French Troops Continue Advance Into German Territory Meeting of Prohibitionist Workers Breaks Up in a Row

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Important Provision to Be Discussed at Federal Conference on Labor Matters.

TO MEET THIS MONTH

Ottawa, April 6.-(By Canadian Press.)-There will be a conference in Ottawa, probably before the end of this month, of representatives of the different provincial governments, labor and the employers in each province who will seek to co-ordinate the various provincial laws affecting labor and at the same time will consider extending the provisions of the industrial disputes act. This announcement was made in the senate tonight by Senator Robertson, minister of labor, in introducing the amendments to the act, which provides for arbitra-tion in the case of disputes between employers and employes in public

proposed conference was in accordance with the action taken at the industrial conference last year. The question of extending the Lemieux act to cover private industries, which could not be classed as public utilities, would also be considered, and the provincial governments would be asked to either take steps themselves to bring such provisions into force, or allow the Lemieux act to be extended. This would guarantee a square deal for every man, whether employed in

aim the bringing about of more effi-cient administration of the provisions. Under the present act it was some-a wall between the cells. It was re-Under the present act it was sometimes necessary to appoint several boards of conciliation to cover a dispute betweel, say, mine operators and their employes, when one board could do the work. The employes' repreductive to the control of these boards was a conficial of the control of the co

dozen representatives. affected were behind the request for a board of conciliation. Amendments were also proposed to Section 34 of of the act, which would provide for a flat rate of \$2.00 per day for witness fees in all provinces, instead of ranging from 75c to \$3.00 per day, according to the witness fees prevailing in the dif-

Cites Toronto Strike.

The proposed amendments to the act would prohibit either a lockout or a strike while a conciliation board was working on any dispute. Senator Robertson instanced the case of Toronto, where citizens had been put to great inconvenience because employes of a public utility, the street railway, had refused to await the finding of a conciliation board, but had gone on strike. He said this was due to a narrow interpretation being placed on clause 57 of the present ect. The proposed amendment would make it unlawful for either a lockout or strike to be declared once a clasure of conciliation had taken up a dispute, until the report of the board had been communicated to the department of labor and by that department to the disputing parties.

Another emendment would permit the minister to apoint a board wonere none had been applied for, if a strike was in progress, "or if a strike seemed immin-ent," when he believed such action would be in the public interest. This, Senator, Robertson felt, would avert many dis-

Discussing compulhory arbitration, which had been mentioned by Senator Dandurand, the minister said there was such to be said both for and against the principle.

BULGARIA AND GREECE TO EACHANGE PRISONERS

Paris, April 6 .- Negotiations between Bulgaria and Greece for the exchange of prisoners of war have been completed, according to advices from Sofia. Premier Stambuliwsky of Bulgaria has announced that the Bulgarian prisoners held in Greece will be repatriated immediately in ex-change for a certain number of Greek Serbia has also consented to repatri-

State Canada's Expenses In the League of Nations

Ottawa, April 6.—Canada, so far, been piloting the referendum forces. bas paid \$64,043 as her share of the expenses of the league of nations.

Ottawa, April 6.—Canada, so far, been piloting the referendum forces. Dr. Grant grabbed up his hat and departed from the meeting and when March 31, 1920. The actual amount

Suggests Petrograd or Moscow As Place for Peace Meeting

Warsaw, April 6.—In his latest note policy. z
Stanislas Patek, the Polish minisA morning session of the committee ter of foreign affairs, concerning the passed in peace and quietness, under proposed peace conference between the chairmanship of John Macdonald, Poland and the Russian soviet governand a resolution concerning the sale ment, M. Tchitcherin, the Bolshevik of native wine-asking the governor Moscow as the place for the meetso that intoxicating native wine could
not be sold in the province—was proon, might agree upon Warsaw. The min soviets oppose Borisov as the place of A. S. Grant of the referendum comdeclaring it to be too near the figh ing front

POST IN WASHINGTON NOT FOR N. W. ROWELL

Ottawa, April 6.-(Special.)-That Hon. N. W. Rowell is going to Washington as Canadian commissioner or even seeking such an appoir tment was denied tonight by two of his cabinet colleagues. "The appointment has never been discussed. Mr. Rowell has not sought the position nor do I believe he wants it," declared one of the ministers, "I am confident that he intends to remain in federal politics." It is understood that Hon. E. N. Rhodes would accept the Washington appointment, but whether he can land the prize remains to be seen. "There is not a word of truth

In the statement," declared Mr.

Twice Tore Down Wall Between Cells as Protest Against Treatment.

EFFECTS OF ARSON

Dublin, April 6 .- There have been riots in Mount Joy Prison, where close Efficient Administration.

The minister of labor said the proposed changes in the act had for their ed better treatment, and, receiving an

Another provision would make it ter stroke, saying: "It may take nine certain that the majority of the men months to catch up with the damage." months to catch up with the damage." Not all the income tax papers were destroyed. Some were carried off, and an amused audience listening to the reading of a letter among the capured papers, in which a local wealthy farmer tried to persuade the authorities that his income did not exceed

REMOVED WAR TROPHIES

Belfast, April 6.—The police visited the Belfast museum today and removed the trench mortars, machine guns and other war trophies on exhibition

REDS ON POLISH FRONT ARE BEING REINFORCED

pres on the Polish front are being regrouped and fresh forces brought up, Major-General Brynk, military at- evening. tache of the Polish legation here. with "In the sector of Polesia, the Bolish sheviki are on the defensive," the despatch said. "On the Volhynian front

TORONTO'S NEWEST STREET

Webb street, looking east from Runnymede road. This is a new street, opened thru property purchased by the Toronto Housing Commission. Unfinished houses line the street on each side the length of the block, and the street is still to be graded and the trees removed.

IRISH PICKETS, UNDISMAYED, BOMBARD EMBASSY FROM AIR

Rain Down Packages of Leaflets Which Wind Scatters Wildly---Four Land Demonstrators Arrested by Washington Police - Embassy Staff Are Humoreus.

Washington, April 6.—Barred from the streets surrounding the British-embassy, the Irish women pickets

sentative on each of these boards was frequently the same man, but the frequently the same man and the ad no place in which to work. An tured out earlier in the day were arofficial described the exploit as a mas- rested and held in the house of de-

The bombing expedition attracted plenty of attention but it registered no hits. A low visibility and squally there is a story from the provinces of winds scattered the "bombs' everywhere but on the embassy. The propaganda leaflets whirled in

a tiny snowstorm about the windows of Dolly Medison's house, a half mile off, circled Andrew Jackson's rocking horse in Lafayette Square, were almost wafted into the White House grounds by the gusty squalls of early April and showered down on groups of romping children in Dupont Circle. Evidently somebody in the embassy thought the pickets deserving of some reward for the nervy effort, for late in the afternoon, as official Washington was streaming home-ward and the diplomatic corps was out for a promenade on Connecticut ave., there appeared in a front win-dow of the embassy one of the banners previously captured from the

militants. "Down with British militarism." he Polish war office today advised the old mid-Victorian mansion all It furnished the capital with a topic for discussion of Brit-

Gives International Tinge But quite behind the curtain of they continue to attack us near Sla- good natured banter which has ac-(Continued on Page 11, Column 2).

"I AM THRU," SAYS DR. GRANT, AFTER BATTLE YESTERDAY WITH LEADER BEN H. SPENCE

Doctor Says "Some People" Would Regret to See Prohibition Pass for Fear of Being Out of a Job-Resolution Adopted Condemning Sale of Native Wines.

interviewed by The World last even-ing he declared that he "was thru." which Canada may be called upon to He made it plain that he was not in contribute will depend upon the num-ber and classification of the states which become members of the league.

Rev. Mr. Spence. The alliance had sent no delegates to the meeting at Willlard Hall but members of the alliance were present

asist, the soviets, as a last conces- posed by Rev. Ben Spence of the Donion Alliance and seconded by Dr.

The hundred or so delegates rubbed

The referendum committee meeting called yesterday to organize for a vote on the question of liquor importation, broke up in a row between portation, broke up in a row between himself and Dr. A. S. Grant who has

Thus, in peace and quietness ended the morning session. Shortly after be the afternoon sitting commenced, Dr. Grant and Rev. Ben Spence indulged in a battle royal of words, with the result that Dr. Grant handed in his resignation and left the meeting with Mr. Spere

Resolution for a Vote.

A resolution had been unanimously passed, which meant that the temperance forces of the province were again united in their desire to have a vote taken not later than the last week in June, under later than the last week in June, under least than the storm-cloud came into view. Mr Spence designated a resolution to adjourn the meeting as "gag." The chairman, whilst refusing to put the resolution, informed Mr. Spence he could make any statement he liked, provided it was relevant. After the Rev. E. Thomas had made an appeal to Mr. Spence not to delve into history, a delegate a sked Dr. Grant if the Dominion Alliance were officially represented on the

REIGN OF TERROR PREVAILS IN ESSEN

ed here this evening are to the dering in Essen and that terror The advices add that the Reich-

swehr hope to take Essen tonight

Kingston Utilities Commission Urges Development of Water Power by Province.

Kingston, April 6.—(Special.)—The The Toronto bank in this instance esniargement of the Collingwood Ship-caped being a victim.

Drawn on Bank of Commerce. building Company's plant and the growing demand here for electric

NEW TEST OF POWER

Supreme Court Grants Reargument on Commerce Board Jurisdiction.

were not real, and that if a vote is strikers and that an additional thou brought on they (the Dominion Allisand were on the way. Another 24 hours, he said, would see an end to the walkout which had largely halted

Mr. Whitney declared action would taken to discipline "outlaw" switchmen."

SERIOUS IN PALESTINE

All Permits Cancelled and Troops Recalled to West of Suez Canal.

London, April 6.-There are grave rumors current in Cairo, says a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph from the Egyptian capital, regarding the situation in

The despatch asserts that all permits to Palestine have been stopped and that the troops are being recalled to their stations on the western bank of the Suez Canal. No letters are arriving from Palestine.

pany Which Does Not Exist Here.

LOSS RUNS INTO HUNDREDS

are just now seriously concerned over the amount of forgery being practiced on the banks: As one leading banker put it to The World yesterday, "For-gery is rampant in Canada at the present time." The falsification of signatures on cheques and other de-vises for obtaining money from banks by non-legal methods is in full vogue and going strong. No single bank is WANTS THE HYDRO and going strong. No single bank is being victimized, for the gang, or

tween all the institutions.

A particularly impudent fraud and forgery has just come to light in which Montreal and Toronto banks played the leading part, altho the loss, which is said to run into many hun-

building Company's plant and the growing demand here for electric power has resulted in a demand for cheaper power rates, and the civic notified by the Bank of Commerce requilities commission will make strong representations to the Ontario Hydro Commission with a view to title development of water power in eastern Ontario. It is recognized that the commission has power to expripriate any existing generating system for the general benefit of the public, and this will be asked if it be deemed to so.

Drawn on Bank of Commerce.

The Canadian Laundry Machine Co., the proposition of the Persian carried to Germany's present military action in the Ruhr district, on the assumption that the operations would consume only two or three weeks, and alleged that, influenced by the French Contario. It is recognized that the commission has power to expripriate any existing generating system for any existing generating system for the general benefit of the public, and this will be asked if it be deemed to so.

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Ottawa, April 6.—A reargument has been granted by the supreme court, of the application to test the jurisdiction of the board of commerce and the constitutionality of Section 17, of the combines and fair prices act, under which the board of commerce is given powers as a price-fixing tribunal. A rehearing will take place in the supreme court on May 4 next.

The application was brought on March 15, by counsel for the Retail

cheques together with some dollar that which is yet to appear win plainty on March 15, by counsel for the Retail Merchants' Association, the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, the attorney-general of Alberta, and others.

WILL BREAK STRIKE

OF CHICAGO SWITCHMEN

Cheques together with some dollar to ten or twenty dollars created a confidence, it is usual when a teller does not know the drawer of a cheque that is being paid into an account, for him to the direction of the ledger keeper, so that the total of the cheque cannot be drawn against until it has been cleared at the paying-out bank. In many decision, "obviously under the influ-Chicago, April 6.—Between 15,000 branch banks this rule is more honored in the breach than in observance. After leaving the deposit to his credit for one day, he drew cheques and succeeded in getting them cashed ceeded in getting them cashed.

NEW TURKISH MINISTRY; FERAD GRAND VIZIER

Aviation Medical Service Will Be Established in U. S.

SLIGHT GERMAN RESISTANCE WHEN FRENCH TROOPS APPEAR FOR OCCUPATION OF FRANKFORT

Gun Detachments Shell Cavalry Patrol - Extension of French Lines Round Bridgehead of Mayence -Commander Warns Authorities.

ments of the Reichswehr and the security police were retiring. The latter, altho knowing yesterday that occupation had been decided on, refused to believe that it would be carried out, one of the officers saying that the British would not let the French commander received the German authorities, and, after outlining to them

French troops was almost cordial, and the population at Frankfort was inclined to be friendly to the French.

Advance is Limited.

Frankfort, April 6.—The occupation by the French takes the form of an extension of the French lines around the bridgehead of Mayence, a distance of about 18 miles. The extreme_limits of the advance form a semicircle similar to but larger than that of the

Cashed Cheques Signed by Com- The only German troops encountered in Frankfort by the French were Sicherheitswehr, or volunteers, who surrendered. They probably will be simply disarmed and released.

The French occupying force is estimated.

Toronto bankers and all the large financial institutions of the Dominion are just now seriously concerned over the amount of forgery being provided.

gangs, who are operating are distrib-tuting their favors dispassionately be-Intentions Are to Throttle German Empire.

Berlin, April 6 .- Chancellor Mueller caped being a victim.

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"The intentions of France, where militarism and imperialism seem only too clear. By invading cities like Frankfort, Hanau and Darms-(Continued on Page 10, Column 2).

MIGHT HAVE KNOCKED RULES INTO COCKED HAT

Constantinople, April 6.—A new been knocked into a cocked hat yes-ministry has been formed, with Damad terday in the legislature, when Hon. Ferid Pasha as grand vizier and minister of foreign affairs; Rechid Bey, as minister of the interior; Mehmed Said minister of the interior; Mehmed Said Pasha, as minister of war ad interim, asked the Speaker's ruling. Mr. Raney explained that he required the gentleman's help during the progress of an important legal measure.

The Speaker was shocked at the idea, but ruled that the legal adviser

The executive council of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, at the last meeting, went on record as being in favor of daylight saving.

might, however, sit at the clerk's "That's against the rules," said The Dineen Co., 140 Yonge street. Washington, April 6.—The United a member of the house may take a seat on the floor of the house, and Great Britain in establishing a special further, the law officers of the crown dresses, suits, coats, blooded ingerted.

Mayence, April 6.—The only incident in the occupation of north Frankfort by the French consisted of a few alry, with detachments of infantry shots fired. According to reports by aviators German gun detachments fired two or three shells on a French cavalry patrol before which detach-

thorities, and, after outlining to them he counted on them to maintain or-

martial law, several newspapers made their appearance. They

After being disarmed, the German security police were interned in the Greisheim camp as prisoners of war.

Red Situation Desperate.

Paris, April 6.—Advices received from British sources at Solingen at ten o'clock today painted the situation of the reds as desperate. It was said the greatest confusion existed in their ranks

"The military operation contemplated against Frankfort and Darmstadt was begun today in the early hours. The troops of the 30th Corps took part in the operation and met with no resistance. The encircling of the two towns and the occupation of important points of the circle were completed at eleven o'clock by our cavairy, which in the afternoon occupied Hanau, previously evacuated by the German

"A battalion of German security po-lice was taken over in the Frankfort

OFFERS TO SOVIET **PURELY ECONOMIC**

British Officials Not Alarmed

printed ones issued by the Bank of Commerce. In the signature space was an endorsement made by a rubber stamp of the firm's old style and title underneath a signature in ordinary ink. The Canadian Machinery Company, of course, repudiated any knowledge of the cheques, and the Bank of Commerce returned them to the respective banks from which they had received them, marked "No account."

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The French assertions the opportunity.

"The occupation of Frankfort, barry action which would menace British interests in Persia. The Brit

HUNGARY'S EX-DICTATOR

Vienna, April 6. - An attempt to poison Bela Kun, former dictator of Hungary and other Communists interned at Steinhof, has been made. The poison was concealed in a gift of Easter swetmeats. Kun and the others were all made ill, but are recov-

The gift has been traced to three Hungarians, one of whom has been

Gen. Den'kine's Chief Aide Murdered in Constantinople

London, April 6.—A despatch to The Evening News from Constantinople, dated Monday, says General Roman ovsky, who was General Denikine's chief of staff in the south Russian army, was assassinated Monday night Paritamentary Procedure might have in the Russian embassy in Constantioneen knocked into a cocked hat yesdespatch adds that the assassins were

FAVOR DAYLIGHT SAVING.

LADIES, ATTENTION

"aviation medical service" in the Army are the only persons who may sit at and hosiery. You are cordially invited to call and look over the new spring Medical Corps. The official amouncement, issued today, declares that this service has greatly reduced air fatalities in Britain.

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