Large Luxury Levies, However, Fail to Diminish Nation's Love of Spending.

prietor in comparative wealth.

And for every mile he rode in this small, second-hand automobile high-salaried friend paid, at my estimate, 25 cents. I counted the wear on his tires—which cost \$90 apiece, and they were small ones—I counted the chauffeur's salary and I c

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leave much to be desired: he'd rather some handers also have a chauffeur. He paid this man \$6 a day. The car had no self-starter, and it was lighted by acetylene gas, so the driver had more work to do than an ordinary chauffeur in the United States. Every night, because the French do not know about nonfreeze mixtures, it was the driver's duty to drain the radiator and refilitin the morning.

Garage Costs \$60 Per Month.

To have the car washed cost \$4, and to keep it in a garage without any service of any sort cost \$60 a month. The garage, indeed, was only a barnlike structure in which the few men in the neighborhood fortunate enough to own cars poured enough francs monthly to maintain the proprietor in comparative wealth.

And for every mile he rode in this

Advertiser. Everybody reads this paper.

I leave much to be desired: he'd rather you'd eat outside his place than in it, the good hotels on the seafront at the good hotels on the seafront at Nice and Mentone it is nothing to pay \$40 a day for a room alone, and this is not a large room alone, and this is not possible at the good hotels on the seafront at Nice and Mentone it was lighted by any means. Figuring it out, at an average rate, it is not possible at the good hotels on the seafront at Nice and Mentone it was lead to us of course!

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adjustment of wages. Other officials of the union declined to deny or confirm

Hodges, secretary of the miners' union, explained the attitude of the miners pledged support to the Triple Alliance

According to the Central News, Mr. tions in wages and to maintain national agreed to another conference Hodges agreed to another conference tional standard on wages and to leaving all other is- tions of labor." sues for further negotiation.
"There is every reason to believe," ays the Central News, "that definite tep will be taken immediately to re-

open negotiations, and a strike may yet be averted." FINANCIAL AND REOPEN NEGOTIATIONS

LONDON, Friday, April 15.—Determined efforts are being made to reopen the negotiations between the miners and mine owners for a settlement of the coal strike. A deputation from the House of Commons visited Mr. Lloyd George about middinght af-HOG PRICES Mr. Lloyd George about midinght, af-ter Frank Hodges, secretary of the miners' union, had addressed members of the House and explained the miners points. The mine owners have also decided to invite the miners' leaders

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Love of Spending.

Paris. April 14.—To be a rich man automobile in the United States, in Paris loday you must have so many attempts and the Maria automobile in the United States, in Paris loday you must have so many attempts and the Maria automobile in the United States, in Paris loday you must have so many attempts and rich man in Paris are two different things. It you, as a rich representation of the paris of a certain in Paris are two different things. It you, as a rich representation of the paris of a certain in Paris are two different things. It you are the paris of the paris of the house of the paris of the pari

tone to totally inadequate. This may possibly explain the miners' accusations, which the general public only dimly comprehends, that the Government is acting and lay to he dowers.

An important Conference.

After the failure of the morning conference, some hope remained that mediation might be the outcome of the parliamentary conference, made up of the parliamentary committee of the parliamentary committee of the parliamentary committee of the Parliamentary Labor party, and the Parliamentary Labor party. This important conference, however, after pronouncing itself uncompromisingly on the side of the miners and the Triple Alliance, and against the Government, gave no sign of initiating new negotiations or mediation. There was practically no peace talk at the conference; the general feeling appeared to be that any further attempt to approach the Government would be futile.

The resolution adopted by this body is not a definite.

of the union declined to deny or confirm these reports.

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Dressed Meats, Wholesale—

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Dressed Moss. ext. ... 12 00 to 18 00

"in its effort to resist wholesale reduc-

Preparing for Events.

Both sides are engaged in preparations for coming events. The Government took possession of Hyde Park and Regents Park, as well as Kensington Gardens. These great breathing spots of London will be utilized as military depots and devoted to insuring London's food and milk supplies. They have been completely closed to the public, and a small army of work-men invaded them yesterday, erecting tents and hutments while convoys and lorries made their appearance. The minister of transport issued an order for the requisition of all vehicles and

orses which may be required.

Various members of the Government have been appointed commissioners of the dozen districts into which the kingdom has been divided for relief service, while a number of additional road nissioners have been appointed to

organize transport.

The Government's actual plan of campaign will not be published unless or until the strike actually begins, but the emergency machinery devised in the railway strike of 1919, has been continuously improved and is everywhere ready for action. Great military camps are forming at Wormwood Scrubbs and Wimbledon Common, and another camp in the eastern suburbs of London for additional milk and food supplies. The Government has at its command an enormous fleet of motor lorries, and is confident of its ability

Live Hogs Sell Friday for \$12 Per Hundredweight.

HAY PRICES ADVANCE

Small Supply and Large De mand Responsible -Straw Slow.

Live hog prices took another slump at the local market on Friday moves selling for \$13 50 per cwt; today prices were set at \$12; fat sows sold for \$7.

Dressed hogs were also lower; they brought from \$17@18 per cwt. These drops have been expected for the past two weeks because of the strike of the meat packers in Toronto.

Timothy and clover hay prices advanced because of the small supplies and the active demand. The former brought \$22@24 per ton. Straw is slow at \$10 per ton.

at \$10 per ton.

Toronto, April 15.—Hams—Short cut, 180s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 135s; Wilt—shire cut, 130@135s; clear bellies, 125@ 6C cut, 130s; short clear backs, 122s 6d shoulders, square, 115s; do, New York, 140s. It is the cut, 130@135s; clear bellies, 125@ 6T cut, 130@ at the local market on Friday morning.

was filled with Unionists, Coalitionists and Laborites.

The Conservative member, John A. Marriott, presided. Mr. Hodges exhaustively reviewed the situation, and on some points gained the sympathy of his audience.

Regarding his offer, the Press Association says that it is not without promise of a peaceful agreement, and will be conveyed to the prime minister by Mr. Marriott.

The whole labor movement is aligning itself solldly with the miners against the Government. The workers seem to believe that the hour has struck for a final struggle against what they, rightly or wrongly, suspect to be an organized plan on the part of the employers to force down wages.

The prime minister, in a two-hour does not conditions today it is thought by officials that there will be a fairly large market on Saturday. Eggs, butter and vegetables will feature.

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ceived from Mr. Hodges' statement was that the miners were "now prepared to discuss with the owners the question of wages without raising the controversial issue of the national pool of wages provided arrangements of a temporary character were made without prejudice to further discussion of the proposal for a national pool when a further settlement comes to be dealt with."

CONFERENCE ARRANGED.

LONDON, April 14.—Both the mine owners and miners submitted their respective cases to about two hundred members of the House of Commons tonight. The request for the hearing originated with the owners, who desired to place their side of the controversy before that body. Many questions were asked and answered. When it was suggested that the miners might like a similar opportunity another meeting was arranged, and Frank Hodges, secretary of the miners' unlon, which is the strike of the controversy to the reliable to the federation's resolution adopted by this organization to consult with the Triple Alliance is all steps and give it general Hodges, secretary of the miners' unlon, which is the arranged of the miners' unlon, which is the artifulae of the miners' unlon, the federation's resolution of the proposal forms a match that the unions consult with the Triple Alliance is also highly important. The resolution adopted by this organization does not mean that it is their intention to consult with the Triple Alliance is also highly important. The reflectation of the proposal forms and pr Cow hides, No. 1.... 4 to do, No. 2..... 8 to do, No. 2.... 5 to do, No. 2.... 5 to Lamb skins, each... 40 to Kip, per lb.... 4 to

FLOUR. MINNEAPOLIS, April 14.—Flour— Unchanged to 30c lower; carlots, family per barrel, 98-lb. cotton sacks,

\$7.90@8.15. Shipments-45,849 barrels

TORONTO, April 14 .- Ontario Flour-90 per cent patents, \$7.75, bulk, sea-board; do., in jute bags, Montreal-Toronto, nominal. Manitoba Flour-Government standard, track, Toronto, cash prices; first patents, \$10.70; do., second, \$10.20. Millfeed—In carlots, delivered Mont-real freights, bags included; bran, \$33 per ton; shorts, \$35 per ton; good feed flour, \$2.10@2.40 per bag. MONTREAL, April 14.—There was

nothing new in the flour situation to-An unsettled feeling has developed in the market for most lines of millfeed. It is reported that prices were shaded with, however, no actual change as yet. The market for rolled oats was dull. tandard. \$10.30.

Rolled Oats-Per bag, 90 lbs., \$3.20. Bran-\$33.25. Shorts-\$35,25.

TORONTO, April 14.-Hav-Baled, on track, carlots; No. 1, \$24@26 per ton. Straw—Track, carlots, \$12@12.50 per MONTREAL, April 14 .- There was no

change in the market for baled hay

moderate general upturn.
Oats were firmer with other grain,
starting unchanged to 4c to 4c lower
and then rising well above yesterday's

CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES. CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES.

[Jones, Easton, McCallum Company.]
Chicago, April 15.
Wheat— Open. High. Low. Close.
May\$1 21% \$1 24% \$1 20% \$1 22%
July 1 05½ 1 07% 1 05 1 06
Corn— 551/8 59 613/8 May ... 35% 36¼ 35% 35% July ... 36½ 37½ 36½ 37 Sept ... 37% 38½ 37% 38 LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, N.Y. April 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 225; 25c higher.

Calves—Receipts, 2,200; 50c higher, at \$5,61150.

\$5@11 50. Hogs—Receipts. 8,000; steady to 25c lower; heavy. \$\$@8 75; mixed. \$\$ 25@ 9 50; yorkers. \$9 50@9 75; light yorkers and pigs, \$10@10 25; roughs. \$7. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 8,600; clipped lambs 50c up at \$5@10; others unchanged.

unchanged.

Liverpool, April 15.—Cotton—Futures closed steady; April, 7.94d; May, 8.93d; June, 8.16d; July, 8.29d; Aug., 8.38d; Sept., 8.45d; Oct., 8.49d; Nov., 8.54d; Dec., 8.59d; Jan., 8.63d; Feb., 8.66d; March, 8.69d.

PROVISIONS.

Chicago, April 15.—Provisions lacked support.

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STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE.
Toronto, April 15.—Trading on the Standard Exchange this morning was fairly brisk, sales totaling \$4,750 shares.
Dome Mines was unchanged at \$20.50 and Holly at \$6.95. Keora sold down 1½ points to 13½ co no sales of 2,500 shares. W. D. C., after opening unchanged at 6%c, sold down fractionally to 6c, at which figure it held at the noon close. Temiskaming was quoted at 22c. Trethewey opened at 13½ c. but later dropped ½c; 8,000 shares were traded in.
Sales.

High. Low. Noon.

market was no more exciting than the opening, although the general tone was a trifle stronger. Abitibl, however, was down ½ point at the close at 36½. Sugar closed ½ stronger at 29½, while Laurentide was also stronger by ½ point at 92. Breweries closed at 39½. Which represented an advance of ¾ point. Wayagamack weakened ½ point and closed at 69½.

Sales. High. Low. Noon. 200 Abitibl 36½.

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30 Cement, pfd. 91

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15 do, pfd. 68½

10 Gen. Electric 109

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28 Macdonald 17

90 Montreal Power 83

10 Peter Lyall 65

20 Quebec Power 25½

495 Riordon Paper 107

5 Sherwin, pfd. 90

5 Smelters 15¼

15 Steel of Canada 55%

40 do, pfd. 90½

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London, April 15—Closing prices to-

33000 Victory. 1922 1000 do, 1924. 96½ 41000 do, 1933. 97% 97½ 9 5006 do, 1937. 94½ 1000 do. 1937. 99% LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE. London, April 15.—Closing prices day were: Atchison, com. 19 Baltimore & Ohio

to maintain road services. It has also substantial stocks of food, which, it is estimated, will last through the strike and a reasonable length of time thereafter, and at present no food rationing to consumers is contemplated, but the retailer may be restricted.

Keep Theatres Open.

The Government has expressed the wish that as far as possible theatres and entertainments shall keep running and, the minister of transport has promised to give all possible facilities to traveling theatrical companies. London will not be deprived of electrical lighting or power, as the electrical workers have decided to perform their own duties, but will not act as voluntees or strike-breakers in other industries.

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The rest is 20 per word each insertion.

The consumers is contemplated, but the tending and the minister of transport has promised to give all possible facilities.

Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, \$24@25.

GRAIN.

Witninge, April 15.—Wheat—May opened 1½c lower at \$1 47@1 48; Oats—May opened unchanged to ½c chower at \$1.47@1 48; Oats—May opened unchanged at 67% c.

Barley—May opened unchanged at 67% c.

Chicaso, April 15.—Opening:

May, \$120%; 11

GOLD AND SILVER. on, April 15.—Closing: Bar gold, .04s 11d per ounce.
Bar silver, 33%d per ounce.
New York, April 15.—Bar silver—Donestic, 99%c; foreign, 58%c per ounce.
MONEY.
London, April 15.—Closing: Money, ½ per cent.
Discount rates—Short bills, 5% per cent; three months, 6½ per cent.
Gold premiums at Lisbon, 140.

EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. New York, April 15-Wall Street, 10:30 .m.-Announcement over-night of the abrogation of national agreements by the railroad labor board came as a complete surprise to Wall Street, and infused a strong tone to the stock market at the opening of today's session Within the rst few minutes gains of to 4 points were made by all classes to 4 points were made by all classe

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Col. Southern.... Missouri Pacific.. Northern Pacific.. 71 Southern Pacific.. 73½ Southern Railway 20% Reading Railway. 68% 69 Interboro, nfd..... 13 Allis-Chalmers ... 361/6

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Inspiration 38
Ray Consolidated 12½
Utah Copper.... 50% 50% 50% 50% 50%

Oils—
Mex. Petroleum. 140½ 142¾ 133¼ 142½
Pan-American. 68½ 69¾ 68¾ 69%
Texas Oil... 41¼ 41% 41½ 41½
Steels—
Bethlehem. B... 54¼ 56 54¼ 55%
Crucible Steel. 78¾ 80½ 76⅓ 80
Lackawanna 48 49¾ 48 49¾
Republic Iron. 59¾ 61½ 59¾ 61½
U. S. Steel. 79¾ 81½ 79¾ 81½
Sales to 1 p.m., 515,100 shares.

SEES DANGER IN LACK OF SERVANTS

British Committee Comments On Shortage of Domestics in Canada.

LONDON, April 14.-The shortage of domestic servants in Canada is pronounced as a national danger in a rethat it learns with satisfaction that

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ernments principally concerned on the as to accommodation for third-class passengers on ocean liners are more

Dealing with overseas settlement, the report remarks that the fact that numerous ex-service men in Great Britain are unemployed justifies the adoption of special measures for their relief. It observes, however, that it is impossible for the self-governing Domions to receive the unemployed of the Mother Country, even if they are ex-service men who have fought for the empire, except in cases where me men will find suitable work. The government scheme for the grant of free passages has worked well, and the government has decided to extend it for another year. There is not likely to succeed, and to view the question of emigration as a means of mitigating unemployment or distress, and not as a means of building up the lit for another year. it for another year. Though five or six men have returned to this country diappointed, and a number of letters have been received from emigrants have been received from emigrants ments. It is further pointed out that who have failed to find employment, cordial reception from the people who have failed to find employment, cordial reception from the people such letters are few. Some of the letters from overseas ask for further assistance in the shape of loans or grants, but the report says that it is believed that the majority of these applicants will be able to settle successfully without help. It is felt, nevertheless, that some assistance should be afforded the applicant. Hitherto

His Majesty's Government have de- this assistance was possible from the cided to hold in the immediate future National Relief Fund, but this fund a conference with the Dominion Govis approaching exhaustion. The committee adheres to the view of initiating a policy of expressed last year that there state-aided settlement within the em- special grounds for granting statepire, proceeds to review the shipping aid for settlement of women overseas situation. It remarks that complaints A well-organized system of juvenile settlement exists in Canada, and a similar system is to be introduced in tiating for the settlement of boys from

Dr. Barnardo's homes. A policy of empire settlement, it is pointed out, cannot be successful unless it serves the needs of the empire as a whole, and develops the overseas Dominions by introducing into them settlers British by birth and tradition There is a tendency in some quarter of this country to ignore the fact that settlers, unless carefully selected, are not likely to succeed, and to view the Britains overseas. On the other hand there is a disposition in the Dominions to approach the subject too much with the object of meeting labor require-

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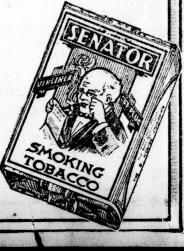
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