On Imperial Trade By Preferential Tariff.

British Commons Hears Plea For Open Door Policy---Resolution Rejected.

London, June 20 .- In the House of Commons yesterday in the committee stage of the Finance Bill Major Mackenzie Wood (Liberal moved an amendment with a view to of The Times), who was with Lord abolishing Imperial preferences.

sugar were particularly criticized, the result that Lord Rothermere and Col. J. C. Wedgwood (Labor) said two medical specialists at once set the Labor party was opposed to the on for Switzerland. attempt to bind the empire by means of preferences for which the Lord Northcliffe's illness cannot yet consumer had to pay.

nowadays rely." The notorious man- been held over. ner in which the United States was building up trade on a basis of praf- advertisements of 'London Newserences was becoming a serious men- papers and Their Millionaire Proace to British industries. He assert- prietors.' It is a pamphlet which ed that removal of the preferences Northcliffe wrote and advertised in to the dominions would shake the his papers, apropos of his resignafabric of the empire.

far from the perference on tea given | who bought papers after making to India benefiting the British con- money in other businesses." sumers, India had increased her cotton duties to the detriment of the Lancashire industries, and, further-Natal in sugar production, com- ship, has appointed an officer to in- a general feeling that the Crow's plaints were now coming from the spect the dancing pavilions at Trent Nest agreement will be suspended greater preference in the British temporary, but if the officer proves Even this phase has not come dir-

that importation by South Africa of council. boots from Northampton has been prohibited. The time had come, salf policy of the open door was not the best, while allowing grants to the OF THE colonies in cases of special necessity. The amendment was rejected by 262 to 84.

Heavy Prison Sentences For Stealing a Horse

Convention Opens Hotel. States to visit the Highlands of On- of no less than \$45,000,000. tario, this season, is assembling here today. It comprises representindustry from all sections of the United States. The visitors reached here in special railway equipment over the Grand Trunk Railway System. They are proceeding this afternoon to the Bigwin Inn on the Lake of Bays, where their convention will be held extending over a period of three days. The arrival of the delegates will also mark the op ening of the season of 1922 of the Bigwin Inn, Canada's largest sum-

Admiral Beaumont Dead London, June 20-Admiral Sin Lewis Beaumont, retired, former first jord of the admiralty, and high home in Hurst, Pierpoint, Sussex, miles. last night.

mer hotel.

BUSINESS IS REPORTED AS STEADILY IMPROVING

Though Very Slowly-Canadian Manufacturers' Association President's Address

Andrew's-by-the-Sea, N. B. June 20 .- "Generally speaking business is steadily, though very slowly annually. improving. The international situations seem to be clarifying, money is easier, and surplus stocks have been reduced. The basic production by the terms of the bill. And they is recovering, unemployment is decreasing, prices are stabilizing and

demand is reviving." W. S. Fisher, St. John, president of the Canadian Manufacturers As- tion" will be silenced. sociation, addressing an opening session here this morning of the assoclation's fifty-first annual general meeting thus summarized Canada's position following what he termed W. B. Morrison, who yesterday coi- delayed. The third day's sec- delayed. The third day's sec-

LONDON TIMES OWNER

Northcliffe's Selzure Ends Attack on His Brother Publishers.

London, June 20 .- Printing House Square and Carmelite House are passing through a severe crisis, according to The Sunday Times, which discusses the sudden interruption of Lord Northcliffe's "Incognito in Germany" articles and certain peremptory orders received from Northcliffe while taking a holiday in Switzer-

Reference is made to important resignations from the Northcline publications in consequence, and the issuance of writs for libel against him by two of his principal business

"In the meantime," adds The Sunday Times, "Wickham Steed (editor Northcliffe in Switzerland, wrote In the course of the discussion, in home that his Lordship was in an alarming condition of health, with

"What precisely is the nature of Sir Robert Horne, chancellor of he will be incapacitated for some the exchequer, replied that it was time and unable to continue his perreducing tariffs. Preferences re. his papers. For the time being, the tains. The average cut is about 20 certainty of movement. sulted in cheapening the people's leading directors of the Northcliffe per cent food and in creating employment by companies are carrying on, and, on increasing trade with the domin- their request and in view of Northions, on whose markets "we must cliffe's illness, all resignations have

"They have also withdrawn the tion from the Newspaper Proprie-

To Inspect Pavilions.

more, as a result of encouraging Van Volkenburg, of Seymour town-West Indies with a demand for a still River. The appointment will be for perhaps a period of two years. efficient, the job will be ratified at a ectly before the committee, because All the return British consumers special meeting for that purpose or the minute such a proposal is made have received from this concession is at the next regular meeting of the

Mr. Kiley, for the government to SWEEPING WRITING DOWN seriously consider whether the old

Canadian Vessels' Capital Cost May Be Cut to \$28,000,000.

Ottawa, June 2 .- If the recom-Ottawa, June 20 .- John Francis mendations of the directors of the Lalonde, Harrison's Corners, was Canadian merchant marine are put sentenced to fifteen years in Ports- into effect, a sweeping writing down mouth penitentiary, and his compan- will be effected in the capital cost of ion, Fred Leslie, Cornwall, drew a the vessels. The fleet now consists penalty of fourteen years and six of 64 vessels, built at an average months in Magistrate Fraser's court, cost per deadweight ton of \$191, or Russell. Both pleaded guilty to a a total cost of approximately \$73,- size that he was fully competent opportunity to run into this or some charge of stealing a horse and buggy | 000,000. The directors recommend owned by Charles Cascadden, of Rus- that this capital cost be reduced to what might be considered the present replacement value and estimate the value at \$75 a ton. Such revalu-Huntsville, June 20 .- One of the ation would reduce the capital cost first conventions from the United to about \$28,000,000, a writing down

TO PROVIDE ELECTRICITY

To Be Put to Other Use Than **Providing Scenery For** Tourists.

waking up to the fact that its lakes about six miles east of this city, on lines of small crafts are operated be- facture of beer in private homes. and waterfalls may be made to serve the Kingston road, a serious accident tween New York and New Jersey other purposes than providing scenic resulted. A. Fleming, Stanley Thomp- points and the rum-laden vessels. attraction for tourists. As proof of son and J. Morten, all residents of this the "Grampian Electricity Bill" Chapman, were in the car which has been given a second reading in turned turtle. Morton and Fleming the House of Commons.

lect and use the waters of 15 lochs owner and driver of the car, escaped and 99 small lakes, rivers and with slight bruises. commissioner of Egypt, died at his streams, over an area of 417 square

The waters proposed to be utilized are estimated to be capable of generating 56,000 horse-power to supply electricity in the counties of Perth, Kinross and Forfar and districts in four other countries. capital is placed at £4,500,000.

That any of the beautiful lakes and falls of "Caledonia, stern and wild" should be used to set the wheels of industry spinning many in Scotland regard almost as sacriligious desecration. And that opinion in shared by not a few Americans who are accustomed to visit Scotland

But the promoters declare that the preservation of the natural beauties of Scotland is expressly provided for add that when the hum of the electrically-driven wheels of industry are heard in the land, and dividends begin to come in, the cry of "desecra-

Gen. Morrison Improving.

"the trying experience of the last lapsed in a fainting spell while enter- tion will appear to-morrow and Ottawa in 1896 to join Sir Wilfrid Marine, presented to parliament four hours excellent rain, while maining \$1,140 was divided into two years." Work is the panacea ing the Woods building, was this & daily thereafter. for most of our ills, physical or men- morning reported to be progressing favorably.

the Live Question of Freight Rates.

Suspect There Will Be Suggestion to Suspend Crow's Nest Pact.

Ottawa, June 20 .- The special house committee on .freight met in executive session yesterday. Some of those present afterward stated that the different elements

mates a 20 per cent, reduction in the rates on grain in the west. In

Another proposition advanced by the railways is a cut of approximately 18 per cent. in basic commodities in the east. Still another is a cut of about 16 per cent. in the east on lumber and forest products. These propositions are not made directly by the railways, as they have no special representatives on the committee. Some of the Progressives concluded that these cuts had been J. D. Kiley (Liberal) said that, tors' Association, criticizing owners made at the bidding of the government, and were really government figures. However, that contention received an official denial last night.

So far as can be learned, nothing Trent River, June 20 .- Reeve J. in the nature of a committee report has yet been drafted. There is still the Progressives will start their fight, and judging from their attitude now, a bitter fight it will be.

DELORME INSISTENT

He Always Impressed This Upon Reporters Before He Was Arrested.

Montreal, June 20.-At this Several Vessels Laden With THE HOME BREWERS morning's session of Adelarde Delorme's trial it transpired that in the great majority of public statements given by him to newspapermen prior to his arrest, there was the important statement.

face a judge and jury.

Car Ditched, Two Injured. suffered broken ribs and the latter He Has Completed Forty Years in The company is empowered to col- a dislocated shoulder. Thompson,

> Approve Disarmament Pact. Ottawa, June 20 .- Through its parliament, Canada yesterday formally approved the conclusions reached by the recent conference of world powers on disarmament held in Washington. That the country, as a part of the empire, is fully in accord with the decisions reached at the conference, was amply demonstrated when the resolution of endorsation not only passed without a word of criticism.

After \$250,000. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars more is the objective of a campaign which is to be launched by Albert College, Belleville. The purpose is to go into the new buildings

DELAY IN STORY

NEW LEGISLATION BIG AID TO POLICE

Prohibition of Transport of Liquor on Highways Hampers Rum-runners.

Toronto, June 20- Their weapons appreciably added to by the recently enacted law prohibiting the transportation of liquor on the highways, the provincial police are waging active war on the rum-runners who hitherto had made large use of this means of transporting their supplies, either for export or for home consumption, Gen. V. A. S. Williams C.M.G., commissioner of the provincial police, stated that the situation was now well in hand.

A considerable number of truckloads of liquor had been seized during the last few days, he said. For a week or so past, there has been big rush of these consignments by truck to the various border points were simply sparring for time and in anticipation of the coming into anxious to feel out the position of effect of the new legislation. Now the only means by which liquor The present position is that the shipments can be legitimately tranrailways have offered what approxi- sported are by the regularly receastern Manitoba this new rate fig- course, a much easier job to keep treatyites. be stated, but it seems likely that ures about the same as the rate track of shipments through these ment, but it goes up from different signments which naturally enjoyed be followed by a manifestation by turbed." not a question of imposing, but of sonal control and the direction of western points as far as the moun- a much greater freedom and un- De Valera regarding the constitution.



T. H. PURDOM, K.C., LONDON, ONT. Corporation. He is a very heavy stock-holder, who will probably lose heavily,

USE SEA WAREHOUSES FOR THE BOOTLEGGERS

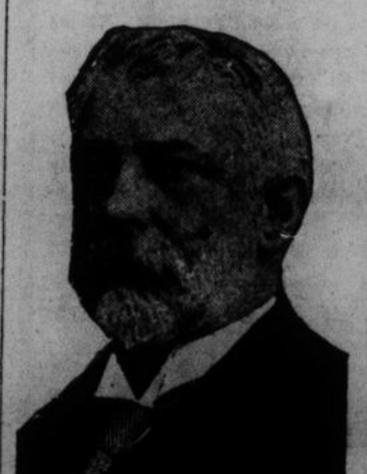
Liquor Float Off New Jersey Coast.

New York, June 20 .- Twenty-five insistent suggestion regarding his or 30 miles off the New Jersey coast mentality. He seemed to particular- several liquor-laden vessels are ridly raise that question and to empha- ing the waves awaiting a favorable entally. When newspapermen coun- other nearby port or for bootleggers the budget resolutions, which would seled him against raising this questo come out in smaller craft and buy have prohibited the brewing of beer tion at all, he became angry and he up their cargoes and transport them by anyone except a regularly licensaccused them of omitting the most ashore. The bootleg value of the ed brewer, was struck out at the reliquors such a short distance from quest of the Hon, W. S. Fielding, In brief this was the testimony shore is placed at more than \$3,000 .- who said that, as there had been heard this morning in the court of 000. One vessel alone is known to abuses in the past in connection with King's Bench where Adelarde De- have on board 10,000 cases of whis- the home-brew industry, he had lorme, charged with the murder of key valued at \$1,000,000 at bootleg come to the conclusion that the prohis half-brother, Raoul, is fighting prices, while another has on board posed remedy would, perhaps, be atives of the leather manufacturing SCOTLAND'S WATERFALLS being sent to trial on the charge, on 6,000 cases. The bootleg value of worse than the disease it was meant grounds that he is mentally unfit to these two cargoes is placed at more to cure. than \$1,500,000.

Belleville, June 20 Choosing to tonight that one of his men had visit- lster had struck out the amendment. into the ditch rather than hit a C. N. the guise of a prospective purchaser. many protests since it was proposed London, June 20 .- Scotland is R. train at the C. N. R. crossing, It was ascertained that regular to cut off the permits for the manu-

MR. FIELDING'S RECORD.

Public Service.



HON. W. L. FIELDING W. S. Fielding completed forty year will be \$195,000, and the ex-

 years of public life in Canada. Owing to an unfortunate ac- + fax county for the Nova Scotia legis- of the county is \$17,574,900. decident the wireless story which de lature, and two years later became of age next November.

the Collins Party in Southern Ireland.

The Rebel Chieftain de Valera Takes Deteat in Bad Grace.

victory at the polls in the southern home churches stranded. If

Cork, stronghold of republicanism, has been carried by candidates was the only Republican candidate principles as much as now.

The Republican chieftain has taken bread CAUSES CLEAVAGE lowers charge Michael Collins with breaking his word regarding the proposed coalition.

Lord Mayor O'Callaghan, of Cork, expected to be one of the strongest Republicans and Monarchists In a statement which he made in anti-treaty candidates, was at the bottom of the poll.

Analysis of Vote. lin university. The second prefer- are now forced to make a free gift others committing illegal acts." city were in proportion of more than presenting the working millions, in- ernment have now been elected in The members thus far known to have at least have low-priced bread. As giving the government a safe major-President of the Dominion Savings been elected include forty-four the Monarchist movement is strong- ity in the house, but it is also said financial trouble and had to be taken treaty advocates, twenty-five opposed est in the country, all estate owners insuring the passage of the proposed over by the Huron and Eric Mortgage to the treaty. Counting will and most of the peasant landowners Liquor Control Act.

continue today, but complete results being Monarchists, bread has become but is optimistic that the shareholders may not be known until tomorrow. the natural line of cleavage for the tion act on its statute books cince Election in Dublin city resulted in political struggle. So while cheap 1916, which is said to be the most the loss of four Republican seats to bread is important, the partisan asthe independent treatyites, the vote pects are more so. being 72,285 to 10,920.

Fearing Cure Might Be Worse Than Disease.

Ottawa, June 20.-Item No. 10 in

T. W. Caldwell (Carleton-Victoria, Zone Chief John Appleby, General N.B.) thought the home-brewing in-Federal Prohibition Agent for New dustry was becoming a menace to York State and New Jersey, stated the country. He was sorry the minrun the car that they were driving ed the ship carrying the big cargo in Mr. Fielding said there had been Rain during the past week has been

The item was struck out and the committee reported progress on the budget resolutions.

SEEKING SECESSION.

Of State of Vera Cruz From Republic of Mexico.

Mexico City, June 20 .- A proposal that the state of Vera Cruz secede made in the legislature of that state and district Saturday night.

ruling that they are ineligible be- Calgary. cause of a number of technical reasons. It is not believed that the resolution will pass.

Hastings Rate 13 Mills Ottawa, June 20 .- Today Hon. es that the receipts for the current crops. penditure \$423,181. The rate was Forty years ago he contested Hali- struck at 13 mills. The equalization

amaller vessels.

MORALE OF AMERICA HITTING DOWN-GRADE

Baptist Convention Told Money Found For Face Powder, Not Missions.

can afford automobiles, face powder New seem to have enough money to keep the Foreign Missionary Society from

having a deficit." This was the statement of the Rev. A. W. Beavan, pastor of the Lake Avenue Baptist Church, Rochester, N.Y., who preached on Sunday the annual convention sermon of the Baptist Northern Convention.

"If the front line of foreign missions is drawn back," said Dr. Bea-Dublin, June 20 .- The Free State van, "let us not deceive ourselves, the pro-treaty party has won a great same receding tide will leave our Brunswick is headed for a place of world will become a charnelhouse interpretation political observers Michael Collins. Mary MacSwiney, and hell will break loose. America put on results of three by-elections sister of the late mayor of Cork, never needed an inoculation of moral to fill vacancies in the provincial leg-

elected to the constituent assembly, "The morals of our country is go- on Saturday in King's county. Durognized carriers, the railway and and she was beaten by a Labor can- ing down. There are good people ing the last session of the legislature the steamship companies. It is, of didate, who headed the poll, and two who laugh at the violation of the a bill was prepared for presentation Eighteenth Amendment, and who can to the house, which would have put The sound defeat administered see incendiary fires and business into effect in New Brunswick a sysunder the Crow's Nest Pass agree- channels than it was the truck con- the Republican forces is expected to forced into failure without being dis- tem of liquor sales under govern-

Are Suspicious and Ready For Trouble.

Dublin, June 20 .- The outstand- | London, June 20 .- Bread has be- claring that "public sentiment, which ing feature of the parliamentary el- come the centre for the conflict be- I believe is favorable, has not as yet ections on the basis of results thus tween Republican and Monarchists been reflected in the members who far known is a striking preponder- in Germany. Both are suspicious, represent the people in the legislaance of the vote in favor of those pugnacious and ready for trouble, ture, and I cannot at the present candidates who favor the Anglo-Ir- and they find it in the law compel- time, be assured of a sufficient maish treaty. An analysis of the vot- ling landowners to sell the govern- jority to put the bill through.' ing made possible by the proportion- ment a large part of their grain at He declared he wanted an act al representation system, shows a reduced rates. The measure was which "would make it unnecessary majority of seven to one in favor of adopted during the war, and the for our best citizens to become lawthe treaty in Dublin city, four to one farm owners are trying to free them- breakers. That would stamp out in Cork city and three to one in Dub- selves from it. They consider they boot-leggers, moonshiners and ence of the labor voters in Cork to the cities. But the Socialists, re- Three new supporters of the govten to one in favor of the treaty, sist the law be retained so labor can as many by-elections, thus not only

The fight can easily break the coalition on which the Wirth government rests. The Majority Socialists, the strongest party behind the gov- tion were successful in these tests of ernment, have given notice they will public opinion, there would be a re-ARE GIVEN RESPITE leave the coalition if the law is repealed. But the Nationalist parties Fielding Strikes Out Item, backed by the grain growers, are determined to prevent a repetition this year of conditions under which they are forced to sell their product below Than a Dollar a Meal When on the world market price.

The Recent Rains Beneficial and All Grains Are Looking Well.

Brandon, June 20 .- Bumper crops of rye, hay, sweet clover and other fodder crops, are predicted in this district owing to the splendid appearance of the fields at present most beautiful to all crops and wheat. oats and barley look fine.

Little Frost Near Battleford. ed rain fell all over the Saskatoon bly on Church Union, but if it turns district yesterday. The downfall was out that the full extent of the action quite heavy and will be of consider- is but to explore its legal import, able benefit to the crops. A litter Methodism will suffer a great sense frost is reported from the Battleford of disappointment," declared Rev. and Lashburn districts.

Moisture Was Badly Needed. Edmonton, June 20 .- One quarter from the republic of Mexico has beau of an inch of rain fell in Edmonton by certain radical groups which moisture was badly needed in spite claim that they are not adequately of local showers of the past few days. or justly represented in the national | Crops over a large part of the south country are now looking the A resolution demanding secession best for several years, states S. G. has been presented to the legislature, Carlyle, provincial live stock com- Montreal Reporter Testifies as demanding that in the forthcoming missioner, after a tour of the proelections a number of radicals be per- vince. The grasshoppers, he said, mitted to stand for the national seemed to be fairly well under conchamber of deputies despite a federal trol in most of the country south of

Downpour in Regina Area. tween Regina and Moose Jaw was during the murder trial yesterday by visited Saturday night with a three Ferdinand Roby, reporter for La Pathour rain. The downpour which is rie, on the witness hand. Belleville, June 20-The com- believed to have been fairly general The government auditors have mittee on estimates of the county in the southern part of the province, completed their probe into the books council of Hastings County estimat- was badly needed by the growing of the Delorme estate, as adminis-

Rain in North Alberta. of the north country experienced fur- it is learned that the total monthly ther good showers Friday night income from the estate was \$2,300 Ottawa, June 20 .- Major-Gen. E. should have appeared to-day is premier of his native province. He The third annual report of the From Millett north of Red Deer to of which the murdered boy Raoul Laurier's cabinet of the talents. Mr. Monday shows a deficit of \$8;047,- Blackfolds, Ponoka, and Camrose varying shares for Father Delorme Fielding will be seventy-four years 635. It recommends the sale of all districts reported rain lasting from and three sisters. Ross. Florence half an hour to five hours.

Brunswick Votes For Liquor Control.

Premier Foster Has a Clear Majority---Province Dry Six Years.

Fredericton, N.B., June 20.-New the among the provinces of Canada missionary programme goes down which have adopted government the war programme will go up, the controlled sale of liquor. That is the islature, the last of which took place ment control, similar to that in Brit-

ish Columbia. When the last days of the session were reached, Hon. Walter Foster. the Liberal premier, announced, fol-BETWEEN GERMAN PARTIES lowing a caucus of the government supporters, that the bill had been supporters, that the bill had been

dropped. announcing the bill would not be introduced, the premier astounded politicians, and the people of the province generally, by frankly de-

New Brunswick has had a prohibirigid dry law in America, and opponents of the government in the byelections have called upon the people to vote against the government upon the grounds that if the administralinquishment of the results of past dry victories.

MUST NOT SPEND MORE.

Church Business. Winnipeg, June 20 .- The manitoba Methodist conference is responsible for the travelling expenses of delegates attending its sessions, but PREDICTED IN WEST in future ministers with an epicur-'simple fare," as the conference today adopted a resolution that "ministers may not spend more than one

dollar a meal." The out-of-town ministers found that the attractions of the dining car were altogether too much for the conference purse.

Methodists Want Action Not Mere Investigation

Winnipeg, Man., June 20 .- "As yet we have had no official interpretation of the resolution just passed Saskatoon, June 20 .- Much need- by the Presbyterian General Assem-S. D. Chown, general superintendent of the Methodist church, Canada at the Manitoba Conference here,

HIMSELF IF ARRESTED

to the Threat of Father Delorme.

Montreal, June 20-Father Delorme's threat to kill himself if arrested on a charge of slaying his Regina, June 20 .- The area be- half-brother was vividly described

tered by Adelard Delorme and are reported heady to give their evidence on its condition should they be re-Calgary, June 20 .- A large section | quired. From a semi-official source and Lilly.