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WOLVIN ADVISES Montreal French Language Paper Sees Great Benefit In Maritime Union

Asks Government For Protection of All Property

RHODES SPEAKS

Says Cabinet Will Name Com ission to Probe Whole

HALIFAX, Aug. 6-The Brit-**Empire Steel Corporation** today advised Premier Rhodes that they had accepted the Nova Scotia government's proposals

TO AVOID DISASTER dum is at the request of the government solely to avoid further disaste

ployes.

"We understand that the board which your government proposes to appoint will be properly constituted to inquire into the basic facts of production and scales of coal and steel as they relate to present and prospective conditions including the use of force in arriving at wage scales and that its report will be of a constructive and informative character. We will make of Trade President; Tour

TEACHERS' PARTY

VISITS EDMONTON

THE total to that date this summer was 6,293, last year 3,655.

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City.

Following receipt of the corporation's telegram, Premier Rhodes made the following statement:

"The government, as was disclosed in its final memorandum, does not profess that the settlement finally arrived at is perfect, but it was the best possible solution of a very grave and complicated problem. That the parties and the government being animated by desire to prevent further suffering and hardship and to protect the interests of the public as a whole, and of the province and the treasury.

TO PROBE COAL TRADE.

Special to The Times-Star.

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Following receipt of the tank a hundred teachers from Eastern Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick, with a sprinkling of professors, doctors, nurses, and business men and women reached the city yesterday, a special train of 14 coaches over the lines of the C. P. R. Railway.

The party under the direction of Professor Sinclair Laird, were received at the station by Mayor Ratchford and J. D. C. Motherwell, President of the Board of Trade, and after informal specches were taken for a motor drive.

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Unique Storm Descends On BACKS ST Winnipeg, Disabling Lights And Cutting Off Water Supply

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 6-A nel-shaped cloud, such as comes with a tornado, descended over the city last night, and within a few minutes total darkness pre-vailed. It was the strangest preresidential districts were in dark-

The city's water supply also was cut off for a short time before the auxiliary electric pumps could be got into operation. A steam standby plant was put into operation by the Winnipeg Street Railway, and the street car service was being

The storm was general through of rain, vivid flashes of light especially to the northwest of the city, and startling crashes of

the decision: "The Dominion Coal Company, Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company, Cumberland Railway and Coal Company, after protracted deliberations, hereby accept the conditions of the memorandum which you delivered to men in Halifax, July SCORES POSSIBLE Gets Palm For ON SUSSEX RANGE Liquor Alibi WAAvity Pothers Code Ha

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en gathered at the firing points, this

"We have for many months by negotiations, direct with the official of the United Mine Workers of America, and also through mediation endeavored to convince our employees that a permanent operation of the mines and steel plants cannot result from wage scales that are established by force and which fodday are economically impossible. When necessary to meet trade conditions wages must be possible of adjustment downward as well as upward.

PROTECTION URGED.

"We most strongly and emphatically urge that your government should immediately devise ways and means for proper protection of our properties both from direct attack and from damage resulting from interference with maintenance through intimidation and forced removal of our officials and employes.

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TO PROBE COAL TRADE

"As speedily as possible, the government will set up a commission to make an exhaustive inquiry into the coal trade of the province. It is expected to have an outstanding commission and one whose findings will be respected by the public at large, as well as by both partles to the dispute."

MINRES ACCEPT.

HALIFAX, Aug. 6—With the acceptance by the miners of Nova Scotia, of the government's proposals for a return to work recorded yesterday by a majority of over 1,100, attention was focussed today on the meeting in Montreal of the directors of the British Empire Steel Corporation to consider the proposals.

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the proposals. The provincial coal fields tie-up 's five months old today, having started Beer Disguised As Paper And Building Material Is Seized

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swers Charges of Labo Member

LONDON, Aug. 6 — The attacks which have been made on the Government for its action in returning the gold standard, and for agreeing to a subsidy to the coal mining industry, were countered by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Winston Spencer Churchill, in the House of Commons yesterday. He defended the return to the gold standard on the ground that "if England had not taken the action, the British Empire would have taken it without us, and come on to a gold standard, not of the gound sterling. CLEVELAND, Aug. 6 — What
Judge Corlett called the "world's worst liquor alihi" was presented to him by Joe Bonica, who was asked to explain the presence of a still, 15 gallons of liquor and several barrels of mash when the police found it in his home in a raid.

The chancellor's remarks were evoked by the charges of Lee Smith, Laborite, that the return to the gold standard was largely responsible for the increase in unemployment, and that by reason of the gold standard exporters who desired to compete with foreign products, had to lower their export prices 10 per cent so as to offset the 10 per cent rise in the value of the pound.

Federal Election Issue in Premier's Hands.

Declares Money Rate Equalized

As for the coal subsidy, agreed to as a solution of the controversy between the miners and mine owners, Mr. Churchill declared that although every-body was aware it was objectionable, it was much more desirable than "a veiled subsidy on exports achieved at the expense of the whole of the community."

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ST. JOHN'S, Nfid., Aug. 6— The financial statement of revenue for 1924-25 has not yet been issued, but it is reported in political circles that Sir John Crosbie, Minister of Finance, will have a surplus of more than a quarter of a million dollars, the first surplus on current account since 1919.

Saint John bank clearings this week again show increase over the last two years. The figures are \$2,916,413 as compared with the corresponding week of 1924 and \$2,852,738 in 1923. The Halifax clearings this week were \$3,-



Forced Landing Demolishes 'Plane

When forced to land at Penn Township, Pa., because of a broken oil line, this U. S. Marine observation airplane was wrecked and destroyed by fire. The pilot, Second Lieutenant Thos. Cagel, and a companion are in a Pittsburgh hospital suffering from serious injuries and burns.

U. S. ANTHRACITE STRIKE ON Maritime Provinces. The idea, as we have been expressing it for a long SEPTEMBER 1 IS AUTHORIZED

English Bank Cuts Discount Rate To 4 1-2

reduced to 4½ per cent, from 5 per cent, which has prevailed since March of this year. While the monetary situation has eased considerably in late weeks, indicating the possibility of a reduction in the bank rate, the market was scarcely, prepared for the surprise announcement from the central institution this morning that the official minimum had been reduced

NO VOTE DECISION

When the service of the details thereof, upon terms and conditions that can be accepted as fair and equitable."

That this legislature should strong-ly urge the government of Canada to use every effort to facilitate the closing of negotiations for the transfer of the details thereof, upon terms and conditions that can be accepted as fair and equitable."

Week Than in Two Previous

Union Scale Committee Empowers Negotiators to Call
Men Out—Provision Made to Keep Maintenance

The Maritime Provinces together represent only a population of one million souls; their territory is very small Men, if Owners Desire.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 6—A uthority to call out the miners in the hard coal fields September 1 was voted by the union scale committee to its negotiators last night, in token of doubt that a shutdown of the mines

Investing its spokesmen with this DEATH WATCH MEN

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Russell Scott, 10 strong, also empowered the sub- his life at stake in a sanity hearing,

west every effort to facilitate the closing of negotiations for the transfer of the details thereof, upon terms and conditions that can be accepted as fair and equitable."

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Aug. 6—A wireless message received here yesterday said that the Spanish schooner Gabriel Palmer has surk off the Bahama Islands. The message was broadcast by an unidentified vessel, giving warning to other ships to be on the lookout for the crew of the sunken ship. No description of the Gabriel Palmer was given nor could the manner in which it met its fate, be ascertained.

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HIS ARM IS BURNED

Peter Murray of Castle Street Falls While Carrying Pail of

Peter Murray, 23 Castle street, was burned on the right arm about 12 o'clock today when he tripped while carrying a pail of hot tar. He was repairing the roof of a house near the foot of Orange street when the mishap occurred. The ambulance was sent for, but before its arrival an automobile took him to the General Public Hospital. A ----ort from the hospital this afternoon said that Mr. Murray was able to go to his home after having the arm treated, although he was still suffering considerable pain.

Settlement of Beigium's war deof to the United States.

Fungi in Soup Kills

CUBA, N. Y. Aug. 6—Two children; of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Pruslicki are dead at their home at Lyndon Centre as the result of eating vegetable soup to which fungi supposed to be mushrooms were added. The parents also partook of the soup, it was declared, but were not affected.

States.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6—Former Premier Theunis of Belgium and three other delegates, appointed by the Belgian government to settle the problem of the debt consolidation with the world war foreign debt commission, arrived here on the White Star liner Olympic last night.

They declined to be interviewed until they communicated with the debt funding commission at Washington, with whom they will negotiate for a

with whom they will negotiate for a settlement of Belgium's war debt to the United States.

Building Material Is Seized

The terms accepted by the miners and now under consideration by the government on Priday to proposals by the government on Priday the government of priday the government of priday the government of priday the government of priday the government referendum on the continuators of the industry, a site dept per cent, which are a surplus of more than a government referendum on the continuators of th

Sees Big Saving In Reduction of Civil

Service

LIKE INTERESTS Believes People, If They Knew Advantages, Would Support Movement

MONTREAL, Aug. 5—The French

today says editorially: "More and more interest is being

rovincial point of view."

LESS EXPENSIVE plenary authority days in advance of similar action in other years, the committee said it was mainly considering its own convenience. The scale committee ratified decision of the sub-committeemen. As it expects no further decision to arise before the present working contract expires, it will likely not meet again before the suspension date, according to spokesmen.

ARRANGE MAINTENANCE.

Canadian Press.

CHICAGO Aug. 6—Russell Scott.

"There is no doubt that this situation is really abnormal, that the extreme east of Canada would gain in economy if it formed only one province, with one government and one administrative system, less expensive since it would be more condensed. The money thus saved and the administrative system thus simplified, the Maritime Provinces would be able to devote themselves more freely to progressive activities and in the nature of things to ameliorate their economic conditions.

INCREASED INFLUENCE

Before adjournment, the committee, 40 strong, also empowered the subcommittee to arrange with the owners, if the latter desired, to leave a skeleton force of maintenance men in the pits in event of a walkout. They would man pumps and attend to necessary timbering to flooding and cave-imus.

Alberta Legislature Urges Federal Government to Facilitate Negotiations.

EDMONTON, Alta, Aug. 6—The Aiberta legislature adopted a compromise motion on the natural resources question last night. The motion is a so follows:

"The motion is a so more and would strongly urge the government of Canada to use every effort to facilitate the closing of megotiations for the transfer of the details therefore, upon terms and conditions that can be accepted as fail and equitable."

Before adjournment, the committee, showns in the committee, to stake in a sanity hearing, is life at stake in a sanity hearing. From a federal point of view, Eastern Canada would also see its influence for maintenance men in the pits in event of a walkout. They would man pumps and attend to necessary timbering to flooding and cave-imus.

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PROSECUTION ENDS.

SYNOPSIS—Pressure has de-creased somewhat but is still fairly high and very uniform from the Great Lakes to the Atrom the Great Lakes to the Atlantic, while in the west it is relatively low. The weather for the most part is fair and warm throughout Canada but heavy thunderstorms have occurred at some points in Manitoba, Ontario and Nova Scotia.

FORECASTS:—

MARITIME-Moderate winds, mostly cloudy and moderately warm today and Friday, with scattered showers.

NEW ENGLAND—Cloudy tonight. Friday, fair and slightly
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northeast and north winds, diminishing.

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