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# RITISH PARLIAMENT OPENS FOR AN EVENTFUL SESSION

## ATTORNEY-GENERAL **DISCLOSES CAMPAIGN**

a Seat in East Wellington Riding.

Special to The Toronto World. Fergus, Feb. 10.-Attorney-General Raney's surprise attack in opening the by-election campaign in East Wellington here tonight was the following letter, which he read to a crowded audience in the town hall:

"Citizens' Liberty League "233 College street,
"Toronto, Jan. 28, 1920.

"Dear Sir—In view of the com-ing election, in which Mr. Raney, attorney-general, will seek to obtain a seat somewhere in Ontario, this league has taken into account his continuous and uncompromis-ing attitude towards race tracks, ing attitude towards race tracks, and his stand on prohibition, and we have decided that we must oppose him at the polls. This will entail an expenditure of about \$20,000, and we are asking our friends to help us financially. We will appreciate it if you can see your way to contribute. Thanking you in advance,

"Yours very truly,"
(Signed) "T. L. Carruthers,

"General secretary." T have no knowledge," continued Mr. Raney, "whether a similar letter was sent by the Liberty League to the distillers and brewers. Neither have I any knowledge whether a similar letter was sent to the race-track people and the brewers and distillers with respect to the premier's candidature in Halton. But Premier Drury is in much the same boat as myself, and you can draw your own inference as to those things, and particularly from what is happening at this moment in Halton.

the fact that the attorney-general is sympathy, very hearty sympathy him for that office? That is the DEMAND ACCUSED the objects of the O.T.A. disqualify him for that office? That is the Turning to the race track issue, he said: "I suppose they would be equally

#### Silk Valued at Seven Millions Passes Thru Port of Prescott

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Prescott, Ont., Feb. 10.-Seventeen carloads of silk passed thru this port yesterday. The consignment is valued at \$7,000,000. Ten carloads of eggs to the number of 1,440,000 also were shipped at this port from China. Both consignments are being shipped to New York. Three detectives accompanied the silk passing thru this port.

#### FELL OFF ROOF

John Coulter, aged 26, 252 Higwatha evenue, sustained a fractured skull yesterday afternoon when he fell from the roof of a house in Bedford Park. He was removed to the General Hos-Mal, where it was reported last night

### OFFERS HIMSELF AS SUBSTITUTE

Represent Compatriots Demanded by Allies.

Washington, Feb. 10.—President rangement with Belgium for the redemption of German currency, in the cublegram from Frederick Wilhelm, formerly occupied territory, will also former crown prince of Germany, suggesting that the allies take him as a titude of the president was not dis-

sent to the kings of Great Britain, Belgium and Italy, the emperor of Japan and the president of France, is as follows:

"The demand for the delivery of Germans of every walk of life has again confronted my country, sorely tried by four years of war and one year of severe internal struggles with crisis that is without precedent in the history of the world as affecting the life of a people. That a government can be found in Germany which would carry out the demanded surrender is out of the question; consequence to Europe of an enforcenealculable; hatred and revenge

would be made eternal. former successor to the throne of my fatherland, I am willing at this fateful hour to stand up for ediated governments want a victim, let them take me instead of the 900 fence other than that of serving their country in the war.

(Signed) "WILHELM, "Weiringen Island, Feb. 9, 1920."

## COMPLETE TIE-UP OF U. S. RAILWAYS IS NOW THREATENED

Raney Opens His Fight for If Trainmen Walk Out, the Effect on Transportation Will Be Serious.

#### THE RACE TRACK ISSUE WILSON TO TAKE HAND

Washington, Feb. 10. - Presiden Wilson is expected to make an effort to avert the threatened strike of railroad employes of the country who are pressing the railroad administration for further wage increases. The entire situation was placed before the president today in a long memorandum from the director-general of railroads. It is expected here that he will back up Mr. Hines.

Officials of the railroad administration solt tourists that the estimation

Officials of the railroad administra-tion felt tonight that the situation was extremely critical, not only as re-gards the shopmen, who have decided to go out on strike Feb. 17, if their demands are not met, but also with respect to 2,000,000 railroad employes thruout the country. Renewed con-ferences tomorrow with union lead-ers are expected to have some definite result.

result.

Most insistent among the union leaders here is W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, who has impressed upon officials the imminence of a trainment strike if a settlement is not reached. The administration has been given notice of cancellation of their present notice of cancellation of their present contract by the trainmen Feb. 23. A strike vote is said to have shown a large majority in favor of drastic ac-

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## IN NAME OF LEAGUE

If Refused, Keep Holland and Germany Out, Says

nations and refuse Germany and Holland admission to the league until the persons demanded are delivered, ac- Johnston and "Jimmy" Summers, who persons demanded are delivered, according to the view taken by Georges Scelle of the law faculty of the University of Dijon in an article in law general introductions had been

immediate entry into the league were conditioned upon compliance with the City Reception ecnditioned upon compliance with the

communication of January 25, asking Ex-Crown Prince Willing to extradition article of the peace treaty by the middle of the week. As soon he allies to renounce execution of the as it is received, the national assembly will be convoked and will co-operate turally one of the most loyal cities in the whole extradition situation.

### "victim" instead of the 900 Germans demanded for trial. The official at-The text of the message, which was ent to the kings of Great British AND FLEE TO CANADA CONTEMPT OF COURT

Ring of Wall Street Messengers Had It Fixed to Seize Five Millions' Worth.

New York, Feb. 10 .- After the ar-The plot involves a "ring" of displotters were to wait until large sums defend himself on this occasion. of securities were entrusted to their my compatriots. If the allied and as care, pool them and then dash across the international line. How all the them take me instead of the 900 dishonest messengers were to get Montreal, Feb. 10.—Daylight saving mans who have committed no of- large amounts of securities into their received the approval of the city counpossession simultaneously was not cil yesterday afternoon, when a reso-disclosed. The detectives declared the lution was adopted by the aldermen



THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE SIR GLENHOLME FALCONBRIDGE AT OSGOODE HALL U.S. MUST CHOOSE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

**INCREASE OF PAY** 

Rome. Feb. 10 .- The Giornale

d'Italia says that the cardinals

living in Rome have asked the

Pope to raise their salaries as

they cannot make both ends

meet, owing to the increased

With the exception of the

papal secretary of state, the

chancellor of the church and the arch-priest of St. Peter's, the cardinals, it is pointed out, re-

ceive only what is called a 'cardinal's dish," amounting to 21,500 lire yearly, plus 2,000 lire for privy expenses. At the

present rate of exchange this

ADVANCE RAPIDLY

Mark on National

Campaign.

last night show that the subscription

for Chiario yesterday was \$1,078,674,

organizer, made the following state-

ment last night:
"Church leaders associated in the

United National campaign are all en-

couraged by the story of energetic

achievement which comes today from

all parts of the Dominion. While they

knew that the various congregations

were ready to face the responsibility

and upon them, they were not prepar-

made evident by many of the tele-

ardent effort of some 50,000 voluntary

canvassers will have remarkable re-

sults. The people have been informed fully of the pressing needs of the

Anglican Totals.

and James Bay, has reached its ob-

stressed.

TOWARD OBJECTIVE

UNITED CHURCHES

amounts altogether to \$1,175

CARDINALS ASK

cost of living.

### IRISH DELEGATES WELCOMED BY CANADA'S LOYAL "BELFAST"

Toronto Irishmen and City Tender Cordial Reception to Protestant Combatants of Sinn Fein Propaganda-Extensive Program is Arranged.

"Ulster is right!" The above phrase was the keynote Will Get Backing.

Stands Behind O.T.A.

Will Get Backing.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 10.—Failure of the railroad unions and the government to reach an agreement at the ment to reach an agreement at the washington conference may result in a general walkout of railway workers, according to Allen E. Barker, president of the States and Canada to put before the public their side of the case concerning the unrest and the to the reception given to the seven case concerning the unrest and the agitation for separation from England by a proportion of their countrymen in the south. The delegation was expected early yesterday morning but they switched off at Hamilton to visit Niagara Falls, disappointing a large body of local Irisamen who had as-sembled to welcome them to Toronto. All's well that ends well, however, and the local Orangemen were rewarded last night by the arrival of all their fellow countrymen by the

7.10 Grand Trunk train. In the absence of the mayor, who is French Legal Expert.

Paris, Feb. 10.—The only way out of the present extradition tangle is to demand the deliver; or the accused Germans ir the name of the league of nations and refuse Germany and Holman and the deliver; or the head of the citizens' committee; Canon H. C. Dixon, ex-Ald. Dave Spence, J. W. Somers, William Crawford, R. H. Cosbie, Isaac Smith, R. McIntyre, C. Carrie, L. H. Reid, H. A. McElroy, T. G. Beattie, Samuel Arnl'Information.

Professor Scelle declares it is his belief that Germany would yield if her Edward Hotel where an informal re-

entente demand, and that Holland's compliance in the case of the eximperor would likewise be secured. pleasant as well as educational. To-"Such moral isolation would be more ronto knew of the objects of the deleeffective than a blockade," he says. gation to know Toronto. The key to which is 37.30 per cent. of the ob-Will Renounce Assembly.

Berlin, Feb. 10.—The government does not expect the allied supplementary note in reply to the German ed, they had but to ask and it was ment, Rev. Dr. Braithwaite, national theirs.

William Coote, M.P., in replying said Irishmen knew of Toronto and looked upon it as the Belfast of Canent trouble in Ireland. Mr. Coote said that men who had refused to fight for the empire in her time of danger, now demanded separation from the mother country and wanted to hand Ireland ed for such ready sacrifice, as over to a set of thieves whose hands were stained with blood. He declared that if the old country was so cowardly as to consent to such demands the north would not permit it and Can-ada would not consent to it. If they (Continued on Page 6, Column 6).

## LATEST IVENS CHARGE

Winnipeg, Feb. 10.-In a special session of a full court of the King's canvass until after the day's work was bench today a rule was issued commanding William Ivens, accused of full of interest. seditious conspiracy, to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court. Ivens, it is alleged, rest today of three young men charged made statements that R. B. Russell with the theft of \$2,500 in securities from a messenger, the police gave de-oned judge and a poisoned jury, and ler is out of the question; the sequence to Europe of an enforcetof the demand by violence are soluble; hatred and revenge in the sequence to Europe of an enforcetof the demand by violence are soluble to the demand to the court is returnable February 18. honest Wall Street messengers. The Ivens will be given the opportunity to

#### WANT MORE DAYLIGHT

plotters had spurned one opportunity and sent to the administrative com-to get away with \$500,000.

## **MEDICINE COMPANY** SAFE BROKEN OPEN

Robbers Enter Chamberlain Premises and Get Away With Bonds.

Robbers broke into the Chamberlain

Entrance was effected to the premises by cutting a hole in the window in the rear of sufficient size to allow one of the thieves to put his hand in and unhatch the door. Making their way along the hall to the office the way along the hall to the office the Linited States in the world's affirm. Concurred with Baron Charnton the safe. It is Earl Curzon, secretary for foreign concurred with Baron Charnton the safe. It is concurred with Baron Charnton the safe would be impossible in a single speech to deal with all the questions raised. He said, however, that he would resorted that after the excitement of the concept that after the excitement of the concept anyused to open the safe door.

Pried Off Locks

There are a number of separate compartments to the safe and the locks of these were pried off with chisels and "jimmies." The contents affairs of America, and I feel no were thrown about the floor. After a thoro search the robbers left the office leaving the safe door open. They left the building by way of the back door and if was found wide open yes-

\$50 and were being held in security by the company for employes until they had them paid for. The registered bonds, it was stated, are of no value to the thieves.

George H. Irwin, 124 Roncesvalles are dependent of the company said and the in fulfilling them and respendent manager of the company said.

avenue, manager of the company, said the robbery was not discovered until munities." Ontario Goes Over Million 8 o'clock yesterday morning when a member of the office staff found the

#### BALLANTYNE BETTER

REMARKABLE RESULTS The churches in the United National marine was making a rapid recovery from his attack of grippe and hoped campaign are steadily forging ahead to resume his duties within a few est reports obtainable up to midnight

### WILSON'S CONDITION IS THOROLY SOUND

Johns Hopkins' Physician Says He is Able-Minded and Able Physically.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 10 .- The Baltimore Sun today published a copy-righted despatch from Washington, in hic messages received.
"It is clear that the persistent and which was given an interview with Dr. Hugh H. Young of Johns Hopkins Hospital at Baltimore on the condition of President Wilson. Dr. Young has been one of the physicians in attendance upon the president. \Dr. churches, and the spiritual side of the Young, in part, said;

whole campaign has been properly "From the very beginning the medi-cal men associated with the case "The report of Monday evening was have never had anything to conceal. necessarily fragmentary, since many When I first saw the president in of the congregations did not begin the October a crisis had arisen of such gravity, owing to the development of done. Tonight the official returns are prostatic obstruction, that an emergency operation to relieve this situation was contemplated, but by a fort-"For the first day of the canvass, the Anglican subscriptions for the ultuous and wholly unexpected change in the president's condition. whole of Canada were \$436,000, comthe obstruction began to disappear. ing from 13 out of the 25 dioceses. Moosonee diocese, a missionary diswhich had been steady, is now comict ranging northward from Iaka plete. The president was organically sound when I saw him first, and I Superior to the westward of Hudson found him not only crganically sound jective of \$25,000, and is setting out to when I visited him last week, but

## ABUNDANCE IS THE WEAPON FOR FIGHTING BOLSHEVISM. **DECLARES LLOYD GEORGE**

#### NEED \$20,000,000 MORE

FOR GOVERNMENT SHIPS Ottawa, Feb. 10.-(Special.)-To complete the government ship-building program under contract will require \$20,000,000, making a total expenditure for merchant marine of approximately \$70,000,000. When the program is complete the government will have a fleet of sixty merchant ships of a total tonnage of nearly 400,000 tons. .. The first 45 ships were contracted for at an average of \$199.63 per ton and the remaining 15 at an average of \$173.15. The government has not reached a decision on the tonnage subsidy request by the various shipbuilding concerns.

# PATH FOR HERSELF

Great Deal of Treaty May Have to Be Rewritten and Revised.

#### SENTIMENT IN LORDS

London, Feb. 10 .- Baron Charnwood, seconding the address of thanks in the Medicine Company, 41 Dovercourt house of lords for the King's speech, road, Monday night and opening the expressed approval of the recent letsafe stole \$200 worth of Victory bonds, a number of registered bonds and some foreign money. The factory he American position on the peace

was entered between closing time Monday evening and eight o'clock yesterday morning.

Entrance was effected to the premises by cutting a hole in the window in the rear of sufficient size to allow one of the thieves to put his hand in any other between the control of the contr

Grey had acquainted him with his in-tention to publish the letter, it was neither inspired by nor submitted to

favor our interference in the domestic affairs of America, and I feel no sentiment but thanks to Lord Grey,"

he declared. terday morning.

Four of the stolen bonds were for \$50 and were being held in security by the company for employes until that a good deal of the peace treaty might have to be rewritten and retired. None of its authors claimed that a good deal of the peace treaty might have to be rewritten and retired that a good deal of the peace treaty might have to be rewritten and retired that the market and the company for employes until the company for employees until

Settlement With Turkey. Alluding to the delay in the peace settlement with Turkey, he referred to European anxiety that the United States share in the settlement of these regions.

"This anxiety," said Earl Curzon, "is Montreal, Feb. 10.—It was stated today at the residence of the Hon. C. C. Ballantyne that the minister of would have abandoned the greater would have abandoned the greater would have abandoned the greater part of its individual ambition if it could be persuaded that America would come in and bear her share of the urden as mandatory for the whole Turkish Empire.

"I won't say a word in criticism still less in derogation, of America's attitude. We may feel disappointed. but America has a traditional policy which we ought to endeavor to understand and respect. She desires to keep free from entanglements, and she is the best judge of her own policy. But or refusal undoubtedly increased the esponsibilities of those left.

"If a mandate is confided to Great Britain, I think it is too late to talk of limiting our activities in Mesopo tamia to the vilayet of Basra, and hear no share in the future control of Bagdad. I am convinced that any attempt to retire thence would be received with absolute dismay in the country itself."

#### DEATH FOLLOWS BURNS

Mrs. Ethel Brownstein, aged 50, of 34 Grange avenue, died in the General Hospital shortly after midnight rom burns received when her clothing caught fire, while attending to the furnace in her home on Monday morn-ing. She was so badly burned that no hope was held out for recovery.

#### SPRING NOT YET HERE

Spring bonnets, which usually herald the early approach of spring, will be kept under cover for some time to February and March, according to

custom, are two of the coldest and ment possessing the right to speak for roughest months in the year, and it is the whole of European Russia. We likely that 1920 will be no exception. The subscriptions yesterday were \$87,164, all associations in the entire convention having reported. This added to the figures for Monday, make a total of \$286,275, or 75.57 per cent. Congregational subscriptions up to noon yesterday have made to sanity by trade.

"You can say that the president is able-minded and able bodily and that he is giving splendid attention to affairs of state, and that we have every ascurance that he will become progressively more active in these matters.

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Congregational subscriptions up to noon yesterday have made to sanity by force. I believe we can save her by trade.

"Commerce has a sobering influence. There is nothing to fear from a Bolshevik invasion of surrounding countries or the middle east, because the Bolsheviki cannot organize a now an able to sanity by trade. of the objective for the two provinces.

Congregational subscriptions up to noon yesterday have reached \$36.330 (Continued on Page 5, Column 6).

Assurance that ne will pecome promate and the prices for next years supply soaring upwards. Next fall you will bring to an end the ferocity, will pay double the price asked by rapine and crueities of Bolshevism or surely than any other method, Sale.

Premier, at Opening of Parliament, Speaks on Policy Toward Russia - No Information Regarding Ireland-Urges Increased Production - The King's Speech.

London, Feb. 10.-The speeches with which the new session of the house of commons was launched today will not make history. Mr. Lloyd George, William Adamson and Sir Donald Mac-Lean spoke for the government. Laborites and Liberais, respectively. The premier gave a long explanation of the government's Russian policy, but refused to be drawn by

the other speakers on the topic of re-vising certain "unworkable" features of the peace treaty.

Dealing with the burning question Dealing with the burning question of economy, the premier recommended the iamiliar specific of increased production. His remarks of Ireland gave no new information regarding the measure which is soon to be introduced.

duced.

Colonel Sidney Peel, Coalition Unionist, who made the reply to the address from the throne, said:

"It will be a grievous disappointment to us if the United States finds itself unable to take part in the work of reconstruction. But she must be master in her own house, as we are in ours"

in ours"
Sir Donald MacLean, urging revision of the peace treaty, said:
"One of the essentials of the guarantee was the fact when the opposition agreed to it, that the signature of the president of the United States was appended. It does not now look as the this is going to be honored. I only hope I am wrong," he added, as Mr. Lloyd George indicated his dis-

great war nobody could expect anything but a period of reaction and dis

content, and even a certain measure of disaffection. Alluding to Ireland, the premier asked whether Mr. Adamson meant by "self-determination" that if the majority of the Irish people demanded a republic he would give it. Unless Mr. Adamson meant that, said the republic he would give it. Unless premier, his talk of self-determination was dishonest. There were murders and assassinations "of the most cowardly and despicable kind in Ireland," the premier told his questioner, and he asked whether the member thought the government should withdraw its troops and leave the assassins

Declaring that the duty of the government was to maintain law and order in Ireland, the premier turned to the high cost of living, which he sald, was attributable to the depreciation of money and not to profiteering The only remedy was to increase production, he declared. Replying to Sir Donald MacLean's inquiry, the premier said he was glad to be able to say that the coming

Cannot Crush Bolshevism. Dealing at length with the situation in Russia, Mr. Lloyd George said he agreed with the view that Europe could not be restored without putting Russia, with all her strength and resources, into circulation. Boisnevism was possibly efficient, said the premier, but it was not

budget would balance, and more than

democracy, and Russia must be restored under an anti-Bolshevik re-"Bolshevism cannot be crushed by force of arms," continued the premier I held that opinion a year ago, but my advice, tendered on that assumption to the warring ractions, was de-

clined. It was necessary to give the arti-Bolshevists a chance to recover Russia, but they failed. The failure was not due to lack of equipment, but to more fundamental causes." The premier contended that the suggested "ring of fire" to crush the Bolsheviki was impossible, because it was doubtful whether Finland would consent, and the Baltic states, he pointed out, were making peace with Russia, while Rumania was really engaged in watching the Hungarian front, and the Japanese were disin-

clined toward the idea. Moreover, he

added, neither France, the United States, Italy nor Great Britain was willing to provide the funds.

Can Save Russia by Trade.

"Until," added the premier, "they are assured that the Bolsheviki have dropped the methods of barbarism in favor of civilized government, no civilized community in the world is pre-pared to make peace with them. Further, there is no established govern-

failed to restore Russia to sanity by