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KING GEORGE AT WORK FOR PEACE

Important Conference on Home Rule Is Called by Him

SETTLEMENT NOW EXPECTED

Leaders of All Political Parties Assembled—Matter Gives Pleasure to London—Money Sent From States to Redmond

London, July 20.—Late last night leaked through news that the king's intervention in the Irish crisis had resulted in a conference of the party leaders being summoned to meet at Buckingham Palace room at 10 o'clock today.

The king, commenting on the king's application, says that the conference is an application, though in an infinitely more important matter, of the principle so often and happily brought into play by the intervention of a superior independent and disinterested authority.

The news that King George had called a round table conference of the leaders of all the political parties in the United Kingdom to discuss the crisis in Ulster, caused a pleasant surprise today in political circles here.

PREMIER ASQUITH IN HOUSE

London, July 20.—Premier Asquith at the opening of the House of Commons today announced that King George, in view of the grave political situation has considered it right to summon a conference of the representatives of the political parties, both British and Irish, to discuss the outstanding points of the problem of Irish government.

The premier added that the Right Hon. James Lowther, speaker of the House of Commons, would, at 10 o'clock this morning, preside over the conference. In view of this development of the situation Premier Asquith said he would not ask the house to discuss today the bill to amend the Irish Home Rule Bill.

The invitations to the conference have been accepted by two representatives each of the regular opposition, of the Ulster Unionists, of the Irish Nationalists and of the government. Premier Asquith said he hoped the meeting of the conference would begin tomorrow.

Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, on his behalf remarked that it had "loyally accepted the command" of His Majesty, John Redmond, leader of the Irish Nationalists, scarcely appeared to regard the proposed conference as attractive. He said: "My colleagues and myself take no responsibility for the proposal of calling this convention, and I do not think I am called upon to express an opinion as to whether the result will prove useful or the contrary. The invitation came to John Dillon and myself in the form of a command from the king, and as such, we at once obeyed it."

New York, July 20.—Ten thousand dollars of a promised fund of \$100,000 was forwarded on Saturday by the United Irish League of America in New York, to be used for the nationalist cause in Ireland. In September Mr. Redmond will meet the league at a convention in Philadelphia.

DEATH AGAIN IN COAL MINE TROUBLES

Central City, Ky., July 20.—County Attorney W. H. Gray and a posse left here yesterday for Cleaton, Ky., to investigate a reported attack on the office of the Revier Coal Company Saturday night, in which one striking miner is said to have been killed and five wounded. J. P. Cox, superintendent of the mine, and a guard, it is reported, fired into a body of about twenty-five strikers who attempted to destroy the office with dynamite.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis.—The weather this morning is fine throughout the domain, except north of Lake Superior, where it is raining. Very high temperatures were recorded yesterday. In the afternoon Alberta and Saskatchewan while in Ontario and Quebec the weather was comparatively cool.

Fine and Warm. Maritime.—Westerly winds, fine and moderately warm today and Tuesday.

Sensational Trial Stirs the French Capital Interest Today

Mme. Caillaux Arraigned for the Shooting of Figaro Editor—Throng Try to Get Into Court Room

Paris, July 20.—The thoughts of all Parisians were occupied today solely by the opening of the trial of Mme. Caillaux for the murder of Gaston Calmette, editor of the "Figaro" on March 16th.

The dramatic setting of the affair, involving political intrigues in which the prisoner's husband, a former French premier and minister of finance, was a prominent figure, was just to the taste of the French public. Added to this was the rumored threat of Royalists hot-heads to create a disturbance during the trial, and the extensive precautions taken by the government to prevent an outbreak.

Long before the opening of the Palace of Justice, crowds, defying the drizzling rain, had assembled in the vicinity and special forces of police were called out to keep them in order.

From an early hour, long lines formed in the Place Dauphine and the Boulevard Du Palais, hoping to be lucky enough to secure the few places left for the general public in the court room, which had been for the most part, closed to press representatives and reporters. A few homeless waifs had even taken up their positions outside the building last night, with the idea of selling their places to others, willing to pay high for the chance of admission.

Mme. Caillaux had been conducted for the prison of the Conciergerie to the court by secret ways, so that those outside had no opportunity of cheering or hissing her, according to their sympathies. The other prominent figures in the case, however, were the objects of demonstrations. Among them were the procurator general, Jules Herbeux, in charge of the prosecution, and Fernand Labori, a famous advocate, whose face is known to everyone owing to his connection with the Dreyfus trial.

FLEMMING ON STAND THIS AFTERNOON AGAIN IN THE DUGAL TIMBER LAND INQUIRY

St. John, N. B., July 20.—Mr. Brankley's leanings in federal politics. He denied that Mr. Brankley had paid anything to the defendant or to him for the privilege of violating the law prohibiting the exportation of roused pulp wood from crown lands.

The witness could not recollect any of his colleagues having seen him if the lumbermen were not paying more than their bonus for the renewal of the licenses. He had been reported to him that the Bathurst Lumber Company were cutting under-stamped logs and had referred to the city today for the reasons of the Dugal inquiry which resumed this afternoon.

The inquiry into the Dugal charges against Premier Fleming in connection with the timber lands collection was resumed this afternoon at two o'clock. Premier Fleming took the stand and Mr. Carvell continued his cross-examination.

The premier said that he was managing director of the Fleming-Gibson Lumber Company and as such looked after their finances. He admitted having received one letter from W. H. Berry, June 8, soon after Berry arrived in Boston, but said that he had not replied to it. He also denied having had any communication with G. C. Cutler since April 6, or knowing whether Berry had seen Mr. Cutler since he left St. John.

The premier said he knew nothing of the Amherst girl.

QUEBEC THEATRES WERE OPEN YESTERDAY; NOW COMES A COURT CASE

Quebec, July 20.—Two of Quebec's play houses opened their doors to the public yesterday in contravention of the Sunday act, and this morning Chief of Police Trudel has entered action against them. They are the Auditorium and Princess Theatres.

The managers say that since the city has allowed amusements and a scenic railway to be operated on Sunday, they feel they have as much right to be tolerated as the Quebec exhibition.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Two Social Democratic women yesterday invaded the office of the Schwabische Zeitung in Stuttgart, Germany, and for five minutes mercilessly thrashed the editor because of an article in which he had maligned women.

A solemn memorial mass for the late Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria and his wife was celebrated by Archbishop Bruchsal in St. James Cathedral, Montreal, on Saturday morning. Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice and Hon. Louis Coderre secretary of state represented the Canadian government at the service.

C. P. R. steamer Empress of India arrived at Hong Kong between noon and two p. m., July 17.

The strong attack was made by the rebels on the city of Cape Haitien today, but the assaulting force was eventually repulsed by the government troops.

HAVE NO HOPE FOR VESSELS WRECKED ON CAPE BRETON COAST

Halifax, N. S., July 20.—None of three vessels which were wrecked on the coast of Cape Breton during the storm of Saturday and Sunday, can be saved according to advices received today. Although the crews had some difficulty in reaching shore, no lives were lost.

THE CRO-SOCEAN FLIGHT

Hammondsport, N. Y., July 20.—Lieut. Porte, R. N., pilot of the Rodman War-amer flying boat, expects to start for Newfoundland not later than August 1. In his attempt at crossing the ocean he hopes to make the Azores islands from Newfoundland and believes a twenty-four hour fuel supply is a reasonably safe margin.

BOY DIES IN SAND HEAP WHILE AT PLAY IN IT

Quebec, July 20.—While playing on Saturday afternoon in a gravel pit, where they had made a house of sand, three boys were buried and one of them Owen Dakyiva, died before help could reach him.

CATTLE POISONED

Four of Shediac Cape Farmer's Herd Dead—Stomachs Sent to St. John For Analysis

Moncton, July 20.—Farmers in the vicinity of Shediac Cape are aroused over the discovery of what is alleged to be a flagrant case of cattle poisoning. On Friday morning John Murray, a well known resident, found five of his best cattle dead in fields near his house. The stomachs are being sent to M. V. Paddock, St. John, for analysis. It is said there is a suspect.

F. S. Wilkins' home was entered by a burglar on Friday night and \$7 or \$8 and a small quantity of tobacco stolen. On Saturday evening the police arrested George Carman charged with a series of petty thefts.

Chief Ridout has received a letter from U. S. Immigration Agent Miller at St. John stating that Henry and Margaret LeBlanc are in jail at Bangor awaiting a deportation warrant. LeBlanc is alleged to have eloped from Bangor in last April with his sister-in-law, leaving his wife and six small children.

FEAR MYSTERY HAS NOT YET BEEN SOLVED

Chicago, Ill., July 20.—A body, believed to be that of Catherine Winters, of Newcastle, Ind., for which a search had been made for more than a year, was exhumed in a potter's field at Urbana, Ill., yesterday.

Dr. Winters, of Newcastle, Ill., father of the child, who disappeared in March, 1913, said the last of the dead girl did not correspond with that of his daughter. "I don't think she is my little girl," asserted Dr. Winters, over the long distance telephone.

"My girl had brown hair," Dr. Winters said, "while the little girl whose body they exhumed, had very light blonde hair. I don't believe it is she."

STRIKE OF STREET RAILWAY MEN IN EDMONTON NEAR

Edmonton, Alb., July 20.—Edmonton street railway employees at a secret mass meeting, decided by a large majority to go out on strike. No date has been fixed. The trouble is over the question of seniority.

CARRIES MAILS BY AEROPLANE

Sydney, N. S. W., July 20.—Aviator Guillaux brought the mails from Melbourne, South Australia, to this city, a distance of 400 miles yesterday by aeroplane. He made the distance in five hours and twenty minutes.

CANOE TRIP FOR GIRLS

Fifteen girls of the Natural History Society left on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. William McIntosh, and while away will take a long canoe trip, planning to arrive at the head of the Bellisle by July 28, when the annual outing of the girls will be held. They will visit several old Indian camp sites, looking for curios, and through the Porto Bello stream, down to French lake, through to the Maguapit lake, from there to Grand lake. They will then come down the river and go up to the Bellisle. Lyman Anglin, son of Dr. J. V. Anglin, accompanied the party.

TWO ARE ELECTROCUTED BY WIRES AT RUMFORD

Rumford, Me., July 20.—Henry Hilton and Thomas Pietro of Portland were instantly killed on Friday afternoon when a hanging wire on a derrick which they were moving came in contact with a high tension wire at the Oxford paper mill. Hilton is survived by a wife and several children. Pietro is unknown.

U. S. CONGRESS

Washington, July 20.—Senate leaders today informed President Wilson that as soon as the railroad securities bill is ready for presentation, quick action on the entire trust programme will follow. Mr. Wilson said that most of the objections to the legislation were based on provisions of the Clayton Bill as it passed the house, and which has since been eliminated.

WERE IN FIERCE GALE

London, July 20.—Exciting landings were made on the Welsh seashore today by three of the twenty-four balloons which started in Paris yesterday in the annual race of the Grand Prix. The balloons had crossed the English channel before a fierce gale and were obliged to descend in order to avoid being driven to sea.

COMING TO COURTENAY BAY

Captain Taylor and a crew of eight men arrived at Courtenay Bay on St. John on Friday to take charge of the tug and dredge property of the Norton-Griffiths Dredging Co., which have been anchored near Lubeck for the last year. They are to be brought to St. John in a few days.

PRESENT AND FORMER NEW HAVEN HEADS



Chairman Howard Elliott, present director of the New Haven Railroad, under whose directorate, it is charged, from \$70,000,000 to \$70,000,000 was wasted in reckless and profligate financial operations.

Washington, D. C., July 20.—President Huestis of the New Haven Railroad and several directors of the road, conferred today with Attorney General McReynolds in the hope of reaching some agreement for the dissolution of the New Haven merger without an anti-trust suit.

Furies Had Designs On Cup Challenger

Two Attempts Frustrated—Annie Bell Makes Another Outrageous Scene in Court

London, July 20.—It has been found out this time that the few months the militant terrors of England turned their attention to Sir Thomas Blount, a militant suffragette, as he committed her for trial today on the double charge of attempting to destroy the Metropolitan Labor Temple in South London and the Old Church of St. John Evangelist.

She evaded the sitting of the court by singing the "Marseillaise" and shouting and struggling with the court attendants. She chafed the magistrate on the facility of sending her to prison, saying—"I have been there ten times. I have never yet served my sentence." She added—"The blowing up of a church does not count, not even if it is blown out of creation."

SECOND CHAIN GANG IF GUARDS PROVIDED

Provision for a second chain gang is an idea which Commissioner Potts may lay before the county council tomorrow. He said this morning that there is frequently material for two and some times three gangs in the county jail and he thinks it would be better to have the men at work than losing in the cells. Sixteen men is as large a number as can be reasonably entrusted to two guards, and until the number of guards is increased, the county cannot take advantage of the labor of the rest of the prisoners. The commissioner would like to see funds provided to employ extra guards were needed.

If the guards were available another gang would be put to work at the public playgrounds in Rockwood Park to help for the drainage of the grounds, but he believes that the drain should be extended farther to take the over-charge water from the park at the foot of the hill. If this were done and he had the men he could go ahead with the filling.

LIKELY GET MOST OF THE LOGS BUT AT COST OF MUCH MONEY

All the men available were put to work this morning by Jones Bros., of Apohaqui in picking up the logs sent astrift by Saturday's cloud burst. Mr. Jones, in conversation with the Times this afternoon, said that about 4,000 pieces were scattered about the Passaic meadows, while the balance was kept in the boom at Hampton or at some point between Apohaqui and Hampton. The booms at Apohaqui were being renewed, and preparations made to get the business going again.

Mr. Jones said that he did not expect that there would be any great loss of logs, but the time consumed in picking up those that got astrift would mean a great deal of money.

Majority Cut Down

Portage La Prairie, Man., July 20.—The reelection in Lakeside constituency has reduced the majority of J. J. Jarland, over McPherson, Liberal, from thirteen to ten.

Britain's Might Shown at Spithead

Portsmouth, July 20.—The British home fleet, composed of more than 300 fighting ships, and an equal number of auxiliaries, including submarines, torpedo boat destroyers and sea planes, was led out to sea by King George this morning. His Majesty was on board the royal yacht, accompanied by the Prince of Wales and Winston Spencer Churchill and the other lords of the admiralty.

At the entrance to the English Channel the royal yacht dropped anchor and the ships, in line abreast, passed in review before His Majesty while a fleet of sea planes from the Calshot airship station flew in pairs above the royal yacht and circled about the slowly moving ships.

It took the great fleet two hours to pass before the king.

DECLINES TO GIVE UP THE GENERAL

Constitutionalists Detain Stmr. Flying Norway's Flag

FEDERAL OFFICER ABOARD

Washington, D. C., July 20.—With developments in the Mexican situation apparently taking shape for a peaceful solution, administration officials today took forward to the outcome of a meeting soon to take place at Monterey, between Carranza and the three congressional leaders from Francisco Coahuila, Huerta's successor. They are to discuss conditions for the transfer of the Mexico City administration.

Washington officials were confident that the parties soon would reach an agreement for the establishment of a new government. Apprehension over reports that the followers of Zapata, a southern rebel, were dangerously near the capital, was somewhat relieved by dispatches from Mexico City. It was declared there was a sufficient force of soldiers and volunteers to repulse Zapata, if he should attempt to advance on the capital. Envoys from Carranza now are in touch with the southern rebel. They seek to turn his sympathies toward the Constitutional cause.

Another demonstration of the attitude assumed by Carranza in his role of provisional president, was seen in the announcement of a Federal communique above Vera Cruz, to the effect that the new administration does not recognize the existence of a revolution, and considers all Mexicans "loyal subjects" as citizens. The communique stated that Carranza declared a proclamation had been issued in Mexico City granting so-called revolutionists permission to pass through Federal lines if they did not carry arms.

NOLAN LIKELY TO BE FREED AND SENT HOME

Kingston, Ont., July 20.—It is understood here that John Nolan, the last of the trio of dynamiters sentenced to life imprisonment in the Kingston penitentiary for attempting to blow up the Welland Canal fourteen years ago, will be pardoned and deported to Ireland. Nolan is about fifty years old, and is a physical wreck.

Since the release of Dullman, who was the leader of the plot to strike a blow at Great Britain in the cause of home rule for Ireland, through the wrecking of the canal, Nolan's friends have been very active and it is probable that he will be pardoned and sent home. Nolan has not been in good health for some time, and recently he was transferred to the pils, despite the fact that he is one of the model prisoners. Nolan was in America only a short time when he became involved in the activities of the secret society which planned the wrecking of the canal. He will be transferred to the pils, as soon as he is released. Dullman was released last week, and Walsh died in a local hospital a few years ago.

STATUE OF NORDICA FOR NEW YORK; ONLY ONE OF WOMAN

New York, July 20.—Friends of the late Madame Nordica have enlisted the aid of prominent musicians and music lovers in a plan to erect a heroic statue of the diva in Central Park.

Should a statue be erected it will be the only one of a woman in New York, and one of three of women in the United States. Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, it is understood, will be asked to design the statue.

THE BERRIES

The wholesale price of strawberries at Indiantown this morning was twelve cents a box.

TRAVELER FOR LIQUOR HOUSE TOUCHED FOR \$50 IN FREDERICTON

Fredricton, N. B., July 20.—The Fredericton police department inaugurated a new departure in enforcement of the Scott Act when they summoned B. M. Beckwith, traveler for Lawrence A. Wilson company, wholesale liquor dealer of Montreal on a charge of selling, bartering and causing liquor to be shipped into Fredericton, a prohibitory district.

At first he was inclined to fight the case but when the police said they would subpoena as witnesses several customers he decided to pursue the course of least resistance and paid a fine of \$50 and \$7 costs.

This is said to be the first case of the kind in Canada.

Mrs. Fankhurst Free Again

London, July 20.—Mrs. Emmeline Fankhurst, militant suffragette leader, was again released from Holloway jail on Saturday.

The Pull of Advertising

Advertising does not jerk—"IT PULLS," says John Wansmaker. Illustrating this remark the observations of a large roofing manufacturer are interesting. He makes a branded article and advertises it exclusively in the newspapers the world over.

"If it is an advertisement of our company the reader encounters it gradually, and subconsciously the thought filters through his mind that this roofing is the best purchasable roofing." "A year or so later, when the occasion demands that he buy roofing, he thinks of this kind of roofing and asks for it." "If he talks about the contemplated purchase of roofing with the members of the family, they too have read the daily papers, and say, 'Why don't you buy roofing?' They do this because they believe they know something about this kind of roofing, and they DO know about it."