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Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Nov. 11. As a result of Austria's threats, it is now said here that the Admiralty has been working secretly for months and that England's great Navy is now on a war footing and ready to strike. This will probably do more than any other agency to insure European peace. Animated by purely patriotic motives, and in obedience to instructions by the Government, the British press did not print a line about the strange activities in the dockyards until ten days ago, when Britain called all her sailors to the colours. Even then, once more obeying instructions all the papers published the diplomatic fiction that the mobilization of battleships, cruisers and destroyers in squadrons was only part of a project to give all sections of the service practical sea drills. Britain does not want to fight. She will exhaust every effort of diplomacy to avert a general European war, but everybody here reads between the lines of Asquith's speech of Saturday night the expression of a firm determination to prevent Austria from excluding Serbia from the Adriatic, and her allies from robbing the Balkan States of the fruits of victory, which have cost them thousands of lives on the battlefields.

Special Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Nov. 11. The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail learns that the threads of the Austro-Serbian crisis are now in the hands of the German Secretary of Foreign Affairs, who is working a formula designed to appease both Austria and Serbia.

Editor Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Nov. 11. The Daily Mail's Sofia correspondent says that preliminary conversations have been begun with Austria in the name of the Balkan League. The latter has made every possible concession, but maintain that a Serbian outlet to the Adriatic is an absolute essential. The press and public opinion in St. Petersburg, according to a despatch to the Mail from the Russian capital, considers a conflict between Russia and Austria is imminent, if Austria continues to threaten Serbia.

Special Evening Telegram.

VIENNA, Nov. 11. There is much excitement here over the possibility of war between Russia and Austria. Reports of the mobilization are imminent, though this is officially denied. On the contrary it is said that Austria is awaiting the end of the war before opening formal negotiations with Serbia.

Special Evening Telegram.

PARIS, Nov. 11. According to a Sofia despatch to the Journal, the powers with the exception of Austria, have presented a joint note to the Bulgarian Government, offering mediation. The Government accepted the note, but as yet has made no reply. It is understood that they will decline the offer. Despatches received on Sunday say that a great battle is being fought around Tchalalja, and the Bulgarian Government will do nothing till that has been decided.

Special Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Nov. 11. A despatch from Malta to the Morning Post says that a rumour is prevalent that the British cruiser Brahan was met with an accident. One report is that she struck a Turkish mine. Malta despatch to the Daily Telegraph, however, says the reports are without foundation. Twenty British warships are now in Turkish waters, and are calling at Malta in unprepared numbers, and the market has been cleared to supply them, prices rising rapidly.

Critical Week for Europe.

Special Evening Telegram.

LONDON, 5 this a.m. Europe is facing one of the most critical weeks in her history. It is a time when, in which the whole of Europe will be involved, or be remembered as the week in which diplomatic success in solving problems which appeared insoluble to many. The Bulgarian Army is on the point of entering Constantinople. This will be resented by Russia. At the same time the Turkish capital is threatened with massacres from within. On the other side of the Balkan Peninsula, there is an acute conflict between the aims of Austria-Hungary and Serbia, which, if not arranged, might start a general European outbreak. The most hopeful sign at the present moment is the fact that moderating influences are being brought to bear by Germany, the close ally of Austria-Hungary, and by Bulgaria, the comrade in arms of Serbia. But these nations are now exerting their selves to avert a conflict. The view of Austria-Hungary concerning the future European Turkey are pretty well known and include access to eastern markets, the integrity of Albania including the Adriatic coast, that country, and compensation for Roumania, which always claims when Bulgarian territory is extended her borders should likewise spread. The Austria-Hungarian Minister at Belgrade, just returned to his post, informed the Serbian Government of these proposals, and suggested a reasonable settlement would be, the Austria in return for corresponding privileges in Balkan ports, and on all ways leading to them, should give Serbia running privileges over the line that is built to Port Durrzo, and that the two countries should together use the port as a free port.

MOVES TO HIS GRACE.—A certain manufacturer in the city, who deals in acorated waters, proposes to transfer his plant to Harbor Grace where he intends to reside and conduct business in future.

Special Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Nov. 11. The British Government was defeated to-day by a vote of 228 against 206, when in committee on the Home Rule Bill. A motion by Premier Asquith, for consideration of the Bill, was adjourned. There has been considerable opposition by members on the ministerial side, on the financial proposals, and some 70 Liberal members have given voice to their objections to the Irish Parliament being given control of the Customs, as they argue such control would enable the Irish Parliament to introduce protection. The followers of William O'Brien only this morning announced their intention of withdrawing from the House during the proceedings of the committee on the financial clauses. Postmaster-General Samuel, in announcing an amendment by Sir F. G. Bagnall, said it would mean that the total sum payable to Ireland would be limited to \$12,500,000 a year. Revenue from Irish taxation would be \$47,000,000 estimated on the present basis, and the amendment would mean that the sum handed back to Ireland would be \$12,500,000 for services which cost \$34,500,000 a year. When the result was announced the Unionists cheered wildly. Premier Asquith, when he came in, announced that the sitting would be adjourned. Such divisions during meetings of committee of the whole House, are not unusual, although this is the first experience of the kind for the present Government. Former Premier Balfour suffered in this way several times during his last Parliament. The Government is now faced with three alternatives. It can resign or drop the Home Rule Bill, or it can bring forward a motion to recommit it and obtain the opinion of the full House on the vote, which was taken to-day, after it has given due notice of its intentions to do so. The general opinion is that the Government will move for the recommitment of the Bill and will not resign, in view of the fact that the division was unexpected and occurred on Monday, when many supporters of the Government had not returned from the week-end vacations.

Won't Resign.

Special Evening Telegram.

LONDON, 5 this a.m. The Cabinet held a Council meeting after the Government's defeat, which lasted two hours, at the end of which a decision not to resign was announced. The official statement issued declares the adoption of the amendment was clearly due to such division on motion, which was not even put on the order paper, and was destructive of a resolution passed November 7th, by a majority of 121. The Government, therefore, in its statement, contends it does not consider its defeat necessitate any change in its programme which, in respect to Home Rule, has been supported by majorities seldom short of a hundred.



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ATTACKED BY DOG.—A lad named Fleming, a messenger at Parker & Monroe's, while crossing a field near Freshwater Road and at his work delivering parcels, he was set upon by a large dog. By kicking it and beating it the lad drove the brute off, but not before he was bitten about the legs and had his pants badly torn.

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INVERMORE'S PASSENGERS.—The Invermore arrived at Port-aux-Basques at 8.06 to-day, bringing F. Sheaves and Thos Scott.

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STAGES DESTROYED.—By the heavy sea of last week several stages and flakes were destroyed at Sibley's Cove and Lead Cove, T. B. and some fishing gear was lost.

Another shipment of Ladies' Coats just received. THE NATIONAL STORES.—nov.5.12

DANCE POSTPONED.—The first of the T. A. dance series, free to members, has been postponed till Tuesday night, the 15th. The Society's first card tourney will take place on Friday, the 15th.

ORGANS.—The famous Needham Organ—sold in tens of thousands of homes. Eight styles to select from. Call and see them. **CHESELEY WOODS**, Sold Agent for Nfld.—June 25

GOING IN ERK.—Capt. John Lewis and Walter Kennedy, with Mrs. Kennedy, arrived here from Holyrood by to-day's train. The former goes in charge of the Erik to Twillingate to load fish for Halifax, and the latter goes as mate.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills
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FROM TILT COVE.—By the Prospero this morning there came 11 families from Tilt Cove to proceed to Bell Island. The men to each will go to work in the mines there as Tilt Cove has closed down. Some men also came from the French Shore to go on the Island.

SEWING MACHINES.—In our great Annual Fall Sale of Pianos and Organs we also include Sewing Machines. The famous Expert B. at greatly reduced prices. **C. H. E. S. L. E. Y WOODS & CO.**, 144 Water Street.

SCHOONER LEAKING.—The schr. Walter B. arrived here from Ramdam, N.B., last night and had a hard time of it in recent stormy weather. There is a private leak somewhere in the hull and she made so much water that the pumps had to be kept going the whole time.

We have given comfort to over thirteen thousand people by scientifically and carefully fitting them with glasses. If you are suffering from troubles emanating from the eyes call and see us. **R. H. TRAPNELL**, Eye-sight Specialist.—oct.23.12

GRAVE CHARGE.—Yesterday a city councillor sent a constituent with a note to the head of a civic department. The latter declares a subordinate of the department opened it and read it and returned it later. The Councillor intends having the matter thoroughly investigated with the view of having the man punished if guilty.

A Musical Entertainment, followed by Tea, will be given in the Methodist College Hall on Wednesday, Nov. 20th, at 3.30 p.m., in aid of the Society for the Protection of Animals. The programme is under the able direction of Miss Goodridge and the Misses Johnson, so the music-loving public may expect a treat. Admission, including tea, 40c. nov.12.18

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