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No Basis Yet For Conference on The Future of Ireland

Lloyd George and De Valera Met Today Again—Irish Leader to Dublin to Confer With Followers—Reported Decision of Offer by Cabinet.

London, July 21—The basis for a conference to attempt a settlement of the Irish question has not yet been found, it was announced in the official communication issued after a conference today between Eamonn De Valera and Lloyd George, who have been conferring with the object of finding such a basis. Mr. De Valera and his colleagues, adds the communication, will return to Dublin tomorrow and will communicate with Lloyd George after further discussion with his followers there.

Conference Resumed.

London, July 21—Eamonn De Valera arrived at the office of Lloyd George, at 11.30 this morning. A large crowd of Sinn Feiners were on hand to cheer their leader. While a large number recited the rosary, others waved Sinn Fein flags.

It was expected that Lloyd George would at this conference with the republican leader present the government's proposal for a settlement of the Irish question. These proposals, it was unofficially stated, are of such a nature as to permit of no alternative offer.

The whole United Kingdom was watching the outcome of today's conference with the tensest interest, as it is considered the crucial point of the negotiations has been reached.

Mr. De Valera remained with the premier until 12.25 o'clock. The Republican leader was chatting and smiling as he came out, and it seemed to the crowd awaiting his appearance that he was pleased with his interview.

Mr. De Valera told the newspaper men that he would not return to Downing street today.

London, July 21.—The conversations between Lloyd George and Eamonn de Valera have been terminated for the present. 'Today Lloyd George submitted definite proposals. These, it is learned authoritatively, comprised less than ten articles.

Mr. De Valera and his colleagues, after their return to Irish headquarters, expressed their anxiety for the attainment of peace, despite what is at least the temporary impasse reached.

Reported Offer.

London, July 21—When Eamonn De Valera returns to Dublin after today's conference with Premier Lloyd George, the prevailing opinion here is that he will carry a bulky document, in which Ireland will be offered dominion home rule within the British Empire, similar to the government of South Africa.

While failures has marked all efforts to penetrate the official secrecy, home rule is the most favored prediction of those best qualified to see beyond the veil that has obscured details of the negotiations since Mr. De Valera came to London.

It is understood that the proposals, which are said to have been supplemented in many respects by suggestions from Premier Smuts of South Africa, scored a considerable measure of fiscal freedom to Ireland but avoids extending rights of taxation against England, which the latter might not be able to exercise in return against Ireland.

Austen Chamberlain, government leader in the House of Commons, will receive a deputation of Unionists today when Lloyd George is in consultation with Mr. De Valera, and it is said that their future attitude will depend upon what they are told at this time, the government suggestion being that if this deputation is dissatisfied there may be many secessions from the coalition.

Two Unionist members of the House, Col. Martin Archer-Shee and Col. J. Greeton already have formally withdrawn their support from the coalition as they disapproved the government's opposition towards De Valera and the Irish republicans.

Ulster the Crux.

London, July 21. — Editorially the Times today declares that the crux of the whole Irish situation is undoubtedly the position of Northern Ireland.

"Sinn Fein belief in the essential unity of Ireland," says the Times, "demands formal recognition of that unity as a first step to a settlement. Northern Ireland, conscious of its strength in its new position, asserts its right to a status of equality. If Irishmen themselves can find a method of adjusting these conflicting claims, their national problem will have been solved.

"The solution, which all might believe ultimately practicable, could be made operative by a single act of parliament, and all questions of the relationship of the peoples concerned, both as they may be held to be at the time of enactment and as they may be constituted by the act itself, could be defined in a single preamble. The respective rights and claims might for the sake of peace be recognized by common consent, only to be surrendered in the same sentence and for the same good reason."

BASEBALL MAN HAD TWO FAMILIES

Left Both by Jumping From Calvin Austin.

Investigation Reveals That Arthur I. Irwin, of Boston, Had Home, Too, in New York.

Boston, July 21—(Canadian Press)—The death of Arthur I. Irwin, manager of the Hartford baseball team, and for many years well known in baseball, has brought to light the fact that for thirty years the noted scout and manager had lived a double life. He had a wife and family in Boston, and another wife and family in New York. Irwin committed suicide last week by jumping from the steamer Calvin Austin bound from New York to Boston.

Herbert Irwin of Boston, son of the baseball man, who lives with his mother, Irwin's legal wife here, has conducted an investigation into his father's life. He learned that his father spent most of his time during the last thirty years with a common law wife at 565 West 102nd street, New York. By this wife Irwin had two children.

Each of the women, it is said, was absolutely ignorant of the other's existence.

Though reputed to have considerable money, Irwin contributed little in the last thirty years to the support of his Boston wife and children. His parting gift was a check for $500 received from the sale of his rights in a football score board device which his brother John says was worth $1,500 in annual royalties. This sale is being investigated by the family, which has undertaken to secure as much as possible from the estate for the Boston wife, who is almost destitute.

Members of his family here believe that the baseball man meditated suicide for some time before he actually took the step.

In a note accompanying the check sent to Mrs. Irwin he wrote:—"God bless you all."

Never before, said his wife, had Irwin sent her so much money or sent a message.

SUES GROCER FOR SELLING EXTRACTS TO HER HUSBAND

Salisbury, N. C., July 21.—Mrs. M. J. Woodington of this city yesterday filed suit for $10,000 against W. A. Roseman, a grocer, who, she charges, sold to her husband flavoring extracts which caused him to neglect and beat her.

Mrs. Woodington does not specify the flavor.

STEAMSHIP SUNK

Astoria, Ogn., July 21—The steamer Effingham of the European Pacific Line, en route to the United Kingdom with a general cargo from Portland, struck the rock bang of the Columbia River at Stella, Washn, 16 miles from Portland, late last night and sank, according to word received here. Officers and crew escaped.

WESTERN CROPS.

Winnipeg, July 21—(Canadian Press)—Excellent filling and ripening weather has prevailed over the three western provinces during the last seven days crop reporting period, states the weekly crop review of the Grain Trade News today.

"Local thunderstorms have occurred in all three provinces, unfortunitely accompanied in numerous cases by damaging hail storms, which have caused rather extensive losses. The reports of rust have not been confirmed to any extent.

"Advice from many points are very conflicting, local opinions being in some cases diametrically opposed, and in others excellent crops being in close proximity to very poor ones."

PROSECUTE UNDER INCOME TAX LAW.

Ottawa, July 21—Prosecutions for failure to make income tax returns are being instituted by the finance department.

The second instalment on income tax this year produced $10,000,000 compared with $40,000,000 in the first payment. The falling off is because many paid in full on the first call.

KING'S PRIZE WINNER.

Bisley Camp, July 21—(Canadian Associated Press)—Armourer Sgt. J. Cunningham, late of the British Royal Army Medical Corps, won the King's prize today with an aggregate of 226.

Puts Into Halifax.

Halifax, N. S., July 21—The American steamer Yesoking, for Liverpool from Hampton Roads, arrived here this morning with boiler trouble.

THE BEARDED WOMAN

Paris, July 21—Women whom unkind nature has equipped with a beard or, as is more often the case, with a moustache, have long been the butt of jokes or the object of sympathy and the recipients of attention from manufacturers of depilatory preparations.

But it has remained for a Frenchman, Dr. Achard, to investigate the problem physiologically and psychologically. In a communication to the Academy of Medicine, he goes into the causes of this affliction and says that it comes from bad nourishment, coupled with the malfunctioning of some gland.

As for the psychological side, Dr. Achard finds that it makes women crazy to have a beard. He proves by statistics that the proportion of bearded women in French insane asylums is larger by far than the proportion of bearded women to the population at large.

Ontario Bonds.

Toronto, July 21. — The provincial government having disposed of $5,000,000 of treasury bills to a local syndicate at 99.827, there is a humor current that an additional $10,000,000 will be offered to the new sndicate at the figure quoted.

Reinforcements From France To Silesia; Situation Is Touchy

French Critical of Tone of British Note

GO AHEAD THEMSELVES

Declare Things Bad in Silesia, that More Troops Are Needed and Will Send Them on Their Own Initiative—Papers Criticize Lloyd George Again.

Paris, July 21—France, it was declared in official circles this morning, will send reinforcements to Upper Silesia whether Great Britain joins or not in the reinforcement movement suggested by France. The French move will be made, it was declared, to insure the safety of the 10,000 French soldiers already on the ground there.

Premier Briand sent a note yesterday in reply to a British note on the Silesian issue, expressing lack of conviction that the supreme council could serve any useful purpose by convening before measures were taken to assure order and provide for the security of the Allied troops now in Upper Silesia, according to the interpretation official circles placed upon the French communication.

News received here today from Oppeln was far from reassuring. The attitude of the German press, as interpreted by the French despatches, was increasingly provocative.

France, it is declared, recognizes that danger threatens from the side of the Poles as well as from the German side, making it doubly necessary in the French view to reinforce the Allied troops.

Precautions first, decisions afterward, probably will remain the French view, it is indicated, unless there are unforseen developments.

A SHOCK IN THE BRITISH REPLY.

Paris, July 21—French official circles received a distinct shock from the British government's reply to the French suggestion that allied reinforcements be sent to Upper Silesia, and in some quarters today Anglo-French relations are described as critical as a result.

The French government is said to have been unprepared for "the severity and unyielding tone" that this morning's newspapers indicate characterized the British communication.

Editorial comment suggested that the British premier acted entirely to hastily in refusing to agree with the French view that additional Allied troops were necessary in Upper Silesia. The communtators also declare that he failed to inform himself fully regarding the necessity of prompt Allied action and adds that had he waited a few hours longer he would have had before him an unanimous report from the Allied high commissioners at Oppelin, in which it is urged that immediate reinforcements be sent.

While most newspapers agree that the incident brings Anglo-French relations to another delicate point, Le Journal says the problem is not insoluble, and in its final analysis not of a nature seriously to trouble the comity of Allied relations.

NATIONS APPEALED TO FOR RUSSIANS

Millions Suffer from Famine and Europe Menaced by Epidemic Danger.

Paris, July 21—An appeal to all nations in the world asking that they organize to provide immediate aid for "millions of Russians now suffering from famine in the region of the Volga River and territory to the southwest," was issued last night by the executive of the Russian constintuent assembly.

Epidemic diseases are reported getting beyond control and another serious European memace may be imminent.

HAVE FUN OVER LLOYD GEORGE

Montreal, July 21—The latest joke in British political circles is that when the brilliant politician, whom the cartoonist pictured as a juggler, famed for his ability to toss public questions into the air and leave them there, goes to the Pacific conference, his cable address will be "George Washington," according to a special cable to the Montreal Gazette.

TORONTO CARPENTERS REJECT WAGES CUT

Toronto, July 21.—Union carpenters last night rejected a proposition of a ten per cent. reduction in the present scale of wages, made by the Builders' Exchange.

TURKS CLAIM A NOTABLE VICTORY

Terrible Fighting for Three Days and Enormous Losses on Both Sides.

With the Greek Army, Touloum, Asia Minor, July 17. — Kutsia, Mustapha Kemal's strategical point in Asia Minor, was occupied this (Sunday) afternoon. Terrible fighting occurred before the town owing to the persistence of the Turkish resistance, which lasted seventy-two hours.

The losses on both sides were enormous, but it was a decisive victory for the Greeks, who captured numerous prisoners and an abundance of artillery.

The fall of Kutsia greatly disturbs the Kemalists, who now will be unable to retain Eski-Shehr, the new Greek objective. General Papoulas expresses the belief that the Turks have lost their principal defensive line. The division commanded by Prince Andrew has made a marching record of 300 kilometres in ten days.

LATE SPORT NEWS

Baseball Features.

New York, July 21—Extra inning battles were fought in three of the four American League contests yesterday while in the fourth New York wrested the league leadership from the Cleveland world's champions in easy fashion. The Chicago White Sox, in beating Philadelphia in ten innings won their fifth extra inning game in ten days. Detroit won from Washington in ten innings. The St. Louis Americans pounded out twenty-two hits in their sixteen inning victory over Boston after overcoming a seven run handicap.

Three shutout contests were twirled in the National League. The Pittsburg leaders blanked the ambitious Boston Braves. Chicago and Philadelphia took turns in whitewashing each other. In the first game Maisel, of the Cubs, had fice singles in five times at bat.

Fall River, Mass., July 21—The Scottish soccer team will play the last game of their tour against a picked eleven here today. The visitors have won all 24 matches played of their trip to date. They will leave New York on Saturday for Scotland.

Fredericton Races.

Fredericton, N. B., July—The race meeting was resumed today with a holiday crowd present, there being a half holiday today here. There were three races on the card today, 2.14 trot; 2.17 trot and 2.27. Tomorrow the 2.14 trot and pace will be the feature with the 2.20 pact and the 2.21 trot the other classes.

While The Exposer, 2.06 will start in the 2.14 mixed class tomorrow, this race is expected to be a battle between Buster Boy, 2.10 1-4, owned by C. J. Hanson of Presque Isle, and Fern Hal, 2.05 1-4, owned by Dr. McAlister. Touz, 2.13 1-2, owned and driven by E. S. Rice, St. John will make her first start in the 2.14 mixed class on the circuit this season.

Sydney Races.

Sydney, N. S., July 21—Rain caused postponement of yesterday's meeting of the Cape Breton circuit horse racing at Sydney. Commodore Crescus won two heats in the 2.30 trot and pace, with Lloyd Achilles second, Carry Todd, third and Fleet fourth, the best time 2.24 1-4. The Ghost won the only heat in the free-for-all in 2.20 1-2, with Dick C. second, Tommy Cotter, third and Tony D. fourth. In the 2.23 trot and pace Better Not, won the only heat reced with Our Peggy second, James K. Ioonan third and Annie Laurie, fourth.. Best time 2.22. The races are to be continued this afternoon.

ONTARIO MASONS WILL NOT CHANGE GRAND LODGE NAME

Ottawa, July 21—The Grand Lodge, A. F. and A. M. of Canada, in Ontario will not change its name. By a vote of approximately two to one delegates of the sixty-sixth communication yesterday decided against any change.

The suggestion was that the words "of Canada" be dropped and so make it Grand Lodge in the Province of Ontario, so as to conform with the grand lodges in other provinces.

The report on the condition of masonry showed 88,000 members now under jurisdiction of the grand lodge, an increase of 7,000 during the year.

CUT OFF NIGHT FORCE; BLOW AT BOOT-LEGGING

Toronto, July 21—Within the next two weeks the night shift of 3,000 men on the Chippawa-Queenston power development will entirely dispensed with and thereafter operations on the big canal will be confined to a 10-hour work day. The decision was made by the provincial hydro-electric commission yesterday. In reducing the force, preference will be given married men and returned soldiers. By eliminating the night shift the commission hopes to get rid of bootlegging and blind-pigging.

As Hiram Sees It

"Well, said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to the Times reporter, "I see you're gittin' het up some over that there harbor commission. I guess I'll stay in town tonight an' go to that there meetin'. We been talkin' a lot about it out to the Settlement an' wonderin' if you folks 'ud take the trouble to find out what you was votin' on or go it blind. I heerd my gran'father say St. John was mighty lucky to own its harbor an' hev it from the king himself. He said it 'ud be wuth a lot some day when the country growed an' trade was lookin' fer harbors. The people went an' give away a lot of it to the gover'ment when they wanted wharves in Carleton an' Courtenay Bay—but they didn't git all they expected—did they? Haint got it yit—By Hen! Well—if it was mine I'd wait a spell afore I'd give away any more—or sell it cheap, either. The value's there—Mister— an' it aint gittin' smaller. It's like a stand o'young timber. It's gittin' wuth more all the time—Yes, sir."

STATESMAN OF JUGOSLAVIA IS ASSASSINATED

Belgrade, July 21—Minister of the Interior Drashkovich of Jugo-Slavia, was shot dead this morning by a young Bosnian communist. The assassin was arrested.

PREDICT HIGHER DAIRY PRICES

(Special to The Times.)

Fredericton, N. B., July 21.—The department of agriculture announces that at the last fortnightly board sale of cheese at Sussex the price secured was 23.3 cents per pound. The price bid for butter was 35.5, but no sales at that price. Several of the largest provision houses of Canada were represented at the board sale.

The lowest price for cheese this year was fourteen cents. A fortnight before the last sale the price was 18.3.

Pastures in New Brunswick are generally poor and there will be a great feed problem for livestock next winter. Stock already is being sold off the farms, and more will go. Hay will be a seventy-five per cent. crop.

Producers are predicting higher prices for butter, cheese and milk.

JANOWSKI WINS CHESS TOURNEY

Atlantic City, N. J., July 21—David Janowski, chess champion of France, won first place in the chess masters' tournament early today by defeating S. T. Sharp of Philadelphia, after thirty-two moves.

N. T. Whitaker of Washington, who defeated M. D. Hago, of New York, last night, in their final match, finished second and Chas. Jaffe of New York, captured third place by default against Captain J. B. Harvey, of Fenelton Falls, Ont.

BODY SENT HOME.

The body of Leon T. Blenthon or Fred Whidden was sent to Oldtown, Me., last evening by N. W. Brenan & Son on instruction from his brother, Dana L. Whidden of Oldtown. The latter called up the local police headquarters yesterday from Oldtown and said that unless it was really necessary he would not come. He was told that it was not necessary for him to come.

Phelix and Pherdinand

WEATHER REPORT

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

Synopsis—Pressure is lowest this morning in Saskatchewan and highest over the upper lake rigion. Rain has been general in the maritime provinces and showers have occurred locally in Alberta and Saskatchewan. Elsewhere the weather has been generally fair.

Fair.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh northerly winds, a few scattered showers at first, but generally fair. Friday, fair, not much change in temperature.

New England—Fair tonight and Friday; moderate temperature; moderate to fresh northerly winds.

Toronto, July 21—Temperatures:

	8 a. m.	Highest Yesterday	Lowest during night
Prince Rupert	50	58	50
Victoria	48	64	48
Kamloops	56	..	54
Calgary	..	96	..
Edmonton	58	84	56
Prince Albert	68	..	66
Winnipeg	72	86	64
White River	62	80	40
Sault Ste. Marie	..	72	..
Toronto	67	80	62
Kingston	66	72	62
Ottawa	66	80	58
Montreal	70	82	58
Quebec	64	82	62
St. John N. B.	60	82	58
Halifax	64	70	62
St. Johns, Nfld	64	78	56
Detroit	68	68	64
New York	70	80	66

Bank of England Cuts Discount Rate to 5 1-2; Cheaper Money Factor

Second Time in Month that Rate Has Been Lowered—U. S. Exchange and Ontario Gold.

London, July 21—The Bank of England today reduced its rate of discount from 6 per cent to 5½ per cent.

Announcement of the reduction removed the uncertainty which has been prevalent in the money market during the last few weeks.

The chief factor paving the way to the reduction has been cheaper money, which was brought about by the stagnation in trade and the inflation of credits through government borrowing.

It had been thought that the adverse conditions of United States exchange and the unsatisfactory state of the national finances would prevent a reduction for a time, but the rapid easing of money and the necessity of assisting trade, as well as of financing the treasury through issuances of bonds and treasury bills, proved the deciding factors.

Discounts had already eased in anticipation of the reduction, and little further adjustment in them will be necessary.

This was the second reaction of the bank rate within a month. The rate was reduced on June 23 from 6½ per cent. to 6 per cent. The six and half per cent. rate had prevailed since April 28, previous to which it had stood at seven per cent from April 15, 1920.

Exchange and Gold.

Timmins, Ont., July 21—The present rate of 14 per cent. exchange as between Canadian and American currency is swelling the net profits of the gold mines of Northern Ontario to the extent of approximately $195,000 monthly, or at the rate of $2,349,000 a year. The mines of Porcupine and Kirkland Lake are producing gold at the rate of about 67,500 ounces monthly.

This gold commands $20.67 an ounce in all parts of the world. It is the standard value. Consequently, the payments now received in the currency of countries where money is not at a discount, notably the U. S. really amounts to a premium of about $2.90, an ounce when converted into Canadian currency. This means that the mines of this country are now marketing their gold for approximately $23.57 an ounce.

CLOSE BANK

Chicago, July 21—The Michigan Avenue Trust Company was closed this morning by state bank examiners.

An examination of the books may take three of four days. Officials disclaimed any shortage in the bank's accounts, and said the examination was only "routine."

IN WALL STREET.

New York, July 21—(10.30)—The stock market made only cusual response, at the opening of today's trading, to easier credit conditions. Lower discount rates announced yesterday by the federal reserve banks and today's reduction of the Bank of England rate seemed to impel little short covering. Mexicans Petroleum lost 1 1-2 points at the outset and heaviness was shown by other oils, as well as independent steels and food issues. Firmness marked the trading in Reading, U. S. Rubber and American Tobacco. Foreign exchange was more unsettled, with British demand bills at 357 1-2.

Noon Report.

Trading lapsed into extreme dullness during the morning. The first hour's sales fell considerably below 100,000 shares. Foreign oils sustained further losses, Mexican Petroleum and Pan American, General Asphalt and Royal Dutch declining 1 to 2 points. Steels and motor accessories, including rubber shares, continued to ease. Changes among rails were irregularly divided between fractional gains and losses. Call money reflected the lower discount rates at an opening quotation of 5½ per cent. as against the recent six per cent. rate.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montreal, July 21—The local stock market continues to be dull and uninteresting. During the first half hour today only two of the principal issues appeared, Brazilian, which was stronger by a quarter point at 25 1-4, and Riordon, which remained unchanged at 8.

Hon. John S. McLennan of Sydney, C. B., was introduced on 'change at the board of trade yesterday.

EXCHANGE TODAY.

New York, July 21—Sterling exchange easy. Demand 3.57 7-8; cables 3.58 5-8. Canadian dollars 11 3-16 per cent. discount.

Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, July 21—Wheat-July $1.25; Sept. $1.25 7-8. Corn-July 64 1-8; Sept. 61 3-4. Oats-July unquoted; Sept. 41¼.

POLICE COURT.

Six men faced the police magistrate this morning; two charged with intimidation; one a stowaway, and three on charges of drunkness.

John Short and John Mabec, arrested on a warrant charging them with intimidation of employes of the N. B. Power Co., both pleaded not guilty and were remanded without any evidence being taken.

Robert Powell, a colored man, was charged with being a stowaway on the steamer Chignecto which arrived here yesterday from Bermuda. Captain Parker of the steamer asked that the man be held in jail until the boat sails the last of the week. The man was remanded.

Three men charged with drunkness also were remanded.

FINAL FIGURES IN THE ELECTION IN ALBERTA

Edmonton, July 21—Following is the standing of the parties in Monday's Alberta elections:

United Farmers—39.
Liberals—14.
Labor—4.
Independents—4.

PERHAPS ELECTION BY CHRISTMAS

Montreal Gazette's Ottawa Report on Situation.

Important Decision for Mr. Meighen on Return—Cabinet Majority for Early Dissolution — By-elections a Factor.

Montreal, July 21—A Gazette special from Ottawa says:—

Premier Meighen must make an important decision immediately on his return here. Members of his government will place the political situation before him and he must decide whether to continue in office or dissolve parliament. Three courses will be outlined and one of these will be adopted at once.

Immediate dissolution will be considered, and, as alternative, a September session with a tariff revision and redistribution measure, or a further test of sentiment by by-elections. The first course would give an October election, the second one elections in December or January. The third proposal would either give the government a year more of power or force an early dissolution.

To continue in power the government must carry seven of the ten proposed by-elections, and, considering the government's success in recent contests, it would appear that this is improbable and that an election before Christmas is very probable.

A majority of the members of the cabinet favor an immediate dissolution. All are tired of the task, accompanied with the continuous and severe criticism which has prevailed since the armistice. Government supporters in the commons, however, almost to a unit, are opposed to early elections. Important members of the government party throughout the country are divided in opinion, while the business interests dread an election at this period of depression.

The Tariff.

For ten years the Conservative and Unionist governments, which have drawn their greatest support from the east, have tried to placate the west by lower tariffs, radical nationalization schemes, advanced labor legislation and uplift experiments. The prairie has refused to be placated. The government tariff revision, if there is one, will be upward and not downward as expected. Business conditions demand higher protection and political contests clearly indicate that the government cannot compromise with western radicals. In its policy of placating the west at the expense of the east the government has failed, and any further efforts to do so would also fail. If there is an autumn session the government will enunciate a tariff policy of higher protection for Canada to stabilize industry and currency.

As to the result of the next general elections opinions here is that there will be four parties, Liberal, Conservative, Farmer and Labor, without any of them having a majority.

ONTARIO TO TAKE UP LIVING PROBLEM

Committee of Industry and Labor — High Prices and Wages.

Toronto, July 21—A committee representative of industry and labor in the province will be appointed by the Ontario government to report on the question of unemployment and if possible map out a programme to meet the serious situation likely to develop next winter. At a cabinet conference yesterday with representatives of industries the concensus of opinion seemed to be that the revival of trade was being delayed by high prices. The attitude of the labor representatives was that lower wages would be accepted in order to promote a revival of industry providing a cut did not entail a reduction in the standard of living. In other words they would take lower pay as the cost of living came down.

FATHER SCULLY TO WEST; FATHER COSTELLO HERE

Changes at St. Peter's church are announced today. Rev. Edward Scully, C. SS. R., will go to Yorkton, Sask., and Rev. Peter M. Costello, C. SS. R., will return here from Quebec. Rev. Wm. Hogan, C. SS. R., will remain rector at St. Peter's.

The "Canadian English."

Prince Rupert, B. C., July 21—(Canadian Press)—The second vessel of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine to be built here, which is now on the ways, will be named the "Canadian English."