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EIGHTY PER CENT OF THE U.F. O MEMBERS REFUSE TO ABIDE BY RECALL PLANK OF

J. G. Lethbridge of West Midd lesex Among the Few Who Admit Having Signed Declaration Supporting Principle of Recall"J. W. Freeborn of East Middlesex Declined To Sign-Number Refuse To State Grounds For Their

Toronto, May 13.-According to individual statements made today, 80 per cent of the U. F. O. members of the Ontario Legislature refused to abide by the recall plank of their platform, or were requested not to do so by their constituents.

During the course of the canvass some of the members, after they had stated whether they had or had not signed the declaration, decided not to comment on the grounds as in their constituencies this might become known and might cause dissatisfaction among those who are under the impression that the recall was generally signed.

Only four members admitted having signed the recall. They are: Messrs. J. W. Widdifield, North Ontario; J. G. Lethbridge, Middlesex West; Hon. Peter Smith, and A. A. Hicks, the U. F. O. whip of South

Among those who said they did not sign were: J. Carty, South 'Renfrew; W. Montgomery, East Northumberland; W. H. Fenton, North Bruce: J. W. Freeborn, East Middlesex: G. D. Sewell, South Norfolk: Hon. W. E. Raney, Hon. Beniah Bowman; Malcolm MacVicar, East Elgin: F. G. Sandy, South Victoria; J. W. Webster, West Lambton, and

COUNCIL REFUSES TO CLAUSES IN CITY OF LONDON BILL

Attorney-General W. E. Ran ey Will Be Asked To Have Bill Finally Passed by Legislature—Three Aldermen

WILL ABOLISH

HONOR SYSTEM

Chicago, May 13.—Abolition of the honor system among the students of Northwestern Uni-

students of Northwestern University is announced by the fa-culty. Dean Roy C. Flickinger stated that the students had failed to live up to the con-fidence placed in them, and that cheating during examinations had increased under the honor system.

Police Bullets

Driver and Reckless Passen-

ger Placed Under Arrest.

New York, May 13 .- The spectacle of

a Broadway restaurant that he could

not stick on top of the machine for "a short trip." Both the driver and hi

HIS OWN MEN IN

Approximately Five Square

Miles.

sages from Mexico City to have per-sonally directed the operations of his troops for eight hours on Tuesday.

FOUND NOT GUILTY.

down his throat.

Nelson, B. C., May 13.—Agreeing with the view of Mr. Justice Morrison that it was a wonder S. Seto Ginn Kee, an

reckless passenger were arrested.

CARRANZA DIRECTS

To Win Wager

IN UNIVERSITY

Reconsideration of the London bill ers and London and Port Stanley exwas refused by the city council at a special meeting today at 1 o'clock. Atgreed torney-General Raney will be informed immediately and asked to have the bill finally passed by the Legislature. Mayor finally passed by the Legislature. Mayor Little ruled that a member of the council who voted in favor of the bill and must be moved by some member would have to move its reconsideration. Add. Cameron Wilson appealed from the ruling of the chair, but it was upheld by a vote of eight to three. Ald. Cameron Wilson, Ald. F. R. Watkinson and Ald. C. G. Moorhead were the three members who voted against it. Ald. F.

and Ald. C. G. Moorhead were the three members who voted against it. Ald. F. E. Harley was absent.

William Tite of the Independent Labor party, protested that the council did not always follow procedure rules as closely as it was doing in this case. He claimed that under the connection of the bill, but he indignantly denied it. this case. He claimed that under Clause 104 of the procedure bylaw the council could not approve expenditure of more than \$25,000. The London bill authorized several expenditures which were greater than this amount. Mayor Little in explaining why the special meeting had been called said he understood the statement had been made in the Legislature that the London city council had changed its opin-

He has been ill for many weeks and has not attended council meetings. If Ald. Wilson had been absent, as well as Ald. Harley, and a vote had been taken, it would have stood about seven to three, compared to the previous vote of twelve to two. This might possibly have strengthened the opposition to the bill in the Legislature. ion on the clauses of the bill relating

CIVIL SERVANTS IN ALL CANADA **CONSIDER STRIKE**

Protests Are Raised Because of Salary Schedule.

Vancouver, B. C., May 13 .-- A general strike of civil servants, extending from coast to coast, is now being mooted, according to a high official in the postal Forced to Dodge service here, as a protest against the alleged unsatisfactory salary provisions contained within the reclassification subject announced recently by the civil service commission.

During the last few days, it is de

clared, telegrams have been dispatched between the eastern and western cities pledging full support to any action em-bracing the whole of Canada, which may be decided upon in protest

QUEBEC'S PREMIER DINES WITH KING

Sir Lomer Gouin Is Created Commander of Legion of Honor.

London, May 13.—(Canadian Press).— Premier and Lady Gouin lunched with the King and Queen today at Buckingnam Palace. The premier was also notified today that he had been created commander of the Legion of Honor. The insignia will be officially conferred in Quebec by the president of the Franco-American committee. Premier Gouln sails on the Minnedosa tomorrow.

TWO LOSE LIVES IN FIRE. Ottawa, May 13.—Two lives were lost in a fire that broke out early this morning in Dr. Hagar's Maternity morning in Dr. Hagar's Maternity Hospital. The victims, who were both patients at the time, are: Mrs. B. Morris, 121 Le Breton street, and Mrs. P. Mitchell, 22 St. Joseph street, Ot-Area of the Battlefield Covers

What's Doing Tonight?

Ailen—Clarine Seymour and Richard Barthlemess, in "The Idol Dancer." Grand-Harvey's Minstrels. Loew's—Charles Ray, in "Red Hot Dollars," and vaudeville.

Patricia-June Caprice, in "In Walked Mary," and Billy West, in "The Stranger." Star-Dustin Farnum in "A Man's Fight."

OTHER EVENTS King Solomon's Lodge, No. 378, G. R. C., A., F. and A. M.— Masonic Hall, 7:30 p.m. Entertainment-Dundas Centre

. S. FARMERS INSIST ON RECOGNITION BY **POLITICAL PARTIES**

Decision Was Made At Close of Big Chicago Convention.

Direct Taxation of Wealthy

Chicago, May 13 .- Recognition for farmers will be asked of the platform makers of each of the two great American political parties at their June conventions by representatives of the vaarious farmers' organizations of the country. This action was decided on at the closing of the two-day meeting of the National Board of Farm Organizations.

According to Charles A. Lyman, national secretary of the board, it was the general opinion of the delegates that the food producers never had re-ceived the attention of either the Re-publican or the Democratic party to which they were entitled. It was their purposes, he said, to send representa tives to the Chicago and the San Fran cisco conventions with demands that they be recognized in the formation of party platforms, and to throw the weight of their special support at the November election to that party which gave the greatest consideration to the farmer in the party declaration of prin-

Some of the main points on which farmers will insist follow: Conservation of forests, with a view to keeping down the cost to consumers of print paper and lumber. Payment of the war debt through direct taxation on "those best able to pay," meaning corporations and per-sons who acquired great wealth during

Appointment of a secretary of agriculture who knows practical farm conditions. Arrangements for more elastic credits for farmers. Opposition to universal military training if such is to be made a plank of

WANTS EMBARGO WESTERN PLACED ON COAL That the opposition party had evidently caused the other group some worry was evidenced by the presence of Ald. W. A. Wilson at the meeting.

Pennsylvania Congressman To Introduce Bill.

willis J. Hullings announced here to-day that he would introduce a bill in Congress shortly for placing an em-bargo upon coal to Canada. He is bargo upon coal to Canada. He is gathering data now with that end in view, he said.

200 ARMED IRISHMEN ATTACK POLICE DEPOT

Building Is Set On Fire During Engagement.

Dublin, May 13 .- Two hundred men besieged the Hollyford police barracks in County Tipperary for four hours early Wednesday morning, using rifles and bombs. A part of the building was set on fire, but the ten officers defending the place withdrew to another section of the structure and continued their resistance. The attackers even-tually retired. No casualties were re-

DETROIT STREET CAR MEN WANT A NEW ARBITRATION BOARD

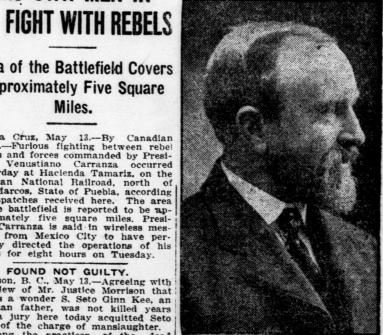
a man perched precariously on the top of a speeding automobile, ducking bullets from his police pursuers, enlivened things for crowds going home from the "lobster palace" district early this morning. After two automobiles commandeered by policemen had chased the speeding car for fifteen blocks, its driver condescended to slow down and explain. It seemed that the young man on top was winning a wager made in a Broadway restaurant that he could not stick on two circles. May 13.—Carmen employed by the Detroit United Railway Company sesterday requested that the wage question be placed in the hands of a disinterested arbitration board. Union officials, in announcing rejection of the company's counter proposal, said the men, numbering 4,000, would continue negotiations and "do everything they can be reface and exclaimed, which is not reported by the Detroit United Railway Company yesterday requested that the wage question be placed in the hands of a disinterested arbitration board. Union officials, in announcing rejection of the company's counter proposal, said the men, numbering 4,000, would continue negotiations and "do everything they can be reported by the Detroit United Railway Company yesterday requested that the wage question be placed in the hands of a disinterested arbitration board. Union officials, in announcing rejection of the company's counter proposal, said the were strolling along near the Cove to the counter proposal and the cover at the cover at 3 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, with her sister, Hattie Cooper, 178 Adelaide to street, was shot in the cheek by a notyput whose name is unknown.

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DECLINES CALL. Brantford, May 13.—Rev. Robert White of Park Baptist Church has re-ceived and declined a call for the pasfrom the Dufferin Avenue

WELL-KNOWN LONDONER



it was a wonder S. Seto Ginn Kee, an inhuman father, was not killed years ago, a jury here today acquitted Seto Fong of the charge of manslaughter.

Among the practices of the dead Chinese logger was tying his son to a tree in winter and deluging him with water, after which he would force filth down his threat

WINGHAM BRIDGE AFTER COLLAPSE ON SATURDAY

REPRESENTATIVES

To Pay Off War Debt.

sons who acquired given the war. Reduction of the high cost of living Reduction of the middleman through elimination of the middleman and provisions for more direct dealing with the consumer.

Magistrate Graydon Allows Thirty Days in Which To Pay

Money-Right of Appeal Granted to Three-

Various Excu ses Offered.

Unless the railway commissions in Canada and United States come to an agreement soon, over the prepayment of freight shipped from the United States to Canada, Western Ontario is liable to be faced with another coal shortage, according to local railway officials. Because of an order issued lately prohibiting the acceptance of freight for Canada, unless the charges are prepald in American funds, many cars of coal destined to points in Western Ontario are tied up at the frontiers.

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refused to prepay freight on coal, far-ther than the American border. Because of the orders issued, the Canadian railroads connecting with the

Canadian railroads connecting with the serious if steps are not taken imme-American roads at the border ter-diately to relieve it. WHILE STROLLING NEAR COVES

Lad Who Does Shooting Apol ogizes To Miss Hattie Cooper, 178 Adelaide Street-22-Calibre Rifle Used.

one who did the shooting came over to the girls and apologized. The other

boy did not approach them

KENT SOCIETY WILL ATTEMPT SALVAGE OF PROCTOR'S VESSELS

Permission Is Given Organization by the Dominion Government.

Ottawa, May 13 .- The Kent (Ontario) mission to salvage two vessels which formed part of Proctor's fleet and were lost during his retreat in 1813. The vessels are now reported to be lying at the bottom of the Thames River, Kent County, Ontario. The right of ownership to the vessels, and to any other material salvaged is given to the Kent Historical Society, in trust for the Do-

600 RAILWAY STRIKERS RETURN TO POSITIONS

Pittsburg, May 13.—Six hundred shopmen, yardmen and trainmen of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railroad, who ALEXANDER FRASER, London businessman and a past president of St. Andrew's Society, who died at his home, 232 Central avenue, Wednesday night.

Coppen Promises To Continue His Study of the Bible

take her to a doctor before she went home, but she said that there was one

Wife Murderer Is Taken To Kingston Penitentiary.

Toronto, May 13.-George Coppen, whose death sentence for wife murder was commuted to life imprisonment, was taken to the penitentiary this morning. Before leaving here he told Historical Society has been given perto continue earnestly his study of the Bible, from which, he said, he had learned many things since his arrest.

GERMAN SHIPS NOT TO GO TO FOREIGN PORTS

considered most difficult to solve because the chamber is divided chiefly into two groups. Socialists and Caberlin, May 13.—Orders have been tholics, neither of which is strong

given by the German Government that German ships will not be allowed to ply any longer between foreign ports, In addition, the Socialists absolutely ply any longer between foreign ports, as all tonnage is required in domestic refuse to participate in a government

PREMIER BORDEN TO RETAIN HIS POSITION FOR SOME TIME YET

Has No Intention of Retiring From Public Life.

FOR SOME MONTHS

Budget Is Discussed At a Meeting of the Cabinet.

Ottawa, May 13.—Sir Robert Borden today presided over a meeting of the cabinet. Details of the budget which Sir Henry Drayton, minister of finance, is to present to the House on Tuesday, were, it is understood, under considera-This photograph was taken shortly after the structure gave way. The collapse was due to weakening of abutments from spring freshets. It was Sir Robert's return has revived rumors in political circles of his impending retirement from political life. What the prime minister's intentions are in this regard, he has given no indication, but it is learned on high authority that Sir Robert has no intention of retiring for same months yet at any rate. During

Robert has no intention of retiring for some months yet, at any rate. During his five months' holiday, his health improved wonderfully. Whether, however, it would be equal to a prolonged strain remains to be determined.

A caucus of Unionist supporters to discuss the situation will, it is expected, be called at an early date. DANIELS SAYS THAT

SIGNATURE ON WAR MESSAGE NOT HIS

William E. Dodd, George T. Ross. Albert Cosho, Edward Brennan and Aland that Ross had signed them. He bert Powers each were fined \$600 and costs in police court this morning for failing to file their income tax returns for the year 1918. They were given 30 days to pay the fine and an option of one month in jall if they could not pay.

Dodd claimed that he did not receive a registered letter sent to him in January until last Saturday, when he was summoned to appear in court. His wife had been holding it from him because he was suffering from a nervous breakdown.

Ross stated that the accountant at his place of business had filed his papers for him. The accountant designed them. He had signed them. He had signed them. He had signed them. He then sent them with other papers from the institution to the inspector of taxation.

W. R. Meredith, who appeared for four of the accused, asked that Cosho, who is a Russian, be allowed to withdraw his plea of guilty. This was refused by R. B. Law, counsel for the prosecution. Cosho was also forced to leave \$200, which he had put up as bail, with the authorities. This will serve as part payment of his fine if he pays.

The right of appeal has been granted to Powers, Ross and Dodd. Brennan bleaded guilty and so has not that priving Committee.

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WESTERN ONTARIO LABLE TO

FACE SERIOUS COAL SHOPTAGE

CALLS IT FORGERY

Charge Is Made Before the spare for him. The accountant delay papers for him. The accountant papers for him. The accountant papers for him. The accountant pa

TO KINGSTON COLLEGE

Makes Gift Following Information From Archbishop Spratt.

Kingston, May 13.—A cablegram re-ceived here from Rome carries the new that the pope, after inquiring from Archbishop Spratt of Kingston, who is Archbishop Spratt of Kingston, who is now in Rome, as to the steps being taken to educate the young men of the archdiocese, and receiving an account from him of the building up of Regiopolis College, made a present of one hundred thousand lira (about \$20,000) to the funds of the college. As she was excited, Miss Eva Cooper

As she was excited, Miss Bya Cooper did not ask the boy, who appeared to be about 18 years of age, his name, nor did she get a description of him.

W. H. Shoebotham, who was driving toward the city, met them and took them home in his auto. He wanted to take home to a describe for she part. AGREEMENT WAS PUT THROUGH APRIL 29 home, but she said that there was one near her house.

After Miss Cooper was taken into the house, her sister secured a doctor, who lived near by. He extracted the bullet, which is thought to be a .22-

San Francisco, Cal. May 13.—The military commission of Japan and Russia, which have been negotiating in Vladivostok, with a view to the restoration of friendly relations and the prevention of future conflicts, signed an agreement on April 27 last, according to a statement given out lest night. ing to a statement given out last night by T. C. Hota, Japanese consul general

here.
The agreement was embodied in 12 articles. CANADIANS WILL HAVE REPRESENTATION IN BIG TEMPLE OF AGRICULTURE

Chicago, May 13—Headquarters would be provided for Canadian representatives in the Temple of Agriculture at Washington, which it was proposed to build, according to plans outlined at yesterday's meeting of the National Board of Farm Organizations and affiliated bodies. One million dollars will be raised by these organizations for the erection of the temple.

ITALIAN CABINET CRISIS GROWS.MORE SERIOUS Rome, May 13 .- The cabinet crisis is

as all tonnage is required in domestic commerce, says a Hamburg dispatch to the Boerson Courier.

WILL CONSTRUCT STADIUM.

New York, May 13.—Construction of a sport stadium at 225th street and Broadway, which will have a seating capacity of 30,000, was begun today. The inclosure will have a six-lap bicycle track, and also will contain a cinder path for track events.

Tefuse to participate in a government. Otherwise, Signor Giolitti, with his own followers, together with a portion of the deputies who supported Premier Nitti, might have a considerable majority. Some of the deputies who supported Premier Nitti, might have a considerable majority. Some of the deputies who supported Premier Nitti, might have a considerable majority. Some of the Catholics, with Signor Lonom, the present minister of war who succeeded the late Leonida Bissolatically and the present minister of the reformist socialists.

GOVERNMENT OFFICES RAIDED MASKED BANDS IN IRELAND

Mail Cars Robbed and Official Papers Seized in Widespread Campaign of Destruction —Activities of Raiders Covered Wide Area-One An ti-Sinn Fein Editor Is Tarred and Feathered.

Dublin, May 13 .- At least nineteen police barracks in various parts of Ireland were wiped out in the course of widespread destruction of public property and other activities by bands of armed and masked men

in various parts of Ireland last night. Five income tax and customs offices also were raided and papers found in them burned. Two mail cars and one mail train were held up and official papers taken from them. One was killed in the outskirts of Dublin, where barracks were being

burned. The Rev. T. G. Wilkinson, one of the canons of Down Cathedral at Down Patrick, was shot and critically wounded while pursuing raiders on the street.

Sinn Fein editor was tarred and feathered. Some of the police barracks destroyed were unoccupied and others were inhabited only by the custodians.

The reports of the raiders' activities have been pouring in all day

HAVE A REAL PUZZLING

Nine Soldiers in Jail On Military Remand Since March 6-Who Will Pay For Upkee p and Why Are They Still Held in Dur ance Vile?

What to do with nine soldiers held under a military remand in the county jail since March 6 is the problem that is puzzling the Middlesex county authorities. The soldiers are not charged with offences under civilian laws nor held under remand from civil courts. Does the Government of Canada or the militia department intend

Historical Pageant Three Miles Long At Calgary Celebration

Calgary, May 13.—Not since the tercentenary of Quebec has there been attempted in Canada. it is believed, a historical pageant on the scale of that which was offered in Calgary yesterday afternoon in connec-tion with the 250th anniversary of the Hudson's Bay Company.
A pageant over three miles in length, taking an hour to pass, represented practically every feature of the history and de-velopment of the West since 1670. The Hudson's Bay section represented the history of the company from 1670, and the costumes were most elaborate.

New Canadian Cent To Be In Circulation Soon

Coin Will Be Slightly Larger Than Ten-Cent Piece.

Ottawa, May 13.—Authority has been given for the issue of the new Canadian cent on and after May 15. The coin will not, however, actually be in circulation until towards the end of the

FULL PUBLICITY FOR ST. RAILWAY REPORT

People Want Information and Will Get It.

Full publicity will be given to the report of the Ontario railway and unicipal board on the London street railway, Ald. O. I. Cunningham, chairman of No. 1 committee, stated today. "The people have been asking for light on the matter for some time, and I see no reason why we cannot give it to them as soon as the railway board has given us the information. The findings will likely be printed in full, so that any interested parties may obtain them." No report has been made to the city yet, Mayor Little stated. It is not ex-

pected until next week. WINNIPEG LABOR PARTY WILL SUBMIT NEW LIST PROVINCIAL CANDIDATES

Winnipeg. May 13.—The Dominion Labor Party last night cancelled all previous nominations of their candidates for the provincial elections in this city, which have hitherto included the imprisoned labor leaders, and will submit to the membership a new list of names from which a ticket will be drawn up a fortnight hence. On the new list only the name of one of the convicted leaders appears, that of Rev.

Win. Ivens.

WARSHIPS GIVEN TO CANADA WILL ARRIVE IN JULY

Commander Hose Going Overseas To Arrange For Transfer.

Special To The Advertiser. Ottawa, May 13.-Commander Hose formerly in charge of the Rainbow, will leave shortly for England to arrange for the taking over of the three battleships which have been proffered to Canada by the admiralty to form the nucleus for the Dominion's navy. The vessels comprise one cruiser and two destroyers, and it is anticipated that they will arrive at Halifax early in July. The ships will be used primarily for training purposes until such time as Canada's permanent policy is decided upon, and more serviceable vessels are secured. They will probably be located at Halifax during the summer, and at Esquimalt during the winter.

MODERN "BLUEBEARD'S" WIFE TAKES ACTION TO RECOVER PROPERTY

circulation until towards the end of the month.

The cent will be slightly larger than the Canadian ten-cent piece, or threequarters of an inch in dimension.

Los Angeles, May 13.—Mrs. Catherine Wombacker, whose suspicions caused the arrest of James P. Watson, sentenced recently to life imprisonment after he had confermed. after he had confessed causing the deaths of a number of the score or more of Canadian and American wo-men he is alleged to have married. brought suit against Watson in super ior court yesterday to obtain restora-tion of certain property which she al-leges she turned over to him after their narriage.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest emperatures recorded in London during temperatures recorded in London ourning the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 59; lowest, 32. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 49; lowest, 38.

TOMORROW-FAIR AND COOL. Toronto, May 13-8 a.m. Fresh northerly winds; fair today and a Friday, with much the same tem-

Temperatures. Clear Clear Clear Clear Fair Port Arthur. 54 Parry Sound. 56 Port Stanley. 52 Buffalo 56 Toronto Clear Fair Clear Cloudy Cloudy oronto 52 Kingston

Dominion, moderately warm in the West and rather cool from Ontario eastward.

Ottawa

Vera Cruz, May 13.—By Canadian Press.—Furious fighting between rebel troops and forces commanded by Presi-Venustiano Carranza occurred yesterday at Hacienda Tamariz, on the Mexican National Railroad, north of San Marcos, State of Puebla, according THEATRES. to dispatches received here. The area of the battlefield is reported to be approximately five square miles. President Carranza is said in wireless mes-