CITY OF LONDON BILL PASSES COMMITTEE

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THE LONDON ADVERTISER, LONDON, CANADA. TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 12, 1918. GERMANS MAKE A TITANIC AIR RAID ON PARIS

EXPECTED OPPOSITION TO

No Discussion Over City of London Bill in Legislature Committee Today, Measure Going Through Unopposed.

[Special to The Advertiser.] .. Beattie Bros. factory in Chelsea Green, Toronto, March 12.—The city of Lonmon bill, considered by the private bills by the p Battle Bros. Intended to the private bills committee of the Ontario Legislature this morning, was passed without any trouble, no changes being made by the committee.

It was thought that there might be some debate regarding clause 12 of the bill, which was to validate the bylaw to traite \$43,114 by local improvement debatures for the underground conduits. It will be rememoered that these conduits were constructed syen years ago to take care of the overhead wires on Richmond and Dundas streets. During that period no charge was made, and the council decided to make the annual charge, but in order to do so the bylaw must be validated by the Legislature. This was done today, It was thought that scene objection would be made to it, as the merchants claim that the conduits have been of no value what opposition, and the bylaw was contributed. Money bylaws to the amount of \$203, 4000 were confirmed. Of these, \$130,000 was for the London and Port Stanley value and the conduits have been of no value what the conduits have been of no value w

BERLIN CANCELS ALL PLACES FOR SEVIGNY AND BLONDIN MAKE NORWAY'S CONTRACTS

PROBLEM FOR BORDEN

WANTS JOB SOMEWHERE Postmaster-General May Go To Senate at the First Opportunity.

Sevigny "Still a Minister," But About To Quit.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, March 12.—Hon. Albert Sevagny's final departure from the Government is expected this week. Yesterday, Sir Robert Borden said that Mr. Sevigny's fill a minister," but intimated that the resignation would be accepted in a day or so. The delay in Mr. Sevigny's exit is said to be due to arrangements not yet being quite completed for the absorption of his department of inland revenue into the department of and revenue into the department of

ustoms. Wants a Berth. The announcement of the prohibition egulations yesterday, with the consework of the inland revenue department, gives the excuse and opportunity for the amalgamation. Just what is to be done for Mr. Sevigny in the way of a Government appointment is uncertain. He wants a berth somewhere, a judgeship preferred. But apart from the fact that there are no vacancies on the Quebec bench for him, it is doubtful if the gabinet will consent to so obvious a po-

What of Blondin?

As to Col. Blondin's position in the cabinet, there is still some uncertainty. He left his resignation in Premier Borden's hands when he went overseas. That resignation has never been accepted. It is likely that it will not be computed to the present, at any rate. Tol. Blondin may be appointed to the Senate at the first opportunity. He sould then continue pro forma as the could then continue pro forma as the French-Canadian representative in the French-Canadian representative in the cabinet, while Hon. C. J. Doherty would be the de facto administrator of the postoffice department.

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To JAP INTERVENTION

London, March 12.—Japan has not yet come to a decision regarding the discount of the German interests of the German interests of the treaty of the treaty of the treaty of the Russia.

German airplanes descended on Paris of Monday night and dropped bombs. One of the raiders was brought down in flames by the defenders and its crew captured. The raid lasted nearly three come to a decision regarding the discount of the French capital sustained casualties, but final reports are lacking.

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REPRESENTATION OF PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY OF TH patch of troops to Siberia, Premier according to a Reuter dispatch from Shanghai, carrying Tokio advices under date of March 9.

Berlin, March 12—Via London.—Cambrai has been bombarded by long-range British guns, according to today's army headquarters report. Several shots from British artillery of the heaviest calibre fell in the town, the statement reports. Government, said the premier, would take the utmost care and precau-tion in dealing with "this momentous

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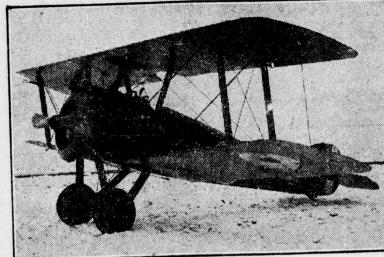
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BRUTAL MURDER CANADIAN DONATED AIRPLANE



This photograph is of a "Scout" aeroplane, presented through the Canadian Aviation Fund. The picture is from the British Air Board. It clearly shows the great power and swallowlike appearance of this class of aeropiane, and that it is a "Fighter" is very apparent from the two machine guns poking their noses out in front. This class of machine is only for one man, is the fastest of any and does the most fighting. The 'plane can travel from 125 to 150 miles an hour.

BUT ONE MAN IN TEN GETS **EXEMPTION FROM CENTRAL JUDGE**

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Headless Body of Thomas Georgieft Found in

Gravel Pit.

Hamilton, March 12.—The headless body of a man, later identified by the police as Thomas Georgieft, a Bulgarian, 29 years old, was found early this morning in the old civic gravel pit near the high level bridge. The discovery was made by Andrew Cross, a Grand Trunk towerman, as he was on his way to work.

A Brutal Murder.

Investigation by Coroner Hopkins revealed one of the most brutal murders in Hamilton's criminal annals. The theory is that the victim was taken to the spot in a semi-conscious condition, dragged down the steep sides of the gravel pit, and the head then hacked from the body in an effort to conceal identification. The remains were also stripped of clothing with the exception of the socks. The murderer apparently 200k the head to the Desjardine Canal and dropped it into the swift current. jardine Canal and jardine Canal and swift current. Murderers Left Clue. Murderers made on

Georgieft's slayer made one mistake though. When the body was being stripped of clothing a workman's metal check, bearing the number 2008, and the words National Steel Car Company, dropped out of the pocket. It was by means of this and a black overcoat button found near the remains that they were identified.

Georgieft boarded with a fellow-countryman at No. 1 Alpha street. The boarding boss was taken to the morgue and completed the identification. The police traced the victim's movements up to 10 o'clock last night when he was seen in a Sherman avenue restaurant. It is thought the body was taken to the spot where it was found, in an automobile.

duty what one would expect from a public man of his standing.

"Canada is not yet ripe for the creation as dictator even of so able a fellow as Sir Adam Beck. Nor does the fact that Tommy Church of Toronto is Sir Adam's right bower make his guerilla warfare against Union Government any less objectionable."

BRITISH PPEAR.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 36; lowest, 4.
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:
Highest, 42; lowest, 31.

TOMORROW—COLDER.

Toronto

New York, March 12.—A London dispatch announces that for the protection of holders of Russian railway, municipal and Government bonds, for the issuance of which they have been responsible, the open that, now that Canada was on the e of prohibition, the movement would read to Great Britain.

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STORM AND SUBMARINE Lloyds, London, County and Westster Bank, Rothschilds and Scroeder,
also reported that British investors
deposited their American securities
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SIXTY HUN PLANES RAID FRENCH CAPITAL FOUR BROUGHT DOWN

Second Foray On Paris Within Three Days Demolishes Buildings, Setting Some Afire -Heavy Dimage Done In Three Hours' Bombardment.

Parle, March 12 .- The Germans lost four airplanes in last night's attack on Paris. Nine squadrons took part in the raid, London, March 11.—German airplanes raided Paris Monday night. The first alarm was given at 9:10 o'clock, when seven squadrons of German airplanes were reported on their way to Paris. Bombs were dropped at 10:15 o'clock.

London, March 12.—One of the German raiders over Paris last night was brought down in flames and the crew was taken prisoner, a Havas dispatch from Paris states.

The French official statement on the

PRINGLE ASKS FOR CONFERENCE OVER COMPROMISE IN THE LONDON ELECTRIC **NEWSPRINT MATTER**

resulting. The maximum price permit-ted is 1.99 to liquidate contracts. Flax-is the only grain open to speculating trade here now. Right up to the notice traders were buying at three cents over yesterday's close, which was \$1.98.

mild today; colder on Temperatures. The following were the high swest temperatures for the previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low.
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A French Port, Sunday, March 10.—
An American steamship, formerly a German vessel, arrived here today with its bridge smashed and a shell hole through a smokestack as a result of an encounter with a submarine.

A storm was encountered, during which the cargo shifted. The vessel made port with the greatest difficulty.

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