

he was speaking as a director of the

ed soldiers' organizations in the prov

minion is having a paralyzing effect on the cattle raising industry of the

builders and painters who have been working on the new nurses' home at St. Michael's Hospital, and who have been out since last Monday. An agreement was reached late last night, and the men will return to work this morning. Yesterday afternoon the Toronto build-ing to consider the matter in all its as-pects. The executive of the council, consisting of five members representing the labor unions and five representing the labor unions and five representing that night at the Labor Temple, and a semeral plan was drawn up, which was accepted by the labor men as a good basis of settlement. Hamilton, March 2. — (Special).— The police here have been asked to watch for two men of whom they have a description who held up N. Comb at the Lake Erie and Northern Railway depot in Paris. By tying him him to a chair they got away with \$30.

Fair Settlement.

Appeals for Aid.

Appeals for Ald. Figures at the unemployment head-quarters at the Krausmann House show that the number appealing for aid is still high. The highest point was reached on February 16th, when 2370 men applied for aid, while yesterday the number had only skrunk to 1970. Altho this is a re-duction of nearly four hundred in num-ber, the officials in charge state that it does not come up to expectations. They report, however, a great decrease in the number of married men asking for help. The clitizens' unemployment committee had another conference with the board of control in the mayor's office, the main purpose of the visit being to get an of-ficial report on what was being done by the clity to start certain works outlined by the committee in a former communi-cation. tery.

cation. In a statement handed to the board the committee say that they do not ex-pect the labor situation to improve very much for several weeks yet. Replying to the committee, the board stated that everything possible had been done to get new work started.

**ALLIES' STATEMENT** 

**ON GERMAN OFFERS** 

(Continued From Page 1).

IF JAP-U.S. QUARREL London, March 2.—Replying in the house of commons last night to a question by Sir Frederick Hall as to whether the terms of the Anglo-Jap-anese alliance precluded the possibil-ity of Greet Britain being compelled to furnish assistance to Japan in the case of a conflict between that country and the United States, Cacil Harmsworth, under-secretary for for-eign affairs, said that British relations

delegates "will not be misled by this artificially heated atmosphere, but demand as they are entitled by treaty, with Japan had so arranged them-selves that Great Britain would not be involved in such a struggle. Sir Frederick further asked whether a scheme for payment." that the reparation commission shall fix the total indemnity and elaborate ssurances of this state of affairs had

been given to the United States in connection with its naval construc-tion program, to which the under-sec-retary replied that no official com-munication had been made, as there tions dmands, nothing would be left

was no reason to believe that the responsible parties were in any doubt regarding the truth of the matter.

MAY BRING BACK BODY

BRITAIN NOT INVOLVED

OF UNKNOWN SOLDIER | classes."

Washington, March 2.-The house onight adopted a resolution directing the war department to bring back from France the body of an unidentifled soldier and to inter it with suitable ceremonies in Arlington Ceme-

**ELBERT GARY OPTIMISTIC** child.

**OF BUSINESS CONDITIONS** 

Washington, March 2.—A. strong tone of business confidence and indus-trial optimism was expressed in a statement today by Elbert H. Gary,

chairman of the United States steel Corporation, in which he emphasized the necessity for a still greater cut in the cost of living. SWALLOWING MARBLE

CAUSES BOY'S DEATH



for Ontario, who is leaving for Eng-land to make representations to the authorities, will be informed that he has the backing of Manitoba. The Vorwaerts, majority Socialist organ, declares that if the entente should break off the conference in a determination to enforce the repara-ON MARR **ON MARRIAGE LAW** 

tions dmands, nothing would be left for the German proletariat but to stand together and hold out in a com-mon effort on their own behalf and on behalf of the workers the world over "to escape the worst yoke of slavery which capitalism ever has at-tempted to fasten on the working classes."

DEATH OF D. MACPHERSON. Yorkton, Sask., March 2.-D. Mac-therson, manager of the Yorkton herson, manager of blanch of the Massey-Harris Com-pany died suddenly last night while reading a newspaper. Mr. Macpher-son came west from Toronto last fall,

Berlin, March 2 .- The German cabi-

net met this afternoon and discussed

London by Dr. Simons. The arious

political parties held meetings tunight

of the London conference, and, accord-

ing to The Vossische Zeitung, it is

nothing to do with the German coun-

ter-proposals, and hopes the German

considered very favorable.

and is survived by a widow and one

## POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT Mr. Macpherson, who was born in the Martime Provinces, entered the MAY REDUCE ITS STAFF service of the Massey-Harris Com-

pany in Winnipeg some years ago Oftawa, March 2.—If the recom-mendations made by the Griffenhagen firm with regard to re-classification in the postoffice department are car-ried out, it is understood that it will mean that close to four hundred em-ployees of this department will be dis-About two years ago he was made assistant manager of the Ontario tranch with headquarters in Toron-to. Late last fall he was transferred

ployes of this department will be dis-missed on April 1. This would be due HAS PASSED BOTH HOUSES to the merging of several branches of the department.

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Toronto he practiced knew Hon. Peter Sm cial treasurer. He when asked to act

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quiry or assisting the ed Mr. Ferguson. Mr. Harding again where he got the ini "You are the nimb! I have met for a long

Ferguson. "Let me shake han said Mr. Harding, who that he had derived n

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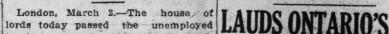
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is promulgated in the Tremblay-Despatie case recently, might no longer affect provincial legislation in connec-tion with such marriages, has decid-ed to postpone the presentation of the bill

It is understood that the arch-bishops and bishops of the Province of Quebec w', shortly meet to dis-cuss the question.

## **EMBARGO BY BRITISH** assumed that a new attempt will be Winnipeg, March 2.—Removal of the British embargo on Canadian cat-tle was unanimously urged by the legislature at this afternoon's session made to arrange a united front in the reichstag, altho prospects are not Among the papers commenting, The Among the papers commenting, The Zeitung Am Mittag thinks the allied ease in Canadian cattle, which justigesture is an indication of a pre-concerted affair having practically that the uncertainty as to future nothing to do with the German coun-

net met this afternoon and discussed moderation league and as the repre-reports on reparations sent from sentative of practically all the return-

to consider the situation arising out MANITOBA AGAINST

ince.

use an eight per cent. table for the purpose of arriving at the amount due from them; they propose at the same time that the interest upon their debt

LOCAL SCHEME FOR shall be limited to five per cent. **CAR LINES OPPOSED** "Sixth. The German government propose that their securities shall be relieved of taxation in the country of

issue, thus burdening the country of (Continued From Page 1).

"Seventh. On the assumption that "Seventh. On the assumption that their solicitor, Mr. Fairty, as a scheme iam A. Holland, Montreal stock their solicitor, Mr. Fairty, as a scheme iam A. Holland, Montreal stock "Seventh. On the assumption that their solicitor, Mr. Fairty, as a scheme during the first five years will be 1,-500,000,000 marks, and that the whole obligation will be discharged in 30 years, the amount she will have to pay for the 25 years following that

years, the amount she will have to pay for the 25 years following that period to provide for the interest on the sinking fund of her whole debt, will be three billions a year. The present value of German payments on this reckoning will amount at the outside to somewhere about 27,000-

Consents to Occupation.

Lloyd George, the premier, consented Lioyd George, the premier, consented today to the employment of armed force against Germany in the event of her non-compliance with allied reparation de-mands, to the extent of the occupation of Mannheim by British, French and Bel-gran troops, and also of the Ruhr ports, on the Rhine, where coal is handled. The British premier has hitherto de-clared himself unwilling to use such mili-tary measures.

tary measures.

The French long-range guns have al-ready been advanced to a point where they will command the city of Essen, the e German customs i

home of the Krupp plant. The German customs in the occupied territory would be taken over as the first step in forcing the payment of Germany's obligations, should that prove necessary, under plans being drawn up by a com-mittee of the supreme council today. No indication that the allies intend to occupy additional German territory at present appears in the instructions given by the allied leaders to this committee, which is framing a reply to the German which is framing a reply to the German reparations proposals, made Tuesday.

**BIVORCE MILL IS BUSY.** 

Ottawa, Ont., March 2.- (By Can-adian Press).- The divorce mill of the senate is busily grinding out divorces and so far have disposed of twelve cases out of the 150 on the agenda. Several cases are now ready for hearing.

(Continued From Page 1). value at less than half that sum. The amount to be credited to the Ger-man government in respect to these deliveries in the reparation account will be found to be very small. Differences in Per Centages. Believed to have swallowed a marble a week ago Sunday night, Gilbert Beauchamp, aged 11. of St. John's Industrial School, died yesterday afternoon following a fit of coughing. The body was removed to the morgue where an inquest was opened last

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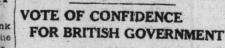
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**RETURN TRUE BILL** 

RETURN TRUE BILL AGAINST R. W. GRIFFITH Montreal, March 2.—A true bill was this morning returned against Major Robert W. Griffith, by the grand jury Robert W. Griffith, by the grand jury in the court of King's bench. Griffith

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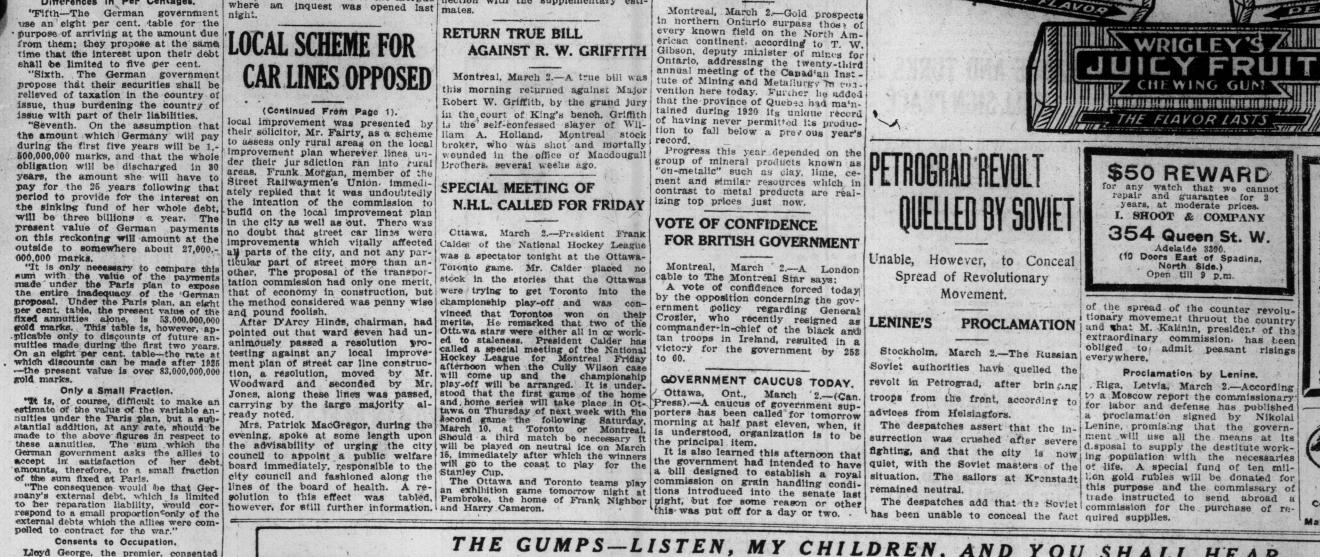
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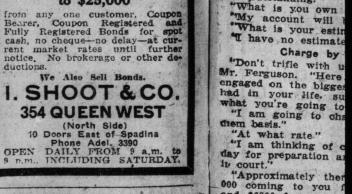
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Proclamation by Lenine. Riga, Letvia, March 2 .- According troops from the front, according to for labor and defense has published

a proclamation signed Nikolai The despatches assert that the in- Lenine, promising that the govern surrection was crushed after severe d.sposal to supply the destitute workthe principal item. It is also learned this afternoon that the government had intended to have a bill designed to establish a royal commission on such headling and the situation. The sailors at Krenstadt this purpose and the commissary of trade instructed to send abroad a

The despatches add that the Soviet commission for the purchase of re-



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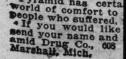




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