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House of Lords Discuss Aerial Defences.

Difference of Opinion as to Britain's Preparedness.—Labrador's Lure of Gold Still Attracts Prospectors.—Floating Mines Menace Atlantic Steamer Lane.

LORDS DEBATE DEFENCE.

LONDON, March 22. Relations with France, and French superiority in a war of defence, was the subject of another long debate in the House of Lords, to-day, when peers of such differing shades of politics as Birkenhead, Haldane and Viscount Grey, in varying degrees, voiced the same apprehension of Great Britain's position of inferiority in the face of the existing uncertain position of Europe. The debate drew from the Duke of Sutherland, under Secretary of the Air Ministry, an admission that the Government in 1919 held it down as an axiom that there was not likely to be any major war for a decade. He added that the

present Cabinet decides, this axiom is no longer tenable, and if the Committee of Imperial Defence acquiesces, and the country is ready to face the expenditure, a larger air force could be raised. Some speakers argued that Government might provide the necessary money by cutting down unnecessary commitments abroad, such as Palestine and Mesopotamia. Lord Birkenhead demanded a one power standard for the air as well as for the navy, and commented on the fact that France is able to spend enormously on air defence, while owing large sums to Britain, which, apparently, there was no prospect of her paying, at any rate in the near future. Viscount Haldane emphasized great Britain's defencelessness against a short range air attack. He did not believe France dreamed of such a thing, but experience proved the whole history of defence was full of sudden changes. Both Birkenhead and Haldane agreed that Germany might be left out of account, so far as her character of organizing her defence by sea, land or air was concerned. Lord Curzon said he had no more confidence in international politics than in home politics, concerning what might happen in the future. He objected to basing the nation's defences on any act of faith. Viscount Grey feared that unless through the League of Nations, or otherwise, some sense of security could be obtained in Europe, it would be impossible to rest content with the present position of Great Britain, and its inability to defend itself against a possible attack from the air.



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U. S. CONSULATE AT SMYRNA DESTROYED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 22. The United States Consulate at Smyrna has been destroyed by fire. The seals and records were saved.

STEAMER GROUNDS.

BOSTON, March 22. The steamer Texan went around to-day half mile east of Block Island, listing heavily to starboard. The Acushnet has gone to her aid. The Texan sailed from this port for New York and Pacific yesterday.

CANADIAN C. O. IN INDIA.

LONDON, March 22. Lieut.-Gen. Sir George Kirkpatrick, son of the late ex-Lieut.-Governor of Ontario, and of the same name, has been appointed General Officer Commanding the Western Command in India.

WANDERING MINE.

BOSTON, March 22. A floating mine, believed from the North Sea, was seen in latitude 43.50 North, longitude 38.43 West, but was lost sight of before arrangements to destroy it were completed. It may be live but it is certainly not known.

CREW RESCUED.

HALIFAX, March 22. A wireless from the steamer Pres. Wilson says that she took off all but one, who was drowned, of thirty-seven of the crew of the Italian steamer Giulia, abandoned and sinking in Latitude 41.19 N., Longitude 57.45 W., yesterday.

THE RUM FLEET.

NEW YORK, March 22. A wireless message from the rum fleet off Jersey to a man in Times Square Hotel, was intercepted by the coastguard station. He was advised

BILLY'S UNCLE

A LABRADOR EXPEDITION. HALIFAX, March 22. The former Government cruiser Petrel is being fitted out here for a bold seeking expedition in Labrador and is expected to sail a few days hence, being financed by Upper Canadian interests with W. C. Berry of Montreal in charge. She is taking a party of scientists, surveyors and workmen, and stocking with supplies.

SCOTT'S DISCOVERY.

LONDON, March 22. The steam auxiliary cruiser Discovery, Capt. Robert P. Scott's exploration vessel, has been bought by the Government of the Falkland Islands for research work in the whaling waters of South Georgia and South Shetlands. She will be chiefly

that the booze laden craft had broken away from the fleet and was drifting for Jones Inlet, Long Island. The message was from a British yacht, and the man to whom it was directed left at once for Montreal, according to information at the hotel.

PERMANENT OCCUPATION FEARED.

LONDON, March 22. A despatch from Cologne says that the French are building barracks on the eastern boundary of the Ruhr, which is interpreted locally as meaning that they intend remaining permanently.

Quips for the Times.

The Advocate shall henceforth be known as the Literary Sargossa.

Into that paper drifts all the detritum of the scribbling crack-brains, and these come from near and far.

A typical example of the rankness which fouls the surface of the Advocate is "We want Squires and the Humber."

We want Squires too, in the sense that the police sometimes want a fellow.

The public "want" Squires too and we have all the clues necessary to his conviction before the bar of public opinion.

We will put the "darby's" on him about May 8th. The rest of the brood will then scatter. Coaker will probably go to Palm Beach.

Another sample of twisted and badly snarled up Advocate logic is contained in the latest New York letter.

The half-brained dabbler in metaphysics has evidently been feasting his poor befuddled mind on such pabulum as H. G. Wells delights to startle the light-headed with.

What a rattle such stuff must set up in an empty head.

It is not "such stuff as dreams are made of." It is more like the effect of a nightmare.

It is ten to one you might see the points of the nightmare's hoofs on that fellow's head.

How nicely this metaphysical (?) rubbish dovetails with the Coaker-Squires political rubbish.

Such a segregation of all that pertains of the nature of literary and political garbage naturally then reminds one of the Sea of Sargossa.

Who can explain the law of gravitation. Capillary attraction, may explain how everything of unbecome finds its way to the Advocate.

This New York writer believes in man's evolution. So do we; also how explain the ante-diluvial mentality of the Advocate clan.

"Save qui peut" of Campbell is now "save Squires."

Leave it to Linagar to head-up Squires, and put the tussles on him.

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Death of a Presentation Religious.

SISTER MARY DE CHANTAL LIDDY. (Hr. Main.)

The Angel of Death has only lately visited us and borne into Eternity the soul of our much esteemed Sister De Chantal Liddy. His terrors, generally portrayed in such melancholy and appalling colors, seem to have abated somewhat in the case of our loved Sister, who was well prepared to respond to the dire summons of Death with that peacefulness and calm so well merited by one whose life was a constant preparation for that dread hour. Having survived a severe illness some months ago in which death was anticipated, our dear Sr. M. De Chantal has been falling rapidly and for the past four or five months has been unable to attend her accustomed duties. Nevertheless, she was a model of resignation and patience even when her sufferings were intense; the words of prayer were constantly on her lips and fortified by the rites of Holy Church she went forth to meet her Divine Master on Monday, March 19th, in the 43rd year of her profession. Being called to a life of perfection Sr. M. De Chantal entered the Presentation Convent, Hr. Main, in the year 1878 and pronounced the holy Vows of religion which aroused her to Him whom the angels serve. In the year 1881 Filled with a spirit of prayer and self-sacrifice which only increased with years, she strove to advance her holy Order and to educate the little ones whom Christ loved so much and with whose care He had entrusted her. The daily struggle to progress in the path of perfection and to instill into the tender minds of young children the maxims of Faith, together with the education necessary for their future lives, was rendered sweet and agreeable by the love and generosity with which the task was accomplished. Her life, so well becoming a true Spouse of Christ, was one of solitude, retirement, and almost uninterrupted converse with God; it does not speak of renown; she did not seek for such, but the renown of the sanctity of her life is only too well depicted in the happiness of her death. The interment took place this morning, March 21st, after High Mass, celebrated for the repose of her soul. The deceased leaves to mourn one brother, one sister, a religious in Girvan, Scotland, three nephews, Rev. Fr. Liddy, Charles, and William; to each of whom we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

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