

Labour Party's Tenure of Office Not Expected to Last

Situation in South Africa Full of Grave Possibilities—Communication in New York State Held up by Snow Fall—Norway to Restore Local Option System—Mussolini Has Overwhelming Majority.

CRUCIAL SITUATION IN SOUTH AFRICA.

CAPE TOWN, S.A., April 8. It is officially stated that dissolution of the South African Parliament will apply only to the Legislative Assembly, the Senate carrying on, as it is empowered to do, under the constitution. This gives rise to a curious situation as Premier Smuts has the majority in the Senate.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN PROBLEMS.

LONDON, April 8. The impending dissolution of the South African Parliament is regarded here as holding possibilities of great importance not only for the Union of South Africa, but the whole British Empire. The political campaign against the Premier has been for a long time gaining force, while the strength of the Nationalists and Laborites have been steadily growing. General Smuts at this moment is in the familiar position of a prophet, less honored in his own country than elsewhere, although this is not to say that he lacks a following in the Dominion.

NORWAY TO REVERT TO LOCAL OPTION.

CHRISTIANA, April 8. Repeal of the prohibition of spirits in Norway is forehanded by a bill which the Government is introducing in Parliament. The measure calls for state monopoly and reinstatement of the old system of local option.

SNOW IN NEW YORK STATE.

MALONE, New York, April 8. More than a foot of snow has fallen in this section of northern New York during last night and to-day the roads are almost impassable. Most trains have been seriously delayed and there appeared to be little hope for relief to-day.

THE DAWES' REPORT.

PARIS, April 8. Brigadier-General Dawes and his fellow repairers seem to have attained the objects at which they aimed, declared La Matin, in presenting a summary of the Committee's forthcoming report which is accepted here as authoritative. They believed, this newspaper adds, without "passing beyond the limits set for them—that is without raising the problem of the occupation of the Ruhr, or trying to fix definitely the amount of Germany's debt, since the Dawes' report gives the exact details on the amount of yearly payments which may be exacted from the Reich, it in no way fixed the number of their annuities as regards that part which depends on the Budget surplus of the Reich."

BRITISH WORLD FLYERS DELAYED.

LONDON, April 8. The British world flight pilots, with the Stuart MacLaren piloting, were expected to be able to take Corfu on Saturday or Sunday, but a week's delay there following compulsory landing at Corfu, but damage to the engine is more serious than at first thought. It was found that a new engine was indispensable while this is being dispatched from England the delay of nine or ten days will be necessary.

CARGOES BAR COMPENSATION.

WASHINGTON, April 8. The mixed claims commission has decided that Germany is not obliged to compensate for ships operated by the United States at the time of their destruction during the war for purposes directly in furtherance of military operations against Germany. Thirteen cases submitted as a test are decided by the Committee.

MACDONALD MINISTRY EN-DURE.

LONDON, April 8. The Government's defeat yesterday in connection with the Evictions Bill intensified speculation as to the probable length of life of the present Ministry. With the Budget only a night away, it is undeniable that Mr. Asquith nor Mr. Baldwin are anxious to take the reins, but the Budget is out of the way, Donald, it is predicted, will not suffer many defeats like that of yesterday, on a matter like housing, which is the forefront of the Labor program.

AGREEMENTS REGISTERED BY LEAGUE.

GENEVA, April 8. Texts of accords, signed by Italy, Jugoslavia in January, have jointly registered by the League of Nations. They show in the opinion of League officials that they can be classed under the heading of Regional Guarantees, and Defensive Alliances, provided for by the Pact of Mutual Guarantees, established by the last League assembly.

THE EVICTIONS BILL DIVISION.

LONDON, April 8. Forty Liberals voted with the Labor Ministry in the Division yesterday on the Evictions Bill, and forty-two abstained from voting, including Mr. Asquith, Lloyd George, Sir John Simon and practically the whole Liberal front bench.

CUT IN NEWSPRINT.

TORONTO, April 8. The Telegram says to-day that a report is current that a five dollar cut in newsprint is pending in Canada, presumably in the United States also. It is understood that a definite announcement will be made within the next few weeks and the cut will be in effect by June 1st at the latest.

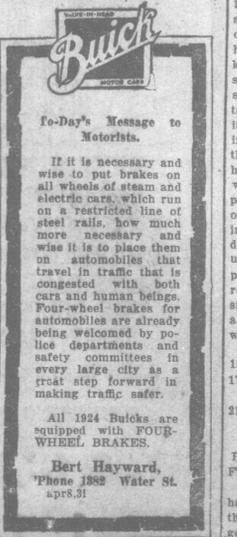
WORLD RECORD SUGAR CROP.

WASHINGTON, April 8. A world record sugar crop is forecast in reports received by the Department of Agriculture, indicating the production of 21,600,000 short tons this year, as compared with 20,000,000 short tons in 1913-14. This year's forecast indicates cane production of 71 per cent. and sugar beet 29 per cent., whereas in 1913-14 nearly 90 per cent. of the total supply was beet sugar, of which more than 90 per cent. was of European origin.

MUSSOLINI'S BIG MAJORITY.

ROME, April 8. In the new Italian Chamber, chosen in Sunday's election, Fascists will have 260 members and Democrats, Liberals, Catholics and other Deputies included in the Fascist list 115 members, thus giving a majority of 375 seats out of a total of 535, according to the Giornale D'Italia.

Core apples, fill centres with brown sugar and chopped nuts; bake, chill, mold in raspberry gelatine and serve with whipped cream.



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To-Day's Message to Motorists.

If it is necessary and wise to put brakes on all wheels of steam and electric cars, which run on a restricted line of steel rails, how much more necessary and wise it is to place them on automobiles, that travel in traffic that is congested with both cars and human beings. Four-wheel brakes for automobiles are already being welcomed by police departments and safety committees in every large city as a great step forward in making traffic safer.

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In the Realms of Sport

INTER-CLUB BOWLING LEAGUE—LAST NIGHT'S SCORES.

Masonic vs. Oddfellows.	1	2	3	Tot.
C. H. Palmer	138	181	125	444
W. Knight	98	126	95	309
W. K. Mercer	108	99	140	347
W. Carmichael	166	148	105	419
H. B. Hatch	126	116	126	368

Oddfellows	1	2	3	Tot.
W. Caldwell	90	98	110	298
H. Johns	90	74	96	260
C. Quick	105	119	110	334
S. Adams	143	136	155	434
S. Grimes	143	76	147	366

K. of C. vs. B. I. S.	1	2	3	Tot.
K. of C.	118	90	137	345
H. Ellis	132	148	98	378
L. Griffin	78	124	124	326
A. Moakler	169	135	159	463
M. D. Tobin	134	116	154	404
J. J. Maddigan	631	613	672	1916

B. I. S.	1	2	3	Tot.
R. Kent	95	92	157	345
S. Constantine	137	126	135	398
C. McKay	121	119	72	312
R. Hennebury	81	114	128	323
T. Manning	130	127	162	419

AMATEUR BILLIARD TOURNEY—R. C. POWER WINNER OF DIVISION "A"				
Power	100	232	322	654
Flynn	58	155	218	431

Series Will Be Completed To-Night. The Amateur Billiard Tournament which has been conducted so successfully during the past two weeks, is fast drawing to a close, and with to-day's play at both afternoon and evening sessions, the finalists to compete for the championship, 1,500 up to the Star club rooms were once again the scene of an over-flowing audience. The playing of spectacular billiards which ensued, followed with the closest attention and greatly enjoyed by those present. The first clash between Power and Flynn, was eagerly looked forward to, because the result of the game would decide as to which player would compete in the finals with the winner of Division "B" for the championship. Play commenced promptly on time and found Power controlling the balls to advantage. Before Flynn got properly set Power gained a comfortable lead of 48 points which he gradually increased as the game progressed. Flynn, though not playing up to his usual form, played steadily on, but was at a disadvantage, owing to the balls running against him, while he also had the hardest kind of luck playing the various shots. Power, however, was more successful during his visits to the table and, finding the balls to his liking, piled up break after break and increased his lead to 150 points at the 250 mark. From then on Power had matters practically all his own way, while his opponent was still playing under difficulties. On numerous occasions during the game, Flynn improved his position from rather difficult shots and the chances of securing an opening to cut down his opponent's lead proved in vain. As a result the game ended rather one-sided. Power emerging victorious by a margin of 149 points. The breaks were:—
R. C. Power—400—22, 11, 23, 11, 13, 15, 13, 17, 35, 10, 10, 10, 13, 24, 17, 17, 19—280.
G. Flynn—251—12, 17, 19, 14, 16, 10, 21—109.

Time of game 1 hr. 35 min.
Scores at Intervals.
Power... 100 232 322 654
Flynn... 58 155 218 431
Mr. Power by his win last night has the proud distinction of winning the honors in Division "A". He has come through the series without suffering a single defeat and qualifies to play off with the winner of Division "B" in the finals.

MIKE MCTIGUE HOLDS TITLE UNDER JERSEY LAWS.

But Young Stribling Is Actual World Champion To-day. Newark (Canadian Press)—Young Stribling, 19-year-old Macon, Georgia, schoolboy would be light-heavyweight champion of the world to-day, if the laws of New Jersey permitted decisions. Before a crowd of 15,000 persons in the first regiment armoury recently he outpointed Mike McTigue, the title holder, in every round of 12 fast rounds.

There was more spirit outside the ring than in it, as the fans expressed their joy or sorrow by breaking their thumbs.

Speed From Tin Can. The teacher in a San Francisco public school was trying to demonstrate a simple experiment in the generation of steam. "What have I in my hand?" she asked. "A tin can," came the answer. "Very true. Is the can an animate or inanimate object?" "Inanimate." "Exactly. Now, can any little boy or girl tell me how, with this can, it is possible to generate a surprising amount of speed and power almost beyond control?" One little boy raised his hand. "You may answer, Carter." "Tie it to a dog's tail."—Everybody's Magazine.

Microbe Manufacturers their "waste" hops. Now not only can motor spirit be extracted from this so-called waste, but a further result is the manufacture of acetic acid, essential in many industries. This useful microbe develops so much heat by its evolution that it kills all antagonistic germs and greatly stimulates the powers of fermentation. Apart from motor spirit, 15,000 cubic feet of gas, suitable for internal combustion engines, is also rendered available by the process.

The Passing Hour

As The Children See It.

The little ones continue to amuse us with their quaint remarks. There's the tiny tot Punch pictures standing up in the bathtub trying vainly to scrub between her small shoulders with a sponge. At length, discouraged, she exclaimed: "Mummy, I do wish I was all front!"—Boston Transcript.

When Asquith Laughed.

Mr. Asquith was addressing a political meeting one day when someone in the audience made a very personal remark concerning Mrs. Asquith. "Who said that?" demanded the speaker, angrily.

Idolized.

"It says here, 'One of the idols most revered by heathen is a figure of a woman, seated, resting her chin on her hands,'" said Mrs. Farr, reading from a book.

Bad Breath Overcome.

"Bad breath is a sign of decayed teeth, foul stomach or unclean bowels." If your teeth are good, look to your digestive organs at once. Get Siegel's Curative Syrup at drug stores. 15 to 30 drops after meals, clear up your food passage and stop the bad breath odor. Do not buy substitutes. Get the genuine.

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This Beauty Every Woman Can Have

Radiant, youthful complexion

The most charming women you know—stop to analyze their attraction. What a great part of it lies in youthful loveliness of skin! Eyes follow them admiringly. Other people delight in their company. Admiration is due them, yes. But not alone for the beauty they possess. It is due as well for the intelligence with which they protect and keep the beauty Nature gave. For it is beauty which every woman and girl should have—and keep. And the methods followed by notably charming women, everywhere, are simple. Easily within the reach of every woman—every girl.

Regular, thorough cleansing

The advice of highest-priced beauty experts all comes down to this: regular, thorough cleansing for the tiny skin pores! Thorough—regular—but mild, gentle cleansing. Every night the pores should be freed of perspiration, rouge, powder, dirt—accumulated during the day. But gently, so that skin is not irritated. Otherwise imperfections develop—sores, black-heads, eruptions.

This simple treatment

Do this every night before retiring—and wind nor dirt, rouge nor powder can injure your skin. Wash thoroughly with the mild palm-and-olive-oil blend of Palmolive Soap. Massage the rich, creamy lather well into your skin. Then rinse. Repeat the washing—and rinse again, very carefully. Then, if your skin tends to dryness, apply a little good cold cream. That is all.

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MUTT AND JEFF

WHEN YOU SAY "OIL" TO THE BOYS, YOU WANT TO DUCK.

MUTT: WITTE DID WE REALIZE WHEN WE ACCEPTED RETAINING FEES FROM DOWNEY THAT IT WOULD RUIN OUR POLITICAL FUTURE!

JEFF: RIGHT! THEY CAN TALK ABOUT WINE, WOMEN AND SOUVENIRS BUT OIL CAN RUN YA GUY QUICKER THAN THAT COMBINATION!

MUTT: IT WOULD BE OIL RIGHT IF THEY DIDN'T HAVE SO MUCH EVIDENCE AGAINST US!

JEFF: SURE! AND THE NEXT EDITOR WHO CALLS ME "OILY" MUTT IS GONNA BE MEASURED FOR A WOODEN SUIT!

MUTT: OIL! HOW I HATE THAT WORD!! WHEN I HEAR ANYBODY SAY "OIL" I SEE RED!

JEFF: SAME HERE! COME IN!!

MUTT: EXCUSE ME, GENTLEMEN, BUT I'M SELLING WIMPUS OIL STOCK AT A TRIFLE UNDER PAR AND—

JEFF: KNOCK! KNOCK! KNOCK!

By Bud Fisher.