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LONGSHOREMEN'S STRIKE MAY BE ARBITRATED UNDER CONCILIATION ACT

Battle Royal Being Fought in Streets of Londonderry

Many Killed and More Wounded; Barricades Erected in Streets; Unionist Members Ask for Martial Law

LONDON, June 23.—In Londonderry today there is no cessa- PRISONER DID Barricades have been erected on the streets and the men are fighting behind these. Many are dead and more are injured. ooting continued throughout the night.

The Unionist members of Parliament demand that martial be declared in Ireland. They say that the viceroy and his secretary are virtually prisoners in their own houses.

High School Pupils Who Passed Their Examinations

Good Recard made in both Crades; 9 out of 12 in the Senior and 27 out of 33 in Preliminary

Course Made Good

Yesterday the pupils of the high school received their diplomas showing the record made for the year. In the advance course, sentence at Okalla Prison Farm unior grade there were 12 candidates of which 9 passed and in for selling liquor, did not arrive the preliminary course first year 27 passed out of 33. This is considered a very satisfactory record. The following are the

CROP REPORT

ON THE PRAIRIES

The Free Press crop report

tions" are continuing this

month. Besides the Free

Press report all private in-

formation received here is

to the effect that the pros-

MURDER PRIEST

Atlin Man Under Arrest on Serious

Charge-Alleged Attempt on

Life of Father Allard.

Pacific International.

American League.

National League.

Cincinnati 1, Philadelphia 3

....cago 10, New York 4.

the recent arrivals in the city.

Wm. E. S. Dudoward is among

Philadelphia 1, Chicago 2.

Washington 6, Detroit 1.

Boston 5, Cleveland 13.

New York 3, St. Louis 9.

Pittsburg 9, Brooklyn 7.

St. Louis 2, Boston 3.

Tacoma 2, Spokane 3.

Victoria 10, Yakima 15.

eral shots were fired.

pects are very bright for

heavy crops this year.

Advanced Course, Junior Grads. Maximum Marks 1,000)

Roth Gordon, 784, Cedric Dunan 744, Marjorie Roberts 726, lan McNicholl 679, Eva Cavalie 6, Margaret Lindsay 629, Helen Morrison 620, Petra Lindland 604, Dorothy Stephen 596.

Passed conditionally, 2-Mary McLennan, 588; Constance Mc-Mulfin, 520.

Preliminary Course, First Year.

Maximum Marks, 1,100.) Lee Gordon 946, Willie Kergin 39, Fred Kergin 934, Gertrude Nelson 933, Signe Erickson 921, Mary Sim 892, Minnie Rank 887, Willie Cavalier, 875, Irene Carter Vera Shockley 864, Lucy Pillsbury 837, Maydo Larkin 829, Rhona Saunders 791, Hannah Essen 773%, Frank Morrison 755, Mollie Cross 749 36, Grace Leck 738, Marjorie Lancaster 730, Willie Montgomery 716, Alberta Hill 712, Clarence Insulander 712, Willie Mitchell 703, Helen McRae 684. Howard Frizzell 678 Anne Kelly 670, Yves Leveque 633, Reggie Kelsey 601.

Passed conditionally-2.-Amelia Gurvich 649, Evelyn McDon-

MAI PKEAU OLL NEGOTIATIONS

Lack Of Guarantees of Compenlin district. sation for British Capital Invested in Russia is Cause

London, June 23-Negotiations with the Bolsheviks may be broken off owing to lack of guarantees of compensation for British capital invested in Russia. A tentative arrangement had been made with the Soviet representative looking to a resumption of trade relations with Russia.

POUND GROWS IN VALUE

LONDON, June 22 .- The pound sterling has been advancing in price on the American stock market until today it reached four

Assizes Opened and Grand Jury Consider Charge Against Duff and Leahy.

The Assize Court opened this morning before Chief Justice Hunter and the first case called was that of Rex vs. Simon Duff and Richard Leahy. W. E. Wisher appeared for the crown and Stuart Henderson for the defence. The grand jury was sworn and retired to consider the evidence given at the police court trial and the court then adjourned. Duff was present in court but Richard Leahy, who has been serving a on the steamer. The court was to

sit again this afternoon at 2:30. Members of the grand jury are J.T. Ballinger, B.W. George, A. C. Beattie, J. Bulger, W. F. Cameron, F. E. Clapp, J. J. T. Collart, J. Flewin, E. H. Mortimer, J. Mc-Nulty, A. McRae, John Murray. and O. H. Nelson.

WINNIPEG, July 23 .---FREIGHT EMBARGO is very/optimistic. It says . HAS BEEN LIFTED "most gratifying condi-

* Companies Will Receive Freight Where Consignees are Willing to Unload.

Superintendent Beaumont this · head office of the steamship line in Vancouver saying the embargo had been raised for all those consignees who were willing to discharge their freight on arrival

W. C. Orchard has also received word from his company that the their steamers.

WOMEN NOMINATED FOR LEGISLATURE This morning Sheriff Shirley

received a wire from the government agent at Atlin telling of the arrest of August Brunich on a men, were nominated yesterday a brief trip down the coast. charge of attempted murder. The in connection with the provincial victim of the attempted shooting elections which take place June was Father Allard, a well known figure in the north, who previously was stationed for some time in tested by independents. There Fort Fraser. It seems that sevare 16 farmers and nine labor

candidates. Both parties in the affair are The Tillamook has arrived in remembered by local people who have had connection with the At- port from Alaskan waters with over three hundred barrels of herring oil as a cargo. Last year the packers in the north salted BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL down many thousands of barrels but this year as the bottom of the

> lizer and oil from the herring. Simon V. Duff, who is appearing theft of a number of cases of gers for this port on today's boat retrenchment. from Vancouver.

for this particular product, they

have begun to manufacture ferti-

Alex Gray, the local musician, returned last evening from Smithers, where he has been visiting with his parents.

KIDNAPPED GIRL WHO ESCAPED



MISS HELENA GEORGE.

Miss Helena George, the pretty twenty-one-year-old Italian girl who was kidnapped by three men in a big touring car in Brooklyn, N. Y., while on her way to work, succeeded in tricking her captors in a lonely house on the outskirts of the city, and returned safely to her home. She had pretended that she was willing to marry the cave-man suitor and received permission to telephone home. Instead she enlisted a policeman's aid. The police are searching for the would-be cave-man, and will charge b with attempted abduction when captured.

CAUSED A PANIC *

morning received word from the People in Vancouver Apartment Pitched Furniture Out of Windows Thinking Was Fire.

VANCOUVER, June 23 .- As a result of a false alarm sent in by a criminal joker scores of resi-embargo is lifted in regard to ment suites came near panic last thight. For an hour they were JAPANESE GET VOTE pitching their belongings out of the windows and carrying them out of doors.

> There was no semblance of a re when the brigade arrived.

PAINCE ARTHUR NEW GOVERNOR OF SOUTH AFRICA

LONDON, June 23.-Prince Arthur of Connaught has been appointed governor-general of the * Union of South Africa in * succession to Viscount Buxton. He visited British Columbia in 1918.

OTTAWA, June 23 .- The Fran-WINNIPEG, June 23.—Some Constable Ackroyd returned to Japanese veterans who fought members only one earned over the fire. 150 citizens, including four, wo- the city this morning following with the Allies a vote in federal \$2,000, that 22 members earned The driver of the car was hit elections only. .

many of which are being contested by independents. There Aid Shipbuilding to earn that much money they

T. A. Crerar gives "Need of Retrenchment" as reason; Finance Minister Drayton says Security is Good market seems to have dropped out

OTTAWA, June 23.—The Progressives, or in other words, just as they would at any other farmers' party is oposing the Covernment's plan of a large of the covernment's plan of a large of the point. the farmers' party, is oposing the Government's plan of endorsing the notes for the purchase of ships to be built in Canadian yards. at the assizes on the charge of T. A. Crerar, their leader, formerly a member of the Union Govwhiskey, was among the passen- ernment, said the reason for their opposition was the need of

> Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, minister of marine, replied that 25,000 men were employed in the shippards of Canada and one-fourth of them were veterans.

Finance Minister Drayton expressed the opinion that the his head to the rail near Donald security was good.

Arbitrate Strike Difficulty Under Law as Provided

W. P. Hinton expresses Views of G.T.P. in regard to difficulty with Longshoremen

VANCOUVER, June 23 .- W. P. Hinton, vice-president and general manager of the G. T. P., interviewed here this morning regarding the Prince Rupert merchants' appeal for arbitration of the strike dispute between the company and the longshoremen's union, said: "This question must first come mader the industrial Disputes Act. Outside of this no decision will be made by the company."

Mr. Hinton expressed surprise at a message received here in regard to amalgamation of the G. T. P. and the C. N. R. with a view to co-ordinating the work of the Vancouver offices.

Mr. Hinton said he would be staying here for four days.

Peck withdraws Amendment to Report of Committee on Pensions before House

OTTAWA, June 23 .- The House of Commons has turned down the amendment of Colonel Peck in connection with the matter of pensions and adopted the report of the committee of which Colonel Peck was a member, dealing with the whole subject of pensions and reconstruction. Peck withdrew his amendment when he found that it could not carry. In doing so he said that rather than run the risk of delaying the benefits to be obtained from proposed legislation and after having tried to include subsidies to fishermen he would withdraw his amendment. He tried to include in the report the granting of subsidies to soldier # fishermen as the only way of reopening the question of the rights * of returned men.

EARNINGS OF LONGSHOREMEN

Official Figures Provided by Dele- Assistant Director of Constabulgation from the Union This Morning.

This morning a delegation of total earnings of the longshore- shot in the head. men throughout the year was \$95,485,45.

were on call at all hours of the day or night and that some of them went even as far as Ocean Falls to work on ships there.

In connection with the matter of efficiency, the men stated that it did not concern them. It was nis tournament here. simply a matter, of equipment and method. They did their work here

SAT ON RAILWAY TRACK THEN KILLED

Golden, June 23 .- Victor Nelson, was instantly killed by being run over by a train. He was sitting on the C. P. R. track with Station when he was struck.

IRISH BANDITS SHOOT OFFICIAL

ary Wounded in Head and Chauffeur in Legs.

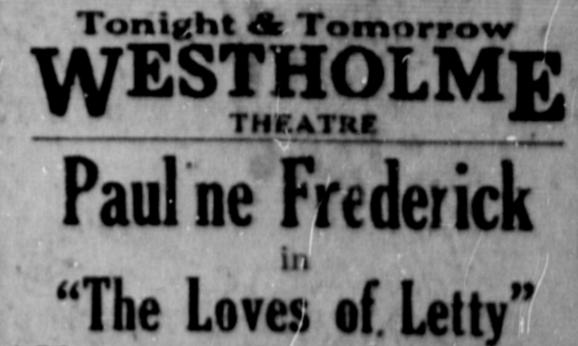
DUBLIN, June 23 .- The assistant director of the Irish con-FEDERAL ELECTION the Longshoremen's Union called stabulary has been shot and badly at the office and presented a com- wounded in the head. He was atplete official list of the earnings tacked when riding in an autochise Act amendment has passed of the longshoremen for the year mobile by a party with revolvers the House of Commons givies 1919. This list shows that of 87 and bombs. His escort returned

> up to \$1,500, that 30 members in both legs, but he kept driving earned up to \$1,000, 11 earned to and a running fight was maintain-\$750 each and the others were ed for some distance, during lower than that amount. Te which the assistant director was

They pointed out that in order AMERICAN TENNIS CHAMPION BEATEN

Wimbledon, Eng., June 23 .-William Johnson, American singles champion, was defeated yesterday by J. C. Park, in a ten-

Launch Alice B. Phone Blue 548.



Chester--- "Broadway will be Broadway" "You Couldn't Blame Her" Admission, - - - 35c and 15c