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BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE STILL APART ON GERMAN ISSUE

DR. MICHAEL CLARK
SEEKS TO ORGANIZE
PROGRESSIVE PARTY

Returned Soldiers, Farmers
and Trades Unionists Are
Urged to Join Hands.

ASSAILS GOVERNMENT

With stirring rhetoric and bitter in-
vective, and with deft appeal, Dr.
Michael Clarke, addressing the large
gathering ever assembled at L.L.P.
meetings at the Labor Temple, assailed
the protectionists yesterday after-
noon upon four separate counts, and
also advocated the formation of a new
party—the Progressive party, com-
posed of an allied group of veterans,
farmers, workers and all those desir-
ous of the progress of the Dominion
in the principles for which the allies
fought the great war.

Advances of Democracy.
The speaker then pointed to the
mid evolution of all nations toward
democracy, and saw the way in
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SPEED-UP PROGRAM
FOR FEDERAL HOUSE

Effort Will Be Made to Finish
Business by May the
Twenty-Fourth.

Ottawa, April 11.—With the ses-
sion about half completed the house
this week got down to the real
heavy work and late night sessions
were expected. Several members, in-
cluding those from far-away points,
are urging that late sessions be be-
gun immediately, so that they may
get away by May 24. Committees
are opening up this week in a man-
ner which indicates lots of work for
the members. However, there are
three scheduled to sit Tuesday and
another one on Thursday, with the
Indian act committee, will sit for the
larger portion of the week, and that
another of them, the pensions com-
mittee, will lay plans for some
lengthy sessions the following week.
At any rate, the almost lethargic
atmosphere which has pervaded the
corridors during the half of the ses-
sion will likely disappear from now
on.

WEST'S PETROLEUM
INEXHAUSTIBLE

Director of Big Firm Says
Winnipeg Likely to Be
Great Oil Centre.

Winnipeg, April 11.—Manitoba and
western Canada possesses an inex-
haustible supply of petroleum, which
is now to be worked by the Anglo-
Dominion Petroleum Company, and
Winnipeg is likely to become one of
the great oil distributing centres in
the North American continent, A. S.
Coyne, managing director and Cana-
dian financial commissioner of the
company, who is in Winnipeg, an-
nounced today.

Danish Electoral Reform Bill
Is Passed by Both Chambers

Copenhagen, April 11.—The electoral
reform bill has passed both chambers.
Elections have been fixed for April 22.

SINN FEIN HUNGER STRIKE
MAY HAVE A FATAL ENDING;
MOB BEFORE DUBLIN PRISON

One Hundred and Four Starving Six Days Decline to Eat
While in Custody—Castle Refuses to Relax Regula-
tions—Soldiers, With Tank, Keep Order.

PROMINENT MEN AMONG PRISONERS.

Dublin, April 11.—The 104 Sinn Fein
prisoners, who have been for six days
on hunger strike in Mount Joy prison,
are so weak that their relatives have
been sent for. Both the prisoners and
the government seem determined not
to yield, and it is feared that some
deaths may occur. Among the serious
cases are Ald. McCabe, Sinn Fein
member for Sligo, and Councillor
Carolan, Sinn Fein member of the Bel-
fast corporation.

IMPORTANT BREAK
IMPROVES OUTLOOK
IN RAILWAY STRIKE

No General Movement Back,
But Defections from In-
surgent Ranks Reported.

EMBARGOES LIFTED

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ant break in the unauthorized strike
of railroad employes, which started in
the Chicago terminal district nearly
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DRUGS WORTH A FORTUNE
ARE SEIZED IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, April 11.—Police and
customs officials seized forty thous-
and dollars' worth of cocaine, heroin
and morphine, together with three hun-
dred dollars' worth of opium on the
premises of a Chinese tradesman,
Chowling Poo, suspected to be agent
for the drug purveyors in eastern
Canada. Wong Lee Chung was also
arrested.

SIR R. FALCONER URGES
FOREIGN REPRESENTATION

Saskatoon, Sask., April 11.—Pointing
out that Canada has no representa-
tion in matters affecting foreign
policy, Sir Robert Falconer, president
of the University of Toronto, address-
ing the Saskatoon Canadian Club sup-
per, made a strong plea for such re-
presentation as soon as possible, and
maintained that to obtain the right
kind of men to act in such a capacity
a special body of men trained in in-
ternational law and diplomacy should
be formed. He recommended the
formation of special permanent ser-
vice to handle these problems.

RE. BEN. SPENCE
TELS 'OBJECTIVES'
OF PROHIBITIONISTS

Seek to Retain Ontario Tem-
perance Act and Make All
Dominion Dry.

DISSENSION MAGNIFIED

Ottawa, April 11.—Emphasizing the
need for continued prohibition agita-
tion and stating that the temperance
forces of the province not only de-
sired to retain the Ontario temperance
act as it now stands but would
seek to continue to secure amend-
ments from the Ontario legislature,
for the purpose of making it the most
effective prohibitory legislation in ex-
istence, Rev. Ben. Spence, secretary
of the Ontario branch of the Domini-
on Alliance, delivered two addresses
in local churches today.

ELIAS ROGERS CALLED
BY DEATH ON SUNDAY

Was for Years One of the Most
Widely-Known Businessmen
in Canada.

49 YEARS A COAL MERCHANT

The death occurred on Sunday of
Elias Rogers, who, as head of the
Elias Rogers Coal Co. for many years,
was one of the most widely known
business men in Canada. He retired
from active business only a few
months ago, and was succeeded by his
son, Alfred S. Rogers.

COMMUNIST LEADER
BEGINS REPRISALS

Plauen, Saxony, April 11.—Govern-
ment threats to deal severely with
Max Hoelz, the communist leader
here, have provoked audacious
reprisals, and he has formed the "Plauen
division of the red army," to which
Hoelz has attracted even the atten-
tion of 25 marks per day in wages.
Barracks in this city were occupied
yesterday by Hoelz's forces, which
sought to hold over the railroad station.

DR. HELEN MACMURCHY FOR
IMPORTANT POST AT OTTAWA

She Will Take Active Charge of Child Welfare Work in
Federal Department of Health—Work on Behalf of
Feeble-Minded in Ontario Valuable.

Ottawa, April 11.—Dr. Helen Mac-
Murchy of Toronto will take active
charge of the division of child
welfare of the federal depart-
ment of health in Ontario.

ASK HOME RULE
FOR SCOTLAND

Glasgow, April 11.—Under the
auspices of the Scottish Home Rule
Association a meeting was held
yesterday at which a resolution
was adopted asking the govern-
ment to pass a bill giving Scotland
control of purely Scottish affairs.

ANGLO-FRENCH DIFFICULTY
LOOKS LIKE A SETTLEMENT,
BUT CRISIS IS STILL GRAVE

Britain Maintained Firm
Stand Against Independent
Action and France Shows
No Sign of Withdrawing
Troops—British Note Em-
phasizes Need of Unity in
Alliance.

MEXICO MENACED
WITH CIVIL WAR;
SONORA SECEDES

State Congress Prepared to
Resist by Force Entry of
Carranzist Soldiers.
OTHERS MAY FOLLOW

Nogales, Sonora, April 11.—The
state of Sonora withdrew from the
republic of Mexico Saturday. The
state congress at Hermosillo, in a secret
session which lasted all Friday night,
voted, according to reports reaching
here, to resist with armed forces any
attempt of the Carranza government
of Mexico to send troops into the state.

DRUNKEN HUSBAND
NEARLY KILLS WIFE

Woman Lies in General Hos-
pital in Badly Battered
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the house, Mrs. Carnegie, according
to the police, broke away from her
husband and running upstairs to her
bedroom, collapsed on the bed. Her
clothing had been torn from her body
and she was badly bruised. While
the woman was lying across the bed
Carnegie is alleged to have struck
her over the head with the stove
poker. A large ax, weighing ten
pounds, was found in the kitchen cov-
ered with blood and hair from
Carnegie's head. The poker also
showed evidence of the murderous
attack.

FATAL EXPLOSION
IN EAST PRUSSIA

Army Supply Factory Blown
Up and Heavy Loss of
Life is Feared.

Copenhagen, April 11.—A great ex-
plosion has occurred at an army sup-
ply factory north of Rottenstein, near
Koenigsburg, East Prussia, and it is
feared that there has been heavy loss
of life among the 200 employes, says
a Berlin despatch to The Berington
Times.

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