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SEVERITY OF ARMISTICE CONDITIONS TO BE INCREASED

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Confer Forms Supreme Council American House of Representatives Passes Drastic War Revenue Bill

LLOYD GEORGE BACK: SEEKS TO SETTLE

Premier is Discussing Difficulties With Colleagues and Board of Trade Officials.

RAILWAYMEN MEET

labor Member Makes Strong Appeal to Keep Movement on Constitutional Lines.

n discussing the labor troubles in the Duited Kingdom, with the cabinet as follows: inisters and board of trade officials. lany meetings of railway workers were n progress during the day for the disssion of labor questions from the titonal standpoint. Immediately upon the return of Arthur Henderson from Tax on transheld of the Labor party and trades union parliamentary committee and other interested bodies to discuss the continent, a joint meeting will be union parliamentary committee and other interested bodies to discuss the entire situation.

At a meeting of the railway men held in the Euston Theatre today

These Habers and trades Tax on better tachines Tax on better tachines are to be accountable to the railway men and tobacco.

Admissions and dues

mes Henry Thomas, labor member parliament, and secretary of the ational Union of Railwaymen, made strong appeal to the laborites to teep the laror movement on constitulines. It was within their yower, he said, to say to the state, "unless you do this we

Affects Demobilization. Full application of the agreement for eight-hour day, Mr. Thomas conessitated the release of a least 128,000 railwaymen from the army, but demobilization of the army now depended upon the railway operating corps. If that corps were deobilized as was demanded the troop ould be left stranded in France, Bel rium and Germany. It would be absurd claim that the other soldiers who had been fighting the same as the railway men did not matter and could be left stranded. The speaker added that a new system was about to be intro-duced for shipping the troops more by vater routes than by railroads. This would facilitate demobilization of the

railway men, but until these men were able to return it would be impossible

primary industries, and not un-Strike is Complicated.

The explanation the work- purchase.

BRITISH OFFICERS LEAVE NEW YORK FOR ENGLAND

New York, Feb. 9 .- British and Greek haval, military and diplomatic White Star liner Adriate which sailed vesterday for Liverpool. The Britons sailing were Admiral Sir W. L. Grant, who commanded the fleet in American waters:

Brigadier-General J. D. Cormack, head of the British air production in the ited States: Major-General John Headlam, formerly head of British arillery production; General Charles Lee, head of British flying corps, and Sir Geoffrey Butler, head of the British information bureau.

ALL MUST SERVE IS REDS' DECREE

Bolshevik Government Orders Service in Army Regardless of Nationality.

London, Feb. 9.-The Bolshevik Government has declared that all persons in Russia, irrespective of Red army, according to a Copenhagen despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

U.S. WAR REVENUE TAX REACHES ALL CLASSES

LABOR TROUBLES New Bill Passed Draws Largely Increased Revenue From Incomes and Luxuries of the Entire Nation.

> Special to The Toronto World. revenue bill, which calls upon the it is difficult to see how any class or

taxpayers of the United States to dividual can evade due proportion pay upwards of six billion dollars into the federal treasury during the current fiscal year and the following years. The conference committee did not present with the revenue bill an estimate by the different titles of the bill but an exaction calculation of the senate early in the without alteration that the London, Feb. 9.—Premier Lloyd bill, but an unofficial calculation of the revenues that will be payable for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, as compared with the process without fear, favor or affection. The

> portation and other facilities 230,000,000 dues Excise taxes... Special taxes... 76,000,000 28.617.000 32,000,000 Stamp taxes.... Floor taxes.

Total\$4,370,117,000 \$6,019,466,000 Few Will Escape. The foregoing table shows that on burden of Personal wealth the more an average levy of nearly sixty-one dollars a head on every man, woman

and child, black and white, of the Washington, Feb. 8.—The house to-hundred million inhabitants of the United States the war revenue bill ight adopted by a vote of 310 to 11, will be met. It is a comprehensive after six hours' discussion, the war and searching piece of legislation, and

as compared with the present law is backs that can bear most are not as follows:

Present Conference
Law Bill.
Income tax ...\$1,458,500,000 \$2,207,000,000

War excess profile present taw is spared. For instance, a man whose net income is \$1,000,000 will surrender \$703,620 of it in the form of personal income tax. The bachelor whose income is \$2000 and the control of the fits tax..... 1,791,000.000 2.420.000,000 income is \$3000 a year, with exemption at \$1000, will be taxed \$120. The married man of \$2000 income is \$2000 income is \$3000 a year, with exemption at \$1000, will be taxed \$120. married man of \$3000 income gets exemption up to \$2000. Everyone who spends money outside of the summon such a national converse of life must add an extra necessaries of life must add an extra 425,000,000 of something like 10 per cent. for the

(Concluded on Page 7, Column 3).

HOUSE-TO-HOUSE

Alleged Delivery of Cases by the Wagon Load Leads to Arrests.

Further evidence of the extensive flicit liquor trafficking going on in CLEVER CAPTURE e give full effect to an eight-hour Toronto was made evident Saturday night when Plainclothesman Ward Mr. Lloyd George is now expected and members of the license departtake up his famous role as con-lilator in dealing with the labor ment arrested James Sullivan and Several newspapers appeal James Murray. Both men are charged him to produce in parliament a with selling liquor. They refused to Telephone Fetches Police at for uniform divulge their home addresses to the burs of work on a basis of wages in police, who are confident that the take piecemeal settlements which accused were conducting a large liquor business in the city.

Saturday afternoon, it is alleged, the The underground strike situation is police watched the two men deliver cases of whiskey in a wagon to diffical statements that the strikers was arrested at midnight Saturday, charged with cial statements that the strikers case of the city. The pro-name to an agreement with the board ferent parts of the city. The pro-holding up Isaac Vise, in a store at 28 the National Union of Railwaymen, which opposed the strike, are stand-

possession of and moved to the sta- and made the arrest.

Alex. Chemmy's admission last night VILNA EVACUATED the police that he had stolen a bottle of alcohol before leaving a Polish wedding celebration, will prove pretty costly to him. Chemmy lives at 55 St. Patrick street, and while on his way home he passed West Dundas street station. Constable Gill approached him and placed him under arrest on a charge

of a breach of the Ontario Temperance Act, which if proven means a fine of \$200 and costs to Chemmy.

Ignatz Jumborsky, 145 Ontario street, was arrested by Provincial Officer Bruney, when he arrived at the Union Station yesterday morning from Montreal. Jumborsky was bringing in alcohol, and is charged with a breach of the O. T. A. Cornelius Blundell, 71 West Queen

street, was arrested Sunday after-noon by Plainclothesman Ward, charged with peddling whiskey in a Queen street hotel. S. La Force, a soldier at Exhibition Camp, was arrested by Ward, at the

BLOCKADE NOW LIFTED FROM CZECHO-SLOVAKIA

Returning Soldiers

About 400 Toronto men have arrived at Halifax on board the troopship Carmania. Their names will be found on Page 5 of this issue. They are now on the way to Quebec, where they will be detrained for documentation, and they are expected to arrive in Toronto some time Wednesday.

OF HOLD-UP MAN

the Double Just in

William O'Brien, aged 32 years, of COL. MITCHELL WILL

manded \$50.

Members of the Vise family were in the rear of the store. One of them men give is the rivalry between the After Sullivan and Murray had been ran out the back door and telephoned two unions, the officers wishing to taken to West Dundas street police for the police. Plainclothesmen men give is the rivalry between the two unions, the officers wishing to show that it is the more powerful, and thereby gain members.

Bolshevism is the explanation of the strike given by the National Labor party executive committee, the chairman of which, James A. Seddon, has issued an appeal to the workers of Great Britain.

After Sullivan and Murray had been taken to West Dundas street police to the back door and telephoned for the police. Plainclothesmen for the police. Plainclothesmen for the police. Porbes and Dunn were despatched to the Bulwar street store. In the meantime, O'Brien ran to the back door, which was being held from the outside by two of the storekeeper's family. Turning around O'Brien bolted for the front door, and was seen by Forbes and Dunn The plain-clothesmen chased O'Rien to Plain taken to West Dundas street police for the police. Plainclothesmen for the police. Plainclothesmen of the Bulwar street store. In the meantime, O'Brien ran to the back door, which was being held from the outside by two of the storekeeper's family. Turning around O'Brien bolted for the front door, and was seen by Forbes and Dunn The plain-clothesmen chased O'Rien to Plain taken to West Dundas street police for the police. Plainclothesmen of the back door the Bulwar street store. In the meantime, O'Brien ran to the back door, which was being held from the outside by two of the storekeeper's family. Turning around O'Brien bolted for the form the police. Plainclothesmen of the police. Plainclothes King street." On looking into it water by Forbes and Dunn. The plaintound six cases, containing 72 bottles clothesmen chased O'Brien to Richer of whiskey. The whiskey was taken

BY THE BOLSHEVIKI

troops and an advance by Finnish and Esthonian troops, the Bolshevik have evacuated Vilna.

DANGER D

and Smaller Ones to Follow.

Bread has taken another tumble in rear of a Yonge street hotel, with a bottle of whiskey. He is also charged with a breach of the O. T. A.

Bread has taken another tumble in price—the second within the last couple of days—and can now be bought for nine cents a loaf or 12 tickets for a dollar, which brings it building schemes are being planned for down to \$ 1-3 cents as compared with the new cross-town thorofore over the 11 cents charged last week.

The cut, however, is not general. There are some of the smaller dealers Paris, Feb. 8.—The blockade committee of the supreme council of the peace conference has announced meet the lower figure said they were

GERMAN SOVIETS FOR THE ASSEMBLY

Soldiers' and Working Men's Council Authorize Calling of a General Congress.

HOPE TO HOLD POWER

If Hamburg is Entered Bridges Will Be Blown Up and Food Vessels Destroyed.,

Berlin, Feb. 9 .- The congress of oldiers' councils attached to various of the German army corps concluded its sessions here with the adoption of a resolution calling upon the central council of the soldiers' and working men's boards to summon a general congress of all the German soviets by February 20. If the central oun-cil of 27 members refuses to comply.

240,600,000 or something like to per term soda will state. A ten-cent ice cream soda will minated by radical elements, it is expected that it will lose no time in As the Berlin body is wholly do be 11 cents. If money is not put into direct circulation but invested in any making use of the prerogative given it, especially as the central council of 27,865,000 or company having it in possession is 41,000,000 invited to pay. The tax-collecter searches out the possessor of weal? In the principle that its functions wherever he may hide his substance would case with the installation of wherever he may hide his substance would cease with the installation of or savings, and the ingenuity of the new coalition democratic governprobe is undeniable. The bigger the ment.

workingmen's boards all over Ger-many are in full accord with the action of the soldiers, and thus the prospective fight of the soviets for retention of their authority undiminished promises to supply a lively counter-action to that of the con-stituent assembly. Military Policies Criticized.

The concluding session of the sol-liers' congress was marked by further sharp criticism of the military policies of the government and of its present attitude toward the soviets. One Hamburg soldiers' delegate declared that 40,000 workingmen Hamburg were under arms, and that if the Gerstenberger division, now occupying Bremen, attempted to en-ter Hamburg, the first shot fired would be a signal for the blowing up of bridges and of food cargo vessels. The workingmen, he declared, were well organized into companies, and the Hamburg soviet had at its disposal in addition 100,000 troops within the precincts of the 19th army corps. The congress also adopted a reso-

viets, was illegal. SUCCEED DEAN ELLIS

lution declaring that the ordinance

of the minister of war on January 19. affecting the authority of the so-

of trade in the early morning hours, vincial men claim to have purchased trains.

The Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers, which is the principal organization on strike, made an agreement, but now the members of the National Union of Railwaymen.

The Officers used four marked \$10 the city. The properties of the properties of the properties of the city. The properties of the prop That Colonel C. H. Mitchell, C. M. university pensions' regulations. Sir Robert stated that work upon the new engineering, and other university buildings would commence arly in the summer. Additions to Citawa Feb 9 - The Dominion Go various other faculty buildings will

gal Republican Government aggregating 50,000 men are concentrating around Oporto, the Royalist stronghold, according to advices reaching here from Lisbon. It was announced that attacks by the royalists upon republican troops had been overcome, and that the railways are operating under normal conditions. The mobilization of youths, which was regred to as war measures purely, agreed to as war measures purely, agreed to as war measures purely, and they say, they may embloding them up robbed to ploy men who would otherwise be ployed the proposed to the proposed to the proposed the ploy men who would otherwise be ployed the proposed the ployed the proposed the plant the proposed the Basle, Feb. 9.—Advices received mobilization of youths, which was re- here from Kovna assert that as a re- cently ordered by the government, is and unless shipbuilders are willing, in sult of the success of the Lithuanian declared to have been effected with- order to keep their men going

DANGER DIMINISHING

Warsaw, Feb. 9.—Polish forces have opposition may say that a million of steel plates and the high profits of the shipyard owners, might give of the shipyard owners, might give of the shipyard owners. the Ruthenian soldiers.

Real Estate Moving.

The Robins Co. advertised in Friday's office.

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SUPREME ECONOMIC COUNCIL FOR PERIOD OF ARMISTICE

MORE SEVERE CONDITIONS FOR RENEWAL OF ARMISTICE

Supreme Council Said to Have Decided to Impose Them on Account of German Nonfulfilment. of Obligations.

Paris, Feb. 9.—The supreme war council is reported to have reached a decision at yesterday's meeting that it was necessary to impose more severe conditions upon Germany for renewal of the armistice, because of Germany's attitude toward the fulfilment of her obligations. Decisions are also said to have been reached for the control of German demobilization and of the production of plants formerly engaged in producing war material.

It is expected that the means for securing the execution of the conditions laid down will be reached at Monday's session of the council.

BOLSHEVIST GUNS TAKEN BY ALLIES

Petrograd, But Are Forced to Retire.

grad road from Kadish on Saturday. by the allies during the fighting.

three miles south of Kadish. broug t into position on the railroad er than water.

Selltsoe on the Dvina and Shegovari, on the Vaga, yesterday.

A Russian courier who has arrived here reports that troops operating thru the forests to the left of the Petrograd road, south of Kadish, succeeded for a time in cutting off the retreat of 800 of the enemy, who were at the same time attacked on the front by the allied infantry.

When it became necessary to withdraw from the extreme advanced positions, the guns which had been captured were destroyed.

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LESSEN SHIP OUTPUT

Toronto Shipyards May Not Get Contracts Because of Excessive Prices Asked.

PORTUGUESE ROYALISTS

AT THE LAST DITCH

Paris, Feb. 9.—Forces of the Portugal Republican Government aggregating 50,000 men are concentrating around Oporto, the Royalist strains and operation on Thursday headed by Mayor Church and the harbor commissioners and directed by Col. Miller and other shareholders in the shipbuilding concerns. These latter are anxious to get additional ship contracts so, as they say, they may employ men who would otherwise be police investigation found no foundation thanded the other \$60, which Woodward had given to Singer, he bundled the \$216 up and will let the magistrate decide who is the owner of it. One story told by the men at the station was that three men, one of whom was Woodward, had driven up to them on Christopher street, and holding them up robbed them of \$375. to cut profits to a reasonable margin above cost, it may be hard to meet the request. The abnormally high price paid by the government for ship plates now being used, is to be subject of a rather warm debate in parliament; and the conception may say that a million ANUHER UKUP IN PKILE

If the Bolsnevists is diminishing of the shapyard owners, hight give along the Polish frontiers. The Czechs continue their advance in Galicia.

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the government building in Toronto.

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From Brest Brest New York Limited, manufacturing furriers, corrected.

New York Liverpool Brest Liverpoo

CITY WATER AT **JORDAN PRICES**

\$375 Barrel.

Archangel, Feb. 9.—Allied forces advanced five miles down the Petrocaused a scene of disorder at the certain armistice period in the solu-Two Bolshevist guns were captured corner of University avenue and Heavy reinforcements arrived and strengthened the Bolshevist front and the allies retired to new positions three miles south of Kadish the allies retired to new positions three miles south of Kadish.

New heavy guns which were reough into position on the railroad root shelled the Rolehevit (Front Stelled the Rolehevit (Fron

broug f into position on the railroad front shelled the Bolshevist forces beavily on Saturday afternoon. Allied airplanes bombed enemy positions at Selltsoe on the Dvina and Shegovari, on the Vaga, yesterday.

Carthan water.

M. Woodward, 887 Fast Queen street, who is said by the police to have transacted the sale for a commission of \$50, denied that he knew that the barrel contained water. He

S. Singer, of 22 East Gerrard Street. This was not satisfactory and a street fight started. An emergency police call food, blockade was sent in and a number of police-raw materials. men sent to Queen street in the patrol

wagon.

At the police station Sergt. Dent examined the men and they told such conflicting stories that he decided to hold Woodward and Levy on charges of disorderly conduct and left the matter to be settled in police court this morning.

A charge of a breach of the Temperance Act could not be made, as their was no liquor in the barrel. During the first \$155 was taken from Wood-Ottawa, Feb. 9.—The Dominion Gov-ward, and when the sergeant was ernment is to receive a deputation handed the other \$60, which Woodward

Reach an Agreement With Russian "Reds."

Paris, Feb. 9.-No official annguncement has been made since the receipt of the Bolshevist acceptance to the invitation to the Princes' Islands conference as to what furbuilding industry is to be especially favored. It may be some weeks before Hon. Mr. Ballantyne, minister of marine, will have sufficiently recovered from his illness to be back in office. Orders, however, are going forward to start at once on some of vice, has since been trying to get an for the United States, and Gen. Robagreement that hostilities will cease all over Russia and adjacent coun-TWAS A GREEN CHRISTMAS.

all over Russia and adjacent countries, including Archangel, before the tries, including Archangel, before the conference assembles. Otherwise, it ion was issued on Saturday:

"At 10.80 o'clock this community, at the community of the co The soft Christmas Weather is conference assembles. Otherwise, it largely responsible for the great reduction in prices of furs announced by Dineen's. The season has closed, presentatives.

Design on this question is me.

Will Be Established To Deal With Finance, Food, Blockade Control, Raw Materials and Shipping --- Will Absorb Other Bodies.

Paris, Feb. 9-That a supreme council be formed to deal with matters non-military, such as finance, food, blockade, control shipping and raw materials, and that such council shall absorb or replace existing bodies dealing with such matters, and also that two civilians shall be added to the permanent international armistice commission was the decision of the supreme war council at its session yesterday. These civilians will consult with the high military authorities, but will report to the supreme

economic council. The newly created "supreme economic council" has taken rank next in importance to the society of na-TAKEN BY ALLIES

JORDAN PRICES

tions' commission. Its membership will be announced very soon, and it will get to work immediately thereafter. It will have charge of food supply. shipping, blockade and possibly financial questions. It has been suggested that this council may become permanent and account and possibly financial questions.

ome permanent and assume an immense authority.

Even if limited in existence to the

The official statement issued yester-

day says: "The supreme war council met this afternoon from three to five o'clock, at the Quai d'Orsay. The discussion of the terms of the renewal of the armistice was continued. The following resolution proposed by President son was approved:
"'First-Under present conditions

many questions not primarily of military character, which are arising daily, and which are bound to become increasing importance as time passes, should be dealt with on behalf of the United States and the allies by civillan representatives of these governments experienced in such questions-finance, food, blockade control, shipping and "'Second-To accomplish this, there

shall be constituted at Paris a supreme Both Arrested.

On arrival of the police Woodward matters for the period of the armistice. and Sam Levy, of 62 Teraulay street, The council shall absorb or replace all were fighting and were both arrested. such other existing inter-allied bodies

shall consult with the allied high command, but who may report direct to the supreme economic council." "The next meeting will take place on Monday at three o'clock in the after-Germany and Poland.

one of the questions which the and supreme inter-allied war council discussed was the gravity of the relations between Germany and Poland, according to despatches from Paris. The military danger with which Germany menaces Poland, it is felt, may threaten France later on. So far, it is declared, the Germans have turned a deaf ear to the injunctions of Marshal Foch in regard to the evacuation of territory claimed by the Poles. The Germans are holding an army in readiness to march into Poland and are concentrating troops in the east.

The war council is resolved to comab-French Government Trying to pel Germany to carry out the clauses of the armistice, and in the renewal of the armistice on Feb. 17, will probably impose such conditions that from the point of view of the demobilization and disarmament, all the danger threaten-

ing Poland will be removed.

It is declared in well informed French quarters that in view of the German attitude toward the Poles, the associated powers may think it advisable to consider the question the occupation of the port of Danzig