

Great Britain Breathes Easier.

Coal Strike Settlement in Sight— Kiel Canal to be International Waterway---Germany Must Compensate for Scapa Flow-- Greek Admiral Elected Regent.

COAL STRIKE SETTLED.
LONDON, Oct. 28.
The strike of the coal miners was settled this afternoon, but the settlement is contingent on a ballot of the miners.

THE BASIS OF SETTLEMENT.
LONDON, Oct. 28.
The prospect to-night is that the coal strike will terminate by the end of next week through the miners' acceptance of the agreement arranged with the Government under which the miners will get two shillings advance unconditionally until the end of the year, and in future their wages will be settled by the creation of a National Wages Board. The wages will in the interval be settled on the basis of increase or decrease according to surplus profits or otherwise from coal exports. This depends upon such complex calculations as to render it hardly possible for any miner to understand it, therefore in the ballot to be taken next Tuesday and made returnable Wednesday, the miners must necessarily be guided by the recommendation of their leaders. The leaders favor a settlement on these terms. The agreement is skillfully added so that all concerned including the coal miners will be interested in increasing the output, as in case of decreased output the owners will be penalized by a reduction in their ten per cent share of the surplus profits.

GERMANY AGREES.
PARIS, Oct. 28.
Germany, according to despatches submitted to the Council of Ambassadors, will strictly observe the Allies' interpretation of the clause in the Peace Treaty providing that the Kiel Canal shall be free to international traffic. This is a reversal of the German Government's previous attitude under which vessels carrying arms to Poland were stopped. Early this month the Council of Ambassadors sent a note to Germany demanding the immediate release of the three ships loaded with munitions for Poland, which were being held in the Kiel Canal by German authorities. The note pointed out that Germany's attitude constituted a direct violation of the Treaty of Versailles, inasmuch as that Treaty specifies that the Kiel Canal is free waterway for all nations of the world. Germany had taken the position that she was neutral in the Russia-Poland war and that therefore she could not permit the passage of the ships.

ENGLAND SUBMITS AGREEMENTS.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.
Great Britain has submitted to the League of Nations for registration and publication, sixteen international agreements entered into by her since the Covenant of the League came into force last January, according to advices received here to-day, from headquarters of the League Council. "These agreements," said the advice, "include engagements of the Empire as a whole and specific engagements of India, South Africa and Canada. They cover such widely different subjects as the Anglo-France Oil Agreement, signed at San Remo, an agreement on commercial relations with Estonia, and an agreement with Soviet Russia for the exchange of prisoners, and various acccessions and denunciations regarding treaties which existed before January tenth. The registration of these agreements is in compliance with Article Eighteen of the Covenant which provides that no treaty or international

engagement shall be binding until registered."

FURTHER FIGHTING IN IRELAND.
TIPPERARY, Ireland, Oct. 28.
Two soldiers were shot down and three were wounded when a military lorry was attacked by civilians near Thomastown about ten miles south-east of Kilkenny to-day. The battle raged half an hour and it is believed there were also casualties among the civilians.

GERMANY MUST MAKE GOOD.
PARIS, Oct. 28.
Germany must deliver two hundred and seventy five thousand tons of shipping to the Allies as compensation for the sinking of the German fleet in Scapa Flow, the Reparations Commission decided to-day.

AUSTRALIA AS A BORROWER.
LONDON, Oct. 28.
Speaking at a luncheon tendered to Governor Kell, of the Australian Commonwealth Bank, Austen Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said that while he could not welcome Australian Corporations as borrowers of short money under present circumstances which would make them competitors with herself in Great Britain's hour of need, they would always have the British Government's good will when they invited investors to take up long term issues for development of the Commonwealth.

REGENT OF GREECE.
LONDON, Oct. 28.
The Greek Chamber of Deputies has elected Admiral H. Coundouriotis as Regent of Greece by a vote of one thirty seven to three, says a despatch to the London Times from Athens. Admiral Coundouriotis is Minister of Marine in Venizelos' Cabinet.

GEDDES HAS DOUBTS.
NEW YORK, Oct. 28.
In announcing that the American Commission on Ireland would meet in

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Washington to-morrow and Saturday to plan a public inquiry into conditions in that country, the committee of one hundred of Ireland to-day made public a letter from Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador, in which he expressed doubt as to whether the truth can be established until there has been a period of quiet in Ireland.

WILL BE TAKEN TO CORK.
LONDON, Oct. 28.
The Government has refused to permit the body of the late Mayor MacSweeney of Cork to be landed in Dublin, and has provided a special steamer to convey the remains to Cork.

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Civil Commission Weekly Meeting.

The weekly meeting of the Municipal Commission was held last night. Chairman Gosling and Commissioners Mullaly, Ayre, Peet, Morris, Vinnicombe and Devine being present.

After the reading of minutes of previous meeting, consideration was given the following:—
W. B. Jennings, Esq., Minister of Public Works, forwarded a communication regarding land required by the Commission as rearage to the houses being erected by them on Quidi Vidi Road, and was willing to grant same under certain conditions. The Commission accepted the offer.

Messrs. J. & F. Davey wrote asking attention to drains Bond and Victoria Sts. A like communication was received from Mr. M. Keen in reference to Fleming St. and Monkstown Road. Both matters will be attended to by the Engineer.

Messrs. G. Browning & Son drew attention of the Commission to the inconvenience caused them by Trucks obstructing the sidewalk in the Cove. This matter will be taken up with the Insp. General of Constabulary.

Newfoundland Atlantic Fisheries Ltd., wrote guaranteeing to pay cost of extending water main to their premises.

Mr. J. Gillingham requested attention be given drain junction Flower Hill. The Engineer will see what can be done in the matter.

Tender submitted by Edstrom & O'Grady for Plumbing was confirmed.

A communication was read from

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An application was read from Mr. J. Gillingham for position in one of the Municipal Departments. There is

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no vacancy.
Architect McCarter forwarded plans covering the erection of 25 houses on Merrymount Road for the Dominion Co-operative Building Association. The plans were approved.

Mr. Jno. Ryan submitted plans for approval. These will be considered when location plan is forwarded.
Tenders were accepted as follows:—
F. McNamara for supply of oats; and P. Wall for Slides for Sanitary Dept.

M. Maddigan will be allowed to build annex provided he signs an agreement to remove same when required.

The lighting of Casey Street and vicinity is to be improved.
Reports of City Engineer, Health Officer, Plumbing Inspector, etc., were read.
Requisitions for the Departments

were acceded to. Routine business was disposed of. Pay Rolls and Bills presented were ordered paid. Meeting adjourned 10.15.

CALENDAR—We thank Messrs. Cowan & Co. for a pretty calendar for 1921.

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He was jumping about and swishing his tail in a way that alarmed her—she was a timid little thing. So she addressed a few words to the aged John.
"I hope," she said, smiling bravely, "that you will not run away with me."

The cabby sighed mournfully—"No, mum," he replied "I have a wife and seven kids at 'ome already."

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