### LAST EDITION

# IS ELECTED

# Moderator of Presbyterian General Assembly---The Famous "Ralph Connor."

Toronto, June 2.-Rev. Dr. C. Gordon, more widely known "Ralph Connor," the Canadian nov elist, was elected Moderator of the 47th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, which opened in St. James' Square Presbyterian church last evening.

· Two other ministers were nominated. These were Rev. Dr. Ephraim Scott, of Montreal, and Rev. E. D. McLaren, of Vancouver,

Retiring Moderator Speaks The Assembly opened statesmanlike address by the retiring Moderator, Rev. Dr. James Ballantyne, who delivered a closely reasoned and well-balanced statement on the question of church union. The keynote of the address was contained in one of its sentences-"There can be no going back, no standing still."

Dr. Ballantyne referred to the "competitive rivalry" between the bery. many sects of Christendom, notwithstanding the fact that the differences were for the most part no longer fundamental. He declared that the church could not properly fulfil its function as the body of Christ without a better disposition of its forces.

Not Against Episcopacy

ference appeal, Dr. Ballantyne made the striking admission that Presby- if I'd wanted them to go out robbing did?" she urged. "Norman to episcopacy, and said that while the Presbyterian form of church government "might be best for a small town like Geneva or a small country like Scotland or Holland, it may not be best for a land of vast distances like Canada."

He suggested that force of circumstances might lead to the adoption of episcopacy again as the best for this country.

Dr. Ballantyne also spoke of the necessity for the admission to a larger extent of women into the councils and activities of the church. counselled the church to take ful advantage of this "new source strength," and put aside its prejuflice. He went on to say: "Can the church forget that the problems it has to face are best solved not by men alone, not by women alone, but by men and women together? there not a testimony that women alone are capable of giving?"

# GENERAL LACK OF CONFIDENCE CAUSE

Of the Unemployment Situation in Canada, Senate Committee Reports.

Ottawa, June 2.—General want of one of its strongest supporters. confidence on the part of the manufacturer, the producer, the middle- \$60,000 and \$100,000 is left to Bran-Canada, in the opinion of the senate | equal amount, committee on unemployment which has reported through its chairman, \$10,000, the Baptist Union \$10,000. Senator J. A. McDonald (Shediac). the Foreign Mission Society \$10,000, The committee presented to the sen- the Grand Ligne Mission \$10,000. ate a summary of the evidence of the Baptist Superannuation Fund witnesses representing bankers, \$5,000 and Emmanuel Church manufacturers and workingmen of \$2,000. The National Sanitarium the dominion, and stated that it had Association will receive \$2,000 and not sufficient time to thoroughly in- the Toronto Hospital for Incurables vestigate the situation and make a \$1,000. comprehensive report.

### Four More Irish Police Shot Dead in Ambush

Dublin, June 2 .- Four members of the police forces were shot dead and three others wounded in an ambush France is Thankful at Glenmore, county Kerry, yesterday. The killed were Police Inspector MaCaughey a sergeant and two constables. The three men wounded were constables.

To Visit United States. Sofia, Bulgaria, June 2.—Premier Stambuliwisky, of Bulgaria, declared here yesterday that King Boris would visit the United States during the coming autumn and that he would accompany Boris on the journey.

Named Governor of Alaska. Washington, June 2 .- Scott C. Bone, a former Seattle publisher and who was publicity manager for the Republican national committee he 1920 campaign, was nominated y President Harding to be governor of Alaska

### BRITAIN WOULD RENEW ALLIANCE WITH JAPAN

Tokio, June 2 .- Great Bri- + tain, the Nichi Nichi declares, +

# Mrs. Trixie Garfield Arrives in Kingston And Is Staying At a Boarding House

Denies That She Planned the Robberies in Which Norman Garfield Took Part-"Why Should Two Men Hang For What One of Them Did ?" She Asked.

er, Norman, was hanged at Woodstock on Thursday morning for the murder of Ben. Johnson, confection- but frankly conceded a hectic past er, arrived in Kingston on the early norning train from Toronto, and is her. at a boarding house in the city. came after a letter had been received from her clergyman, who asked that the social service officials here take an interest in her and secure work for her if possible. Mrs. Garfield withes to be close to her husband, who is serving twenty years' sentence in the Portsmouth penitentiary. Up to Thursday afternoon she had sister," said she, "I don't want him not paid the prison a visit, but is en- Denton's the only man for me." titled to see her husband once of the day. The girl has been through a terrible strain.

ly at Port Edward and seeks to justi- me is Denton," she declared. the Garfield family, members of right since I met him and I've never which have fastened on her the onus of inciting the brothers to crimeeven planning their campaign of rob-

Not the Instigator. "This stuff they're telling about me planning the robberies rot," said she, "If Kitty told the nulled, afterwards she wed Stan truth she'd tell how I coaxed them Murphy, of Hamilton, who died. not to go. Why should I want them to go robbing people? Didn't I sell again denied with emphasis having the clothes off my back and hock my advised or suggested it ,though she Dealing with the Lambeth Con- diamonds and watch in London to approved his course. "Why should get along? Would I have done that two men hang for what one of them

Norman and Denton committed in ing."

### DAVIES' ESTATE \$1,500,000 \$60,000 LEFT McMASTER

Baptist Church Departments Bequeathed \$55,000-Million in Stocks and Bonds.

Toronto, June 2 .- The will of the ate William Davies, founder of the William Davies Company, meat packers, disposing of an estate valued at a few thousand over one and a half. million dollars, has been filed for

The executors, D. E. Thomson, K.C., E. R. C. Clarkson and E. C. Fox resent a statement showing stocks held in various banks, placed \$375,000; mortgages, secured, \$150,-000; bonds, about \$600,000, and life insurance, \$6,000

The late Mr. Davies held something over 2,000 shares of the common stock of the William Davies Company, which is included in the item "industrials," listed in the statement at \$325,000. The real estate held is valued at \$40,000.

Various departments of the Bap tist Church in Canada have been remembered by Mr. Davies, who since he came to this country had been

McMaster University will receive man and the consumer is at the base don College, conditional upon that of the unemployment situation in institution being able to raise an

The Home Mission Board receives

Under the will the residue of the estate is divided among his daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) E. T. Fox; her son, E. C. Fox, president of the William Davies Co., and his children.

# For \$2,000,000 Beques

Paris, June 2.-The government in announcing the \$2,000,000 legacy ci Frank Buhl, of Grove City, Pa., for sufferers in the devastated regions of France, made this comment:

"The generosity of our friends in America, who already have done so much for restoration of the stricken

epartments; continues." Frank Buhl died on June 7th last in Sharon, Pa., near Grove City. In his will he left \$2,000;000 for French and Belgian war sufferers.

Likely an Arbitration Albany, N.Y., June 2 .- F. L. Carsle, Watertown, N.Y., as representaive of the ten paper manufacturers. who proposed to their striking employes that the matter of wages an working conditions be left to arbitrainternational union officers.

has suggested that Japan per- 
Colborne, June 2.—Dr. C. C. Mc-claimed.

mit the Anglo-Japanese alli- 
Cullough, Fort William, who, with To Rotarians' Conclave. ance to continue another year. + Mrs. McCullough, has been visiting The two nations are definitely + friends here, is leaving for Scotland • negotiating for a revision of + to attend the conclave of Rotarians the alliance, the newspaper says, + at Edinburgh as delegates from the eral who ordered Edith Cavel executhe is vice-president.

Mrs. Trixie Garfield, the young and about London, she threw out her wife of Denton Garfield, whose broth- hands expressively. "I'd have to sit down and count till next year." She strenuously denied reports of her conduct on her part in recent months

> that has set her own people against She denied the statements letter made public by Kitty Garfield that she "had been having a good time since Denton had come to Portsmouth and really cared no more for him than a rat," also she hotly denied that she was waiting for Dominick Waters to get out of Portsmouth prison. "Why, he's married to my

Being A Good Girl Now. "Dominick," she explained, "is do-Mrs. Garfield has been living late- The only man that's got any claim y herself and deny accusations of haven't done anything that's not him to Kingston."

She denied too, her alleged multiple marriages, claiming her union to Denton to be but the third, and she is now almost twenty-two.

Ed. Nean Bauer she married whe is all fourteen. That marriage being an As to Denton's confession,

have to shoot, he could have beaten Asked as to how many robberies it and got away without any shoot-

# Detectives Undecided As To FRANCE AT BEGINNING Whether Dr. Rankin Met Foul Play.

Montreal, June 2.- Detectives are rying to decide whether Dr. Ramsay Rankin was murdered or was accidently killed in a scuffle that followed what the police describe as s 'party," Tuesday night, in the apartment of J. B. Gunn at 624 St. Cather-

At first the police were inclined to think that a fight had taken place, but when they learned the nature and the number of wounds on Dr. Rankin's body they were inclined to change their minds. Dr. MacTaggart and Dr. Derome, the morgue authori-

night have caused death. There was one almost the whole length of the right arm and so deep that the main artery was severad.

"It was impossible that such a wound could 'have been made by glass," said Dr. MacTaggart, to The Star. This destroyed the theory the police had been working on that a scuffle had taken place and that Dr. Rankin had fallen through a glass door. The glass door was broken, but apparently the glass did not inflict

The second wound was in the ab domen near the left hip. It is very deep and was apparently inflicted with a knife. The third one was in the back, not very deep, and the fourth under the left shoulder.

The inquest was adjourned until to-day to give the police time to locate two other alleged witnesses of the affair.

erial witness is married to a sister of Mrs. (Dr.) Rankin, formerly Miss Grace Peppiatt. Mr. McEachren and his wife have been separated for Mrs. Joseph M. Schenck. The couple some time, however, the latter living will live in Hollywood, Cal. in the United States. Mr. McEactren is a son of W. N. McEachren, a prominent Toronto real estate agent.

DIVORCE IS TO BE DROPPED

That Is Announcement Made In the

Ottawa, June 2 .- The De Martigny ivorce bill, which has aroused so much controversy, is to be dropped. This statement was made in the house by Hon, Rodolphe Lemieux, who said that he had been so informed by the promoter of the bill, Norman Guthrie. Mr. Lemieux made his statement in committee, and moved that the ommittee rise and report progress. A vote was demanded, and it resulted in the passage of the motion by Mr. tion and that work be resumed pend- Lemieux by 17 to 16, party lines being a decision, will confer with dele- | ing disregarded. A protest against the gates from the plants affected and withdrawal of the bill was made later in the house by Dr. J. W. Edwards (Frontenac). The promoters could not withdraw the bill without the ent of the house, Dr. Edwards

Von Bissing To Tour Canada. Quebec, June 2 .- Baron von Bis-\* Rotary Clubs of America, of which ed, arrived yesterday on the Empress of Britain to tour Canada.

# To Negotiate With the Miners For Settlement of Strike.

London, June 2 .- A statement by Lord Gainsford declaring the mineowners were ready to meet the miners aroused optimism in London that a settlement may be reached in the British coal strike.

Lord Gainsford said, "the owners are ready to meet the miners with government mediators. ernment's proposals it will be sible to say whether there will meeting between the miners wners in London."

Frank Hodges, the miners' general secretary, said the gap between the wo sides would be narrowed considerably if the owners would agree to a higher standard wage than that which they have proposed.

Wage Cuts Too Steep. London, June 2 .- Another big in-

dustrial crisis threatens to develop out of the proposed wage reduction the engineering industry. The reductions are due to take effect on June 16th. Yesterday a deputation of union leaders representing organizations with a membership of a million and a half workmen attended the labor ministry to demand a public enquiry into the employers' terms. The proposed cuts for time workers are 6 shillings weekly and cancellation of 12 1-2 per cent. war bonus granted in 1917 and for piece workers a reduction of 15 per cent. and the withdrawal of the 7 1-2 per cent. bonus. It was pointed out to the minister of labor that these per- Canada Doing Better Than centages work out at immediate reductions of from 16 to 24 shillings weekly, and that the proposed cuts are much steeper than the recent drops in the cost of living.

# OF RECONSTRUCTION

The Minister of the Devastated Areas Makes a Report to the Senate.

Paris, June 2 .-- M. Loucheur, min ister for the devastated regions, in outlining to the senate the government's plan for the rebuilding of the

devastated areas, declared: "We are at the beginning of re construction.

"The year 1921, and still more 1922, should see reconstruction get ting under way. One may criticize what has been done thus far, but to be fair the chaotic conditions there

M. Loucheur said he had investigated the prices of contractors, had \$244. obtained reductions, and now was approaching the time when restoration could be calculated at only three times the pre-war cost as a result of cheaper coal and other things neces-

He said he hoped to make favorable contracts with Germany for materials and expected the pending proposal of Germany to build 25,000 nomes in the devastated regions to develop satisfactorily. He saw little prospect, however, of employing German labor in France to any great ex-

Last of Talmadge Girls Married. New York, June 2 .- Natalie Tal madge, youngest of the trinity of screen stars, which includes Norma and Constance, and the last to be wedded, was married Tuesday after W. Roy McEachren, held as a mat- woon to Buster Keaton, well known screen comedian, at the summer home at Bayside, L.I., of the bride's sister, Norma, who in private life i

The Austran ex-Emperor has informed the Sviss government that he proposes to renew his attempt for he throne.



WIDOW OF MURDERED MAN
Mrs. Ben Johnston, Woodstock, for
he murder of whose husband Norman
Berfield went to the gallows on Thurs-

# Over 200 Persons Are Reported Killed In the Racial Conflict At Tulsa, Okla.

en Square Blocks of Negro Section Burned by Whites--Troops in Charge of the Town-Outbreak Originated Over the Maltreating of a White Girl.

Detachments of guardsmen were the place where the negroes were stayesterday scattered throughout the tioned and occasional shots gave warcity prepared to meet all emergencies with machine guns ready for action. Guards surrounded the armory while others assisted in round- flaming doorways with ing up negroes and segregating them park and other places which had were ordered to surrender and quickbeen turned into prison camps. State troops under the command

of Adjutant General C. F. Barrett out Tuesday night.

The first attempts to fire the negro quarter about 1:30 o'clock Tuesday morning when white men openly threatened to destroy the locality. Two houses at Archer and Boston, used by more than fifty negroes as a garrison, were set afire at that time and an alarm was turned in Efforts of the fire department to lay hose were stopped by a crowd of armed white men and the department ro-

Other Dominions With

This Impost.

one instalment has been met.

Automatic Tariff Changes.

reported, new duties had been impos-

action in other countries. The Unit-

ed States having imposed a duty on

commodities, they now become duti-

able in Canada automatically, where-

London stating that the naval ques-

ion will be one of the main subjects

as latterly they had been free.

" Go Straight and Work

Honestly," Garfield's Message

Woodstock, June 2 .- "I would like

the young men of Woodstock, Tor

onto and everywhere to know there

is nothing in this crime game," Nor-

man Garfield told one of the Jail offi-

cials. "I am going to the beyond to

mornow and let the young men take

my life as an example to go straight

Shun bad company, leave guns alone

and work honestly. I have brought

disgrace to my family and my dear

mother. . Would that I was a lad

Vladivostock, June 2 .- The tem-

office expires because the elections

Will Be Dissolver

Vladivostok Assembly

by Communist Influences.

potatoes.

Tulsa, Okla., June 2.- Nearly ten hours later when almost simultanesquare blocks of the negro section ously fire began to burst forth from of Tulsa, where an armed conflict the doors and windows of frame occurred between white men and ne- shacks along Archer street. Soon groes, resulting in a death list of dense clouds of black smoke envelopover 200, mostly negroes, and a rap- ed the location. Under cover of the

ning that the conflict still raged. As the fire enveloped the houses hands shouting "don't shoot." in the jail, convention hall, baseball | they dashed through the smoke they

dred armed negroes on Tuesday night him Sheriff McGhee and Hangman arrived at 9 o'clock to take charge attempted a jail delivery to free Ellis. Behind them was Garfield of the situation, augmenting local Dick Rowland, arrested and charged smoking a cigarette, which he did not units of guardsmen who were called with maltreating a white girl. The

when he resisted arrest. the Stand Pipe Hill district in the step, after which he looked up at the extreme northern end of the negro noose and immediately placed himquarter, Mrs. S. A. Gilmore, a white woman, was shot in the left arm and side. Mrs. Gilmore was standing on Prayer, but the first sentence was not the front porch of her home when she was shot by a negro, one of a score or more barricaded in a church. Dick Howland, the negro, charged

with assault, was removed from the The attempt to destroy the negro | county jail during the night to a quarter by fire was resumed five place of safety unrevealed.

# DESIRE TO SHARE IN

Roman Catholic Leaders Present Case of Ontario Separate Schools.

Archbishop McNeil, Toronto, and not to worry. Bishop Fallon, London, a deputation oishop McNeil, Toronto; Bishop Fal- took place. Many people have availed them- lon, London; Bishop O'Brief, Peterselves of the instalment plan of pay- boro; Father Foley, editor of the ing this year, so the figures were Catholic Record, London; Father considered very favorable, as only Dowdall, Pembroke, and Father Eng-

lert, Hamilton. Sir Henry gave some illuminative | The spokesmen of the deputation figures. In the first year in Canada before the cabinet were Archbishop \$9,000,000 had been collected; in McNeil, Bishop Fallon and Bishop Australia \$18,000,000 and in New O'Brien. In the presentation of Zealand \$327,000. n the second year their case they set forth the finanthe Canadian income tax brought in cial difficulties under which the sep-\$20,000,000; Australia, \$27,00 ,000 arate schools of the province were and New Zealand, \$344,000. In the laboring, and stated that recent dethird year Canada collected \$46,- velopment of corporations, in lieu of 000,000, Australia \$34,000,000 and individual enterprise, had cut New Zealand \$437,000. The separate schools from that portion average per person collected in the of educational revenues which, under first year was \$200, and last year the British North America Act, 1 was intended to give. The proposal is to apportion corporation tax revenues according to the number of Ro-Mr. Lemieux wanted to know if, as

man Catholic shareholders. Although consideration was prom ed against certain products from the ised to their request for assistance United States such as wheat and along the lines suggested, it is understood that Premier Drury definite-Sir Henry Drayton answered that ly disagreed with them in their arguno action had been taken, but certain | ment on behalf of provincial assisttariff items were dependent upon the ance to separate secondary schools.

### wheat and potatoes and certain other U.S. IS SOUNDING THE GREAT POWERS

"In view of the despatches from "Feelers" Put Out by the Government With Regard to of discussion at the permier's con-Armaments.

erence, may I ask if there has been any change in the prime minister's Washington, June 2 .- "Informal determination that Canada is not infeelers" with respect to an internaterested in the discussion," asked tional agreement for a reduction of armaments already have been put Mr. Meighen answered that "there out by the American government, it has been no change whatever in my was learned today in high adminis attitude or that of the government." tration quarters. The purpose, it is understood, is to develop the attitude of foreign governments on the question before any formal negotiations are undertaken.

understood to have been conveyed strapped together, his arms were through American representatives sitting informally in the allied councils and it is believed that the conversations have been more or less of the hangman drew a black cap made an incidental character.

fts belief that the subject could well noose was then slipped over and the be considered by the supreme coun- knot was placed behind the left ear cil, but officials have pointed out that where it was drawn tight. This flone it could not be broached formally to Radcliffe gave a signal to the chapthe council by the United States since lain who continued to repeat prayers, this government is represented there stepping off the trap he touched a only in an unofficial capacity.

ton, however, which leads those close dangled below a few feet from the to the administration to believe that ground. The surgeon seized the left some other government, prompted by wrist and counted the last pulse beats the informal suggestions of the Unit- that gradually grew faint and ceasorary government announced that ed States, may make the disarma- ed. He pronounced death instantantment question an actual issue before eous, although the heart continued the council in the near future,

ly within 20 days, when its term of Generally the belief is held that the to the assembly were carried out "informal feelers" will be the only under nondemocratic conditions and direct action taken now by President also because it has been dominated Harding in response to the Borah

# Norman Garfield Walked to Scaffold With Cigarette In His Mouth.

Woodstock, June 2 .- A few minues after he had discarded the cigarette which he smoked on his way to the scaffold, Norman Garfield, convicted murderer of Ben Johnston Woodstock confectioner, was hanged this morning at 5.40 o'clock, and fourteen minutes later the jail physician pronounced life extinct. Death was instantaneous. The execution

passed off without a hitch. relinquish until the executioner went first negro was killed by a policeman to adjust the black cap. Arriving at the scaffold, Garfield ascended the In the outbreak at 7:30 o'clock in steps to the platform with steady self in position under it. Rev. Mr. Gaetz began to recite the Lord's finished when the trap was sprung and Garfield dropped out of sight.

### Body Taken To Toronto.

A coroner's jury was then summoned, and following the usual deliberations returned a verdict that Garfield met his death as the law prescribes. The body was then remov-CORPORATION TAXES ed to an undertaking parlor and at 9.45 o'clock was taken to Toronto

where interment will take place. Garfield's last night was spent with his spiritual adviser and his brother, Claude, and for the first time the prisoner showed real interest in the Toronto, June 2.-Headed by hereafter, pleading with his relatives

Norman Garfield went to the scafof Roman Catholic educationists fold with the same self control as he waited on the provincial cabinet re- has displayed all through his imquesting for the separate schools in prisonment. He walked along from the province a share in the corpora- the cell to the scaffold with elastic Ottawa, June 2.—Thirty-nine mil- tion tax receipts, continuation of cer- step, and witnesses viewed his nerve lion dollars have been collected so tain grants which were cut off with- and self-composure with astonishfar this year, Sir Henry Drayton in- in recent years, and provision for ment. He had previously washed and formed the house of commons yester- separate secondary schools. John eaten a hearty breakfast. His brothday afternoon when presenting a bill O'Neill, M.P.P., introduced the de- ers Claude and Hubert, remained in to consolidate all acts relating to in- putation, which consisted of: Arch- the jail office while the execution

The execution was carried out by the official hangman, Arthur Ellis, in the presence of the officials, including the sheriff, who was responsible for the carrying out of the sentence, the jailor, surgeon, deputy sheriffs, constables, and Rev. Mr. Gaetz, chaplain to Garfield. The press was excluded by an order from Hon. W. E Raney, attorney-general.

The hangman used the trap gallows, which dispensed with weights, and it was by reason of this that the temporary structure had to be erected outside of the jail building proper. The gallows consisted of a raised platform with a trap door sufficiently high above the ground to permit of a fall that would ensure the severance of the spinal cord at the neck when the weight of Garfield's body took the strain of the rope at the end of the drop. With a man of Garfield's weight it was perfectly safe to use the trap drop, but with a much lighter man of muscular build the shoot up from the ground that would give a second drop on the rope would have been employed. In Garfield's case, the single drop through the door was deemed sufficient to cause instant, death.

# A Hanging by Radcliffe.

The following description of execution by hanging is given by a Whig writer who was a witness at a similar execution carried out by the late Hangman Radcliffe:

The scaffold consisted of plank uprights with a cross beam at the top to the centre to which the rope was securely fastened leaving a slack of about twenty feet for the fall. The prisoner was marched on to this trap door with Radcliffe close behind him, a constable on either side and the chaplain in front, Reaching the trap. The approaches already made are the prisoner's legs were securely drawn behind his back and likewise strapped with a strap that passed around his body. This accomplished of velvet over his head which reached The administration has indicated right down to the shoulders, the lever, the trap opened and the mur-Information has reached Washing- derer dropped into space. His body

to beat. (Continued on Page 15.)

This Drink Had Some Kick. Ottawa, June 2 .- While drinking amendment to the naval bill request- from a tap during a storm Richard A new election will be held so as ing that the chief executive be in ne- Gifford, an employe of a dairy comto enable the assembly to meet on gotiations for a disarmament agree pany, was struck by lightning which travelled down the water pipe.