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FLOUR DROPS \$2 A BARREL

Corn, Hogs, Cattle, Sheep, Steel And Other Goods Are Cheaper.

Chicago, Sept. 25 .- Flour fell into step with the general decline in prices yesterday with a drop of \$2 a barrel. This follows the decrease in the price of wheat, which declined 11 cents on December and 12 1/2 cents in March . This is a drop of 17 1/2 cents and 22 1/2 cents in a week, and 27 to 31 cents in the last month.

All Chicago mail order houses announce reductions of 10 to 30 per cent. from their July prices, covering a wide range of goods. The largest of these houses states it has already refunded five million in the difference between the July catalogue prices and reductions that have been made since then.

Corn, hogs, cattle and sheep are all lower. There are reports in steel trade circles that buyers are obtaining concessions over prices prevailing a few weeks ago that there is less difficulty in getting quick de-

CANADA WILL HAVE A BRITISH SERVICE

The Head of Reuter's Tells of Plans for Empire News.

Ottawa, Sept. 25 .- That Canada is to have an all British service, to be established shortly by Reuter's, for distribution of Empire news to the Canadian newspapers, was the announcement made here by Sir Roderick Jones, head of Reuter's. Sir Roderick, as head of this famous news gathering and distribution agency, was a delegate to the Empire

Press Conference. Plans for the carrying out of this project are still in their infancy but ar Roderick Jones stated that he was determined to see a British news agency established in Canada. His views on the subject are fixed and it is only a matter of arranging with Canadian newspaper proprietors as to details and methods to be adopted. Definite details will be announced before Sir Roderick leaves Canada.

The service is to be distributed by a branch of Reuter's in Canada, and not by any of the existing news agencies. This was made quite clear by Sir Roderick as the only condition on which his service would be supplied to Canadian newspapers. He stated that he had interviewed many of the leading newspaper men in Canada and had found them in accord with his plan

point of view," he stated That there are fifty or more ways also returned on the Empress. of telling the same story, any of which may be trutaful but colored Answers Accident Call to suit the requirements of newspapers, and that a London correspondent of an American news service would be failing in his duty if he did not send his news in such a way that it suited the people who were to read it, was the chief reason for the establishment of an all-British news service in Canada, sald Sir Roderick.

200 JEWS KILLED BY THE UKRAINIANS

10,000 New Refugees Are Reported to Have Now Reached Kiev.

London, Sept. 25 .-- More than 200 Jews were killed in the Galician pogroms instituted by the Ukrainians, according to the latest reports receivel in Kovov, says a descatch from that city.

A Kiev correspondent for the Daily Herald, describing recent pogroms in predicts that if nothing is done to re- about six years." lieve them they will be worse off than the refugees of last winter, who Former Montreal Banker died at an average of 100 a day.

Praises System of Registering Graves

Guthrie, who attended a conference Westmount. of graves registration here, left today to attend the International Fin- Survivor of Central ancial Congress under the auspices of the League of Nations, "The report that I am here to get ideas for the reorganization of the Canadian militia and defence system is untrue," he continued.

WOEFULLY INEFFICIENT

Hundred Years of Accumulated Neg- joined Walker's party in Lower Cali- known names in Canadian marine ligence at Washington, New York, Sept. 25 .- Herbert Hoover, testifying before the United States Senate committee on rocon-

struction, now in session here, detors should do was to reconstruct 1921, as the day on which polling enia will cost £360,000. departments of the Washington gov- will take place ir the Yukon Terri-

"The departments there are woe- Act provisions, on the question of im- Backus interests and the town fully inefficient as the result of a portation of liquor. Robert Craig, of Kenora in regard to the English steamer Dryden, from which he was zione, occupied the premises and de- giving their apples away to anyone life by hanging to a scantling in the

MORE BOSTON BANKS HAVE BEEN CLOSED

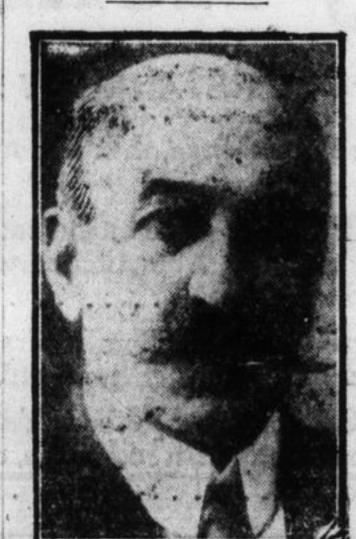
Boston, Sept. 25 .- The Cosmopolitan Trust Company of this city, with savings and banking department and agencies abroad, was closed by Bank Commissioner Allen this morning. The Cosm-politan is the fifth bank here to be closed in the past five weeks. The Prudential Trust Company was closed later as were two smaller private banks.

PRICE CUTTING WAVE

Many Believe it is the Beginning of a General Reduction.

New York, Sept. 25 .- Reports from all over the country indicate the price-cutting movement is bankers, merchants, manufacturers factor in inducing the influx of in- the electors to concentrate on a great lieve there will be a gradual recesindustry, the surest sign that war of some 275 millions invested in the turn of the Government candidate. "There are apt to be considerable made by large concerns that prices 80 per cent. or thereabouts is Amerion their products will be cut

It is interesting to note in connection with the price-slashing move ment that wages will not be affected. materials at reduced figures.



NEW FRENCH PREMIER. dre Millerand as Premier of France. n Milerand's succession to the

Canadian Sailors Man New Cruisers

London, Sept. 25 .- The hundred Sir Roderick was extremely care- sailors from Canada who have been ful to point out the fact that he in sent over to man the light cruiser no way wished to belittle or im- Eurora and the two torpedo boats peach the reliability or good jour- the Imperial haval authorities are nalism of the present services being presenting to the Dominion were an supplied Canadian newspapers. interesting sight to the people in "These services are provided for con. Liverpool when they arrived on the sumption by the people of the United liner Empress of Britain. The dele-States and the American point of gates to the Imperial Press Conferview is not a Canadian or British ence held in Ottawa, and who made a coast to coast tour of the Dominion.

and Finds Father Dying

New York, Sept. 25 .- When Chas. Robbins, a young Newark, N.J. policeman, answered an automobile accident call on his beat early today he found his father dying and his mother seriously hurt. Robbins called an ambulance. The father died in his son's arms en route to a hospital. His parents were struck by an automobile while crossing the street to their hime.

PROHIBITION "MENACE"

New York Merchant Driven Out of United States.

Newport, R.I., Sept. 25 .- "I am driven out of the United States by prohibition," declared A. L. Audrain, duction of war materials, and has senior member of A. J. Audrain and made possible a gradual adjustment Company, art dealers, of New York, who yesterday sold his summer residence here which he has occupied for fourteen years. He will leave for Paris to reside. He will return, he the Ukraine, declares that 10,000 says, "when the American people renew refugees have reached Klev, and gain common sense, which will be in

Dies in His 96th Year

Kirby,, a well-known banker here merce, Sir Allan Aylesworth said the corn crop in that State. for many years, though retired for a that it had to be admitted the French | Exports of the bureau of Entomo- exports have shown more than 9,000, considerable time, died yesterday at habitants were subjects who were in logy, the department announced, are 000,000 francs increase. London, Sept. 25 .- "The graves his residence, 4471 Western avenue, every sense as truly loyal to the Em- concerned over the appearance of the registration system in Europe for fal- Westmount, in his ninety-sixth year. pire as any who could be found in corn pest in Canada, as certain sec- terials for construction and the exlen heroes is excellent," says Hon. He was for some time manager of the Ontario. It was to be regretted, he tions of New York, Massachusetts, ports were large manufactured arti-Hugh Guthrie, Canadian Minister of Merchants Bank in Ottawa. He is said, that closer harmony did not pre New Hampshire and Pennsylvania al- cles. Militia and Defence. "There is every survived by a son, Walter Kirby, of vail, between the two provinces, as ready have been quarantined to keep facility for helping Canadian rela- Winnipeg, and two daughters, Mrs. the whole allegiance of the French- the insect from making its way to

New York, Sept. 25.-Jeremiah John Andreas, one of the last sur- nounced today by R. W. Redford, previvors of the Walker filbustering ex- sident of the Robert Redford Co. peditions in Central America, died agents for the Ancher-Donaldson yesterd. at the age of 88. Of re- Line, that two huge ocean liners cent years he had made his home at now being built on the Clyde, and 429 Third street, Brooklyn. He which are to perpetuate the well-

tral America, and settled there.

MORE CAPITAL FROM BRITAIN

Is Wanted in Canada But the Exchange Rate is the Obstacle.

Ottawa, Sept. 25 .- That American capital is coming into Canada at the rate of two hundred millions a year is an opinion entertained in official REPORTED SPREADING circles here in the light of information secured. The money is not being applied to industry alone, though much of it goes there, but as well to Canadian securities, federal, provincial, municipal and railway. The fact that ninety dollars of United States money is the equivalent of assuming large proportions. While one hundred of Canadian is a big keenly fought. The Premier urges price-slash by Henry Ford. "I be-

ing that prices have passed the peak According to a statement submit- forces of unreason and disorder in dition will not be reached for several and the descent is evident in every ted to a recent gathering here, out the country and thus secure the re- years. prices are a thing of the past is em- Canadian pulp and paper industry bodied in the announcements being now in process of great expansion, can. Efforts are being made to induce British capital to become interested in this indusctry, but the manufacturers declaring that they great obstacle is not the unwilling will make an effort to purchase raw attitude of the British investor, but the adverse existing exchange condi-

Capital Awaits Investment. investors, according to J. A. Robb, labor faction. M.P. for Huntingdon, Que., who has

A BREAK OCCURS IN PRICE OF WHEAT

returned from a trip to Britain.

It Drops Twelve Cents a Bushel In Chicago on Friday.

Chicago, Sept. 25 .- Big breaks in the price of wheat took place yesterday, largely as a result of agitation for a general cut in food cost. The smash of values in wheat amounted to as much as 12% cents a bushel. and the market closed in a semi-George Leygues, who succeeds Alex- demoralized condition. December delivery at 225 to 225 1/2 and March 215 to 216.

Heretofore, wheat has been advancing despite setbacks in the price of other grain. The chief reason ascribed for such strength was huge sales of wheat for export to Europe, Yesterday, however, the stimulus of export business appeared to have lost its influence, and especially near the end of the day the wheat market tumbled wildly down-

In sympathy with the weakness of wheat, other grain markets also gave way, and both corn and oats fell to To Longwy to Kneel at Grave of His the lowest price levels yet for the 1920 crop.

ENGLAND FAR ON ROAD

Economic Position. New York, Sept. 25 .- Great Bri- Marshal Foch, tain has been extremely liberal with Accompanied by a single aide-devis, trust officer of the Liberty Na- about one o'clock and enter a huge. tional Bank, who has just returned grey military automobile. ditions abroad. "The English did not in Poland," everyone said who noted he said, "but let many of them run night." tion of the losses attending the slow- spare the time to travel by day. ing down of high speed quantity proof labor distribution.

"England is far on the road to the recovery of her former high econo- U. S. Department of Agricul-

LOYAL TO EMPIRE

tives to visit the graves." Hon. Mr. MacBuff, and Mrs. McCombe, both of Canadian was for the British Empire. | the corn belt.

TWO NEW LINERS.

American Raid Dies Athenia and Letitia, Costing \$3,500.

Montreal, Sept. 25 .-- It was ar fornia, followed his leader to Cen- history of Athenia and Letitia, lost YUKON VOTE NEXT JULY. | was learned this morning that the | States police, on suspicion that he Ottawa, Sept. 25 .- A proclamation old Letitia cost £120,000 to build, was Eugene Leroy, wanted in the

ling Officer for taking of this vote. Led by the Ontario Government.

RESTAURANT PRICES 20 P.C. LOWER

SATURDAY, SEPT. 25, 1920.

KINGSTON, ONTARIO,

Kitchener, Sept. 25. - The Colonial Restaurant, a new eating house, which has just opened up for business, features its bill of fare with meals at twenty per cent, reduction over prevailing prices in the half dozen others in the city, thereby bringing the H.C.L. down a peg.

LABOR EXTREMISTS MENACE BRITAIN

Lloyd George Urges liford Electorate to "Attack Forces of Disorder."

London, Sept. 25 .- Premier Lloyd George and Rt. Hon. A. Bonar Law, Government leader in the House of Commons, have written supporting made in two or three quarters are date in the bye-election in Ilford, a present time," he said, during a con-The Premier also states that if the extremists in the ranks of the labor party were to get their way the solid attainments of a generation would be lost in a night. He says that the British democracy has everything to lose and nothing to gain by the abandonment of constitutional meth-

The Government, free Liberals and labor are all represented in the fight. Major J. W. H. Thompson is the Liberal candidate and Joseph King Ottawa, Sept. 25 .- There are hun- the nominee of labor. The seat bedreds of thousands of pounds of came vacant on the death of Sir Peter British capital being held awaiting Griggs, M.P. Both Major Thompson favorable opportunities for invest- and Mr. King have represented Somment in Canada, and these funds will erset seats in the House as Liberals. be sent across the Atlantic as soon Mr. King, who became noted for his as the exchange prob-em has righted eccentricities in the House of Comitself sufficiently to appeal to British mons, left that party to join the

Sugar Again To Drop

Montreal, Sept. 25 .- It was learned here yesterday in wholesale sugar circles that all Canadian sugar refineries will announce on Monday substantial reductions in all grades of refined sugar. The drop in price that is being planned will. it is understood, consist of the reduction of one cent per pound on granulated and all other grades of refined sugar. It is learned that this reduction is not the result of concerted action on the part of sugar refiners as was the case when the last drop was made, but is due to independent action instituted by one refiner.

FOCH'S MIDNIGHT DRIVE

Metz, Sept. 12. (By Mail) .- Shortly after midnight the banquet of wel- be discussed. come given here to the Knights of Columbus, at which Marshal Foch was the principal speaker, came to To Recovery of Her Former High an end and the tired knights and ot-

IN ONTARIO CROP

ture to Bar Its Entry to States.

Sir Allan Aylesworth Praises the of the European corn borer in the francs, compared with the same pervicinity of St. Thomas, has caused the | iod in 1919. Toronto, Sept. 25.—At a dinner department of agriculture to send a Imports during the last year were given by the Grand Lodge of Cana- staff of entomologists to Michigan to about 16,000,000,000 francs over ex- Programme Adopted by Catholic da to the Masons attending the ninth confer with local agricultural inter- ports. For the same eight months

The corn borer in Canada is far- man, has accomplished nearly everyther west than heretofore reported on thing possible in golf, was happy at this continent, the department's an- Boston last week, in realization of against the letters published in Le nouncement said, and the corn affect- the ambition of all golfers. He holed Devoir, by Mgr. Ross, of Rimouski, ed is of the Flint variety, which in out in one. Playing on the links of was also left on the table for the New England and New York has ap- the Commonwealth Country Club, he next meeting. peared to be especially susceptible of drove off with a midiron from the injury by the borer.

Canadian Held in Uruguay Secures His Release

Montevideo, Uruguay, Sept. 25 .- out in a single stroke. Morris Fox, a Canadian citizen, who during the war, will be available for | had been held in jail here for some the Montreal run next season. It time at the request of the United Newspaper Plant Seized Uruguayan authorities.

PRICE DROPS TO BE GRADUAL

May Be Several Years Before Period of Stable Costs Is Reached.

Washington, Sept. 25 .- A period of stable costs is not expected for several years. Secretary of the Treasury Houston declared yesterday afternoon. The secretary also said that he would not venture to predict that the pre-war level of prices would be repeated.

"Such cuts in prices as have been Frederick Wise, the Coalition candi- significant of the tendency of the suburb of London, which is being versation which alluded to the recent and overwhelming attack on the sion in prices but that a stable con-

fluctuations up and down, but I would not venture to say that the pre-war level will ever be reached." Although there should be decided

reductions in several governmental departments, the secretary believes that high taxation will continue for a considerable period. He said that estimates for the government appropriations were now being prepared. bue he could not forecast whether he to enforce the liquor laws under the would be able to recommend any drastic reduction in taxation.

government are increasing, but there should be considerable saving in ap- MCNEAL IS PREPARED propriations for the war department and the railroad administration." The suggestion was made to the

secretary that an increase in customs duties might aid very much in producing more revenue, and also in protecting American industry. "If Europe is to pay her debts,

to receive imports from the Eurobe paid for."

PRANCE AND SPAIN

May Be Brought Into Closer Relationship. Madrid, Sept. 25 .- Extensive efand officially in Spain to bring closer together the relations France and this country. Large numbers of Spanish-French committees have been formed principally in the big cities with this object in view. A further step in this direction has just been taken by the organization of a the societies and committees in Spain and France working towards a better understanding meet this month to exchange ideas. Three hundred and labor in Australia has proved to be

SOUTH AFRICAN TRADE

ase Over Last Year. her war contractors, said Donald Da- camp, he was seen to leave the hotel trade returns of the Union of South and added that there was a general Africa for the first quarter of 1920 show an enormous increase over the because of this condition. from extensive investigations of con- "Situation must be getting worse foreign trade of the corresponding quarter of 1919. Imports increased shut down immediately after the ar- the departure of the marshal, "or else by well over 4,000,000 pounds sterimistice on further war contracts," he should not travel to Paris by ing and exports by nearly 9,000,000 Will Not Strike in Sympathy With pounds sterling, exclusive of raw their course. Today she is still re- Few knew that Marshal Foch was gold. The total value of imports was comes out of the taxpayer, but it war. But Foch had to be back in of wool which amounted to 8,191,- bor, this afternoon. makes for a more equitable distribu- Paris the next day and could not 445 pounds sterling, Exports of wool were 10,839,107 pounds sterling, and for the first time on record, surpassed in value the raw gold exported.

France is Importing **Much Raw Material**

Paris, Sept. 25 .- The adverse foreign trade balance of France during the last eight months shows a de-Washington, Sept. 25 .- Discovery crease of more than 5,845,000,000

Montreal, Sept. 25, - Thomas congress of the Chambers of Com- ests to forestall possible infection of this year imports were 10.000,000,-

Holed Out in One. Francis Ouimet, who as boy and

third tee, with the hole 243 yards away. The lay is slightly down hill. Giving Apples to Any The ball sped true, rolled to the flag stick and dropped into the cup. It was the first time he had holed

newspaper themselves.

PRINCE OF WALES AS IRISH KING

Dublin, Sept. 25 .- At a meeting of the Wexford magistrates a resolution was introduced by Col. A. L. Bryan to repeal the union with Britain and give the Prince of Wales the crown for Ireland as the best means of uniting Ireland and realizing the Irish national aspiration. The resolution was defeated.

STOP RUM-RUNNING AT BOUNDARY LINE

United States and Dominion Officials to Co-operate

In the West.

Fargo, N.D., Sept. 25.—Establishment of a line of prohibition enforceent agents along the Canadian boundary and a system of close communication between officers of the Dominion and United States is expected to follow a meeting of prohibition agents, sheriffs and prosecuting attorneys from several North Dakota and Minnesota counties held today at Grand Forks. A list of 40 automobiles known to be in the hands of day by a high authority, that one professional whiskey runners now in Canada or near the border, for the purpose of bringing liquor back into the United States, was before the

conference, Fargo, officials declared. Perry C. Darby, a Fargo officer, stated that Royal Canadian Police officials and prohibition officers of the Dominion were present at the conference and declared more rigid action would be taken from now on provisions of the Canadian Temperance regulations. The officers are "I cannot say he asserted, whether said to have declared that agents there will be any reduction in taxa- have the right to shoot on cars retion next year. The expenses of the fusing to obey the command to stop.

But Crown Attorney Assures Her She Was Well and Truly Married.

One Cent a Pound she must be able to ship her pro-ducts to the United States, he re-and jail awaiting trial on a charge any hope of reaching a settlement Niagara Falls, Ont., Sept. 25 .plied. "It will not do to put the of murdering four-year-old Margaret of the Irish question, the government tariff up too high. We must continue Boucock in July, prepared to re- cannot be indifferent to the way in marry his own wife yesterday. Mrs. which lawlessness is affecting the pean nations if our exports are to McNeal, accompanied by a clergyman forces of the Crown. It cannot stand lowed to accept her husband again diers and police is undermined by for better or worse. When originally sporadic bursts of violence and to married to McNeal in 1916, so she suppose that it could be a party to declared, he had not used his full them would be to assume that it had name, which is said to be David Mc- embarked on a course of administra-Neal Walls. For that reason she fear- tive suicide. ed that the marriage was invalid. forts are being made both privately Crown Attorney Cowper assured her that she was well and truly married CUBAN PLANTER WINS and there was no necessity for a repetition of the ceremony. The clergyman left without his fee.

AUSTRALIAN FAILURE

congress in San Sebastian, where all Winnipeg Laborite Condemns Regulation of Hours.

Atlantic City, Sept. 25 .- "Govern mental regulations of the hours for fifty delegates will attend, coming a rank failure," according to Edward chiefly from the cities of Madrid, Parnell, Winnipeg, talking on the la-Paris, Bordeaux, Toulouse and San bor situation in Australia, before the Sebastian. The most practical method | convention of the American Associaof bringing about the exchange of tion of the Baking Industry here. He ideas between the two countries will declared that the unions there took advantage of the situation, the "time took away the encouragement of the man "who wanted to get along and her guests hurried to bed. Not so The Keturns Show Enormous Incre- improve himself". It would be dangerous for similar regulations to ob-Cape Town, Sept. 25 .- The official tain on this continent," he declared slow-up in production in Australia.

CANADIAN MINERS QUIET

British Workers. ceiving a large amount of war ma- making a sad pilgrimage to Longwy, 20,104,506 pounds sterling, and of no danger that Canadian coal minterials, especially aircraft, which there to kneel upon the grave of his experts, 29,038,334 pounds sterling, ers will strike in sympathy with a were contracted for during the war son killed in action during an en- including raw gold, which amounted miners' strike in Great Britain, said period. This, of course, eventually gagement in the early days of the to 8,191,455 pounds sterling, Exports | Senator Robertson, Minister of La-

> never permit Canadian miners to go out in sympathy with the British miners, though they might agree to allow the miners to refuse to mine coal for export to Great Britain-coal which would be used to ease the situation there," he said.

"However, as Canada is exporting no coal practically to England, this would have little effect upon Canadian industry."

TEACHING OF ENGLISH

Committee. Quebec, Sept. 25 .- The Catholic Committee of the Council of Public Instruction at the last sitting adopt-

ed the programme for the teaching Most of the imports were raw ma- of English in Catholic schools A memorial presented on behalf of "L'Action Francaise," of Montreal was left on the table to be considered at the next meeting. It concerns the teaching of English and general

teaching in primary schools A protest received from former pupils of Christian Brothers' schools

Who Will Pick Them

Parkhill, Sept. 25 .- Farmers are disappointed that the apple evaporator will not be opened this fall on account of the building being con- the Kentucky Jockey Club will offer demaed. There is an unusually a purse of \$75,000 for a race to be By Printers in Italy large crop of apples with few buyers. run in Kentucky this fall between Prices offered are too low to tempt | Man o' War, Sir Barton and Exterclared the first thing, the investiga- gazetted here fixes Monday, July 11, while the new Letitia and the Ath- United States in connection with the Genoa, Sept. 24.—The most orig- many. Forty cents per cwt. for ap- minstor. The distance and the condideath of Mrs. Leroy, whose body was inal of the numerous seizures of ples on the tree and \$1 per cwt. for tions of the race would be determinfound in a trunk in New York, was re plants by workmen occurred Wed- hand-picked winter apples are the ed by the owners of the horses, fory under the Cacadian Temperance The original demands of the leased Wednesday. Fox intends to nesday when the printers of the im- highest-prices offered. Farmers with of return on board the British freight portant Conservative newspaper, Na- large orchards and a heavy crop are William Estey, aged 81, took his them on the trees.

IS BEING MADE

Into Irish Clandestine Warfare -- Probe Morale of Troops And Police.

London, Sept. 25 .- The Govern ment is anxiously concerned about the effect that the condition of the clandestine civil war now prevalent in a large part of Ireland is having on the morale of the troops and come stabulary.

A rigid inquiry is being made into such deplorable incidents as the outbreak of the "Black and Tan" police at Balbriggan and General Sir Neville Macready, commander-in-chief in Ireland, is determined to restore discipline and punish the offenders.

At the same time the authorities are not prepared to accept as true, without adequate proof, every story that is published of military indiscipline. Thus, it was pointed out totype of alleged outrage is frequently reported from different sections. namely, that soldiers or police have driven at high speed through the town firing wildly on all sides in a

wild west fashion. Investigation, it is believed, will prove that such incidents may sometimes be explained by motor engines back-firing, with the result that the noise of the exhaust has been mistaken by excited spectators for rifle shots, while in other cases where actual firing has taken place it can be shown that Sinn Feiners and not the police were responsible.

The government does not attempt to deny that there have been several most serious instances of soldiers or TO REMARRY WIFE police wreaking reprisals on defenseless civilians, and it intends to take stern measures to make a repetition of such incidents impossible, for, as it was pointed out, setting aside for the moment, consideration of the suffering such outbreaks cause to innowent to the jail and asked to be al- idly by while the discipline of the sol-

NEARLY \$9,000,000

Game of Baccarat Earns for Him Name of World's Greatest Gambler.

London, Sept. 25 .- The heaviest baccarat winnings of the century, totaling nearly \$9,000,000, have been gained by Hannibal De Masa, a Cuban sugar planter. His gains have earned for him in Europe the reputation of being the world's greatest gamb-

His extraordinary run of luck started at Deauville, early in August. His gains there were \$700,000 server" winning equally with the 'en- At Aix les Bains, where he gambled ergetic worker' as to wages which with increased stakes and daring out of his Deauville winnings, he increased his winnings by \$2,000,000. At Biarritz he added \$6,000,000 by a

phenomenal string of luck. At each table Masa adopts the unparalleled procedure of declaring "open bank," which usually is declared for one or two special coups. He says that his brain is most clear and that he thinks fastest when gam-

Competition for Jobs: Output is Increasing

ing for big stakes.

Chicago, Sept. 25 .- Labor is now competing for work, reversing the conditions of a year ago, when indus-"The international union would tries were bidding against each other for workers. Output "per man-hour" is increasing, which is always the case when there are more men looking for jobs than jobs looking for men!

> High wage scales for organized abor have been untouched, but increased production by the individual has reduced the labor cost in many commodities. Also, there is closer adherence

to the eight-hour day. This means less overtime at pay and a half or at double wages. All of which is having an effect in cutting the cost of living.

CLAD ONLY IN SHIRT

Faithful Brakeman Put Duty Before Winsted, Conn., Sept. 25 .- When Thomas J. Doyle, of Waterbury, New Haven Railroad brakeman stood at a grade crossing with a lantern in his hand and nothing on but a shirt, a constable promptly arrested him. Later he explained to the court that he was in the capoose changing his rain-soaked clothing and before he could attire himself in his dry suit it became necessary

\$75,000 PURSE OFFERIED

for him-to run to the crossing and

signal the approach of a locomotive.

Kentucky Bids for Race of Three Turi Stars.

J. Matt Winn, manager of the Kentucky Jockey Club, announced that

hundred years of accumulated negil- Dawson, has been appointed Return- river timber limits will not be grant- taken a prisoner last week by the clared that they would manage the who will pick them, or are leaving yard of his home in Fe rville, a subjurb of St. John, N.B.