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## MR. ASQUITH TO ELECTORS

Elaborates Ministerial Policy in Speech at a Great Meeting

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LONDON, Dec. 10.—At a monster meeting tonight in Albert Hall, Premier Asquith laid down the policy on which Asquith laid down the policy on which the Liberal government is appealing to the country. He repeated what had been said by other ministers, that if they were returned to power, the government would demand the limitation of the power of the House of Lords, and then went a step farther and pledged the Liberal party to grant self-government to Ireland.

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The meeting was marked by the reatest enthusiasm. The audience, which filled the vast hall, greeted Mr. Asquith and the ministers who accompanied him with round after round of applause. The audience was entirely applause. appliance. The attempt to the fear of demonstrations by suffragettes. Every corner of the hall had been seached during the day for women. out, but they managed to get two male tly ejected.

reforms. The representatives of the people in the House of Commons had labored faithfully to carry into law the measures promised, but their will had been nullified, and, as a fitting climux. the supplies which the House of oCm-mons had voted had been stepped on by the House of Lords. Therefore, the ise of Commons was now on his lot to take up the burden. The "I tell you in the name and in behalf of the Liberal party," Mr. Asquith proceeded, "we have at this moment laid upon us a single task—a task which dominates and transcends because it

Lords rejected. The franchise law, was still encumbered with of Lords.

Irish Self-Government. d, said he had been fortunate for

tions proper of the second chamber and that the absolute veto must go. The government was unanimous, he said, in demanding the absolute control of the finances by the House of commons, the maintenance of free trade and an effective curtailment of limitation of the power of the House of Lords.

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The meeting carried a resolution declaring unabated confidence in Mr. Asquith's leadership. David Lloyd-George, the chancellor of the Exchequer, who moved a vote of thanks to the chairman of the meeting, received an overtion.

Clarion, and foremost champion of S Mr. Lloyd-George returned to London today from a remarkably emotional campaign among his Weish compatriots. He wound up with a great demonstration at Carnarvon yesterday, where he declared neither Ireland nor Weles would aver neither Ireland nor work and the results of the re

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Jr., seven months old, legs
the brother of his father when Judge Petit in the signed a decree of adoptichild to its grandparents and his wife. The child dead, and his father livelder Dux, who is now the chile con's son.

Boundary Complica
OTTAWA, Dec. 10.—Ho
Pugsley, minister of public
companied by Dr. King, ch
mer, has gone to Washing
fer with Ambassador Bry
certain questions affecting
national boundary, between
New Brunswick. The ri
session of Folly island is
and may be eventually ref
trague tribunal. Boundary Complic

Bad Prairie Sto SASKATOON, Dec. 10 storm of the season so Saskatoon last night and tinued without abatement night it is blowing a gal prairie and householders tle delay has yet been ca but the railways are had able difficulty and are der great disadvantages.

Bishop Stringer Bishop Stringer
KINCARDINE, Ont.,s
telegram was received t
by Mrs. Stringer, wife of Yukon, announcing
at Circle, Alaska, and st
was in good health, that
delayed by ice and expeDawson by December 2
Stringer is a Kincardin
there has been much anx
safety, word not having
from him for six months

Battleships in Col MASHINGTON, Dec. 1 battleships Georgia and 1 lided on Thursday afterne gaged in tactical exercivirginia Capes. The ci collision were not serious ships were able to return Roads today with the Rivets in the two vessels. This information came to partment this afternoon f miral Schroeder, comme fleet.

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Oil company, owner of.
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