TUESDAY MORNING MARCH 22 1921

BILL IS CONFISCATORY, CONTENTION OF BACKUS

Premier Meighen and Colleagues Hear Legal Argument Against Proceeding With Measure to Control Water Powers-Drury Has Been Urging Dominion Government to Give Backus Chance to Be Heard.

Ottawa, March 21. — (Special.)— Premier Meighen and several of his colleagues, including Sir James Loug-heed, lunched today on a legal argu-ment. The premier had announced ment. The premier h hat at noon today he would hear y representations that the parties

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Will Produce Correspondence. here has been a lively correspond-e between Premiers Meighen and ny for the production of which order of the house was passed to . When published this corres-tence will reveal that Premier my has been urging the Dominion arment to hold up the legislation at the Schemes of the sense of the sense of the bill as designed to benefit the province of Manitopa at the expense of the bill as designed to benefit the province of Manitopa at the expense of the bill as designed to benefit the province of Manitopa at the expense of the bill as designed to benefit the province of Manitopa at the expense of the bill as designed to banefit the province of Manitopa at the expense of the bill as designed to banefit the province of Manitopa at the expense of the bill as designed to banefit the province of Manitopa at the expense of the argument. There will, the the argument. There will, the the argument is the way of luced some weeks ago in the Dominduced some weeks ago in the Domin-ion senate and the Ontario legislat-une concurrently. The senate promptly passed the bill, which now stands in a preferred position on the order paper of the house of commons, but Premier Drury has not proceeded with his bill the Toronto house. Will Produce Correspondence. There has been a lively correspond-

ury for the production of which until E. W. Backus could be heard from. Mr. Backus recently obtained valuable concessions in the way of timber limits and water powers from the Drury government. The motion by J. P. Molloy (Prov-encher), calls "for copy of all letters telegrams and other correspondence

REEDOM IN POLAND KINGSTON AROUSED BY POSTAL MOVE FOR ALL RELIGIONS Strongly Opposes Plan of Transferring Postal Division to Every Citizen May Use His Ottawa.

Every Chilzen Way Ose ThisOwn Language, According
to New Constitution.Kingston.Watsaw, March 21.—The new consti-
tution adopted by Poland will go into
effect as soon as the necessary legal
machinery is set in motion. The pres-
ent parliament is expected to be dis-
solved in April. by which time it is
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effection of a new parliament under the
constitution, as it is now, be-
comes the fundamental law of the
land, provides for a parliament com-
printing a house and a senate, the mem-
bers of both of which shall be chosenKingston. March 21.—(Special).—
The suggestion that the Kingston. The is Kingston is expecting with vigorous
oposition in this section. The in-
spector's office has been conducted
here for 50 years and has served the
land canal between Cape Vincent
and costs and three months in jail,
and in default of the payment of fine,
three more months.at Miquelon in a storm on Friday
might last.
The mail steamer Portia, was re-
floated this morning at high tide ant
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three more months.With the railing on her bow bro-
her, the C.P.O.S. liner Melita, 14,000
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satisfaction in a pipeful of Old Chum Tobacco. TOBACCO "The Tobacco of Quality" G.W.V.A. IS URGING PENSION INCREASES Secretary Macneil Places Recom-

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mendations Before the Federal Re-establishment Committee.

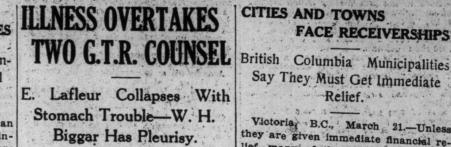
Ottawa, March 21. - (By Canadian Press) .- The immediate need of inreases in pensions was urged before the parliamentary committee on sol-

St. John's, Nfid., March 21. The tug Stadium, on its way to this port from. St. John, N. B., where she was Dominion command G.W.V.A. The purchased by F. H. Ellis, went ashore present pension was not, he said. fill-

night last. The mail steamer Portia was re-floated this morning at high tide and the mail steamer in the state of pensioners. Proposals tabled by Vr. Macneil asked for increases in widows' pensions; \$1 per one per cent. of disability pension base; pensions for guardians of soldiers' orphans; no deduction of pension cause pensioner does not live in Canada and the equalization of pensions arrespective of rank. Mr. Macneil arged the necessity of the present tension bonus being made permanent.



AT LAKE BAIKAL



Everybody Smokes

Montreal Que., March 21 .- (By Canadian Press) .- Two of the leading value of the system prior to its acquisition by the Dominion govern-ment. were taken ill today. Eugene Lafleur, counsel for the Grand Trunk, collapsed with stomach trouble, and had to be removed to the General Hospital, where his condition is now ar, viece counsel engaged at the sessions of the at Miquelon in a storm on Friday ing the gap betwen disability earning sitting to enquire into the physical had to be removed to the General Hospital, where his condition is now said not to be dangerous. W. H. Biggar, vice-president and counsel for the Grand Trunk, was unable to be present at the sitting as he was suffering from pleurisy and is confined to his hotel for the present. Neither will likely be able to continue work until Wales as

CITIES AND TOWNS SAMUEL GOMPERS FACE RECEIVERSHIPS

Say They Must Get Immediate Relief.

Victoria, B.C., March 21.-Unless they are given immediate financial relief, many of the larger cities and towns of British Columbia will be in

the hands of receivers before they can the hands of receivers before they can obtain their share of liquor profits, the municipal committee of the legis-lature was told today by the execu-tive of the Union of British Columbia

LOSE BY PRODUCTION

Cardiff, March 21 .- The financial Collined. ondition of the coal trade in South

IS BROKEN AT LAST

Paris, March 21 .- From one-half to

ATTACKS HEARST Says He Has Consistently Vilified Federation of Labor.

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Washington, March 21. - Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, launches an at-lack on William Randolph Hearst,

esentative to Mr. Gompers. "with a view to chaining him to his tial chariot," but that Mr. Gompers

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ST. JOHN'S REPORTS MARINE DISASTERS Steamer, Arrives After Encountering Mountain-

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AL RACING DATES. ch 21.-At a meeting Breeders' Association, Mount Royal Jockey ed the dates, May 21 ening of the local



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prising a house and a senate, the mem-bers of both of which shall be chosen by popular vote, both men and women 21 years of age being eligible for the **BIG FOUR LABORERS** The executive power is vested in a **REJECT WAGE CUT**

president and a responsible cabinet. The president will be elected for a The president will be elected for a term of seven years by a national seembly, composed of the members of the house and the senate. The pre-sident may be a Catholic or a Protes-tant. He is commander-in-chief of all the military forces in time of peace, but in the event of war the responsi-but in the event of war the responsi-

bility shifts to the minister of war, who is empowered to appoint the com-mander of the army. Catholicism continues to be the Latholicism continues to be the leading faith of the country, but all religions are accorded equal rights. The relations between the church and the state will be legally defined by an agreement with the Vatican, which agreement shall be subject to religion by the prelignment to

men were homesteaders in the Ent-

onal Railways were paid \$18,000

in fees, plus traveling expenses to and from their homes during 1920,

according to a return tabled in the house today.

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ratification by the parliament. The constitution provides for free, ompulsory education in district and nicipal schools.

municipal schools. Every citizen has the right to the use of his own language, and a spe-cial bill ensures the free development of the minority nationalities living in Poland. The different nationalities are permitted to have their schools and teach their own language under government supervision and with par-tial support by the state tal support by the state. Land reforms provide for restric-tion of the individual ownership of the tracts and all classes are given. equal rights in this respect. any reductions. He stated that this was also the sentiment expressed by the men when a recent circular announcing reduc-tion of rates was presented for their

The care of orphans by the state consideration b provided for, and night work by women and by children under 15. ears of age is prohibited.

G. A. Daley, general chairman of the Railroad and Steamship Clerks' and Freight Handlers' Union, also announced that after conference with the members of his organization, he G. A. Daley, general chairman of the Railroad and Steamship Clerks' and Freight Handlers' Union, also announced that after conference with the members of his organization, he had been instructed to announce that no reductions would be accepted at this time. Between 5 000 and 5 000 employes SAY SETTLER KILLS NEIGHBOR. Edmonton, March 21 .- Following a dispute over ownership of a hay rack, Edward Thew, is dead from a bullet wound and his neighbor, Clair Johnson, is in the provincial police cells bere facing a charge of murder. Both

RAILWAY DIRECTORS' FEES. Ottawa, March 21.-(By Canadian ress) .- Directors who compose the board of management of the Canadian

tons, emerged out of a bank of fog this morning and docked at Sand Point. During her passage from Liverpool the steamer encountered very stormy weather, and was forced to face mountainous seas, which broke with terrible force over her bows. Revolutionary Leader Said to

HOPE CANADA WILL NOT CLAIM SUBSIDY REFUND

London, March 21 .- The subject of would be accepted, and that the work-ers had decided to appeal the case to the labor board for final decision.

MAY NOW VISIT WAR HEROES' GRAVES Ottawa. March 21.—Hundreds of Canadian parents who have been waiting an opportunity to visit the staves of sons and other relations buried in France and Flattiers during conferences in form of documents found on Russian officers arrested during conferences in foreign hotels here. The officers arrested were alleged Seminoff sts and include Gen. Hreschitzky.

Be Advancing to Cut Off Forces. Pekin, March 21.—Persistent reports from Harbin state that Gen. Baron Michel Ungern-Sternberg, leader of a

Labor Board. Cincinnati, O., March 21.—At a meeting of representatives classed as unskilled or common laborers on all parts of the Big Four Railway System, Data and Panama Telegraph Company, in which Canada is interested, was unskilled or common laborers on all parts of the Big Four Railway System, Data and Panama Telegraph Company, in which Canada is interested, was unskilled or common laborers on all parts of the Big Four Railway System, Data and Panama Telegraph Company, in which Canada is interested, was under the original agreement the British and Canadian covernment the Bri under the original agreement the parts of the Big Four Railway System, including track laborers, freight house, and platform laborers, coal dock and chadre pit laborers, round house, shop and storehouse laborers, held in the office of General Manager E. M. Costin here today notice was given by in a worse position than the company in a worse position than region are reported to be co-operating to the management that no reductions before and the British government with the revolutionaries.

To see the for maintenance of way and shop laborers, announced that he grand president of his union not to accept the stated that the stated the state stated the state stated the stated the

ing stronger. DROUGHT IN FRANCE The patient sits in bed and enjoys a view of the budding trees in the tark thru the open windows. Former Emrerer Will'am and his son, Eitel Friedrich, who is ordered to stay in one inch of a gentle, welcome rain Soorn for some time, frequently pay short visits to the sick room, as the exertion of talking for any length of time fatigues Augusta Victoria. In the absence of Captain von which was beginning to Isemann, his adjutant, who is on over the crop prospects. leave in Berlin, the former emperor | spends his time woodsawing, digging in the park and shoveling gravel on

hkely be able to continue work until after the Easter recess. Edward C. Smith, ex-governor of Vermont and president of the Central Vermont Raijway, was ioday's prin-cipal witness and gave it as his view that his railway was a valuable asset to the Grand Trunk and also to Can-ada, since it furnished a short cut to the Atlantic. Wales as viewed by the coal owners' Asso-ciation. It shows that on a total quan-tity of disposable coal of 2,887,199 tons, the total costs were 53s 1d per tot. leaving a colliery loss of 13s 7d On the total of 1,067,699 for inland

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 Doorn, Holland, March 21.—The recent mild spring weather apparently is having a favorable influence on former Empress Augusta Victoria of Germany, who has long been serious y ill of heart trouble. She constous and now is feeling stronger.
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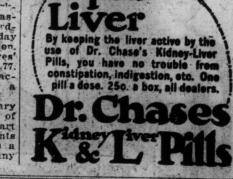
al reserve, extending over 5,000 acres, near Nemiska, Alberta, with the view to saving this animal from extinction. There are approximately 100 antelope within the park bounds at the present according to a return brought down in the house this afternoon.

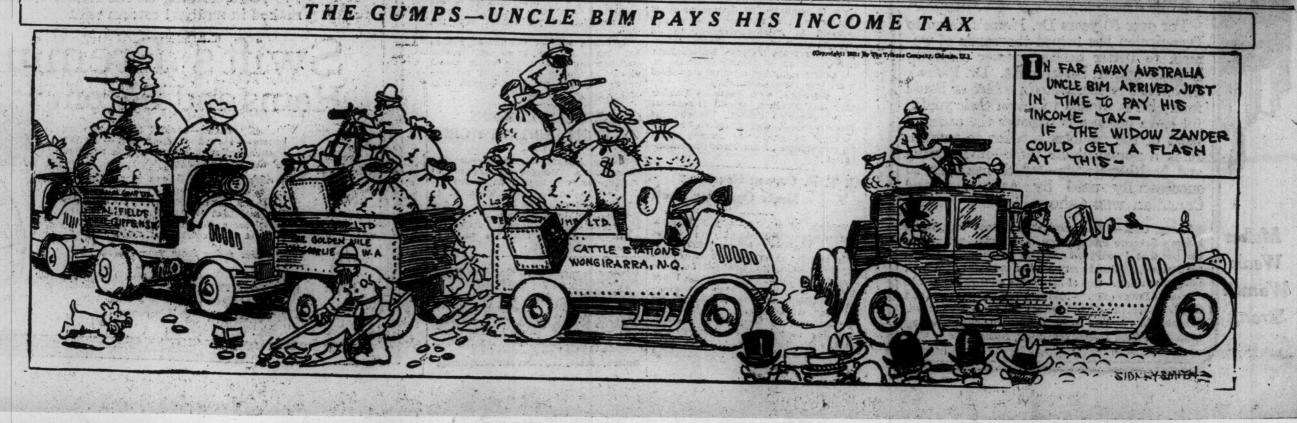
PAY LESS FOR COAL.

has fallen during the past 48 hours in the northern half of France, with a somewhay lighter fall in the southern half, definitely breaking the drought Montreal, March 21 .- It was announced this morning that a drop of fifty cents a ton in the price of coal which was beginning to cause alarm The rain fell slowly and was well absorbed by the tilled fields, the cool weather which prevailed preventing evaporation. will occur here on the first of April, altho this reduction will not be felt by the general public for three or four weeks. It was also stated by several leading coal merchants that

possibly the drop might be as large as a dollar. Drop in New York State

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the garden paths. Report Immense Resources Factory Workers' Wages In North Saskatchewan Regina, Sask., March 21 .- In a re-

Canadian parents who't have been for the Railroad and Steamship Clerks who't have been for the Railroad and Steamship Clerks who't have been for the reschitzky. and Freight Handlers' Union, also build in France and Flathers during an opportunity it in the graves of the great war, will be enabled to a saccoptid at the great war, will be enabled to a saccoptid at the great war, will be shown at this order. FATAL WRECK IN JAPAN. Nilgata, Japan, March 21.—The profiles at the battlefields, and may that the graves are satolisted a number of the stillefields, and there today caught fire. Nilgata, Japan, March 21.—The profiles at the battlefields, and when a train which became derailled in a tunnel here today caught fire.