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FACTORY SITE, CARLAW AVENUE, 176 feet by average 226 feet. Light on three sides. Railway siding.

PROBS: Some local showers, but partly fair with much the same temperature.

LIMIT FOR IMPORTING OF OLEOMARGARINE EXTENDED ONE YEAR

Dr. Tolmie Brings Resolution Before the House of Commons.

ALTER THE DRUGS ACT

Ottawa, April 28.—(By Canadian Press)—The house went today thru the remaining clauses of the bill to amend the food and drugs act, discussed such widely differing topics as oleomargarine and, with considerable heaving, debated a bill to amend the Canada shipping act.

Mr. Ballantyne argued that the clause in the bill merely provided for the imposition of fees for inspection. There was no new principle introduced for there had been government inspection of steamboats, in addition to inspection by Lloyd's agents, for the last 30 years.

Board of Commerce Report. At question time the house today Sir George Foster said, in reply (Continued on Page 7, Column 4).

FRUIT STORES TO STAY OPEN LATE?

Bill of J. W. Curry Starts Interesting Discussion in Legislature.

Interesting while it lasted was the discussion in the legislature yesterday afternoon on the bill of J. W. Curry (Southwest Toronto) to allow fruit stores to be exempt from the early closing bylaw.

W. A. Crockett (South Westworth) thought the bill was designed for the benefit of the foreigner and should be hoisted for one year.

Premier Drury said that the foreigner worked longer hours than anyone else and by so doing should help reduce the high cost of living. If he wants to work, let him do so.

Work Longer Hours. Hon. Manning Doherty said that by working longer hours we would save a lot of fruit from going to waste, not only in Toronto, but in cities such as Hamilton, where the fruit was brought into the cities in trucks.

The owner of the store had to be in the morning to meet the first arrival of the fruit and after dinner had to make a second journey, returning to his store about 6 o'clock in the evening and if the closing hour were to be fixed for 7 o'clock he had but one hour in which to sell the fresh stock he had brought in.

W. H. Price (Parkdale) contended that most of the fruits were imported and he did not think, as was suggested, that there were many returned soldiers in the business. The people affected by the bill were those who lost before the courts and now they came to the legislature to have effect given to their views.

Mostly Foreigners. Z. Mageau (Sturgeon Falls) said that, in the main, the foreigners were the men who looked after the fruit, and he was in favor of the bill which would give the people fresh fruit after 7 o'clock.

Hon. T. Crawford (Northwest Toronto) was in favor of the year's hoist and thought if the bill was passed it would be discretionary to the house.

R. R. Hall (Parry Sound) thought the bill was one of the best moves, not only in the interest of the producer, but in the interest of the consumer.

REFERENDUM EXPECTED LATTER PART OF JULY

It is understood that July 27 is the date which has been fixed tentatively for the taking of the referendum in Ontario.

It has already been announced that the cost of taking the vote will be approximately \$300,000.

"BACK TO FARM" TREK AIDED BY HIGH-PRICED POTATOES

Premier Drury Says He Does Not Think That Ontario Government Can Interfere for the Relief of Consumer—H. H. Dewart, K.C., Makes Protest.

The high cost of potatoes was the live topic in the legislature yesterday afternoon. It was brought up by Sgt.-Major McNamara, of Riverdale, who referred to a newspaper story which said that the potato boycott was hurting the farmers without lowering the retail cost.

Wellington Hay thought the whole question was one that should be dealt with by the Dominion government, but it was a difficult one for either body to handle.

Premier Drury said it was simply a commercial business: the farmer has to sell in the best markets, and he recalled the time when producers of potatoes could not get rid of them at 30 cents a bushel.

None of the high prices now ruling, there would be a trek back to the farm which would remedy the depopulation of rural districts, which had been proceeding for some years.

He did not think the government had any power to interfere in the situation.

"OUTLAW" LEADERS WILL BE INDICTED

Grand Juries in New York District Will Be Asked to Proceed Against Strikers.

New York, April 28.—Indictments charging violation of the Lever act will be sought by the government against leaders of the railroad strike in the New York district, according to announcement tonight by Assistant United Attorney-General C. B. Ames at the close of an investigation he has been conducting into transportation strikes here.

Federal grand juries in New York and Newark will be asked to proceed against the strike leaders, Mr. Ames said. He asserted that department of justice agents have fully established the identity of the leaders.

Joseph L. Bodine, assistant United States attorney for New Jersey, who is present when Mr. Ames made his announcement, said the New Jersey federal grand jury is in session and ready to take immediate action.

The president was asked to urge the labor board to reconsider its action in refusing to review the men's demands and give the strikers a hearing.

HOUSES IN BRANTFORD ARE QUOTED SKY-HIGH

Brantford, Ont., April 28.—(Special).—A Brantford township resident knows how keen the housing situation is. Within the past year a home was sold for \$8,000, the buyer resold it for \$10,000, and this buyer in turn resold it for \$14,000.

PORT WORKERS SEIZE ANTI-BOLSHEVICK SHIPS

Paris, April 28.—Two merchant vessels flying the Russian anti-Bolshevik flag, which were anchored in the harbor of Genoa were seized yesterday by members of the Federation of Port Workers, who announced they took over the vessels for the purpose of returning them to the Russian soviet government.

DOCTORS' RAISE RATES.

Woodstock, April 28.—(Special).—The Oxford County doctors apparently also come under the heading of those who feel the high cost of living, for they have raised their rates. Day rates will be two dollars a call, from 7 to 9 in the evening three dollars, and night calls four dollars. Country calls, two dollars each, plus 75 cents a mile.

BOARD OF COMMERCE'S STATUS NOT DEFINED

Ottawa, April 28.—(Special).—The constitutionality of the court of commerce, which has already been argued before the supreme court, will not be decided on that presentation. It is understood that the argument did not deal specifically with the points at issue and another case will be submitted.

There had to be more production, and the only way to obtain that was to have more workers on the land. H. H. Dewart said there was a quantity of produce required for the people of Ontario lying on the tracks. Can the government control or confiscate? He put that up to the honorable members opposite.

DECLINE OFFER OF ARBITRATION

Anthracite Mine Workers in Deadlock With Operators—Strike May Result.

New York, April 28.—Representatives of the anthracite mine workers have notified the operators that they counter-offer of a wage increase approximating 15 per cent. is rejected and declined to accept their proposal for arbitration, according to a statement issued here tonight by the subcommittee appointed to negotiate a new wage agreement for the hard coal workers.

The plan of arbitration submitted by the mine owners, it was learned, proposed that the sub-committee ask President Wilson to name three individuals representing the public to sit in with the committee and attempt to arbitrate the difference.

The presentation of the miners' reply resulted in the negotiations going into a deadlock. Neither side attempted to moderate their stand. The operators, however, asked that the committee make an adjournment until tomorrow at 12:30 o'clock.

Officials of the mine workers declared tonight the only thing that would prevent a breaking off of negotiations would be the submission of an "acceptable" plan of arbitration or a more liberal counter-offer covering their demands. The operators made no comment as to their plans.

VICTORY LOAN FEES Total of Over a Million Dollars Went to Canvassers and Brokers in Last Campaign.

Ottawa, April 28.—(By Canadian Press).—A total of \$1,110,402.37 was paid out by the minister of finance in commissions to canvassers and brokers who handled the last Victory Loan. These fees ran proportionately higher in Quebec province than elsewhere: \$352,952.17 was paid on this head in Quebec, representing 22 per cent. of the total subscriptions to the loan. In Nova Scotia \$57,575 was paid out, or 20 per cent. of the subscriptions. In Saskatchewan the figure was \$38,300, or 18 per cent.; in New Brunswick \$28,570, or 17 per cent.; in Ontario \$58,670, or 15 per cent.; in Manitoba \$54,200, or 13 per cent.; in Alberta \$4,150, or 11 per cent., and in British Columbia \$22,465, or 6 per cent. Prince Edward Island did not cost the federal government anything in brokerage or commissions.

Interest on Canada's Assets Doubled During One Year

Ottawa, April 28.—(By Canadian Press).—A return tabled in the house of commons today shows that Canada's total assets at the end of 1919 were \$1,078,537,481.27, on which the country received as interest \$15,732,775.29, or 1.46 per cent. This rate was more than twice as high as in 1918, when the country received as interest \$7,421,000.58, on total assets of \$1,102,104,692.33.

Hundred and Fifty Killed in Railway Wreck in India

Simla, India, April 28.—The number of killed in the train collision on the Oudh and Rohilkhand railway, east of Delhi, on Saturday, is given in the latest reports as 150. The injured totaled 57. It is believed all the victims were native Indians.

Slap at United States Senate In British House of Commons

London, April 28.—The United States senate's Irish resolution was brought up in the house of commons today and drew severe pointed questions from the senate by moving a resolution in support of the Philippines' demand for self-determination.

Andrew Bonar Law, replying for the government, said he had no information on the question, which did not seem to be one in which the British government was concerned.

Numerous other questions followed and Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster Unionist leader, asked whether it was not better for each country to leave the other alone.

LORD MAYOR-ELECT RETURNS TO DUBLIN FROM PRISON CELL

Will Be Unable to Take Office From the Effects of His Incarceration.

Dublin, April 28.—Tom T. Kelly, lord mayor-elect of Dublin and Sinn Fein member of parliament who was released from the Wormwood Scrubs prison in England because of ill health, returned to Dublin today. It is said that he will not be able to take office because of the effects of his incarceration.

MAY BE RE-ARRESTED

Kelly was conditionally released from Wormwood Scrubs prison February 16 and went to the home of a friend nearby, prior to removal to a nursing home. He had been under arrest since May 25, 1916, on charges growing out of the Irish revolt of that year.

A despatch from London February 17 said Kelly's release was due to the state of his health. The order of imprisonment, it was added, was not revoked, and it was stated that Kelly would be arrested again if he should attempt to return to Ireland. During his convalescence Kelly was ordered to report his movements to the authorities.

Kelly was elected lord mayor of Dublin by the Sinn Feiners early in the present year, while a prisoner. He was elected lord mayor of Dublin on February 23, by the city corporation of Dublin. The outgoing lord mayor, Laurence O'Neill, in his address to the city council, said that Kelly's recovery, he would consult with him and conduct the duties of lord mayor in accordance with Kelly's wishes.

Must Not Return to Ireland. London, April 28.—P. O'Connor, Nationalist member for Liverpool, moved the adjournment of the house (Continued on Page 11, Column 3).

STRIKE INTERFERES WITH PRINCE'S TOUR

New Zealand Railwaymen Declare, However, That It is Not Directed Against Him.

Rotorua, N.Z., April 28.—In view of the railway strike throughout New Zealand, the program of the Prince of Wales has been somewhat disturbed. The prince, who has been visiting the hot-spring region around Rotorua, probably will return to Auckland Thursday and then proceed to Wellington by sea.

New Zealanders, who are desirous that the prince should be inconvenienced or prevented from making the tour of the island which he had so eagerly anticipated, are showering abuse on the railwaymen, but up to the present he has failed to take advantage of any of these courtesies.

The premier has gone to Wellington to meet the prince, and the walk-out was called, following a demand of the locomotive engineers and firemen for higher wages.

Thousands of men are involved in this strike, the preparations for which were made long ago. It is declared that the strike movement is not directed against the prince.

SAY FREIGHT PREPAYMENT ADDS TO COST OF COAL

Montreal, April 28.—Canadian importers of goods from the United States who are affected by the decision of American and Canadian railways to compel the prepayment of all freight charges at the point of shipment will appeal against the Interstate Commerce Board's decision. The Canadian Railway Commission, it was announced here today. The effect of the decision is to increase the cost of United States goods, particularly coal, by ten per cent.

PALESTINE WILL HAVE CIVIL ADMINISTRATION

London, April 28.—The military administration in Palestine will be replaced by a civil administration as soon as possible, but the mandate for Palestine has been given to Great Britain, according to a statement made in the house of commons today by Andrew Bonar Law, the government's spokesman.

J. E. DUVAL OF G.T.R. DEAD IN MONTREAL

Montreal, April 28.—The death is announced today of J. E. Duval, general superintendent of car service, Grand Trunk Railway. Mr. Duval was 60 years of age and died after a brief illness.

Steamship Ocean Freight Rates Slump in Major Freight Rates

Liverpool, April 28.—Speaking today at the annual meeting of the Cunard Steamship Company, Sir Alfred A. Booth, chairman of the company, said it was quite prepared for a slump in freight rates and that the sooner the storm was over the better.

Sir Alfred added that he hoped the slump would result in a definite break in the vicious circle of rising wages and rising prices.

JUAREZ GARRISON GREATENS REVOLT AGAINST CARRANZA

Federal Government is Preparing to Head Off Any Attempt.

El Paso, Texas, April 28.—Carranza officials in El Paso and Juarez tonight were prepared to move against a threatened attempt to swing the Juarez garrison into line with the Chihuahua revolution, which was launched in the state capital yesterday.

Funds of the customs office in Juarez were brought to an El Paso bank late this afternoon.

American troops in El Paso tonight were ordered to be prepared for action in event a threatened uprising in Juarez endangers this city.

Military police in the city have been issued rifles and ammunition and the city police have made arrangements to patrol a dead line in the lower part of the city, beyond which civilians will not be permitted to go in the direction of the Rio Grande.

General Francisco Gonzales, commander of the Juarez garrison when the city was attacked by Villa in June, 1918, and until recently provisional governor of Tamaulipas, arrived in El Paso today. He comes with authority from Carranza to charge the duty of Juarez in event there is an uprising.

Three hundred cavalry men of the Villa Ahumada garrison declared they were loyal to the Carranza government, marched into Juarez late today.

REBELS TAKE SALINA CRUZ.

Juarez, April 28.—Troops at Salina Cruz, commanded by General Elejo Gonzalez, have revolted and taken possession of the port, one of the most important on the isthmus, according to a report received here tonight.

PLANS TO REDUCE BIG FLOATING DEBT

Chamberlain Announces Issue of Treasury Bonds at High Interest Rate.

London, April 28.—One of the strongest points of criticism of the recent budget was the failure of the chancellor of the exchequer, Austen Chamberlain, to take steps to reduce or fund the enormous floating debt, amounting approximately to £1,200,000,000.

Mr. Chamberlain announced today his new plan to fund this debt. He means to issue five per cent. treasury bonds for 15 years, but carrying additional interest not exceeding two per cent. and regulated according to the current rate for treasury bills, which is at the present time six and one-half per cent. The new bonds will carry an option by either the holder or the government to extend the term of the bond carrying interest in the neighborhood of 6 1/2 per cent, while money remains at the present dear rates.

FIVE MILLIONS SENT TO COVER UP MARGINS

A Toronto broker estimated that the break in New York stocks last week took fully \$5,000,000 out of Canada in loans and new margins and was responsible for a jump of two cents in American exchange. Speaking to The World yesterday, this broker said: "It looks to me as though the Wall Street fraternity are after another haul and this time it may be bigger than the last, and the worst part of it is money sent to New York that never returns."

SNOW IN ALBERTA.

Lethbridge, Alta., April 28.—Rain and snow all over southern Alberta Tuesday night has again tied up seeding operations. Almost an inch of precipitation was recorded, bringing the month's total to 4.08 inches.

Provincial Referendum

It is pretty certain that a vote on the temperance referendum will not be taken on the present provincial list. It will take three months to prepare the new provincial list upon the basis of the proposed franchise bill coming before the house.

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YOUNG MEN'S OVERCOATS.

Tomorrow and Saturday the Dineen Co. have to sell fifty-seven young men's spring overcoats in the new form-fitting style at less than the manufacturer's cost. For particulars look in the "vicious circle" of rising wages and rising prices.

BRITISH PEOPLE SEE CLEARLY THAT ANIMOSITIES MUST END IF EUROPE IS TO RECOVER

Sir Auckland Geddes Tells U. S. Chamber of Commerce That Changes Almost Deserve Name of Revolution—Asks "Will You Wait for Europe's Troubles to Come After You, or Go Out and Help?"

Atlantic City, N.J., April 28.—Changes have been wrought by the war in Great Britain which "almost deserve the title of revolution," said Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador to the United States, in an address tonight before the annual convention of the United States chamber of commerce. Vast new classes have been enfranchised, he said, and the working classes, strongly anti-militaristic, now hold "ultimate political power."

MODERN BLUEBEARD FOUND IN EGYPT

Cairo, Egypt, April 28.—The work of a modern Bluebeard has been discovered at Tanta, 54 miles northwest of Cairo, noted for its Mohammedan festival and fairs. Women enticed into a certain house on the pretext of meeting a wealthy admirer have been robbed of their jewels and then murdered. Afterwards their bodies were burned, except for the heads, 20 of which were found in the house.

EVERYBODY SUPPORTS HYDRO-ELECTRIC PLAN

Minister of Agriculture Puts at Rest Lot of Ill-Founded Rumors. Before the orders of the day were called yesterday in the legislature, Z. Mageau, Sturgeon Falls, drew the attention of the premier, Hon. W. E. Roney and Hon. Manning Doherty to a report from Ottawa in an evening paper, which stated that the Drury government was being used by the P.R. to balk the Hydro plan. He read portions of the report and said: "Personally I place no credit in this report nor any other recent articles which have appeared in this particular paper."

Premier Drury: "I really have not had time to read the article, and frankly I don't know what it is about, or whether the paper itself knows what it is talking about." Mayor MacBride of Brantford thought that there had been considerable propaganda in the press and in the house against the Hydro. He thought the question should be discussed in the house by the members and not in the street.

Premier Drury: "The Hydro legislation has not been made ready for the house, but when it is it will be discussed." Hon. Manning Doherty thought that Hydro had never before had so many loyal and earnest supporters as were to be found in the present government.

Hon. W. E. Roney said: "So far as my association with the matter in the article in question, I may say that I have long since given up making denials of things that appear in certain newspapers."

TO STATE TERMS OF GIANT MERGER

Col. Grant Morden Intimates That "Stock-Watering" Will Be Absent.

Montreal, April 28.—Directors of the Dominion Steel Corporation, Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company, and the Canada Steamship Lines, Limited, will have in their possession by tomorrow afternoon the terms upon which the British Empire Steel Corporation is prepared to effect the change of securities necessitated by the reason of the ambitious consolidation of the steel, coal and shipping resources of the Dominion.

Col. V. Grant Morden, M.P., interviewed today stated that the terms on which the above three companies are to be dealt with are economically equitable and at the same time conservative with assets of more than three times behind the parity of every share of stock it is proposed to issue. It is understood that the board of directors of this \$200,000,000 corporation will include among its Canadian personnel a number of those already connected with the three companies in an executive way with Roy Wolvin, the president of the Dominion Steel Corporation, as head of the new consolidation.

CALL A THRIFT CONFERENCE.

Calgary, Alta., April 28.—The first Dominion thrift conference will be held in Calgary June 3, 4 and 5. Every women's organization in the country and the federal and provincial government are being invited to send delegates.

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