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SIR EDWARD KEMP REFUNDS WHOLE SALARY

\$25,219 Paid him for War-Time Services is Returned to Government. Generous Act Warmly Commended by Minister of Finance.

(Special to The Guardian.) OTTAWA, Aug. 2.—Sir Edward Kemp, now Minister without Portfolio and formerly Minister of the Overseas Forces of Canada, has written the Department of Finance returning uncashed all cheques received by him for salary during the war period. In all the cheques amount to \$25,219 covering the whole of the payments to him as Minister of Militia and later as Minister of Overseas Forces. Previous to being sworn in as Minister of Militia and subsequently as Minister of Overseas Forces Sir Edward was without portfolio and acted without remuneration as Chairman of the War Purchasing Commission. In this capacity and as Minister he had of necessity to incur expenses from time to time and was entitled to be reimbursed by the Government but he has rendered no account for such outlays nor will he do so. He has also refrained from drawing any of his seasonal indemnity for the last four sessions of Parliament. Sir Edward's contributions under these heads, apart altogether from his large contributions to patriotic war objects, run into a considerable amount. Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance has acknowledged appropriately Sir Edward's generosity on behalf of the government.

CANDIDATES WELL PLEASED WITH ANNOUNCEMENT OF SPECIAL PRIZE OFFER

75,000 Extra Votes for Every \$18 Worth of Subscriptions Secured This Week.

The majority of the candidates in the Guardian and Examiner's big prize Contest are quite jubilant over the fact that the management had decided to give a special prize in connection with the Contest. Many even went so far as to admit that they expected something of the kind would be given and were merely waiting the announcement before getting properly started. With yesterday's announcement, the candidates should now all feel really started in earnest. There is nothing more to wait for. Some real live young person is going to win two valuable prizes in this Contest. Who will it be? There is no getting away from the fact that the candidate who wins the Special Prize "Aeronola" will have laid a splendid foundation toward winning the Gray Dart.

BOLSHEVIKI CONDITIONS FOR PEACE EXORBITANT

Fighting Continues Near Lemburg and Warsaw. Soviet Demands Complete Surrender of Poland, Several Large Cities and all Arms and Munitions.

(Dom. Press Special.) LONDON, August 2.—With Bolshevik conditions for the virtual surrender of Poland as the price of peace, fighting is continuing near Warsaw and Lemburg, according to official communications of both sides received here today. A Basle dispatch from Bolshevik sources said the Soviet armistice delegates had informed the Polish representatives that the offensive would not halt until they had agreed to turn their country over to the Bolshevik military occupation for five years, surrender all war material, give up several big cities and seven per cent. of their railroad equipment. The Bolshevik Demands. PARIS, August 2.—Poland's armistice delegation has been confronted by the following demands from the Bolsheviks, according to a Basle dispatch today, quoting Soviet sources. Poles must renounce claims to Vilna, Minsk, Grodno and Choliz; all Polish rolling stock must be surrendered; Poland must submit to military occupation for five years; Russia shall be permitted to take over Poland's coal and steel as security for Soviet administration in that country, until 1921, after which the Poles will be allowed to decide on their future form of government. Polish Situation Very Critical. LONDON, August 2.—Cavalry raiders of Bolshevik are operating six miles north of Warsaw, according to a dispatch from the Polish capital received here at 4 p.m. today. At an early hour today no definite word had come of the Russian Polish armistice negotiations and British officials were plainly worried. They feared the Reds intended to accomplish a complete Polish disaster, rendering them absolutely helpless before imposing their drastic terms of peace.

TRANS-ATLANTIC SHIPS PASS BY QUEENSTOWN

Great Resentment in Ireland Over Abandonment of Queenstown as Port of Call for Trans-Atlantic Liners.

(Dom. Press Special.) Queenstown, August 2.—Much resentment was caused here today by news that trans-Atlantic liners which usually call at this port would go direct to England instead. The Celtic was the first steamship to pass by Queenstown. It was scheduled to touch here but it went right on to Liverpool. Many believed the move was ordered by the English so that Archbishop Mannix, whose Sinn Fein utterances aroused Premier Lloyd George, would have to disembark in England on his arrival from America and a demonstration at the dock. It was also believed the move was aimed to deprive Ireland of the commercial benefit of having the liners call here.

IRISH SITUATION GROWS MORE TENSE

Fears That it May Burst into a General Conflagration at Any Moment. Between 60,000 and 80,000 Troops in Ireland.

DUBLIN, August 2.—Fears that the Irish situation which is daily growing more tense, might burst into a general conflagration at any moment are expressed in responsible quarters here. At the present there is virtually no civil law south of the Boyne River except that administered by Republican courts, but it is pointed out that each day finds the balance between military and revolutionary rule growing more equal. It is estimated there are between sixty thousand and eighty thousand fully equipped British soldiers in Ireland, and they are being reinforced daily by men arriving from across the channel. As a result there are more freemen and more stubborn battles between the troops and the Republican Volunteers, who for a time had done much their own way. There have also been many arrests for carrying arms and seditious literature, as reports to court-martials show. It is expected the number of these arrests will increase if the Government succeeds in carrying its "drastic measures" in the House of Commons next week.

"WAR NEVER AGAIN" IS GERMAN SLOGAN

(Dom. Press Special.) BERLIN, August 2.—Six years ago in the early days of August 1914, the streets of Berlin were crowded with war frenzied crowds cheering for battle, wildly cheering the marching soldiers, predicting a quick victory. But times have changed. A crowd of 2,500 people gathered Sunday in Lustgarten, the scene of some of the biggest war demonstrations and commemorated the anniversary of Germany's declaration of war on Russia, vowing never to go to war again. They carried banners with the slogan "never again will we go to war," in striking contrast to belligerent declarations of 1914. Hundreds of war cripples participated. Some of them were carried on stretchers. Many pupils, the text being based on the anniversary of the declaration of war against Russia.

P. W. COLLEGE MATRICULATION EXAMINATIONS

Table with columns for SCHOLARSHIPS, MATRICULANTS, and ANNOUNCEMENTS. Lists names and marks for various subjects like English, French, Mathematics, etc.

Prince of Wales Breaks Race Record

(Dom. Press Special.) BRISBANE, Australia, August 2.—The Prince of Wales, riding Red Lock, broke the record at the Ascot race course today, doing a mile in 48 1/2 seconds.

IMPERIAL PRESS SAW REAL STORM

AT FREDERICTON, N. B. LIGHTNING STRUCK BUILDINGS ON BOTH SIDES OF TRAIN AS PARTY WERE LEAVING. FREDERICTON, August 1.—The Imperial Press Conference Party had what was declared to be one of the most enjoyable "stop-offs" of their tour here today, until a terrific electrical storm broke out at the conclusion of a civic luncheon. Just as the time they were to have enjoyed a continuation of their motor drive about the capital of New Brunswick prior to their train's starting over the St. John Valley Railway to Woodstock, where they transfer from the C. N. R. to the C. P. R. system en route to Quebec. When the National Anthem had been sung the party started to leave the legislative buildings, only to find a terrific downpour of rain in progress with sharp bolts of lightning and heavy thunder. Just as No. 1 train C. P. R. was about to pull out, there was a particularly severe crash, and a moment later flames were seen to break out from a large barn in Devon across the St. John river which the C. N. R. Station. The building destroyed as well as its contents of hay and machinery, together with a colt and three head of pure bred cattle, the loss being \$6,000. The lightning also struck the Christ Church Cathedral which a few years ago was fired and almost entirely destroyed in an electrical storm, but the only damage so far reported is the breaking off of a portion of the cross on the spire. The residence of Stanley Douglas, a local lumberman and saw mill operator, who had been participating with Vice-Chairman Robert Donald of the conference, was also struck by the lightning but escaped with a few shingles knocked off the roof, and a large beam in the upper story being split. The Cathedral is less than 200 yards from the C. N. R. Station where No. 1 train was standing, while Mr. Douglas' house is about twice that distance in the opposite direction, the lightning actually hitting on both sides of the train but not touching it.

C. M. B. A. Meeting Last Night

A very interesting meeting of the Catholic Benefit Association was held last evening in the C.M.B.A. Hall. Among those present were very Rev. Mgr. McLean, V.G., Rev. G.J. McLellan, D.D., Rector St. Dunstan's University, Rev. Father McQuaid, J.J. Hughes, M.P., and many others. Mr. McGuigan, M.P., President of the association, in the course of his address the Grand said that an account of a very misleading character had appeared in the daily newspapers and certain fraternal societies, and their business to or in Canada, it had telegraphed G.D. Finlayson, Inspector of Insurance, Ottawa, and had received a wire from him stating that the C.M.B.A.'s valuation was a qualified actuary solution to the society to be actually solvent. This announcement was received with approval, the speaker then read the full report of the valuation and the assets of the association by Dr. Frank Sanderson, M.A., L.L.D., consulting actuary, which demonstrated that there is a surplus in the beneficiary fund of \$54,294.86. The auditors gathering were pleased on up and the accounts of the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer in investments of the funds were satisfactory, and duly vouched. A vote of thanks moved by C. W. P. Seale was unanimously tendered the Grand President and Mrs. Curran, for their visit to the Island.

Another Suicide At Niagara

(Special to The Guardian.) TORONTO, Aug. 2.—Mumbling a few words to himself but without giving any warning of his intentions, W. E. Switzer, an aged passenger on the Cayuga, jumped from the rail of the vessel yesterday afternoon and was drowned. He was in the water for some time but it was not until Dr. H. G. Kemp, one of the passengers had worked for an hour on his body, that all hopes of reviving him was given up. Nothing is known about Switzer, and the only mark of identification found was "W. E. Switzer" plainly tattooed on his arm a little above the elbow. What his address is, the authorities don't know. The body was taken to the city morgue on the arrival of the steamship last night but an inquest has not been ordered. The Cayuga had just cleared the Niagara River and was passing the second buoy on her return trip, about 7.30 last night, when Switzer made the leap. He was standing alone on the after-part of the upper deck and according to one of the passengers who was standing fairly close to him, was muttering excitedly to himself. He cleared the rail like a flash, giving no one an opportunity to prevent him. Dr. Kemp, the only physician on board, left his party and made his way to the lower deck the moment the cry was raised that there was a man overboard. He saw little of the commotion which ensued on the top deck but told the Globe last night that from what he had later heard it was with the greatest difficulty that the crew had managed to keep the passenger back. He said that Switzer was well advanced in years and might be anywhere between 60 and 75 years old. The Cayuga had the usual Sunday crowd on board and docked at Toronto about half an hour late.

WANTED 100 LITTLE PIGS

from 5 to 7 weeks old, Friday, August 6th, also a couple choice driving horses. M. W. Wood, Charlottetown, R. R. No. 1. 1920-7-31-21.

WANTED—TEACHER

for River View School, No. 59 Kings Co. Second or Third Class. Mid Summer vacation. Supplement \$100.00. Freeman Robertson, Secy., Cardigan, R. R. No. 5. 2022-8-3-31.

A PUBLIC AUCTION OF FARM

including carriages, household furniture, etc., at Gordon McDonald's. Positively Monday 2 p. m., August 2nd. 1924-7-31-21.

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WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK

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GIRL WANTED TO ASSIST

family to assist with housework. Good wages; apply at Guardian Office. 1769-7-21-1f.

ATLANTIC FLEET ARRIVES IN PORTSMOUTH

(Dom. Press Special.) PORTSMOUTH, England, August 2.—The main body of the Atlantic fleet has arrived for the purpose of midsummer leave.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON ETC.

TORONTO, Aug. 3.—Southwest to northwest winds; cloudy with a few scattered showers. The tide will be high this afternoon at 12:43 and tomorrow at 1:24; it will be high tomorrow morning at 1:30 and Thursday at 1:50. Sun sets this evening at 7:27 and tomorrow at 7:26; it rises tomorrow morning at 4:45 and Thursday at 4:46. Full moon Friday, July 30th at 7:19 p. m. quarter moon, Saturday August 7th at 8:51 a. m. The highest temperature yesterday was 75.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

POSITIVELY NO ADVERTISEMENTS accepted at this office for next day's issue after 6 p. m., unless paid for in advance. \*401.

THE MARQUIS OF QUEENSBURY

JOHANNESBURG, August 2.—The Marquis of Queensbury is dead here. He worked for many years as a newspaper man in the United States.

No Reduction in Shoe Prices Now

MONTREAL, July 31.—The impression gathered from some of the speeches at the recent shoe convention that some accommodation in the way of easier shoe prices might soon be expected, would appear to be somewhat premature. Joseph Daoust, of Daoust, Lalonde & Co., explained today that when he spoke of a 10 per cent reduction on the price of shoes to retailers, he was referring to the prices at which future orders would be placed, and did not suggest that reductions could be expected in present orders. He strongly opposed any attempt at cancellation of present orders.

Commission on Tariff Revision

(Dom. Press Special.) OTTAWA, August 2.—The Cabinet Council this week will make arrangements for the Cabinet Tariff Commission, which will travel through the country this fall to take evidence upon which the tariff will be revised at next session of Parliament. Sir Henry Drayton will head the Commission and the others probably will be Hon. J.A. Calder and Hon. G.D. Robertson. As Mr. Calder is going to England shortly he will probably be replaced temporarily in the inquiry by Hon. S.F. Tolmie. It will begin in the far west early in September.

Lenine Greeted English Communists

(Dom. Press Special.) LONDON, August 2.—Lenin has sent a wireless greeting to the English communist party formed Saturday. He criticizes Sylvia Pankhurst and her followers for refusing co-operation.