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LAUSANNE, BUT NOT BEFORE NOV. 13

British Government Upset Affects Peace Conference

Proposes Swiss Location for Meeting re Near East—Russia in Note Demands Participation in the Negotiations.

London, Oct. 20.—The British government has proposed to France and Italy that the allied conference to discuss peace in the Near East should be held at Lausanne, Switzerland, Reuter's says it has learned.

Owing to the political crisis in Great Britain and the cabinet situation in Italy it is suggested that the conference shall not be opened before November 13.

Paris, Oct. 20.—Lord Curzon has informed Premier Poincaré that owing to the political situation in England, he thinks it impossible that the Turkish peace conference can convene before November 13. Lord Curzon suggests Lausanne as the meeting place.

Moscow, Oct. 20.—The repeated refusal of the powers to take into consideration Russia's most elementary and just demands, far from contributing to the consolidation of a general peace, creates conditions which are likely to bring serious international complications, says a note addressed to Great Britain and Italy by the Soviet foreign minister, M. Tschitcherin.

Considering Russia's geographical position and the political boundaries uniting her with some of the Black Sea states, says the note, it should be quite evident that a peaceful solution of the Near Eastern problem is impossible without Soviet participation in the treaty negotiations.

"In view of the approaching date of the conference which will study the Near East problem, as a whole, the Russian government makes known that it demands participation in this conference upon the same basis and under the same conditions as all other contracting parties."

To place before Russia decisions already adopted without her participation, says the note, would simply force Russia not to recognize these decisions.

Paris, Oct. 20.—The Near Eastern peace conference date has been tentatively set for Nov. 13 at Lausanne. A preliminary conference, which it had been proposed to hold today in London was abandoned after France had refused to approve of London as the meeting place.

France is urging the necessity of holding the meeting as soon as possible because, officials say, the Turks are becoming daily more restless, and will not regard the allied promises as definite until the peace conference is actually under way.

P. E. L. SCHOONER IS WRECKED ON HOME COAST
Charlottetown, P. E. I., Oct. 20.—Fore and main masts carried overboard in a heavy wind and sea, the seventy-eight ton schooner C. A. Chisholm of Charlottetown, was driven on Gull Point reef, P. E. I., yesterday morning and is a total wreck. Her captain and crew of two escaped in the ship's boat. The vessel had 128 tons of coal. She was owned by J. Carragher and Company, Charlottetown.

OTTAWA THINKS UPSET WILL NOT PREVENT EMBARGO REMOVAL
Ottawa, Oct. 20.—(Canadian Press)—It is understood here that negotiations for the removal of the British embargo against Canadian goods are proceeding favorably. The uncertainty prevailing at the time of an election may affect the negotiations, but the feeling here is apparently optimistic.

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BIRTHS

HUESTIS—On Oct. 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Huestis, city, a son.

MARRIAGES

MARTIN-MULLIN—At Church of the Holy Innocents, New York City, on October 7, by the rector, Rev. T. J. Lynch, Harry J. Martin of Boston, Mass., to Josephine, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Mullin of St. John.

DEATHS

GANONG—At his home, Elmhurst, Kings county, N. B., on October 19, after a short illness, Francis N. Ganong, aged seventy-seven years, leaving his wife, three nieces and four nephews to mourn.

Funeral at one o'clock on Saturday to Kingston cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

WILSON—In loving memory of Jack Wilson, who departed this life Oct. 19, 1919.

MOTHER.

CHIEF DESKAHEH



Leader of the Six Nation Indians who are demanding the privileges of home rule on their reserves near Brantford. They claim to be allies, not subjects, of the British Empire. They have just been offered arbitration.

STEAMER DREAM SINKS AND FOUR LIVES ARE LOST

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Claimant at home and Melbourne, also living at Lower Jemseg. There is also one daughter, Greta, at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Medley Dykeman leave four or five small children, all at home. The Dykmans were on their way to the city to pay a visit to Mrs. F. R. Patterson, 23 Pitt street, their cousin.

Re. H. Gale, superintendent of the General Public Hospital, and W. V. Gale also are cousins.

Persons familiar with the course of the St. John river, especially motorists who seldom use the steamers, will be able to place the location of this morning's accident at a point about a mile and a half or possibly two miles below Palmer's Wharf on the eastern side of the stream. Another mark is the mouth of the Belisle. At this junction of the main river and the tributary the tide is extremely swift and in rough weather quite a chop sets up here. This may have had a bearing on the sinking of the Dream. The adjacent landings are Shampers, Sterrett's, Oak Point wharf, Gorman's Bluff and others.

A later message from the home of Medley Johnston, above Oak Point, this afternoon, states that Jefferson Dykeman, who is a man about fifty-five years of age, had considerably recovered from his terrible experience, but was in great grief over the loss of his life partner.

It also transpired that one of the crew, being cured for at Gorman's Bluff, is in a deplorable state from exhaustion. Dr. Atchison of Kingston has been in attendance upon the required people in that locality.

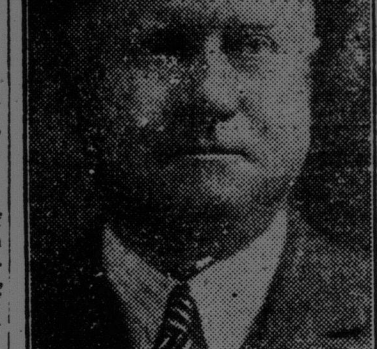
Word from the head of the Mistake tells that upon Mrs. Medley Johnston giving the alarm on seeing the Dream disappear, the crew of Seely's saw mill jumped to the assistance of Mr. Johnston and by their strenuous work made quick time in getting to the struggling people.

Rescued Man Relates.

Jefferson Dykeman of the rescued passengers, told his helpers this afternoon that he was on deck when the boat careened, nearly throwing him overboard. The vessel filled and sank within a minute. His wife was below and could not be notified, as was the case with the others who were drowned in the cabin.

The steamer Dream was built in 1880 in Newark, N. J., as a steam pleasure yacht. Her frame was of oak and she was fitted up with all conveniences. She was owned and operated for twenty-five years by Senator W. H. Thorne as a pleasure craft, and during that period of time carried a large number of notable people. About two years ago she was sold to Fred S. Heans, who sold here a year and a half ago to the Oceanic S. S. Co., which operated her in the river service.

CANADA'S RAILWAY CHIEF.



A new picture of Sir Henry Worth Thornton, the recently appointed head of the Canadian National Railways system.

MARVELOUS NEW ELECTRICAL TREATMENT

Thousands of people in the States are talking of the wonderful results attained by A. E. Kennard, of Chestnut Road, Newport, a bootmaker, who has studied nervous diseases, and who by electric treatment and the breaking down of adhesions and manipulation has been able to treat successfully cases regarded by doctors as chronic. He has performed operations on defective eyes and ears so skillfully that

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

NEW PLAY AT OPERA HOUSE

"My Mother" Attracting Large Crowds

All those who were fortunate enough to see the Bob Ott Company in their presentation of their feature bill "My Mother," at the Opera House last evening, will long remember it as the most pleasing entertainment of its kind they have ever witnessed in this city. At both evening performances the theatre was filled to capacity and the enthusiastic applause which greeted the efforts of the talented performers was ample proof of the success of the bill. "My Mother" is a regular play with just enough comedy cleverly introduced, and a series of musical and dance numbers to make an attractive diversion.

In the role of the hero, Bob Ott, minus his comedy makeup, handles a heavy part in a most splendid manner. There is an ease with which he carries off the difficult situations which makes the play most realistic.

The bill is featured by entirely new scenic settings and wardrobe. Friday night will be local talent night. The adults taking part will receive separate cash prizes in addition to the prizes awarded the children.

At the Saturday matinee there will be a singing class, and Kewpie dolls, now on display in the window at "The Palm" confectionery store, corner Union and Coburg streets, will be given to the ladies and children.

GENERAL HARRINGTON



He has received the official thanks and commendation of Britain for his services in the Near Eastern situation.

PRINCE HIROHITO



The visit to the throne of Japan, who is to visit Canada in the early spring, just prior to his wedding.

J. W. MEREDITH



First president of the Canadian Club of Detroit, which was organized this month. Every one of the charter members is a Canadian citizen.

He has very successfully treated paralysis in a variety of forms, and has earned the gratitude of a host of relieving patients who have been restored to health and vigor. Mr. Kennard's manipulative treatment has been remarkably efficient in the prevention of stiff joints resulting from fractures, sprains or wrenches.

This noted specialist will make a visit to Canada some time within the next six months.—Advt.

IRISH VISITOR'S DINNER GUEST OF HON. R. J. RITCHIE

Pleasing Event in Honor of Sir Thomas Gratton Esmond—Guests Extend Greeting to Visitor and Pay Tribute to Public Service of Host.

At once bidding a hearty welcome to the guest of honor and wishing him a safe voyage home, and at the same time doing fitting honor to the host of the evening for his long term in the public service, upwards of one hundred of the professional and business men of this city were present last evening at a delightful complimentary dinner given in Bondy by Hon. R. J. Ritchie, police magistrate and judge of the city court, to Sir Thomas Gratton Esmond, Irish visitor.

It was brilliant and jovial evening. A happy strain pervaded the responses to the toasts. Judge Ritchie, as usual, in his never-ending, bright humor, and contributed in no small degree to the delights of the party.

In responding to a toast in his honor, the distinguished visitor, who in his ready eloquence, his pleasing voice and tone, and particularly the bright, sparkling wit, with which his entertaining remarks were plentifully and pointedly punctuated.

The dining room presented an attractive appearance, the international colors predominating. The tables were tastefully appointed the color-note being broad bands of emerald green upon snowy white, with green candles in silver candlesticks.

Judge Ritchie presided, having Sir Thomas Gratton Esmond, Attorney-General J. P. Byrne, T. Newton Vincent, and on his left Premier Walter E. Foster, United States Consul H. S. Culver and Mayor H. R. McEllen. The others present were—Brigadier-General H. H. McLean, J. J. O'Malley, Dufferin M. Harper, Joseph H. Ritchie, H. W. Machum, Eric Thompson, L. McC. Ritchie, J. B. Dwyer, E. J. H. Golding, R. H. Gale, Dr. Stephen H. McDonald, Dr. G. A. B. Addy, Robert Murphy, Frederick Murphy, John T. Power, Frank B. Ellis, Frederick R. Taylor, Daniel Mullin, Percy W. Thompson, P. W. P. Foster, Sherwood Skinner, Boyer S. Smyth, Kenneth J. MacLachlan, Paul Quinn, George Cunningham, John L. Leach, G. E. Logan, Edward Hancey, Dr. John R. Nugent, Charles A. Conlon, William M. Ryan, James J. O'Malley, E. J. Ryan, J. C. Wilson, Edwin McCourt, Francis L. McCafferty, Dr. W. P. Broderick, H. Ernest Smith, Dr. J. J. McDonald, Edward O'Toole, Francis J. Jennings, James P. Quinn, Alexander Phillips, Thomas J. Thompson, Commissioner Frink, Daniel Griffin, Dr. W. W. White, Commissioner Bullock, Hon. H. A. Powell, W. H. W. White, Dr. J. D. Maher, A. O. Skinner, Dr. H. A. Powell, Dr. John McCarty, Dr. D. C. Maloney, Dr. J. W. White, Dr. J. D. Maher, J. H. A. L. Fairweather, William Knolle, Robert McDade, H. A. Powell, Dr. J. W. White, Dr. J. D. Maher, E. J. Kane, E. J. Wall, Vincent McGillivray and H. J. Doody.

After the toast to the King and the Governor-General of Canada had been received with musical honors, Judge Ritchie proposed the Province of New Brunswick, which was responded to by Premier Foster.

The premier said it was not his intention to bring matters of government policy before a semi-public gathering such as last night's, but he thought that it was not untimely to mention the proposed amalgamation of the maritime provinces, in connection with which he proposed attending a meeting at Halifax within the next few days.

Proposing the toast to the United States, the host remarked that, while the people of that country as a whole, they were not only more to be respected, but also more to be feared.

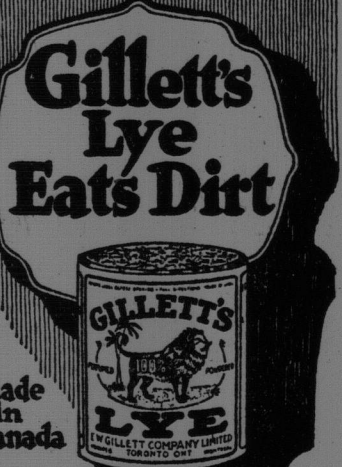
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Responding to the toast to the city, Mayor McEllen said that Judge Ritchie needed no apology in presenting the Irish visitor to the city, and his assembly, with his record of membership in the British peerage and his twenty-eight years in the Imperial parliament. The mayor said that, like the premier, it was his intention to keep far and afield from the matters of local interest to the people of St. John and New Brunswick; he would

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only extend to Sir Thomas a welcome as wide and deep as the ocean that separates his country from ours and as high as the beneficent heavens that covered the generosity of St. John citizenship. He said that he and the judge had had their troubles (laughter) but were now the best of friends. He complimented his honor on his service and when he was sent to lay down the tools of office, he hoped that a just recognition of his services would be made.

"For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" was heartily sung as Sir Thomas arose to respond to a toast in his honor. In a most entertaining manner he related some of the experiences of his host while the latter was on a visit to his home in Ireland recently. Thanks to the premier, he said he was able to land, while here, a line big black bear; and thanks to Senator Thorne, he had succeeded in shooting a fine moose with a sixty-inch spread of antlers and twenty-eight points. He praised the beautiful scenery of the province and the hospitality that had been extended to him. He jokingly found fault with the scenery of this province for not allowing the people of Ireland to return that hospitality in larger measure.

He agreed with Premier Foster regarding coalitions. "Stick to your own blessed party" was his advice. He wondered that the people of Great Britain had not made the change long ago.

He was an optimist, he said, regarding Ireland. "Things have got to that stage where there must be an improvement therefore I am an optimist," he said amid roars of laughter.

Feeling he referred to the friendship that existed between the United States and Ireland, The United States, he said, had always given the Irish people assistance in the vindication of their nationality. His personal opinion was that Providence never intended that peoples, speaking the same language, enjoying the same literature and governed by practically the same laws, should be anything but friends.

He tried to take upon himself the privilege of proposing the toast to Judge Ritchie, whom he had known for many years, and who every year seemed to grow younger, but mightily he termed the "Grand Old Man of St. John."

The judge responded briefly, again speaking of his experiences in Ireland and the great hospitality that had been extended to him. He called upon John C. Ferguson, who gave a brief and highly interesting sketch of his former associations with the host.

"Law and Medicine" was proposed the honors were done by H. A. Powell, K. C., Dr. W. W. White, D. Mullin, K. C., and Dr. E. J. Ryan. All paid their respects to the guest of honor and congratulated Judge Ritchie on his past record.

For the press, F. B. Ellis, of the Globe; E. W. McCready, of the Telegraph, and P. B. McCafferty, of the New Free Press, thanked the judge for the honor and pleasure of being present and extended greeting to Sir Thomas. The evening's programme was concluded with a few words of thanks to the guests from Judge Ritchie and best wishes to Sir Thomas for a safe journey home. Aid Lang Syne was heartily sung and rousing cheers were given for the guest of honor and the host.

LATE SHIPPING
PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Arrived Today.
Coastwise—Stmr. Connors Bros., 64, Warnock, from Chance Harbor; stmr. Keith Cann, 177, McKinnon, from Westport.

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Coastwise—Stmr. Keith Cann, 177, McKinnon, for Westport; gas schr. Casasco 2, 25, Craft, for Chance Harbor.

Sailed Today.
S.S. Maplecourt, 2,010, Stauffer, for Quebec.
S.S. Arammore, 300, Rhude, for Digby.

MARINE NOTES.
The Bengala sailed from Montreal on Wednesday for South Africa.
The Maplecourt sailed this afternoon for Quebec.

The Cassandra sailed from Glasgow for Montreal on Wednesday with 117 cabin and 181 steerage passengers.
The Krosford was expected to arrive today from San Domingo with sugar for the local trade.

POLITICS AND THE BRITISH STOCK MARKET

London, Oct. 20.—(By Associated Press).—The generally accepted belief that Bonar Law will be able to form a cabinet had already been largely discounted today on the stock exchange, where the price movements of British gilt edged issues were narrow but upward. The other sections of the market were quietly cheerful. French loans and the railway securities recovered well.

The allied exchange also benefited from the clearer outlook, but German marks suffered another slump, touching a new record of 16,000 to the pound, partly on the basis of the fresh currency issue.

New York, Oct. 20.—(Noon).—Virtual cessation of selling pressure, combined with the apparent ease with which pools pushed up their favorites, stimulated the advance, which spread over a broad list. High prices continued to set the pace. Mexican Petroleum extended its gain to 10½ points. Eastern money rates and a good recovery in sterling exchange had a cheerful effect on sentiment. German marks continued their downward trend, touching a new record of 16,000 to the pound. Corn Products, St. Louis Southwestern Pfd., General American Tank, Electric Storage Battery and Ginnel Brothers all sold at new high records for the year. Call money opened at 4½ per cent.

HON. WINSTON CHURCHILL



Hon. Winston Churchill, colonial secretary, who is ill in London. He has been operated on for appendicitis.

PERSONALS

Mrs. D. J. O'Neill and the Misses Catherine and Evelyn O'Neill left last evening for New York.

The Montreal Gazette says that Hon. Dr. J. H. King, minister of public works, and Mrs. King have returned to Ottawa from the maritime provinces. They will leave on Wednesday for New York, where on the 28th they will be guests at the marriage of Miss Florence Lynch and D. C. Coleman.

Miss Sarah Byrne of Bathurst, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. W. Harper, left last evening for New York, where she will spend a month.

MR. ROBB WILL BE ABLE TO GO TO AUSTRALIA

(Special to The Times).
Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 20.—Receipt of definite news to the effect that a general election would be held in Australia in December of this year left Hon. James A. Robb's proposed visit to the Antipodes for the purpose of negotiating a reciprocal trade arrangement "in the air" for a short time.

Premier King cabled to Premier Hughes of Australia, pointing out that Canada did not wish to have any negotiations between the two dominions prejudiced by any political contest and assuring him that he could give the assurance that there would be no political obstacle placed in the way of the proposed negotiations. Following this, Premier King wired Hon. Mr. Robb, who is now in Vancouver and ready to sail from there tomorrow, to proceed according to his previous arrangements.

VLADIVOSTOK CAPTURE NEAR

Vladivostok, Oct. 20.—Recent despatches received by the way of Tokio and Honolulu have indicated that the capture of Vladivostok by the Soviet army of the Far Eastern republic was imminent.

Tokio, Oct. 20.—Japanese troops remaining in Vladivostok will withdraw in a body on October 26, so the war office announced today. Meanwhile the Japanese commander is endeavoring to arrange with the victorious Red army of the Chita government to take over the city peacefully.

POTATOES AT \$1 A BARREL IN FREDERICTON

Fredricton, Oct. 20.—(Special).—The Montreal market at the present time is taking New Brunswick potatoes in considerable quantities. Local chipers are paying \$1 per barrel. The price a year ago was \$2.50 to \$3.

TAKES BROTHER FOR BEAR; SHOOT

Sherbrooke, Oct. 20.—W. Wells of Sherbrooke, aged nineteen, was accidentally shot yesterday while hunting in the woods near Stanhope, when his younger brother took him for a bear. He is in a critical condition.

HON MR GRAHAM

(Special to The Times).
Ottawa, Oct. 20.—Hon. George P. Graham, minister of defence, has received an invitation from U. S. Secretary of the Navy Denby to deliver an oration at the navy day celebration in Washington on October 27. Mr. Graham has been compelled to decline because of pressure of business. On the afternoon of October 29, he will unveil a cross of sacrifice in Cote des Neiges Cemetery, Montreal.

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