POOR DOCUMENT C 2 The Kvening Timez-Star HOME The Weather Fair and Warmen SAINT JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1926 TWO CENTS ON SATURDAY ONLY **TWENTY-FOUR PAGES** VOL. XXII., No. 179 Last British Coal Strike Recalled Session Just Ended One Power Commission Will Of Longest On **Recommend Exten-**Record sion To Gov't **85 BILLS PASSED** SHEDIAC APPLIES What Practically Amounts To Martial Law May Involve Rules In England; Special Trains Ready To **Delegates** Asked To Secure More Many Impo Carry Naval Men If Trouble Rises Discussed and Approved Information; Reilly Lauds European New Projects **By** Legislators

TRANSPORT WORKERS ARE INCLUDED Mine Workers

Distribution of Essential Foodstuffs Provided For If General Walk out Takes Place; Hopes Faint For Reopening of Parleys With Mine Owners

Canadian Press

ONDON, May 1.— The General Council of the Trades Union Congress has issued a detailed Memorandum regarding the trades and unions which have been called upon to cease work Tuesday. It is under-stood that the safety crews in all the coal mines throughout the country will be allowed to continue work in order to prevent damage to the mines. The industries affected in the general strike order

include: . Transport, railways, sea, docks, harbors, roads and railway repair shops, unions connected with maintenance of air transport and the printing trade, including the press; productive industries in iron, steel, heavy chemicals and building trades, except those on hospital work; electricity and gas, including power lines. The council has recommended that there be no interference in the santiary services, health, food and hospital supplies.

The British government today moved detachments of troops into the coal mining areas of South Wales, Lancashire and Scotland. The movement, characterized as "purely a precautionary measure," is to assist police in maintaining order during the miners' strike.

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LONDON, May 1.—Great Britain faces a general strike as a result of the coal miners' strike against lower wages and increased hours.
More than 200,000 private and comparison Act and an Act ready for distribution services. It is add that last night many of these were a bill to amend the Health Act, a bill to amend the Act th

between the coal owners and miners, may be re-opened, but the hope is very faint. In proclaiming that "a state of emergency exists" the government subsidy was granted to moly troops or take any other and insure the welfare of the popula-tion. NKAR STATE OF SIEGE Great Britain is placed under what approaches a state of siege by the provergenciation that "a state of emergency exists." While not a proclam-to end in success, expired at midhight approaches a state of siege by the provergenciation of the industry and insure the welfare of the gopura-tion. NEAR STATE OF SIEGE

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gency exists." While not a proclama-

tion of martial law, or a formal state of siege, it gives the government al-were faced with the necessity of runof siege, it gives the government al-most unlimited powers. The only limitation prescribed in the law under which the proclamation is issued, is that the government cannot declare in-untrial consections for compulsory They offered the miners a uniform

that the government cannot declare in-dustrial conscription for compulsory military service. Apart from this limitation, it may institute any measures it desires for the preservation of peace, the secur-ing and regulation of supplies of food, fuel, light and other necessities, and port. The DEADINESS

MINERS LACK FUNDS There is not much talk of employ-

There is not much talk of employ-ment of troops, as the government is not inclined to stir the passions of the workers at this juncture of the crisis. However, it is reported that some naval units have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for special service, and it is safe to say that the troops throughout the country are pre-pared for any emergency. The financial section of London

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PROROGATION of the Legislature last night at Fredericton resulted in the arrival in the city today of many British United Press of the members en route to their homes I ONDON. May 1-The beginning after one of the longest first sessions today of a British coal strike inon record. Usually, the sessions subsevolving one million men, which quent to an election are not of a may conceivably eventually involve lengthy nature but the one just conthe miners in Germany, Belgium, cluded, in the opinion of several veterans, extended over a longer period than Poland and Czecho-Slovakia, has others of this kind.. The Legislature made this May Day potentially the opened on March 11 last, concluding on darkest since the war for workers throughout Europe. the last day of April.

Many important pieces of legislation will make the one just finished a note-worthy one. The outstanding work of the session was the passage of bills re-lating to the development of the Grand Falls but probably the most interesting to the development at large was the bill Labor's solidarity which is symbolized by May Day observances, may soon be put to a practical test if the continental miners adhere to to the electorate at large was the bill the Amsterdam agreement to suprelating to direct taxatio port the strike of the British miners.

OTHER MEASURES This agreement, which would

OTHER MEASURES In these two respects alone, the late claim to an historic session, but back-ing these up arc bills relating to ex-tension of the crown land leases to puly and paper companies for a period of 30 years; increased taxes on back, trust and loan companies, telepione and express companies, insurance com-panies; a gasoline tax; and consolida-tion of the Highway Act, the latter an important enactment. In the matter of heavy legislation, therefore, the session was an outstanding one. These two respects alone, the latter trust and non companies, telepione and express companies, insurance com-panies; a gasoline tax; and consolida-tion of the Highway Act, the latter an important enactment. In the matter of heavy legislation, therefore, the session plunge Europe's workers into vital conflicts would be effective only if the British miners request the support of sympathetic strikes. In that event the British miners would agree to remain ou strike until continental miners obtained what they de-

nonths. The government, since the last was an outstanding one. strike, also has been preparing for the 85 BILLS APPROVED possibility of a future emergency, and Eighty-five bills were passed during for the state of high sheriffs of New Brunswick, anounced today following the complestrike, also has been preparing for the

manded.

which confront it."

RHINE PROFITS.

FREDERICTON, May 1.-John H. McCollom this morning handed in to the city treasurer everything pertaining t_{i} the offices of city marshal and tax collector and is not an applicant for reappointment. Seven applications have

received. The appointment will



to take on coal at Cardiff, Wales, have entered port. About 500 Rhine coal Strike Begins United Press

Damaged Schooner ONDON, May 1-While the miners were framing their vital reply to the government's final sug-HALIFAX, N. S., May 1 .--- The gestion for compromise a large



Above, colliery officials from the offices and underground staff photographed at one of the mines. Left niners leave work leading a pit pony which seldom sees daylight. Right, empty coal bunkers and idle carts Such sights as these are common during English coal strikes.

HE WAS a little chubby-faced Canadian Press. lad of four or The and he was just getting acquainted with his is said to have perfected elaborate ar-rangements to meet the public needs for food and other necessities. In the session. Ninety bills were introduced, five of these were a bill to amend the Health In the View Dranswich, and interview Dranswich, and and interview Dranswich, and interview Dr new kiddie neighbors in the Waterloo street area, whence the exigen-

> UNITED CHURCH MEETS DUE IN MAY

Maritime Conference to Sit in Sackville on 25th; Work to **Be Reviewed**

Canadian Press

TORONTO, May 1-Every confer-ence of the United Church of Canada has decided to meet during May. All

Put Clock Hands

REMEMBER to set the hands of

Arrives At Halifax | Hour Ahead Tonight

BRUSSELS, May 1-Belgian miners oday decided to meet May sixth to de-"An' 'en, 's morning Daddy went to the back door-you know, just t' ide on their attitude toward the Britsee if Sport had come back-an' sh mine strike. It is expected that there he was. An' right beside him

they will take measures to prevent the export of coal to Britain if the Brit-ish mines are still idle then. was Pussy!" . . . THE little throng stood, breath-**Particulars Asked**

less, wide-eyed. "G'way! Ye don't mean-In Election Charge one of them started.

And Brought Cat

Tiny Tot Tells of Animal In-

telligence In Moving Day

have none, but ours has."

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"An' 'en, last night, w'en Daddy

went to lock the back door, Sport

was gone, an' he w'isseled and

urged.

Canadian Press HURST PARK, Eng., May 1.— Phalaros, owned by Mrs. Arthur James, won the Victoria Cup race, of Glanely's Capture Him, was second and Sir George Bullough's Ethnarch was third. Seventeen ran. Phalaros won by four lengths and there was a length and a half between Capture Him and Ethnarch. The bet-ting against Phalaros was 9 to 2; against Capture Him, 100 to 6 and against Ethnarch 8 to 1. "Sure! That old dog knew EDMONTON, Alta., May 1.- A Susomething, I'll bet you," the narrator broke in. 'I betcha he just' said. 'Guess I'd better go back and get Pussy; they musta forgot 'er,' and I s'pose he jus' went, that's all, and brung 'er right home.

That's wat Daddy says, anyway, an' my Daddy knows a whole lot, he does.'

And maybe Daddy was right. Who knows?

Port Arthur To Keep Hockey Team Intact the clocks ahead an hour at PORT ARTHUR, Ont., May 1-

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New Brunswick Electric Power Comission, and work on the transmission lines will be commenced shortly, it was learned today. At a meeting of the commission in Fredericton this week the members were assured that there were sufficient contract applications to carry the service, and it was decided to recommend this extension at the next meeting of the Government. An application from residents of Shediac for extension of the system to that town also was before the Commission and delegates representing the, town were requested to secure information as to the number of prospective customers and submit this to the commission. If such information is favorable, it is likely that the system will be extended to include Shediac.

EXTENSION of the Musquash sys-

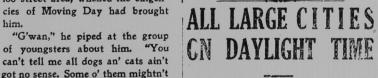
has been practically decided on by the

tem to Havelock, Kings county,

REILLY OPTIMISTIC.

Hon. E. A. Reilly, K. C., chairman of the commission, passed through the city this morning, en route to Moncton. Along With Him He expressed optimism over the Grand Falls and Nepisiguit River Hydro developments and predicted great indus-trial strides for the province resulting

om them. "It has taken many months to bring our negotiations to a successful con-clusion," he said, "but now that that part has been completed the govern ment and the commission look forward with confidence to the future.



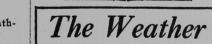
Only Exceptions Are Hamilton. "Tell us; tell us," his companions London and Western Ontario Towns

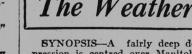
WELL, yesterday we moved up Canadian Press from Duke street to this TORONTO, May 1-All large cities house"-and a chubby finger indi-Eastern Canada, with the exceptio cated the house behind him-"and Hamilton, London and other citie we brought everything up but in Western Ontario, will go on daylight saving time for the summer months to-Sport-that's my doggie-and the cat — she ain't got no name — we just call 'er 'Pussy'" — and he onight or early Sunday morning. Tor-onto, Ottawa, Montreal, Halifax and Saint John will all put the clocks forpaused for breath. The crowd. ward one hour, as well as Quebec City, Hull, Sherbrooke and numerous small sensing a story, edged closer. "Well," he started out again, towns in the Eastern Townships. "las' night Daddy went back to

St. Catherines and a number of municipalities in Western Ontario to adopt summer time. Newfoundland adopts get them, an' Sport was there all right, but Pussy was gone, so he daylight saving next week. had to come back without 'er.

Liner Zeeland Docks At Halifax Today

HALIFAX, N. S., May 1.-After being laid off for one trip for drydockw'isseled, but-well, he was just being laid off for one trip for drydock-ing and general overhaul, the Red Star liner Zeeland, Captain Thomas, arrived this morning from Antwerp, Boulogna and Southampton to land 12 cabin, 332 third class passengers, 159 bags of mail and 17 tons of cargo.





SYNOPSIS—A fairly deep de-pression is centred over Manitoba while pressure is relatively high over Ontario. The weather is fine from Ontario eastward, with a tendency towards higher tempera-tures in Ontario. It is mostly fair and cool in Alberta, fair and cooler in Saskatchewan, and somewhat warmer this morning in Manitoba

Fine and Warmer FORECASTS-MARITIME: Moderate winds, fine with stationary or somewhat higher temperatures, today and



in Hurst Park Feature Canadian Press

AMSTERDAM, May 1-The Rhening on important increases in coal transport by way of Rotterdam as a result of the shutdown of the British

last night.
Pending reorganization of the industry along the lines recently recommended by an expert commission appointed by the government, the owner, and the stubber for the stub

Canadian Press

Meeting On May 6

Dates and places of meeting of the conferences include: Maritime-May 25, Sackville, N. B.

the enterprises of the church will be red and activities of congrega

The financial section of London mense resources. The wealthiest union tense interest the developments in the	black cat paced outside the Pee-	racing schooner Columbia of Glouces-	I server a ser to start and	I Old I marked and the head and	increasing Sunday.	
The financial section of London mense resources. The wealthiest union tense interest the developments in the viewed the outlook with concern, as is the National Union of Railway Men, British coal crisis. Plans are being	mier's room in the House of Com-	ter, Mass., which dragged ashore in a	midnight tonight, for that is the	The Port Arthur Allan cup hockey	Temperatures	
the seal standard the seal standard the seal of the se		ale at Canso N & on April 26 and	starting time of dayight saving in	I team, amateur champions of the world,		
is a standard of convition on my is in the standard net cours, by	mons. The moment the door was	was considerably damaged before she	Saint John for this summer. It will	were the guests at a civic banquet last	TORONTO, May 1	
United States coal interests to capture	opened the cat dashed in Ramsay	I was refeated assigned have this more	1 11 All Contractor DE tout	linight when they received engraveu	Low	west
Coal trade in the stock exchange	MacDonald, Arthur Henderson and	ing in tow of the trawler Lord Darling.	about fire months. As the church	gold watches in recognition of their prowess in the hockey season, which closed recently.	Highest du	
THE PREPARE IN THE DESTINATION OF THE DESTINATION O	other prominent Labor leaders were	The Columbia will probably go on the	about live montus. Its the church	prowess in the hockey season, which	8 a.m. Yesterday ni	night
was closed today, however, and the et- fect on securities could not be imme- The possibility of a cessation in mines	other prominent Labor leaders were	marine slip here for repairs to her	services will be on the daylight	closed recently.	Victoria 44 60 4	44
diately gauged.	in the corridor at the time.	lunderbody.	schedule tomorrow. It is important	Mayor Francis, who made the pics-	Calgary 34 08 a	34
	"Does that mean good or back		that in all households the clock	entation, announced that the team	Edmonton 40 '66 * 8	38 -
1,000,000 MINERS OUT that some industries will not be imme- diately caught short of supplies. The SUBMARINE KILLS WHALE.	luck?" one of them inquired. A	PEACE PARLEY FAILS	hands he advanced, athenwise there	would stick together for the next hoc- key season, and attempt to win the	Toronto 46 53	38
Great Britain's coal mining industry gas, electric and other utility services, PORTSMOUTH, N. H., May 1 -	few moment later the miners had	MADRID, May 1-The peace negotia-	lands be advanced; otherwise there	key season, and attempt to win the	Montreal 46 50	42
was at a standstill today, with more had been storing coal for some time When emerging from the water off	tow momont meet the miners have	tions between the Franco-Spanish and	will be disruption of the family	Allan cup for theird successive sea-	Saint John . 46 52 7	32
than a million miners idle, as a result and it is claimed they have supplies Long Point, the big submarine V-1	rejected the government suggestion	Riffian delegates at Oujda have been	schedule tomorrow.	son and qualify for a trip to the	Halifax 54 50 8	82
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