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FAIR AND MILD

TWO CENTS

SECOND DAY OF MINERS' STRIKE PASSED QUIETLY

Both Sides Preparing for First Disastrous Fire Destroyed the Test of Strength Expected Today.

6,200 MINES WERE CLOSED SATURDAY

Head of Miners' Union Order ed Before Congressional Committee at Washington

New York, April 2—The second day of the country-wide coal mine strike passed quietly with both sides preparing for the first test of strength which was expected Monday. Union officials maintained that 600,000 men, of whom 100,000 were non-union miners, were idie Saturday and that 6200 mines were closed, only some 1606 open shoppits being in operation.

While not disputing these figures, loperators declared many of these men fould return to work Monday, as Saturday was observed as a holiday, the anniversary of the granting of the cight hour day in the mines. West Virginia operators, also, were reported preparing to re-open unionized mines on an open shop basis.

Observe Tacit Truce.

In the main however both sides were expected to observe a tacit truce, and make no effort for the time being to operate the mines. The miners are supplying the engineers and pumpers necessary to protect the pits from slooding.

In the meantime, the eyes of the country will be turned to Washington, where John L. Lewis, internation president of the miners, will appear before a congressional committee to testify rearding strike issues. Government of ficials have held that only the exist-since of an emergency could justify government intervention, and that such an emergency does not exist at this time because of adequate supplies of coal on hand throughout the country. Reports from most of the unionized fields indicated that Sunday passed fields indicated th

FUNERAL OF SIR

Expected to be the Most Imposing and Impressive Ceremony of Its Kind

JUSTICE METCALFE. WINNIPEG, DEAD

Has Been in Ill Health Since Trial of Winnipeg Strike Leaders, 1920.

OF COAL FIELDS

Senate Committee Threatens To Do So If Industry is Not Reorganized.

Washington, April: 2—Government teration of the coal mines was sugseted in a statement Saturday by mator Borah, Republican, Idaho, airman of the Senate Labor Comittee, after conferences with representatives of miners and operators, as Senator said this was the altertive if the coal industry was not organized.

CHILD FALLS OVER **CLIFF AND DROWNS**

One Burned To Death and Four Are Missing

Town of Hazelton, British

Vancouver, B. C., April 2—One person was burned to death and four others are missing as a result of a disastrous fire which destroyed the town of Hazelton, H. C., this morning, according to reports reaching here. Frank Walsh, a well known travelling man, lost his life. The estimate of the property loss is \$100,000.

ROLL OF FATAL **CASUALTIES IN** BELFAST, 44

Total for March Makes Blackest Month in Belfast's Story.

BELFAST TO DUBLIN

Surgeons Remove Inch and Half Nail from a Man's HEAVY EARTH SHOCKS

Toronto, April 2—Isaac Campbell, of Caiedonia, Cape Breton, had an inch and a half nail removed from his spine in the Western Hospital here on March 27, following an unusual operation.

The nail had been imbedded in Campbell's spine for twanty and years.

Winnipeg, April 2—The death occurred here this afternoon of Mr. Justice T. L. Metcalfe, of the Court of King's Bench, aged 52. He was born in St. Thomas, Ont. Ever since the trial of the Winnipeg strike lead ers, early in 1920, Mr. Justice Metcalfe had been in ill health, which was occasioned by the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the ground of the Winnipeg strike lead ers, early in 1920, Mr. Justice Metcalfe had been in ill health, which was occasioned by the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the ground of the winning with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy proceedings in connection with the growth of the strain of the lengthy in 1920, Mr. Justice Met and the growth of the lengthy in 1920, Mr. Justice Met and the growth of the lengthy in 1920, Mr. Justice Met and the growth of the strain of the lengthy in 1920, Mr. Justice Met and the growth of the strain of the lengthy in 1920, Mr. Justice Met and the growth of the strain of the lengthy in 1920, Mr. Justice Met and the growth of the lengthy in 1920, Mr. Justice Met and the growth of the strain of the lengthy in 1920, Mr. Justice Met and

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PEACE PACT IS SAYS DE VALERA

Collins Regards Latest Agreement as Opening New Era in Northeast Ireland.

EXTENT OF SPLIT IN ARMY REVEALED

2,000 Swear to Free Themselves from Further Responsibility to the Dail.

Dublin, April 2—The campaign of election oratory continued today, Eamon De Valera addressed a demonstration at Dundalk. Referring to the new peace pact, Mr. De Valera said that already in North Ireland it was regarded as a scrap of paper.

Michael Collins spoke at Castlebar. He also alluded to the new agreement which he declared opened up a new era in the Northeast, and added im mensely to the prospect of a new union between the North and South. That prospect, he said, would become almost a certainty if the people could reach an understanding among them selves. An appeal was made by Mr. Collins for consideration of this point by the followers of De Valera.

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CONTINUE IN SERBIA some pensionals of

More Than Hundred Houses Destroyed and Many Others Damaged.

Beigrade, April 2—Continuous heavy earth shocks are occurring throughout Serbia. More than 100 houses have been destroyed and many others damaged. The monetary loss up to the present time is estimated at 30,000,000 dinars. (Normally the dinar is worth 191-2 cents.)

The authorities in certain districts have advised the people to keep outdoors as much as possible and to watch various animals for the sign of fear they show in anticipation of earth shocks.

Bolshevik Talk SCRAP OF PAPER, From Member Of Federal House

Labor Member Irvine Says Revolution Is Coming in Canada-500,000 Funerals Needed.

Montreal, April 2—W. Irvine. Labor M. P. for Calgary East, speaking at the open forum of the Montreal Labor College here to-day, said that while there was a foment in Canada leading towards a revolution which will eventually lead to a new social order, the time is not yet rips for action, and will not be until there has been a considerable process of organization and a development in education.

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In the militia department also some to the militia department also some to the militia were discharged at the end of the fiscal year. Employes in some of the other departments such as pensions board and D. S. C. R. were also dispensed with.

GILLEN BOARD HAS NOT BEEN RECONSTITUTED

Minister of Labor Refuses to Act So Long as McLachlan Policy Prevails.

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NEW SCHEME TO SAVE INSURANCE CHARGES

Ontario Sends Bonds to New York in Suit Cases Accompanied by Police.

Toronto, April 2—The Province of Ontario saved about \$1,500 in insurance charges a few days ago by sending \$15,000,000 worth of provincial bonds to New York in ordinary suit cases in charge of a squad of half a dozen provincial officials and police.

LOST LIFE IN FIRE Petoton, Ont., April 2—Wiley Ellsworth, squad 78 years lost his life in the fire that destroyed the barns on the farm near here, owned by Dr. Dorsey of Red Deer, Alt., yesterday in the policy of "the strike on the strike on

MENACING FIRE SITUATION AT

Blaze, Starting Among Grease and Lubricating Oils, Threatened City.

IMPERIAL OIL CO'S WAREHOUSE BURNED

Nearby Storage Tanks Containing Gasoline and Kerosene in Danger Zone.

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MANY CHANGES

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Employees Discharged With End of Fiscal Year.

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The origin of the fire is unknown.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., April 2—A fire, which broke out at three o'clook Saturday afternoon among gresse and lubricating oils stored in the Imperial Oil Company's wooden warehouse near here, and which for many hurs threatened to ignite nearby was only extinguished this morning after a hard fight. A strong northwest wind blowing the flames and sparks from the burning building directly against the off tanks, and in the direction of the city, made the aituation very menacing throughout the afternoon and night. The fire was very spectacular, and the enormous clouds of dense black smoke the direction of the city, added to the alarm of the city, added to the alarm of the city, added to the alarm of the city and the trong building, while another of larger capacity was fifty feet away and with in fifty yards there was a tank containing \$50,000 gallons of gasoline. Owing to the smoke the firemen had seven the providence of the city and the

weather man played a sorry joke here of the rambury back that have over disgraced a country.

They scattered as they fied, pursued by hundreds in the square. Three encaped.

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OUT BY ELEVATOR

Montreal, April 1—Crushed between reight elevator and the shaft. Hori mides Dumoulin, 17, was instantly with the plant of Daoust Lalonde & Company, Limited, here Saturday. No one saw the accident, and the theory is that the youth had bent over the enclosure of the elevator to look down and was caught by it as it moved upwards.

"DAL" UNIVERSITY RECORDS EARTHQUAKE

Calgary Miners Carry Out Threat CHARLOTTETOWN And Go On Strike

In All Organized Mining Camps in Province the Miners "Down Tools."

Calgary, April 1—Eight thousand miners in District 18 carried out their threat of suspending work Saturday morning. In all the organized mining camps in the Province and Northeastern British Columbia, the order for downing tools was carried out, notwithstanding the efforts made by the Federal Minister of Labor to prevent a cessation of operations.

VIENNA UPSET BY THE DEATH OF CHARLES

Unexpected Display of Emo tion by the People on Receipt of News.

SPECULATION ON POLITICAL EFFECT

May Result in Move to Con

COAL STRIKE 100 PER CENT. EFFECTIVE

Halifax, N. S., April 2—The seismo-graph at Dalhousie University here recorded an earthquake at 3.50 p. m. John L. Lewis, president of the United today, but the disturbance was too Mine Workers declared today, on his slight to indicate the direction or dis-arrival here to attend Congressional

ANOTHER GRIM **WEEK-END FOR BELFAST FOLKS**

Series of Murders and Fires Occurred in the Sinn Fein Area.

HOMES ENTERED AND OCCUPANTS KILLED

Prelate Calls Upon All Christians to Loathe Such Murderous Actions.

Belfast, April 2—Four men were shot and killed and three children were wounded last night in the Sinn Fein area near the Old Lodge road district. The ages of the men ranged from 40 to 63. The children are two, seven and thirteen years old.

It was another grim week-end for Belfast. The shooting of the men is believed to have been a reprisal for the killing on Saturday of Constable George Turner, who had been a regular policeman for fourteen years. The assassin fired at Turner from a vacant house and made hig secape. Inter, heavy rifle and revolver firing, punctuated with the shricks of women and children, were heard, and shortly afterward the bodies of the four men were taken to a hospital where the three wounded children also were conveyed. The father of the children, Joseph Walsh, was one of 'he men who was shot and killed. All the killings took place in the homes of the victims.

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Brockville, Ont., April 2—Disaster overtook members of a burlesque theatrical troupe walking the ties, en route from Kingston to Montreal, today, when the police arrested at the Union Station Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bostock (the latter known professionally as Hazel Patterson), and Fred. Willis, of Kingston, on a charge of having entered a house at Yonge Mills, west of here, and ransacking it. The quartette admitted having entered the house while the owners were absent for the purpose of seeking shelter from the storm. Willis was accompanying the burlesque performers

ICE STILL HOLDS AT FREDERICTON