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## HUGE STOCKS WOOL NOW IN ENGLAND

### British Government Has Bought Up Overseas Crops to Prevent Them Going to Other Countries.

(Special to the Guardian)  
LONDON, August 13.—Such huge stocks of wool are arriving on the London docks that their capacity is overtaxed and airplane sheds are being used for storage. The Albert docks alone holds 30,000 tons. Your corres-

pondent is informed that the British Government bought up overseas crops to prevent them falling into the hands of other countries. Arrangements are being made for the receipt of the coming wool at Hull and other British ports.

## CRITICISM OF BRITISH EXPENDITURE

### Churchill Explains Reasons for Expenditure and Hopes for Early Retrenchment.

(Special to the Guardian)  
LONDON, August 13.—In the House of Commons tonight the ministers had to listen to a deal of strong criticism of the extravagance of the government in the matter of armaments, out Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary for War, in a general defence of the government said he was able to promise considerable retrenchment in the direction. His speech betrayed that the government was endeavouring as far as possible to meet the popular demands for greater economy. Mr. Churchill defending the government, said that through its policy it

was beginning to regain control over the expenditure of the latter, however it was still bent upon military commitments abroad, the minister continued, but already it had been arranged with France that by the end of October the British forces on the Rhine may be reduced to a single strong brigade, including an air force of a single squadron. The delayed peace with Turkey and Bulgaria and the position in Mesopotamia prevented immediate reduction of the large forces while the Irish executive was strongly opposed to reducing the Irish garrison.

## Yorkshire Miners Return to Work

LONDON, August 13.—The coal miners of Yorkshire where more than 200,000 men have been on strike since July 21, decided today to resume work. This action was taken at a mass meeting.

## Bulgaria to Have Access to the Sea

PARIS, August 13.—The Supreme Council, the Echo de Paris says, is preparing to give Bulgaria an opening to the Mediterranean Sea through either Kavala or Dedeagatch. The territory surrounding the port selected would be neutralized and placed under a status similar to Danzig.

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## Bolsheviki Driven From Vinnitza

(Special to the Guardian)  
LONDON, August 13.—The city of Vinnitza in the Ukraine, 125 miles south west of Kiev, has been abandoned by the Bolsheviki, according to a wireless message from Moscow. In Volhynia anti-Bolsheviki forces have occupied the railway center of Lutsk, south east of Yovel.  
The various papers and wireless message reads, "In the direction of Zhem Rink we have abandoned Vinnitza. The enemy has occupied Lutsk, withdrawal of the Bolsheviki from Vinnitza indicates that the Rumanians and anti-Bolsheviki have forced the Bolsheviki to retire from the line of the river Dniester in north-eastern Besarabia.

**Bolsheviki Lost Dubno.**  
VIENNA, August 13.—The fortress of Dubno in south eastern Volhynia has been captured from the Bolsheviki forces by the Ukrainian army, according to Ukrainian official reports received here today.

## Saved the Life of A Young Boy

Mr. Simco Leblanc, Chief Stewart of the S. S. Harland, saved the life of a young lad at Montague last Sunday afternoon. The boy was going aboard the steamer when he slipped and fell in the water, going to the bottom. Mr. Leblanc hearing the splash jumped in just as he was, and brought the boy to the surface where they were given further assistance and safely landed. This is the sixth time that Mr. Leblanc has done such a life saving stunt, and has a record that any man might be proud of.—B.

## Explosion Put Down to Spontaneous Combustion

PORT COLBORNE, Ont., Aug. 11.—Various boards of experts sent here by the governments of United States and Canada today continued their investigation into the cause of the explosion here Saturday which caused the loss of the lives of ten persons and the injury of twenty others, with the destruction of the two million dollar government elevator, and the sinking of the grain barge Quebec. It is generally accepted now that the explosion was the result of spontaneous combustion in the huge elevator. Methods to prevent a repetition of the disaster, in any of the scores of similar elevators on the continent, will be formulated by the experts now on the ground.

## BRITAIN'S LOAN TO INDIES.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Aug. 13.—The British Government has approved a loan of \$250,000 to the island government to provide work for returned soldiers of the British West Indies regiment.

## ANNUAL GATHERING OF SCOTTISH CLANS

### A Big Day's Sport Enjoyed. Attendance Large and Games Enjoyable.

The Caledonian Club sports, an annual fixture looked forward to by young and old of Scottish descent and by their many friends were well attended yesterday at the Charlottetown Driving Park. The programme was of a varied nature and one that appealed to the sporting instincts of the spectators. The athletic events were splendid bringing to general many noted athletes among them Major J. P. Hooper and George Gale. The dancing bag pipe music and other specialties filled up otherwise dull moments.

Sports and other specialties were interspersed with the heats of the horse races which were put on by the Charlottetown Driving Club. Three races were on the card and they were keen, hard contests everyone trying their best to win. Honors went to Mr. Hammond Kelly with his remarkable trotter Colorado L. Mr. Henry Hooper with the pacer Oma and Mr. Horne with Upton Prince.

**SUMMARY HORSE RACES**  
**Class A Trot and Pace**  
Colorado L. 2.10 by Colorado E. (H. Kelly) 1 1 1  
Dunholm 2.16½, by Mobil (Gay & Arbing) 3 2 2  
Brenton H. 2.17½, by Oakley Baron (H. Hooper) 2 4 3  
Helen R. 2.16½ by Harry K. (McKinnon Drug Co.) 4 3 4  
Time 2.16½, 2.17, 2.17½.

**Class B. Pace and Trot**  
Oma 2.25 by Acquila, (H. Hooper) 1 1 1  
The Abegweit by Princeton, (N. McNeill) 4 2 2  
Patola, by Dingola 2 4 5  
Commodore K, by Commodore Ledyard, 3 5 3  
Angus Dillard, by Prince Dillard (McKinnon Drug Co.) 5 3 4  
Time 2.20, 2.21, 2.21½.

**Class C. Trot and Pace**  
Upton Prince, by Todd Mac, (Horne Bros.) 1 1 2  
Helen C, by Petrello, (G. Hooper) 2 2 1  
David S, by Acquila, (C. Snow) 4 3 4  
Brazilian Tom, by Brazilian (L. Hooper), 3 4 5  
Bobbie Burns, by Commodore (P. Kennedy) 5 5 3  
Korala, by Bottom, (Mills & Thorne) 6 6 6  
Wilfred Hal, by Azad (McKinnon Drug Co.), 7 7 Dr.

The officials who handled the horse races were:  
Starter, F. W. Hughes,  
Judges, P. S. Brown, H. Horne,  
John McDonald,  
Timers, F. Mitchell, S. Knight.

**The Athletic Games**  
The athletic games resulted as follows:—  
**Throwing Light Hammer**  
1st Wm. McLean, De Gros Marsh, 102 feet, 6 inches; 2nd, J. Pendergast, Kensington, 93 feet, 4 inches; 3rd, D. L. Rice, Glenfanning, 85 feet, 8 inches; 4th, Hugh McPhee, De Gros Marsh.

## U. S. Senate Cannot Get Secret Peace Documents

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—President Wilson today sent to Chairman Lodge of the Senate foreign relations committee, the informal draft of the League of Nations covenant presented by the American peace commission at Paris and also the formal report of the commission on the League of Nations.  
The President wrote Mr. Lodge that it would not be possible to comply with the committee's request for the documents used by the American peace commissioners at Paris in negotiating the peace treaty.  
The various data bearing upon or used in connection with the treaty of peace with Germany," said the President, "are so miscellaneous and enormous in mass that it would be impossible for me to supply them without bringing from Paris the whole file of papers of the commission itself, and would include many memoranda which it was agreed on grounds of public policy it would be unwise to make use of outside the conference."

## THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON, ETC.

TORONTO, August 13.—South east winds fall followed by rain.  
High tide today at 12.31 and Friday at 1.03.  
Sun rises today at 5.20 and sets at 7.25.  
Moon rises at 8.36 p.m. and sets at 8.43 a.m.  
Last quarter of moon 18th.  
New moon 25th.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

\*\*Will our customers please note that the store will be closed August 19, Jenkins Bros., Millview.  
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## KING DECORATES LOYD GEORGE

### Knighthood Conferred Upon Alfred W. Smithers, Chairman Grand Trunk.

(Special to the Guardian.)  
LONDON, August 13.—King George tonight invested David Lloyd-George, the Premier, with the Order of Merit at Buckingham Palace. The awarding of the honor to the Premier was announced on August 6th. His Majesty the King has conferred the honor of Knighthood upon Mr. Alfred W. Smithers, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Grand Trunk System. Sir Alfred is at present in Canada in connection with business pertaining to the Grand Trunk and will make his official inspection of the road during the next few weeks.

**Running High Leap**  
1st, Sydney Laird, Harvard University, 5 feet, 4½ inches; 2nd, G. T. Gale, Summerside; 3rd, D. McLean, De Gros Marsh.

**Putting Light Stone.**  
1st, Wm. McLean, 41 feet, 3½ inches; 2nd, Jas. Pendergast, 38 feet, 10 inches; 3rd, J. D. McMillan, Wood Island, 37 feet, 2 inches; 4th, D. L. Rice, 34 feet, 5 inches.

**100 Yards Dash**  
1st, Fulton Campbell, City; 2nd, Major J. P. Hooper, City; 3rd, Leith Younker, City. Time 11 25 seconds.

**100 Yards Dash (Boys Under 16)**  
1st, W. Nicholson, City; 2nd, J. G. Deostie, City; 3rd, R. Perry, City; 4th, Younker, City.

**Pole Vault (Boys Under 16)**  
1st, E. Ronaghan, City; 2nd, C. McEachern, City; 3rd, F. Kilfoy, City. Height, 8 feet, 7 inches.

**½ Mile Run (Amateur)**  
1st, G. J. Gale, Summerside; 2nd, H. S. Robertson, Montague; 3rd, J. S. Jenkins, Mt. Albion. Time 55 seconds.

**Running High Leap. (Boys Under 16)**  
1st, E. Ronaghan; 2nd, F. Kilfoy; and C. McEachern, City tied. Height 4 feet, 3½ inches.

**Running Long Jump.**  
1st, Fulton Campbell; 2nd, J. McEachern; 3rd, G. J. Gale. 25 feet, 9½ inches.

**220 Yards Race (Boys Under 16)**  
1st, G. Wood, City; 2nd, J. G. Deostie; 3rd, R. Perry. 29 seconds.

**Half Mile Bicycle**  
1st, Geo. Walker, City; 2nd, Roy Prowse, City. Time 1.18.

**The Dancing**  
A very enjoyable feature of the day was the dancing. Master Raymond McNeill, son of Mr. Malcolm McNeill, West River, who although only nine years of age has been one of the attractions at Caledonian Clubs for the past three years, excelled himself on this occasion. He was loudly applauded from the grand stand and it was common comment that he is the champion boy dancer of Canada.

## Grand Lodge I.O.O.F. Meets at Moncton

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 12.—Horton McKay, grand patriarch, presided at the sessions of the Grand Encampment today, which marked the opening of the sixty-second annual session of Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland. The grand lodge reported sixteen deaths in the Encampment during the year. At the afternoon session the following were elected:  
Grand Patriarch, D. R. Wilson, St. Stephen.  
G. P. P., D. A. Bethune, Charlottetown.  
Grand Senior Warden, Robert J. Rae, Sydney.  
Grand Treasurer, C. A. Simpson, Truro.  
Grand Junior Warden, W. J. Urquhart, Truro.

Tonight there was a banquet to the Past Grand Masters, at which the principal speakers were Judge Borst, Grand Sire, of Amsterdam, N. Y., R. H. McKay, New Glasgow, and S. I. Walker, Truro.

## Rebekahs Meet

MONCTON, Aug. 12.—The Grand Lodge of Rebekahs held their session this morning and heard the reports of the president and secretary. The secretary reported the death of thirty-one brothers and twenty-four sisters during the year. The Rebekahs had a visitation and address from the Grand Sire, Judge Borst. Seventy-two candidates were initiated at the afternoon session. The Rebekahs elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:  
Miss Kate Mulligan, Summerside, president.  
Mrs. Wingrove, Grand Falls, New Brunswick, Vice-president.  
Barbara McKenzie, Westville, N. S. warden.  
Mrs. A. D. McKean, North Sydney, secretary.  
Mrs. P. A. MacGowan, Moncton, N. S., treasurer.

In the evening Pearl Rebekah Lodge, Moncton, exemplified the Rebekah degree on a number of candidates. More delegates are arriving tonight increasing the number in attendance at Grand Lodge to between six and seven hundred.

## Sinn Fein Paper Has Been Suppressed

(Special to the Guardian.)  
DUBLIN, August 13.—A party of policemen and military officers visited the offices of the Kilkenny people's weekly a Sinn Fein newspaper and seized and took away vital portions of the machinery this is the second occasion on which this newspaper has been suppressed.

## Denikine Continues Against Bolsheviki

(Special to the Guardian.)  
LONDON, August 13.—General Denikine's advance is continuing along the greater part of the southern Russian front against considerable Bolshevik resistance. The war office announced tonight that Kamishin which was taken on July 23 yielded 11,000 prisoners, 60 guns and 150 machine guns an immense amount of war material it was added.

## Carvell Chairman Assumes New Duties

OTTAWA, August 11.—Hon. F. Carvell, former Minister of Public Works, today took over his new duties as Chairman of the Railway Board, after first visiting the Department of Public Works and saying farewell to his staff.  
Mr. Carvell has been on a visit to New Brunswick since the day of the announcement of his retirement from the government.

## Germans Return Plant Of Canadian Company

ST. CATERINES, Aug. 13.—The Norton Manufacturing Company of Chippawa has received word that factory at Wesseling, Germany, has been ordered "turned back" to the company by the present German Government. It was found to be in pretty good condition, the company's advisers say, that the Norton Company will resume operations at once with their German factory with H. E. Whites, an expert chemist, who has had charge of a department at the Chippawa works to take charge. Mr. Whites will leave soon for Germany. Early in the war the German Government seized the Norton plant at Wesseling and probably used it for war purposes. The Norton Company is building a finished plant at Chippawa so that it will not be necessary to send any Canadian made abrasives to Worcester, Mass., to be finished. In bringing the goods back to Canada it was necessary to pay duty.

## New York Hotel Rates Advanced

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Increases in the prices of hotel accommodation in the city since July 1, as a direct result of the prohibition law, according to a statement issued here today by the Associated opposed to national prohibition.  
The statement, detailing results of an investigation in New York, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Kansas City, San Francisco, Louisville and other cities places the total figure necessary to cover the hotel's total loss of liquor revenues at \$500,000,000 a year.

## Extravagance on Part of Air Ministry

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Alleged extravagance on the part of the Air Ministry was the subject of debate in the House of Commons yesterday and last night. The debate began after Major General J. E. B. Seely, head of the Ministry had entailed economies effected since the armistice, twenty thousand officers and more than 200,000 men General Seely said, had been demobilized, while 210 aerodromes have been dismantled and 1927 rented buildings been returned to the owners. Only 10,000 officers and 60,000 men remain in the service. It is estimated appropriation for the force of £66,000,000, the General added, was necessary to clear up war contracts.

## BIGGEST GAMBLE IN BULLION MARKET

### Price of Silver so High That Foreign Silver Coin Can be Profitably Melted and Sold as Sheet Silver.

(Special to the Guardian.)  
LONDON, August 13.—One of the biggest silver gambles ever known in the world bullion market is now taking place with the result that the price of the metal has leaped to such heights as to render it profitable to English refiners to put foreign currency into the melting pot and sell it as refined sheet silver. The position is explained by a well known bullion dealer Chinese banks are buying heavily, he

says, and this demand from the far east coupled with the American grip on silver has left London very short. Instead of silver coming across the Atlantic to Europe it is being shipped to the United States and passed into currency. The Mexican revolution disturbed labor conditions and stopped the normal outflow from the mines of Mexico and the United States. No other countries really count for ninety percent of the world's supply comes from the United States and Mexico.

## GANGWAY COLLAPSED AT LAUZON, QUEBEC

### Two Killed, Two Dying and Eighteen Seriously injured

(Special to the Guardian.)  
QUEBEC, August 13.—Two men are dead and two are dying and eighteen others are suffering from grievous injuries and more minor casualties as the result of the collapse of the Gangway at the new chaplain drydock at Lauzon at closing time this afternoon. The Gangway which collapsed was

thirty eight feet in length, forty inches in width and was reinforced with steel supports. It was examined by experts after the accident and they pronounced it of sufficient strength for the purpose for which it was used. They attribute the collapse to the fact that the men were running when crossing it, the great weight coming so suddenly causing it to spring and snap.

## U. S. Casualties During the War

(Special to the Guardian.)  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The final casualty report from the central records office of the United States expeditionary forces in France made public by the war department today gave the total battle deaths as 49,945; total wounded 205,690 and prisoners 4,420. In the missing are only 127 names as compared with 264,000 for France and 123,000 for Britain; to July the authority had reported 149,433 cases of disability. It was estimated that the final total would be closed to 200,000.

## Viscount Grey to be U. S. Ambassador

(Special to the Guardian.)  
LONDON, Aug. 13.—Viscount Grey of Fallodon, who retired as head of the British Foreign Office in 1916, it is understood, is likely to accept the post of British Ambassador to the United States.  
(Special to the Guardian.)  
LONDON, August 13.—Viscount Grey of Fallodon (Sir Edward Grey) goes to the United States to represent the British Government after a brilliant career as head of the British Foreign Office. For eleven years, momentous in the political affairs of Europe, he was Secretary for Foreign Affairs from December 11, 1916. On several occasions during that period it was the initiative of Sir Edward Grey that caused the gathering clouds of war to disappear. It was he who made the last effort to prevent the European War when he urged the heads of the leading powers to meet and discuss the situation. In an attempt to put off hostilities. His efforts failed through the attitude of the German government and the German Emperor. Since his retirement from the foreign office Viscount Grey has been living in retirement in Northumberland. The New Ambassador's eyes began to trouble him in 1914 and the time it was reported he was totally blind. This report was exaggerated and the Viscount had difficulty in reading, although his eye trouble had improved somewhat.

## Plan to Overthrow German Government

BERLIN, August 13.—A complete and carefully drawn plan to overthrow the present government and further the world revolution is contained in a secret Spartacist circular to its agents and district chiefs. The document which was captured by the General Bureau for the study of Bolshevism begins by regretting that the Government signed the Peace Treaty thereby delaying inevitable crisis.

## Ferdinand's Fortune Now Confiscated

(Special to the Guardian.)  
GENEVA, August 13.—The seizure in England of securities belonging to former King Ferdinand of Bulgaria valued at \$2,000,000 will not altogether ruin the ex-monarch, according to reliable information obtained here. It is said that Ferdinand, toward the end of 1914, took the precaution of placing his fortune abroad, mostly in neutral countries. Swiss banks for instance are said to hold stocks and bonds belonging to Ferdinand valued a nearly a million pounds sterling. Large sums also were placed in Hungarian banks where he is now a fugitive with his family. A despatch from London in July said that securities belonging to Ferdinand of Bulgaria valued at \$2,000,000 which had been in London since the beginning of the war had that day been declared forfeited to the British crown. The forfeiture was made after proceedings before a commissioner and a jury.

## League of Nations Plan Attacked by Cabot Lodge

WASHINGTON, August 13.—In a two hour speech in the Senate yesterday, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, majority leader who is leading the fight for reservations to the League of Nations covenant, attacked the League plan as accepted by a Paris Conference as a deformed experiment, in which the inherent interests of the United States were sacrificed to dangerous internationalism.

## American Steamer In Distress

DOVER, Aug. 13.—A wireless message received here from the American Steamer Englewood saying, "Off Black Deep, sinking rapidly, rush help." The Englewood left New York on July 30th, for Rotterdam. She was formerly the City of Englewood and owned by the Port Leo Company of New York. She was built at Wilmington Del in 1896 and has registered tonnage of 3,646 tons. The Black Deep is off the mouth of the Thames River and about 20 miles east of south end.

## Tobacco Crop More Promising

WINDSOR, Aug. 13.—Reports from South Essex tobacco fields, which last month were discouraging, have become optimistic with the rains of last week that were so sorely needed. Everywhere the plants are coming along splendidly and growers believe this year's yield will equal, if not exceed that of other seasons.  
The price, it is predicted, will be the highest ever known in the history of the country, and from 40 to 45 cents a pound is being looked for by growers. Last year the top price paid was 35 cents. On this basis, many farmers who have gone in extensively for tobacco, will reap small fortunes. Early losses with tomatoes and other garden stuff have already been made up by prices being paid for tomatoes, so that vines that were bad in places are yielding enough in increased prices to compensate for the losses.

## One Big Union Leaders Chased

CALGARY, August 11.—Climax to the tense situation which has existed between the One Big Union element of the miners at Drumheller and the group of veterans employed at the Moodie mines, came Saturday evening when some of the veterans came quietly into Drumheller, seized five or six of the One Big Union leaders, took them out of town, and faced them outward on separate trails and told them to keep going. They have not been heard of since, though it is reported that they will attempt to return to the town. A clash is expected if this attempt is carried out.

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## Leaders Chased

The man run out yesterday are Secretary Sullivan of the One Big Union local organization and MacDonold, Dufols and Thompson, other prominent leaders in the movement.  
One of the prominent citizens of Drumheller said he would not vouch for the peace of the community much longer if the mines did not get going.