CHIPPEWA-QUEENSTON HYDRO-ELECTRIC **DEVELOPMENT MAKING RAPID PROGRESS**

May Beat Estimate by 16 Months in Having Power Ready for Delivery by September First of This Year—Largest Power Development in the World Will Then be Owned by the People of Ontario.

The city of Toronto was vitally concerned, in view of the prospective acquisition of the street railway on the first of September next. To tax the Niagara system with another 40,000 horsepower customer was beyond reason, apart from meeting the steadily increasing demands for power from all districts.

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install generating and transformer
equipment, and do a million other
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The open winter has been most fav-orable for rapid progress. Concrete is being poured daily, and altogether some 400,000 yards of this will be the Provincial university.

Weekly Market Report

Niagara Falls, Ont., Feb. 20.—
Some time last summer the prediction was made that the Chippewa-Queenston Hydro-electric development could not be completed before January, 1923, and only by the utmost good fortune could two units of 55,000 horsepower each be installed and in operation three months prior to that date.

At the time that forecast was made At the time that forecast was made there was an acute power shortage over the entire Hydro-electric system.

The influence of this on the wealth and prosperity of the community will be measured more effectively by the maximum amount of power produced than by considering the power itself.

mand from the entire organization a Commission, is a graduate of the University of Toronto; Mr. H. G. Acres, Chief Hydraulic Engineer, is



STOPPED IRISH

Raid in Liverpool is Alleged Work of Sinn Fein

London Feb 20 - Sensational development of alleged Sinn Fein activ-ity broke out in Liverpool last night when armed men in civilian clothes raided several boarding houses near the docks and took passports and steamship tickets from a number of Irishmen due to sail to America in a few days and ordered them to return to Ireland. The inference is that the several airplane squadrons to guard the frontier.

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Manitoba oats—No. 2 CW, 49%c; No. 3 CW, 45%; extra No. 1 feed, 45%c; No. 2 feed, 40%c.

Manitoba barley—No. 3 CW, 85½c; No. 4 CW, 70½c; rejected, 60½c; No. 4 CW, 70½c; No. 4 CW, American corn—93c, nom., track, foronto, prompt shipment.
Ontario cats—No. 2 white, 47 to 49c.
Ontario wheat—No. 2 Winter, \$1.85 to \$1.90 per car lot; No. 2 Spring, \$1.76 to \$1.80; No. 2 Goose wheat, \$1.75 to \$1.80; No. 2 Goose wheat, \$1.75 to \$1.80; hos. 2 Goose wheat, ing to freight.

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deepened by a remark of one raider. "I've seen you in the Black and rans." The man denied this but ad-

army in Ireland.

The police investigation is handicapped because nobody in the district, either through sympathy or fear, will give a description of the raiders.

Airplane Police

EMIGRANTS AT DOCK

"Government."

TWO DROWNED WHEN WATER MAIN BURSTS

Damage of Over \$100,000; 28 Persons Injured in Montreal.

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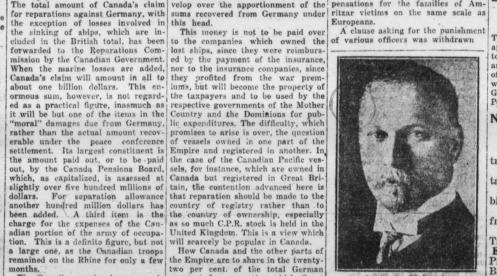
For French Frontier Lord Milner's report advocating self-court opens. A despatch from Paris says:—The French Government is establishing several airplane squadrons to guard the from the frontier.

what is the key to a strategic position for the British Empire."

INDIAN ASSEMBLY **EXPRESSES LOYALTY**

Pensions Board.

A despatch from London says:— a considerable difficulty may later deformation of Data and an open forwarded to the Reparations of Sensing Germany with sums recovered from Germany under the exception of losses involved in the sinking of ships, which are in this money is not to be paid over mission by the Canadian Gevernment. ed by the payment of the marine losses are added, Canada's claim will amount a deed, Canada's claim will amount a deed a canada



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LLOYD GEORGE WINS SIGNAL VICTORY

Cardigan Gives Nearly 4,000 In Many Parts of the West Majority to Premier's They Sympathize With Secretary.

London, Feb. 19.—Captain Ernest

Bill of Manslaughter action of teachers.

A despatch from Winnipeg says:

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 21.—Rev. J. O.
L. Spracklin, formally arraigned today in Sandwich, before Chief Justice
Sir William Mulock, on a charge of
"slaying and killing" B. Trumble, proprietor of the Chappell House, last
November, was not held in custody
after the Grand Jury brought in a
true bill charging him with manlaughter. His bondsmen, Wm.
Wright and A. W. Stone signified
their readiness to continue their bonds
of \$5,000 each and the 'Crown agreed
to allow Mr. Spracklin to retain his
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court opens.

Home Rule for Ireland

The Manitoba Teachers' Federation
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Westminster, B.C. H. V. Huntley,
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that "steps are likely to be taken to
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New Taxes Announced

Two-mill tax on all real estate daries of Canada." transfers.

One-quarter of one per cent. To Demolish tax on all bank reserve funds. Extension of amusement tax to

from \$25 to \$40 per mile. Increased taxes under Mining

Mining Act tax

Total increase\$1,500,000

WESTERN TEACHERS GO ON STRIKE

They Sympathize With New Westminster.

A despatch from New Westminster,

Montreal, Feb. 20.—Two boys were drowned, damage estimated at over \$100,000 lione, thirteen families were rendered homeless and 28 persons were taken to Montreal General Hospital as the result of a bust high pressure water main feeding the east end of the city, which occurred at the corner of St. Urbain and Dorchester streets early this morning. Of the 28 taken to the hospital quly two were seriously enough injured to be admitted to wards.

The dead are: Issac Schachter, 3, of 215 St. Urbain Street; Abel Schachter, 2, of the same address. The injured in hospital are: Isaac Slatzky, 42, with severely cut hands; Mrs. Sarah Slatzky, 40, with severe nervous shock.

S. Fortin, assistant director of public works, said to-night that the water main which burst was a bad piece of piping which had broken frequently in the past three or four years. It campied a pressure of between eighty and eighty-five pounds to the square Bill of Manslaughter adjustments. The local branch of the alliance will likely endorse the action of the New Westminster

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A despatch from London says:—
The London University Senate has appointed Miss Anne Louise Mcllroy to the University chair of obstetrics and gynaecology at the London School of Medicine for Women. Miss Mcllroy was educated at the Universities of Glasgow, London, Berlin, Vienna and Paris.

New Taxes Announced

A despatch from Ottawa says:—
The Privy Council of Canada has issued a formal vote of thanks to Vilhigalmar Stefansson; the 'Arctic explorer, acknowledging on behalf of the Canadian Government the service which Mr. Stefansson has rendered the nation in exploring unchurted Canadian lands. The statement observes that in three expeditions in the last eleven years the explorer "has added greatly to our knowledge of lands algreatly to our knowledge of lands al by Ontario Government ered lands of large area previous

St. Lazare Prison

Railway taxation increased om \$25 to \$40 per mile.

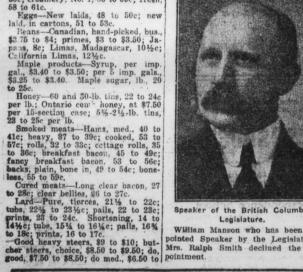
A despatch from Paris Layer, the famous prison of Saint Lazare, the penal institution for women situated in the heart of Paris, whose tragic 100,000 entirely destroyed.

To Rebuild Forts in the Valleys

A despatch from Paris says:—The General Staff of the French Army has decided in the reconstruction of its frontier forts to place them all in rotter fors to pace them an in valleys instead, as formerly, on the summits of hills. This radical change in all preconceived ideas of military fortifications has been made as the result of their experience in the late war.

Activity in Western Oil Fields

A despatch from Edmonton says:
The Royal Dutch Shell Oil Company The Royal Dutch Shell Oll Company have filed claims on fifteen townships on the Wapiti River south of Grande Prairie. Such is the news given by one of the leading Edmonton financiers in the oilfields of the north, with the additional information that the company mentioned recently purchased fifteen oil drilling rigs in Pittsburg, which are being shipped to Western Canada.



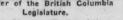
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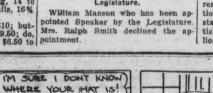
HOUSE FOR IT

Barley—80 to 85c, according to freights outside.
Buckwheat—No. 3, 95c to \$1, nominal.
Rye—No. 3, \$1.50 to \$1.65, nominal, according to freights outside.
Manitoba flour—\$10.70, bulk, seaboard.
Ontario flour—\$8.50, bulk, seaboard.
Millfeed — Delivered. Montreal freight, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$38, 40; shorts, per ton, \$37 to \$38; good feed flour, \$2.35 to \$2.50 per bag. Cheese—New, large, 30 to 31c; twins, 31 to 32c; triplets, 31½ to 32½c; old, large, 32 to 355; do, twins, 32½ to 35½c.
Butter—Fresh dairy, choice, 49 to 50c; creamery, No. 1, 55 to 59c; fresh, 58 to 61c.
Eggs.—New laids, 48 to 50c; new

William Manson who has been appointed Speaker by the Legislature Mrs. Ralph Smith declined the ap-











FELLERS-By Gene Byrnes

