

TORONTO, Nov. 11.—Considerable progress is being made by the railroad shop unions of the United States in settling strikes which have been in progress on United States railroads for some months. The latest bulletin from headquarters of the Railway Employees' Department of the American Federation of Labor to its local representatives stated that 126 railroads have entered into agreements with the railroad unions that 16 others are now negotiating for a settlement. This leaves about 25 per cent. of the railroads still fighting the unions.

Railroad shop workers in Toronto are rendering every assistance possible, by the collection of funds, to the strikers. Assessments are being paid by metal trades mechanics who are at work, and on Nov. 10 a concert was given in Massey Hall, the proceeds to be sent to the United States.

Cigar Clerk Marries A Titled Widow

(Special to The Guardian)

LONDON, Nov 12—Richard Henry Checkly, cigar shop clerk has married the Hon Alexandra Knollys at Edinburgh. The bride is the daughter of Viscount Knollys, former private secretary to King George and one of the Ladies in waiting to Queen Alexandra. Her first husband was killed in action in 1916.

8th Siege Battery Hold Re-Union

A very successful annual reunion was held on Saturday night by No. 8 Siege Battery at the Armouries, with Mr. Ray McDonald presiding. The toasts were as follows:

The King.

Our Departed Comrades, responded to by Mr. Frank McKie.

Our Section, No 1 (Mr. George Browse.) No 2 (Mr. Elmer Bower. No. 3 Mr. Geo. MacDonald No. 4 (Mr. Eugene Wynne.)

The Ladies (Mr. Sydney Fleming.)

Solos by Messrs A. Bruce, D. Robins, E. C. Farnell, Fred Duffy and a witty address by Mr. Edgar Shaw, were warmly applauded.

Some excellent selections the Casino Orchestra and a sketch by Mr. Cornelius Gaudet were also well received.

A resolution was passed heartily endorsing the movement by Worship Mayor Jenkins towards erecting a city monument. Another resolution was passed strongly censoring the few who did not deem it worth while to observe the two minute silence on Armistice Day.

The following committee was appointed for next year's reunion. Messrs Ray McDonald, Frank McPhee, Russell Davidson.

A vote of thanks was tendered the caretaker of the Armouries Mr Vanderstine.

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