Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

ELECTORAL REFORM GETS A SET BACK.

COPENHAGEN, To-day.

If the German press correctly reflects public opinion on the event, the appointment of George Michaelis as Imperial Chancellor will be associated with the death of the movement to parliamentarize the Imperial Administration by giving the Reichstan members seats either in the Cabinet or in a new controlling body to be created such as the proposed Imperial Council of Representatives. The press of Bavaria and other states in the Empire was quick to point cut that a Parliamentary Ministry could not be introduced without upsetting the whole federal character of the Empire, which finds expression in the their trenches. Supreme Bundesrath. The alternative idea which Bethmann Hollweg actually considered for time, namely the in stitution of an Imperial Council, con sisting of five representatives each of the Government, Bundesrath and Reich- tack on the French positions in the stag to serve as a connecting link between the Government and represen- back, leaving a number of dead, actative institutions of the nation, has been dropped, according to the Catholic newspaper Germania.

THE IRISH CONVENTION.

DUBLIN, To-day. The National Convention will as semble on July 25th in Regent House | council ministers has been convoked | of Trinity College, according to an in an effort to avert a crisis. Their official announcement. The Chief names are A. I. Shingaroff, Minister Secretary for Ireland, R. E. Duke, will of Finance; Prof. Manuiloff, Minister preside until the Convention chooses of Education; and Prince Skavesky, its own Chairman. It is expected that head of the Dept. of Public Aids; the proceedings will be private, but The resignation of these Cabinet Minprobably an official record will be isters followed a sharp disagreement

"THE HOUSE OF WINDSOR."

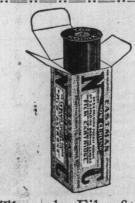
LONDON, To-day. King George to-day at a meeting of the Privy Council announced the new drawn by M. Tereschtenko and Tsaraname of the Royal House and family telli without the authorization of the to be the House of Windsor. The Privy Council at which the King an- telli, the Cadets maintained, simply Nfld. coast to attempt to refloat the nounced the change was held at St. had been given the power of making Kristianifjord, the wrecking steamer James's Palace. It was the most im- a declaration in the name of the Gov- Lord Strathcona left Quebec for the portant and largest attended since the ernment. M. Tereschtenko and Tsara- scene of the wreck. coronation. The attendants included telli insisted upon the immediate pub-Premier Lloyd George, Foreign Secre- lication of the declaration, adding that KALUSZ ABANDONED BY THE tary Balfour and other members of the Cabinet, the Archbishop of Canterbury, former Premier Asquith and all the members of Colonial Governments who are now in London. The Privy Council unanimously endorsed favor of the declaration as already King George's announcement and a drawn without correction or alteraproclamation putting it into effect tion. Opposed by the majority, the was published this afternoon.

TWO LARGE SCHOONERS STRAND-

LONDON, To-day. Lloyds announces the American schrs. Addie M. Lawrence, 2807 tons, merce and Education. and Edward B. Winstew, 3,424 tons have been stranded and regarded as total losses. The Winstow had previously been reported to be on fire.

BRITISH REPORT.

LONDON, To-day, We gained ground slightly during This statement denies that relations the night northwest of Wirnemen, says a statement of the British War Office to-day. In the Nieuport sector, to the Argentine note. the communication adds, one of our raiding parties encountered a large party of the enemy in front of the



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blumberg, 1,226 tons, is registered Airplanes Will from Hamburg.

> SHOOTING AFFAIR IN PETRO-GRAD.

PETROGRAD, July 17. Two demonstrations against the Government resulted in the firing of shots in the Nevsky Prospekt at midnight, as a result of which a number of persons were killed or wounded. The firing apparently was the result of stray shots which brought on a panic, in which the demonstrators turned rifles and machine guns on each other. Quiet was restored after few minutes. The demonstrations vere organized by the Bolsheviki, the majority faction of the Social Demo-

ANOTHER RESIGNATION.

LONDON, July 17. A despatch from Petrograd says hat M. St. Panoff, acting Minister of commerce, has resigned.

GERMAN SHIPPING LOSSES. LONDON, July 17.

fight our troops drove the enemy back

to their lines and bombarded them in

GERMANS REPULSED.

vicinity of the Teton, but were driven

TROUBLE IN RUSSIAN CABINET.

resigned and a special session of

Government. Tereschtenko and Tsara-

the form might be altered if the

was taken at a Cabinet Council meet

cadet members then resigned.

THEIR SUCCESSORS.

GERMAN EVASION.

Premier Tuan has decided that an bdication edict is unnecessary, as i

would compromise the Emperor. The Chinese of the southern provinces, jealous of his success, are already en-

deavoring to weaken his power, asserting he intends to retain the Em-

HELFFERICH GONE.

Count von Roedern, German Fin-

ance Minister, replaces Dr. Karl Helfferich, Secretary of the Interior, according to the Berliner Tageblatt.

NOT LIKELY TO PASS.

According to the Dusseldorff Gen.

Anzieger, a bill to reform the Upper

House will be submitted to the Prus-

sian Diet with the suffrage reform

BRITISH TAKE FOUR GERMAN

STEAMERS.

The Admiralty announces the cap-

ture of four German steamers by

British destroyers in the North Sea.

The steamers are the Pelloworm,

Brietsig, Marie Horn and Heinzblum-

berg. The Brietzig is 1,415 tons

gross ,owned in Hamburg; the Pello-

worm, 1,370 tons gross, owned in

ASK FOR MINARD'S LINIMENT AND

TAKE NO OTHER.

Hamburg; the Marie Horn, 1,088 tons,

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War Office to-day.

PARIS, To-day.

Since Saturday seventeen German steamers have sailed from Rotterdam hree at one time and 14 at another despatch says. Of the first group, one, the Magdalena Blumenthal, was German troops made a strong atwrecked off Zandvoort. Of the second group, owing to action with British lestroyers not one ship was able to proceed, eight being captured or sunk cording to a statement issued by the and three succeeding in putting back To Make Munitions to Rotterdam. Of the three remain ng steamers which were stranded two were afire.

U. S. AVIATION VOTE.

Three members of the Cabinet have WASHINGTON, July 17. The Senate Military Committee of dered a favorable report without imendment of the \$640,000,000 aviation programme bill, passed by the House of Representatives.

VOTE FOR PROHIBITION.

SAN JUAN, July 17. With 62 out of 76 municipalities over questions involving the Ukraine. completely reported the returns of Premier Lyoff has requested the vesterday's election early to-day Ministers to meet at his private residence when the cause of the dispute showed that Porto Rico had voted for prohibition by more than 2 to 1. will be considered. The Ministers took exception to the form of a declaration

LEFT FOR THE WRECK. QUEBEC, July 17. Under orders to proceed to the

RUSSIANS sense were kept intact. When a vote PETROGRAD, July 17. The war office announces that the ing the two Lvoffs in the Cabinet and Russians have abandoned Kalusz in Eastern Galicia, but have secured the highest, will be employed. Officials the Socialists declared themselves in crossing of the Lomnica River. The of the Westinghouse interests to-day Russians drove the enemy from the village of Novica.

> BRITISH CABINET CHANGES. LONDON, July 17.

Sir Edward Carson has relinquished his post as First Lord of the Ad-Prokopovitch and Charnosky have miralty and joined the war cabinet een appointed Ministers of Comwithout portfolio. According to the official statement of the new minisbe succeeded by Sir Eric Campbell Geddes, who has been director gener-Germany hopes that the affair o al of munitions supply. Winston he torpedoing of the Argentine stea Spencer Churchill succeeds Dr. Chrisner Torb will be settled amicably topher Addison as Minister of Muniaccording to a semi official note. tions. Dr. Addison becomes minister without portfolio in charge of reconhave been broken off, the Governstruction. Baron Montagu of Beaument saving that it has not yet replied lieu is made Secretary for India.

MAKING MORE TROUBLE. PEKING, July 17.

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"This is the

planes used in great numbers will make war futile. My brother and I were so convinced from the beginning," said the inventor of the aeroplane. Wright said air attacks or London are absurd if the design is to destroy the city. The obvious reason of these raids is to keep large numbers of these airmen in England for defensive purposes," he said 'They might otherwise be used on the western front."

"What will become of the airplane after the war?" he was asked. "It will become the most popular vehicle for sport," said Wright. Thousands of young men who will have learned to fly will be coming back. They will not quit flying. It

is great fun. "From the start," said Wright, "my brother and I saw the aeroplane as an unerring scout through which armies could detect each other's movements. An army movement can be successful only if veiled in strictest secrecy. The army with the most eyes will win."

in Private.

Westinghouse Interests Want 1.000 Men to Imprison Themselves for Ten Months.

New York, N.Y., July 13 .- A special to the World from Pittsburg says the Westinghouse interests here are seeking one thousand men who are willing to sign an agreement to enter a new plant to be built for the manufacture of war munitions by a secret process and remain imprisoned for en months, all communication with the outside world to be shut off.

Men who have been approached were told that the plant will manufacture a powerful implement of war and the secret must be guarded until the Government sees fit to make the details public. Only those workmen and officials who would be engaged in the production of the new weapon will know its character and the de-

tails of manufacture. Recreation and entertainment of ev ery possible sort will be furnished the isolated employees. Pay double that they now get is guaranteed and bon ises will be paid for high production. Only picked men whose Americanism is unquestioned and whose skill in their respective vocations is of the

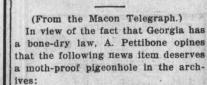
refused to talk. An artisan of high standing who was approached by the Westinghouse igents said he had received an intination that the new plant would turn out in large quantities one of the late inventions of Thomas A. Edison.

SEAMAN'S BAG PICKED UP .ast evening a number of children terial appointments Sir Edward will playing at Buckmaster's Field discovered a seaman's bag partly filled with clothing. The police are of the opinion that the package is the property of a seaman who has deserted

The Revenge of Dignity (From the Springfield Union.)

Cardinal Mercier in telling the Governor General of Belgium that his priests will pay fine upon fine rather than give assistance to the Germans in carrying on their policy of deportation, says: "We await our vengeance in patience. I am not speaking of our earthly vengeance. We have that already, for the regime of occupation that you force us to undergo is despised by everything that is decent in spised by everything that is decent in the whole world. I am speaking of the judgment of history, of the inescapable punishment of the God of justice." It takes more than the guns that silenced Liege to silence this great prelate and the simple truths

What's in a Name?



Loganberry, Ga., June 24.-The sui of Drydale vs. Wetz was on trial here Saturday, with Attorney Casebeer at the bar for plaintiff. The suit involved the rental of a dr

The Wetz side lost. Attorney Case beer's corking plea lacked much of being dry, and the plaintiff won the case

Drydale won judgment for \$1,000 The case was tried before Judge Hay WOUNDED WITH CANADIANS.

J. Hanrahan, Conception Bay ported wounded July 14.

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