

WAGE INCREASES FOR 6,000 MEN IN LONDON DIVISION

**Grand Trunk's New Schedule Means About 13c Per Hour
Additional—Will Go Into Effect Immediately and
Be Included in the Next Payroll.**

Increases in wages averaging 13 cents an hour, or approximately \$26.52 a month, have been granted to all employees of the G. T. R. with one year's service to their credit, according to C. F. Forrester of the local division. He returned today from Toronto, where he general and assistant general managers of the division, chief clerks and ac-

The increases granted to the employees of the G.T.R. are almost identical with those granted in the United States. The average is 13 cents an hour.

hour. All employees who have had less than one year's service will receive an increase of 5% (cents) an hour. Employees who have completed one year, after which time he will receive the full amount. While figures given out by Superintendent to foremen and clerks station employees and dispatchers, it is estimated that the increases for the trainmen, conductors, engineers and brakemen will be somewhat more, according to mileage, will amount to practically the same following manner:

Storekeepers, assistant storekeepers, clerks, foremen and other clerks, supervisors, 13 cents.

Clerks with one year's service or experience, 13 cents.

Employees with less than one year's service, 6 cents.

Train and engine crew callers, assistant station masters, train announcers, conductors, 13 cents.

Employees other than clerks, 13 cents.

Will Get 12 Cents.

How It Works.

Several of the clerks and station employees and freight handlers received increases under a recent grant made to members of the C. B. R. E. and other employees' organizations will receive this award less the increases

Station, platform, warehouse, transfer, stockroom and team-track handlers or truckers, 12 cents.

All common labor in and around stations not otherwise provided for, cents.

Foremen in the maintenance of department, 15 cents.

received at that time. As the result of this the amounts received by the different employees will vary, as the senior clerks received greater increases at that time than the junior clerks. Some clerks, but very few, will receive no additional money.	Mechanics in the maintenance way, 15 cents. Mechanics' helpers in the maintenance of way, 8½ cents. Track and common laborers, cents. Watchmen on crossings, piledrivers, 15 cents.
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The new scale will go into effect immediately. It will be included in the next payroll, which will be made up on September 15, and will be included in flags, lamplighters and tenders, cents.

Laborers employed in and around roundhouses: coal-chute men, 10 c.

**Urges Greater Interest of
British Trade in Canada**

SETTLEMENT IS



EXPECTED YET IN COAL CRIS



**British Public Not Inclined
Be Pessimistic.**

MINERS ARE CAREFUL

**Fullest Publicity Is Given
Government To Pro-
ceedings.**



MR. F. C. WADE, British Columbia's agent-general in Britain. Who made a plea for British commercial expansion.

Highly Educated Paper Vendor Is

Killed By Car

Quebec, Sept. 10.—(By Canadian Press.)—Joseph Clement Sylva, aged 70 years, a well-known newspaper vendor, who plied his trade in the streets of this

city for upwards of thirty years, was run down by a street car yesterday afternoon and died at the Hotel Dieu. Sylvain's case was a rather pathetic one. Besides having completed his arts course at the Quebec Seminary, he had studied at the McGill University, and had a medical honours over study and

on his recovery, he took up newspaper vending. He had been a classmate of many now prominent judges and professional men.

MINERS' VACATION

STOLEN COATS

**Men Are Expected To Return
in a Few Days.**

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 10.—Leaders of the insurgent mining strike and officials of the United Mine Workers of America said today the "vacation" in Districts 1, and 9 will not last more than a few days. Miners in the Hazleton district have started picketing at

Production yesterday was only 250 tons against an average of 37,000 a day, according to figures of the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

Suffers Stroke

day and notified Sergeant of
tives Thomas Nickle, who had
taken to the police station. Du
Nickle notified Mr. Agronow
identified the coats as his property.
The thieves gained entrance by
using the glass in the window at
of the store and removing the
Mr. Agronow stated that his wife

Afternoon.

While at work in the city registry office Wednesday afternoon R. Hubert Dignan, city registrar, was suddenly stricken with paralysis and was removed to his home, 236 Dufrain ave-

a noise in the store during the but it was so slight that the cause was not investigated. The police are working on the case.

WANTS CHAIRMAN FOR T. AND N. O. COMMISSION

Healeybury, Sept. 10.—The board of trade is petitioning the Government for the immediate appointment of a chairman for and N. O. Railway commission, which "disorganization" is the absence of a permanent board. The board urges that the "be-
 wayman obtainable" be secured

Brantford, Sept. 10.—An indeterminate sentence in the Ontario Reformatory of from three to six months was given to Henry Haddad by Magistrate Livingston this morning. He was caught red-handed in a local shoe store laden with shoes and sundries. He had been previously convicted.