

The Daily British Whig

New York State and Ontario Power Leaders Are Holding Conferences

Statement on Status.

Only After All Usual Formalities Had Been Observed.

Ottawa, July 7 .-- In a statement ued yesterday, Right Hon, W. L. fackenzie King again takes issue with Premier Arthur Meighen on the constitutional status of the present Government. The recent state- Only Six Vote for Dismissal ment of what he describes as the "temporary government" that the procedure followed at dissolution of Parliament last week was exactly the same as that prepared and proposed by Mr. King himself when he sought dissolution four days earlier, Is not true, says Mr. King. And, he adds, if it were true it would not Thomas, general secretary of alter the fact that it was Mr. union, on his conduct during the re-Meighen's duty himself to advise the cent general strike. Governor-General, after he had taken

the statement, fully intended that branches. there should be dissolution only after proper prorogation had been made any, should be taken against the before both Houses of Parliament leader of the railwaymen, was taken had been observed

The recent statement of Hon. pose of carrying on government and dramatically, in accordance with recognized con-

Mr. King.

stitutional right, practice and law, the guilty." if permitted to continue," says Mr. King, "cannot fail to undermine the whole fabric of constitutional gov- SENDS U.S. PRESIDENT rnment in Canada and the fundamental principles of self-government under British institutions in whatever quarter of the globe they may be held in honor to-day."

Mrs. W. A. Featherstone, Toronto, Stricken While With Husband and Son.

Picton, July 7 .--- A sudden death Regent Theatre when Mrs. W. A Featherstone of Toronto was stricken and passed away within a few moments. Mr. Featherstone is traveller and motored to Picton or Monday on business, accompanied w his wife and young son. After inner at the hotel they went to the Regent. When the play was nearly finished, Mrs. Featherstone con plained of feeling til and was assisted to the entrance to get the fresh air A doctor was summoned but sh succumbed almost immediateley.

MAY JOIN UNITED CHURCH.

med Episcopalians Incline Toronto, July 7 .- Toronto's one Reformed Episcopal Church is said to be contemplating union with the United Church of Canada. "We are not large in numbers, but the significance of this is not in numbers but in the spirit shown, and in the fact that there can be such a wide catholicity in the United Church," Bishop fillard Brewing, of the Reformed iscopal Church, stated yestery, when speaking in reference to

iscopal Church are the use of the Prayer Book, the office of bishop d the rite of Confirmation

McDougald of Montreal to the Sen- to familiarise himself not only with don, Ont., after escaping from their spartment, the key was put in ed and a detective made a hurried + July 16th. This will be pro- + mobile, Eather Cooper, iwenty-one,

ate Lord Byng's action in refusing the degrees he had obtained in the miners. lissolution to Rt. Hon. W. L. Mac-sister province were accepted in the Robert Forke denies the story that case.

Robert Forke denies the story that blocking the key. After trying for good idea who the apartment thief some time, the object in the keyhole is. He had an automobile, and came he will leave the Progressive party.

LAISES ISSUE Election Date Possibly September 16 WILL KEEP OUT

Ottawa, July 7.— Right Hon. taken into the Government from Arthur Meighen has made good pro- outside the ranks of those who gress in the work of forming his have been associated with Mr. Government and it is learned that Meighen in the House of Commons. the task is almost completed. Unless Names are mentioned as possibilian unexpected hitch occurs, the new ties, among them that of Mr. Pate-Conservative Cabinet will be an- naude, the Conservative leader in Incongrous Situation If He Re nounced before the end of the pres- Quebec last year. Certain of those who were in the last and in other Equally reliable information is to Conservative Governments will head the effect that possible election the cabinet list, including Sir Henry dates have been narrowed down to Drayton, Hon. H. H. Stevens, Hon. within a few days at the middle of R. J. Manion, Hon. Hugh Guthrie, September. The date to be finally Hon. R. B. Bennett, Sir George Perselected this week very probably will ley, Hon. S. F. Tolmie and a few be in the week of September 12th, others. W. G. Black, of Halifax, possibly Thursday, September 16th. who is a members of the acting Gov-No intimation has been forthcom- ernment, may continue in the Cabi-

FOR J. H. THOMAS

of British Railway Secretary.

Weymouth, July 7 .- The Nationa ternoon gave an overwhelming vote of confidence to Rt. Hon. J. H. Only six delegates voted for his

dismissal from office as demanded The late King Government, says by Nine Elms and Manchester The question of what action, if

and after all the usual formalities up at a secret session of the union yesterday morning. Mr. Thomas not only is political

Hugh Guthrie, acting Minister of head of the National Union of Rail-Justice, deals chiefly with the forma- waymen, but was the chief negotiation of the present Government and tor for the Trades Union Congress. very little with the "fundamental with the Baldwin Cabinet in everyquestion of the appointment of thing pertaining to the general ministers of the Crown for the pur- strike, including its calling off so

His attitude toward general strikes was outlined in a speech last Sunitutional practice and law," says day, in which Mr. Thomas answered his critics within the Labor movesays the ment. At one point he declared: "A ner Premier, for Mr. Meighen to general strike by the very nature of inue to advise the Governor- things must fail. It is doomed to wal after his adverse vote in the failure from the moment it is deouse of Commons the night before. clared, because it is a brutal attempt This "unwarranted violation of con- to punish the innocent as well as

SARCASTIC MESSAGE

Indian Communist M.P. Pokes Fun at Country's Boast of Freedom.

London, July 7 .- Shapurit Saklatvala, the Indian Communist Member of Parliament, who recently was barred from the United States by the State Department has addressed the following message to President Coo-

"Congratulations on 150 years of National Freedom and social progress. Your Nation must feel thankful that no Kelloggs, with emigration acts were then in existence to ban George Washington, and other revolutionary spirits from entering the country."

Saklatvala was barred from entering the United States, to attend the Inter-Parliamentary Union Conference last year. Frank S. Kellogg, Secretary of State, denied him mission on the grounds that he was a revolutionist. He appealed President Coolidge without avail. Saklatavala only recently was released from prison in England, after serving two months imprisonment for making a seditious speech Hyde Park, during the recent general strike in Great Britain,

Graduate of Royal Military College to Enter Laval University, Quebec.

nier Heighen, was this afternoon that his son would be given more The appointment of Dr. W. L. advantages that he had had himself, patient at the Ontario Hospital, Lon-been out for an hour returned to The police were immediately call- ing in the Auditorium here on the Denied the use of the family auto-

Cadet Meighen did not have to go The British Trades Union Con- the key into the lock at first because of that vicinity were able to give the before the election, and it is . Mrs. Augusta Cept. forty-four, was through all the usual formalicies, gress reveals general secrets which it was found that something up- police some clue as to the identity & stated that the date of the siec- & found dead at Chicago with several. The Imperial Conference will de- but, by a decision of the examiners, may harm the cause of the striking peared to be in the keyhole that was of the thief. The police have a fairly & tion will be announced by him & burners in her laundry stove open.

4 LARGE DEER SMASHES INTO STORE WINDOWS

New Glasgow, N.S., July 7,-◆ A large buck deer wandered ◆ finto this town yesterday and f + ran amuck through the streets, o causing considerable damage. A + furniture store and a barber + shop both had large plate glass & windows smashed by the animal. Crashing through front window of the barber + shop, the buck dashed across + the floor, making his exit by the back door. The deer was & * badly cut and left a trail of * + blood as he fled. He swam the · East river and disappeared in + the woods.

MOTORIST MURDERED.

Shot From Behind While Priving Car at Night.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., July 7 .-Frank Raporto, thirty-two years old. was shot dead last Monday night pole and upset in a ditch

ward to allow someone to step out, as it obtains in Great Britain. were heard.

As Provost of Trinity College Toronto-Was a Rhodes Scholar.

Quebec, July 7 .- The Very Rev. Louis Ralph Sherman, M.A., D.D., Dean of Quebec since 1924, has been appointed Provost of Trinity College, Toronto, according to news received here last evening. When informed of his appointment, and asked whether he would accept, the Dean stated that he was not yet ready to make a wheel thrown from a passing auany statement, as he had received no tomobile, dying in a local hospital

Trinity, Toronto, and while still a a nut had loosened spun into the a serious offence. John Hoy, Pres young man, is widely known as an yard, knocked her off her feet and im- cott, for a similar offence, was extremely able and scholarly church- bedded itself in the lawn. Charles sentenced to three months in the man. He was a Rhodes Scholar and F. Horsley, of Utica, was the owner same institution and a further indetook his M.A. at Oxford, having pre- of the car. viously attended the University of Bishop's College, Lennoxville,

The late Provost, Dr. C. A. Seager. was recently appointed Bishop of Ontario, and will be consecrated on St. Bartholomew's Day; August 24th. at Kingston.

Tweed Lady is injured By an Automobile

On Saturday night, about elever o'clock, while Mrs. William Countryman, Tweed, was attempting to cross the street to her car, she was struck by a touring car travelling north, driven by Mr. Minnie, Sulphide. A car travelling south con fused Mrs. Countryman and her ed into the apartment occupied by and rear wheels passed the the Misses Neish and a sum of money Things were in nie was driving slowly and is not entrance of the occupants of the made his escape from the building lamed for the accident.

Albert Leonard Smille, aged 33, a | When the Misses Neish, who had street.

turns to Tory Fold.

Have Arisen by Meighen's Rise to Power Now.

Winnipeg, Man., July 7 .- Unde the heading Sir Robert Borden to re enter politics, the Free Press says editorially:

"Many Canadians will regret the return of Sir Robert to the turmoil of political life after the part which he played during the war as prime minister durnig the whole of that momentous period. His health was ser- DROWNED SAVING ously impaired by the heavy responsibilities of that time, and by Canadians in general he has been held in high regard. But no one would ex- + Samuel L. Price, Jr., a Can- + pect that feeling to remain the same | adian civil engineer, whose parif he is induced to actively identify dents are said to reside in Vanhimself with the Conservative party + couver, B.C., was drowned in + again in order to aid Mr. Meighen in | + the waters of Lake Union here + difficult election contest.

It is Monday, when he made a + would have preferred that the last wife of his friend, Fred & board the Empress of Scotland on an remembrance of Sir Robert's public & Green, when their small boat & important official mission. He will career should have been his service as | capsized. Price, unable to swim, + be accompanied by his wife. Canada's war premier and in such | manager to keep Mrs. Green ing of the Peace of Versailles and at | was recovered. the disarmament conference at Wash-

"Moreover, is there not something while driving his automobile. A very incongruous about Sir Robert bullet entered the back of his head joining Mr. Meighen just now? Sir and passed out his forehead, going Robert's constant insistence on the re- Lack of Coal May through the windshield of his car, cognition of the new status won hi The machine ran a short distance Canada and the other dominions durand then swerved against a telephone ing the war is still well remembered. But the present election centres about Police believed that Raporto was the question whether the right of a shot by someone who rode in the Canadian prime minister to a dissoluback seat of the machine. The seat tion shall depend on the old rule as it beside the driver was furned for applies to the colonies or on the rule

Police were told that a man ran "After the declaration by British through a field near where the shoot- statesmen during the war of the ing occurred just after the shots equality of status of the dominions and Great Britain, Sir Robert was always careful to secure the observance of that principle. It was not observed, however, in the circumstances which precipitated the elec-SEAGER tion now pending. It was as a long of the denial of the principle of equality in respect to the right dissolution and the applying to Canada of the old colonial rule, that Mr. Meighen became prime minister. How, then, can Sir Robert accept place in a government which has no right to exist unless we throw overboard the principle for which fought on various occasions during and after the war?"

Killed by Wheel of Auto. Syracuse July 7 .- Mrs. Simon Bulson, of Williamstown, was struck by official notification of his appoint- early yesterday morning. Mrs. Bulson liamson, a man seventy-four years was in front of her barn at Williams- of age, was sentenced to nine months Dr. Sherman was for many years town, when the wheel, believed to in the Ontario reformatory, dating ector of the Church of the Holy have wormed free from the axle after fromt he time of his committal, on

on Tuesday afternoon between four

and five o'clock, entry being affect-

through a back window.

he will leave the Progressive party. dropped to the floor on the other here from an eastern town.

"Le Coup D'Etat" Is How Bourassa Describes the Meighen Dissolution

assa ,former member of parliament] for Labelle, and director of the newspaper Le Devoir of Montreal, featured on the front page of this der his own signature, dealing with the present political situation. Captioned "Le Coup D' Etat" the article reviews the circumtsances leading up to the dissolution of Parliament and weighs the pros and cons of the cellency's verification of whether Mr. voted unanimously by the two

HIS FRIEND'S WIFE

Seattle, Wash., July 7 .--

Stop Cotton Mills

London, July 7 .- The Daily

Mail says almost the complete

stoppage of the Lancashire cot-

ton mills is expected within a

few days, owing to the lack of

coal suplies. Very few firms

have another week's supply, and

there is little likelihood of their

getting more, owing to the

Andrews Goes to England.

Washington, D.C., July 7 .- Gen-

eral Lincoln C. Andrews, assistant

secretary of the Treasury, and chief

of the prohibition enforcement ser-

vice, promised his superior yester-

day he would stick to his post until

he has finished re-organization of

General Andrews will sail from

New York to-day for London as

the head of a mission to confer with

British officials on closer co-opera-

tion in enforcement of anti-smuggling

Given Prison Terms,

miners' strike.

the dry forces.

treaties.

Between Four and Five O'Clock in the Afternoon-

A robbery occurred at the Brock | side of the door. The door was then

Apartments building. Brock street opened and it was found that what

apartment, made his escape out through a back window and

Escaped Through Back Window.

Montreal, July 7 .- Henri Bour- | mand a majority in Parliament, and

"Contrary to immemorial usage" His Excellency refused or neglected to profit by the offer of his advisers in office. He got rid of the min-Journal last evening an article un listry without assuring himself of the possibility of having another possessing the confidence of

Mr. Bourassa asks if Lord Byng

The former member for Labelle matter. Mr. Bourassa finds that, un- says that, following the defeat of the as in England, the Governor-Gen- the impasse, and that was to recall eral was not justified in denying dis- Mr. King to office for the sole pursolution to former Premier King. pose of terminating the session. "In Mr. Bourassa declares that the default of this correct gesture, there factor that has been lost sight of remained to His Excellency the rewas an offer made to the Governor-I sort of proroguing Parliament with General by Mr. King to continue his a semblance of decorum, after hav- of the New York State Power Comduties as premier pending His Ex- ing sanctioned laws and subsidies King or Mr. Meighen could com- Houses and by all parties.

LORD CLARENDON IS COMING TO CANADA

Expected to Deal With Imperlal Relations Which Have Recently Arisen.

London, Puly 7 .- Lord Clarendon

What the exact nature of the miscapacities as that which he filled as A afloat until rescue of the wo- + sion will be is something of a myour chief representative at the fram- man was effected. The body stery, although ostensibly Lord Clarendon will be engaged in important Overseas settlement work. It is generally believed, however. more important problems which have recently arisen in the relations between the Mother Country and the Dominion, although it is made clear

recently without any specific instructions from Col. Amery and has merely made a report of his actions to the Secretary for Overseas Af-

Lord Clarendon, before going to the House of Lords, and while known as Lord Hyde, spent several years with his wife, her brother, Lord Somers, and his children farming in Canada, at Pickering about 20 miles from Toronto. Their stay in Canada was brought to close by the outbreak of the Great War in 1914, which caused Lord engineers and our engineers confer Hyde and Lord Somers to hasten home to rejoin their respective regiments for service at the front

For the Federal Campaign-Conservatives Cannot Improve Their Position.

single province in the dominion where the Conservatives can hope to improve their position," said Duncan Marshall, Liberal organizer, discussing the outlook. we shall undoubtedly improve ours in almost every province. The Conservatives reached their peak at the last election, and they know it."

Mr. Marshall claimed that Liberal party in Ontario would hold every seat and that they have good fighting chance in twenty

Sum of \$90 and Jewellery Taken ideas, who cares for his rights of citizenship, contrasted to government by the governor-general and Thief Used Skeleton Key to Effect Entrance-Robbery Occurred high tariff two of the main factors of the Tory autocracy.

"There will be a fight in every constituency," declared Mr. Marshall, "And we are in fine shape. My office has simply been deleged by Liberals from the out-ou-lown con stituencies. All of them are most optimistic."

IN OTTAWA ON 16TH + Dayton.

come out the laneway on Brock | day, Premier Arthur Meighen is 4 ever, it was restored. McDougald of Montreal to the Sento familiarise himself not only with
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less Canada's constitutional evolu- new Government, there was one contion does not follow the same course stitutional means of emerging from With Regard to Negotiations to Develop Power on the St. Lawrence River.

Toronto, July 7 .- Representatives mission to-day were in conference with representatives of Ontario at the parliament buildings here of the question of developing, power on the St. Lawrence river, and it is announced that definite progress was made in the negotiations. The conference will be renewed here on Friday, and in the meantime the New York State Commission will visit Niagara Falls to look into the question of power development of

the lower Niagara Gorge. Premier Ferguson and the chairman of the Ontario Hydro Power fairly safe to say that most Canadians + heroic attempt to recsue the + is sailing for Canada Saturday on Commission were among those who met the New York commission today. The New York state representatives came to Toronto mainly to obtain the view of the Ontario authorities in regard to the granting of licenses to private American corporations to develop power on the St. Lawrence. Several applications that his mission will deal with other from private corporations are now before the New York commission Schemes under consideration call for the development of 2.400,000 H.P. half of which would come to O

> Following the conference, Premiet Ferguson made a statement in par as follows:

"We are desirous of developing the St. Lawrence to the greatest advantage to both parties.

"Discussions here have strated the determination part of both state and province to reach a common ground as to - th method of development.

"It has been arranged that state and become fairly conversant with each other's views, and later we will have a further conference."

"New York state engineer Roy G Finch said: "We feel that the deliberations of the two bodies are bound to lead to an agreement by which FINE FETTLE the development of the St. Lawrence river will be carried out to the beneriver will be carried out to the benefit of both province and state."

Supply Available by Warrant of Governor

Ottawa, July 7 .- Supply for civil administration expenditures and other "necessities" will be made available by way of Governor-General's warrant without entailing inconvenience to the recipients. This was the intimation made in Government circles this morning.

Rains Drown 80 Persons Tokio, July 7 .- Heavy rains in Western Japan have drowned thirty persons and destroyed about 4,500

in City-Whole State Was Swept.

Columbus, Ohio, July 7 .- Dayton was isolated from all wire communication early yesterday afternoon following a storm which swept southern and western and central Ohio and which is reported to have been accompanied by a cloudburst at

Cincinnati also was hard hit by Ottawa, July 7 .-- Following + the severe rain and electrical storm.

The strike of New York subway Trailway employees reduces the ser-

rvice to 30 per cent. of normal.