

Persons living in the house at : Tennis, crescent were driven into the icy streets in night attire by a fire which broke out in the attic at 12.25 a.m. today. Damage to the building was \$1,500 and to contents \$1,000.

tents \$1,000. The fire was discovered by a Mr. Purvis, who has a room in the attic of the house. He aggreent his two Purvis, who has a room in the attern of the house. He awakened his two s'sters, who were in a room across the hall, and they then aroused the the hall, and they then aroused the

Guards May Mean Extension of Military Service.

the hall, and they filler had it not been for other occupants. Had it not been for Mr. Purvis smelling the fumes of of service to eighteen months from Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ratcliffe, Mr. and

ner of many others. Mell Represented. Representatives were present from London, Woodstock, Kitchener and other towns in Ontario. A hearty welcome was extended to the special guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McKinnon, of the Canadian Manufactuiers' As-sociation, and Mr. W. H. Alderson, of the beard of trade, and wife. A hearty vote of thanks was ten-dered the choir for their anthems on behalf of the association by Mr These association as the courts. A Refusal to Obey. Excentive officers of the grand divi-Bicting in Canada. A Refusal to Obey. Excentive officers of the grand divi-stated that they were refusing to recog-lize the authority of the executive of the "rades and Labor Congress to revoke their charter. They have sought legal duvice, and the matter may possibly be retied in the courts. Grand President A. R. Mosher of the C.B.R.E. is absent irom the city, but will issue a statement upon his return.

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School Board Nominees. The nominations for separate school hoard were held at St. Mary's School between 12 and 1 o'clock today. There were no contests, as all of the retiring members were returned by acclama-tion. They are: North ward, John Columbo; centre ward, Philip Ringle; south ward, F. X. Schmuck; east ward, W. R. Moore; east ward, Rev. A. L. Zinger. **OFFICERS DISORDERLY** IN ATHENS CHURCH

FORMER GERMAN EMPRESS STEADILY GROWS WEAKER Doorn. Dec. 29 --- Except for stead-ily-growing weakness, there has been little change in the condition of the

former German empress, Augusta Victoria, during the past fortnight. The physician in attendance said to-day that this state might last for a

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dered the choir for their anthems on behalf of the association by Mr. Thos. McMillan.

have ensued. The house is owned by Dr. C. S. Chapin, a dentist .

## OLD EMPLOYE OF SENATE IS DEAD

John Carleton Is Stricken With

Heart Disease in Ottawa.

Ottawa, Dec. 29 .- Stricken with has never weakened. She has experiheart disease at his residence, 33 Ar- enced perhaps even a greater trial, that gyle avenue, John Carleton, one of the Canadian senate's oldest and staggered by the intoxication of trimost respected employes, died sud- umph. denly about six o'clock this afternoon. sion of arrogance nor provocation, but He same to Canada about 48 years a screnity of strength sure of itself and ago from Ireland and for the past 25 a soul that is a stranger at the same "cars had been employed at the sen- time to hate or fear."

Apprehension is expressed here that Germany's resistance to disarmament ate as housekeeper and superintendent of messenger service, which position he held at the time of his will strengthen the opposition to reducdeath. Altho well enough until to- tion in the French military service and day to pursue his duties, he had will reopen the entire question.

complained of heart trouble for som

Profit-Sharing Means Loss: Mr. Carleton was an active member of many local organizations, and he with a past grand master, Royal Preceptory Knights of Ireland. Besides his widow, he is survived by five

daughters and four sons. Interment will probably be made at Belleville.

PRESENTATION SUNBURST WAS LOST IN TORONTO

"Hamilton, Dec. 29.-A pretty little gfill walked into The World office ten per cent. from the amount received the previous week. in, Hamilton this evening, much lamenting, the fact that she had just DE VALERA IS RESTING

returned, from that bad city, Toronto, where unfortunately she lost her gold 12 pearl sunburst. Just where in Toron. to this happened she does not know, iparts gave it to her for a Christmas sent, she is much perturbed. If totto lucky finder will communicate with The World office in Hamilton,

Atta Jucky finder will communicate with The World office in Hamilton, bere today.
With The World office in Hamilton, bere today.
The Advocate and Lady properly re-tore is wide speculation current in the dally papers as to the whereabouts of Eamonn de Valera." The Advocate said. "Rumors of his being in Ireland or England have been credited and again denied. It is well known to his close friends that Mr. de Valera is not any too well in health, and that he is physically exhausted from the strain of mental and physical labor thrown on his shoulders by conditions here, and is badly in need of rest. We may state for the beheft of anxious inquirers, that he is recuperating at the home of his friend, James K. Maguire, in New Rochelle, N.Y."

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three years against the vigorous oppo-sition of prominent public men. who consider the German attitude makes reduction injudicious at present. Questioned regarding the situation,

Questioned regarding the situation, Premier Leygues replied: "I can only repeat what I said in the chamber the Mrs. Brocklebank, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Learie, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McKin non, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McLaren, Mr. other day, that France does not intend and Mrs. Thos. McMillan, Mr. o entertain perpetual war spirit, but she is resolved to see that the treaty and Mrs. D. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. of Versailles is executed. A. S. Crighton. "France underwent most redoubtable

trials and experienced every kind of ELECT JOE MCMINN deception, reverses and defeats and she NEW VAUGHAN TRUSTEE

of victory, but she had a heart and head well enough placed not to be Enthusiasm marked the proceedings of a meeting held in Vaughan Road She offers neither an expres-School, section 15, when Joe McMinn's election to fill the vacant school trusteeship was announced. He received a large majority over his op- BRANTFORD HAVING ponent. J. Law.

> U. S. STEAMER A WRECK ON ISLAND OF AZORES

London, Dec. 29 .- The United States sleamer Lakeside Bridge is a wreck Symons running as an Independent

on Pico Island, one of the Azores Labor party candidate, and appealing group, according to a despatch to Lloyds from Morta. The crew of the vessel has been saved. The Lakeside Better lost her propeller in a heavy Iron Workers to Go on Strike Newbern, N.C., Dec. 29.-Employes Bridge lost her propeller in a heavy gale and drifted ashore, and, accord-ing to the dispatch, will be a total doss. from fourneyman molder to first viceof the Newbern Iron Works and Sup-ply Co. voted today to disregard the

profit-sharing agreement recently tered into with the company, and to The Lakeside Bridge, a steamer of go on strike. Pay received by the workers last week, the first under the 2.174 tons net, commanded by Capt. Woodward, salled from Bremen, Denew plan which was based on profits cember 17. for Galveston. of the concern above operating expenses, amounted to a reduction

lature, is seeking a fourth term. HAMILTON

Hamilton, Dec. 29 .- President, T. J Mahony of the Niagara Grapegrower' five, J. Kew. Absociation at the annual meeting of the members held in Stony Creek this af- ACCUSED IS GIVEN ternoon, announced that besides obtain-

New York, Dec. 29.—Eamonn de Valera, "president of the Irish republic," is vis-iting at the honie of a friend, James K. Maguire, in New Rochelle, N.Y., 'The Ading almost \$85 a ton for this year's supocate, an Irish newspaper, announce ply of grapes, the association had a surplus of \$34,000, of which \$13,000 was to Charge of Using Forged Docu-

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Athens. Dec. 29. Disorders arose yesterday at the church of St. Theo-dore, during services in honor of the during services in honor of the day of former Premier Veniname

Chatham, Dec. 29.—Gas Commissioner Estlin today followed up his gas restric-tions.-of yesterday, applying to all public buildings west to Windsor, by issuing an order to the companies supplying Till-conburg, Aylmer, Straffordville, Vienna, Port Eurwell, and Baham township, pro-hibiting the use of gas in all furnaces and for heating public buildings. The aim is to conserve all gas possible for domestic purposes. Commissioner Estlin says that his pro-hibitory measure is working out well. He says there are churches in Chatham with tons of coal in their basements, and sug-gests that they burn this entirely, for all available gas will be needed for cook-ing purposes. It was alleged that officers in leased The newspaper Patria today printed

photograph of M. Venizelos and devoted its entire first page to an editorial, in which the former premier

'surely return."

WARM CIVIC FIGHT Brantford, Ont., Dec. 29.-(Special).

-The municipal campaign is beginning to warm up here. With Harry J.

## WANT CANDY FREED

OF THE LUXURY TAX Ottawa, Dec. 29.-(By Canadian Press) .- A delegation of confectionery. manufacturers interviewed the minis ter of finance this afternoon to urge

president and general manager of the removal of luxury tax on all kinds of candy. At the present time, only the Cockshutt Plow Company after fortytwo years' service, the vote will be greatly split and anything may hapcheaper kinds are exempt. pen. Mayor MacBride, who is also member for South Brant in the legis-Sir Henry Drayton, minister of finance, promised full consideration to

the delegation's representations. Separate school trustees were elected WOMEN BURNED TO DEATH. by acclamation today as follows: Ward one, W. C. Greenhill; ward two, W. J. Hampel; ward three, Dr. S. S. Stin-Atlantic City, N.J., Dec. 29.-Two women were burned to death early

ward four, Frank Waller; ward today in a fire believed to have been set in a three-storey boarding house at Pleasantville, near here. The vic-tims were Mrs. May C. McIlhenny. 17, and Mrs. Bridget Muldowney, 50. The BENEFIT OF DOUBT house was destroyed with a loss of

To Cure a Cold in One Day

so long to count he attracted the attention of detectives. The youth first refused to tell how be got the money, but later admitted, the police say, he had stolen it last Tuesday from Frank Moustisch, of Pittsburg, a

was locked up.

\$12.000. Take Grove's LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets. The genuine bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.

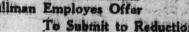
mine foreman, who employed him. He

KILLED BY DYNAMITE.

KILLED BY DYNAMITE. Ottawa, Dec. 29.—Lawrence Brouse, a former resident of this city, and whose relatives live in Carleton Place, was instantly killed by a dynamite explosion in a gravel plt near Manotick today. The frozen ground was being loosened by explosives and when one of te-charges on which Brouse had light? The fuse, did rot explode, he went over to relight it. Just as he reached the spot the fuse took effect and the con-cission irom four sticks of dynamite esion from four sticks of dynamite buried the body of the unfortunate man about 12 feet.

"surely return." Some alarm has been shown by the cabinet over the fact that 20,000 of General Wrangel's anti-Bolshevik troops, which we'e landed at Gallipol, have spread into Thrace. It is de-clared these men are pillaging the country for food. King Constantine is suffering a slight illness, having taken cold while appearing on the balcony of the ralace when throngs have gathered before it.

The recent decision of the United States supreme court depriving mail-compensation under state laws with status in the application of workmen's c.mpensation laws, Pulliman Employes Offer The Submits to Reduction The Submits to Reduction



To Submit to Reduction G.W.V.A. feels that they will mean a co-operative effort on the part of all interests concerned, which will bring about a better feeling in the labor market and go far toward relieving the unemployment situation. Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Saskatoon, Dec. 29. - Saskatoon building permits for 1920 were of a the men until notified by a commit-tee, it was said by one official. He proximately \$300,000 less than the said wages had increased 100 per amount for 1919, but except for 1919. Signature of E. W. Grove. 30c. BIG ROLL AROUSED SUSPICIONS. New York, Dec. 29.—After buying a railroad ticket to Arizona in the Pennsylvania station tonight, Walter Aydent, of Pittsburg, 17, was arrest-ted as a fugitive from justice. He had n roll of \$5.000 in bills, which he took a large scale.

Abilene, Texas, Dec. 29 .-- A one nound baby, born Christmas night to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pruitt, of this city, displays evidence of robust health. The child is kept wrapped in cotton and takes nourishment gularly.

Eighty Per Cent. of Its Men Boston, Dec. 29.—The Boston & Albany Ralifoad Co. announced tonight that its car shops at West Springfield and in the Alkston district of Boston, employing a total of 322 men at the time they were closed on Dec. 27. would be reopened on Jan. 3. Eighty per cent. of the force will be taken back.





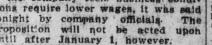
TO PUT LONGSHOREMEN staffs. In respect of the federal public **ON STATUS OF WORKMEN** works as a means of relieving the situation, Mr. MacNeil states in his

was eulogized. The newspaper de-clared that Greece was "enduring her Calvary," and that M. Venizelos would "surely return" telegram that works of this nature under the available appropriations are being rushed, the councils urging the immediate commencement of prelim-inary work on projects contemplated under special warrant. Veterans in all provinces are urged to support this demand thru the councils, and to urge that similar steps be taken by cor-vinces and municipalities and by cor-

Mr. MeNeil further states that federal lines is being organized, anticipating citized al administration for the former group, in oider to insure uniformity, and state jurisdiction over the latter group, whose work is mostly confined to land.

Chicago, Dec. 29 .-- Representatives of the 9,000 persons employed by the Pullman Company in its ear shops have notified company officials they are willing to submit to wage reduc-

rions ranging as high as 20 per cent., if the company feels business condi-tions require lower wages, it was said tonight by company officials. The proposition will not be acted upon until after January 1, however. The company methods and solution of the second solution of



## The company was given no inti-mation of the proposal to be made by

To Open Car Shops and Employ

ONE POUND BABY BORN.