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DISARMAMENT BY DEGREES LEAGUE OF NATIONS DECISION Campaigners for School Program Encounter Hostile Audience

GOVERNMENT SALES

Express Rates Hearing Is Told Hundred of Prescriptions Are Filled Daily.

NSPECTOR'S EVIDENCE

Ottawa, Dec. 14.-(Can. Press)-Some illuminative evidence as to the extent of what might be described as the one-bottle liquor movement in Ontario under the provincial govern-ment dispensary system was submit-ted to the board of railway commisdoners today before resumption of he argument in the express rates

The information came from A. H. Birmingham an inspector for the Onlate License Commission, which operlates the several dispensaries from which liquor may be obtained on presentation of a doctor's prescription. Mr. Birmingham explained that as there are only seven dispensaries in the province, orders rom a great many of the smaller places have to be sent by express. In the case of an individual sending in an order based upon a prescription he can get only one imperial quart bottle, for which the government charges four dollars, including a charge of 35 cents for express.

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could not give the exact figures, task that they would average three continued on Page 4, Column 6.)

The townsite, to be known as Spruce

into lots. They are making good prosess.

A number of French-Canadians with large families have settled in the district of late, and seem to be prosperous and contented. "They are decidedly making good in the new country" said the premier.

Is kill ED BY TREE.

William, Ontario, early Sunday and should have reached her destination today.

No word had been received from the ship tonight and it is feared she may have been caught in the fifty-mile gale that has been blowing across Lake Erie

premier said, a new system was being adopted. Instead of cleaning premier said, a new system was being adopted. Instead of cleaning mail blocks at a time, operations are extended over large areas. Immediately, after the wood is out the mediately after the wood is out the wood are extended over large areas. Im- son's tie camp. mediately after the wood is cut the brush is burned and the land pre-pared for reforestation.

MONEY EXCHANGE WAR OVER CANADA'S SILVER

mony among the merchants of Og-densburg. N. Y., who are being can-vassed to refuse to accept Canadian silver at par. Thirty-five retailers who unce that they are not in sympathy with it and will continue to accept Canadian funds at par. Generally speaking, those retailers which do

Lords Passes Home Rule Bill MANY CANDIDATES

of the home rule bill after a short debate, in the course of which Lord Dunraven reproached the government with having apparently created a sort of axiom in political science that minorities must rule.

Lord Birkenhead, lord high chancellor, replying to various criticisms of the bill, insisted that under the existing conditions there was not the slightest chance of inducing the north to accept a single parliament. As no acceptable alternative to the government bill had been suggested, he thought the government plan deserved a trial.

THREATEN CHURCH BOLT IF UNION IS DELAYED

General Conference Officer Makes Report to Methodist Headquarters on Returning From West-New Denomination Is Predicted—Life or Death Issue for Church.

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Rev. J. Arnup, in a report to the Methodist Church officials at Toronto on his recent official trip west, makes startling declarations, which are regarded as having considerable local significance for Toronto Presbyterians, in view of the agitation

Unless the prospect of early organic union can be soon revived, it would seem as if nothing can prevent the formation of a new denomination in the west.

"Some observers freely predict that in the event of rejection of union as a nation-wide measure, practically the whole of Presbyterianism on the prairies will break from existing denominational relationships and be swept into union with a type of organization suited to western needs."

Another general conference officer for the formation of a Union Church has just reported at the Methodist in North Parkdale.

Needed to Ease Unem-

ployment.

NO EX-CONSTABLES SCORE DRURY GRANT ASKED PASSPORTS TO MONTREAL FUND

Greenwood Replies to Query Kingston Veterans Say Money From Ottawa Regarding Evidence on Ireland.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 14 .- In despatches from Washington published on Satur- dian Press.)-In discussing the quesday morning it was alleged that three tion of the unemployed, the action of day morning it was alleged that three former members of the Royal Irish Constabulary, each of whom sad he had resigned as a protest against British mis-rule, appeared before the committee of, 100 and gave evidence of raids, in which they said they had been forced to participate upon orders from British commanders to destroy life and property. One of the men, Caddan, declared he had seen men, women and children dragged from their bed amid showers of bullets to watch their homes burn.

The attention of Sir Hamar Green
tion of the unemployed, the action of Premier Drury and his government, by an order-in-council, in giving \$20,000 to a Montreal university was severely criticized by the local Army and Navy Veterans. Criticism (was not because the money was given to an institution in another province, but that such a sum of the people's money was given at a time when the question of unemployment was such a pressing one, and when so many people in Ontario were in actual need of fuel and food.

Against Site Scheme.

TO VILNA EXPEDITION Talks, its rapidly shaping up and J. A.

The Hague, Dec. 14.—The Dutch foreign minister, H. A. Van Karnebeek, on his return from Geneva, found Holland strenuous in its opposition to the

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 14.-Fred

print.

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Back from a tour of inspection Premier Drury yesterday said that the abandoned soldiers' settlement colony was now one of the busiest places in Ontario. There were at present in the district about 12,000, employed getting out pulpwood, and building the mill and generally preparing the country for settlement. A power plant is already in operation, and furnishes electric light for the settlers.

McDonald of Ottawa, secretary of the Orange forward movement, and the iccord of these men asked for. This evening Mr. McDonald received a Marconigram from the chief inspector for Ireland, reading as follows:

"Have your cablegram of the 11th inst. As far as we know no ex-Royal Irish Constabulary man has applied for passport to America to give evidence before Washington committees. There were at present in the district about 12,000, employed getting out pulpwood, and building the mill and generally preparing the country for settlement. A power plant is already in operation, and furnishes electric light for the settlers.

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terial in Ontario from starving this winter.

FEARS FOR SAFETY

OF GRAIN STEAMER

Toledo, Dec: 14.—Fears were expressed in marine circles here today for the safety of the freight steamer Winona, Toledo-bound, with 110,000 bushels of grain for local mills.

The Winona is said to have left Fort William, Ontario, early Sunday and inould have reached her destination oday.

Who have been advising people to murder those winding people to murder the murder than the murding products and raw furs. There were slight increases in prices of dairy products and fresh vegetables. In retail prices, the chief decreases for the month were in sugar, but there were slight decreases in the other items. Potatoes and eggs were somewhat higher in price. There were for the safety of the freight steamer Winona, Toledo-bound, with 110,000 bushels of grain for local mills.

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UNION STATION DELAY DUE TO GRAND TRUNK

Government Disclaims Responsibility for Irritating Delay in Making Use of Toronto's New Terminal—Track Elevation Pre sents Problem.

WILL ENTER FIGHT FOR CIVIC HONORS

Maguire and Ramsden Men- Number of Evictions Reported tioned as Likely Starters for Mayoralty.

bruises.

The two priests have told the correspondents how they, with other passengers, including women, were held up in a tram car Saturday night by men wearing long coats over police uniforms. These men fired into the car and roughly ejected all the passengers, lined them up in a side street at the point of the rifle, and searched them.

NEWFOUNDLAND LOSES

SOME HARD-HEARTED LANDLORDS INCREASE

-Appeals for Relief in Steady Volume.

RUMORS GOING ROUND BETTER TIMES AHEAD

Dame rumor, who is always a busy party around election time, seems to be camping right in the city hall this year so that no possible turn of the tide may be overlooked. The report was current in the hall yesterday that both Controllers Maguire and Ramsdem would be in the field for the majoralty with Mayor Church and extensive of the majoralty with Mayor Church and Reserved on the majoralty with Mayor Church and Reserved on the majoralty with Mayor Church and Reserved on the majoralty with Mayor Church and McBride will run, the latter have ling announced his purpose definitely on Monday night. Mayor Church and most announced hispath with the people want him, "Barkis is willing" and that seems to be straight enough.

It was published some days ago on the authority of Sam McBride that Controller Maguire was putting feelers out and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial. Mr. Maguire was putting feelers out and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial. Mr. Maguire was putting feelers out and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial. Mr. Maguire was putting feelers out and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial. Mr. Maguire was putting feelers out and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial. Mr. Maguire was putting feelers out and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial. Mr. Maguire was putting feelers out and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial. Mr. Maguire was putting feelers and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial. Mr. Maguire was putting feelers and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial. Mr. Maguire was putting feelers and the controller has not up to date, issued a denial in the majoration of the certain put to a much provided the controller has not up to date, issued a denial in the majoration of the controller has not up to date, issued a denial in the major

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The meeting also discussed the reported proposal of the provincial government to spend a large sum in the establishment of a town site at Kase ported proposal of the provincial government to spend a large sum in the establishment of a town site at Kase ported proposal of the provincial government to spend a large sum in the establishment of a town site at Kase ported proposal of the provincial government to spend a large sum in the establishment of a town site at Kase ported proposal of the provincial government to spend a large sum in the establishment of a town site at Kase ported proposal of the provincial government. This was no such time for what a was termed such profligate squandering of the contents of the treasury of Ontario, and the commandant was authorized to draw these facts to the attention of the U.F.O. government, and ask what they were prepared to do to prevent some of the best may be were prepared to do to prevent some of the best may be when the raiders will solve the profligate squanders and the commandant was authorized to draw these facts to the attention of the U.F.O. government, of the free nations will continue the month of November the month of November the following state of the statement compiled provided to the statement compiled provides to the statement compiled provides to the statement continued downwards the cording to the statement continued downwards to decrease the friends account of the free nations will continue the negotations as substitutes of the section of the statement compiled to the statement compiled to the statemen

UNWISE TO DISARM EXCEPT BY DEGREES

TROUBLES OF NEEDY Congress Is Asked Again to Butt In

Washington, Dec. 14.—Congress, under a resolution introduced todan by Representative Burke, republican, of Pennsylvania, would go on record as appealing to the British government to withdraw its armed forces from Ireland and to "give recognition to the government established by the majority will of the Irish people."

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Mr. Burke's resolution declares that "congress, in the name of humanity and in vindication of the principles for which the United States entered the war, offers protest to the government of Great Britain against the looting of the city of Cork and the reign of terror now existing in Ireland under British rule."

ference, threatened by disruption several days ago over failure to agree on disposition, of the former German cables, will continue under a modus vivendi adopted today at a plenary session.

armament Accept With Limitations.

France and Belgium accepted the committee's conclusions upon limitations of armament expenditures during the next two years on the basis (Continued on Page 6, Column 2).

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 14—(By Canadian Press.)—In discussing the question of the unemployed, the action of Premier Drury and his government, and Tans Attacked at Dublin.

Sugar; Wholesale in Grains, Mests and Foods.

Session.

Representatives of France, Great Britain and Japan, in the meantities will return home to confer with their governments relative to the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had been settled at the sessions which below the primary questions at issue, none of which had b gan here October 8. The ambassadors of the three nations will continue the

LACK OF ORDERS CLOSES

PRIESTS ROUGHLY USED BY MEN IN UNIFORM gale Erie Cork. Dec. 14.—Among the victins of saturday night's terrorism preceding the fires were two priests, the Rev. Patrick free were two priests, the Rev. Patrick and seed Lord Mayor of Cork, and Father Mecatricy in large seed Lord Mayor of Cork, and Father Mecatricy in large seed the naval and seed Lord Mayor of Cork, and Father Mecatricy in large seed the naval and bruises. The two priests have told the corters pondents how they, with the streets were agents. The two priests have told the corters producing the price of bread, and is still unable to leave his bed, while Father MacSwiney, to serve the price of bread, and is still unable to leave his bed, while Father MacSwiney is scarcely able to move owing to lameness and bruises. The two priests have told the corters producing the price of bread, and is still unable to leave his bed, while Father MacSwiney is scarcely able to move owing to lameness and bruises. The two priests have told the corters produced the price of bread, and is still unable to leave his bed, while Father MacSwiney is scarcely able to move owing to lameness and bruises. The two priests have told the corters produced to the price of bread and the lights in the streets were excepted and the lights in the street were excepted and the price of bread and the lights in the street area. At the Moore plant of the Singer Seval and announced it would coose from the good announced it would coose from the control of the section of again ungings the good announced it would coose from the control of the section of a fat wage reduction of 10 per cent. In ligu of lampary 5, because of lack of orders. The pleft Manufacturing Company, employing g

Dr. Noble, Ex-Controller McB ride and Other Upholders of Lavish School Expenditure Accused of "Butting Into" Proceedings at Winchester Street School.

THREE FISHING BOATS

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—(Special).—According to peaking, those retailers which do a Canadian trade are against the against t

League of Nations Decides to Go Slow in View of U. S. and Enemy Nations Remaining Outside-Agree to Limit Expenditure for Two Years to Last Year's Appropriations.

Geneva, Dec. 14.—The first step for disarmament of the nations must be cautious and deliberate, the assembly of the League of Nations decided today, despite sharp criticisms by George Nicoll Barnes, the British labor leader, and Christian Lange of Norway.—Mr. Barnes said there was "too much quibble and not enough pluck" in the decisions to go slowly. The policy of the United States on this question was, by more or less veiled allusions, invoked as one reason why general disarmament cannot be boldly grappled with at this lime, Mr. Barnes said. H. A. Fisher of the British delegation referred to "nations with powerful and munitions-making facilities that still are outside the league." The absence from the league of former enemy countries also was referred to by Mr. Fisher. This brought from Mr. Barnes the retort:

"They are practically disarmed, and cannot constitute a menace for years to come."

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Apportioned Later.

AGREEMENT REACHED

Washington, Dec. 14.—Sessions of be interpational communications considered by the interpational communications considered by the conclusions of the disagramment committee. These are briefly, an effort to prevent the future increase of armaments, and propaganda in favor of a decrease as a steady means of bringing about eventual, but remote, general disagramment.

Caucus of U. F. O. Members of House Generally Give It

Approval. SOME ISSUES ARE SHELVED

The U.F.O. members of the legislature held a caucus at the parlian buildings yesterday, when, it is understood, the premier's proposal for a people's party, with a platform broad enough to attract all shades of political thought, was the principal matter up for discussion, and took up the greater part of the session. While there was said to be some objection to the idea, it found, however, approval in the minds of most of those

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Elizabeth, N. J., Dec. 14.—Anonome up for discussion, but was not come up for discussion, but was not end in rents.

Elizabeth, N. J., Dec. 14.—Anonome up for discussion, but was not shutting down or curtailment of large industrial plants here that will affect several thousand persons.

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ment has already prepared for the next session of parliament a mer-chandise marks bill, which will give power to the board of trade to decide which articles shall be labeled with the country of their origin. It is now apparently decided that parliament cannot be prorogued un-til December 30. There will, how-ever, be a short adjournment for

It is reported that the cabinet has decided that the department of the