Mine Workers Declare Against

PERATORS AND SIGN AGREEMENT

ge Contract For Coal Miners s for One Year.

and officials of the United Minrs of America signed a new arresment running for one year ering the tri-state competitive of Ohio, Illionis and Indiana agreement will be used as a ed for fixing wages and working as throughout the rest of the misus territory. The new agreeit was asnounced, was virtually ed on the federal fuel adminis-

ek after transfer of the parley Chienge.

bituminous tonnage of the was the only remedy. territory was regarded as a

sonference. up an agreement to cover the beginning April 1, 1924

MBINE PROBE **WILL ORGANIZE**

Proceed in Montreal, Toron and Winnipeg to Inquire to Allegations.

ation of the ex e into the alleged combine o shipping will take place her the week. The inquiry will afterwards to Montreal, Tor and Winnipeg, and will em charges of stock watering of the evidence, however, will en at Winnipeg, where listic activities of the alleged were most in evidence, and which quarter as abundance of by is promised. It was the eg Grain Exchange that was

the inquiry, either suppressing

O RESIST WAGE CUT.

Home Secretary, Right Hon. Bridgeman, Chief Commission. Police Horwood and the assis umissioners of police, London of a meeting at Kensington, at there were four thousand m of the police force, who passed wages and a proposed alteration se conditions under which they

CALIFORNIA VIA CANADIAN NATIONAL ROUTE.

ians are planning to visit Caliof education, why not tra-union fees in the country. e way through Canada. It will ad resorts on the Pacific the case. Vancouver, and Victoria, where ss is green and flowers bloom, onto and Vancouver is one rica. For full particulars, ap- nest in the tree and said: the c'ty passenger office, Can-4209 and Adl, 5179.

ONTLINED THE BENEFITS OF THE INTERNT'L UNIONS

Assistance Being Given Striking Typos Given as an Instance.

strike in the city, stated Mr. J. A. P. Haydon, president of the Allied Trades International Brotherhood of Electricbours for day work and \$1.08 st. Mr. Pat Green, representative of The the United Brotherhold of Carpenters as the union had sought. Agree Mr. Mick Cunningham presided.

the of seventeen and submitted who were striving to break up the in-of the subject is as follows: has been in session here about bers of local unions to take more interest in the meetings and to be al To the International Executive Board, ways present when possible. The cost field produces about of living, he said, was still high and cent of the 500,000,000 an wages were dropping. Organization

> Mr. Noble put forward the idea that the seven-hour day would be a beneicial emergency measure to give em-00 per cent, strong.

Mr. Haydon referred to the Otta va printers strike. There were some 39 printers still on strike and Inter national headquarters was paying about \$5,000 a week to 139 Ottawa rinters, as strike pay.

In spite of the fact that 700 miner gere out of work in the Maritime plenty of work in Canada."

"There is no room for workers in or the movement as a whole.

Messrs. Pat Green and G. E. Thon

LABOR SHOULD KEEP **MONEY IN CANADA**

W. B. Best, of Firemen, Savs Help Unemployment.

annual convention.

nembership, griegances and the opening of a disconvention, but no decisions were reached in these mattrs.

Speaking on the formation of the st, but, treating travel as afus Canadian association was to keep

ra country better, a chance to the opinion of Mr. Best and some the finest mountain scenery in others, but the vast majority of workia, and to visit our own all ers in America know that such is not

ORGANIZED

toring, and all ent-doors. In Lousiiana a man was riding with may be indulged in throughout a young darky in his buckboard. A menths. Discuss this tour hornet buzzed around the old horse

Nat seal-Grand Trunk Rall et's nest with your whip, Sambo." am o'ganized."

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE POLICY OF UNITED MINE WORKERS OF AMERICA ON THE RED INTERNATIONAL OF MOSCOW

Indianapolis, Ind .- The United Mine Workers of America. That International Headquarters is which is the trade union of the coal miners, is the first among the still paying the sum of \$3,000 strike great labor unions of this country to take a positive stand and cay weekly to Ottawa's striking print ere; there were still 139 printers on cow and its attempt to destroy the American legitimate labor movement, and subsittute therefore the principles of Bolshevism and Labor Council at a meeting of the This action has just been taken by the International Executiv-Hodearriers and Building Laborer's Board of the United Mine Workers of America, at a meeting held Union in Huckell's Hall. Another in this city. Several months ago the District Organization of the who spoke was Mr. John Noble, of the union in Nova Scotia decided to affiliate with the Red International me as that which expires April at Workers. The meeting was held and sent an inquiry to the International office of the United Mine for the purpose of revivifying the Workers as to the right of the District to effect such affiliation. odearrier's local No. 428, which had The matter was referred to a committee of the International union agreement calls for \$7.50 for fropped off in membership and inter- for investigation and report, and the report was filed at this meeting of the board and it was adopted by unanimous vote of the set is for one year instead of and Joiners of America, also spoke, twenty-seven members, representing every District in America. By this action the United Mine Workers of America placed itself on the new contract was The first speaker, Mr. Noble, de squarely on record in opposition to the Ked International and all sed yesterday by a joint sub-sourced former international leaders that it represents. The report, which is visorous in its treatment de squarely on record in opposition to the Red International and all turning officers and their deputies france.

Indianapolis, Indiana, January 11, 1923.

United Mine Workers of America,

Indianapolis, Indiana.

We, your committee to whom was referred the communication addressed to the International Executive Board by Secretary J. ployment to more men. It was up to B. McLaughlin on behalf of District 26, concerning the validity as a date for reconvening to the men themselves to make the Tocal of an application by said District to affiliate with the Red Inter- the date of the Montreal meeting at national, desire to submit for your consideration the following re-

> Upon an examination of the program and constitution of the Red International, together with resolutions adopted at the last convention of this organization, we find that among the chief objects for which the Red International was originally founded, is has for its purpose, first-control, and afterward the destruction out of work in the Maritime of the bonn-fide trade union movement. The Red International stated he is not yet decided whether declare itself incompetent, basing his for the prosecution. He referred to a crime; suppressing the hear that abovements were on foot is an outgrowth of the One Big Union, which went through its or not he will be a candidate bring yet more miners here from processes of major development in the north western provinces of he Old Country with premises of Canada during the year 1918, and like the I. W. W. and kindred Canada during the year 1918, and like the I. W. W. and kindred organizations that preceded it, the One Big Union was doomed to A CONSERVATIVE he labor movement who join only inevitable failure, so much so, that in the year 1921 the Canadian through self interest," said Mr. Hay trade union representatives were able to report to the American "We want men who will work Federation of Labor Convention that the One Big Union practically

An examination of the records of the International Executive on, secretary of the building trades on similar Board, United Mine Workers of America, during this period will disclose the attempt that was made by a species of characterless adventurers and spokesmen for the One Big Union who sought to destroy the United Mine Workers of America in District 18 at

The Red International is an organization similar in character and make-up to the One Big Union. Its program and policies being so shaped that it not only sanctions, but in fact urges the Dues Paid to U. S. Would workers to resort to street uprisings, mob demonstrations, violence, in referring to the government maor any other method that they may deem expedient for the ac- jority with which he has been at grips

wastal regulations by act of parameter empowering the governation of the labor organizations and the rempowering the governation of the labor organizations and the result of the grain propose. For example, section 45 of the labor organizations are empowering the governation of the labor organization of the labor organization of the labor organization of the labor organization of the provincial house, said:

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"The fundamental policy of the Trade Unions is the direct provisions of the People and the provisions of the People and the people and the provisions of the People and the people and the ment situation existent each winter against Capital. All conquests of the workers are in direct pro
a this country would be better look.

The degree of revolutionary pressure they have exerted.

The degree of revolutionary pressure they have exerted. ed after generally and reduce it to a portion to the degree of revolutionary pressure they have exerted. that I want justice." ainimum, if not make it entirely non- By direct action it is understood every form of immediate pressure day came "there will be an official existent," declared W. B. Best, pre-sident of the Canadian Association of Railway Engine Men, at the close of strikes, street uprisings, demonstrations, seizure of factories, vio-Today the difficulty is not to find canthis morning's session of the second lent resistance against the removal of goods from factories and stores, and other revolutionary activity leading the working class Internal questions of interest to the to the overthrow of Capitalism and consolidating the working class including individual in the struggle for Socialism. The task of the revolutionary classcussion as to the advisability of the conscious Trade Union consists in transforming all the expresassociation starting a journal of its sions of struggle into an instrument for the social revolution of the own, together with the suggested affi. working class and its militant training for the social revolution liation with the Association of Rail and the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat." way Shopmen, were discussed by the Whilst section 54 of this same Organization's program, dealing with the question of collective bargaining, has this to say:

"The belief in the sanctity of collective bargaining propa Of course there are many shopping a association, Mr. Best said wated by the apportunists of all countries must be met with a color with their special scenic use primary reason from the last and decided resistance on the part of the revolutioners solute and decided resistance on the part of the revolutionary BITUMINOUS WAGE trade union movement. Collective bargaining is nothing more than an armistice. The owner always violates these collective on an apportunity of knowing Editor's, note.-The above may be contracts whenever the slightest opportunity presents itself. The respect toward collective bargains only proves that bourgeoise conceptions are deeply rooted in the minds of the leaders of the working class. The revolutionary trade unions without, as a rule, rejecting collective bargains must realize their relative value and clearly define methods which will abolish these contracts when it proves to be profitable to the working class."

It must be apparent to all who read and think, that this pro any agent of the Canadian Na.

Balways, before concluding plans "The Continental Limitwhich runs daily between Mon
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The Month of Contracts honorably to the parents of the contracts honorably to the parents of the contracts honorably to the contract of th At noon they stopped under a tree contracts honorably to lective bargaining, but also the sanctity of contracts honorably to lective bargaining, but also the sanctity of contracts honorably to their jobs include, it is said, 200,000 to lunch. The man noticed a horner's entered into between the representatives of the United Mine Workshoused, was virtually the same as ther showed that is mines had sent ers of America and the coal operators. In fact, that is the rock upon the federal full their jobs include, it is said, 200,000 to some with fine processing authorities.

MINEXS LOST LIVES

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"Let's see you nick off that hor which our Union was founded, and in the practice of this policy mostle west corner King and Sambo scratched his head. "Noffin" we have not only made substantial gains in members, but we have Terests. Telephone does Boss," he said, "Dem ho'nets also strengthened our Organization in power and influence.

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OUEBEC VOTERS TO HAVE EXTRA HOUR TO CAST BALLOTS

tions Complete. Many Nominations in Various Ridings Reported.

Onebee .- Voters will have an extra ur in which to east their votes dur ng the provincial elections on Feb ary 5. An amendment to the Que bee Election Act, passed at the Janu by session of 1922, provides that the polls will be opened at 9 a.m. and will ent, the booths closed at 5 p.m. Nominations which take place on

eady for the elections.

that constituency will be sent in by torney assigned by the French army telegraph.

that Premier Taschereau would vost marshal of the French Rhine vening, January 26. He is leaving here for Montreal this evening, but tions. speakers, has not yet been fixed. ties in the district of Quebee, but he of the arrests and the trial. He con-

IN EVERY RIDING **OUEBEC PROVINCE**

Montreal.-Three thousand people the opposition when he spoke here in he said. "The entry of troops into the Ruhr was not justified by anythe opposition-when he spoke here in country, and to serve my country,' Duranleau, K.C., Conservative canditing. That is why I will remain date in Laurier division. Mr. Sauve, faithful to my fatherland."

didates, but to have to decline many of the offers, for there are too many

"I might perhaps ask Mr. Taschereau if he considers himself seriously on the same level as his predes Sir Lomer Gouin."

CONTRACT SIGNED

Agreement Runs for One Year and Covers Tri-State Competitive Field.

New York.—Bituminous coal operat ors and officials of the United Mine Wuestenhoefer, who appeared in place tions which are occupied by troops. Workers of America signed a new of his father, testified that the elder If the French court-martial pass

FINES INFLICTED ON SIX GERMAN

All Arrangements for the Elec- Prosecutor Was Inclined to Leniency Because of Patriotic Motives That Actuated The Germans. Competency of The Court Questioned.

> Mayence,-Fritz Thyssen and the five other German industrialists charged by France with refusing to cooperate with the French plans for the

Herr Kesten was fined 15,632 francs

Owing to the difficulties of com- lack of Essen, Alfred Friedmann ing industry of the Dominion. nunication with the Magdalen Is and Herr Neumann of Mayenne, and ads the result of the ballotting in M. Leelere of Nancy, the French at UNEMPLOYED BOYS TO AT. as technical adviser to the Germans. Colonel Debeugni, the ranking pro spectators to refrain from demonstra-

and Spindler. When the defendants has not yet given any answer and has cluded with a demand that the court argument on the Hague conventions of 1899 and 1917 as well as the Rhineland convention.

Captain Bodin, the prosecutor, ren private for fifteen minutes, de contended such a condition existed neluding motor vehicles and in the present case. in private for fifteen minutes, de

"I am a German, and my duty

Herr Thyssen's Defence.

that I want justice."

He declared that when nomination to obey orders, and his subsequent announcement that he "must obey candidate to oppose the Liberals in the German authorities," and could stitle of a fine.

motives and was inclined to mineral to obey orders, and his subsequent referring to the provision in General bill, which will carry with the cash benefit, but medical and norse. 'not comply under menace."

If the offers, for there are too many."

of the French inspector general of that the adjournment be until 4 p.m. of accurate statistics will be emphasized, that they would supply coal This was refused. M. Leclerc, French sized, the statistics to be furnished. He said he was not present to talk mines, that they would supply coal personalities, but that Mr. Tasche reau had seen fit to make comparisons between him and the former leaders of and how orders were given afterwards was awaiting an attorney from Paris.

This was refused. M. Lecierc, greenen attorney for the Germans, suggested government did not order otherwise, and how orders were given afterwards was awaiting an attorney from Paris. to the mines to continue delivering coal, but that the Berlin government telegraphed instructions not to deliver where the trial was held was packed every child up to 18 years of age.

The court granted this request.

The chamber of the court of justice devery child up to 18 years of age.

The traffic in habit forming drugs

> ssent to Herr Thyssen's statement outside the court.
> They added minor details, and emas sed that as Germans they were bliged to obey their government.

toal.

Took Father's Place.

The thirty-year-old son of Herr persennel at the several railroad staagreement running for one year and Wucstenhoefer was ill. He asked per sentence on the directors, it is declarcovering the tri-state competitive field mission to take his father's place as ed that 550,000 miners will consider pot, was struck by a yardthe federal fuel administrations find- and Belgium on January 15, and the plants. ings in 1920.

The agreement calls for \$7.50 for eight hours for day work and \$1.08 per ton for contract miners.

The mines owned by the Thysis of the same consigner. Five interests, employing 50,000 men, have mine of the Federal Minings of the really state mines are working as well.

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TO ERECT LARGE OFFICE BUILDING IMPORTANCE

INDUSTRIALISTS New Edifice, Known as Montrea Insurance Exchange, in Heart of City.

> New York .- Announcement was nade here that negotiations have just been completed for the erection of a new two million dollar office building in Montreal.

known as the Montreal Insurance Ex the Social Service Council of Canada change, will be situated in the heart which will open in Ottawa on Jan of Montreal's financial district and 29 and close on Feb. 1. The featurdelivery of reparations coal from the will face on three streets, St. James, of the first day of the convention will main open until 6 p.m. Under the Ruhr valley were all found guilty by St. Peter and Notr Dame. It will be be a great public meeting in the even law as it existed before that amend a court martial here. Fines were in of the areade type and will be ten ing in the Collegiate Institute assem storeys in height.

The building is being financed by a es will be given by Very Rev. Dean L Monday, January 29, will close at 2 Herr Wuestenhoeffer, of the Essen \$2,200,000 bond issue purchased by Norman Tucker, D. C. L., president Mine Association, 8,640 francs; Herr S. W. Strauss and Company of New of the Social Service Council, and the All arrangements for the elections Tengelmann, of the Essen Anthracite York. Announcement of the deal and Rev. Dr. Richard Roberts, of Mont. ave now been completed by L. P. Coal Company, 6,020 francs; Herr its completion was made at the office real, formerly of New York and Lon Geoffrion, clerk in chancery and Thyssen 5,100 francs; Herr Olfe, 224, of the Strauss Company this after don.

chief returning officer. All the re- 300 francs; and Herr Spindler, 47,752 noon. This underwriting marks the first big Canadian real estate activity subjects discussed by the convention. turning officers and their deputies tranca.

Dr. Frederic Grimm, the Essen of the New York Company and was A committee report will be present instructions and documents and are lawyer retained by Herr Thyssen, said to presage extensive United ed recommending that admiss on to was assisted by Counsellors Wal. States financial support for the build- Canada should be granted only t

TEND SCHOOL.

London.-The education cor of the county council has adopted the minister of labor's proposal that unspeak in Sherbrooke on Friday army, in opening court cautioned the employed boys and girls between the ages of 14 and 18 years attend school here for Montreal this evening, but the date of the Montreal meeting at which the premier and Sir Lomer the arrival of Herren Thyssen, Keston, Waestenhoefer, Tengelmann, Olfe ten, Waestenhoefer, T during the out of work period in order council has decided to make provision Armand Lavergue, a Quebec lawyer, had stated their ages, their business, for 5,000 boys and girls to attend cognizing the right of employers

article 42 of the annex to The Hague betting houses on Canadian convention of 1907, which says: tracks and the publishing of 'Territory is considered occupied odds and other information to Captain Bodin, the prosecutor, re-when it is actually placed under the be used by handbook men: male and the court after consulting authority of the hostile army." He a crime for the owner of an army of the hostile army.

rial to proceed.

Herr Thyssen was the first prisof the same convention, reading: or vehicle or vessel for immoral oner to be questioned. He admitted "The authority of the legitimate poses; raising the age of consent Arthur Sauve Promises a Stiff having refused on January 18 at Bre. Fight When Addressins Large deny, to obey an order given by the Montreal Audience. occupation authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his take all the measures in his the phrase "of previous authorities for the deli-shall take all the measures in his take all th power to restore, and insure, as far racter" in the clause protecting girls listened to Arthur Sauve, leader of compels me to obey the orders of my while respecting, unless absolutely against carnal knowledge. as possible, public order and safety, between 14 and 16 years of age "The entry of troops into

Prosecutor's Contention. with this article.

The president of the court ordered service as well. Herr Thyssen told how the industrial leaders informed M. Coste, head of the French inspector general of the the adjournment be until 4 or tion. In this connection the necess to

The court granted this request. telegraphed instructions not to deriver on the trial was near the coal, the industrialists then informing to overflowing. Journalists represent ing newspapers in all parts of the trial was near the traffic in nabot forming drugs.

The traffic in nabot forming will also be dealt with by the coal of the room. The

Probable Effect to Trial. Essen.-The trial of Fritz Thyssen and the other five mine directors at The prosecution called Lieut- Porier Mayence again called attention to the f the gendarmerie, who testified to labor situation. It was stated here the refusal to obey orders to deliver that the total number of industrial workers and miners now on strike ap proximates 200,000, in addition to the

If the French court-martial passes Phillip Louis Leblane, s

MANY SUBJECTS FULLY CONS DEPT.

Sixteenth Annial Convent the Social Service Co Canada Opens-in Otto 29 and Continues to Pab. 1

Many subjects of importance an-The new building, which will be the sixteenth annual convention of bly hall at the capital, where address

> the classes of immigrants actually needed, and the numbers received should be determined by the Domion's capacity to incorporate t into the body politic, and that prefer ence should be given to those so to for and willing to settle on t'e l. or desiring to enter domest ser

Equal Pay for Equal Work Industrial life will be consand in this connection recome aployes to erganize and search collective bargaining through

Amendments will be rees to induce or allow any girl or

Maternity Benefit Scheme.

A maternity benefit scheme will be brought up for discussion and action The prosecutor contended the With a view to protecting women be France-Belgian forces hal complied force and after childbirth, a draft bill At the suggestion of the French technical adviser, as a means of Articles 2 and 9 of General De Maternity Protection Act, will be con-

The five other prisoners gave their French recognition and in the prisoners of health and the prisoners are their present and the recognition and the prisoners are their present and the recognition and the prisoners are their present and the recognition and the reco police officials in seeking the on of this traffic. Rev. Dr. John G. St.

s the general secretary of

C.N.R. EMPLOYD BILLED

searred in the Cana Railway yards at Monets snow shoveller near the Moneto-