

Keep Peace Day, Saturday, in Memory of Boys

KAISER'S LETTER WRITTEN IN 1914 To Von Bethmann Hollweg, the Former German Imperial Chancellor.

SAID THE SERBIAN REPLY REMOVED ALL GROUND FOR WAR WITH AUSTRIA.

The German National Assembly Refuses to Abolish Capital Punishment—Provides for Illegitimate Children.

Retain Capital Punishment. Weimar, July 18.—The Weimar National Assembly rejected a motion introduced by the Independents to abolish capital punishment.

TWO BASEBALL GAMES SATURDAY AFTERNOON Manhattan Giants Will Clash With Ponies at the Cricket Field.

The stage is set for the big game at the Cricket Field on Saturday afternoon, when Manhattan Giants and Ponies clash in the premier exhibition feature of the season.

100,000 MEN TO STRIKE.

If Chicago Building Trades Refuse Their Demands. Chicago, July 18.—More than one hundred thousand men employed in Chicago building operations will be idle by tonight unless the strikes for higher pay, involving about eighty thousand of their number, are called off.

In Hungary military action, by the Allies seems the only means to end a situation dangerous for Rumania and Poland.

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SHORTAGE OF FUEL DECLARED IMPENDING Only Remedy Is For Consuming Public to Lay in Supply Early.

Washington, July 18.—Urging congressional investigation of the coal situation, Government officials and coal operators told the House committee yesterday that a fuel shortage was impending.

INFANT STRANGLER ON LAWN SWING Three Months' Old Child Met Violent Death on Cottage Hill.

Belleville, July 18.—Kenneth Wilson Royle, three months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Royle, College Hill, met death by strangulation on Wednesday afternoon in a lawn swing on his parents' lawn.

THE FORMER KAISER GREATLY DEPRESSED He Wants to Talk on Religious Subjects and is Highly Nervous.

Count Hohenzollern is said to rarely leave his apartment and seldom sees his closest friends. The paper says he spends many hours in prayer and that when he does talk he prays to converse on religious subjects.

FLAG IS NOT BANNED. Toronto Archbishop Comments on Funeral Incident.

Toronto, July 18.—There is no law in the Roman Catholic church which prohibits the use of any flag at funeral services, according to Archbishop Neil McNeil.

Exempt Smaller Incomes. London, July 18.—The Miners' Federation Conference unanimously carried a resolution urging exemption of incomes under £250.



MAJOR A. W. GRAY Elected D.D.G.M. for Frontenac district A. F. & A. M.

MAKES MIKADO ASIATIC KAISER This is U.S. Senator Sherman's View of the Peace Treaty.

STRONG ATTACK IS MADE UPON THE TREATY IN THE U.S. SENATE.

Claimed That China is At Mercy of Japanese—Award of Shantung Viewed as Superlative Treachery.

He denounced the action of the peace conference in giving Shantung to Japan, as "the superlative treachery of modern times."

Japan, he warned, will gradually absorb China and menace the world. In that day, he predicted the United States may be forced to appeal for help to the Chinese people.

The United States has either been overreached by more capable diplomats, or the indifference of those recreant to their duty," said Sherman.

China, trusting the United States, the allies and associated nations at the peace table, finds herself facing another step in the dismemberment of her country.

PUT THE LID ON TIGHT TO-MORROW. Following up what was published in the Whig of Thursday relative to the closing of Kingston shops and business houses on Saturday.

That the mayor should order every store to close on this occasion. Such action would merit the praise of the vast majority of the citizens of Kingston.

Comments on the subject have been freely expressed during the past few days. Public sentiment is overwhelmingly in favour of having every place of business closed up on Saturday.

In Thursday's issue we suggested that the mayor should order every store to close on this occasion.

INCREASE LUXURY TAX IN GERMANY Drastic Imperial Income Tax is Also Planned by Government.

Weimar, July 18.—The government's new tax bill will include a surplus assessment on capital amounting to thirty per cent.

The national assembly to-day rejected the socialist motion to abolish the right of nobility, but declared in favour of a constitutional proviso degrading the equality of all men and women and refusing to recognize special rights or privileges based on birth or social station.



PRINCE OF WALES who starts on voyage to Canada on August 15th. He will land at Newfoundland first.

A HAPPY EVENT. Canadians Had "Holiday Celebration on the River."

Alexandria Bay, N.Y., July 18.—Six brothers from four different cities of the continent met here Tuesday and celebrated the birthday of one of their number, A. W. Moore, of Woodstock, Ont., who was thirty-eight.

MARRIED WAYWARD GIRL AS A BOYISH PRANK The Murderer of Lieut. Pickon's Wife Met Her at Barrieffield Camp.

Ottawa July 18.—Bella Pickon, known in Ottawa as Bella King, wife of Lieut. Percy Pickon, Ottawa, was the woman murdered in a rooming house at 300 St. Lawrence Boulevard, Montreal, Wednesday morning by William Fallon, of Peterboro and Ottawa.

Prescott and Russell Sell Bond Issue Toronto, July 18.—Aemilus Jarvis & Co. have been awarded a bond issue of \$50,000 of the united counties of Prescott and Russell.

Von Stark Appointed. Paris, July 18.—Herr von Stark has been named by the German government as its commissioner in the administration of the occupied territories in the Rhineland province.

Senator Clark Given Appointment. Washington, July 18.—Former Senator S. C. D. Clark, of Evanston, Wyo., was appointed a member of the International Joint Commission by President Wilson.

The London Press Association states that the Prince of Wales will visit the United States while on his trip to Canada.

STOCK RAISERS TO GET RELIEF Herds in Alberta and Saskatchewan Are Threatened With Scarcity of Food.

A CO-OPERATIVE SCHEME TO MOVE THE HERDS OR SUPPLY FODDER FOR THEM.

The Problem is Purely Provincial and the Provincial Government Must Assume a Portion of the Cost.

To carry out either or both of these proposals the Dominion Government has proposed to the provincial authorities that the cost of securing the hay and moving the hay and cattle be borne equally by the Dominion Government, provincial Government, railway companies and stock owners.

DELAYED THE MAKING OF LONG-RANGE GUN Evidence Given Before Committee of the French Chamber of Deputies.

Paris, July 18.—While giving evidence before the committee of the Chamber of Deputies investigating the Brieley question, M. L. Bourgeois, chief of the Navy Department, said that at the time Paris was being bombarded by German long range guns, he had designed a cannon with a range of 100 miles which could be put in position in one hour.

BOYCOTT LORD FRENCH. Irish Soldiers Refuse to March in Parade.

Dublin, July 18.—The Irish Nationalist Association, composed largely of followers of the late John Redmond, who fought during the war, decided today that its members would not march in the Victory parade in London on Saturday.

Suspends Sawing Operations. Amerongen, July 18.—The former German Emperor refrained on Tuesday from sawing trees for the first time in several months.

NEWS IN BULLETIN. Eleven Mennonites were found guilty and fined in Winnipeg on Thursday for unlawfully not sending their children to school.

Allied representatives have told Germany that it must be prepared to bring about compulsory labor laws.

Rich Germans are fleeing from Germany for fear of the confiscation of their property.

BOURNE FAMILY TO KEEP DARK ISLAND Summer Home of Late Commodore to Be Improved and Occupied.

Alexandria Bay, N.Y., July 18.—Residents of this village and summer guests are glad to know that Dark Island, the picturesque home of the late F. G. Bourne, former commodore of the New York Yacht Club, is to be maintained by the family.

MAKE IT UNANIMOUS. Let every man who can possibly do it refrain from work on Saturday, the Peace Holiday.

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HUGE PROBLEM OF MARKETING This Year's Wheat Crop of Canada is Being Considered.

FIXING MINIMUM PRICE IS REGARDED AS A DANGEROUS EXPERIMENT.

Economic War With the United States—Canada Facing the Continental European Market.

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