REMIER SAYS TROOPS WERE NOT REQUESTED

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King Defends Government's Attitude in Near East.

DECISION

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Carleton Place. Ont., Nov. 30 .- (By Canadian Press staff correspondent.) -Declaring that subsequent developments had shown the present government's attitude in the Near East situation to have been the wisest which could have bene followed, Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, prime minister, tonight defended that policy as to the best in the interests of Canada and the whole empire. His himself as "reddest declaration was made in speeches here and at Almonte.

The prime minster tonight entered Lanark constituency to speak in support of David Findlay, the Liberal candidate. Canada does not need to boast of her loyalty to the empire, Mr. King declared.

"Was I alone to decide whether Canada was to go to war against Turkey, or Russia, or anyone else? It was for Parliament and the people to decide such matters. If ever you let the control of such decisions get into the hands of any small group of men then you are forfeiting one of the principles for which Britain has has long stood." Loyalty to Britain was not an issue, the premier declared.

Incidentally, the prime minister shed a little new light on the famous appeal of Sept. 16, when he stated

message we received was one dealing with a meeting of the British cabinet, in which we were asked if

here by an audience which filled the

minister of labor, and the Liberal Brockville, were the other speakers. a vote of confidence in the govern- pectuses. nent in the by-election. He deplored

since his government took office was referred to by the prime minister, who said that Lanark was the only who said that Lanark was the only one in which the official opposition had entered a candidate. In all con-tests thus far held the vote had been in favor of the government being

given an opportunity of carrying out Mr. King declared that neither the Mr. King declared that neither the public, and much less members of He also advised against permitting the issuance of shares of one dollar par value.

"When," he said, "you incorporate "When," he said, "you incorporate" would place the government on the give rise to the dangers of "log-gambling.
rolling" and "hold-ups" by individual members or groups. The prime minister appealed for the support of Mr. indlay as a businessman. "Canada today needs the best businessmen

Made Steady Progress.
Referring to the record of his administration, Premier King said the country had been steadily progress-ing this year. He did not claim all dit for this for the government, but the policies laid down had been such as to assist in that develop-"We haven't done anything yet that we said we would do," the premier declared, "but we have only

been in power for 11 months."

All the proposed tariff changes had not been made, but those made were ward in their trend and for the benefit of the majority of the people he said. The national debt had in creased, Mr. King admitted, but of \$60,000,000 increase a large amount had been due to expenditure on coments of the previous govern-. Revenues had increased and expenditures decreased.

FEDERAL REVENUE FOR YEAR SHOWS INCREASE

Ottawa, Nov. 30 .- (By Canadian Press.)-Customs and excise revenue ceived by the federal government during November this year increased by \$6,741,733.03, over the amount received from this source during No-vember, 1921. During the eightmonth period ending November 30, 1922, customs and excise revenue incorresponding perod of 1921. In November this year total collections amounted to \$26,021,307.15 as compared with \$19,279,574.12 during the

same month in 1921.

During the eight months' period November 30, 1922. total collections were \$183,050,179.40 as against \$154,253,302.05 during the corresponding period in 1921.

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millionaire radical, who describes himself as "reddest of the Reds," who has been pardoned by the gov ernor of Illinois, after serving eig days of a sentence for violation the anti-syndicalism act.

WOULD INSPECT

Wealth of Suggestions Presented On "Blue Sky" Legislation.

Toronto, Nov. 30 .- A wealth of suggestions with regard to the province's proposed "blue sky" legislation that publication of all the papers was made today at the parliament would reveal the whole story. He buildings to the house committee was entirely different from that which the Dominion of Canada reposals for government inspection of Received No Warning.

"We had no message of warning and no previous intimation of a Near East crisis," Mr. King declared. "The victims of amounts out of which mining properties prior to the sale they had been swindled. To these suggestions the committee promised we could support a policy of Britain its consideration, but it pointed out standing alone, regardless of either that the desire of the bill was pre-Italy or France.
"The telegram we received did not eminently to avoid the appearance of offering a government guarantee ask for troops."

The prime minister was welcomed to all securities which were martown hall to capacity. Other speakers here were Hon. James Murdock, visions.

J. B. McGregor of the Mining Incandidate, David Findlay.

At Almonte, Col. A. T. Thompson of Ottawa, and J. A. McGlade of Ottawa, and A. McGlad defray an investigation into the truth In his speech the premier urged of the statements made in their pres-

It was objected by the committee. however, that such an investigation The outcome of by-elections held would be twisted by promoters into the equivalence warranty of their project.

Thomas Gibson, the deputy minister of mines, emphasized the motive of avarice which prompted the small investor to buy securities of the "wildcat" variety. He intimated that complete protection of such persons from their own folly was impossible.

same numerical footing as the com- a million dollar company with a share constitution in the House of Lords as ment majority was almost bound to provide a million counters for mons. The bill passed the second

Peter White, K.C., who was present, interjected at this point the opinion that a strong argument existed for making all shares of no she can get at Ottawa. With a national debt of more than two billion dollars the government of the Dominion had become a matter for good article of necessarily monetary in-

Mr.. Gibson suggested that for the purpose of making investigation of nining propositions more easy the incorporators of companies should be made to file in detail the locations of heir mineral properties. The committee will resume its sitting tomorrow.

CROOK SWINDLES KITCHENER MAN

Clever Counterfeiter Raises One Dollar Bill To Twenty.

Special to The Advertiser. Kitchener, Nov. 30 .- As a result of the cleverness of a counterfeiter who "breezed" into town a day or so ago a local tobacconist is out considerable money for his trouble in handing out change and cigarettes for a fake \$20 bill. The counter-feiter offered an American \$20 bill, which was merely a raised one-dollar bill of United States currency. He raised the bill by cutting the number 20 off a cigar box tax label and pasting it over the \$1 of the U. S. dollar. The provincial police have the phoney twenty and are looking

for the counterfeiter. Customs for the month of November took a big jump in Kitchener The increase shown over the pre-vious month is \$38,000. The returns over November of last year. The comparative totals are: November, 1921, \$137,982.46; November, 1922,

Ben Ovsey, a local merchant tailor, was fined \$60 in police court this morning when found guilty of perjury. In connection with the pur-chase of stolen overcoats he stated in his evidence in a previous trial that he purchased the coats on a Saturday night, while the accused n the case maintained that he sold the coats to Ovsey on a Sunday afternoon. Ovsey admitted that he swore falsely, stating that he was afraid he would be fined for making the purchase on the Lord's Day. In imposing the fine Magistrate Weir impressed it on Ovsey that it was han to break the Lord's Day act.
George Sipes, convicted of stealing ness men and others will be inv than to break the Lord's Day act. three months, in police court today, and an indeterminate thereafter in the Ontario Refermatory. The same sentence was imposed for the both charges, and is to run concur-

GRAIN STORAGE CAPACITY TO BE HEAVILY INCREASED

Winnipeg, Nov. 30 .- With the construction of two new elevators during the coming year, storage capacity at the head of the lakes will be brought to 61,000,000 bushels for the 1923 sea-

Former Labor Leader Declares Men Want Work. Not Doles.

GIVEN SECOND READING

London, Nov. 30 .- Having disposed of the Irish legislation, the House of Commons today addressed itself to the routine business of debate on the reply to the speech from the throne. John Robert Clynes, former parliamentary labor leader in moving an amendment to the address, raised the question of unemployment, which, outside the foreign policy, is the biggest problem facing the new government

Mr. Clynes' criticisms of the government followed the familiar lines of an attack on the foreign policy as being largely responsible for the poor commercial and industrial situation. He declared that what the unemployed wanted was work, not doles, and that the greatest opportunity would be found in an adequate housing scheme.

On the question of unemploymen insurance, he warned the government against being tempted into the direction of insurance by the separate industries, contending that insurance of the workingmen was a national obligation. This warning was prompted by rumors that the government was contemplating some such

The debate showed that the government had no new remedies to put forward, and that it relies mainly on the proposals of the previous govern-ment, which include the building and improving of roads and similar pub lic services, as well as inducing the railway companies to hasten work upon contemplated extensions as the best means of absorbing a large amount of unskilled labor.

Offer No Assistance. In none of these projects, however, was any government assistance fore-shadowed. The only effort in the atter direction mentioned by minister of labor, Sir Montagu Bar-low, was a proposal to renew the existing trade facilities for twelve months and to increase the maximum guarantees under that measure to £50,000,000, which is about double

schemes under the trade facilities act, and said he hoped for much from its extension. The government had reunemployment, and would keep the question under close attention, bringing up fresh proposals as they be-He admitted that the question of

unemployment insurance by industries was a complex one, and said the government had taken steps for a full examination of the matter. Given Second Reading. The same comparative apathy at-

tended the discussion of the Irish

reading without revision by the slenderly-attended House. The Duke of Devonshire, on moving the second reading without revision, said he might almost regard it as his hereditary duty to propose the rejection of the home rule bills. He, however, found himself in the strange position of being the minis-ter responsible for moving the second reading of a bill to confer a constituthe circumstances of today it would be impossible for any government, however it might be composed, to take any other course than that he now was recommending to the Lords. Moreover, it not only would be useless, but dangerous, to go into past history and revive old memories. Under these circumstances the only question was whether the constitu-

crown agreed it did.

Lord Middleton and other peers opposing the Irish settlement, declared reject it. After a brief debate most bills passed the second reading without revision. The Lords immediately adjourned, and the expectation was that the third reading of the meas-ures would take place tomorrow.

tion accorded with the treaty, and on

POLICE MAKE GRUESOME FIND IN VACANT FIELD

New York, Nov. 30 .- The body of woman, dead seven months, was the mute witness today against two men suspected of having a hand in the murder of Mrs. Jennie Becker. One of the men is Abraham Becker, the other is Rubin Norkin, a garage proprietor of the Bronx. Both are held in jail as material witnesses. The body was dug up by police las night in a vacant lot near the Norkin garage.

There is no evidence against the men save the fact that Mrs. Becker disappeared and her corpse was found buried in a lot seven months witness, and Becker denies it is the orpse of his wife. Mrs. Becker disappeared last April

just after going on an auto ride with her husband. The last person to them together said that Becke stated he was going to drive with his wife to Norkin's garage.

FARMERS MAY FORM NEW **BRITISH COLUMBIA PARTY**

Vernon, B. C., Nov. 30.—The politi-cal committee of the United Farmers of British Columbia in session here decided today to draw up a platform on which it is propose political party in British Columbia to be known as the Provincial party. The new party will be launched at the worse offence to commit perjury annual convention here of the fartwo overcoats, was sentenced to to confer with the farmers and plan a

SALVATION ARMY HEAD IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Commander Evangeline Booth of the Salvation Army, who has been confined to her bed two days, today had a rising temperature, and her physicians diagnosed her illness as a combination of bronchitis and pleurisy.

Miss Booth contracted a cold last Saturday at the open air dedication of the new headquarters of the central territory of the Salvation Army.



MLLE, JEANNE BONAR,

who is being held at Ellis Island waiting official disposition of her case. Mlle, Bonar is Russian by birth, and friends in the U. S. are trying to prevent her deportation. She is regarded as the most beautiful stowaway that ever came to America.

3,559 MOTHERS **GET PENSIONS**

Mothers' Allowance Board \$1,382,138 During the Fiscal Year.

Toronto, Nov. 30 .- According to figures presented to Hon. Walter Rollo, minister of labor, this morning \$1,382,138 has been expended by the mothers' allowance board under his supervision during the past fiscal guarantees under the existing amount of guarantees. He also mentioned a similar extension of facilities under the existing board amounted to roughly 5 per cent of the total expenditure, or \$73,924.04.

For the month of October the number of the similar extension of the total expenditure, or \$73,924.04. export credit system.

The labor minister dilated upon the success already attained by guaranteeing the capital issues of about 200 ber of mothers receiving relief from the government was 3,559. For Nothe government was 3,559. For vember, 1921, the number receiving extension. The government had reappointed the cabinet committee on 11.2 for the number receiving extension. The government had reappointed the cabinet committee on 11.2 for 724. The total distribution of relief funds for the latter month was \$100,635, while for October the amount expended was \$126,000. Mr. Rollo estimates that the increased expenditure, due to the extension of the number receiving the

ASSOCIATION OF FAIRS **ELECTS NEW OFFICERS**

Toronto, Nov. 30.—At the International Association of Fairs and Exhibitions convention. Wichita Falls Fair Texas: Arkansas State Fair. Regina Fair. Saskatoon Fair, the Central Canada Fair, Ottawa, and the Virginia Association of County Fairs were granted admission to the

A resolution passed provides against the objectional features of Officers elected are President, Seth N. Mayfield of the Teas Cotton Palace, Waco, Texas; vice-president, Thomas H. Canfield, Minnesota State Fair; secretary, Don V. Moore, Interstate Fair. Directors: E. I. Richardson, Calgary Exhibition: F. Edwards, Rochester Exhibition.
A presentation of umbrellas w A presentation of umbrellas was made to Bert H. and Mrs. Swartz of the West Virginia State Fair, who this question the law officers of the attended the convention on their wedding tour.

> Blinded by the "living screen" of caterpillars hanging by their suspension threads, a motorist recently lost control of his car and ran over a bank.



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