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Governor General and Party Greeted by Large Crowd on Their Arrival in the City

In speech in reply to an address of welcome The Duke mentioned that the war was not yet won, but that there was need of unity of action to complete the work.

Nearly all the city turned out last evening to greet the Governor General and his party on their arrival from the east. The train pulled in promptly at 8:30 and as the visitors stepped from the car they were met by Mayor McClymont and three past mayors of the city, M. P. McCaffery, Fred Stork and S. M. Newton, and also by Judge Young, A. M. Manson, M.P.P., and Major McMullin and J. McGregor, V.C., and Inspector Ackland of the Mounted Police. The ladies were welcomed by Mrs. McClymont.

The returned men were drawn up at attention on the platform and after the party had been introduced to the members of the reception committee by H. McCall and George McNicholl, the former of whom had gone up the line to meet them, the Governor inspected the veterans and chatted with each for a few moments. Half an hour later a reception was held at the Exhibition Building at which Mayor McClymont presented the Governor with an address of welcome and Prince Rupert flowers were presented to the Duchess by little Margaret Stalker and to Lady Dorothy by Miss McMullin. The reception committee had seats on the platform and there was a large and enthusiastic crowd present.

The Governor's Speech.

In his reply to the address the Governor said:

"As the representative of the King, I have the honor to thank you for the address presented to me. It will be my high privilege to inform His Majesty of these expressions of loyalty and devotion.

"The throne of the Empire stands today in a stronger position than ever before. When the war came to a close we saw the ancient dynasties of Europe crumbling to the ground, while perhaps the most notable feature throughout the Empire was the instantaneous and spontaneous expressions of devotion to His Majesty. In the metropolis, the people instinctively turned to Buckingham Palace and their one cry was 'we want King George,' and that one cry echoed throughout the Empire.

"At this moment throughout the Dominion His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is being greeted with an enthusiasm, the genuineness of which has never been witnessed before. It is a remarkable tribute to him in his dual capacity as the representative of the Throne, and to his own personality as a soldier and a man.

"If I had come amongst you a year ago it would have been my duty to have given you words of encouragement in the great struggle in which we were engaged. Perhaps but of the many striking things which occurred throughout the time I was in office as Governor, possibly nothing has appealed to me so strongly as the extraordinary spirit displayed



His Excellency the Governor.

especially during the times when things looked blackest and when the outcome was far from certain. I shall always remember that period of March, 1918, and the succeeding months. Today I come amongst you and we can look back with pride and satisfaction upon the victorious termination of the war.

Splendid Support.

"I have had the privilege of meeting a number of those who have done so much for us and nobly done their part in the battles in France and Flanders. I was also glad to meet some of those who have taken part in the South African and other campaigns. As the representative of the King, I wish most sincerely to express my gratitude to them and my appreciation of the splendid work they have done. And their efforts would have been useless, however, had it not been for the splendid support which they received from those who performed had to remain at home, and from the women of Canada and their splendid part. As the outcome of the war, we will have to see if never again will it be possible for such an outrage to be perpetrated.

"In the great conference in Paris, steps have been taken which we all trust will lead to such conditions throughout the world that never again will we have war. Armies may accomplish much, but after all, the course of events is directed by the people and it is for everyone of us, individually to take our share and do our part in seeing and helping that peace is made permanent and lasting. Public opinion is the most potent factor of all those which govern human actions and it is to de-

velop the growth of a sound public opinion that its influence can be brought to bear.

Glorious Scenery.

"We have today travelled through the most glorious scenery it has ever been my privilege to witness. I have been able to see and hear something of the immense potential value in various industries, agriculture, timber, fishing, mining and many others with which you are all familiar. The opportunities and the assets which we possess are enormous, but after all none of these assets are of the slightest value unless the capacity of turning them to the best use and advantage. At this very moment the whole world is confronted with a condition of affairs never before known. For the best part of five years the best brains and intelligence have been solely employed for the purposes of destruction. While travelling, I was told that your spruce here was indispensable for the manufacture of aeroplanes, which were also used for destruction. We cannot afford any longer the further destruction of life, of material and of time. We must aim at construction and it is for every one of us to see in what direction we can best handle more work.

Not Permanent.

"Expedients and palliatives cannot improve economic and social conditions permanently. There are only two ways to do it, by economising our resources and increasing production. We can all contribute in these directions and it is solely by economy and work that we shall be able to make up for these five years of destruction. If we realize what our duty is now, with the same foresight and discrimination as we realized what our duty was during the war, we shall be able to look forward to the future with equal confidence. Canada is essentially a country of faith. Her whole history stands for success. And although Canada's history may not be long in years, it is full in accomplishments as any in the world.

"We have difficult problems to face, but with the same spirit as was displayed during the war, we have no reason to dread the future.

"I thank you again for your cordial reception and welcome which you have accorded to my wife and myself. It is a great

MOVEMENT ON FOOT TO MAKE OTTO RULER

Would Restore the Monarchy in Hungary With Son of Emperor Charles at Head.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Geneva, Sept. 27.—A Budapest dispatch says that a movement is on foot in Hungary to restore the monarchy with the former Archduke Joseph as leader. If the powers still refuse to allow the Archduke to accept the crown it is proposed to make Otto, eldest son of Former Emperor Charles, king of Hungary.

REJECT PROPOSAL TO NEUTRALIZE FIUME

President Clemenceau Spoke for Two Hours in Support of Peace Treaty.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Paris, Sept. 26.—It is reported that President Wilson has rejected the proposal for internationalizing Fiume with its docks and railways. Premier Clemenceau spoke for two hours in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday in support of the Peace Treaty, declaring if the chamber refused the ratification it would make the treaty an instrument of death to France, while otherwise it would mean life and resurrection of the country.

GENERAL AMNESTY SOLDIER PRISONERS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Ottawa, Sept. 26.—Colonel J. A. Currie of North Simcoe has given notice of motion in the House of Commons "That a general amnesty be granted soldiers undergoing imprisonment for military offences committed during the war.

THEATRE WORKERS DECIDE TO STRIKE

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Paris, Sept. 27.—The Federation of Theatre Workers has decided on a general strike involving seventy concert and music halls of Paris.

Repair department in full swing—The Family Shoe Store.

pleasure to meet you. I can assure you I shall always look back with the liveliest satisfaction and pleasure upon this my first visit to your city and which I hope will be by no manner of means my last. I again thank you, Mr. Mayor, for your address of welcome."

WAR VETERANS ISSUE WRIT AGAINST FYNN FOR ALLEGED SLANDER

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Toronto, Sept. 27.—Writs have been issued against J. H. Fynn, president of the United Veterans' League, for alleged slander of G. W. V. A. officials, to the effect that the G. W. V. A. was in the pay of the Government.

TRANSFER ALLIES' OBLIGATIONS INTO TERM SECURITIES

Negotiations, it is announced, will be shortly under way for the transferring of the Allies' obligations to the United States into long-time securities. This it is thought will help to stabilize the credit of the countries that have been engaged in the war and will also help to restore the depreciated currency in several countries.

GERMANY INSISTS ON EQUALITY AT LABOR CONFERENCE

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Berlin, Sept. 27.—The Government will likely refuse passports to German delegates to the International Labor Conference at Washington next month unless the delegates are guaranteed admission to the conference on a basis of absolute equality.

WILSON THREATENS ECONOMIC BOYCOTT

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Paris, Sept. 26.—In Italian circles it is reported that President Wilson has threatened an economic boycott if Italy persists in holding Fiume without an agreement having been reached among the Powers.

BULGARIA OBJECTS TO PEACE TREATY

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Paris, Sept. 26.—The Bulgarian delegation regards some of the terms of the peace treaty as completely unacceptable, objecting particularly to arrangements between Bulgaria, Serbia and Greece.

BAN IS ON BRITISH PASSPORTS TO MEXICO

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Washington, Sept. 26.—British citizens desiring to visit Mexico cannot get their passports vised, under instructions which Ambassador Bonillas issued today and which has been sent to Mexican consuls.

CANADIAN CLUB ENTERTAINS THE GOVERNOR

Keel Laying Also Taking Place This Afternoon at the Shipyard.

The Duke of Devonshire was the guest of honor this afternoon at a luncheon given by the Canadian Club at the Prince Rupert Hotel. Judge Young presided and there was a large attendance. His Excellency gave an interesting address and at the close was thanked by resolution. This afternoon the keel is being laid of the first steamship to be built at this port. Practically the whole city is out for the great event and the weather is ideal.

BRITISH COMPANY PROPOSES TO CARRY ORE BY AEROPLANE

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Mazatlan, Sept. 27.—There is a proposal here to use aeroplanes for conveying supplies to the mines and carrying back the ore to the coast. Most of the mines here are located in the mountains from 30 to 300 miles from the coast and the cost of transportation on the backs of burros is very high, slow and uncertain. It is at present impossible to carry machinery to the mines weighing more than a few hundred pounds. By airplane several tons could be carried. There is a British Company ready to undertake the service provided landing places can be secured. That is the great difficulty but it is not considered insuperable.

WILL ADVERTISE IN CATHOLIC PAPERS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
London, Sept. 26.—The Sinn Fein national loan will be advertised in the Catholic Herald, a newspaper circulating in London, Liverpool, Manchester and other cities of England and Scotland.

RECOVER LOOT

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
Quebec, Sept. 27.—The \$11,000 stolen from the mails on the National Railways some days ago has been recovered.

BUILDING PERMIT

A building permit was issued this morning to E. V. Ling for a one-storey frame dwelling on Eleventh Avenue, value about \$2,300.

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W. D. VANCE,
Treasurer and Collector.

BELGIUM KING AND QUEEN AND PRELATE COMING TO U. S.



According to a despatch from Brussels King Albert and Queen Elizabeth will leave for the United States September 22, and will stay there one month. At the American Embassy in Brussels, however, it was said the date of departure for America had not been made public. Cardinal Mercier will leave for the United States September 2 in company with Monsignor de Wachter, his auxiliary bishop, and Professor de Wulf. They will remain in America two months. It is said the Cardinal will meet the King and Queen Elizabeth in America.

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