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## Prince Away At Early Hour Today

### Warships Left For Halifax At Seven O'clock

#### His Royal Highness Expresses Appreciation and Gratitude For Welcome and Says He Will Come Again — Arrangements Carried Through Succes- sfully to Completion of Programme.

St. John's distinguished and royal guest, the Prince of Wales, has gone. He and his party left this morning about 6:30 o'clock for Halifax. The warships were notified in the harbor by early rising citizens, but once the order to move was given they sped out of port with remarkable quickness. As one man said: "One moment they were here, the next they were gone." Illuminated last evening, the craft attracted much attention and aroused general admiration. They were lighted from stern to stern and, with searchlights flashing across the harbor, presented a most beautifully colored nocturnal scene. Both of these warships, the H. M. S. Dragon and H. M. S. Dauntless, will go to Quebec with the prince, after which they will return to Great Britain, and later meet the prince in New York. Before joining the fleet in New York for the homeward trip, H. M. S. Renown, now lying in Halifax, will cruise in the West Indies. At New York they will meet the prince and carry him back to England. Reg- ists is general that his stay here could not be of longer duration.

#### The Rothery's Outing

His Royal Highness appeared to enjoy to the full every moment of his visit to Rothery, where His Honor Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Pugsley gave a garden party in his honor, which was a most successful affair, the only disappointing feature being the weather which could have been more pleasant. The Prince possessed along the shore and admired the arches erected in his honor. His car was driven by George Parke, a returned soldier, with whom he shook hands before leaving and to whom he presented a beautiful set of gold cuff links with his feather engraved upon one and large "P" with crown on the other. During the ride he showed much interest in the ride and asked for a show of speed, which was given for a short distance at fifty miles an hour. His Royal Highness was quite pleased with the boat of speed, which was quite without recklessness, as the course was entirely clear.

Several citizens had a few moments' personal talk with the prince at the garden party. He asked that the guests be presented to him. Major A. McMillan, D.S.O., acted as announcer, introducing the prince to the guests in turn pleasantly and with the smile which has added to his general popularity. With some bearing would strip or descend to the third time in one day and was told that His Royal Highness was in Egypt, and Major J. A. Legere who reminded the prince of having asked His Royal Highness to get out of the way on a gang plank and let a "fighting man" pass, and was told that the royal officer had not forgotten the occasion.

The Woodstock Boy Scouts attained their desire, and after walking 150 miles to greet the prince were given a special smile and kindly word of appreciation. The Hon. E. A. Smith drew the attention of the Prince to the fact that he was in one day and was told that His Royal Highness was not unkindly of the fact, and had readily recognized him.

Madron Edith Thorne, who questioned as to the length and place of her service, and Ex-Governor Wood and Captain Mulvey each spoke for a few moments to the prince, who presented the prince's grandfather, and Dr. Thomas Walker and Miss Alice Walker each spoke for a minute or so with the Prince.

With the Great War Veterans' band, under Bandmaster Long, playing for the affair a good programme of music was given and the dancing was much enjoyed. The Prince led off the dance with his hostess, Mrs. William Pugsley, in a waltz, while for the second number a fox trot which was eagerly danced with Mrs. Wm. Pugsley, Jr. The dancing had to be cut short, however, as it was getting late and the royal party had to be again upon its way. The gathering cheered the royal guest with hearty vigor as a token of their good wishes towards him for continued pleasure upon his trip and for his future. His departure was much regretted.

#### Cheered on Return

Hundreds of people lingered about the streets to witness the return of their favorite prince from the garden party, and he was cheered at various centres as his car sped along towards the landing at Reed's Point. The prince made no special comment beyond it being officially announced that he was "extremely delighted" with the reception which had been given him by the people.

#### NO MORE ARMS FROM STATES INTO MEXICO AT LEAST FOR PRESENT

Washington, Aug. 16.—The Carranza government will not be permitted to import further arms and munitions from the United States, for the present at least.

#### HEAT WAVE OVER BRITAIN AND FRANCE

London, Aug. 15.—(Reuters)—The heat wave over Britain and France continues. M. H. Molau, a French astronomer, attributes the conditions to sun spots. Telegraph and cable lines in different parts of the globe have been affected by the upsetting of the world's telluric currents, resulting in occasional heavy delays on all routes.

#### The Revolution in Honduras.

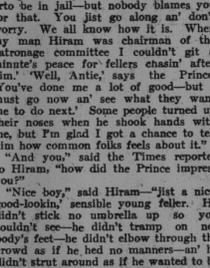
San Salvador, Aug. 16.—Progress in the Honduran revolution is reported. The department of Gracias and La Esperanza are the largest haul of illicit consigned liquor yet made by the department. Certain well-to-do Toronto citizens grouped in a downtown hotel were placed under arrest, and others are being sought by provincial license inspectors who located a suspected box car on the railway tracks this morning and seized 225 cases of whiskey, which were consigned to Toronto from Montreal. The names of those arrested have not been made available.

### As Hiram Sees It

The Settlement, Aug. 16. Mr. Hiram Hornbeam and Mrs. Hornbeam were tired but happy when they returned from the city last evening. They had seen the Prince, and Mrs. Hornbeam had a word with him.

"Why, he was just like one of our own boys," said Mrs. Hornbeam. "I could-a hugged him right there. He seen me lookin' at him, an' I guess he knowed I was glad to see him, for he come right over an' took me by the hand, an' he said, 'Say, Antie, say, tell the folks for me that I got to play this game of bein' a Prince, but it makes me dizzy. I hope you set much store by dices in Canada. I think I read where they talked about it in Ottaway.' Princes says I must go now, but see what they want me to do next.' Some people turned up their noses when he shook hands with me, but I'm glad I got a chance to tell him how common folk feel about it." "And you," said the Times reporter to Hiram, "how did the Prince impress you?" "Nice boy," said Hiram—"just a nice, good-lookin', sensible young feller. He didn't stick no umbrella up so you couldn't see—no did he tramp on nobody's feet—he didn't shove through the crowd as if he hed no manners—an' he didn't strut around as if he wanted to be looked at. It done me good to hear the crowd cheer. He did loosen up some yesterday, all right. I didn't get no chance to talk to the Prince. He had a hard day, I guess he thought he was the king. I seen Borden makin' signs to me, but I don't know whether he got union government now or not—no I didn't see him. I guess he had a good opinion of this hull country—yes, sir."

### PRINCE IN MINE



This unusual picture shows the Prince of Wales emerging from a wolfman mine on his estates in Cornwall just before his departure from England for Canada.

#### BRITAIN SPENT \$20,000,000 ON RUSSIA IN YEAR

This is Cost of War Activities There Since Signing of The Armistice

#### ARCHDUKE JOSEPH TO QUIT POLITICS

Socialists Join Hungarian Cabinet on Understanding He Will Leave When Cabinet Formed—Peasants Aiding Anti-Bolsheviks in Russia — German Assembly Sticks to Its Name

#### BIGGEST SEIZURE OF LIQUOR YET MADE IN TORONTO

Lot of 225 Cases Captured and Several Rich Citizens Are Arrested

#### Will Retire

Budapest, Thursday, Aug. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The Socialists have conciliated and agreed to join the new cabinet when Archduke Joseph, the governor of state, today reiterated his intention to retire from politics when the cabinet was definitely formed. The Socialists had feared that Royalists influence would be used in the coming elections for the proposed constituent assembly.

#### Aided by Peasants

Omsk, Sunday, Aug. 10.—(Russian Telegraphic Agency)—Anti-Bolshevik forces operating in the southern front of Russia are being aided by peasants' revolts, it was stated here today by military authorities of the All-Russian government.

#### Sticks to Name

Berlin, Thursday, Aug. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—President Feherbach announced to the National Assembly today that the government had agreed unanimously to retain its name of the constituent German National Assembly. The rights and duties given the Reichstag by the constitution, however, would become those of the assembly.

#### Austrian Labor

Paris, Aug. 15.—(Havas)—After a conference at Versailles with Louis Loucheur, French minister of reconstruction, the Austrian Labor Union delegates left today for Pas De Calais to study in collaboration with the authorities the question of using Austrian laborers in the devastated regions.

#### Polish Official

Warsaw, Aug. 15.—(Havas)—An official communication dealing with the operations of the Polish forces in the Minsk region of Russia says:

"We are pursuing on the whole front of the enemy, who is retreating. We have reached a line twenty-five kilometers north of Minsk, where the population gave us an enthusiastic welcome."

### Rioting In Ireland; Nationalists And Orangemen In Fight

Londonderry, Aug. 16.—Rioting and looting occurred in this city during last night and early this morning. Troops charged on mobs, but did not fire any shots. The soldiers, however, were met with a volley of stones when they attempted to break up a Nationalist demonstration. The monetary loss from looting and from damage to property is estimated at thousands of pounds.

### INVESTIGATION OF GUELPH MATTER

Novitate Case to Be Inquired Into By Royal Commission

Judges Middleton of Ontario and Chisholm of Nova Scotia Are Named—The Charges on Which Order for Inquiry is Based

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—Hon. Justice W. Middleton of the Ontario supreme court and Hon. Joseph Chisholm of the supreme court of Nova Scotia, he officially announced, have been named by the dominion government as a royal commission to probe charges made by Rev. H. K. Palmer of Guelph, Ont., and any other specific charges in regard to the Guelph novitate.

The trouble over the novitate, it will be recalled, arose when Captain Macaulay on the night of June 7, 1917, visited the institution to ascertain whether or not any of those there were wearing military service.

The order-in-council naming the commission says: "The minister recommends that the Hon. Justice Middleton, a judge of the supreme court of Ontario, and the Hon. Justice Chisholm, a judge of the supreme court of Nova Scotia, be appointed commissioners under the inquiry act to inquire into and report the facts bearing upon the allegations in said charges and any other statements in so far as they involve allegations of impropriety and misconduct on the part of the minister of justice, the department of justice, the minister of militia and of the department of militia, and to submit with their report the evidence to be taken in the case for the information of His Majesty's government."

The inquiry by the royal commission will be instituted as soon as Deputy Minister Newcombe of the department of justice returns to the city and will be almost immediately. It is expected that the commission will hold sittings both in Ottawa and Guelph.

1. That the department of justice at Ottawa, interfered with the military board at Guelph in their efforts to obtain information as to the status of the inmates of Guelph novitate.

2. That in so doing, the department extended special protection to the institution which should have been treated like any other institution of the kind, as was done by Capt. MacAulay, who was carrying out the instructions of his superior officers.

3. That the department of justice, through its minister, prevented the placing in military service of young men of military age residing in the institution.

4. That the press censorship instituted by a minister of the crown intensified the feeling that special protection was being given to the institution at Guelph.

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6. That the justice department improperly failed to make the occupants of the novitate register for medical examination or for military service under the M. S. A. and the government also failed to punish those harboring deserters in the novitate.

7. That a member of the government (Mr. Guthrie) informed that "Doherty says they are all right and that they are to be left alone."

8. That the justice department improperly communicated with MacAulay.

9. After midnight the militia department communicated with MacAulay and improperly ordered him to retire from the novitate.

10. The justice department improperly ordered the press censorship to be applied to the principal of the novitate and indirectly censured MacAulay when the order should have been to principal to observe law.

11. Godson visited London as it is to be observed.

### POLITICAL TRANQUILITY CANNOT CONTINUE LONG

#### Status of New Liberal Leader and Two New Ministers in Parliament Indefinite —General Arthur Ross May Enter Cabinet—Problem of Finding Seats— Legislation Pending

(Special to Times)  
Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 15.—With the reopening of parliament only about three weeks away the tranquility of a mill pond characterizes the political situation at Ottawa. That the calm will be troubled before long there is no doubt, but in the meantime the premier is engaged in doing honor to the prince and most of his colleagues are holidaying. Cabinet reconstruction has stopped in the middle and no provision has been made or steps taken even to bring the two ministers who have been appointed, within parliament. Under the franchise act passed last session it is computed that thirty-seven days must elapse between the issue of writs and polling day in the case of by-elections held in countries other than those not possessing a centre of 1,000 inhabitants or over. The situation, both as regards Sir Henry Drayton and Dr. S. F. Tomlin, the new ministers, and Hon. W. L. McKenzie King, the newly elected Liberal leader, is somewhat uncertain.

Dr. Tomlin will, of course, run again in Victoria. Sir Henry Drayton does not yet know in which constituency he will run. It would appear that wherever he chooses to stand for election he will be opposed either by a Liberal, a straight Conservative, a Labor representative, a Farmer's candidate or a Returned Soldier or by several of those named. North Toronto has been mentioned but Sir George Foster still represents North Toronto and is still minister of trade and commerce. Other Ontario vacancies already existing include North Ontario, Guelph and Stormont and Kingston. It is stated that General Arthur Ross is to be brought into the cabinet as minister of soldiers' civil re-employment through the constituency of Kingston. In Guelph Mr. King may secure the Liberal nomination and there may also be a Farmer's candidate. North Ontario will also be good fighting ground for the farmers. Two distinct movements are ruffling the equanimity of provincial students here. They are a re-creation in politics and the growing agitation in Toronto and elsewhere for the re-organization of the old Conservative organization of the old Conservative party.

The programme for the session is still in a somewhat nebulous form. Many estimates and the ratification of the treaty of peace will engage considerable attention, as will also the measure of legislation emanating from the war measure act. It is stated that a prohibition measure will again be introduced. A permanent franchise act will furnish the greater part of the controversy of the session. In view of the appointment of a new leader for the Liberal party, it is probable resignations in the house will be watched with interest. Hon. W. S. Fielding, who has sat aloof from both parties so far, will come down to the front opposition desks.

#### HON. MR. MEIGHEN ON LIVING COSTS

Winnipeg, Aug. 15.—Hon. Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior arrived here today.

Questioned about the government's attitude regarding the agitation in the high cost of living, Mr. Meighen said:

"The board of commerce is now at work and has ample powers to deal with the question. Its personnel is satisfactory to the whole country. Whatever is necessary will be done by the board."

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—The order-in-council of May 8, 1918, appointing R. J. McCall as cost of living commissioner and the order-in-council of December 11, 1918 establishing the existing cost of living regulations are rescinded by the deputy governor-general-in-council in an order taking effect August 14.

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—The cost of living secured another advance during July, according to the current issue of the Labor Gazette. The average cost of a list of twenty-nine staple foods in some sixty cities at the middle of the month was slightly higher, being \$13.77, as compared with \$13.72 in June, \$13 in July, 1918, and \$7.42 in July, 1914. There was comparatively little change in fuel and rents.

#### STRIKES IN CANADA IN JULY

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—Seventy-three strikes, involving 35,696 work people and resulting in a loss of about 561,010 working days, occurred during July, according to the Labor Gazette. The time lost was considerably heavier, there being eighty strikes, with 87,917 work people affected and 1,445,021 working days lost. Thirty-two strikes were reported as having commenced in July and twenty-nine, affecting 17,350 people, were unsettled at the end of the month.

#### LOCAL DEATHS

The burial permits were issued by the secretary of the board of health this week, deaths being due to the following causes:—Smelly, two; meningitis, two; and paralysis, pneumonia, premature birth, carcinoma of uterus, carcinoma of stomach and pulmonary tuberculosis, one each.

claimed improperly and surreptitiously had certain letters received from the military files there.

MacAulay was improperly moved to Winnipeg by the militia department.

### GOING RIGHT AT IT IN THE STATES

Looks Like Serious Effort to Get Profiteers

#### GOLD STORAGE STOCKS SEIZED

Some 10,000,000 Eggs and 300,000 Pounds of Butter Taken in Detroit—Similar Action in Ohio Ordered — State and Federal Authorities Co-Operate

Washington, Aug. 16.—Close co-operation between state authorities who possess detailed information of food and price conditions and the attorney general and his staff of assistants empowered to enforce the food control law has been established as part of the government's fight to reduce the cost of living.

Instructions went out yesterday from Attorney-General Palmer to the two district attorneys in Ohio to proceed immediately to assist Governor Cox in the seizure of large quantities of meat, butter and eggs alleged to have been held in storage in that state for more than six to ten months, the legal limits. Criminal prosecutions will be instituted, it was said, if it can be shown that the purpose of hoarding prices. Officials here were inclined to think that the long period of storage indicated some other reason than an effort to spread the abundant supply of a production season over the lean part of the year.

Acting on a telegram from Governor Cox saying that a Cleveland concern, in order to escape possible prosecution for hoarding, was moving its meat products to warehouses in Chicago and destroying its records, the department of justice ordered the district-attorney in Cleveland to look into the matter immediately. All attempt at transfer of goods in storage, officials said, would be summarily dealt with.

Seizure of large stocks of foodstuffs in storage continued yesterday and there were reports of libels filed in Cleveland and Detroit and preparations for such action in many cities. The department was informed last night that the district-attorney in Detroit had filed libels in three cases and seized approximately 460,000 eggs and 800,000 pounds of butter, all of which had been held in storage for some time.

#### LABOR MEN WILL NOT GET TOGETHER FOR A JOINT CELEBRATION

Quebec Nationals and Internationals Each to Have Own Observance of Labor Day

Quebec, Aug. 16.—The city of Quebec will have two processions of working men to celebrate Labor Day this year, as the relations between the international and national unions are rather strained. Delegations representing both bodies had a conference with the finance committee and the city voted \$800 to the national unions and \$200 to the international unions.

The national unions have secured exclusive privilege to use the Exhibition grounds for their field sports, while the international unions are obliged to go outside of the city to Montmorency Falls for their athletic competitions.

Asked by Mayor Lavigne why they could not hold their manifestation jointly, the international men said they were prepared to do so. The national men refused, saying that they had a contract with the exhibition commission, a body responsible to the city council, and would have nothing to do with the international men.

#### Liberal Nominations

Ottawa, Aug. 15.—J. A. Pinard, sitting member for East Ottawa in the Ontario legislature, and George C. Hudman, for West Ottawa, were nominated by Ottawa Liberals tonight.

#### Phelez and Pherdinand

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

#### WEATHER REPORT

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

Probabilities—Partly cloudy.