

To-day's Messages.

BOTH AGREED.

BOULOGNE, May 16. Premier Millerand arrived here from Hythe at 4.40 o'clock. He said that France and Great Britain had agreed upon fundamental principles, and expected would meet again in London to fix the amount of indemnity details, concerning execution of the payments, and present their report to the conference. The latter, after final examination, will adopt definite conclusions, which will be presented to the Germans at the Spa conference.

ARMISTICE PROPOSED.

VLADIVOSTOK, May 16. The Russian Soviet Government has proposed an armistice between the Japanese and Siberians, according to a despatch from Irkutsk.

AGITATOR ARRAIGNED.

LONDON, May 16. Harold Burgess, described as the manager of the Workers Dreadnought publication, of which Sylvia Pankhurst is editor, was arraigned in Bow Street Police Court Saturday, charged with attempting to cause disaffection among the Irish Guards, and with circulating pamphlets entitled "Soviets for British."

SENATE DECLARES PEACE.

WASHINGTON, May 16. With a few thrills, and no hitch in the prearranged programme, the Senate adopted Saturday, forty-three to thirty-eight, a Republican resolution declaring the state of war with Germany and Austro-Hungary at an end.

ALL ROUNDED UP.

EL PASO, May 16. All of the members of Carranza's Cabinet have been captured and sent to Mexico City, according to a message said to have been received today by revolutionary agents here from General Alvaro Obregon, who at present is in Mexico City.

VIOLENT FACTION FIGHTING.

BELFAST, May 16. Londonderry experienced reign of terror on Saturday, part of the city being for hours at the mercy of riotous mobs. During the disturbances, Sergeant Dennis Moroney, Chief of the special Criminal Department of this city, was shot through the right lung and died within half an hour. Londonderry thus gains the unenviable reputation of being the scene of the first police murder in Ulster since the opening of the assassination campaign of January first, 1919. Other casualties included James McCafferty, shot in chest, District Police Inspector McDonald, wounded in head with stone, while leading a police charge, and John McDallion, former soldier, wounded in the head by bayonet. After minor disturbances early in the night, ill feeling between Sinn Feiners and Loyalists flamed, and about ten o'clock the air was thick with bottles, stones and other missiles, while revolvers were freely discharged. When the riot was in full swing, forty-eight policemen, armed with revolvers, arrived in command of Inspector McDermott, who persuaded the Loyalists to retire to their wards, which was accomplished amid singing, cheering and other manifestations on the part of the rival factions. Sinn Feiners continued their disorderly demonstrations and the police charged, and scattered them into side streets. Many of them made for the quay near the Great Northern station, and it was here that Moroney met his end. The rioters entrenched themselves behind railway waggons and directed volleys of revolver shots, point blank at the police. This led to a hot exchange of fire, and Moroney was struck, but walked a few yards and then collapsed. He exclaimed, "Boys I'm done."

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THROWN FROM SADDLE.

CHRISTCHURCH, N.Z., May 16. The Prince of Wales was thrown by his horse yesterday at the race course at Riccarton, after the racing events of the day had been concluded. The Prince was not injured. After taking several jumps the horse refused three times in an attempt at a bush fence, and on the last occasion spilled the Prince from his saddle. The Prince, however, remounted and seemed none the worse.

MAID OF ORLEANS CANONIZATION.

LONDON, May 16. The whole Catholic world was represented at remarkable scenes of devotion at the celebration to-day of the canonization of Joan of Arc at Westminster Cathedral. Thousands thronged the Cathedral, including visitors from China, India, Russia and other distant parts. The shrine of Joan of Arc was decorated with laurel wreaths, and French and British colors.

FRENCH COMPELLED TO RETIRE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 16. French column of three thousand soldiers, which left Killis, Asia Minor, May ninth, to relieve the garrison at Aintab, about thirty miles north of Killis, was met by a strong Nationalist force, when ten miles from its destination, and was compelled to return. The Nationalists were equipped with a thousand cannon outranking the French seventy fives, and kept up a continual attack upon the French. Advances received here describe the situation at Killis as critical, and that at Aintab as desperate.

VOLUNTEERS BROKE STRIKE.

COPENHAGEN, May 16. In two of the largest provincial towns in Denmark, the strike of dockworkers has been broken, and men who have been idle are returning to work to-day. In this city the strike is also apparently near settlement, as a result of the resolute attitude of volunteers, who came forward in much greater number than were required.

MUCH DAMAGE DONE.

MADRID, May 16. Terrible hailstorms, accompanied by thunder and lightning, have swept through central Spain, washing away railway tracks, inundating low lands, and greatly damaging the olive and fruit crops.

ITALIAN STRIKES OFF.

ROME, May 16. Postal telegraphic and telephonic services have been resumed, and all other strikers have been called off, either through satisfactory settlements or as result of a sort of truce, which will hold until a new government is formed.

TRAITORS EXECUTED.

PARIS, May 16. Three men and one woman, convicted last July, of denouncing their compatriots to the German authorities during the occupation of Loos, during the war, were executed at Vincennes Prison this morning. Those who met death were Touge, Lemoine, Herbert, and Madame Aubert.

BLOODY INSURRECTION PLANNED.

LONDON, May 16. German Communists are planning

a new insurrection, which may be attended by wholesale murders, according to a Berlin despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, quoting a statement by Herr Von Graefe, Conservative member of the Reichstag. The despatch says Herr Von Graefe has advised the Minister of Defence that meetings of Communists are being held regularly in Mecklenburg and that the question whether land owners alone should be put to death, or whether their wives and children should meet a like fate, is being discussed. He maintains, it is said, that there is no doubt Mecklenburg will be the scene of frightful slaughter.

MARTIAL LAW.

MOSCOW, May 16. A decree, issued by the Central Executive Committee, dated May 11, proclaimed martial law in the provinces of central northern Russia and Archangel.

EVERY SOUL WAS SAVED.

LONDON, May 17. The American steamer, Lake Crafton, bound from Swansea for Copenhagen, was wrecked off Mounts Bay, Cornwall on Saturday. The crew were safely landed. The Lake Crafton was a vessel of sixteen hundred tons.

ENVER STILL ACTIVE.

LONDON, May 17. A despatch to the London Times from Athens, it is reported from a good source in Greek capital, says that Enver Pasha, former Turkish Minister of War, has arrived at Baku. The same correspondent says that a mixed Russo-Tartar force of approximately fifty thousand men is concentrating against Georgia and Batumi, and effecting a junction with Musaphia Kemal Pasha, Turkish Nationalist leader.

SWISS FOR LEAGUE.

BERNE, May 17. Switzerland yesterday, in a referendum on the question of accepting or rejecting of membership in the League of Nations, voted in favor of the proposition.

Let the Joy Bells Ring.

There is universal joy and happiness to-day, and smiles and good nature are everywhere to be seen. The feeling is highly contagious and is rapidly spreading to every part untouched. Telegrams of congratulations are pouring in from all parts of the outposts, and the big London and New York newspapers are sending down special correspondents to write up the story. The suggestion to set a general holiday has been made the authorities and sailors are notifying their captains of their intention of remaining in port to join in the celebrations. Fifteen tons of fireworks have been ordered by one firm alone, while some hundreds of yards of bunting are being prepared. The schools have been ordered to observe the event, and the Great Day is to be the greatest one in our National History. It may appear a little strange to a foreigner that all this excitement should result from the "simple" fact that the Postal authorities have at last begun to remove the disreputable scaffolding from the General Post Office, but it takes years and years and years to properly understand us, Newfoundlanders. Fling out the flags! Let the welkin ring!

GRADUATED AT LAW.—Mr. John Burden, nephew of Mr. Kenneth Burden, Atlantic Avenue, has graduated at law at Toronto University, with first class honors. Mr. Burden, who is a Newfoundland, spent 3½ years as a soldier. Congratulations.

Here and There.

WEATHER ACROSS COUNTRY.—Wind S.W., light; fine; temperature, Clarendville, 20 above.

Ladies' American Light and Dark Print Wash Dresses, sizes 34 to 44, only \$4.00 each. W. FREW, Water St.—may14,31,60d

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.—The Hon. Treas. C. of E. Orphanage thankfully acknowledges a donation of \$10.00 from Mr. Max Hampton.

Booking seats for the "DOROTHY" Opera will cease in a few days. Only a few good seats now remaining.—may17,11

EXPRESS DUE TO-NIGHT.—The express from Port aux Basques is due to arrive in the city at twelve o'clock to-night.

Don't forget Concert, St. Mary's Hall, South Side, Tuesday, May 25th. Admission 30c. may17,22

POLICE COURT.—Two drunks were released. Four other inebriates were fined \$5 each. For obstruction of the sidewalk a Water Street store owner was fined \$4.

BASEBALL.—There will be a practice for the Red Lion Baseball Club to-morrow (Tuesday) evening at 7.15 o'clock. Large attendance requested. D. W. KILEY, Sec.-Treas.—may17,11

RESUMED WORK.—The carpenters and painters, who were out on a sympathetic strike, have resumed work, the matters in dispute having been satisfactorily settled.

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REPAIRING FENCE.—Work of repairing the fence on St. George's Field has begun. The fence will be somewhat lower than formerly. Large sections of the former fence were blown down and mostly taken away for firewood. The job of erection will be rather expensive, costing not less than \$1,000.

Will the driver of motor car which ran into and damaged house at 122 Bond Street, at an early hour this morning, call at the above address or proceedings will be taken against him? may15,21

CATTLE AUCTION.—The first sale of cattle for the season started about noon to-day at the premises of Messrs. Campbell and McKay. Bidding was lively for a time and the first animal to be "knocked down" was purchased by Wm. Campbell for \$168.00, equal to about 40 cents per pound dressed.

You can buy White and Cream Scrim Curtains, 2½ and 3 yards long, for \$1.90, \$2.70, \$3.50 up to \$5.50 per pair. Also White, Cream and Fancy Bordered Curtain Scrim from 30c. yard up at W. FREW'S, Water Street.—may14,31,60d

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. George Hart and family, 28 Goodview Street, wish to sincerely thank the following who sent wreaths, notes and telegrams during their recent bereavement:—for wreaths Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Tiptle, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Churchill, Mrs. J. C. Baird, Miss Amy B. Hart, Miss E. Jones, Miss Dora Tiptle; also Mr. H. J. Russell, and Ray Whelan who sent notes of sympathy.

Fertilizing Potatoes.

Potato yields depend very largely on plantfood supply. Extensive investigation in farm management among 400 potato farms in New Jersey shows that "profits are greater with each increase of potato yield per acre. Men and horses handle as many crop acres on the heavy-yielding farms as upon the light-yielding farms." These findings are of special interest to Ontario potato growers since potato prices rule high. Cost of production is also very high. Why not make your farm and labor count for all possible in your potato yields this year?

Potatoes thrive on a sandy to gravelly loam soil. This is a type of soil that must be heavily fed, if it is to do its best. The potato crop also repays abundant feeding. Since potatoes contain so much starch, they are great lovers of potash. On normal potato soil without manure you should apply from 750 to 1,000 lbs. of high grade fertilizer per acre in order to get the best results. With a good dressing of manure this application may be reduced to 500 or 600 lbs. per acre. The analysis we would advise should range not less than 4 per cent. ammonia, 6 to 8 per cent. phosphoric acid and 4 to 6 per cent. potash.

Besides fertilization, the soil should be thoroughly tilled, should contain an abundant supply of humus and potatoes of high yielding type should be planted. Prey upon the potato. These must be controlled by spraying if best results are to be obtained.—Henry G. Ball, B.S.A.

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Here and There.

The Big Sale at the Palace of Fashion, Blue Puttee Hall, will be continued for three days extra, till Wednesday, May 19th. Some beautiful New Dresses, Skirts, &c., have been just opened up. Come along and secure something uncommon.—may17,31

The C. L. B. Women's Memorial Association are having an Entertainment at Canon Wood Hall Thursday, May 20th, at 8 o'clock. There will be an attractive programme. The following have very kindly consented to help: Mrs. B. Dunfield, Mrs. Warren, Misses Keegan and Dunfield, and Messrs. Woods and Williams. There will also be a novel dance by four mysterious young ladies; a farce, entitled "The Backward Child," by Mrs. H. Outerbridge and Miss Ruth Emerson. Tea and cake will be served after the concert. All this for 50c. Remember it is to help the orphans, so please come if you possibly can.—may17,41

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SETTLEMENT IN SIGHT.—The local branch of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, held a meeting in the L.S. P.U. Hall this forenoon, to consider the terms offered by the employers. It is likely that a settlement will be effected this evening.

Grand Dance, St. Joseph's Hall, Tuesday, May 18th. Tickets: Double, \$1.00; Ladies', 50c. The Committee in charge are W. E. Brophy, T. J. Ryan, E. J. Brophy, P. Foley, E. Stamp and Jas. A. Walsh. Music by C. C. C. Orchestra.—may12,31,w,f,m

DRAINING THE BARREL.—Yesterday morning a number of men, armed with tin cans and bottles, congregated near the premises of a greengrocer. The object of their visit was to drain a number of rum and wine barrels, which the cooper had stored on his place. The crowd were old timers at the job and succeeded in getting a satisfactory supply of stimulant.

DIED.

There passed away, at Brooklyn, New York, May 2nd, 1920, William Campbell, aged 15 years and nine months, only daughter of Florence and J. W. Campbell. Passed peacefully away on Saturday evening at 10 o'clock, Elizabeth A. Hiscock, widow of the late Henry Hiscock, leaving 3 sons and 4 daughters. Funeral on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. from her late residence, 122

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