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ter, so the Probs. say. Get in

on those overcoat bargains. At

# TO GAOL

# wer a Straight Question---Liberal Members Seek to Prevent the Proceedure.

mitment to the common jail of Carle- lowed to have counsel, and was reton County, his term of confinement presented by A. E. Marvey, K.C. to be until prorogation, or at the or- of Montreal. Mr. Miller was plainly

no motion to the House, and it the attitude that the Liberals intendas carried without division. The ed to take. risoner was then at once called to will have force over this judgment of amusement of the House. land, is an interesting legal point.

Blockers Busy. Led by the remnants of the famous counts committee, the Liberal Opposition vesterday made it patent that if their efforts can accomplish the country will not know to hom Miller paid the \$41,026, which. swears, secured for him governnt business for the Diamond ght and Heating Company to the nt of \$117,000 in the last four

of the Liberal regime. liller, after two days' incarin the precincts of Parliaared at the bar of the terday, and once again refused to answer the question put to tion desired. him with regard to the \$41.026. He was perhaps, not quite, as defiant in titude as on Tuesa variable land that as his litigation, pending in entreal courts would inevitably be him, he should not be required to Laurier regime. Hugh Guthrie,

.The Situation. Parliament at once in the pos-on of maintaining its dignity or of An exceedingly able speech was nitting that a witness in a com- made by Arthur Meighen, of Portage ce of the House may exercise La Prairie, who reviewed the evi own whim as to answering ques- dence and showed the necessity of block all business by saying that ish House for the action proposed, and

TO-MORROW'S WEATHER

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magnificent scenery and effects. that we are going on with the fight; Vednesday, Feb. 26, Gilbert and that's all," was the announcement of an's masterpiece, "THE M1- Chief Liberal Whip Pardee after the Opposition caucus on the naval bill Carte, with all its famous to-day. It is understood that while and accepted without question. TOY MAKER," La Poupee, proper method to follow, the Opposithat was committed by the House," and Heating Company, of which Mr nglish. Bring the children. This sion is strongly in favor of continution played His Majesty's The- ing the fight on the naval policy, Montreal, at \$1.50 prices. Spe- and will continue to talk. Day and price has been arranged for night sittings will be the result, and jailer. outford: 14 rows, \$1; 8 rows, 75c; there is talk of the Government alance, 50c; balcony, 75c and 50c; adopting a closure rule if the Liber-

OTTAWA, Feb. 21-Shortly be-I shown by the crowded galleries and R. C. Miller, Canada's the large attendance on the floor soner, was sentenced by when Mr. Miller was again brought of the House to com- to the bar of the House. He was alnervous, but read in a steady voice a After a debate which lasted until statement which he had prepared. At o'clock, which was closed by im- one point he wandered afield and enders, the Speaker put the Middle- stormy session and showed at once gan.

Wm. Pugsley Leads

the bar and the speaker read the When Miller had been heard, a mosentence as contained in the motion. tion was made that he withdraw while diller bowed low and withdrew in his case was being considered. Hon. he custody of the sergeantat-arms. Wm. Pugsley was at once on his A. E. Harvey, K.C., of Montreal feet, first with point of order, then stated to your representative last with technical amendment, and finalnight that the verdict of the House ly an appeal against the ruling of the was not a surprise to him, and that chair, an unusually happening in he would to-day institute habeas cor- Parliamentary procedure. Speaker pus proceedings to secure the liberty Sproule very properly pointed out of his client. The prisoner refused that Mr Pugsley's amendment was o make any statement whatever, not only no amendment at all. by Whether habeas corpus proceedings was 'buried in verbiage,' much to the

Parliament, the highest court in the After MBiller had withdrawn from the chamber the real struggle of the day came over Mr Middlebro's motion declaring the refusal to answer 'blockers' brigade" of the public ac- questions of the House, a breach of \$100,000 temple for Canada will be ages and were really a sex menace Parliamentary privileges and rendering Miller guilty of contempt of the House and further ordering his removal to Ottawa jail until prorogation or until an order of the House

was issued for his release. Around this motion there at developed a stormy debate, which lasted all afternoon and far into the night. There were passages of the most heated character between members of the Opposition sides, the Liberals being plainly determined to block every step that would make possible the securing of the informa-

B. Carvell and Hon. William Pugsley, both notorious for their atected by answering the question put public accounts committee during the Iswer. A motion to commit him to South Wellington was more moderarleton County Jail followed im- ate, admitting Parliament's right to commit the prisoner and the neces sity for upholding the dignity of th second and definite refusal House, but urging that more time put to him. As Mr. Middleboro Parliament upholding the public ac made the motion for commit- counts committee if it was to con put it: "If a man can come be- tinue to be of public service. He the public accounts commission quoted many precedents in the Britinswer would hurt his private pointed out that the humblest court we might as well close up the in Canada had a right to commit : man for contempt. Surely Parliament, Miller case, which has caused the highest court, could exercise this ide interest and made preced- authority. To submit to the authority r future Canadian political of Mr Miller would mean the dissohas to-day passed definitely lution of Parliament's power. He must be either imprisoned or set free. serious matter, in which the If they were to let him go, "Parliaand traditions of the House ment." said Mr Meighen, "will be swirling around in aimless impot-

> The closing speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in striking contrast to the belligerent and violent utterances of some of his followers. The leader of the Opposition conceded at once the necessity of Parliament maintaining its dignity, and admitted the powof commitment. He rebuked his followers for raising technicalities his only objection to the motion beng his doubt whether the House could commit to a county jail over

which it had not direct authority. Premier Borden said that the pris oner had set the House at defiance and if they bowed to him they might as well abolish the nulic accounts committee. He showed that Parlia ment was perfectly within its rights committing Miller to the commor iail. As far as length of sentence was concerned. Miller was master of the situation. The duty had been thrus man the House by the prisoner's at titude, and the House would be in a miliating position if it failed to ass the motion.

GOING TO FIGHT

(Courier Leased Wire) OTTAWA, Feb. 21.—"Just say On Thursday, Feb. 27, there are divergent views as to the

als persist in obstruction.

# THE VERY LATEST DESPATCHES PANAMA CANAL

The Fate of Mr. Miller Who Refuses to Ans- A Fatal Explosion in British Columbia--Miners are Seek- Over Two Million Cubic Yards of Earth are ing to Reduce the High Cost of Living --- Two Die in Saskatchewan From the Effects of Coal Gas---Gifts for Mr. and Mrs. Taft-Mormans to Build a Temple in Canada---British Government is Now After Mrs. Pankhurst -- Suffragettes Threaten a Hunger Strike-Premier Borden to be a Guest in the States.

LEFT FOR EGYPT

(Courier Leased Wire).

ISSUED CHALLENGE

(Courier Leased Wire). NIGARA FALLS, N.Y., Feb. 21- prices is placed on the middleman Captain Claus Larsen has issued a and it is believed these measures challenge to Thomas F. Day for a would help eliminate them. A resonotor boat race through the whirl- lution to this effect was passed. ool and the rapids. Larsen has made the trip twice in a motor boat and Mr Day last summer navigated the Atlantic in a small gasoline power boat.

(Courier Leased Wire). erected here, building operations to to civilization. be started this summer.

AFTER MRS. PANKHURST.

(Courier Leased Wire). LONDON, Feb. 21-Mrs. Emmeer confession that she had conspired Monday night. with and incited her followers to carry out the scheme have been seiz- CUSTOMS OFFICER KILLED. ed upon by the Home Office as the

bringing of a criminal charge. MINERS' CONVENTION. (Courier Leased Wire).

(Courier Leased Wire).

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 21.—Pro-

(Courier Leased Wire).

tle formality. Accompanied by Capt.

Bowie and a Dominion policeman,

was escorted to a cell in one of the conclusion

said Captain Bowie.

EX PRESIDENT

Phase of Affairs in Connection With Mexico.

Mexico, will not be railroaded to jail, that of revolutionary heroes.

Miller Eats His Dinner in the

diller of Montreal, the now famous have jail yard privileges at any time

the Carleton county jail, to which tain liquors if addicted to either habit.

Miller emerged from a rear door of C. Miller, Canada's state prisoner

quickly to the Nicholas street institu- he says he gave for government con-

tion, where the warrant of committ- tracts when the Ottawa authorities

after the introduction the prisoner ly prosecute this suit through to a

Company After Him

MONTREAL, Feb. 21 .- That R.

ment made to-day by E. G. O'Con-

no legal hitch at the jail and but lit- for a writ of habeas corpus.

tive stores was the plan urged by years ago was editor and owner of ROME, Feb. 21.—Professor Giuseppe Bastianelli left this morning touch with the farmers. To this end Walkerton Telescope. He was 62 touch with the farmers of the proof of their assertion that the tion to the slides, which will involve to the slides of earth and rock in the Culeassive speeches by the two party was called to order. This started a for Egypt to attend J. Pierpont Morthe convention was inclined to favor years of age and leaves a wife, two additional work before the water is bra cut can be removed cheaply and the convention was inclined to favor years of age and leaves a wife, two the establishment of government sons and two daughters, Ald, P. cold storage plants and government Stephens of this city is a son. control of the elevators. The great-GIFTS FOR MR. AND MRS. TAFT er part of the blame for increasing (Courier Leased Wire). WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 magnificent set of pearl studs for President Taft and a diamond neck-

DENOUNCED MILITANTS

(Courier Leased Wire) gifts from a circle of close friends LONDON, Feb. 21.-Mrs. tional Union of Woman's Suffrage their long residence in the national TEMPLE IN CANADA. Societies, and one of the best known capital. The president and Mrs. Taft workers in the cause, delivered a to-night will give their last formal iastical head of the Mormon church testable outrages, harmful to their the American Red Cross and partifications, according to a despatch over 100 men and women in the vilto President E. J. Wood, Alberta. aims. Such crimes, she declared, leading spirit in raising the sub- from the Greek-Metropolitan of Tch- lage of Konaminio State of Zion, announces that a would be excusable only among savscription fund for the purchase of the

> PREMIER AND GOVERNOR (Courier Leased Wire)

Robert L. Borden of Canada will be a guest of Gov. Sulzer next Sunday ne Pankhurst's assumption in the and Monday. The governor received ourse of a speech of full responsi- a telegram to-day from Mr. Borden oility for the explosion of the bomb saying he would arrive here early which the country residence of Sunday and leave at midnight Monhancellor Lloyd George at Walton day. Mr. Borden is to speak at the eath was virtually destroyed and Albany University Club's dinner on

law officers of the crown have taken -Mr. J. B. Stephens, customs offithe steps which usually precede the cer, was instantly killed this morning at 7.40 o'clock being knocked down by a G. T. R. switch engine. as he was crossing the eastbound track to the street at the east end of LETHBRIDGE, Feb. 21-Legisla- the station. The engine wheels ran ion to reduce the high cost of living over his shoulders crushing his life vas the theme of Tuesday's session out instantly. Mr. Stephens before

### (Courier Leased Wire). REGINA, Sask., Feb. 21 - The

during their detention.

death took place at the General Hospital of Andrew Boyen as the result of inhaling coal gas at home yesterday. His son Thomas, was already dead when Mrs. Boyen staggered to the door and attracted the atten Is Liable to Meet With Exile Only--The Latest tion of a passerby to the pitiable plight of the family. The mother and two smaller children are averaged

lace of pure white stones for Mrs.

Taft will be presented to them at the

White House to-night as farewell

gifts, probably will make the forma!

TWO DEAD; FIVE INJURED.

(Courier Leased Wire).

NELSON, B. C., Feb. 21-An ex-

alosion of dynamite at Brilliant yes-

(Courier Leased Wire).

presentation speech.

A RAVING LUNATIC (Courier Leased Wire). CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I., Feb

number of officers of the regular 21.-Mrs Patrick Magee, slayer of WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.-Fran- army, but had seen Francisco Maisco I. Madero, deposed president of dero's administration pass over their her seven children, and sentenced to heads men whose service had been a life term in the Dorchester penitentiary, was brought back here to-day thrown into a mad house or summar- General Huerta has already pro- a raving lunatic.

ly executed by Provisional President moted four generals and a number of Since the woman's incarceration in Huerta, according to reports to-day inferior officers of the line. The gen- the penitentiary, she has been giving from United States Ambassador Wil- erals are Aurelio Blanquet, Joaquin a great deal of trouble, and it was son. Madero, the ambassador re- Maas, Alberto Yarza and Cauz, all of finally decided by the Justice Departports, will be given a fair trial, and whom took an active part in the ment to remove her to an asylum possibly the worst fate that awaits fighting in the streets of the capital. The island authorities, it is stated, In view of General Huerta's per- endeavored at first to evade responsisonal assurance to Senora Madero, bility in caring for the prisoner after isional President Huerta has already that her husband was not to be killed she had been removed to a Dominion used his new powers to put right and also of the fact that his life was institution, and the matter was the what has long been considered a dinot taken during the excitement acsubject of a controversy, but it was gard as undesirable on the Fifth aveit is said he will tear down the Webb rect slight to the military. He had companying his downfall, it is now finally decided to bring her back to home and erect a mercantile house ong pleaded for promotions for a thought that his life is to be spared, this province.

of bargains we are offering, and then Carleton County Jail make an inventory of your stock of six months and pay us a call. It will PAY YOU. The Temple Shoe Store. upper corridors. He will be confined 

prisoner of state, ate dinner to-day for exercise, but cannot smoke or ob-CONVENIENT & he was removed early this morning The next step in the case will prob-

It was at first intended Seargeant-at-Arms Bowie, There was oner's counsel, A. E. Harvey, K.C., Northern Railway route should be considered at Ottawa, and the announcement that the sittings are to take & ed with gas. place in Brantford will be most welcome.

the Commons building and stepped will be invited to make an explanainto a closed sleigh. The party drove tion of what became of the \$41,026, This will mean very much more convenience to those ment was handed to Jailer Dawson were through with him, was the statewho wish to give testimony and will enable the commis-"This is Mr. Miller, the prisoner nor, president of the Diamond, Light sioners to personally inspect

They will be accompanied Miller was formerly president. The "I suppose you won't object to company secured a judgment against s by an expert engineer. The date on which the sitshaking hands," said Miller to the Mr Miller for an accounting, which he appealed against. Mr O'Connor "Not at all," returned Dawson, and says that the company will vigorous-

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# Sliding---Very Much Work Yet Remains to be Done.

than 2,000,000 cubic yards of earth the great dam at Gamboa to a height and rock are in motion along the of 54 feet above sea level. The army Panama canal, and the slides are engineers are looking forward to the showing more than usual activity. opening of the sluice gates, for it will the convention and the necessity was the Niagara Falls Review. Before. This was the information received give them opportunity then to test turned into the canal, there still re- with little trouble by means of mains about 4,000,000 yards of exca- dredges, and that the slides will prevation before the work is completed. sent little engineering difficulties.

On or about October 1, the water WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.-More will be turned into the canal bed, for

### Turkish Troops are Perpetrating Atrocities

(Courier Leased Wire). SOFIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 21.—The to-day. cent Fawcet, president of the Na- which the Tafts have made durin. Turkish troops are perpetrating massacres and committing unspeakable ing in great numbers from their their atrocities on the Christian population homes. (Courier Leased Wire).

CARDSTONE, Alta., Feb. 21— workers in the cause, delivered a to-night will give their last located in the diocese of Tchatalja since the from the dean of the consular corps An official letter from President Jos. nouncing the militant suffragists, and the presentation will be made withdrawal of many of the Bulgarian and from the Greek Metropolitan at Smith, Salt Lake City, Utah, eccles- whose tactics she described as de- then. Miss Mabel T. Boardman of troops from the front of the Turkish Silivri announcing the massacre of

atalja to the Bulgarian government The prelate declares that the sur-

viving Christian inhabitants are flee-Telegrams have also been received

The Bandit Trial in France is Still Dragging Along

(Courier Leased Wire).

terday resulted in the death of two NEW YORK, Feb: 21.-A cable marks. Permission being forthwith Doukhobors. Two others had legs from Paris says: The sixteenth day granted Caillemin, clean shaven, near-sighted, rather pale and exceedingly broken, another an arm blown off and an eye injured, and two others of the bandits' trial was taken up nervous, began in a voice pitched in were otherwise injured. The men mainly with the conclusion of the a very high key to explain that his were sitting around a stove thawing argument of Assistant Attorney-Gen- theory of anarchy was not collectivout dynamite when the explosion eral Laroque, who asked the jury to ism, but a mild and benevolent effort occurred. Both the dead men are married and have families. One or the first degree: Kibaltchiche, Detter his married and have families. One or two of the injured will probably die. tweiller, Poierer, Fluery, Belonie, after a while that he

LONDON, Feb. 21-Half a dozen under this verdict would be twenty ecint mental liberty (librete d'esprit) uffragette window smashers, were years with hard labor. M. Laroque to develop my thoughts." sentenced to-day, each to six months' asked for a verdict of guilty in the He then asked the jury to acquit

TWO DEAD FROM COAL GAS. | Caillemin, known as "Raymo

The minimum sentence possible have not just at this moment suffi

mprisosment. All of them pledged second degree for the other prison- him because what he did was merely themselves to start a hunger strike ers. A verdict carrying a sentence of the unavoidable practical outcome of ten years imprisonment with hard his doctrinec. The court then listened to the attorneys for Mme. Maitre e jean, for Jourdain and the others Science," then asked the judge to al- asking for acquittals

### Six Men in Winnipeg Nearly Overcome by Gas Fumes

(Courier Leased Wire). a scene of excitement at the city high then one more until six lay on the pressure gas works yesterday after- grating in danger of rolling off. One noon when six men narrowly escap- of the foremen had presence of mind ed asphyxiation. John Frowse went enough to turn off the gas and smash aloft on a high grating to do a re- some windows in the building. Two gular task. He fell, overcome by doctors and a posse of police were fumes. Two other workmen rushed sent for and first aid administered.

, to his rescue but they too were over-WINNIPEG, Feb. 21-There was come. Two others followed and

### It Costs Rockefeller About One Million to Prevent a Building Invasion

(Courier Leased Wire). mately \$1,000,000 is the price just Vanderbilt. paid by John D. Rockefeller to block Mr. Rockefeller will come into pos-

been advertised for lease for busi-NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Approxidaughter of the late William H.

business invasion which he might re- session of the property May 1, and on West Fifty-fourth street. The so low in height as not to cut off ASK YOUR FRIENDS

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terly he lost his power to amuse an

the latter up to the time of his death.

### footwear, you will need for the next Two Old Time Actors Commit Suicide Together

(Courier Leased Wire). Irving and Charles Dickerson, old-

very clever character impersonator. and recently had obtained a precari-He started in New York and had ous living at paperhanging.

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played with Sidney Drew, Harry CHICAGO, Feb. 21.-"Old Bob" Carey, Joseph Polk, and more recently with Lincoln J. Carter. Lat-

on order of the Commons by Deputy ably be an application by the prisonly friend in Chicago, were found engagement to another until finally dead together in a north side lodging he was obliged to take to the nickel shouse last night. The room was fill- shows. He was playing in one of Irving years ago was considered a Dickerson left the stage years ago,

in their recent sad bereavement.

No. 5 Dundas street.