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## **ENGLISH LABOR PARTY**

A Popular Demonstration Held for the Delegation -A Labor Manifesto Issued in London Opposing the Attack on Russia-Britain Is Blamed.

(Canadian Press Despatch) ers assured the representative of the temper of the whole labor movement Russians that English workmen were is rising rapidly, and labor should apposed to the blockade of Russia see that the attack upon Russia is and the Polish aggression. They de- | ended," the manifesto says. clared that on their return to Engand they would bring the pressure of organized labor to bear on the ritish Government for the purpose of forcing the resumption of relations with Russia.

Who Controls Odessa? he Ukrainians have not been sup- thusiasm. orted by a subsequent message. The Allied commissioners here are without official information, as there is no means of communications between his city and southern Russia.

Labor Leaders Attack Britain. London, May 19.—The definition the Polish attack on Bolsheviki tussia and what is claimed to be Great Britain's complicity in that gotiations will be opened immediateoffensive," is contained in a mani- ly between the representatives of lesto issued here by a number of General Wrangel's army in South tack means "the prolongation of war expected, it was added, that negotiaand chaos, the victory of secret di- tions will be of long duration.

**AMUSEMENT TAXES** 

Breadner Tells How Merchants Will Account for Levy-Make Duplicate Bills.

BY SALES TAGS

**NEW TAX SHOWN** 

Ottawa, May 19 .- R. W. Breadnor. mmissioner of taxation for Canada, vas asked how merchants would proseed to-morrow morning in connecion with the collection of the new axes which become effective as soon business opens to-morrow.

Mr. Breadner said that each merant selling goods that come under new taxes would show the price the goods on his invoice and also e amount of the tax, whether it was ten or twenty or fifty per cent. Two copies of the invoice would be nade out, the merchant keeping one. He would keep his copy in hand. and ultimately hand it over to the Inland Revenue Department. epartment would then collect the noney as represented by the in-

uit will get a bill reading: "To suit er cent., \$5. Total, \$55. The man who buys a \$200 phono-

and so on. STOCK MARKETS.

etations Furnished by Bongard, Ryerson & Co., 237 Bagot

New York Stocks. Opening, Clomns

American Car Fndy 130 1/2	128%
Anglo-French Bonds : 98 1/4	98
American Locomotive 93 1/4	90
American Sugar 126	1000
Am. Internat. Corp 85%	8414
Am. Sumatra Tobacco 89 1/2	85 14
Smelters 59	571/
Baldwin Locomotive .115%	109 %
Baltimore & Ohio 3214	3114
Bethlehem Steel "B". 91%	86 1/2
Anaconda 56	55
Anaconda 56 C. P. R 114%	1134
Central Leather 68 1/4	6514
Crucible Steel 139 14	138 1/2
General Electric 140 1/2	137%
General Motors 271/2	25 %
International Nickle . 18	17
International Paper . 71	67
Lackawanna Steel 74	6914
Marine 31%	30
Marine Ded 94	81%
Marine Pfd 84 Mexican Petroleum 178 1/4	
Wingoust Decision	1691/4
Missouri Pacific 23%	A PROPERTY OF
New Haven 28	27
N. S. Steel 531/2	52 1/2
Ohio Cities Gas 39 %	38
Pere Marquette 23 1/2	231/4
Republic Iron & Steel. 92	87
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Canadian Stocks. Brazilian ...... 43 rompton ..... Canada Bread ..... 24 bid Canada Cement ..... Canada Steamships ...... 73 bid Canada Steam. Pfd. ... 83 Canadian Locomotive ..... 90 b ons, Smelters .... 26 1/2 Dominion Bridge ..... 1011/2 bid Dominion Steel .... 66 1/2 Dominion Textile ...129

SUGAR-LADEN SHIPS ENROUTE TO HALIFAX

(Canadian Press Despatch) St. John's, N.B., May 19 .ix ships laden with sugar are 4 now enroute from Cuba to this + ort, harbor officials stated toown here in a few days that a + Krasnovarsk. local refinery has chartered a + sheds to store part of it.

plomacy and the defeat of the Moscow, May 19 .- An impressive League of Nations." The British Govpopular demonstration greeted the ernment is accused of violating its English trade union delegation upon pledges by sending munitions to Pois arrival here at noon to-day. Fol- land, the manifesto declaring ferolowing addresses of welcome by the clously that a cruel blockade of Ruschairman of the Russia Soviet and sia is actually maintained, although the chairman of the all-Russian Fede- legally non-existent, while a stream ration of Trades Unions, the British- of goods is flowing into Poland. "The

Bolsheviki Defeat the Poles.

(Canadian Press Despatch) London, May 19.—The Bolsheviki won important successes over the Poles in passing the Dvina river at Polotsk, in the government of Vitebisk, according to the official Soviet government statement to-day. The (Canadian Press Despatch) government statement to-day. The Constantinople, May 19.—Odessa Poles were forced to withdraw, the still claimed by the Russian Bol- statement adds, and the population heviki, and rumors of its capture by received the Bolsheviki with en-

> Guarantee Safety of Denikine's Army (Canadian Press Despatch) London, May 19 .- It was officialassurances had been received from M. Tchitcherin, commissiary for Foreign Affairs of Soviet Russia, regarding the safety of the remnant of General Denikine's forces in Crimea. Consequently, it was stated peace ne-

Hon. Peter Smith Announces Increases of About Twentyfive Per Cent.

TO BE INCREASED

(Canadian Press Despatch) Toronto, May 19 .- Heavy increases in taxes on theatres and moving picture houses are announced in Hon. Peter Smith's changes to the Theatre and Cinematograph Act. Altogether the increased taxation will be about 25 per cent, of the whole. Amusements generally come under the change and exemptions from taxation have enjoyed will cease to exist on

In municipalities of over ten thousand, theatres will pay 35 cents a seat instead of 25 cents. Places of five to ten thousand will pay 25 cents a seat, instead of 15 cents. In places of three to five thousand the tax will be 20 cents a seat instead of a flat rate fee of \$75. Instead of \$50 flat Thus anyone buying a fifty dollar in towns of 1,500 to 8,000, the tax will be 15 cents a seat, while in of clothes, \$50. To luxury tax, 10 municipalities beneath 1,500, where the rate has previously been fixed to meet individual cases, the tax will be graph will receive a bill reading: 10 cents a seat. Dance halls, ball To phonograph, \$200. To luxury parks and skating rinks in municipalities of 10,000 will be taxed \$10 tax, 20 per cent., \$40. Total, \$240,"

PEOPLE WILL BENEFIT BY THE LUXURY TAX

As it is Expected That There Will be Reduction in Prices.

(Canadian Press Despatch) Ottawa, May 19 .- Instructions for levying the new taxes, in force today, have been sent to tax collectors throughout the Dominion. What the revenue will be the finance department experts make no attempt to estimate in anything like exact figures, although it is thought the additional revenue will be about seventy-five or eighty million dollars. It is estimated that the loss of revenue from the repeal of taxes is thirty million dol-

The purpose of the luxury tax is two-fold-more revenue and the prevention of extravagance. In any event one of these two objects will be secured. If extravagance continues, the government will benefit by theadditional revenue. If prices are lowered to within the limit of exemption from taxation the consumer will benefit. It is thought, however, that this tax would give the impetus to a reduction in prices. An article now just coming within scope of the luxury tax will probably be sold a few cents under the tax limit.

No Ground For Charges.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Toronto, May 19.—Judge McBeth,

Milk For Vancouver Children. The milk is served in half-pint quan- power from the Hydro plant. titles every morning and afternoon.

A note informing the far eastern democratic republic of Siberia that it | Motion to Revise Marriage Cerem day. The boats were held up + has been recognized by the Russian in Cuba by strikes. More are to + soviet government was sent to M. follow them. So great is the + Krasnosholokoff, minister of foreign "love, honor and obey," will remain

equipment.

DREW THEIR INSPIRATION FROM HEAVENS.





Famous artist-aeronaut br others, Richard (on the left) and Sydney W. Carline, who have added to Britain's pictorial history of the war by depictin g war as seen from the air.

ly announced today that satisfactory England Will Not Be Drawn in Should U. S.-Japan Trouble Come.

abor leaders. It states that the at- Russia and the Bolsheviki. It is not THE TERMS OF IT ARE BEING MADE EXPLICIT

Britain Makes Clear the Treaty Covering the Anglo-American Pact of

1914—Some Changes Arranged.

London, May 19 .- The new Anglo-Japanese agreement will prevent any possibility of Great Britain being drawn into war with the United States in the event of trouble between Japan and America, according

The Japanese and British foreign offices are now preparing amendwhich is being drawn.

The amendments over which Great Britain is mostly concerned is one covering Article IV. This article provides that England and Japan decline to go to war, in defence of the other, against nations with which they have arbitration treaties.

The British foreign offices proposes to make it clear that this covers the Anglo-American treaty signed in 1914, which became effective subsequent to the signing of the original treaty with Japan. England has always insisted that this article covered the United States, but changes made in Article IV will make this QUEEN ELIZABETH more explicit.

TO GIVE EFFICIENCY FIRST CONSIDERATION

In Connection With Doing Away With the Faculties of Education.

Toronto, May 19.- Among the bills introduced in the Legislature yesterday afternoon was one by Hon. Col. Carmichael to amend the Hydro Power Commission Act. The legislation is to make it easier to deal with rural municipalities and to conduct a

The Hydro bill also provides for the setting aside by the Lieut.-Governor in Council of moneys that can be used where certain important work has to be gone on with that CORN VALUES BREAK could not now be provided under the

Col. Carmichael also moved an amendment to the Assessment Act. which was to make quite clear that pensions awarded to widows and dependents of the naval and military forces are free from taxation.

Hon. R. H. Grant, Minister of Education, in explaining the decision of his department to do away with the the efficiency of the training to be ceive first consideration and the mo-

MAKE PROVINCE PAY.

netary saving second.

For Any Difference in Prices For the

Port Arthur, May 19 .- Port Arthur people are becoming greatly worried over the power question. in his report to Hon. S. C. Nixon, They have notified the Drury Govprovincial secretary, completely ex- ernment that if the Great Lakes Paonerates the superintendent and staff per Co., are relieved of their obligaof the Ontario Hospital of London for | tion to take power splely from the the Insane of every charge against Hydro plant at Nepigon the town of them. Harry Lowden entered a long Port Arthur will hold the province list of complaints, including theft, liable for any additional cost of pocruelty to patients and general mal- wer to Port Arthur because of the portion of a week, \$5; for contagious administration. Judge Macbeth fail- increased cost the residents would ed to find any ground for the charges. have to pay should the company not take the Hydro. It is claimed here that if the Government cannot com-(Canadian Press Despatch)

Vancouver, B.C., May 19.—A numreement then the province must ber of children suffering from malnu- stand the loss till enough power is trition at various public schools here | taken to bring the price back to what are to be given a pint of milk daily. It would be if the company used the

WOMEN MUST STILL OBEY

Defeated in Britain. antity of sugar to be laid + affairs of the Siberian republic, at in the marriage service. The Lower House of Convocation yesterday de-Large and important dredging op- feated a motion by the Dean of Canother through life."

New French Epidemic

Paris, May 19 .- France is suffering from a peculiar affliction, and the authorities, as well as medical men and social economists, are much concerned about it.

is sweeping over the country,"

man power was so greatly reduced by the war, desires that many more boy babies than girls should come into her

LARGE BUSH FIRES

One Raging in Cavendish who made a mysterious disappear-Township-Woods Dry as Tinder.

Peterboro, May 19 .- Serious bush res have broken out in the North to statements from an authoritative country, and to-day, as a result, a pall of smoke hung over Peterboro. The wooded cattle ranch of 400 acres belonging to J. G. Jopling and Sons. ments for inclusion in the new treaty on the 16th Concession, of Smith Township, caught fire on Saturday. Last night the fire died down after making a clean sweep of the bush. T-day, it is a smoking, blackened area and the atmosphere for miles around is charged with dust and smoke. Thirty-five head of cattle belonging to the ranch have not been located. Another large bush fire is raging in Cavendish, and also between Buckhorn and Burleigh, Carelessness is said to be the cause. Rain

> of the dry weather. INVALID AT BEST

of Sweetheart Nor Mother.

ally supposed to have been, said Prof. Victory loan bonds in his safety box. Frederick Chamberlain, the histor-

pitted with smallpox before she was forthcoming. 30. She had the instincts of neither a sweetheart nor a mother."

ON CHICAGO MARKET trips he visited New York.

Dearth of Buyers Follow Financial Strain.

Chicago, May 19.—Sensational breaks in the value of corn took place yesterday. There was a general rush to sell, and a dearth of buyers. Faculties of Education, stated that July delivery in which trading was heaviest underwent an extreme fatt received by the teachers would re- of 7% cents a bushel, compared with Monday's close. Indications of financial strain, together with talk of drastic measures to end the widespread railway congestion were the chief reasons ascribed.

> Winnipeg Nurses Increase Fees. "(Canadian Press Despatch)
> Winnipeg, Man., May 19.—Inreases in nurses' fees ranging up to \$1 a day, effective immediately, were announced by the nurses' registry. The new rates are : general and bstetrical nursing, \$5 a day, for the first day or less (except hourly nursing), and at the same rate for any

\$5, and twenty-four hour duty, \$6; for mental and alcoholic cases, \$6 la day. Burning As a Punishment. (Canadian Press Despatch) bor's house, not to steal, John Conlin, railway board at Chicago. of Drumheller, severely burned the

boy's hands by putting them palm

Editor of Town Topics Dies. portion of extensive government erations at harbors on the great lakes are being delayed by inability of contracting tractors to obtain coal to move their pair "to love, comfort and help each a motion by the Dean of Canada would be tractors to obtain coal to move their pair "to love, comfort and help each at the age of eighty-one years, sufcumbing to an attack of influenza. | demnities to be paid by Germany.

**Experts Do Not Like** 

"An epidemic of girl babies as a certain magistrate put it.

Naturally, France, whose

Said to Have Been Abstracted From Theatre Manager's Safety Deposit Vault — Toronto Police Believe Small is Murdered.

IN PETERBORO COUNTY former secretary of Ambrose Small, Toronto millionaire theatrical man, ance several months ago, is now be-

ing sought by the police on a warrant charging him with theft of between \$100,000 and \$150,000 worth of Victory bonds. When the police vault, recently, the bonds and other papers were found to be missing. and was sworn to by Percy Small, a half-brother of Ambrose Small. Percy Opera House, and, following several aquiries made by the police, Small was asked to leave his work, and was taken to Col. Grasett's office in the

After being questioned by the chief and Inspector of Detective Guthrie the warrant of theft was made out is badly needed in this district. The and Small was asked to take the woods are dry as tinder as a result oath. It is rumored that more than ported one warrant was taken out, which points to show others are being look-

HIGHER COST OF FOOD.

Level in England. London, May 19 .- The cost of food

up to May 1st had risen to 146 per cent, above the pre-war level, and there is a prospect of its going still higher, says Hon. C. A. McCurdy, Minister of Foods, in an official

higher than in the United States.

The Labor Gazette estimates that

the cost of living, including food,

No More Public Cremations.

AGAINST HIM OF THEFT OF

\$100,000 OF BONDS.

of the bodies of their dead.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

statement.

ed for in the case. Doughty was the only man having ac- gross packs. cess to the vault. The bonds were Instincts Neither bearer bonds, and the exact amount of them, which are said to have been placed in the vault before Mr. Small was missed, is not known. The po-London, May 19.—Queen Eliza- lice have been told that Mr. Small re- cents a gallon; non sparkling wines, beth was by no means the strong, vi- marked that he had placed between gorous, healthy woman she is gener- \$100,000 and \$150,000 of the last

The police are now more inclined ian, in a lecture at the Royal Insti- to work on the murder theory than the one that Mr. Small had been "She was at best an intermittent kidnapped and was being held for a invalid, subject to swoons and hyste- ransom. Extensive inquiries have rical fits. I base this statement on been made concerning the latter supauthentic medical records. She was position but no new light has been

During the last ten days Detective ous coal, or to goods imported. Mitchell, who is handling the case, has made trips out of the city conwas learned that on two of his last notes.

Chief Grasett has authority to is-General Rush to Sell and sue a warrant under an appointment or fractional part thereof. made by the Dominion government during the war, under the war measures act. It is very seldom the chief issues a warrant, it being customary for a justice of the peace to issue them. The reason for the procedure in the Small affair was to try and keep the news from the press. As yet as far as can be learned, the warrants have not been registered in the usual way and are being held for execution by Inspector Guthrie and Detective Mitchell.

NEWS IN BULLETIN.

The British Government has decided to crush the terror in Ireland if it takes every weapon in the state's

The finance minister announced yesterday that public sittings will be held with a view to a reduction in isolated cases only, twelve hour duty,

Sales and luxury tax and tax on wines will begin Wednesday the

The demands of the U.S. railway-Calgary, Alta., May 19 .- In order men will more than likely be granted. to teach his eleven-year-old son, who but the public will pay the bill in inhad stolen a quarter from a neigh- creased rates, is the judgment of the

The situation on the hydro canal downwards on the hot stove and then at Niagara Falls is becoming serious, reversing the process. Conlin was and by the end of the week it is exsentenced to three month's imprison- pected all work on the canal will be

## Has Risch 146 P.C. Above Pre-War DRAYTON PLACES TAX ON ALMOST EVERYTHING

Mr. McCurdy, however, points out Clothing, Shoes, Candy, Liquor, and All Things that the price of food in England is Considered Luxuries Are Hit by the Budgetstill lower than in France, Italy and Sweden, and says it is not much Bigger Income Tax—Business Profits Tax Reduced.

clothing, fuel, light and rents, is now 141 per cent. over that before the get speech delivered by Sir Henry Vancouver, B.C., May 19 .- There will be no more open-air public crelocal cemetery here. The city has taxes supplemented by a considerable notified local Hindu societies that in number of new ones calculated to affuture they must use the crematorium in the cemetery for the disposal fect every pocket.

The following is a summary of the taxation proposals submitted by the tialy raised. A further general addi-Minister of Finance:

total purchase price in boots and up to be effective this year. and on hats, hose, neckwear, shirts, ment in full is required within six he Doughty is Wanted on a Very Grave purses and gloves costing above certain specified figures, as well as means of three equal bi-monthly inon some other apparel; all fans, stalments. Heavy penalities are proopera cloaks, ivory-handled cutlery, cut glass, velvet and silk fabrics, lace, ribbons, silk embroideries, and sporting goods. Also on trunks over \$40 each, and valises, suitcases, etc., over This tax to be paid by the pur-

chaser to the vendor at time of sale.

Tax on Things of Pleasure. Ten per cent on pleasure boats, yachts, canoes, and motor boats, cameras, candy and confectionery, chewing gum, firearms, shells or Toronto, May 19 .- John Doughty, cartridges, planes, organs, musical instruments and plated ware adapted on capital will be 60 per cent.

for household use.

over \$2.50; humidors and other is in effect this year, and the modifiequipment for smokers, hunting, ed tax will apply to 1920 profits taxopened Mr. Small's safety deposit shooting and riding garments; fancy able in 1921. pocket knives, gold, silver, ebony, and ivory toflet ware, jewellery, ar-The warrant for Doughty's arrest ticles of silver adapted for household

time of purchase. Twenty per cent on mechanical now entirely removed. player pianos, gramophones and mechanical musical instruments and refor household use.

Latter two taxes payable at time of

cards selling at wholesale rates not the Mother Country; prevention of over \$25 per gross packs, and 50 abuse of tariff for exploitation of the Outside of 'Mr. Small himself, cents a pack on cards above \$25 per consumer, and safeguarding the in-

> Wines and Liquor. Beer, wines and spirits-Increase in excise duties on beer of thirty

30 cents a gallon; spirits, \$2 a gal- tain's policy with reference to world

increased from 10 to 15 per cent. (not retailers). This tax not to apply son. to large list of essential foodstuffs. cattle foods, anthracite or bitumin-Stamp duties Existing tax on

cheques continued, but rate increased cerning the kidnapping story, and it on bills of exchange and promissory Two cents for bills of \$100 or less,

and 2 cents for each additional \$100 Stamp duties-Patent medicines.

Ottawa, May 19 .- The concluding etc, henceforth to be affixed by maand most interesting part of the bud- nufacturer or importer instead of re-

tailer as now. Film tax of 15 cents a film for Drayton yesterday afternoon were each day used abolished because of the proposals of the Government in inequality of incidence as between respect to taxation, involving, as they small and large theatres. All the mations of deceased Hindus in the do, a perpetuation of the existing above taxes are effective from tomorrow, May 19.

Income Tax. Income tax-By last year's legislation income taxes payable this year on 1919 income were very substantion to these taxes of 5 per cent is Luxury taxes-Ten per cent. of the now added to incomes of \$5,000 and

shoes costing over \$9 a pair; men's In future, income tax returns must and boys' suits costing over \$45 be accompanied by a cheque for at each; men's and women's costing least 25 per cent. or the whole of the over \$50 each; fur coats and robes amount estimated to be payable. If over \$100 each; women's dresses paid in instalments, interest at six over \$45; women's suits over \$60; per cent is to be charged, and paymonths after return is made by

vided for incorrect returns. Business profits tax-Present tax is modified by increasing the exemption allowed, from 7 to 10 per cent. and changing the schedule of taxation to the following:

On profits in excess of 10 per cent. on capital but not exceeding 15 per cent.; tax will be 20 per cent.

On profits in excess of 15 per cent on capital but not exceeding 20 per cent. tax will be 30 per cent. On profits in excess of 20 per cent., on capital but not exceeding 30 per cent. tax will be 50 per cent. On profits in excess of 30 per cent.

For small businesses with capital This tax, payable at the time of of not less than \$25,000 and under sale by Canadian manufacturer or \$50,000, 20 per cent. of all profits exceeding 10 per cent. will be taxed Twenty per cent. of total purchase instead of 25 per cent., as at present, price on such articles as cigar and Under legislation of last session, cigarette holders and pipes costing the maximum scale of business tax

Tariff Changes. 7 1/2 per cent. war customs duty is was issued by Chief of Police Grasett, or office use, fur wearing apparel taken off all remaining items. Last (except as mentioned above,) liver- year the 5 per cent. British preferenies, Oriental rugs, expensive carpets tial war tax was entirely removed, as Small is still employed in the Grand and curtains, and chandeliers. This well as the 7 1/2 on food, clothing, agtax payable by the purchaser at ricultural implements, etc. The war customs duties imposed in 1915 are

> The Minister concluded with forecast of the Government's general Fifty per cent on articles of gold tariff policy. It provides for full inquiry into tariff looking to revision. production of adequate revenues, stasale by manufacturer or when im- bilization of legitimate industries, developments of natural resources, Playing cards, 25 cents a pack on promotion and increase of trade with terest of the Canadian people.

Lower tariff on agricultural machinery was foreshadowed.

Control Over Oil Resources. Washington, May 19.-Great Brilon, and on sparkling wines, \$3 a gal- petroleum supplies is reported to be to exclude aliens from the control of Motor cars.—Excise tax on Cana- petroleum supplies within the emdian manufactured and imported cars pire, and to endeavor to obtain some measure of control over all proper-Sales tax-One per cent on the ties in foreign countries, the senate sales on all manufacturers, whole- was informed in a state department sale dealers, jobbers or importers report transmitted by President Wil-

Wireless for Fire Protection. (Canadian Press Despatch) Vancouver, B.C., May 18 .- The British Columbia forestry branch has closed a contract with the Marconi Wireless company of Canada for installation of four wireless telephone land stations and five launch equipments for use in forestry fire pro-



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