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# The Toronto World

# FRIDAY MORNING OCTOBER 22 1920 COAL STRIKE ADDS THOUSANDS TO RANKS OF UNEMPLOYED Toronto Bootleggers Thrown Into Panic by Liquor-Chasing Squad

# MILITARY AVENGE DEATH OF OFFICERS KILLED IN AMBUSH

Tavern Keeper Wounded and Houses Are Set on . Fire.

**BLACK AND TANS SHOT** 

Cork, Oct. 21 .- Reprisals were carried out today at Newcestorm, near Bandon, where military lorries were recently ambushed with the loss of two officers. Early in the morning the public-house conducted by Richard Sullivan was burned, his private residence was visited and the mar was dragged from his bed and questioned as to who was in the public house on the night of the ambush. He escaped from his captors, but was wounded in the neck by a bullet.

Another house was set on fire after a mother and her daughters had been dragged out of their beds. Hay and straw were piled around the house of Patrick Corcoran, which was burned.

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A military party was ambushed this afternoon at Clonakilty, near Newcestown, County Cork. Four soldiers were wounded, two of them seriously.

An armed military detachment raided the office of the newspaper, The Echo, at Enniscorthy, and pied large quantities of type as a protest against the lies about the military and police. Three "black and tan" policemen, returning to barracks, were ambushed today and shot and wounded at Leap. today and shot and wounded at Leap, 7 miles from Skibbereen. Two of the men are not likely to recover.

Rioting in Belfast.

Belfast, Oct. 21.—Disturbances broke

Several persons were arrested, including two journalists.

The house of Mrs. Alice Stopford Green, widow of John Richard Green, the English historian, was among those raided.

### HUNGER AND WANT, **BUT NO DISORDER**

Wells, British Author, Now in London, Gives Impressions of Russia.

der," by H. G. Wells, the British

In a conversation with a representative of The Daily Mirror, Mr. Wells said he had a chat with Nikolai Lenine, the Russian Bolshevik premier, and went about freely, without a guide in Petrograd and Moscow, as well as other places. He said her well as other places. He said he was able to see and judge things for him-self, but declined to give any general conclusions because his observations are not as yet digested. He declared he had been amused when he read of disturbances and insurrections in Rus-"All that is just humbug."

## **DENY SHARP CUTS** IN FLOUR FUTURES

C. B. Watts and Hedley Shaw Think Chicago Reports Are Mistaken.

C. B. Watts, secretary of the Domin ion Millers' Association, when asked last night about Chicago reports that Canadian millers were offering flour, three to six months' delivery, at a price equivalent to 20c below the present price of wheat, said emphatically that he knew of no such action. He believed the series of slumps in wheat causes. Perhaps the greatest influence in the matter, said Mr. Watts, was to be found in the dangerous economic situation now facing Great Britain as a result of the decline in the British exchange and the miners' last evening's meeting in the Labor Congress, which was read at last evening's meeting in the Labor Congress and the Minosor Convention, President Moore further states, a motion to reconsider Mr. Watters' grievances was lost by the conclusive vote of 235 against 101. Further extracts from President Moore's letter read:

"Brother Watters is reported re-

He pointed out that wheat had closed easily 20c below quotations of a week ago, both in Chicago and Winnipeg. For instance, Canadian December wheat was quoted at \$2.02½ yesterday, as again \$2.22 on Thursday of last week, and American December wheat on the Chicago exchange was joint meeting with J. C. Watters his side of the controversy arising out of the replacement of Mr. Watters as delegate of the Trades Congress to the peace conference

President Moore, in his letter, points out that the manner in which the congress executive handled this matter was investigated and concurred in at than the one you mention. yesterday quoted at \$1.98, as against a price of \$2.20 a week ago.

Hedley Shaw, president of the Maple
Leef Milling Co., believed that there
was little foundation for the rumor
that any action of Canadian millers
had influenced the American market.
His company at least had not affered wheat in any such terms as those quoted in the report from Chicago,

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## ILLICIT WHISKEY RING SUSPENDS OPERATIONS FOLLOWING BIG SLUMP

CITY CONSTABLES STILL ON SQUAD

Mayor Church was not sustained at yesterday's session of the board of police commissioners when he opposed the maintenance of the now famous "booze squad," appointed under direction of the attorney-general, Hon. W. E. The matter was discussed at some length at the meeting and the order of the board maintaining the squad out of the police force

# RIVER WATERS NOT

Hydro-Electric Commission

Takes Issue With Report to Government.

ENGINEER BIASED?

The Ontarfo Hydro-Electric Power Commission takes serious objections to a report made by Henry Holgate, Montreal, to the Dominion government dealing with the control of storage waters of the Trent River in relation come into being. No time was lost by the leading men to call a meeting to decide on a plan of action, and it was learned by the police that the result of this meeting was the decision to suspend business temporarily.

It is also understood that the hope was expressed by a number of those at the meeting that the board of police commissioners would not endorse the squad. Their hopes in this direction were, however, blasted by the action of the police commissioners in deciding with the control of storage waters of the Trent River in relation Belfast, Oct. 21.—Disturbances broke out in the Queen street area yesterday, when rival mobs stoned each other. There was much revolver firing. Order was restored by the military with an armored car.

Raids in Dublin.

Dublin, Oct. 21.—Numerous military raids were carried out this morning. Several persons were arrested, includ-

tent of the power shortage in central contario and the reasons for such, possible remedies, including the release of the stored waters, and whether or not the department of railways and canals is regulating the waters in a satisfactory manner.

On learning of Mr. Holgate's appointment the Hydro-Electric Power Commission lodged a vigorous protest with the government on the grounds with the government on the grounds with inwith the government on the grounds that Mr. Holgate's affiliations with in-terests opposed to the Hydro preclud-ed the rendering of an unbiased opinion. This protest was ignored, and the summary of the report published in yesterday's papers confirms the commission's belief that it would be a vindication of the department of rail-ways and canals.

Nothing is produced in the sum-London, Oct. 21.—Conditions in Petrograd were summarized in one long waters of the Trent have not been administered in the best interphrase: "Hunger and want, but orests of the power users of the district.

No Chance for Discussion. author, when he arrived here last night from Russia. He implied that similar conditions prevail thruout 15 to Nassau and Young's Point to make an inspection of gauges, etc., and none of the commission's staff (Continued on Page 5, Column 6).

IN FIRE IN DAIRY

Wishes to Choose Battleground, and Thereby Draws

Scathing Remarks From Local Labor Men.

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### REPORTED FIND OF IS CREATING STIR Bootleggers Hold Meeting to Consider Effect of Liquor-Chasing Squad—Police Get

to Obtain Drink Now in

the "Ward."

Options Taken on Thousand Acres By Big English Wind of Gathering and Learn Result-Impossible Interests.

GIBSON NOT HOPEFUL

Illicit trading in liquor in Toronto has received a setback. Following a meeting of the whiskey ring yesterday, to consider the effect Attorney-General Raney's special liquor-chasing squad would have on the business, it was decided to suspend operations until such time as it could be learned definitely just what plan of action the squad intended to follow. Consequently, all the shutters have been put up, metaphorically speaking, and, to quote one of the members of the liquor chasing squad, "it's impossible to buy a drink at any price in the Ward."

That the formation of the special squad has struck terror into the hearts of the whiskey ring is evident by the prompt measures taken by the ring immediately it was learned on Saturday last that such a body was about to come into being. No time was lost by the leading men to call a meeting to decide on a plan of action, and it was

Lloyd George Says It Has Added Seriously to the

squad made a number of inquiries on their own account since Saturday, and the information they secured merely served to confirm the report that a meeting had been held in the Ward, which was largely attended.

The fact that a meeting of the ring could be called at such short notice. that it was connected with the indus-trial crisis. The premier appeared in the house late at night, and replying to Arthur Henderson's question, made

The fact that a meeting of the ring could be called at such short notice shows that the members are all well-known and easily accessible to each other, also that the ring is no myth, but a body to be contended with if the illicit trade is to be eradicated in Toronto.

COOLIE LABOR FAVORED

BY MONTREAL KIWAMIANG.

To Arthur Henderson's question, made a statement to the effect that he had been engaged for two days in discussions with the parties concerned in the coal strike, with favorable progress, but he continued:

"I cannot withhold from the house the fact that the very precipitate action of the railway executive has embarrassed the negotiations. It is a great misfortune and has added seriously to the difficulties."

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BY MONTREAL KIWANIANS

Montreal, Oct. 21.—How. F. C. Hurley, mayor of Astoria, Oregon, and a recent candidate for the governorship of that state, urged today in an address before the Kiwanis Club here, the introduction and employment of Chinese laborers in Canada and the United States for agricultural, railroad

iously to the difficulties."

"It was interference exceedingly rash and exceedingly indiscreet and apparently not desired by anybody. Action of that kind encourages irresponsible leaders. I hope the discussion will be resumed later, but it would be very much easier if they were left to the miners themselves."

Discussed Alternatives.

Mr. Lloyd George expressed regret

United States for agricultural, railroad building and other constructive work.

IN FIRE IN DAIRY

Five horses burned to death, several tone of hay destroyed, and the barns completely gutted—this was the toll of a fire which partially destroyed the Walnut Dairy, Annette street, near Keele, early this morning. The dairy proper was not touched. The fire brigade suffered much from the dense smoke which enveloped the building, and accounted for the deaths of the horses. The blaze was quite of the horses. The blaze was quite spectacular for some time.

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### U. S. ADMIRAL APPROVES ST. LAWRENCE PROJECT

Boston, Oct. 21.—Admiral William S. Benson, in an address before the Bos-ton Chamber of Commerce today, supported the St. Lawrence River canal project, saying that if necessary the United States should issue bonds to finance the enterprise. He said it would relieve the coal situation of New England, as the railroads were already overtaxed in their efforts to

"If the St. Lawrence proposition were properly developed," he added. "it would give New England hydro-electric power almost sufficient to relieve the coal situation and would develop commerce from the middle west."

### Ever Old Union Station

"The ever-old and ever-present 'nion' Station—which was old when I was young," is the way in which Rev. Canon Cody called attention to Toronto's railroad centre in an address at Wycliffe College last night.

# BRITAIN'S INDUSTRIAL CRISIS STILL FURTHER COMPLICATED BY TRIPLE ALLIANCE ACTION

FUNERAL OF SINN FEINERS' VICTIM



London was stirred recently by the solemn ceremonials attending the burial of Reginald Hardman, who was murdered in Ireland, after serving three months in the Royal Irish Constabulary. The picture shows General Tuder of the Constabulary, who marched in front of the gun carriage, which bore the casket.

# PLUNGE FROM TRAIN **NEAR WESTON GIVES**

# SELLING OF LIQUOR

Discussed Alternatives.

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# ON PERMIT SYSTEM IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

New Plan Most Favored -Majority of Women Voted Moderationist.

SURPRISED THE DRYS

Vancouver, B.C., Oct. 21.—By as sweeping and widespread a majority sweeping and widespread a majority of rum running either to other provinces or to the United States. as ever has marked a public contest in British Columbia, government control and sale of liquor yesterday was endorsed, to take the place of the present prohibtion enactment. The result for the whole of the province gives a majority of between 26,000 and 27,000 in favor of a change. In Vancouver the majority was close to 10,000.

Wanted Decisive Vote. Leaders on both sides had been wishing for a decisive result. A vote of fifty-one per cent. one way or the other, would have been comparatively inconclusive and unsatisfactory, but the tremendous majorities record and the way they were spread thru every section of the province left no doubt about what the people wish. It was not a case of Vancouver demanding one thing and Victoria another; the result, with unimportant

exceptions, was the same everywhere.

Women Surprised Drys.

The great surprise in prohibition
(Continued on Page 2, Column 3).

## PRICE OF NEWSPRINT IS DUE FOR A TUMBLE

Immense Hoarded Stores Must Be Sacrificed - European Countries Offering to Ship at Lower Prices -Canadian Output is Doubled.

New York, Oct. 21. - (Special.) - the hope that they will not lose more Within the past fortnight, offers of than a cent a pound if they get rid of newsprint at lower prices have brought out the fact that a number of big it right away.

One paper has ten thousand tons on its hands, valued at over a million out the fact that a number of big papers in the United States have immense stores of paper in warehouses, costing them about five cents a pound, probably fifty millions of dollars worth. And European pulp countries are offering to ship paper here at falling prices. The output of the Canadian paper mills will be double of their capacity of a year ago, with still greater increases in a few weeks from new mills, or old ones enlarged. The holders of the paper in hoard in the States are getting ready to unload as quick as they can to papers that have none, in

Ultimatum From Railway Men and Transport Works ers Demands Reopening of Negotiations Under Threat of Strike - Government Not Likely to Recede -Hundreds of Workers in Other Callings Forced to Remain Idle.

London, Oct. 21.—The ultimatum issued to the government by the railway and transport workers to the effect that unless negotiations are opened between the miners and government this week they will throw in their lot with the miners and strike on Sunday at midnight has introduced new complications into the industrial crisis. Labor bodies are exerting pressure to compel the government to commence conferences immediately, which it is willing to do if the miners will recognize the principle that higher wages must be balanced by an increase in production.

Tonight the cabinet discussed the threat made by the two brotherhoods, but whether any decision has been reaced was not disclosed.

Two grave questions are exercising London, Oct. 21.-The ultimatum

Two grave questions are exercising the political and industrial world—the first, to what extent the labor leaders are losing control of the workers; second, whether a political crisis and an appeal to the country will develop

out of the miners' dispute.

It is stated that James Henry Thomas, general secretary of the National Union of Railway Men, has exerted the greatest efforts to get the action taken by the railway men postponed for a few days, but that his in-

uence was overborne.

Lloyd George Meets Leaders.

Mr. Lloyd George was in infor conversation with some of the labor leaders today, but little hope seems to be entertained that the government will recede from its position, insisting upon an increased output, or submission of the dispute to an independent tribunal on a condition for an increase in wages.

crease in wages.

Even had the government been inclined to recede from this position it is felt it could hardly do so now, in the face of the railwaymen's threat.

Undoubtedly the solidarity of the (Continued on Page 11, Column 5).

### END OF SHIPMENTS OF LIQUOR VIA MOTOR

Montreal, Oct. 21.—At a meeting held today between liquor importers, of whom there are ten in the province, and Dr. Murphy, N.C., general administrator of the Quebec prohibition law arragnement was made whereby the wholesalers agree to ship outside the province only by steamer, railway, express, or thru a transportation company.

# **UNEARTHING PLOT**

Anarchist and Communistic Propaganda Revealed in Search of Houses.

Naples, Oct. 21.—The police, following evidence obtained of a vast anarchist plot, today searched the houses chist plot, today searched the houses of many noted extremists, and sequestrated a large quantity of pamphlets containing anarchist and communist propaganda. The pamphlets were written in Russian, Italian, German and English, the last named being the tended for transmission to the United States. Some of the pamphlets were entitled "Spartacus," "What the Anarchists Want," "The Russian Revolution," and "Bolshevism and a Proletariat Dictatorship."

letariat Dictatorship."

Many Hungarians and Russians have been arrested and expelled. Most of them had credentials, letters and safe conducts signed by Bela Kun, former Communist dictator of Hungary, or Russians high in the soviet councils.

AMNESTY IN MOSCOW. London, Oct. 21.—The commissariat of justice at Moscow, says The Herald's correspondent, is preparing lists for a new amnesty to be proclaimed on this, the third anniversary of the soviet revolu-

## The Farmer Adjusting His