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#### Council Court Upholds Assessment

(Continued from Page One) Finlay went on, the first act having to do with taxing of mines was passed in the legislature. The province was seeking revenue and so was the municipality of Cobalt. The "royalty" tax on profits of mines after certain deductions was instituted then. The municipal income tax, provided for at the time, was to be deducted from the amount payable in royalty to the province. "If we still had that section," said Mr. Finlay, "there would be no question of exemption."

When Cobalt got into financial difficulties, the act was altered. Such a high tax was levied on the mines by day) night.

the town that there was nothing left for the province. In 1908, the town's share was not to exceed one-third of the liability under the section, except in the case of Cobalt, where the act made it one-half.

In 1917, the act was altered again, to read that no income tax was to be payable to any municipality in excess of 11/2 per cent. of the amount of profits, in no case to exceed \$35,000.

In 1927, another change was made and this is the one now under discussion as to meaning.

Apply to Legislature?

Mr. Finlay advised the council to apply to the legislature for a change in the act if they wished to get more taxes. Since the act had been interpreted by the province and municipalities since 1927 to mean one thing, there was no reason now for a change, he said.

"They interpreted it to suit themelves," said Mr. Bartleman.

Recent changes in the assessment act did not include this case at all, Mr. Finlay said, but applied to companies other than mining companies.

Speaking of the collection of income tax, Mr. Finlay said:

"I would like any of you gentlemen to tell me how you would have collected it unless the mines had voluntarily paid it."

"I grant you, we couldn't have collected it," said the chairman.

Taxes Go Up With Profits In introducing the case for the town,

Mr. Kester remarked that he had no quarrel with the historical review given, but disagreed with the "double taxation" item, pointing cut that double taxation is common, since an income tax is paid to the dominion government as well as to the town.

Taxation goes up, he said, as profits or income become greater. That is the principle on which taxation of to-day is based, he claimed. In that case, following the reasoning of Mr. Finlay, if it is the government's intention that taxes should go up as profits increase in every other instance, it is logical to apply the same thing to mines, and the section of the act should read as the town has this year taken it to read he argued.

"The case has never come up in court before," said Mr. Kester, "as to what the interpretation of the act is, Whole Vanload of Boys Takbut it is very clear when the principle of taxation is considered." The claim of the mine would have the whole principle of taxation reversed, he said. Both arguements seemed logical, the court agreed, but the councillors felt that a judge should hear the arguments and make a decision.

Minor Cases Heard Several minor appeals were heard Some appeals from income taxes were allowed, when it was proven that parties had become married in the last year or so; several tax bills were writ- few bell by-law. ten off on the appeals of widows; and some minor alterations made.

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Work starts on the U.S. Governments \$30,000,000 Passamaquoddy tidal power project as Major Philip E. Fleming, army engineer in charge. breaks ground at Eastport, Mc., while Rep. Ralph Brewster and crowd looks on. Project will harness famous tides of Bay of Fundy for electric power. Lower is first blast set off by telegraph from Washington. Map shows location of project that will employ thousands for several years.

#### Parents Should Keep Boys at Home Nights

en Home from the Rink Last Night. Unless Boys to be Summoned.

Last night the police had a call to the rink where some young boys were created considerable noise and trouble. meet at Timmins park to-morrow (Fri- The result of the police visit to the rink was a vanload of boys who were

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For the sake of the boys themselves, they have to be kept off the streets reach Kenora, were undecided. at nights. Home is the proper place more serious form of crime.

attend to this, rather than leave it to Government. ency to break-ins and other forms of that city Wednesday. crime, the police are determined to No organized marchers were reported for the sake of the community. Par- were still under way in Montreal. ents will do well to co-operate to the Police were withdrawn from Valcarlimit of their ability.

#### Italy Continues Plans for War with Ethiopia

Word from Europe this morning says that Italy is continuing to pour troops Africa in readiness for war with Ethiopia. At the same time Ethiopia drilling her warriors in preparation for the expected hostilities. At the same time Britain continues efforts to avert war, despite the fact that all previous efforts have been termed futile and appear to deserve the term from results. A special session of the Council of the League of Nations is said to be called for July 25th, to consider the Italian-Ethiopia crisis, but Italy claims to have had no notice of such a meeting. It will be something like a miracle if war is averted. The danger clearly seen by Britain, is that if Italy and Ethiopia start open warfare there is grave danger of other nations being dragged into the conflict on one side or the other.

#### Premier Warns Reds that Hunger March is Foolish

was futile and foolish procedure.

as Red Cross vans for the treatment close together. of marchers who fall by the wayside. Reports in regard to the Dominion But, the premier warned the deputa- election are that it will likely be held tion that came to his office, "If we find in September. Until this week, indeed, that any marchers are being conveyed it seemed to be agreed in Ottawa that in trucks the licenses of those trucks it was a September election, though the will be cancelled at once."

provincial secretary, turned a deaf ear through September and even as late as to the delegates' plea for billeting and Oct. 7th and 14th. food for the marchers assembling in | In the meantime the work of pre-Toronto, W. G. Harris, one of the lead- paring and printing the Dominion voters, explained that the Toronto Board ers' list is progressing very favourably. of Control had refused to listen to their It is understood that they are almost

"I won't interfere with the autonomy for even an early September election. of the City of Toronto. I am not going | From present indications there will to assist you in any way. Your march be an elction this month, next month, is futile and useless, and I warn you, and in September. Prince Edward that you have lost public sympathy," Island goes to the polls July 23rd, that the Premier said. "The mayor of Tor- is, Tuesday of next week. The Alberta onto swings pretty well to the left, and election is announced for Aug. 22nd.

Any attempt of the trekkers to hold election is said to be September. a parade will be stopped promptly, Mayor Simpson announced on Monday. dealt with as such," he said.

#### Ontario Now has All "Hunger Marchers"

Four Hundred Men Said to Have Crossed the Manitoba Boundary on Tuesday. Plans Uncertain.

A despatch from Toronto yesterday says that all the "hunger marchers" on the actual march seemed to be within the boundaries of Ontario. Quebec has been stopping all attempts to "hunger march" by trucks out of that province and there have been arrests by wholesale in the province. Already a number of the would-be leaders of the so-called march from the province of Quebec are serving time in jail for their breach of the law, while others are being held for trial. Despite some firmer words from Premier Hepburn the "hunger marchers" apparently are able to outwit and defy the authorities in Ontario.

On Tuesday after they had been duly warned by Premier Hepburn and by Hon. Mr. McQuestin, Minister of Highways, about 400 of the hunger marchers from Winnipeg crossed the Ontario line on Tuesday. They said they intended to march to Kenora where they would make their next stop on their way to Ottawa.

The men abandoned busses and passenger cars at the Manitoba boundary and crossed into Ontario on foot, after they were warned by the Ontario Department of Highways they would not be permitted to enter the province by St. Anthony's Church automobile. They planned to march Canadian Mounted Police escorted nem to the border.

The Dominion Government did not contemplate interfering with the marchers unless provincial authorities requested it, or action of the marchers achieved by the march.

cedure were necessary again the par- transportation to the Ontario border and Mrs. Arthur DeHaitre of L'Originents would have to answer in police by funds collected in a tag day at Win- al. Father LaSalle, of St. Anthony's, nipeg Saturday. Plans for moving on brother of the bride, performed the to Port Arthur, after the marchers marriage ceremony. It was the first

Meanwhile, a Toronto army of marfor them after the curfew. There is chers about 450 strong planned to leave Kept off Streets Parents nothing good for them roaming the the city Wednesday on the first lap of streets at night or congregating near the journey they expect will take them the rink or other places of amusement, to Ottawa. Following a parade from Recently the police have had com- Boys allowed out at night almost in- Queen's Park Tuesday the trekkers held plaints about boys being on street after variably drift into some sort of mis- a rally in Riverdale Park, where offithe curfew and efforts are being made chief. Sometimes it is petty theft, of- cers were elected and the contingent to remedy the matter. Unless the ten it is begging in the effort to secure addressed by leaders. The men were parents look after their boys they will money to gain admittance to some form warned to observe law and order. The be summoned to court under the cur- of entertainment, too often it is some Toronto marchers sought permission for a parade Wednesday, and hoped to Parents will be helping themselves leave the city in parade formation. and their boys by seeing that the lads Tuesday night trekkers canvassed Toare home at nights. It would be far ronto for food supplies to place in three better in every way for the parents to trucks allowed them by the Ontario

the police. It should be noted, how- Following a tag day in North Bay ever, that to prevent disturbances, to Tuesday, a group of marchers, estiavoid petty thefts, to keep down tend- mated at 150 was expected to leave

keep the boys off the streets at nights— from Quebec, where trials of trekkes for the sake of the boys, no less than who attempted to leave the province

> tier following the collapse of a strike at that relief camp.

In Regina, Hon. T. C. Davis, Saskatchewan Attorney-General, awaited word from Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice at Ottawa, before announcing the personnel of a Royal Commission to investigate clashes beand airplanes and weapons of war into tween strikers from Alberta and British Columbia and police some weeks

> Meanwhile, trial of strikers held in Regina was at a standstill.

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Reports from Red Lake are to the effect that Daniel McGillis, of Winnipeg, is all ready to erect a 3-storey modern hotel at Red Lake. The structure will cost \$20,000. It will have 32 guest rooms and be up-to-date in every particular, except in the matter of fire-proof construction, thought it will be made as safe as possible in this

#### Alberta Election May Delay Dominion Contest

Word from Ottawa yesterday was to the effect that the announcement by Hunger march leaders appealed in Hon. Geo. Hoadley, acting premier of vain to Premier Hepburn for assistance Alberta, that the general elections in on Monday, hearing only the Premier's that province will be held on Thursday, opinion that their on-to-Ottawa trek Aug. 22nd, may possibly have some effect on the date of the Dominion They gained one minor concession, elections. Just why this should be is They will be permitted to use three not stated, but it may be surmised that trucks for the transport of supplies and the two elections should not be held too

guesses as to the exact date ranged Mr. Hepburn and Hon. Harry Nixon, from Monday, Aug. 26th, all the way

ready now and will be in ample time

you have lost even his sympathy." The most likely date for the Dominion

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required it, Fremier R. B. Bennett said took place this morning at St. An- to-day for a two weeks' trip to Ottawa in Ottawa Tuesday night. He could thony's Church when Alexandrine, and Montreal, prior to their departure not see what good purpose could be daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. La- for Hearst, where they will make their Salle, 5 Birch street north, became the home. The groom is on the staff of the The Winnipeg trekkers paid for bride of John DeHaitre, son of Mr. Imperial Bank there. wedding at which the young priest had officiated.

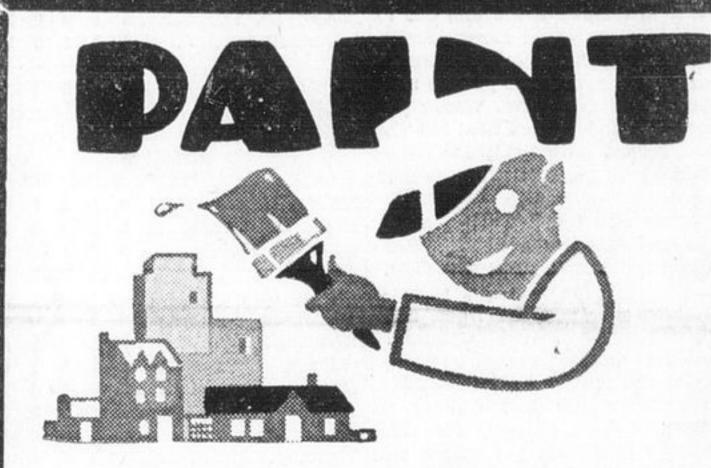
Only the immediate friends of the famliy were present at the church a

eight o'clock when Mr. LaSalle gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a white organdie dress with a lace skirt. and carried a bouquet of roses and lilies-of-the-valley. During the mass, the fifty miles to Kenora on foot. Royal Rev. Fr. LaSalle Officiates Mrs. E. Pelletier and Miss E. Poitras

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