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dentally, this move, so far ahead of the convention, is an innovation, as usually nothing definite is done about the platform until the convention has been

in session for a day or two. The progressives, such as Hiram son and William E. Borah and so largely of national committeemen form Association. He is at the presis understood to have promised that the forty or fifty additional appoint-Planned Big Convention.

have granted the miners an increase direction. of pay of 14 per cent., but would not permitted any advance in/ the

national committee, but the chairmen of all the state committees, and hun-dreds of prominent members of the party with no excuse but interest, was the centre of attraction in Washing-ton last week. The Willard Hotel re-normalized the headquarters in a na-

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Has Public Career. "Apart from his profession Mr. Haydon has taken a generous interest in public affairs. In the city of Ottawa he has served as school trus-In the city of tee and has been closely identified with the work of the Liberal party, Johnson and William E. Borah and with the work of the Liberal party, der the treaty has not influenced the economic conditions and the result is that the different countries of the the question of final ratification. "old guard" variety. Mr. Hays ent time and has for some years past

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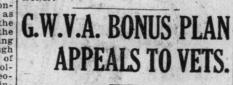
shipping. On this point Germany pro-poses negotiations by the entente with a board of German experts. The note declares that the prospec-id. International exchanges in par-id. The note declares that the prospective temporary absence of Americans from the commissions established under the treaty has not influenced the

## TIMES WANTS ASQUITH BACK IN COMMONS | will

side the national committee would in-clude thru representation of the pro-gressive element. Garfield's Resignation The settlement of the coal | strike for garfield as fuel administrator. Garfield's action is declared by his triends to be because the fundamental theory of his terms of statement word sustained by the president. The point is, that Dr. Garfield's settlement would of the content in the Hope Chambers, which office now becomes a branch semi-presidential position and is en-couraging Geddes to attempt to com-bine an unprecedented degree of auto-tracy in executive decisions with con-stant recourse to expediency and shifts in the face of recurrent crises. The Times repeats its declaration of a few weeks ago that Asquith ought to re-turn to the house. "The very defects he showed in war time were the defects of qualities

Two big deputations are expected, one from the anti-vaccinationists, the second from the returned soldiers protesting against the proposed appointment to the city architect's office. How long a time the council will spend in discussing both these questions it would be difficult to even estimate. Both are live subjects and most likely will be raised as elec-tion cries. TARIFF INQUIRY PLAN (Continued From Page 1.)

e out for blood—and votes. Many interesting moments may be expected from controllers and aldermen as to the future positions they seek on the council. The most interesting will be that of Controller McBride as to whether he will run for mayor or retire from the council. On his decision will depend the attitude of Alderman Ramsden, as to whether he will run for mayor or maximum for mayor or setting for the senior chapter and that to this end a fund of \$5000 was being raised by contribu-tion. Last night's contribution was maden, as to tion. Last night's contribution was mayor or con-full of promise, ten-cent pieces and whether he will run for



West Toronto G.W.V.A. Endorses Thomas L. Church

# For Mayor.

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would endeavor to have all the returned soldiers undergoing sentences for minor breaches of the statutes, released during of confidence in the mayor, and unani-mously\_expressed their intentions to sup-port him at the coming elections, in view of the fact that he has been a good friend

earnest appeal.

man wants to be certain of the quality. These Irish blue serge suitings are guaranteed genuine indigo dyed-and the name quarters being as cent pieces in ordin-Score's is your certainty for ary collections. Five dollar and dol-lar bills were piled high on all collecthe tailoring quality-to your measure. ion plates in response to Dr. Hall's Creators of the "Balaclava" Taking for his text the famous aphorism, "Love is Strong as Death," the chaplain pointed to the ties which overcoat. hould bind Canada, Canadians and Scores 0 Canadian-Britishers to the old country and to the homes of their parents. Love was strong as death, said the speaker, because it breathed remem-brance of the old home, because it

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Peace Flare-Up. There was a flare-up on the peace treaty this week when, after Senator Underwood, one of the administration leaders, charged that the Republicans, were responsible for the fact that the peace treaty was still unratified, Sen-ators Lodge and Lenroot, speaking ators Lodge and Lenroot, speaking Pulp and Paper Association head-respectively for the majority and mild reservationist. Republicans, declared that the responsibility rested squarely on the mesudent and the advised squarely on the president and the administra-tion senators. -Mr. Lenroot asserted customs to stop the exportation of that since the Democrats, acting under newsprint paper from any manufac-the president's direction, had voted turer who fails to comply with any the treaty with the Lodge reserorder issued by the paper controller vations, there had not been a single This is the second time that an em-effort on the part of the administration bargo on the export of newsprint has to fix terms on which it would permit been invoked in order to enforce the the treaty to be ratified. He declared rulings of the controller. that the Democrats, of course, had enough votes to prevent ratification anless they agreed to some plan which the Republican friends of the treaty But no move, he said, had paper at a price considerably below de by the Democrats to say that obtainable for the same paper been made by the Democrats to say what they would take, and, therefore, the responsibility for the deadlock rested on them. The foreign relations committee is expected in a few days to take up the French treaty for dis-cussion. Some of the "irreconcilables," conditions. cussion. Some of the "irreconcilables," who wanted to kill the German treaty, are in favor of the United States givassurances to the allies ing formal that if the German menace should ever lift its head this country would

carry out the obligations it assumed when it went into this war. Discussion of this policy, they think, could well come up under a treaty which promises that this country would go to the support of France, with Great Britain, if Germany should attack

Sugar Provisions.

and The Manitoba Free Press Printing The scarcity of sugar resulted in Company, which is designed to test the senate this week passing the Mc- the question of whether the war mea-Nary bill which continues the sugar sures act is still in existence insofar equalization board for one year from as the regulation of the sale of news-Jan. 1, and grants if the power  $t_0$  print paper is concerned. inasmuch as buy any adequate supply of sugar the war has been over virtually for and distribute it at reasonable prices. a year or more. This writ is to be and to control the domestic crop until served tomorrow. The outcome of this Sept. 30. Passage of the bill by the action may have far-reaching effects, house is expected before the Christ- since it mas recess. whole question of the validity of the

The senate also passed this week a extension of the war measures act bebill appropriating \$600,000 for the yond the actual cessation of war. passport division of the state depart-ment. The real purpose of the bill that on Tuesday afternoon next he will have to do with the theory of the bill that on Tuesday afternoon next he will has to do with the handling of the hold a hearing in the Windsor Hotel. Reds, both in keeping them out thra Montreal, for the purpose of discussimmigration restrictions, and deport- ing with the manufacturers and the ing them. There was practically no publishers the question of how next discussion of the measure, it passing year's paper requirements of the Canpractically without opposition. adian publishers shall be met.

THE POPULAR DAY ROUTE TO OTTAWA.

The Canadian National popular day Chatham, Ont., Dec. 14 .- (Special)train for the east, leaving Toronto Union Station 9.30 a.m. daily, except Sunday, for Port Hope. Cobourg. from an ugly scalp wound caused by a brick which fell on his head while intermediate points, with connections playing near the residence on Bedford street. Workmen were repairing a ton and all central Ontario stations. chimney damaged during the recent Comfortable coaches and parlor and storm. A ladder they were raising dis-Fullest information from lodged several bricks, one of which fell dining cars. nearest Canadian' National' Agent. on the boy playing below.

were the defects of qualities of which have their permanent value in **ON NEWSPRINT** peace politics." Scandinavian Powers Confer **On Attitude Toward League** 

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ween parliamentary representatives of the three Scandinavian powers are Paper Controller. of the three Scandinavian powers are going on at Copenhagen, according to a wireless message from Berlin. The principal subject under discussion is the attitude of the northern countries Montreal, Dec. 14 .- The Canadian

the attitude of the northern countries towards the league of nations. Brantford—(Special)—A lecture on child welfare was given to the People's Forum here this afternoon by Mrs. Rose Henderson of Montreal.

Meanwhile, some of the manufac turers who have long chafed under the somewhat unusual restrictions im-

posed upon their industry, are prepar-ing to combat these latest attempts to control their right to conduct their Issued Writ Against Controller The Fort Frances Fulp & Paper Co. Limited, which operates a 150-ton-a-With Us

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Association advocated direct federal tax-ation in preference to the present system. The meeting was well attended, and was also addressed by officials of the associa-tion New Provincial Football Astion. Mr. Kennedy stated that by levying a direct federal tax on all unimproved land values, including all natural resources, values, and a gradusociation Formed-Constitution in January.

lso a graduated income tax and a gradu ated inheritance tax on large estates, the federal government could raise \$750,000,-000 per year, which, he said, would clear all the financing of soldier problems. Could Raise \$80,000,000. The Ontario Junior Football Associaion is a reality at last, and judging by strong set of officers elected at aturday's formation meeting the jun-iors of Ontario should be justly proud the G.A.C., spoke along the same lines aturday's formation in the justly proud of the men they have elected to the various offices. The meeting was held in Oddfellow's Hall, 1182 Queen street west, Referee Osborne acting as chair-man. After welcoming the delegates chairman Osborne conducted the elec-tion which resulted as follows: Toronto: Toronto: the G.A.C., spore takes. He said that a one per cent tax on all unimproved ind values, including natural resources, would raise \$80,000,000 per year. 'W. Strutt, president of Parkdale tranch, expressed pleasure at the large durnout and informed the meeting that this was the fourth of a series of meet-ings which would continue thruout the

We will give your battery, no chairman Osborne conducted the elec-

ings which would continue thruout the ronto; 2nd vice-president, T. Moncrieff, Toronto; secretary, G. Williams, Ham-ilton; treasurer, W. Armstrong, Hamil-Toronto U. V. Speakers

Council: W. Scarborough, Toronto; give it expert attention all winter long, relieve you of this detail and see to it that your battery does not deteriorate unnecessarily during

see to it that your battery does not deteriorate unnecessarily during the idle period. Hall here this atternoon on behalt of the Brantford Branch of the United Vet-erans, provisional officers of which i was announced, had already been select-ed. Sergt. Flynn was vibiolic in his speech, making frequent freferences to income and the way at the secret of the president of secret of the secret of the president of the president of the secret of the secret of the president of the president of the secret of the secret of the president of the president of the secret of the secret of the president of the president of the secret of the secret of the president of the secret of the secret of the president of the secret of the secre speech, making frequent references to "crooks, grafters and thieves" at Otta-If yon're going to "lay up" your Saturday, Jan. 10 for the purpose of drawing up a constitution. wa. However, the meeting was an or-derly one, G.W.V.A. officials having an-nounced Saturday that they did not pro-pose to debate the gratuity question with

Working-Hcur Readjustment Called For By Drug Clerks

Pose to depate the gratuity question with Flynn, as the matter had been inly threshed out on the occasion of Flynn's last visit here. An attack on Rev. C. E. Jeakins of this eity by Sergt. Flynn was one of the features of his address. He A well-attended and enthusiastic neeting of drug clerks was held at the Labor Temple on Sunday after-noon, when a readjustment of the working hours was advocated. The meeting was addressed by Louis claimed that President Jeakins Braithwaite, T. Mellalieu and Mrs. in the United Veterans.

Cora Hoggan, international organizer of the A. F. of L. It was announced Chatham-(Special)-The Kent Hisat the meeting that over 60 drug torical Society has appointed a special clerks had become attached to the committee to assist in the work of premion within the last three weeks, and serving and marking places of historic at they were out to make it a 100 interest-in the county from a national or cent. organization standpoint

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In Fettle in Brantford

**FAVORS A NEW TAX** Woodstock, Ont., Dec. 14.-Ex-Reeve Thomas Lamminan of East Oxford died in Stratford early today following injuries which he received when he fell downstairs at his hotel. Vice-President of Grain Growers Advo-cates Direct Federal Taxation. Speaking to a special meeting of Park-fale post of the G. A. C., held in the King's Theatre on Sunday night, Vice-President Kennedy of the Grain Growers' The deceased, who was one of Oxford's most prominent farmers and breeders

CRESCENTS JUVENILE **CHAMPIONS** 

The city juvenile soccer championship was decided on Saturday, when Crescents repeated in their second home-and-home game with Linfield Rovers. Score 2 to 0. The first resulted 1 to 0, and thus Crescents won the round by 3 to 0.

creasing degree to co-operate in the management of Egyptian affairs. affairs. British assistance and British guidance will still be required. Nor will any of those who have followed the history of Egypt for the last forty years and seen the astounding advance that she has made under our auspices question the necessity of this supervision. "Lord Milner's mission is not going out to Egypt with a constitution in its pocket. It intends to consult all par ties before it even forms an opinion. It is not authorized to impose a constitu-

its upper ranks a high culture and his-toric memories should be content with a role of passive subordination in the

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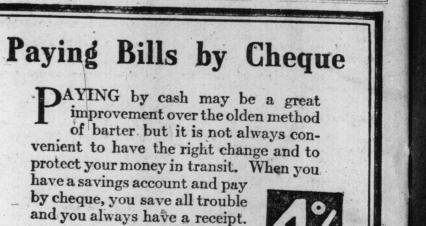
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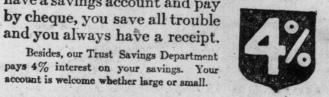
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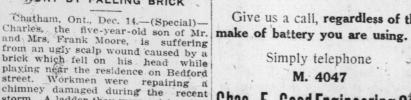




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