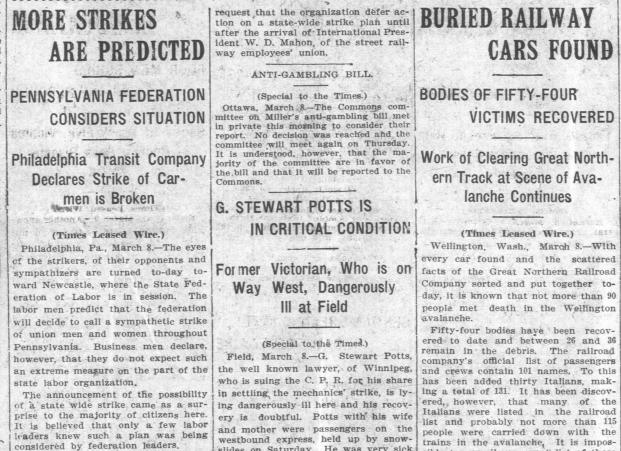


OVERTURES FROM THE LORDS. LORD LANDSDOWNE-"Now, he can't say we didn't offer him the olive branch." request that the organization defer ac-tion on a state-wide strike plan until after the arrival of International President W. D. Mahon, of the street rail-CARS FOUND way employees' union. ANTI-GAMBLING BILL.

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man and Baby

(Times Leased Wire.)

TARIFF COMMISSIONERS.

MALCOLM GIBBS DEAD.

Ottawa, March 8 .- The con

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London, March 8 .- The House o Lords last night passed the bill auhorizing the government to borrow ums sufficient to meet part of the naional expenditure pending the passage of the budget. Lord Lansdowne, leader of the oppo-ition, attacked the ministry for thus mposing upon the nation a system of imposing upon the nation a system of temporary finance, which will cost the taxpayers nearly \$10,000 a day for in-terest charges. It was most unfair to budget. "If it was wrong for the Lords to stop the budget, why was it right for the government to do the same thing?" he asked. Lord Revelstoke, head of the great

Earl Crewe, speaking for the govern-nent, politely refused to consider any mpromise. He said the offer of the satisfactorily completed. ords to help straighten out national nances was like an olive branch shot the commissioners. His reason is that rom a catapult. Lord Chancellor Loreburn severely ways deal, and will have nothing to do lectured the opposition peers, contend-ing that they were entirely responsible after he had heard of the action of for whatever was amiss with the na- Premier Rutherford in the legislature ion's finance.

Duration of Parliament. Premier Asquith announced in the House of Commons yesterday that the House of commons yearchay that of resolutions concerning the House of Lords which are to be submitted by the government on March 29th would include a proposal for shortening the duration of parliament. It is presumed that the recommendation will be for a

arliamentary term of five years instead of seven years, as at present. Labor Party's Stand. agree with the idea that the veto reso-lutions should be sent to the House of Lords. The bill, he thinks, should be sent to them direct. It was a profound



RUFUS ISAACS.

most drastic veto proposals.

New Solicitor-General.

mons, said the country was not ripe

Colonel Seelev Elected.

Changes in Ministry.

(Special to the Times.) Edmonton, March 8 .- Following upon the intimation given in the legislature last week by Premier Rutherford, also make provision that no money in connection with the guaranteed

banking house of Baring Bros., another financial peer, joined in the criticism. that the portions of the railway on which the money is to be paid has been

John Stocks refuses to act as one of he disapproved of the Great Waterthat Mr. Stocks wanted to make a statement in which he refused to be a

party to the deal, on the grounds that he was not in accord with the govern-ment on the Great Waterways bargain. face of his refusal is a question New Deputy Speaker.

John Simpson, of Innisfail, was appointed Deputy Speaker vesterday on motion of the premier. There was nothing sensational at the session, the House being taken up with the con-Ramsay McDonald, one of the Labor eaders in the Commons, does not tee of the whole.

Will Continue Fight. That the dissentient element among sent to them direct. It was a proton mistake, he said, for the Labor party to simply shout for the veto to the to simply shout for the veto to the Waterways railway is now evident from the remarks of those who lined up in the vote against the government ast week.

"The fight has only just begun," said George Smith, of Cambrose, this morn-ing, speaking of the attitude of those who think that the Alberta and Great Waterways deal is a bad one.

GENERAL FRENCH COMING.

London, March 8 .- In the Commons yesterday, War Minister Haldane announced that Sir John French will go to Canada this summer to advise the epartment of militia. In the Commons this afternoon Lloyd George said there would be a loss of \$28,000,000 in the current year as a result of the budget not being passed by the Lords.

REVOLUTIONARY LEADERS MAY BE ARRESTED

Report That Nicaraguan President Has Dispatched Force to Bluefields

de of canvas stretched on a light ne but this Mr. Gibson contem changing for a cedar rudder ch would present less resistance to

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lder at present on th

whole ship.

been struggling with the idea, ually getting it nearer perfection was not till he had made a number lels and submitted them to all ts of tests that he finally commenced rk five months ago on the big e. He estimates that it will take about two months more to it and then he will take it out the country for a flight. He is ting a suitable building on the Colod plains, where he intends to exent for a time; but when it comes making long flights he thinks he go to the Saskatchewan prairies ere the boundless meadows offer the favorable conditions for the fun. hat he has something far superior nything that has yet been heard Mr. Gibson feels sure. He says that n be so developed that it will carry arty of fifty people in perfect safety. adding one or two more engines so to have reserve power in case of ent, it may be fitted for long nts across oceans or continents. At ed of 100 miles an hour the trans ation problem may be rev rolution and the dreams of hundreds com The ship he is making carries two people, but the principle can be ied to any dimensions Gibson is a middle-aged man of years o parts. He spent many

life in the province of Saskatchewhere he owned three general at the towns of Craven, Kupar Belgoni. He comes here; however, the town of Wolsey after having tructed eighty miles of the roadthe Grand Trunk Pacific rail-He is an expert with gasoline es, and is certainly an able genmechanic, as evidenced by the work he is doing on the airship. Havthat one necessary thing for an ntor, imagination, he has used it h advantage. He also interested elf in a number of British Columventures, but at present is concening on the Gibson ship, which will only be an immense benefit to the ld, but will make the inventor rich

WILL VISIT ENGLAND.

ion, March 9 .- The council of the Fruit Growers' Association has eived a letter from A. W. McKinnon the Canadian Fruit Growers' Associa oming the invitation given Cana-growers to visit England in the future.

Machinist and Fireman on Tor- that the cou pedo Boat Lose Lives at Vallejo

(Times Leased Wire.) Vallejo, Cal., March 8 .- The heroic

ost their lives.

minutes

forts of half a dozen daring sailors There had been a private investigation y Ensign H. J. Keller, were vainly ded shortly after midnight in an responsibility of selecting Mr. Speakfort to save two of their shipmates Ald, Bannerman explained that he waiting game. drowning.

elieved Mr. Speakman to be a good E. J. Hampel, of St. Louis, ranking man. He had voted for him, but in here indicated that 35,000 union men second class machinist, and T. view of all the circumstances there have quit work. The city officials claim awrence, of Connecticut, a second be no harm in a little further | that only 20,000 men are out and that fireman, both of the Farragut, many are seeking to return delay before final action was taken. Ald. Fullerton insisted that the ap- Union leaders, however, still maintain he two men attempted to row out intment should be confirmed at once. that 150,000 are out

torpedo boat from the Mare f Mr. Speakman proved unsuitable his side and were within 160 yards service could be dispensed with. the Farragut when their frail craft Ald. Langley could not see any harm The lookouts on board the in delaying the matter for two weeks. arragut and the Fox saw the ac-On the motion to postpone acting be-ing put it was lost, only Ald. Bannerdent and gave the alarm. Hampel uld not swim and immediately sank man and Langley voting in the affirm-Lawrence was able to ative. imself above the water for a There was some further debate on the

licitor, and it was finally decided to de-Ensign Keller, of the Farragut ang into a gasoline launch and sent fer final action for a period of two ing through the water to the weeks. where the men were sinking. He ag from the launch into the water

MME. TETRAZZINI COLLAPSES. attempted to grasp Lawrence's Swoons After Singing in the Manhattan Opera House. hair but was too late.

meantime five or six other I plunged in the channel from ragut and were swimming to be of the accident. Keller uree times in a vain effort to New York, March & Mme. Tetrazzini is confined in her home on West End ave-nue to-day, following a collapse last night just after she had finished the mad number of the strikers, large quantities of dynamite seldom are stolen in times of industrial peace. It was reported toplunged in the channel from ragut and were swimming to or the other of the drown-"Lucia Di Lammermoor" at the

His strength was almost ex-Manhattan opera house. Mme. Tetrazzini had responded to sevhen his companions swam up ral curtain calls. As the curtain dropped Several of the men aided Kelfor the last time the singer became hys-terical. She was taken to her-dressing into the launch and he was d to the Farragut. oom, where she swooned. Her physician, to find the bodies of the who was in the audience, was called, and after reviving her had her removed to her men were continued to-day

channel is being dragged. Mme. Tetrazzini had been ill for several one was in the rowboat with bel and Lawrence, so it was im-days, and she went on the stage night against her physician's orders, and Lawrence, so it was im-

MAIL CLERK'S SUICIDE. SUSPENDS PAYMENT. Shoots Himself Through Heart in His Room at Winnipeg.

John, N. B., March 8 .- The St Winnipeg, March 8 .- John L. Hoerner, en's Bank, which has suspended

nt, was founded in 1864. The stock is \$200,000, with a reserve al stock is \$200,000, with a reserve bout \$30,000, The present directors Frank Todd, president; John D. nuan, vice-president; Julius Whit-server and acchieve. Dhill secretary and cashier; Philip from Montreal about a year ago, wh een and John G. Murshie. his parents reside

Officials of the Philadelphia Rapi take As far as he could ascertain Mr. Transit Company to-day announced confined to bed ever since his arrival. Speakman had one qualification that that the strike of their car men was Dr. Mackid, who is accompanying the was very essential in a city engineer party, and is working at the snowbroken. They claimed that they were for Victoria—he had a mind of his own. running a normal service. Their asslide west of this place, has been tele-Ald. Fullerton was surprised that fection was supported somewhat by an graphed for. Potts is destined for his there should be an attempt on the part increased number of persons who rode of the minority to upset the decision of the majority, and he cited the case old home in Victoria. n the cars. The heavy police guards and police patrol along the car lines of the chief of the fire department. WRECKS AUTO, BUT

was not withdrawn. No serious disturbance was reported during the night and long after daybreak the city was quiet. It became apparent that both sides are playing a

A canvass by a leading newspaper

Director of public safety, Henry Clay, to-day requisitioned every poli officer and detective that can be spared from patrol duty to search for a car wreck to-day and Assistant Chief hoad of dynamite that disappeared wreck to-day and Assistant Chief mysteriously from the yards of the Clark and Lieut. Norris of the depart-Pennsylvania railroad in West Philaleiphia. The car containing the dynamite arrived here early yesterday and uestion of the selection of a city so- was shunted into the West Philadelphia yards.

Last evening the yard officials telehoned to Clay the startling news that the dynamite had disappeared. Clay mediately notified police authorities and two-score officers and police deectives were detailed upon the case. While it is not known positively that he explosive has fallen into the hands

day that a liberal reward would be paid by the city and a second by the company to which the shipment of dynamite was consigned, for informa tion that would lead to the apprehen-Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. W. S. sion of the thieves.

City authorities this afternoon an- and may continue until the end of the nounced that information in their pos- week. session indicated that nearly all members of the building trades who struck stage last last Friday midnight have returned to work. The strikers, however, deny

any defections and insist that more Glibbs, for many years inspector and Hughson Street Baptist church after a pastorate of ten years. It is thought As an indication of the quiet con-ditions, Director of Public Safety yesterday at the home of his daugh-Henry Clay said that many police, peretofore on almost constant duty, of Vancouver, is a son. have been allowed to go to their

Want Action Deferred.

St. Petersburg, March 8 .- It has been Commons banking and commerce com-Newcastle, Pa., March 8 .- The officers of the state federation of labor, in decided to grant emigrants travelling mittee this morning. Efforts are being session here to-day, received a tele- by Russian lines to North America free made to have it taken up as a govgram from Philadelphia containing a passports and other privileges. ernment bill.

slides on Saturday. He was very sick when he left the train and has been who escaped but they number bed, but they number tween 25 and 35.

Packers are hauling coal to the rotaries stalled between here and Scenic to-day, and by this afternoon the snow ploughs should be again bat-

tling with the drifts. The roar giant powder and dynamite is already ooming and echoing in the mountains where the Great Northern laborers are blasting away the ice and snow on the SAVES TWO LIVES tracks. The two rotaries will have a rew of 300 men, but at that will not be able to clear the trek to Wellington efore Thursday. The line from the Driver Turns Car Into Pole to East through the tunnel will Avoid Running Down Wocleared to-day. Men ame through the tunnel this morning state that the rotaries can be seen throwing the snow high in the fore to co-operate with those who are air from the east portal and will soon

be through. The line from Seattle will Lords' veto. be clear far enough up the mountain Seattle, Wash., March 8 .- The new after to-day to take out the dead by utomobile of the fire department is a train hereafter.

Bodies Reach Seattle

Seattle, Wash., March 8 .- Six bodies Clark and Lieut. Norris of the depart-nent are patched and bandaged, all because a woman with a little baby brought in last nicht by train from because a woman with a little baby brought in last nicht by train from because a woman with a little baby ran in front of the automobile at Sec-ond avenue and Seneca street last Weinington, are in the train from Scenic. The bedies are those of G. W. Beagle, J. Ladue, John Tucker, J. D.

Fox and two unidentified men. The The motor car was making the run body of Express Messenger Beagle to a fire and the driver deliberately will be taken to Tacoma for burial. skidded into a telephone pole to save The bodies of W. M. May and the Starthe life of the woman and baby, who rett children were taken to Victoria towere dodging frantically back and day. The funeral of Sol Cohen was forth in a frenzy of bewilderment. held here yesterday. Mrs. M. A. Cov-The damage to the car is estimated at ington will be buried in Olympia this \$500. Both men were painfully in- afternoon.

CENTENARIAN DEAD.

Welland, Ont., March 8,-William Wilson, who died at the Industrial between Messrs. Emery and Pepper, representing the United States, and up to February 10th was hale and earty, taking regular exercises. He

Fielding have not yet been concluded, was seized with apoplexy which result ed in his death. HAMILTON PASTOR RESIGNS.

Hamilton Ont., March 8 .- Rev. Jas. Grimsby, Ont., March &--Malcolm Bracken has resigned as pastor

ance Company in Toronto, died here that he will go to Saskatchewan to continue his labors. ter, Mrs. L. Nelles. George M. Gibbs, CO-OPERATIVE BILL.

Ottawa, March 8 .- The Monk co CONCESSIONS TO EMIGRANTS.

tor-general.

ENGLISH BETTING.

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ap, distance one mile, run March 15th: ond's Pride; 1-4, Cinderella; 1-4, Musapha; 1-4, Canonite; 1-4, Edna M. Grand National steeplechase, dis-was decid tance four and a half miles, run March

> Lurcher; 2-5, Albeura. CARPENTER FALLS TO DEATH.

Winnineg, March 8 .- Thomas Windatt, a carpenter in the employ of the Lyall-Mitchell Co., contractors, fell from the top operative bill was reported on by the of the Winnipeg Rubber Company's new building westerday afternoon, and was nstantly killed. He came from Beaverton. Ontario.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Bluefields, Nicaragua, March 8 .sacrifice of the budget. To place it in Citizens of this city were excited tojeopardy and force another general election, Mr. McDonald said, would be folly. The Labor party, he added, ed by President Madriz was on the should make it clear that it stood for march to attack Bluefields.

It is believed that Madriz will seek abolition of the House of Lords, and if beaten on that should vote for the to arrest all the revolutionary leaders now in refuge here and hold then Speaking at Cardiff, Philip Snow- until General Estrada formally sur-

den, another Labor leader in the Com- renders, or until peace is declar Revolutionary sympathizers predict for abolition of the House of Lords, the early beginning of peace negotia-

General Estrada is regarded as begenuinely desirous of abolishing the ing somewhat discredited by his former admirers who charge that he misrepre sented conditions during the recent

uccessful campaign against Managua. London March 8 -- In the hye-election Estrada's assertion that he will rein Ilkeston yesterday Col. J. E. B. cruit an army of foreigners is regarded Seeley, former under secretary of state here as mere bravado. The provisional general is without money, and no one appears to be ready to finance another ampaign or to supply him with alien Foster, Liberal, was returned. He reroops. tired in order to give Col. Seeley the

LUMSDEN INVESTIGATION.

London, March 8 .- In conseque H. Chrysler Appointed Counsel in the resignation of Sir John Charles Place of Wallace Nesbitt. Bigham, president of the probate and

admiralty division of the high court of Ottawa, March 8 .- At a meeting this justice, further changes in the ministry orning of the committee to inquire are announced. Sir Samuel T. Evans. into the Lumsden charges of solicitor-general, will succeed Sir John, lassification against engineers in districts "B" and "F" of the National while Rufus Isaacs, member of parliament for Reading, will become solici-Transcontinental railway, Chairman Geoffrion read a letter from Wallace The retired justice will be elevated to he was unable to accept the appoint-the perage. nent of the majority of the members

of the committee as counsel for the ublic. The committee then appointed London, March 8 .- Following is the F. H. Chrysler, K. C., Ottawa, in Neslatest betting on the Lincoln handi- bitt's place. Mr. Chrysler, who was present, accepted the appointment, but 1-0, Detrium; 1-0, Kakanu; 1-2, Des- requested delay in order to give him an opportunity to consider the case.

The committee agreed to this, and it was decided to adjourn until Thursday

18th: 1-0, Indas; 1-0, Cackler; 1-2, Car-sey; 1-4, Round Danee; 2-0; The Donald, who assured him that the government would pay counsel's expenses, Engineer Lumsden said he had no indid not desire any counsel to repre

Lennox, the Conservative members of the committee, were not present. unced that he

had been engaged to represent the district engineers accused

terests but his own to look after, and him, Messrs. Crothers, Barker and J. H. Moss, K. C., annou

