Declares Premier Tried To Gag READY TO CALL CAUCUS.

Him On Radial Affairs.

Will Have "Something To Say" From Floor of House."

BRANTFORD, Oct. 5 .- Mayor Mac-Bride, Labor M. P. P. for South Brant, has asked the Speaker of the Legislature to place him on the crossbenches when the House meets again. This evening he explained his atti-

tude in the following statement: "I have not called any meeting of the Labor group. After the experiences Understood That Cabinet Will of last year, when I was grossly misrepresented for my action in calling a meeting at the Walker House. Toronto, I made up my mind that in future

and have expressed my views in no changes as I propose to go until the Legislature opens. Then I shall have something to say from the floor of the will also be made by the prime minister outrors. fact that there considerable dissatisfaction, particularly in the organized labor movement at the gen-eral course events have taken and a disallowance of the judgment or nation of the Drury Government was couched in such language as to no doubts of the attitude of or-

ninister of the crown undertook to of speech. I have consequently asked the Speaker to place me in a position

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on the floor of the House where I may be permitted to express my opinions on public questions freely without having the inference drawn that I am in any way betraying Government

CALLED NO MEETING the question of the calling of a caucus of the Labor members of the Ontario Legislature, as had been suggested by next week and a meeting would be arranged if the majority wished it.

Not Change Rates Decision.

if there is any meeting to be called it Free Press.)-An official statement of will be up to the Hon. Walter Rollo to the Government's decision in the raildo the calling. The men on the Chip- way rates appeal was not forthcoming pawa Canal have perhaps felt that I to-night, though it is known that final should have called the meeting when consideration has been given to the the Government failed to act on the subject. Premier Meighen stated that

"I have written to the Labor mem-bers, including Messrs. Rollo and Mills, thereto. They may lead to several shots at the raiders, who and have expressed my views in no changes.

thing to say from the floor of the will elaborate fully the reasons under-House, and in all probability it will not lying the Government's decision, and from the Government side of the also the consideration which will be House either. There is no denying the submitted for the respectful attention

resolution passed by the Trades Con-gress of Canada, at Windsor, in conmission. The increases will continue in force subject to such variations as the commission may make if after further inquiry it decides that such variation "Hon. Mr. Raney a few months ago is called for. Any changes in the new wrote me a letter in which he took exception to my expressed opinion of the question of hydro radials, and as rather than by the Government itself, a procedure which obviates a precedent tell me that as supporter of the Gov- of directly overriding the judgment of the board.

The Government's views should be exercised, not in a mere matter of difference of opinion, but only where the decision is grossly in error, or, as the prime minister put it the other day, "repugnant to public policy."

SIGHTS WHOLE FLOCK OF ICEBERGS IN STRAITS

MONTREAL, Oct. 5 .- The liner, Empress of Britain, due at Quebec to-mor-row, reported having sighted outside Pelle Isle Straits two very large 'bergs and a group of others, 55 in number, and all of them large.
Shipping circles here believe this volime of ice in the North Atlantic is a

#### WORLD'S BIGGEST VESSEL DESTROYED IN MAKING

BERLIN, Oct. 5 .- (Associated Press of the Government, but at the same time I would like my position clearly Cable)—The steamship Bismarck, which would have been the word's largest ves- That delightful musical play, "San

patch as to the cause of the fire.

The Bismarck was building at the misses, and that well-known and fayards of Blohm & Voss, at Hamburg, and would have been delivered to the allies under the terms of the peace of the season's most enjoyable pro-

power. She was to have been 912 feet

#### OTTAWA, Oct. 5.—(Special to The GUNMEN OPEN FIRE ON SPRACKLIN HOME

Bullets Begin to Fly.

recommendations of our majority report, but there is no more reason to expect me to call a meeting than to expect any other private member of the group. The matter is one which is distinctly up to the Hon. Walter Rollo or, falling his action, to the central executive of the I. L. P.

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#### At the Theaters

sel, has been burned at Hamburg, says Toy," which has delighted large audi-TORONTO, Oct. 5 .- Hon. Walter a dispatch to the Zwelfuhrblatt. The ences at the Grand for the past two Rollo, minister of labor, said to-day that grass tonnage of the Bismarck was said days, will close its successful London to have been 56,000, as against 54,282 engagement with two performances toof the Vaterland, now the Leviathan, day. Georgeous Oriental costumes, un-Mayor MacBride, M.P.P., Brantford, the next largest steamer.

Would be laid before the Labor members to the cause of the fire that the cause of the fire tha In July last it was reported that the Bismarck was so nearly completed that whose direction "San Toy" is touring she would soon be ready to be sent to the Dominion, has spared no expense is Belfast and placed in the Harland & quite evident in the lavish investure Wolf shipyards to be finished and transferred to the White Star Line. The vessel was to have been propelled by eight turbines, developing 65,000 horse-

KATZENJAMMER KIDS. Hilarious comedy, haunting music, whistling songs, and diversified dancing, are the ingredients of the well-"The Katzejammer Kids," which will be presented at the Grand to-morrow for matinee and night only. The play is built around the characters of Hans Narrow Escape of G. A. Jewell When and Fritz, who are also known as "The Shenanigan Kids," and "The Katzies," and who have acquired world-wide

> William Faversham is an actor-manager, who chooses plays for production because he likes them and they appeal to his artistic sense, and not the merely because somebody else has had a success with something closely similiar. As Mr. Faversham's likes are extraordinarily varied, the result is that his public gets an interesting series of performances and learns by degrees to associate the name of Faversham,

not with a single cut-and-dried pattern of drama or acting, but with qualities of good taste and thoroughness in the production and performance of many different styles of work. All of which is apropos of the announcemen that the star is coming to the Grand for three performances this week in his latest vehicle, Mark Twain's "The Prince and the Pauper," which the Montreal Daily Star described as "a delightful romantic comedy admirably played and done." Said the Star fur-"We owe Mr. Faversham deep gratitude in presenting on our stage a dramatic version of that delightful phantasy of Mark Twain's. It transports us back to the Elizabethan days and breathes an atmosphere of romance and glows." Mr. Faversham's engagement opens on Friday night, and there will be a matinee on Saturday in addition to the regular Saturday night performance.

AT THE ALLEN.

Many times have exhibitors, public, critics and people in general praised some great film achievement which has proven successful in popularity, but never has every one been so unanimous in their praise than in the criticisms of John Barrymore's wonderful artistic achievement in the roles of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," which is showing at the Allen to-day for the last time. As Jekyli he has created a character almost godlike, in character, a man sought after by society, of the highest principles, glorying in goodness, loved by women, and a man among men. As Hyde he is all that is fiendish, dragging in his wake the victims of his misdeeds down wake the victims of his misdeeds down to the ruly which is closing about him. But the pinnacle of the drama comes in those last moments, when Jekyil finds that his evil nature has proven the stronger, that no longer can he control the changes back to his good self. To miss Barrymore in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" is to miss one of the most powerful screen productions ever Overture by Allen orchestra, "Tann-

hauser;" Christie Comedy, Allen News Bray pictographs and cartoons.

AT LOEW'S. Alice Lake in the Metro Classic, "The Misfit Wife," which has been delighting capacity audiences at Loew's for the past two days, will be seen for the last time to-day. A screaming comic takes care of the fun end of the bill. Loew's Screen Pictorial is unusually interesting, while the vaudeville affords a most

ing, while the vaudeville actords a most enjoyable diversion.

Wallace Reid had a lively time of it recently trying to persuade the folks who produce his pictures to give him a vacation. The star generally has a week or two off between pictures, but when "Sick Abed," his last one, at Loew's to-morrow, was completed, his request for a rest was met with a

"Why, you've been doing nothing but lie in bed for the last three weeks," said the Big Boss. "You've had a fine

It was true. Wallie pretends to be an invalid in "Sick Abed," and is confined to his cot during much of the "Nix on that stuff!" cried Wallace

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AT THE PATRICIA.

Can a person within whose veins flows the blood of two distinct races allow the blood of the inferior ances-Which has the stronger anpeal—the blood of the mother or the inherited instincts of the father? The answers to these questions form the theme of a thrilling photo-drama, "The Adorable Savage," which will be shown at the Patricia for the last time to-day. Edith Roberts, the piquant Universal star, has the leading role in this romance of the South Seas, and enchants in the role of Marama, a halfbreed native girl. Ralph Stock is the author of this story which was pro-duced under the direction of Norman

# AWARDED JUDGMENT

D. H. Tennant Wins Action Against Cook's Shoe Store

Judgment for \$187 was handed down by Judge Macbeth at the sitting of the which was not credite plaintiff's statement.

The ease occupied nonjury Middlesex County court yes-terday in favor of the plaintiff in the action of D. H. Tennent against Ed-ward and Alice Powers, of Burford Township, Brant County. The plaintiff was also allowed \$50 for costs.

The plaintiff claimed \$242.96, the balance due by the defendant under the plaintiff claimed the plaintiff claimed the balance due by the defendant under the plaintiff and Jared Vining for the defendant.

The plaintiff claimed \$242.96, the balance due by the defendant under a lease for a farm in Westminster Township dated August 1, 1918.

The defendant, on the other hand. declared that he was entitled to \$285.20,

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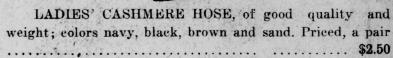
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