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finding its way thru the United States to Germany. He did not believe that Mr. Maclean could substantiate the charges he had made on this subject. He could not understand why anyone should doubt the assurance given by a member of the British government. To this Mr. Maclean said, in repay, that a member of the British govern-ment had been connected with the German meter is the said of the British govern-German metal trust, and the British government had dealings with the no-torious Merton firm for two years during the war after that firm had been denounced from the bench as a finger on the hand of the German metal trust. Sir Alfred Mond, the head of the nickel trust, was of German blood, and his company was in-timately related to the German metal

trust, and he was also connected with the government of David Lloyd George. Under all these dircumstances, Mr. Maclean did not feel bound to accept the assurance of a member of the Brit-The item before the house, that sec-then of the tariff her working the dis-the assurance of David Lloyd George The item before the house, that sec-

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in Canada." Sir Thomas White said that at the beginning of the war, we had no refiner-ics in Canada. The allies needed nickel

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Samuel Mooney, president of the live stock exchange of Toronto; Charles McCurdy, chief salesman of the live stock commission department, and Property Commissioner Chisholm were examined as to conditions in the mar-tees kets.

Mr. Mooney stated that any man was free to buy or sell in the Union Stock Yards, and there was keen competition gst the co

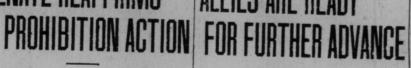
amongst the commission men. Says Civic Venture Over. Mr. McCurdy said the civic stock yard was a thing of the past. It was never properly situated for a cattle market in the first place.

monopoly. He admitted that it was a

hidden themselves away and later managed to secure possession of some Canadian uniforms.

the Glass Workers' Union, who were arrested at 553 Queen street recently and sentenced yesterday by Magistrate Kingsford to various terms of impri-somment for alleged sedition in hav-ing banned literature in their posses-sion at the rooms. J. Whoops, a delegate, who was in Winnipes some weeks ago, and who is now a member of the Toronto Re-tail Clerks' Union, expressed the opin-ion that Toronto would in due course be in the threes of a sympathetic strike similar to that which had agi-

SENATE REAFFIRMS **ALLIES ARE READY** 



By Twelve Majority, Refuses to Concentration of Troops Will PENSIONS INCOMES Validate Logislation After Provide Several Hundred Thousand Men.

Coblenz, June 19 .- The concentration the senate on the prohibition meas- of British, French, Belgian and Amure was reaffirmed today. The gov- erican troops, begun by order of Marernment leader, Sir James Lougheed, shal Foch, preparatory to advancing moved that the amendment of yes- further into Germany, will be comterday cutting off the provision that pleted Saturday when several hunthe measure shall continue for twelve dred thousand allied soldiers will stand months after the termination of the ready to march toward Berlin if the was defeated by 38 to 26. The bill, Artillery and great trucks carrying was defeated by 38 to 26. The bill, as amended, was read the third time, and will go to the commons that they may consider the amendment. In asking that the senate should not insist upon its amendment. Sit

Ottawa, June 19.—Committee stage on the budget resolutions was com-pleted tonight and the finance bills Duty on Plows. area.

## FORMING ONE FRONT.

bill. In view of the large majority given the measure in the commons, it was quite unlikely that the other house would agree to the amendment of the senate providing that the Do-minion prohibition of the importation manufacture and trausportation of liquor should terminate with the sign-ing of peace. The amendment would interfere with the powers that the bill proposed to give to the province of Quebec to make and sell light wine. Divide

AQUITANIA AT HALIFAX

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demobilized imperial soldiers which Since civilians were fined as a conse-quence of that affair, Canadians have complained that when they go out

The street car service is gradually The street car service is gradually improving. Thirty-five men have re-ported for duty, and company officials are confident there will be a gpeedy resumption of normal street car traf-fic. Railway officers said that the strike of certain members of the run-ning trades union had entirely ex-hausted itself and that many of the men are applying for their old jobs. Some little difficulty is still experienced in regard to freight shipments on branch lines, it was stated, but normal conditions are expected soon. FREE FROM TAXES Sir Thomas White Agrees to Amend Budget---

Child Exemption Raised Two Years---Street Control Committee of House to Meet Senate. Embargo on Cattle. Announcement was made this morning that owing to conditions here as a result of the strike an em-bargo has been placed on all cattle shipments from western points by the Canadian National Railways. Canadian National Railways.

## **TEN-CENT CAR FARES** LOOM UP IN LETHBRIDGE

Lethbridge, June 19 .- As a result of the award of the government arbitra-tion board on the dispute between the city of Lethbridge and its employes whereby a general 15 per cent increase in wages was granted, the city council in wages was granted, the city council proposes drastic measures to meet the \$25,000 addition to the pay sheet. Street car fares are to be increased to four tickets for a quarter or a ten-cent cash fare; electric light rates will jump 11 to 12 cents per kilowatt hour: water rates will be increased 10 per cent, the fourth such increase in two years, and an increase in the tax rate

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## PLENIPOTENTIARIES

Ottawa, June 19 .- The situation with regard to the Canadian plenipo-Schaffner, Harmer, Beique, Thompson, Farreil, Roche, Yeo, Douglas, Beith and Talbot-26. Those who voted to affirm the amendment were: Senators Nicholts, Daniels, Ross (Nova Scotia), Poirier, Mine, Lynch-Staunton, Fowler, Mont-D'aissir, Barnard, Donnelly, Fisher, Bourque, Crosby, Snatford, Planta, L'Esperance, White, Taylor, Bennett, tentiaries at the peace confere it is known in Ottawa, is that the pre-mier, Sir Robert Borden, is not return-

NIA AT HALIFAX WITH 6000 TROOPS N. S., June 19.—The Cunard ania, with 5.700 troops, it ed from the citadel at mid-M enter the harbor about of a child for which an exemption of two hundred dollars is allowed. In the resolution the age stands at 16. The age, it was urged, should be 18. Thus a man with a child not gver 18 years of age would have \$200° added to the exempted portion of his in-come. The finance minister agreed to the course. Mr. W. F. Cockshutt stated that Canadian manufacturers had nothing to fear from manufacturers of plows in the British Isles or Europe. The reason was that a special quality of steel, obtainable only in the United States, was used in Canadian plows. The process for manufacturing this

this course. Shortly before adjournment there The process for manufacturing this steel was controlled by a United States

there should be an increase in the age ment to meet the situation. of a child for which an exemption of two hundred dollars is allowed. In

pleted tonight and the finance bills based thereon were given first read-ing. There was one division and it came over the duties on agricultural under review, J. H. Maharg asked the

from taxation. Another was that cere effort on the part of the govern-

Halifax, N. S., June 19 .- The Cunard hiner Aquitanta, with 5.700 troops, it was reported from the citadel at midmight would enter the harbor about two o'clock. She is scheduled to dock at seven o'clock in the morning.