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INVISIBLE BELTS

## German Foreign Minister Simons Criticizes the Allies Action.

Berlin, Nov. 17 .- The Allied ermies of occupation in Germany are being sustained at strength, which is unnecessary, said Foreign Minister Simons in a speech at Cologne to-day. He contended that the Allied intention in thus keeping forces in a high state of efficiency was not defensive, but offensive. He claimed that the Rhine bridgeheads had been extended, that military baker- + BOLSHEVIKI CONTROL ies capable of turning out four hundred thousand rations daily had been established, new strategic Rhine bridges had been prepared, and Belgian troops, equipped almost + eign office circles reported to + event of the United States refusing

the armies of occupation. Confidential reports that the Poles | + far are concentrating large masses of + said. troops near the frontier of Upper + Silesia, have been received by the German government, says the Lokal Anzeiger. The attention of Great Britain, France and Italy has been called to the situation, the newspaper declares.

# KALADAR MAN

## His Wife's Skeleton Found in bor. Kuins of Burned Home.

Following the finding of a skeleton in the ruins of the home of James Young, a farmer living near Kaladar, James Young was placed under arrest on a nominal charge of vagrancy, according to information received by the Whig from Napanee, on Wednesday afternoon.

Young was placed under arrest by Inspector Stringer, of the provincial police force, who is investigating the The skeleton, it is believed, was that of Young's wife, and it stated that a serious charge may be lodged against Young, who is sixtyfive years of age, and has for some time been a prominent farmer in that district. His home was recently destroyed by fire.

An inquest will be opened at Kaladar to-night. High Constable Samuel Bryan, Camden East, is assisting Provincial inspector Stringer on the

It is stated that the fire which destroyed Young's home took place two

The case has caused quite a sensation in the Kaladar district.

## Rioting is Renewed

Belfast, Nov. 17 .- Renewed riot- Canal. ing broke out in Belfast this morndistrict attacked the unionist quarter deavor to ascertain if the vessel had PUTTING ON LID with stones. They were beaten off by arrived, or was in shelter at any women at the first onset, but return- place. ed using revolvers, and soon were masters of the thoroughfare. An attempt was made to enter Duncairn Presbyterian school, but the doors had been fastened, so the crowd con- The Palace Theatre Destroyed-Were tented itself with smashing the windows, a process which was repeated on many houses along the line of advance. The police finally restored or-

# EX-QUEEN OLGA MAY flames were halted. There were several narrow escapes.

Cabinet-He is Eighty Years Old.

mother, Olga, of Greece, will prob- the pavement below. Efforts were ably assume the regency to-day, it | made to catch her, but she struck the was learned here this morning. The roadway. queen-mother is the widow of the late King George, who was assassi-

nated at Saloniki in 1915. George Rhallis, former premier, has succeeded in forming a cabinet to succeed the Venizelos ment, and the new ministry is to be sworn in to-day. Rhallis, who is Russell Poole, secretary of the couneighty years old, will, besides the premiership, assume the portfolio of and urged to reduce the price of foreign affairs.

There is a large increase in Canada's trade. The total for the seven months ending Oct. 31st is \$252,- city would launch a campaign advis-147,155 more in 1920 than 1919. Dr. O. R. Salter, of Oxford; N.S., trying in his motor car to make a crossing near River Philip ahead of

sioner of the city of Danzig. Rev. J. O. L. Spracklin abandons his holidays and hurries back to help his brother in the rum fight at Wind-

Robert Wiley, Toronto, brakeman on the Hydro freight line, was almost instantly killed at Lundy's Lane.

Thomas Findley retires as general manager of Massey-Harris Co., retaining presidency.

Gen. Wrangel's defeat will not | mine, was still missing. mark the end of the anti-Red fight. | The rescue was affected by 4 British warships in the Black Sea | tunnelling around the fire which + .. to be retired next month.

The C. P. R. subscribe \$250,000 to McGill centennial fund.

#### ACTRESSES DIED FROM EXPOSURE, NOT VIOLENCE

Chicago, Nov. 17 .- Confessions from two men held in connection with the deaths of two actresses, Marie Ramey and Lillian Thompson, found in Grant Park, Sunday morning, have cleared up nearly all the details, the police said today, and have established that the girls died from alcohol and exposure, and without violence. The two men, the confessions declare, left the girls, at their own request, in Grant Park, and it is believed by the police that the girls wandered there until overcome by exposure.

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ORIMEAN PENINSULA + Paris, Nov. 17 .- The Soviet

### REFUSED A DIVORCE TO OHIO CLERGYMAN

main in Position at Small Salary.

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 17 .- In re- | bor stands aside?"

cruelty for trying to support a large cumstances." family on \$93 a month. They have five children.

\$93 a month," the judge said. "You | voked assault." can't support your family on it."

# Of the Randall

It is feared that the steambarge John Randall, well known in this port, has been lost on Lake Ontario, while on her way from Oswego to Belleville, loaded yith coal.

The John Randall cleared from Oswego about noon on Tuesday, about the same time as the steambarge Jeska set out for Kingston. The Jeska arrived in Kingston late

Tuesday night. On Wednesday noon, no word had been received here about the vessel having reached Belleville, with her cargo, and grave fears were entertained for her safety.

The John Randall is commanded by Capt. Harry Randall, son of Capt. John Randall, of the steamer Buena Vista, and resided at Seeley's Bay, He had a crew of four or five, and they lived around Seeley's Bay. The In Belfast, Ireland John Randall has for many years been used on trade on the Rideau

At 3 p.m. Belleville was being ing. Nationalists in new Lodge road communicated with again, in an en-

## A DISASTROUS FIRE

Narrow Escapes.

Belleville, Nov. 17 .- The theatre was destroyed by Tuesday afternoon. It was only by the heroic efforts of Fire Chief Brown and his fire fighters that the

Mrs. A. L. Johnson, who occupies BE GREEK REGENT the front rooms over the Palace, and Mrs. J. W. Small who lives in the rear rooms, had very narrow escapes from smoke. Mrs. Small was able to George Rhallis Forms Greek make her escape down a ladder to the street from the canopy in from of the theatre, but Mrs. Johnson found her way of escape cut off and Athens, Nov. 17 .- The queen- ran out on the canopy, jumping to

The Palace building is owned by Mayor Riggs and is insured for \$10,-000. It was worth about \$15,000.

Advice to Housewives.

·Chicago, Nov. 17 .- Chicago bakers were summoned to the city hall by cil's high cost of living committee. bread from 15 cents for a pound loaf to 10 cents.

Unless the request is complied with, Mr. Poole told the bakers, the ing housewives to resume home baking until the price comes down.

## 4 TEN MINERS RESCUED

◆ Ten miners were rescued early ◆ \$to-day from the burning Arnold 4 mine near here. The bodies of \* five others were recovered. One 4 other person, trapped in the

will observe strict neutrality. The had shut the single entry of the seventy Ontario civil servants are the mine twenty hours after the + flames broke out.

# IS DISCUSSED

## Treaty Only Contingent On Its Being Adopted By

London, Nov. 17 .- The question of the proposed treaty under which Great Britain and the United States undertook to support France in case that country was attacked was broached in the House of Commons yesterday, and gave rise to considerable discussion between Andrew Bonar Law, the government leader. and numerous members concerning Great Britain's position should the United States refuse to come in.

Bonar Law said it would be pre-\* army is in complete possession \* mature to state what action the Brit-+ of the Crimean peninsula, for- + ish government would take in the ready for the march, have been sta- + day. The Bolsheviki have + to ratify the treaty. "Our treaty is tioned in tactical positions behind + counted 40,000 prisoners and + only contingent on its being adopted + the total capture is probably + by the United States. If the United greater, the despatches + States should refuse to adopt it, of course a new situation arises, and we must deal with that situation," said the goveernment leader.

Major-Gen. J. E. B. Seely asked: 'Are we to understand that what seems to be an extraordinary doctrine, that our honorable obligation to protect France against unprovok-Cruelty to Family-To Re- ed attacks-which is obviously all the more binding if a powerful neighbor stands aside-falls to the ground simply because that neigh-

fusing the Rev. Johnson A. Sherwin | Bonar Law replied: "I did not say a divorce from his wife, Lulu Sher- it fails to the ground. I said that win, Judge Phillips yesterday criti- at the time the treaty was made it cized the minister for not quitting was dependent on its adoption both the ministry for more lucrative la- by the United States and this coun-Mrs. Sherwin filed a cross-com- direction of the government must plaint charging her husband with depend on an examination of the cir-

then, that we shall be as ready as "It is extreme cruelty for you to before or even more ready to proremain in a position as minister at tect the French against an unpro-

> Bonar Law answered: "It is really premature to assume that United States will not ratify treaty, and I should be very sorry to say anything which would indicate what we would do in that even-

#### LOOKS ON COMMITTEE AS PREJUDICED

British Embassy's Reply Regarding U.S. Enquiry Into Irish Affairs.

Washington, Nov. 17 .- The British embassy to-day notified the comconditions in Ireland that it did not approve of the purposes to be served or the methods to be followed in the committee's hearings to begin here Pay-roll Robbery to-morrow, and that, therefore, it could not accept the committee's invitation to be represented. The embassy's reply, addressed to Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of the Nation, who appointed the committee. inquiry would be the spread of pro- of a pay-roll robbery. paganda, and that there was nothjudiced in advance.

## IN OLD QUEBEC

Capital.

Quebec, Nov. 17 .- Following severe orders given westerday several places where Quebeckers had been in the habit of finding the hard stuff could not supply the goods this morning, and it is understood that a severe enforcement of the Scott Act in the Ancient Capital will

tions will likely be entered against gram sent the minister by A. F. a number of those who have Healy, a local lawyer. handle them in the next few days. out, it is stated on authority.

## DEATH RATE IS LOW

Per 1,000.

1,000 from the unusually high rate Reeve Chauvin by the wrist, hurtof 1918, resulting from the epidemic ing him considerably, he says, as

1919 was 1,096,436, of which 111,- one of the officers had a gun. 579, or 10.2 per cent., were caused Upon finding out who their priby heart disease, while tuberculosis soners were the inspectors released

68,551.

Appointed Director of Survey.

#### **GREEKS TO VOTE** ON THE RETURN OF CONSTANTINE

KINGSTON, ONTARIO. WEDNESDAY, NOV. 17, 1920.

Athens, Nov. 17 .- There are rumors that it is possible the Greek army, which is supposed to be loyal to former Premier Venizelos, may create a republic of Smyrna in Asia Minor. The present regency of Admiral Condouriotis has been recognized by the opposition.

It is probable the cabinet selected by the leaders of the dominant party in Greece will hold office temporarily until a plebescite is held at which the people will vote upon the return of former King Constantine. It is also believed the opposition will make efforts to determine the views of the outside world relative to the results of the election.

#### HAMMILL SEARCH NOW AT PEMBROKE Missing Ottawa Merchant May Be in That Town's Vicinity.

Ottawa, Nov. 17 .- The scene of managing director of the Murphy-Gamble Company, Ltd., department store here, now missing for five days,

has shifted to Pembroke. Following instructions from Mayor Fisher, police officers motored to Quyon to run down a clue furnished by the postmaster at Luskville, who had stated that a man resembling Mr. Hammill had called at his home the provinces under the agreement on Sunday night, seeking board and of much later date, is to go to the lodging, which could not be given court of last resort-the Privy Counhim, and he had gone on in the direc- cil-for final adjudication.

tion of Quyon. At the same time a detail of mount- CRITICIZES VACANCY ed police were also engaged in intry. If it is not so adopted then the vestigating other reports from this section, but both drew blanks as far as any trace of Mr. Hammill is concerned. It was learned that a man Gen. Seely said: "I understand, who might be Mr. Hammill had been seen in the town of Pembroke, and also on Alumette Island, which lies in the Ottawa river, fronting the

the trail will end there. and the conductor on the train be- but adds: lieves he had a ticket for Waltham. At this village a section man claimed | that, given a genuine and practical to have spoken to him, when Mr. intention on both sides, the league Hammill enquired what direction to will be able to devise with the United GIRLS KIDNAPPED take to get to Pembroke. He is be- States a plan of accommodation lieved to have walked from Waltham | which will remedy one of the worst to Flood's Ferry, and then crossed to causes of weakness in its position Alumette Island, where Paul Des- by bringing into membership the jardins keeps an hotel. The man in greatest of the world's republics, tocharge of the ferry between Pem- gether with two or three minor transmittee of one hundred investigating broke and the Island feels sure that Atlantic states which have copied its the man, if it was Mr. Hammill, did attitude." not cross on the ferry to Pembroke.

## Yields Wedding Fee

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 17 .- It takes capital to get married in 1920, and William Meyers, according to his own confession, obtained the funds declared that the only outcome of the for his marriage through the medium

Meyers is twenty years old. Two ing in the composition of the com- hours after he, with three companmittee to remove from it the idea lons, had held up William Stewart, that it was not impartial or pre- paymaster of the Bemis Drug Company, on September 25th, he and Miss Walk were married at St. Stephen's Church. One of the partners in the hold-up acted as best man.

## Scott Act Will be Rigidly WINDSOR CITIZENS ROUGHLY HANDLED

Head of Cereal Company Declares That Spracklin Handcuffed Him.

The telegram is prompted by the Even beer and wines are to be cut action of two inspectors, Arthur Spracklin, brother of the "fighting parson," and one of the Bell brothers, who held-up and searched a car driven by W. L. Messenger, manahe had a carbuncle upon his arm. The total number of deaths in Mr. Messenger is quite positive that

follows: "Arthur Spracklin assault- gin an active canvass. ed W. L. Messenger, manager of the Postum Cereal Company, and C. C. Ottawa, Nov. 17 .- Announcement Chauvin, ex-reeve of Sandwich appointed director of the geological or warrant and pulled a gun. Both by the company. survey. Dr. Collins was born near men are highly respected citizens | Since the end of October there has and fined two thousand dollars of agency despatch. Owen Sound, Ont., and received his and there is no suspicion of their been a total net reduction of over + each on a charge of displaying + Many congratulatory telegrams education at the State University of being conected with the liquor traf- 10,000 employees of the Pennsyl- + false trademarks. Wisconsin and the University of To- fic. Responsibility of further deaths vania system, most of them east of in this district is up to you."

## Over Claim That Hudson Bay Company Has Liquor Rights.

Ottawa, Nov. 17 .- News of the discovery of an oasis in the western desert in the form of the Hudson Hon. Hugh Guthrie Hurls Defi Bay charter, with privilege in perpetuity of making and selling liquor is discovered here. There is no question that the "Company of Adventurers," better known as the Hudson Bay Company, had a wide open charland, giving it authority to do prac-

tically whatever it pleased. what modified before Manitoba entered confederation, and the question of what are the present rights is a mat- gree, he said, and declared that the ter of legal dispute.

When Manitoba went dry the company asserted its charter rights, but under protest, closed its .: quor store operations in the country-wide search | Dominion government for authority being conducted for J. T. Hammill, to transport liquor in limited quantities, for use by its men at the various posts, but it has operated a store at Kenora for export to other pro-

dispute as to the practically perpetual rights of the company under its ancient charter, and the authority of House of Commons.

## AT LEAGUE ASSEMBLY

### of United States Commented Upon by London Newspapers.

London, Nov. 17 .- America's absence from the first session of the assembly of the League of Nations. Inspector Joliat, with detectives in Geneva, is the subject of comment took the in this morning's papers. The Daily train for Pembroke, in the hope that Telegraph calls it an irrational situ-Mayor ation, in which the assembly is sum-Fisher stated that he had received moned by the president of a state definite information that Mr. Ham- which is not a member of the league, mill was on a C.P.R. train on the and says it is certain that no steps Pontiac line on Thursday afternoon, can be taken this year to repair it,

"There can be no reasonable doubt

Both the Daily Telegraph and the Times are of the opinion that the must be excluded until she has given proof that she has undergone a change of heart. Most of the de- avenue. cisions adopted at Geneva cannot be regarded as more than provisional

## PRICE TREND DOWNWARD.

There are Substantial Decreases for

Many Foodstuffs. Ottawa, Nov. 17 .- A slight decline in the cost of the weekly family budget of staple foods is reported in the current issue of the Labor Gazette. The average cost for a family of five was \$15.83 at the middle of October. as against \$15.95 in September, \$14.-October, 1914.

The price movement continued downwards, substantial decreases occuring in grain, cattle, hogs, sheep, butter, vegetables, cereals, sugar, cotton, some lines of metals and lum-Windsor, Nov. 17 .- Responsibil- ber, linseed oil, turpentine, chemi- Given \$100,000 in Will of L. E. Sexbe looked after by the provincial ity for further deaths in the border cals, raw rubber and laundry starch: cities in the prosecution of the On- The retail prices of food averaged "Slot machines" and other appa- tario Temperance Act by prohibition lower, especially in sugar and potaratus of same design were seized in officers is put up to Attorney-Gen- toes, and there were slight decreases several places this morning and ac- eral Hon. W. E. Raney, in a tele- in beef, bread, flour and rolled oats. Advances were shown in hog products, eggs, milk and coal.

## Hold the Wheat: Keep Price Up?

Fargo, N.D., Nov. 17 .- If every Figures in U. S. Show a Drop of 5.1 ger of the Canadian Postum Cereal farmer in the wheat belt would hold Company, and ex-Reeve C. C. Chau- his wheat for 20 days the price would Washington, Nov. 17 .- The 1919 vin, of Sandwich West. The officers go nearly to three dollars a bushel death rate in the death registration demanded to search the automobile and would remain high, Abe Slaugharea of continental United States, and when Mr. Messenger objected, ter, national organizer of the Wheat embracing 81 per cent. of the total upon the grounds that he was not a Growers' Association of America, population, was shown in statistics bootlegger and the inspectors had told grain growers here today. Mr.

## GOOD START AT OTTAWA.

Subscription of \$10,000 for McGill on First Day.

Ottawa, Nov. 17 .- The drive in aid resulted in 106,985 deaths, or 9.8 per them and retreating to their car, of "Old McGill" got away to a good cent., the statistics showed. Deaths drove off. Both Mr. Messenger and start when Dr. P. D. Ross, honorary attributed to pneumonia totalled Mr. Chauvin declare their intention president of the Ottawa Valley Mc-FROM BURNING MINE + 105,218; influenza, 84.113; nephritis of taking action against the officers. Gill Graduates' Association, subscriband Bright's disease, 75,005; and The telegram to the attorney- ed \$10,000. The association has ap-Earlington, Ky., Nov. 17 .- + cancer and other malignant tumors general, sent by Mr. Healy, is as pointed eight teams, which will be-

2,500 More Men Laid Off. Philadelphia, Nov. 17 .- The Pennis made by the Civil Service Commis- West, at 6.30, Saturday evening, sylvania railroad will lay of 2,500 sion that Dr. W. H. Collins, who for The men were on their way home more men, 1,000 of them on the Philfifteen years has been a geologist of from an auction sale at the time, adelphia division, within the next five | + local wine and beer merchants + ed with activity following reports of the Department of Mines, has been The officer refused to show a badge days, according to an announcement & were sentenced to twelve & his followers' success in the Greek

Pittsburgh. .

#### THE UKRAINIANS EVACUATE KIEV

Warsaw, Nov. 17. The Ukrainians have evacuated Kiev and other towns they have occupied, and are fleeing defeated before the new Russian Soviet offensive, The Bolshevik cavalry has swept through the Ukrainian lines at several points.

## CANNOT UPSET

## PREMIER MEIGHEN at Crerar-King Cohorts.

tenance of a protective tariff has been the settled policy of every Government that has held office in Canter under the common law of Eng- ada," declared Hon. Hugh Guthrie. Minister of Militia and Defence, who tion. spoke at Aylmer, Monday night, from the platform of J. L. Stansell, the Na-The charter, however, was some- tional Liberal and Conservative Party candidate in the East Elgin by-election. It was simply a question of depresent Government had effected in Winnipeg. It now applies to the the new leader, and launched into a chances of the taxes being abolished

"The old Liberal party is fairly this kind are the rule. well blasted," he said. I-state that The understanding here is that the there are more old-line Liberals supporting Mr. King in the present

He characterized the U.F.O. as offspring of the grain growers' movegenesis in a desire of western settlers for free trade with the United States. Mr. Crerar would wipe out the tariff, he said. "They would blot it out and try some of their new fangled ideas," he declared, and then gave a detailed account of the nation's obligation and pointed out that what was absolutely essential was a tariff for extremely high revenues. Mr. Guthrie was accorded a warm reception by the large audience

His declaration that he would stand four square for Premier Meighen provoked long applause. "There is nothing Mackenzie King can do and nothing Mr. Crerar can do in the House of Commons to upset Meighen," he saids and described the new Premier as "the youngest. ablest, brainlest and most intelligent statesman that has graced the high

which crowded the Aylmer town hall

## office of Premier."

BY MEN IN AUTO Whisked Away Before the Eyes of Grandmother on Sidewalk.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 17 .- Muriel and Gwendolyn Shideler, eight and six years old respectively, daughters time is not yet ripe for Germany's of Mrs. Albert Shideler, 258 Hazel- and depends entirely upon the honwood avenue, were kidnapped yester- esty of her customers when they preday by several men in a touring car sent currency to her in payment for

Standing at the curb 15 feet away was their grandmother, Mrs. A. E. easily. until the attitude of America has Deering, who had taken them to the been determined toward the league corner and was watching them as or some other association with like they hurried across the street to school. The automobile, according to Mother and Three Children Perished Mrs. Deering, appeared suddenry and a man jumped out and whisked the children screaming, into the car which drove west in the direction of Lasalle Boulevard. It bore a Michi-

gan license tag. A flyer carrying detectives arrived upon the scene a few minutes later and trailed the abduction party for several miles. They believe the latter

was headed for Toledo. The two Shideler children have been in Detroit since March, 1919, 21 in October, 1919, and \$7.93 in when a divorce was granted the mother in New York. The father is a business man of that city.

## BEQUEST TO HARVARD.

ton, Sportsman.

New York, Nov. 17 .- A bequest of \$100,000 to Harvard University is made in the will of Lawrence E. Sexton, hunter and sportsman, whose net estate was appraised at \$324,663. Mr. Sexton, who died in August, 1919, hunted big game in the Rocky mountains and Sexton glacier, Glacier National Park, was named after

A \$1,000 cup, to be rowed for by eight-oared crews of Harvard, Yale and Cornell, also was provided for.

Death of Miss I. Mitchell. made public by the census bureau to no right to interfere with him Slaughter is here at the head of a bella Mitchell, for thirty years a va- The question of the return of be the lowest recorded for any one Spracklin snapped a pair of hand- delegation of seven Oklahoma farm- lued employee, who died in the Gen- former Crown Prince George had year. The rate of 12.9 per 1,000 of cuffs to his wrists, Messenger ers to organize the wheat growers of erai Hospital at Ottawa following an not yet been raised, it was added. operation. Before going to the Post- "The defeat of Premier Venizeoffice she was teacher in the public los," a foreign office statement said, school here. She leaves a widowed "may be termed a display of grass mother eighty-eight years old, three ingratitude by the Greeks for the Mrs. Hart, of Colorado, reached Otta- Allies' side and greatly increased its wa one hour after her death. Inter- size, power and influence, and this burg, where the parents of deceased, a great shock to the Allies. who was born in Beifast, Ireland, settled when she was only six months' dicated, will act together, but will

## \* TWO BOOZE MERCHANTS JAILED AND FINED 4

Montreal, Nov. 17. - Two & tine's headquarters at Lucerne bur months in jail at hard labor, + elections, according to a news

## October Receipts Half a Million More Than in Sep-

Ottawa, Nov. 17 .-- On the basis of the showing made so far, the Customs and Inland Revenue Departments figure on a revenue of \$85,000,000 this year from the operation of the sales and luxury taxes. St. Thomas, Nov. 17 .- "The main- The October receipts were half a million more than in September and this is attributed in large measure to more efficient methods of collec-

In the tariff inquiry at various points manufacturers and merchants have protested against the new taxes as interfering with business. The question of continuing them will be a matter for determination in conmore reductions than were ever se- nection with the general fiscal policy cured under a Liberal regime. Mr. of the government, but, having re-Guthrie paid a high compliment to gard to revenue requirements, the scathing denunciation of the wobb- are not regarded as favorable. There ling policies of Mackenzie King, or is further consideration that taxes Mr. Crerar to suggest a substitute are supposed to be an influence tofor the tariff to meet the present ob- wards economy and also the fact that in the United States higher taxes of

The report that the banks are to get five per cent, commission on the porting Mr. Meighen than are sup- sale of the tax stamps is not correct. An agreement has been reached whereby they will receive a discount of one per cent. for the sale of stamps ment and declared that it had its as a convenience to the public outside of the Inland Revenue offices.

### INVESTMENT SAFE, DIVIDENDS SURE

### What Hon. Dr. Reid Says Regarding Nationalization of Railways.

London, Nov. 17 .- Hon. Dr. J. D. eid, Canadian Minister of Railways, told the Canadian Club at luncheon that the proprietors of the Grand Trunk and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railways, through the Canadian government taking over these systems, would have their investments absolutely safe for all time and would never have to fear for their dividends

or their principal The Canadian government had been criticized for building in advance of requirements, but such building had hastened the development of the country.

### Grocery Store Run By Sightless Girl

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 17 .- Miss Edna Koontz, blind since she was four years old, is conducting with a good measure of success a grocery store

in this city. at Hamilton Boulevard and Taylor goods. She makes a practice of folding each denomination in a peculiar way, so that she can make change

FOUR BURNED TO DEATH.

at St. Malo.

Sherbrooke, Que., Nov. 17 .- Four persons were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the home of Emile Socquet at St. Malo d'Auckland, twenty miles from Sherbrooke, Saturday morning. The victims are Mrs. Socquet and her three children, aged eleven, seven and six. The only member of the family at home who escaped was a boy of eight who jumped out of a window after the fire had started. No details of the accident could be secured by the neighbors, as when they were awakened in their homes by the glare, the Socquet house was burning fiercely. The survivor was taken care of by neighbors until the father, who is away at work in the woods, returns,

# OF THE GREEKS

Defeating Venizelos -Great Shock to the Allies.

Paris, Nov. 17 .- Hope is expressed by "Pertinax," political editor of the Echo de Paris, that even a compremise, placing Prince George, the Renfrew, Nov. 17 .- The flag on eldest son of Constantine, on the the Postoffice building is at half- throne, will not be sanctioned by

sisters and six brothers. One sister, man who brought the country to the ment will be on Thursday at Beach- view is shared by the Alifes. It was

Great Britain and France, it is inawait some indication of Constantine's intention to return. Should that be manifested they will then do whatever may be necessary.

Constantine is Elated. London, Nov. 17 .- King Constan-

were received by the king. Conflicting reports continued to be received here as to the election