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HYDRO STALWARTS REBEL AGAINST PROPOSED TAXATION Turks at London Conference Maintain Their Claims Are Admitted

REMISSION OF FINES FOR O.T.A. BREACHES AROUSES CURIOSIT

Attorney-General Declares He Does Not Personally Interfere.

MAGISTRATES' ORDERS

There was a lively little breeze in the legislature yesterday, when T. Herbert Lennox moved for an order for a return of all correspondence with the government and the Ontario cense board relating to all convicions made under the O.T.A. since November 15, 1919, in which applications have been made for remission of fines and reduction of terms of prisonment imposed by the convicting magistrates or justices of the

peace.
The intimation was that there was partiality shown in the matter of the remission of fines.

Mr. Lennox took occasion to refer in the school yard. o the case of a man named Shier, said to be worth \$100,000, who had been fined for a breach of the O.T.A. also committed perjury and Police Magistrate Denison had protested against any interference with his sentence, but this had been ignored. In another case a poor man was fined \$1,000 for a comparatively trivial O.T.A. offence and his lawyer had protested against the severity of The magistrate, in reply, had told him that he could not im-pose a smaller fine, as he was acting in the matter under instructions the attorney-general.

Does Not Interfere. The attorney-general said the appl ations for remission of fines did not come before him personally. Recom-(Continued on Page 7, Column 2.)

CANADA'S BUSINESS MEEPS IMPROVING

With Opening of March Added Impetus Is Pro-

Quebec and Montreal advices indicate a general improvement in whole-sale conditions, particularly in boots, shoes and ladies' costumes. Manufact-

Winnipeg and the west had noticed tion of the Maritime Provinces.

ICE BLOCKADE LIFTED; RELIEF STEAMERS FAIL

St. John's. Newfoundland, Feb. 25. teamers with food for Newfoundland's northern bay settlements, cut ff from the outside world by recent blizzards, sailed today with the lifting of the ice blockade. Milder weather, which brought heavy rain last night, increased the troubles of the railroad service, as tracks were flooded. Fears of a change in the wind and freezing weather, which would encase the roads in ice and block the seaports again, were gen-

RAILWAYS TO CHANGE TIME. Montreal. Feb. 25 .- Canadian railroads will probably operates on day-light saving time from May 1 to Oct. according to an announcement by the Railway Association of Canada

SPRING HATS AND TOPCOATS. prices that every man can be satis-fied. Men's hats from the most fa-mous hat makers in the world. Toy we are showing the new styles spring. You cannot afford to miss seeing what's correct in men's headwear for spring. There's some "nifty" styles in both hard and soft shapes, as tow as \$4.75 and up to \$10.



While the formal ceremonials in the new North Toronto centre of education did not take place until afternoon had its special festivities. The picture shows the senior girls' physical training class defying the Fe

time time thought the sentence most lenient. However, he served only 19 days of his sentence and was released. The man admitted he had also committed perjury and Belies TO RECEIVE SUPPORT OF FORMER MINISTER

Hon. A. K. Maclean, Who Resigned From Unionist Government, Approves an Early Election — Voted Against Similar Amendment Last Session-Grain Companies in the West Are Again Under Fire-Election Amending Bill Passed.

BY TOM KING. Ottawa, Feb. 25.-In the debate upon

ne address in the house this afternoon, Hon. A. K. Maclean declared his intention to vote for the King amendment. At the last session he voted against a similar ameadment to the address, but informed the house Winnipeg, Feb. 25.—(Can. Press.)— that he could when called upon, expusiness conditions thruout Canada plain this inconsistency. Mr. Maclean, continues on the upgrade, and with the who served as a member of the Union opening of March considerable impetus is likely to be noticed in the movement, states the weekly report of the Canadian Credit Men's Trust Association. sale conditions, particularly in boots, shoes and ladies' costumes. Manufacturing houses in the same lines confirm the movement, altho little of any moment is reported in retail circles. Collections, while still on the slow side show a little improvement and failures are declining.

I liament in 1917, had given the assurance that parliament would be dissolved within reasonable time after the winning of the war. He did not believe that a general election should be deferred until after redistribution. A redistribution would give additional representation to the west, but would reduce the already small representareduce the already small representaa considerable improvement since the middle of the month. Wholesale boot Humboldt, seconded the demand made agricultural conditions, and, following the middleman and that the farmer the open fall of 1920 which enabled a did not receive for his grain anything like the price paid by the consumer, tivation an optimistic view is taken of the farmer are future conditions.

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> SERBIANS ARE FIGHTING WITH MONTENEGRINS

(Continued on Page 7, Column 3.)

Crerar's company, the United Grain Growers Limited, and the other co-

Rome, Feb. 25.—Fighting between ganization urging the members to bear Serbians and Montenegrins is report- in mind, in view of possible disorders ed to be in progress at Podgoritza, following the London conference of Montenegro, says a despatch from March 1 on reparations and disarma-Aviona to The Tempo today. Several ment, that its primary purpose is "to villages are sa'd to be burning.

munitions to ratify this convention, declaring that until this is done no progress can be made in this direc-It was decided to nominate a tem-

porary commission to consider a duction in armaments. This body will be composed of prominent public men, together with technical experts and representatives of labor and of industries and some members of military and economic commisminister, who an sions. Rene Viviani, former premier of

France, has been asked to accept the chairmanship of this commission. A recommendation by the assemn'y. of the League of Nations that an AGAINST DEATH SENTENCE | organization be set up to verify military information supplied by its members, as provided for in the League of Nations, cannot be carried who has taken the place of the head of out without an amendment to the covenant of the league. The council London, Feb. 25 .- The Canadian, Press is informed that Charles Tellett, the ex-Canadian soldier, concovenant of the league. The council out without an amendment to the covenant of the league. The council has decided to leave to a permanent military commission the task of in
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east conference, reiterating this afternounced that acceptance of the conference's porposal was subject to the fellowing observations:

Tragedy Occurs on C.N.R. lett, the ex-Canadian soldier, con-demned to hang for the murder of middle of the month. Wholesale boot and shoe houses, following a slow winter, have been busy for the last two weeks with country customers who expect a revival on the breaking up of winter. Heavy snows, also, are expected to have a beneficial effect on agricultural conditions, and, following and that the farmer term have been busy for the last two weeks with country customers who expect a revival on the breaking up of the western wheat crop was handled. He did not single out Mr. Canadian high commissioner, Sir George Perley, has instructed country pected to have a beneficial effect on agricultural conditions, and, following of the middleman and that the farmer than the farmer term has decided to leave to a permanent military commission the task of introduction of the way in which the western wheat crop was handled. He did not single out Mr. Canadian high commissioner, Sir George Perley, has instructed country pected to have a beneficial effect on agricultural conditions, and, following observations:

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> been charged with drafting a reply to the United States note. The only information obtainable this evening To Support Government Berlin, Feb. 25.-Major George

Escherich, head of the Bavarian "orgesch," or citizen guard, who is in Berlin, has issued a letter to the orsays a despatch from March 1 on reparations and disarma-

HON. A. K. MACLEAN.

nounces intention to vote against former

TELLETT WILL APPEAL

support the constituted government. Province Has No Rights Over Dominion Companies a strike was begun yesterday by 14.

being subject to provincial legislation as a condition of their exercising cor-There's a hat here for every head.

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When the report was despatched shooting was still in progress. Some companies acts of Ontario, Manitoba and Saskatchewan which applied to objects. No express power is conferthese companies were ultra vires.

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The government had ordered a Their lordships' judgment states that these companies are not precluded by reason of not having been licensed or registered under those acts, from con-

on the situation is that nothing whatsoever has been decided on. **RED TROOPS QUELL** STRIKE IN MOSCOW

ed Rations and Constituent Assembly.

Riga, Letv'a, Feb. 25.—A report re-ceived here from Moscow today says strike was begun yesterday by 14,works and in various industries, in cluding printers. The men are depeals concerning Dominion companies goes deep into the history of the keguskatuib company of Canada and being subject to provincial legislation. the strikers, several of whom were

IMPOSE TAXATION ON POWER PRODUCTION New Yorks Plan to Ontario Municipal Electric Encourage Building Association Also Opposed Will Use Best Efforts in Con-

RESENT ATTEMPTS TO

New York, Feb. 25 -- An ordinance providing tax exemption of \$5,000 a year for the next ten

years on all new dwellings in greater New York was passed today by the board of estimate. It had already been signed by Mayor Hylan, and was designed to stimulate erection of homes and relieve the housing shortage. The measure provides exemption of \$5,000 on a one-family house and \$5,000 for each apartment in

NOT AS A MINISTER

Fight Embargo on Canadian Cattle.

Will Be Composed of Prominent Men, Experts and Labor Representatives.

Hon. Manning Doherty, Ontario's iminister of agriculture, is on fais way to England, there to do what he can mot as a minister of the crown, but as a British subject—to have the owner, but as a British subject—to have the solvernment's good wishes, but it cannot be said that the opposition, but Liberal and Conservative, went only only on the solvern and controversy, the kinder, states mandom reversy, the kinder has the strong as the for a Canadian to interfere with for greater publicity for 'ts proceed lings, took up the question how to satisfy the league as making with the council will ask the powers ament today.

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to Placing Hydro Under a Minister of Government-Sir Adam Beck Tells of Taxation Burdens Already Borne-Only One Dissentient at Meeting.

three per cent. of the number of amens of each nationality in the country in 1910 as the first move under the control of a minister of the government was condemned in a strong resolution passed at the annual meeting of the Ontario Municipal Electric Association, held yesterday in the city hall. The vote was unanimous, with one exception, the objector being a well-known the objector being a well-known ganization would attempt to obtain member of the York Milk Producers' substitution of the Johnson bill, virtu-

Hon. Manning Doherty Off to

Fight Embargo on Canawith the exception of Sam Carter of Guelph and R. V. Buchanan of Ingersoll, who advised a conference with the premier and an attitude of sym-CARRIES NO STATUS pathy and co-operation towards the

New Officers.

TURKS THINK CLAIMS VIRTUALLY ADMITTED

Nationalist Envoy Asks Time to Communicate With Angora-Proposes That Acceptance of Commission Be Subject to Certain Conditions - Greeks Oppose Revision of the Treaty.

London, Feb. 25.—Bekir Samy Bey, chief of the Nationalist delegation, who has taken the place of the head of the Turkish delegation to the near control of the transfer of the suggestion for the investigating commission as the transfer of the suggestion for the investigating commission as the suggestion of the suggestion for the investigating commission as the suggestion of the suggestion of the suggestion for the investigating commission as the suggestion of The council still is guarding as a close secret its deliberations on the American note concerning mandates. Speculation consequently is rife as ing the economic life of the country. He said he hoped to obtain a reply by Monday, and the conference acceded to the request.

and in this case, it was hoped former officials might be reinstated.

That in the event of the admission of Turkish claims the Turks would agree to a cessation of hostilities with

Mr. Lloyd George assured Bekir Greece and an exchange of prisoners. That Greece send no new forces or the investigation with complete fair—move troops now in Thrace and ness and impartiality, and decide the questions at issue between Greece and Turkey on principles of justice.

Smyrna.

That the Turks would give guarantees regarding minorities provided Greeks with respect to the proposal by the allies for revision of the Sevres

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treaty, to be based upon the findings
of the Thrace and Smyrna Investigatof the Thrace and Smyrna Investigatever, the reply will arrive by Monday evening, by which time it is believed the Turks also will give the control of the Casting Coupation. the Turks also will give the'r answer At this morning's session Bekir Samy expressed thanks to the supreme council for admitting the principal Turkish claims, which, he declared, led him to hope that the other claims of the Turks would receive equal con-

No Claims Admitted. Mr. Lloyd George explained that no (Continued on Page 2, Column 7).

continue the struggle if necessary to and ice. successful termination.

allies' idea was that the armies should

Crown Force Casualties Make a New Low Record

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BAR IMMIGRATION TO U. S. FOR YEAR IS AIM OF LABOR

gress to Introduce Substitute Bill.

REPEAL OF TRUST LAW

Washington, Feb. 25.—Organized labor will endeavor to prevent the final passage of the pending Dilling-The proposal now before the gov- ham bill restricting immigration to rnment to impose a \$2 tax per three per cent. of the number of sorsepower on the production of amens of each nationality in the coun-

Association.

This resolution was the chief matter before the meeting, which was agreement on it by senate and house conferees is now pending in the house. Legislative representatives of organ-ized labor also have been instructed

to press their efforts to obtain a congressional investigation into conditions in the strike area in West Virginia.

Whether labor will attempt to bring about introduction of a bill at the extra session of congress for the repeal of the Sherman anti-trust act will depend, according to information to-

A proposal made by representa-tives of the Typographical Union at the labor conference yesterday that a fund of several million dollars be raised for propaganda work, it was learned today, was voted down and it was decided that no special fund would be advisable for this work. The executive council of the federation was in session here all day, but made no announcement as to its work, except that it had considered several jurisdictional disputes.

DEATH OF BRITISH DIVINE. London, Feb. 25.—The Right Reverend Monsignor James O'Hanlon, vicar-general of Birmingham, died to-day. He was born in 1840 and or-dained in 1865. Monsignor O'Hanlen was a domestic prelate to the pope.

BY A SNOW-SLIDE

Near Jasper—One Man Badly Hurt.

result of a snow-slide on the Canadian National Railways forty-six miles west That Greece send no new forces or move troops now in Thrace and Thursday night at 10 o'clock. The dead are

Turkey on principles of justice.

No reply was received from the Greeks with respect to the proposal the Greeks.

Antees regarding minorities provided the same conditions were exacted from the Greeks.

Operator Menuior and Fireman Berry of Jasper, and Roadmaster Willis of McBride.

left Jasper to clear the line. A Second Slide Occurs.

The plow had only penetrated the Bekir Samy, at the conclusion of pile of snow a short distance when a this morning's session, voiced the con-second slide occurred, burying the plow fidence and ability of the Turks to and workmen under a mass of snow

The three men mentioned were dead Mr. Lloyd George told the Greeks, whom he received after the departure of the Turks this morning, that the he was rushed to an Edmonton hospital. The train arrived here at five o'clock this evening. He was found to be suffering from a broken leg and dislocated shoulder.

> DICTIONARY DISTRIBUTION TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED.

New Universities Dictionaries is temporarily suspended awaiting the bring-Dublin, Feb. 25.-The casualties to barracks, there was one assassination ing up of additional supplies. The dethe crown forces during the week and one attempted assassination.

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The government had ordered a mobilization of communists who were guarding government offices.

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