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Britain Offers to Draft Reply to Reparations Note From Germany

CITY HALL STILL IS UNDECIDED Employment Service Office Discussion Resumed

Several Recommendations for Renewal of Services and Commissioner Says Million Could be Spent—Complaints of Smoke.

The continuation of a local office of the Employment Service of Canada here received further consideration by the City Council this morning...

Resuming discussion on the matter of the continuation of the local employment office, a letter was read from Hon. James Murdoch, Minister of Labor, in which he said that the agreement covering the establishment of these offices had terminated on March 31, and at present no agreement existed between the Federal and N. B. Governments...

The federal-provincial agreement he said, was the same as the old federal-provincial agreement, except that the reimbursement of the federal share of the cost was made to the province instead of to the municipality...

Commissioner Bullock suggested that it be included in the agreement with the province that the city should be consulted in case of any proposal to increase the number of offices...

Coal Tenders Commissioner Bullock said that through clerical oversight or otherwise, R. P. & W. F. Starr had failed to submit tenders for coal for the ferry department...

Mr. Bullock presented an application from the Board of Management of the Parish of Lancaster for the purchase of a lot at the corner of Prospect and Hill streets, Fairville...

Reporting on a proposal to cover the sidewalk planting on North Rodney wharf with an asphalt surface, Commissioner Bullock said the cost would be \$3,800. He said that repairs would be necessary next year...

Commissioner Thornton said that at least twenty people on the West Side called him today to complain of the fumes of the boiler out with live steam.

What about the Royal Hotel? asked Commissioner Frink. He said the business people in King street were continually complaining that they could not open their windows...

Commissioner Bullock said he would take the matter up again with the manager of the company. Commissioner Wigmore said that the company might be blowing the fumes of the boiler out with live steam.

BALDWIN'S ANXIOUSLY AWAITED STATEMENT IS MADE IN COMMONS

Submit Reply to Allies in Hope They'll Agree—Sole Aim is Pacification of Europe and Recovery of Exhausted World—No Indication of Suggested Reply But Comment on French Occupation of Ruhr.

(Canadian Press.) London, July 12.—Great Britain has informed France and Italy that she is ready to assume the responsibility of preparing the draft of a reply to the German reparations note. The reply will be submitted to the Allies with the least possible delay in the hope that they will agree on its terms.

Announcement to this effect was made by Premier Baldwin in a statement to the House of Commons today on Great Britain's reparations policy.

The British Government, he said, invites the sympathy of the Allies and of all interested states for the proposal, which aims solely at the pacification of Europe and the recovery of the exhausted world.

Mr. Baldwin failed to state what the British proposals will be in the note the government intends framing, nor did he say anything in regard to an international commission to examine into Germany's capacity to pay.

DIVERGENCE ONLY ON MEANS TO END. Premier Baldwin in his statement said it could not be made too clear, in the interests alike of the powers concerned and any who might hope to profit by exploiting the differences between them, that the sole ground of divergence was as to the best effective means of realizing the ends which were vital to all. These ends were the payments of reparations and the recovery of the security of Europe. To secure these ends, he said, the Allies "have striven in the past, nor will they grudge anything in the future."

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CELEBRATION OF THE TWELFTH

Local Orange Bodies Have Observance on the Barrack Square

Elaborate Programme for Afternoon and Evening, With Ball in Armory, Parade and Picnic at Lorneville.

With a big field day on the Barrack Green and the usual picnic at Lorneville, the "Glorious Twelfth" is being celebrated this afternoon and evening by the local branches of the Orange Order.

The Barrack Square has been transformed into a gala spot for the afternoon and evening with flags and streamers flying everywhere. Several attractive booths and shelters have been erected and the decorations on these add greatly to the general scheme.

To judge from the supplies laid in this morning and the activity on the ground, preparing them for the big event, the Orangemen are expecting a large crowd and are going to be ready for them all.

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The general convenor, William McCampbell, is assisted by Harry Sellers and W. W. Donohue in the administration. The games are in charge of J. W. Pilmor and his staff is as follows:—Whist, Fred Duffy; Pigeon, Gibson and Joseph Taylor; house-holds, Everett Duffy; tennis, Fred Williams; croquet, W. W. Donohue; bowls, Robert Baird, Mrs. O. Ward, Mrs. Charles Ingalls, Mrs. William MacKenzie, Mrs. Lillian Cole, Miss Edna Stewart, Miss Marion Linn, Mrs. G. Hayman, Miss Malcolm and Mrs. Clarence Atkinson; Roxborough Lodge, No. 32, G. Gray, Mrs. R. C. Callin and Mrs. C. Gray; Mrs. B. Kelly, Mrs. J. R. Crawford; general convenors from the four lodges in the same order, Mrs. Robert Baird, Mrs. Albert McKinnon, Mrs. Hedley Currie and Mrs. Francis Kerr.

The ball will be in charge of Captain B. V. Weston. It will commence at about eight o'clock, with Jones' Orchestra in attendance, and will continue until about one o'clock, when a special street car service will be available for those staying to the end.

The committee assisting Captain Weston are:—H. Rowley, A. Harvey, O. Dykeman, H. Codner, J. W. Pilmor, W. J. Smith, R. Evans and H. Hamilton.

At Lorneville. The St. John County Orange Lodge and Prentice Boys are holding their annual parade and picnic at Lorneville. They formed up this morning at 10 o'clock at the Mount Purple hall there and paraded through the village to the field of Samuel Galbraith where a big picnic is being held for the benefit of the Fairville Lodge. In the evening they will return to the hall where speeches will be made. The lodges taking part are:—Fairville, No. 12, Coronation, No. 121 of Lorneville, Mount Purple, No. 29 of Lorneville, and the Prentice Boys.

The usual big crowd is in attendance and the day promised to be very successful from all points of view.

Frederick, July 12.—The anniversary of the battle of the Boyne was observed very quietly in this section. There was no celebration in Fredericton. At Burt's Corner, Rusiagorah and Nashwaakias Orange picnics and similar gatherings were held. Many

POLITICS REPLACES THE SWORD IN IRELAND

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TURKS DEMAND THAT ALL BRITISH WARSHIPS LEAVE THE STRAITS SIMULTANEOUSLY

Met by Insistence on Right to Keep Two Cruisers There Until Treaty is Ratified—Long Discussion, But a Deadlock.

(Canadian Press.) Lausanne, July 12.—The Turks have dampened the rejoicing of the Near East conference by raising new difficulties; they want all the British warships withdrawn from the Straits simultaneously with the troops, but the British insist on their right to keep two cruisers pending ratification of the straits convention.

Although exhausted by long months of negotiations, Ismet Pasha strenuously contested the British contention that the straits should be kept open until the night, declaring that this was against the spirit, if not against the letter of the treaty. The session broke up without agreement.

Ismet Pasha. He signs the peace treaty between the European powers and Turkey. The terms are considered a triumph for Turkey, and Constantinople is decked in flags and bunting to celebrate the event.

BOUT TONIGHT MEANS TUG TO BOTH MEN

Willard and Firpo to Battle Before Crowd Which May Number 70,000.

Jersey City, N. J., July 12.—Two modern gladiators, one from the prairies of Kansas and the other from the stretches of the Argentine, will stake their pugilistic futures tonight in a 12 round match in the picturesque arena of the arena at Boyle's Thirty Acres.

For Jess Willard, the man mountain, who held the championship of the world from 1915 to 1919, it will be the big test in the comeback which he hopes to obtain a return match with his conqueror, Jack Dempsey. For Firpo, it will be the critical point in one of the most sensational careers of ring history, a stepping stone, if he is victorious, to the chance of a world title.

A colorful crowd of probably more than 70,000 fans was expected to witness the combat.

Advance ticket sales had passed the 35,000 mark last night and indications were that this figure would be more than doubled by the time the fight programme begins at 8:15 o'clock daylight time. Gates to the arena were to be opened at five o'clock this afternoon, simultaneously with the opening of the sale of 30,000 tickets for unreserved seats.

One Girl Missing; Another Returns

Up to 2 o'clock this afternoon the local police or members of the detective department had failed to learn anything about Gladys Joseph, who is reported missing. She was said to have left her home in Prince Edward street yesterday morning for her place of employment and had not been seen or heard from since. Efforts to trace her were continued this afternoon.

Police Morris of Erie street, who also disappeared from her home, returned this morning. Her father assured the detectives that she would be taken care of.

NO WORD YET. There is still no word of H. L. Everett, missing from Padmeck. There was a report today that a man answering his description had been seen near Fredericton. The Times inquires enquire but Chief of Police Jones at the capital, said he had no such information.

Local people spent the day at Woodstock, where the great attraction was the harness racing. On request, Deputy Mayor Cooper this morning ordered the flag to be hoisted on the City Hall to mark July 12, thus placing the day in the same class as public holidays and St. George's Day, St. Patrick's day and St. David's day.

N.S. Premier Goes To Sydney In Hope To Bring About Peace

J. B. McLachlan at Glace Bay is Given Big Welcome by Men—Mass Meeting in Ball Park—Premier of Canada's Reply to Trades and Labor Congress.

(Canadian Press.) Sydney, N. S., July 12.—Premier E. H. Armstrong arrived in Sydney this morning and will probably meet representatives of the striking steel workers as soon as arrangements can be made. J. B. McLachlan, district secretary of the U. M. W., also arrived from Halifax. Between 800 and 400 men were waiting quietly on the platform for his arrival. He was taken by car to Dominion No. 4, where he was to address a mass meeting. Several cars followed from Sydney.

McLachlan and Daniel Livingstone were released yesterday on bail in Halifax. Attorney-General O'Leary said that they might go where they wished and engage in any lawful activity providing they appeared in court in Halifax on Tuesday morning.

Telegrams of interest have passed between Vice-President A. S. McIntyre of District 26 of the U. M. W. of America and John L. Lewis, international president, and himself and Hon. James Murdoch, Minister of Labor. A telegram sent by Mr. McIntyre to Mr. Lewis informed him that the only issues at stake were the sending of troops into the district and the arrest of Livingstone and McLachlan. The present trouble was described as a political struggle.

A telegram from Hon. Mr. Murdoch to Mr. McIntyre expressed the wish that the miners would give due consideration to the views of Mr. Lewis, who has held the present strike to be illegal. It urged that some action looking to the early resumption of work be taken. In reply Mr. McIntyre telegraphed reports coming out of the Cape Breton area. I have returned with those views either extremely modified or completely reversed.

I confess I carried with me certain definite views as to the seat of the trouble, based on daily contact with reports coming out of the Cape Breton area. I have returned with those views either extremely modified or completely reversed.

The Miners. The most striking impression one receives upon being swept into the maelstrom of the conflict is the violence with which the miners believe that everybody's hand is against them. This is fundamental. One mentions the newspapers—"to hell with the newspapers," the minister of labor—"to hell with Murdoch," their own international leader—"to hell with Lewis."

The deep underlying reason for this state of mind is found to be the persistent spreading, day in and day out, of "false tales" to the discomfort of the general public. The Minister of Labor Number Two is reported to be in imminent danger of destruction. Investigation shows a slight movement was started a rush but quiet was restored by the chairman and cries of "order" throughout the crowd. Angus MacDonald advised that no notice be taken of the police and there was similar advice from other quarters. The police stationed themselves some distance from the crowd.

Angus MacDonald resumed speaking and said that Secretary McLachlan could not address them. He asked that they should not call or edge him to speak.

Premier King's Reply to L. Congress. Ottawa, July 12.—Replying to the letter from the executive of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister, stated that he will be pleased to discuss the question of appointing a royal commission to investigate the situation in the Cape Breton strike area with his colleagues. He states, however, that he doubts the necessity for the appointment of such a commission. With regard to the suggestion that parliament alone can deal, as only the municipalities concerned, renders it apparent that there is need for revision of the militia in aid of the civil power. This, however, is a matter with which the law clearly contemplates that the body which enacted the law has the right or power to alter or amend it.

"Perhaps I should add that some days ago I took steps to make it known to His Honor Judge Finlayson, to the officers commanding the district and to the Premier of N. S., that our Government viewed with some concern the number of troops which had been requisitioned in aid of the civil power in Cape Breton, and make it quite clear that we were most anxious that (Continued on page 2, seventh column.)"

The Company. If the attitude adopted towards me by F. W. Gray, assistant to the vice-president of the British Empire Steel Corporation, with whom the newspapermen are called upon to deal, is the attitude adopted towards their employees by the officials of the British Empire Steel Corporation, I can quite understand the present temper of the men. Mr. Gray is perhaps the foremost authority we have in Nova Scotia on coal mining. He is courteous and obliging. But he persistently refused to lay his cards on the table when dealing with me and he undertook, quite as a matter of course, to

tel me what should or should not be sent out to the daily newspapers of Canada. When he handed me a typewritten copy of what purported to be a letter over the signature of J. B. McLachlan, charging atrocities against the provincial police, and I asked him for some evidence of the letter's authorship and publication, he thought I should accept his word that it was perfectly all right, giving me the impression it had been written by the provincial police force. (Continued on page 4, fourth column.)"

FAKE BUYING ORDERS IN WALL ST. Had to Do With Southern Pacific—Discovered Before Market Opened.

New York, July 12.—Fake buying orders for Southern Pacific Railroad stocks were distributed among several brokerage houses in Wall Street this morning but the fraud was discovered before the market opened and none of the orders are believed to have been executed.

Phelix and Phermand WEATHER REPORT. Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis—Pressure is highest over Manitoba and the upper lake region and a shallow depression covers Alberta. Showers have been almost general in Saskatchewan and they have occurred locally in Alberta and near Lake Erie, elsewhere in the Dominion the weather has been fine.

Forecasts.—Fine and Warm. Maritime—Light to moderate winds fine and warm today and on Friday. Gulf and North Shore—Moderate west and northwest winds, fair today and on Friday, stationary or a little higher temperature. New England—Fair tonight and tomorrow. Seasonable temperature; light to moderate winds, mostly north and northeast. Toronto, July 12.—Temperatures:—Lowest Stations. 8 a.m. Highest yesterday night. Kingston 58 82 60 St. John 58 82 60 Victoria 52 72 52 New York 60 80 60 Montreal 62 82 60 Prince Albert 62 80 60 Winnipeg 66 76 68 Sault Ste. Marie 64 82 64 Toronto 72 88 66 Quebec 62 78 54 St. John, N. B. 64 70 54 Halifax 68 82 62 St. Johns, Nfld. 68 84 68 Detroit 66 78 62 New York 72 84 70

Burned to Death in Maine; Said to Belong Here

a telegram today from Detective A. B. Munro of Greenville, Me., notifying him that a man named John Gilroy had been burned to death there and the home of his parents was supposed to be in St. John. The telegram said that efforts to locate two brothers, Peter and James, had been unavailing. Detective Munro asked that efforts be made to locate the parents and notify them of the death. No details as to how the fatal accident occurred were contained in the telegram.

PRINCE TO CANADA IN AUTUMN BUT COMING AS DUKE OF CORNWALL

Ottawa, Ont., July 12.—Official announcement of the proposed visit of the Prince of Wales to Canada, was made last evening from Government House.

The announcement reads as follows: "His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, traveling as the Duke of Cornwall, proposes, with the King's sanction, to visit Canada, spending a short holiday on his ranch in Alberta, during early autumn. The visit will be of a purely private nature, and His Royal Highness regrets, therefore, that it will not be possible for him to accept official engagements of any kind."