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# **CUT TIMBER IN NEW ONTARIO** FROM MANY MINING CLAIMS

Former Crown Timber Agent Admits That Wood Was Taken From Unpatented Lands - Denies, at Probe That Permits Were Granted for Political Purposes.

Port Arthur, Ont., June 7.—John A. in his opinion were for the cutting and Oliver, until recently crown timber shipping of timber, rather than for agent at Port Arthur, was on the stand all the afternoon at the timber inquiry being conducted by Justices Latchford Charges of "Political Purposes."

taking of timber from mining claims, and the query was put to him several times and in several forms as to why he had not protected the public by taking steps before issuing clearances to see that the timber had not been cut from unpatented lands.

Mr. Oilver admitted that he had not made a practice of looking for such guarantees, and his defence was that this responsibility was removed from him when the permits were granted by the department of lands at Toronto. He also claimed that it was impossible this responsibility was removed from him when the permits were granted by the department of lands at Toronto. He also claimed that it was impossible for him to make inspections which would prove to his satisfaction where the timber was cut, for the double reason that the most the government would give him for the patrol of a four hundred mile shore line was a sixteeen-foot canoe, and that he was not allowed to go on to private lands.

Mr. Oliver stated that he had years ago drawn attention of the department to the fact that a great many mining locations were being taken up, which

## ASSEMBLY MEETS IN WEST NEXT YEAR

Choses Vancouver-Debates Means of Raising Ministers' Pensions.

Ottawa, June 7.—After a number of

Ottawa, June 7.—After a number of eloquent speeches, in which the respective merits of St. John, N.B., and Vancouver, B.C., were discussed, the Presbyterian General Assembly meeting in Chalmers Presbyterian Church this afternoon, decided by a large majority to meet in the west, in Vancouver, next year. The vote was by a show of hands and was so decisive that the moderator did not even have to count the vote.

An animated discussion took place on the question of payments to aged and infirm ministers. Peter Campbell, a layman from Stratford, put things in a pointed way. He said that the assembly stated a minister could not live on less than \$1.500 a year, yet, after a life term of service, ministers were pensioned off. after usefulness was monomed off. after usefulness was gone, at far less sums than that.

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# LEAGUE BOMBARDED BY HIRAM JOHNSON

Declares Covenant is Simply Perpetuation of Old-World Imperialism.

Chicago, June 7.—Senator Hiram Johnson put forward tonight the argument in favor of his own nomination for president by the Republican National convention.

tional convention.

Before a great mass meeting, attended by many delegates, he pleaded for what he called a "head up, eyes o pen" party stand, from attempts to "hide in the shadow of privilege."

Defining two big issues, Senator Johnson declared the first was the high cost of living to be coped with, not

cost of living to be coped with, not wholly by new law, but by unshrinking wholly by new law, but by unshrinking "administration of the present law."
The second issue, international, he covered fiatly with the declaration: "I am opposed to the present covenant of the League of Nations," emphasizing his opposition to the league plan of the Versailles treaty.

"Against it, the Republican party must take its stand," he declared.
"There can be no hiding or skulking upon an issue of this magnitude. In this campaign men must march under

this campaign men must march under the polygiot banner of European im-perialism and internationalism, or un-der the old stars and stripes."

The document represented the triumph of cynical old world diplomacy, the defeat of new world

### WILL CHECK CAMPAIGN OF ASSASSINATION

London, June 7 .- The government intends to take steps to bring to justice all persons associated with dustice all persons associated with after crimes in Ireland, Premier Lloyd chief George declared in the house of comday.

Mr. Harding, in his questioning, made several allegations to the effect that permits had been granted for political purposes and on promises to vote for Hogarth, the Conservative candidate, in the Ontario election.

Mr. Harding on one occasion remarked that "permits were floating around in

# **HAMILTON**

meeting of the executive committee of the Ontario Safety League was held at the Royal Connaught Hotel tonight, with G. C. Martin, Hamilton's repre-

ger, reported upon the league's ac-tivities and of the measures taken to

# TO MANUFACTURERS

this afternoon, following the presentation of a report by a committee appointed by the last assembly. The present pensions are \$400 and \$200, respectively.

Rev. T. W. D. McKerrell, Toronto, presenting the report, said that to provide such annuities, as suggested, an endowment fund of \$4,315,000 would be required, together with an annual payment by every minister of about \$130.

Premier Oliver stated that capitalization was the friend of mankind; the civilization cannot exist without it. He deployed any flaunting of extreme wealth in the face of poverty, saying that it provided ample material for existence.

## SCORE'S SUITINGS AT TREMENDOUS PRICE REDUCTIONS



regular \$80.00 for \$53.50. Score's, 77

### SUGAR BROKER SUBJECTED TO TWO-HOUR GRILLING

Montreal, June 7.—The board of commerce today continued the probe into sugar prices and profits, the chief witness being Mr. Robert Anderson, and for two hours he was put thru a merciless cross-examination by Chairman O'Connor, who plainly intimated that he considered Mr. Anderson as one of the speculators who had thrust themselves into the sugar business with a view to making properialism and internationalism, or under the old stars and stripes."

"Instead of disarmament, everywhere were increased armaments. The hopes of those who had earnestly wished and fervently prayed were blighted and betrayed. The document represented the

## CHIPPAWA FALLS REPORT.

The cabinet yesterday afternoon considered the report of the parliamentary committee appointed to inquire into the Hydro workers' trouble at Chippawa Falls. The premier had expected to make public the findings but in the absence of Sir Adam Beck decided to withhold them until after a conference with the Hydro after a conference win the Hydro chief, which will probably be held to-

George declared in the house of commons today in answering a question.

The premier added that with this object in view the government was reorganizing the Irish executive and was strengthening the police, naval and military forces in Ireland. It would probably also be necessary, he said, to strengthen the law for dealing with crime.

It was the intention of the government, Mr. Lloyd George asserted, to put down the present "organized campaign of murder and assassination."

chief, which will probably be held to-day.

POPE IS INDISPOSED.

Rome, June 7.—Pope Benedict is suffering from an attack of rheumatism. Altho fatigued by yesterday's ceremonies in connection with the beatification of eighty-two negroes who died for the faith in Uganda under King Mwanga, he had a peaceful night and his physician this morning found him rested. The pontiff's general health is satisfactory.

Retroactive to April One, Last Year-Total of Four Million Dollars.

## BILL HAS THIRD READING

Ottawa, June 7 .- Full details of the onus to civil servants were given in return tabled in the house of comnons today. Civil service employes of sighteen years or ever, and supporting dependents, receiving less than \$1,200 a year, get a bonus of \$35 per month hruout the present fiscal year. In the same class the bonus decreases \$2 month for every extra \$20 of salary.

Assembly, Dek of Spirit of as in Churches.

June 7.—A deeply impressive, a church see a constitute of the second management and visit of a constant and the visit of second second was a constant to the task of shortcoment against easier, the task of shortcoment easier ea that seven people in China were being born for every one person the Christian church received as a communicant in that country. He pointed out the wonderful strides the Mohammedans were making in Africa. Their claimed converts in the past few years were many times larger than that of were many times larger than that of the entire Christian church of the

world.

Dr. Ross pointed out that at the present time there was a wave of

# **GOMPERS UPHOLDS**

Montreal June 7.—Any attempt to enforce compulsory labor by making strikes unlawful must be resisted at any cost, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, declared here to day in his address at the opening of the fortieth annual convention of the federation.

"I have no fear as to what the results will be," he added. "As long as I have life and my mind is not impaired I shall stand for the right of the men and women tollers of the world to be free, untrammeled, and unowned by any force."

# FINDS POUNDS OF GOLD

IN THE PAS DISTRICT The Pas, Man., June 7.—Smashing the quartz in a mortar and using quicksilver to gather it, a prospector secured four pounds of gold bullion at Elbow lake, where he found a gold shoot. This discovery rivals the one made at Copper lake, which is ten miles distant, and a large force of prospectors are en route to the new field.

# START IN TO MAKE

Prohibition Agents Expect Number of Camouflaged Saloons Will Close.

New York, June 7.—Federal agents will redouble their efforts to make New York bone dry, James Shelvin, supervising prohibition enforcement agent, announced today when helearned that the United States supreme court had declared both prohibition amendment and Volstead act

risinitiant the late afternoon, following the announcement of the supreme court decision. It was believed that the demand would be considerably restricted in consequence of the partial withdrawal of distillers, although thru increased use of corn by manufacturers of breakfast foods.

Other grains were not materially affected by the decision.

Output

Out

Dr. Ross pointed out that at the present time there was a wave of criminal extravagance thruout the world, and a rage for pleasure. And Mr. Slater advised the church to spread its propaganda to the entire world and in this generation.

DENOUNCES MANIFESTO.

Ottawa, June 7.—An unqualified denunciation of the manifesto of R. B. Maxwell, Dominion president of G. W. V. A., in which he called upon the Union Government to resign, was made by Col. J. W. Margeson, president of the ottawa command, G. W. V. A., at the regular meeting this evening.

"I deem it an ill-advised document, inspired from Alberta," he declared.

"If you want to out-Flyan Flyan, sup port this measure."

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U. S. STEEL WORKERS

WILL CONTINUE FIGHT

Montreal, June 6.—The national committee on thon. Dr. Tolmie's resolution proposed in glegislation to regulate the sale and importation of commercial feeding stuffs, bran, shorts, middlings, and chopped feeds. Registration is proposed as a necessary condition to the sale of commercial feeding stuffs in Canada, and an advisory board is proposed, to supervise and regulate the quality.

Dr. Tolmie made a brief explanation of the resolution stating that it was introduced for the purpose of from, Steel and Tin Workers, which inspired from Alberta," he declared.

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In the federation will also be asked to force the Amalgamated Association of the commercial feeding stuffs.

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# PERS UPHOLDS RIGHT TO STRIKE SAY MOUNTED POLICE IN EASTERN CANADA

Strong Criticism Voiced in Commons-Economy is Chief Argument.

## NEXT SESSION, JANUARY

Ottawa, June 7.—(By Canadian Press)—Strong criticism of the government was voiced in the house of ernment was voiced in the house of commons this evening when the estimates to cover expenditures for the Royal Canadian Mounted Police came up for consideration. Member after member declared that the force was unnecessary in eastern Canada and that it should be returned to its original field in the west. Economy was urged by opposition members as the thief argument against an extension of the scope or activities of the mounted police, and Hon, Rodolphe Lemleux, member of Maisonneuve, declared that the estimate of \$4.674,068.00 should be cut in half.

Bitter in the East. One or two of the members were very outspoken in their opposition to the extension of the mounted police force in the east. R. H. Butts, of Cape Breton, said that mounted police would be regarded as intruders in Nova Scotia, and intimated that trou-

Nova Scotia and intimated that trouble would follow their advent.

W. H. White of Victoria, Alta., a former member of the mounted police, thought that the force was losing caste, and attributed this to the fact that it had been taken from its proper work, and put to breaking strikes. This was emphatically denied by Hon. N. W. Rowell, the minister in charge of the astimates.

amendment act, 1919.

To Regulate Feeding Stuffs.

NEW AERIAL SERVICE

BETWEEN LONDON

AND PARIS

A well-known shipping con-

cern of London has instituted a

passenger service between London and Paris by airplane. They

have recently purchased a mon-

ster Vimy Vickers airplane to

start the service. The plane can carry eleven passengers, and is palatially fitted up. It also has

cargo space capable of carrying half a ton of goods. The salon of

the plane is said to be the most comfortably fitted ever seen in an airplane. The upper photo shows the exterior of the plane, and the lower gives a glimpse of the interior, fitted up somewhat like a



# Dineen's Hats

WO things are necessary to real success -one is the making of a good reputation and the other is the ability to keep it good.

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operators in District 18.

Urges Coal for Toronto.

Col. J. A. Currie/ (Simcoe North) protested against the system of bonusing miners. These men were holding the country by the throat because they were paid for the time their mines were not working. The coal being produced in the Nova Scotia mines should be carried on the government ships to Montreal and Toronto and stored there for use in the winter. Ontario was faced with a very serious coal famine, when she should have at least six months' supplies on hand.

Industries were closing down and others had only two weeks' supply on hand.

Willing to bring down the orders if the committe generally desired it.

Mr. King persisted in his stand that the orders should be brought down, and the minister of the interior agreed to postpone further consideration. Progress was reported on the bill.

Work of Mounted Police.

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police estimates, totaling \$4,074,066.40, were taken up. This sum shows a decrease of \$742,421.80, as compared with last year.

Hon, N. W. Rowell, explaining the work of the force, said it had to do with any criminal legislation affecting the federal government in any way. The force had to police the Northwest Territories the Yukon Deminion Near

others had only two weeks supply the hand.

Hon, R. Lemieux said the gas companies in Montreal were threatened with a coal shortage. While Canada had plenty of coal, the people were faced with a likelihood of suffering because it was not developed and distributed.

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J. H. Burnham, Peterboro West, said "we have the coal, but apparently we have not the brains to get it here." The situation was so perilous in Ontario, Mr. Burnham thought that the public might have to turn to alcoholas a source of fuel.

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Canada Rich in Coal.

Captain R. J. Manion (Fort William) said it did seem a tragedy that the country which had the second largest coal deposits in the world should be importing so much coal. The Nova Scotia mines might supply eastern Ontario, and the mines of the west supply western Ontario, and still have enough for their respective sections of the Dominion.

Good Coal at Smoky River.

J. R. Wilson (Saskatoon) urged that the government develop the hard coal area at Smoky River by building a

railway line to it.
Sir Sam Hughes said that after

Sir Sam Hughes said that after many years' study he still believed that Canadian coal could be shipped to England in competition with coal mined there.

Referring to the Smoky River coal deposits, Mr. Meighen stated there was sufficient semi-anthracite coal to supply needs for very many years to come. This section, however, was very remote. The building of a line between Grand Prairie and Park Gate, which had been suggested, would albetween Grand Prairie and Park Gate, which had been suggested, would allow this coal to be transported.

Second reading was given to the bill and the house went into committee on it. The leader of the opposition objected to the clause extending the period of the orders-in-council to the end of the next session of parliament.

liament.

Mr. King remarked that the government had been granted an interim two months' supply during the present year. Probably next year, the opposition would not be so willing to meet the government in this regard—if the government was still in power. There was no reason why parliament should not be called earlier.

king Moves Amendment.

Mr. King then moved that the provision in the bill extending the life of the orders-in-council affecting coal operations to the end of next session be amended to provide for their extension till the end of the fiscal year only. The amendment was declared lost.

The clause carried. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King objected to a clause in the bill which extended the ratifica-tion of parliament to all the orders ELECTRIC FIXTURES

issued by the director of coal operations. Parliament should not be asked to ratify orders affecting relations
between capital and labor without having seen the orders.

Mr. Meighen said that he had no ebjection to bringing down the orders,
out he could not see where anything
would be gained. The chairman of
the committee called for a vote, whereupon Mr. King demanded: "Am I to
understand that the minister refuses
to bring down the orders? I would Debate on Coal Situation.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux said that he thought the people of this country lacked an adequate comprehension of the menace which winter was. He understood that the object of the bill was to ensure the operation of the mines in District 18.

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Mr. Meighen replied that this was the case. The present director, Mr. Armstrong, had succeeded in establishing a certain measure of confidence between the miners and the operators in District 18.

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Mackenzie King, the minister said if military forces were called out, they would have to be paid, probably by the provincial authorities, who were in all cases responsible for proper observance of criminal laws. The federal government intended to see that the provinces did not escape any responsibility in this respect.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux could not understand why the headquarters of the Mounted Police were moved from Regina to Ottawa. He thought that provincial and municipal police were capable of preserving order in eastern Canada now.

## LESS COMBINATION **OF GERMAN PARTIES**

Complexion of New Government Not Determined, But Situation Will Be Difficult.

Berlin, June 7.—Not sufficient re-turns had been compiled up to three o'clock this afternoon to permit pre-dictions as to the complexion of the new government but already the results show a remarkable defection from the present coalition parties, with a corresponding accession of votes to the Rightists and Leftists.

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A prominent Independent leader said today that the Independent Socialists did not contemplate for a moment joining with the bourgeoise parties and forming a government. On the other hand, the two Socialist parties probably will not be strong enough, even if they desired to combine to form a stable administration. Chancellor Mueller reiterated during the campaign that the majority Socialists on no account would combine the campaign that the majority so-cialists on no account would combine with the People's party, and even should circumstances force the with drawal of this pronouncement, such a combination, owing to irreconcilability of political principles, would, it is pointed out, be unnatural and short-lived. Whatever may be the outcome, it can hardly be doubted that the country is faced with a difficult par-liamentary situation. AND O OF U.

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