

THE PEERS BOW TO THE PEOPLE

Subjugation of British House of Lords Practically Assured. Greatest Constitutional Change in British History—Members of Peerage, while Pessimistic as to Outcome, Accept Defeat Gracefully.

London, July 21.—The constitutional revolution tonight appears to be an accomplished fact. Great Britain in the future will be governed practically by the House of Commons, with its hereditary Upper House possessing only a veto with a time limit of two years. The peers find their one gleam of hope in the predictions that will overturn Asquith's revolution and restore the old conditions, but the radicals are confident that in such matters the hands of the clock will never turn back.

A MONGTON DOCTOR MAKES QUICK TRIP

Record Automobile Run From Moncton to Albert Where Montreal Woman Was Lying Critically Ill.

Special to The Standard. Albert, N. B., July 21.—Dr. Bourque, of Moncton, in his auto, made a record run this afternoon, and brought with him Dr. Kirby of Hillsboro. These two physicians were called by Dr. Baxter of Albert, in connection with the case of Mrs. Chas. McGahey, of Montreal, who, with her husband, are guests at the Waverly Hotel.

GERMANY ASKS TOO MUCH FROM FRANCE

German Demand in Moroccan Settlement Cannot be Met by French Republic—May Hold Another Conference.

Paris, July 21.—The Franco-German conversation regarding Morocco, which developed a basis of settlement. While Julius Cambon, the French ambassador at Berlin, continues them with Baron Von Kiderlin-Waechter, the German foreign secretary, they seem only to have disclosed a German programme of compensation on which the French government refuses to accede because no French statesman can agree to France sealing the coast and interior of French Congo to the Sahara River, an area of 200 square miles, nor her revisionary rights over the Congo Free State.

GOVERNMENT AND A PARCEL POST SYSTEM

W. F. MacLean Urges Postmaster General to Evolve Plan for a Cheaper Carriage of Parcels.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, July 21.—The statement of the government's intention to study the question of a state system of parcel post similar to that of England and perhaps adopt it, was obtained by W. F. MacLean, South York in the House today. Mr. MacLean renewed his argument in favor of a state owned telegraph and cable service and added parcel post to his list. Such a system, he stated, had been promised for 20 years but had been stopped by the railways owning the express companies, whose rates, he argued, would be reduced by parcel post competition. "You want more than a skeleton of a system. Express rates in Canada would be cut in two tomorrow. There is more in this for the people than there is in reciprocity. We don't want promises. We want performance," said Mr. MacLean.

Postmaster General Lemieux replied that he had been giving a good deal of attention to the question of parcel post. He said he had seen Toronto and Halifax showed a surprising discrepancy when compared with rates in England. It was costing more to send a parcel from one province of Canada to another than to send it across the ocean. This was one of the things, he said, which could not be explained. Mr. Lemieux said that when some years ago a parcel post system was in preparation, two hours after the announcement was made and for months afterwards the department was flooded with petitions from farmers and country storekeepers opposing the proposal. The petitions, he said, were mostly in the same form, printed or typewritten, the complaint being that all the benefit would go to the department stores. "In my judgment," said the minister, "parcel post should benefit the farmers."

MORE MONEY FOR I.C.R. MEN

Railway Department Suddenly Becomes Generous—Another Indication of an Early Election—R. S. Hocken Dead

Special to The Standard. Moncton, July 21.—The government is getting ready for the elections. Following the increases already noted to the engineering staff, the divisional superintendents are all raised to \$700 a year instead of the varying rate of from twenty-three to twenty-five hundred. The wages of the railway policemen are increased 10 per cent, and it is said the men at the coal plant here will get 2 cents an hour additional.

TORONTO MEN HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Toronto, July 21.—Particulars were received this morning of the accident to a party of Toronto people who struck a telegraph pole near Onkoda, N. Y., while travelling in an automobile at the rate of 60 miles an hour. F. E. Waterman and F. B. Hay were sitting in the front seat and escaped injuries, but J. Gossett, of New York had both legs broken and Geo. McLeod of the firm of McLeod and Allan, Toronto, publishers, has his knee cap fractured.

SUNBOAT SENT TO HAYTI TO PROTECT AMERICANS.



The United States government has fears that the situation in Hayti is serious as evidenced by the Navy Department's order to the sunboat Petral to steam posthaste from Guantanamo, Cuba, to Cape Haytien, this action was taken following advice from the American Consul that American interests were threatened.

GRAND TRUNK WINS ITS SUIT

Rhode Island Courts Grant Injunction Against Obstruction of G. T. R. Railway Site by Rival Road.

Providence, R. I., July 21.—The Grand Trunk Railroad won today in the first contest in the Rhode Island courts with its rival, New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, when Judge Baker, in the superior court granted its petition in an injunction restraining the New Haven road from proceeding with the construction of a freight house in the proposed path of the new road at Woonsocket.

THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT IS TO BLAME

Had Mr. Fielding's Officials Exercised Ordinary Care The Farmers' Bank Crash Would Have Been Impossible

Toronto, July 21.—W. J. Lindsay was committed for trial this morning by Magistrate Denison on a charge of conspiracy to obtain the Farmers' Bank charter by fraud. The only witness called today was William Laidlaw, K. C. He told the court that he was acting for a number of clients, and had found that many subscriptions had been obtained by misrepresentation. After hearing his evidence the magistrate decided to send the case to a higher court. The official receiver has had to notify eight hundred subscribers of the doubt liability on their shares of stock.

WOMAN IS POLICEMAN.

Since her appointment as the first woman special policeman in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Miss Martha T. Karnofski has proven a valuable assistant to Chief of Police McCabe.

BENDU SAILOR DEAD; MAY BE FROM CHOLERA

Quebec, Que., July 21.—One of the crew of the steamer Bendu, which is quarantined at Grosse Ile, owing to suspected cholera, died this morning, and another member of the crew is critically ill and it is believed he will also succumb. It is not definitely decided about the malady which he is suffering from.

AN ELECTION IN SEPTEMBER?

This is the Latest Report Which Comes From Ottawa—Dis-solution in Two or Three Weeks.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, July 21.—The word tonight is for a dissolution in a fortnight or at the outside, three weeks, and an election early in September. As soon as the government thinks it has satisfied the country, the big smash will come. The "obstruction" cry is not worrying the opposition in the least, and is having no effect whatever on the Conservative determination to let the people vote.

BRITAIN MUST ALWAYS RULE

Significant Address by Chancellor Lloyd George at Banquet Given by Bankers of London Last Evening.

London, July 21.—Addressing a banquet given by the bankers of London tonight, David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer referred to Great Britain's continually growing prosperity, which, he said, could only be arrested by a disturbance of the world's peace. Therefore he was ready to make great sacrifices to preserve peace and would rejoice at the subject of arbitration negotiation with the United States. He added, it was essential that Great Britain at all hazards should maintain her place and prestige among the great powers. If peace was to be secured in Great Britain where peace could only be preserved by the surrender of the position she had won by centuries of heroism and achievement by allowing herself to be treated where vital interests were concerned, as though she were of no account in the cabinet of nations, then, he said, emphatically peace at that price would be a humiliation intolerable for a great country like England to endure.

PERUVIAN LEGATION IN BAGOTA STONED

Bogota, Colombia, July 21.—The Peruvian legation was stoned Wednesday by an irresponsible mob. Measures have been undertaken by the government to prevent a recurrence of rioting. The violence was due to ill feeling over alleged encroachment of Peruvian territory claimed by Colombia.

NEW AERIAL RECORD.

Mourmelon, France, July 21.—Aviator Loridan, piloting a small biplane at the aerodrome here today, covered 463 1/2 miles, remaining in the air 11 hours and 45 minutes. This is a new record for distance and time.

LAURIER AGAIN FORCED TO TIME

WILD SCENES IN THE COURT AT VITERBO

Yesterday's Hearing of Camorrist Trial Characterized by Most Violent Demonstration—Court Was Adjourned.

Viterbo, Italy, July 21.—The most violent scene of the Camorrist trial to date was provided today by a personal dispute between Captain Fabroni and Lawyer Lioy. The tumult created all the other lawyers fled from the room. Enrico Alfano and Gennaro Abbatemaggio, the informer, were thrown out bodily by the carabinieri. Giovanni Bartolozzi, fell in a fit and President Bianchi, helpless to maintain order, declared the session adjourned. Throughout the hubbub, Fabroni stood pale, but impassive. As the court room was being cleared, he said, "The Camorra in or out of court can't intimidate me."

Fabroni, captain of the Neapolitan carabinieri, was assigned by the ministry of justice to uphold the Camorra. When court opened today Captain Fabroni was asked by Cavalier Sargio, the crown prosecutor, to explain the assertion that Zamilie Marshal Capizzuti had tried to influence him to swear falsely against his fellow prisoners was correct, replied, "Zamilie is the scum of criminality. Instead, it was Lioy who, through Zamilie attempted to buy witnesses for the defence."

ALL MIRZA'S UPRISING BIDS FOR TO BE SUCCESSFUL—PERSIAN GOVERNMENT NOT READY FOR TROUBLE.

Teheran, July 21.—The Persian government today sent a note to the British and Russian legations, pointing out that the various representations made on the subject of the intrigues of the deposed Shah Mohammed Ali Mirza, had been uniformly ignored, and alleging that indifference of British and Russian representatives had produced the natural effect in Mohammed.

HAD HIS LEG TORN COMPLETELY OFF

Quebec, July 21.—Henry Samson, about 20 years of age, employed by the firm of Etienne Dussault, at Levis, met with a fearful accident at an early hour this morning. He was working on a dredge at Barras wharf, when one of his legs became entangled in a rope and was completely torn off. The dismembered limb dropping into the river.

A BOILER EXPLODED AND KILLED TWO MEN

Portsmouth, England, July 21.—During a special trial of British torpedo boat destroyer Kangaroo off Beachy Head, one of the boilers of the vessel exploded. Two men are reported killed and a number injured.

Conservatives Drag Evidence of Grit Scandals Before House.

Sir Wilfrid Forced to Table Report of Investigation of Chinese Immigration Frauds in Vancouver—The White Wash Brush in Use.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, July 21.—As soon as the House met Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he desired to make a statement in regard to the discussion of the Chinese immigration irregularities the previous day. Dealing with the demands made by Mr. Taylor for the production of the report, he had said that Justice Murphy, the royal commissioner had recommended the prosecution of certain parties and had further recommended that the report be not made public until those prosecutions had taken place. Since yesterday he had further perused the report and was now about to state that Justice Murphy had suggested this course because he was afraid that if the report was made public material, witnesses would disappear. However, he had learned that the parties it was proposed to prosecute are now not in Canada but in China. Therefore there was no reason why even in the face of the recommendation, the report should not be made public. Sir Wilfrid then tabled the report and the evidence.

THE PERSIANS IN A BAD WAY

Mr. Borden also asked for a statement as to whether he himself had been contacted. Continued on page 2.