Weather-Cloudy and Colder.

57TH YEAR. NO. 23196 TWO KILLED IN ATTACK ON IRISH PRISON

HEARST STILL VENTS SPLEEN AT GT. BRITAIN

Attacks Disarmament Parley in Wantonly Misleading Cartoon in Washington Organ.

POINTS TO JAPAN PACT

Pictures U. S. Assailed by the Combined British and Japanese Navies.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Washington, Dec. 2.—William Randolph Hearst has unleashed the full force of his pitiful spleen at Great Pritain to knife the peace conference. The pertinacity and yenom with which he attacked everything British, or that savored of Britian during the or that savored of Britain during the

world war is today being employed with greater ferocity than ever.

The Anglo-Japanese alliance is the vehicle on which he has chosen to attack the British Empire and to spread discord and distrust among the great winds gathered here in an endeavor minds gathered here in an endeavor to insure, if possible, the future peace of the world by disarmament.

Hearst employs the Japanese war shadow to betray his fellow-Americans He says that the Japanese Alliance with Britain makes the British navy and the largences navy one. He pictures a ter-

Japanese navy one. He pictures a terrible fate for the United States when, as he says, these two great forces will be unleashed. Is units strong, against

Shows True Colors. Shows True Colors.

And Hearst, who was wanton in attacking Britain and Canada, and all that Britain and Canada stood for, and which their sons were dying for at the time in France, is now showing himself in his true colors in regard to his junkers in Canada, As has been pointed out it is a rather scant courtesy he out, it is a rather scant courtesy he returns for the reception his sales tax junket is being accorded by those who find the moment opportune to use his

find the moment opportune to use his propaganda in Canada.

Hearst's Washington paper is strong on this insidious campaign of its owner. Its latest spread-eagle effort is in the shape of a cartoon. It endeavors to present to its readers that the peace conference is providing a trap for Uncle Sam by reducing his naval force and leaving the Anglo-Jap alliance. It and leaving the Anglo-Jap alliance. It pictures Uncle Sam drawing back from the trap, the bait for which is a dove marked "world peace," with John Bull and the Japs near by hiding behind a

Meets With Disfavor.

"Disgust" is about the mildest term that true sons of Uncle Sam apply to this latest anti-British effort. That it meets with disfavor is putting it

The disarmament conference continues undisturbed, but the Detroit Times, Hearst's latest acquisition, though attempts are even being made to circulate it on Canadian soil in the vicinity of Windsor, can be expected to join in waging an insidious campaign on all that is right and just—all that the Union Jack proudly stands for.

Japanese Aims Puzzle Delegates

ashington, Dec. 2.—(By Ben Dea Staff Correspondent of the Canadian Press.)—Old Mr. Speculation was the most prominent personage at the Washington conference as the dele-gates again got to work on several obtinate questions this morning. was once again filled with rumor and conjecture. What does the attitude of conjecture. What does the attitude of the Japanese on the ratio question really mean? Have they taken a definite stand or is all the 70 per cent talk merely thrown as a feeler? Are they getting into a position for striking a bargain? These questions were being asked on all sides, and many and var-ious theories were expounded. ious theories were expounded. One view is that Japan's representa-

tives by claiming a higher ratio of capi-tal ships than has been allotted to them hope to place themselves in a favorable position to secure concessions in some ther quarter. Knowing that the posi-United States is firmly fixed Turn to Page 19, Column 3.

The Weather

FORECASTS.

Toronto, Dec. 2-8 a.m. Today-Strong winds and moderat gales, shifting to northwest tonight; mild, with light rains. Saturday—Fresh northwest winds; a few scattered showers, but mostly

cloudy and somewhat colder.
The Atlantic disturbance is passing eastward from Newfoundland with seemingly diminished intensity. Another low area of moderate intensity over the Great Lakes. and is attended by unsettled weather

Elsewhere in Canada the weather has een mostly fair and comparatively

Temperatures. The highest and lowest temperatures uring the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. lay were High. Low



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LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following are the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 52; lowest, 48.

Barometric Standing. Thursday—8 a.m., 29.03. Today—8 a.m., 28.64.

By Deeds, Not Words, You Must Judge Them!

W HERE WAS Mackenzie King when the war was on? You have heard that question. You have seen an answer in the local Meighen sheet, culled from a paper that is repudiated by the soldiers.

Lieut.-Col. John Bayne MacLean of Toronto, publisher of Financial Post, MacLean's Magazine, and fourteen other papers, is a Conservative, but a reasonable one. In a recent issue of MacLean's Magazine he discusses Mackenzie King as follows:

"So rotten had been the Asquith Government's hand-ling of the war that in 1915, if the Germans had pressed the attack, the shortage of British and Canadian machine guns and of artillery munitions was so serious that authorities tell me we could not have withstood them. We had only two or three shells per gun per day. It was not British, but Canadian and United States manufacturers who first relieved the situation, who first got their labor lined up for big production. British labor was not producing. The study and promotion of better understanding between employer and employee had been Mr. King's specialty. Mr. King worked to promote United States war prodiction. He was one of the most valuable men in that field on this side. I have a strong prejudice against any eligible man who side-stepped military service-and there are many thousands of thembut common sense compels me to admit that Mr. King was far more useful combating enemy propaganda to keep back vital war supplies here than messing up a minor staff job overseas. Many men in England who did far less service were highly rewarded with hereditary and other honors.

H AS C. R. SOMERVILLE anything to say that appeals to the household purse of London? Anything in his policy that comes right home to the family?

Let Mr. Somerville speak for himself. In his latest message to the electors he says:

"To the Women Electors of London:

Who pays the taxes? In the last analysis it is the women voter in the home. The money paid out for Business Profits Tax, for Income Tax, for Sales Tax, for Stamp Taxes, for Tariff Taxes, comes out of the family budget.

One great reason for the present high cost of living is that federal taxation for the controllable or ordinary cost of government has increased from eighty millions per year under Laurier to over three hundred and sixty millions per year under Meighen, and from an average of eleven dollars per year for every man, woman and child to an average of forty-two dollar per year. This is apart altogether from the burden of war taxation. Stricter economy in the home is enforced by growing governmental extravagance. Big corporations like the Riordons may give an I. O. U. for \$800,000 of taxes due. But the housewife pays cash, and pays it daily to the tax collector.

M R. FRANK WHITE continues to make statements in his printed appeals that are masterpieces of recklessness. Here is the latest:

"The Liberal party, if elected on December 6, will make such substantial reductions in the tariff of the country that some Canadian industries are likely to be forced out of business, while all will be adversely affected.'

There now, Mr. White, we have you on record in black

You make the bald statement over your own signature that if the Liberals are returned to power certain Canadian industries are likely to be forced out of business.

Now, in all fairness, Mr. White-bearing in mind that Mackenzie King is not a free trader, nor is the Liberal party a free trade party-will you please tell the people of London what you mean?

It is a very easy matter, Mr. White, for any man, with a stubby pencil, to sit down and write a lot of serioussounding charges.

It is quite a different thing next day, or the day after, to go ahead and substantiate those wild claims. Mr. White, you are appealing for the support of the

people of the fourth city of the province-it is a big under-Now we ask you plainly to be specific.

Will you go ahead-bearing in mind that you have the pledged word of the Liberal leader and of Liberal candidates all over the country that they are not free traders-and name the factories that Mackenzie King is going to shut

We think this is a perfectly fair request, Mr. White. Remember, you are on record in your own signed advertising, in your statement that forms the basis of your appeal to the electors. All the electors want to know is:

(1)-If you have any definite information they should have. Remember it must be specific-or,

(2)-If you are making these statements at random in order to bolster up the Meighen cause, which you must know is going to be absolutely and irrevocably repudiated on the 6th day of December.

The London Meighen organ grows weary and a bit dizzy. Thursday it seized upon C. R. Somerville's platform, and attempted to twist and turn it out of all shape. It succeeded beyond its wildest dreams. In fact, its readers were treated to the Liberal program under the heading of "Government." Of course, the organ realizes that the "Liberals" are going to be the "Government" after Dec. 6, but all the same we bet some poor printer got properly spanked for rushing ahead three or four days with the ad-

Reference was made at St. Andrew's banquet to the eloquent speech on one occasion made by Sir George W. Ross. His mantle is worthily worn by his son, Duncan C. Ross. He is like his father, better than a good speaker, and his loyalty and service as member for West Middlesex entitles him to be returned by a handsome majority.

There is no man in London who has more true friends, close to him in every way, than C. R. Somerville. The reason is not far to seek. He verifies the old adage, "He who would have friends must show himself friendly." In public and in private life, C. R. Somerville has shown himself a friendly man. All his friends should, and we believe, will vote for C. R. Somerville, and cause him to head the poll.

May Rule Japan



CROWN PRINCE HIROHITO (above) AND VISCOUNT CHINDA.

[Special to London Advertiser.] Tokio. Dec. 2.—Crown Prince Hirohito, regent of Japan. Viscount Sutemi Chinda, the

ower behind the throne! Count Chinda's position as adviser to the regent will equal in importance and influence that of the premier.

unt Chinda is 65, well versed in foreign affairs and an experienced diplomat. He was graduated from an American university when he was 25, entered the Japanese foreign office and made quick progress in

foreign diplomacy.

He became minister to Brazil and then to Russia. In recognition of his special services he was raised

the peerage. In the last 13 years, he acted as Inited States and to Great Britain. The new regent is 20. At the time of his tour of Europe recently rumor had it that he was being prepared for the step which has just been made.

BANDITS ROB FREIGHT

Central freight train was held up by eight armed bandits and a motor truck load of merchandise stolen between Dunkirk and Fredonia last night, ac-24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last cording to a dispatch from Titusville, where Conductor Sanderson, in charge of the train, made his report today. The train was on the Dunkirk, Allegheny Valley and Pittsburg branch of the line. The merchandise stolen included groceries, tcbacco and clothing

IS FINED \$10 FOR

Thomas Mitgis, proprietor of a pool room on Richmond street, was fined \$10 and costs in police court Friday morning on a charge of allowing a minor to play pool in his premises. "You're the man that was up here a

week ago," said the court.
"No, he is my brother," said Mitgis.
"This is your third offence," declared Deputy Magistrate P. H. Bartlett,
"and I could fine you \$50. I am warning you that you have got to keep these boys out of your pool room. You are responsible, and if you have any doubt as to the boy's age, you must see that he gets out."

FALLS ON KNEES, BEGS FOR MERCY

Montreal, Dec. 2 .- When Mitra Manuassault vesterday in the court of special sessions, he was so terrified that he fell on his knees before the presiding judge and begged for mercy.

As nobody appeared against him, he

GIVES BENNETT REAL HOT TIME AT CALGARY

nett, minister of justice, was given the hottest time of his campaign last night when he appeared before a mass meeting of several thousand people, under the auspices of the Great War Veterans. At times the meeting became bolsterous, and the minister was hooted and hissed by a section of the audience, who seemed bent on not giving him a hearing.

A large firm in England has also placed a contract for 25 or 30 trucks. This order is to be rushed. The Ruggles Company also finds that there has been a big revival in local trade and the demand for trucks for trade and the demand for trucks for dear alone are pushing the increased force of the plant to maintain production.

The Ruggles company is employing Calgary, Dec. 2.-Hon. R. B. Ben-

THIRD OFFENCE RUGGLES MOTOR FIRM SECURES **BIG CONTRACTS**

Plant On Dundas Street East Is Scene of Increased Activity.

WORKING FULL TIME

Dominion Government Places Order For Mail Service Trucks.

The Ruggles motor truck plant, Dundas street east, is being rushed with orders, and a large increase in the working force has been made. The Dominion Government has just

placed an order with the Ruggles company for eleven trucks to be used in the government mail service.

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audience, who seemed bent on not giving him a hearing.

J. W. Russell, president of the veterans, who was chairman, insisted on a proper hearing for Mr. Bennett, and he eventually got it, but questions were rained upon him from all sides. Mr. Bennett was able to conclude his address, and answered many of the questions asked him.

The other candidates in West Calgary, J. T. Shaw, Progressive, and E. F. Ryan, Liberal, also spoke.

CANADIAN FIRE LOSSES

FOR WEEK DECREASE

Toronto, Dec. 2.—Fire losses in Cantal and to take the employees of several other factories. The reason given for this is that the Ruggles firm is too rushed with orders to allow their men to take the day of Instead, the Ruggles company will save as much time as possible on election day and at the same time give its employees an opportunity to exercise their franchise.

It has been decided that on the morning of election day trucks will be on hand to take the employees of two rushed with orders to allow their men to take the employees to several other factories.

The Ruggles company is employing 50 per cent more men than it was one month ago today, Every employee in the Ruggles company are not to have a holiday on election day as are the employees of several other factories.

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on hand to take the employees of two wards to the polls to cast their ballots and then rush them back to the plant. estimated by the Monetary Times at \$258,500, compared with \$334,000 the previous week.

The London Advertiser Straw Vote

With three days yet to go before the federal election, and with but two days remaining before the electors of the city are called upon to select their various municipal officers for 1922, The Advertiser's straw vote, reflecting, as it must, to some appreciable degree, the true sentiment of the people, continues to hold the interest of the supporters who desire to vote for their respective candidates.

There has been no cessation of balloting. More than 3,700 votes have already been cast, and interest quickens rather than TRAIN NEAR BUFFALO lessens as the final day approaches.

With the addition of a truly representative vote by the man-Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 2.—A New York or-woman-on-the-street, the totals up to press time are as follows: FOR MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT.

C. R. SOMERVILLE	1 142
ARTHUR MOULD	1,245
FOR MAYOR.	
J C WILSON	1,584
G A WENIGE	888
F. E. HARLEY	901

Shells Peas For Fifty Years!



MARY O'CONNOR TINDALL ON THE JOB.

PLEASE WRITE!

MARY TINDALL would dearly like to hear from her uncles, her mother's brothers—their name was

Ryan—and from her own brother — who emigrated years ago to Canada. They all used to live near Drury

Lane. And she'd thank them kindly if they wrote a letter to her at 38 Doon Street,

saw her children die, one by one, save two. And still she kept at the

Of her royal customers she says:

"King George likes little young

often wished I could see

peas. Those that go to the palace are of one size and one age. They're

them at the palace, eating my peas and talking about them."

TORONTO ENTERTAINS

fully graded.

BY MILTON BRONNER. $\begin{array}{cccc} \textbf{[Special to London Advertiser.]} \\ \textbf{L} & \textbf{ONDON}, & \textbf{Dec.} & \textbf{2.-Says} & \textbf{the} \\ & \textbf{champion pea-sheller of the} \end{array}$

T've been shelling peas every spring and summer for 50 years. "I've shelled 'em for the grandmother and father of King George, for all the finest people, for all the big hotels, for all the smart restaurants of London. But--"In all that time I've never been

in God's open country where peas grow. I've never seen peas on the vine before they were picked." . Fifty years ago the mother of Mary O'Connor brought her little girl to the Bailey Market in Covent Garden, where shelled peas are specialty. She apprenticed the child to a famous pea-sheller. And Mary's been shelling peas ever

out of London! I've never been out

Meanwhile she was married to market employee named Tindall and reared a family of nine. She

BOARD MAY PASS

Complaints have been voiced by several citizens within the past few days that it has been customary for small committees of the board of education to pass on large expenditures.

It is claimed that the disposition of sums of money, \$15,000 or \$20,000, for instance, should be approved by the citizens on behalf of the local "This can be done," W. A. Tanner, secretary of the board of education explained Friday. "I can have these various accounts tabulated and copies made for the entire board."

Toronto, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Emelia McCudden, who represented British war mothers at the burial of the American unknown warrior at Washington, and who, accompanied by her daughter Such parties."

WEEK TOTAL \$7,305,400

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An address on behalf of the local provided to the Monetary Times during the week ended Nov. 26 compared with \$12,733,000 the previous week.

LIQUOR UNLESS PLACES BONDED

CANNOT STORE

Judgment Handed Down by Windsor Magistrate to Have Far-Reaching Effect.

CONCERN IS CONVICTED

Chartered Exporting Companies Must Secure Dominion Government Permission.

Windsor, Dec. 2 .- Chartered exporting concerns in Windsor and along this border can no longer store liquor unless they are granted bonded warehouses by the Dominion government. This is the substance of a judgment handed down in Windsor police court by Judge Sinn Fein has neither accepted nor re Gundy in the case of the license depart-jected these proposals, but has promis ment vs. the Essex Export Company of ed to consider them finally tomorrow.

Petite Cote, Ont., who were charged The question of allegiance is still the Petite Cote, Ont., who were charged with having liquor in other than a lawful place, to wit, their warehouse.

Judge Gundy registered a conviction against the company and imposed the minimum fine of \$200 and \$33 costs. The judgment will have a far-reaching effect inasmuch that the dozen or mor liquor warehouses opened here with the last four months will be oblige to dispose of the stocks which are no heid in warehouse. "It will also mean that the stem of the flood of liquor exported from here and smuggled into the United States will be nipped," a liquor officer stated.

liquor officer stated.

The point at issue in the case was whether or not a chartered export company could store liquor in a warehouse without violating the Ontario temper-Special Prosecutor Jeffre contended that the liquor could not be legally stored unless the company ha bonded warehouse. An application was nade by the Essex Export Company the Dominion authorities for a bonded warehouse, but was not granted Mr. Furlong stated, by reason of the fact that the Government would only grant bonded warehouses in Ontario to firms whose applications had been recom-mended by the board of license commissioners. This the license board re-

fused to do, Mr. Furlong stated.
"Having regard," the judge said in
his decision, "to the decision in the case of Severin vs. the Queen, I am of the opinion that I should strive to hold this provincial legislation. In addition to that, if there is any reasonable ground for claiming that the re striction amounts to a prohibition of for contending that any sections of the act are ultra vires, it should be left a superior court to determine the mat-ter, and the mob and the attorneygeneral of the province should be given an opportunity to be heard upon the argument of the case.
"I would say that while at first the

restriction appeared to me to be onerous, upon further consideration it BRITISH WAR MOTHER

Government have shifted to the Dominion Government the responsibility of saying who shall be in the experiment that the provincial government the responsibility of saying who shall be in the experiment.

LONDONDERRY **GUARDS FOUND CHLOROFORMED**

PRICE, THREE CENTS

Attempt To Release Sinn Fein Prisoners Frustrated by Military Force.

MANY SHOTS EXCHANGED Three Members of Rescue

Party Arrested and Motor Cars Seized.

Belfast, Dec. 2 .- An attack on the jail at Londonderry with the object of releasing the prisoners there was repulsed by the police guards this morning. Two policemen were killed and several of the attackers captured.

The party gained entrance to the jail undetected, and their presence was not discovered until a patrol of police-men saw a rope ladder hanging over the wall and gave the alarm. The military guard in service had noticed nothing unusual, but upon investigation they found the two constables who guarded the Sinn Feiners lying dead in the corridor. They had been poisoned, drugged or strangled.

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The Republican rescue party had forced the doors of ten cells when the guards surprised them at their work.

The military opened fire, the Republicans replying with revolvers. Pandemonium prevailed for some time, but the guards finally gained the upper hand without losing any of the prisoners, at the same time capturing three young Londonderry men, who made a final attempt to release the prisoners.

Three motor cars, which had been left with engines running by the attacking party, also were seized.

It was reported that two warders also had been found bound and gagged, and that five other warders had been are rested in connection with the attempted escape. Many houses in the vicinity of the july were corched.

escape. Many houses in the vicinity of the jail were searched, and three civians were arrested.

The version of the military authorities

was that the two constables who were found dead in the corridor had died af er chforoform had been administered to

Dail Eireann Will Consider Proposals

London. Dec. 2.—The British Government states proposals for settlement of the Irish question will be considered by the cabinet of the Dail Eireann at Dublin Saturday. The new terms, which were handed to the Sinn Fein delegates in written form, show some advances over the government's previous proposals and the delegates felt the necessity of giving them fullest

the necessity of giving them fullest consideration at a cabinet session. The terms, it is said, concede from the beginning the Sein Felk's claim for the unity of Ireland. Ulster must be included within the scheme from the start, according to the plan as it now appears to have been framed, and must remain in for six months. After that period and before the end of a year, Ulster is to be given the option to withdraw, and if she goes the

be a boundary commission to determine the exact area which is fairly entitled to go with her.

If Ulster goes under this plan she would preserve only her present powers and notable in the fiscal freedom that would be left with South Ireland. The

declaring allegiance which it is hoped by the government the Sinn Fein

SIR HARRY LAUDER ROTARIANS' GUEST

Speaks Before London Club On "Work and Friendship."

At the special luncheon given by the Rotary Club in the Masonic Temple, Friday, the guest of honor was Sir Harry Lauder, the famous comedian. Sir Harry was given a rousing reception when they entered the hall. During the uncheon the members of the club sang "When Lauder's Eyes Are Smiling," and "I Love a Lassie," one of Lauder's own songs, and others, with a swing that was good to hear.

After the luncheon Sir Harry address ed those present and created lots of fun by his witty remarks. His speech was mainly on "Work and Friendship," and stated that work was man's best friend. He remarked that he would rather bring the world happiness by affection than Hell by affliction. The whole of the address was very much appreciated and nis rich humor much enjoyed

Sir Harry complimented the citizens on the appearance of the city, and said that he hoped that he would be able to

FEARS SCHOONER LOST NEAR NEWFOUNDLAND

Sydney, N. S., Dec. 2.—It is feared that the Newfoundland schooner