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Winnipeg Doctor Testifies at

Trial of Labor Leader.

Sick Prevented From Receiving Proper Medical Atten-

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ARGENTINE GRANTS BIG CREDIT TO GT. BRITAIN,

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### 22,318 OF CANADA'S SOLDIERS WERE GIVEN **DISCHARGES OVERSEAS**

Sir Edward Kemp Gives Out Statement Regarding Troops in British Isles.

Ottawa. Dec. 12.—Sir Edward Kemp, overseas minister of militia, today gave out a statement dealing with soldiers on the strength of the Canadian forces on the strength of the Canadian forces

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GEN. ANGELES England, and to encourage soldiers to take their discharge in Canada, and take their discharge in Canada. and every soldier was required to sign a document showing that he understood the conditions upon which he was being discharged. In addition to the 7.136 who were discharged before armistice. It 5.182 were discharged after armistice in the British Isles. One of the conditions which such a man he conditions which we was a man he condition which was a man he condition which we was a man he condition wh

the conditions which such a man acknowledged was the loss of his right to free transportation to Canada. Upon such discharge being made these soldiers at once became civilians, and the military authorities had no further control over them.

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Eagle Pass, Texas, Dec. 11.—In reprisal for the recent execution of General Fellipe Angeles, four hundred Vill. total returned to the town of Muzquiz, state of Cochuila, looting the stores and selzing several prominent citizens for hostages, according to information received here today.

The fighting is said to have continued to hav

Quebec, Dec. 12 .-- With practically

of those discharged in England, but in many other cases hardship when discovered has been provided for.

WILL ASK UNLIMITED LOAN.

Paris, Dec. 12.—Louis Klotz, minister of finance, will present before the Chamber of Deputies this month a project for an unlimited loan, according to reports printed in the Ocuvre. Triends are cordially invited to attend.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist. of London, Ont., announces a free lecture on Christian Science by a member of the mother of Christ, Scientist. Of London, Ont., announces a free lecture on Christian Science by a member of the board of lectureship of the mother church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist.

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ALL CANADIAN MONEY.

## **ELECTION CAMPAIGN**

# STATEMENT TO \*\*MAKE-ALD.\*\* HOLMES\*\* \*\*success in Ireland. During the past year there has been an increase in turnover from £7,500,000 sterling to over £9,000. -000. Sir Horace Plunkett, who presided at the meeting, while recalling the fact that the society was not political, and included men of all parties, condemned any government proposal for dividing ireland-into-two-parts. \*\*Torong E7,500,000 sterling to over £9,000. -000 made that a large number of prisoner had been captured.\*\* \*\*OTTAWA CARPENTERS TO ASK ADVANCED WAGES\*\*

Will Not Declare Mayoralty Intentions.

"I have no statement to make," said Ald. L. S. Holmas, when asked today if it were a fact that he intends to run as candidate for the mayor's chair.

"Will you have a statement to make in a day or two?" he was asked, and haughingly he replied: "You have my answer for the present, at least. The future will take care of itself."

Buenos Ayres, Thursday, Dec. 11.—The bill granting a credit of 200,000,000 posso to Great Britain, France and Italy to facilitate the purchase of Argentine products, was reported to the Chamber of Commerce by the financial committee tonight, the report being approved by a vote of 37 to 35. The credit will be guaranteed by deposit of 60,000,000 gold pessos in the bank of the Argentine nation. The measure now goes to the senate.

### FRENCH TAX RECEIPTS ARE

stood that in England as in Canada necessitous cases of need in connection with Canadian soldiers and their dependents have been carefully looked after and great care has been taken through funds which have been at the disposal of the Canadian representatives to see that not only in respect of those discharged in England, but in many other cases hardship when discovered has been tardship when the connection to describe the greatest part of this makes. The receipts of the estimates. The receipts of the present through the greatest part of this makes the greatest part of this makes the property of the present the same tardship which the machine in which captured to the common treates, those on the sales of the estimates. The receipts do the cestion to the common treates, those on the sales of the estimates. The receipts are those of the estimates. The receipts do the common treat

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Bolshevik Forces Penetrate to Great Depth On 300-Mile Front.

CAVALRY BEING USED

Soviet Government Troops Are Threatening City of Kiev.

KHARKOV IS CAPTURED. London, Dec. 12 .- The capture of Kharkov, in Southern Russla, which has been one of the bases of Gen. Denekine, is announced ina Moscow official dispatch received by wireless today.

The occupation of Valki, about 20 miles southwest of Kharkov, also is claimed by the Bolsheviki.

London dispatches on the Russian situation received today, reported the soviet troops within fifty miles of Kharkov, which the Bolsheviki were approaching in their general offensive along several hundred miles of the South Russian front.

London, Dec. 12 .- Bolshevik forces have again heavily attacked the left SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES flank of Gen. Denekine's army and driven the latter's volunteers back to a kov and Poltava and are swinging around to the southeast of Klev, which is also threatened from the northwest, according to news from South Russia. Winnipeg, Dec. 12.-Dr. E. J. Bord- The situation gives rise to anxiety. Canada has been less than anywhera.

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And notwithstanding what has taken place. Canadian currency is in a very excellent condition. The situation today is that the gold reserve against our total currency note issue is over 47 per medical attention.

Winnipeg, Dec. 12.—Dr. E. J. Bord-On the Caucasus front, however, the Bolsheviki have been repulsed before Tzaritzan with heavy losses. Don Cossacks have also been successful in push-day is that the gold reserve against our total currency note issue is sover 47 per medical attention. That this is a high and satisfactory of the days of Waterley.

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THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the M hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 30; lowest, 5.

The official temperatures for the 12 Amyot has just returned from hours previous to

Today—Partly cloudy and mild.
Saturday—Unsettled, turning much colder by night, with strong west winds and light snowfalls. Victoria ..... 26 18 Calgary ..... -12 -16 Parry Sound... 22 16 Port Stanley... 34 32 1 Jalo .... 28 28 | ialo | 28 | | Toronto | 29 | | Kingston | 24 | | Ottawa | 22 | | Montreal | 11 | | Ouebec | 2



### SHIP-OWNERS MADE FABULOUS PROFITS DURING WAR TIME

Former U. S. Shipping Board Official Gives Some Startling Figures.

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may act even more promptly, said Dr. J. A. Amyot, C. M. G., deputy minister of the federal health department, in an interview this morning regarding the smallpox epidemic which centres in the

Washington, Dec. 10.—A senate committee this afternoon investigated the high cost of silk stockings.

B. P. Waters representing the Master Dyers' Association of Philadelphia told the senate finance committee that a dozen pairs of silk stockings need only 1% cents worth of dye.

The testimony was in refutation of charges that the high cost of dyestuffs is the cause of high prices for wearing apparel.

Ses GARFIELD'S RESIGNATION

#### ONLY ONE WIFE FOR EACH TURK PRINCE

Constantinople, Saturday, Dec 6. — The marriage of Farouk, son of Prince Eddine, the heir-apparent Turkish throne, to Princess Sabija, daughter of the sultan, ends the political disagreement between the sultan and the crown prince. The marriage also is significant for the fact that in the future members of the importal formity will take but one perial family will take but one legal wife, thereby terminating legal wife, thereby the harem system.

## SIGNING OF PROTOCOL: REPLIES 10 ALLIES WITH AHGUMENIS

Disclaimer of Responsibility For Sinking of Ships at Scapa Flow Is Renewed—Germans' Latest Answer to Supreme Council Notes Is Merely Another Instance of Their Tactics To Block Ratification of Peace Treaty—Reply Is of More Conciliatory Tone.

PROF. STEPHEN S. LEACOCK, of reply to the last notes from the supreme to a body of experts. This McGill University, Montreal. In the Canadian Bookman for January he has an article on "Unteaching French in Ontario," in which he declares that not a single pupil in the schools and colleges of Ontario learns a word of French "in any real sense."

Montreal. In the council of the peace conference have been sent to Versailles. Nothing has been given out relative to its contents. Scapa Flow issue, a side from a hint that its general tenor reciprocates the conciliatory tone of the last communication from the Entente.

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British Press Believes That Clemenceau's Visit to England May Be Primarily With This Object in View-Urgent Questions Concerning European Countries

Must Be Settled At Once. ALLIANCE DISCUSSED. portance is attached to the conference held at Premier Lloyd George's menceau of France, Foreign Minister Scialoia of Italy, and other British and Allied representatives cominence. The general belief In diplomatic quarters was that the conference was for the purpose of

discussing the proposed Allied loan to Austria, and the subject of the pact between France and Great Britain, to guarantee France against unwarranted attack into which agreement it was originally expected the United States would enter. Up to mid-afternoon no official announcement had been made re-

Lordon, Dec. 12.-The Chronicle

HOPES CONFERENCE WILL

END IN ALLIANCE OF FOUR COUNTRIES

not much longer be postponed.

There are urgent questions which concern Britain and France primarily—the coal famine in France, which HIGHER COST OF

SILK STOCKINGS BRITISH AND FRENCE PREMIERS CONTINUES

Noted British Statesmen Ar Called Into Today's Meeting.

forwarded to President Wilson that capinet, and the French and the formally course it will be accepted," it was said at the White House.

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CLEMENCEAU'S VISIT TO

London, Dec. 12.—Commenting Premier Clemenceau's visit to Engla the Manchester Guardian says: the departure of the American deligates from Paris were significant at not disconnected. Premier Clemences doubtless comes to do what he cat to fill the breach caused by the will drawal of America. As the prospe of support from America becomes less the need of support from this count grows and may enter not only it.

LONDON.
Paris, Dec. 12.—Louis Loue
minister of reconstruction, has
called to London by Premier Claceau. He left Paris last night.

### Highes:, 37; lowest. 29. TOMORROW — LIGHT SNOWFALLS. COM STRIKE COST What's Doing Tonight? Forecasts. THEATRES. Majestic—I auline Frederick in "The Loves of Letty." Patricla—H. B. Warner in "The Fagan God," and vaudeville. Grand—Miss Zara Clinton and

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The loss to the operators is estimated at more than \$20,000,000.

The loss to the United States in increased costs for coal for railroads Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes.

The depression from the Middle Pacific States has spread to the Great Lakes, giving local snowfalls over Lake Superior and a rapid rise in temperature over Southern Ontario and in Western Quebec.

In the West the weather is still very cold.

That dat more than \$22,000,000.

The loss to the United States in increased costs for coal for railroads and ships is figured at about \$33,000.

It is estimated that the loss to the miners will be made up in increased wages. Operators hope to make up their losses by increased production.

The Government and the people who suffered for lack of coal apparently will bear the burden of the strike.