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Confidence in Lloyd George.

Imperial Prime Minister Triumphs Over Political Opponents--Triple Entente Ultimatum to Hungary--Newfoundland Schooner Total Loss--Reid Brothers Appeal Dismissed.

UNIONIST'S CENSURE VOTE.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The Unionists' motion introduced in the House to-day was as follows:—"That the House views with grave apprehension the Government's action in entering upon negotiations with delegates from Southern Ireland who have taken an oath of allegiance to the Irish Republican party, and repudiated the authority of the Crown. In view of the act passed last year for settlement of the relations between Britain and Ireland, this House is of opinion that no proposals for the Government of Southern Ireland should be made without the sanction of Parliament." Morning papers believe the vote on the motion will not affect the Government's stability. Ulster, rather than the question of Allegiance to the King is regarded as the chief question pre-occupying the attention of members of the House.

VOTED DOWN BY 10 TO 1.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The Commons voted down the motion by 439 to 43. The Prime Minister also achieved another of his oratorical victories before an expectant audience. So far as the movement of protest was designed to draw information as to the proceedings of the Conference it failed. The Prime Minister gave no information as to what was decided, or is being decided, regarding Mr. De Valera's claims to independence, and rumored attempts to arrange concessions from Ulster for a united Ireland. The one piece of information the Prime Minister did give was that unless something happened, within a few days presumably, at the Conference to solve the unsettled state of Ireland's two governments, steps would be taken to give the Ulster Parliament the powers necessary to make it a real government. Mr. Lloyd George declared that the time to question negotiations was when he first proposed them to Sinn Fein by public correspondence last July. Much of his speech was devoted to holding before the Commons the prospect of renewals of Guerilla warfare, if the Conference broke down. He declared the first thing the Government would have to do would be to ask the House to strengthen the Crown forces but pointed out the cost of renewed warfare and the reluctance of the country to incur greater taxation, and ask more young men to risk their lives. He asserted the Government's resolve to refuse concessions which would weaken the Empire, but to explore all paths to an horourable peace, and emphasized the fact that any agreement must be ratified by Parliament. The motion was proposed by Colonel John Gretton, Unionist, and seconded by Rupert S. G. Wynn. No conspicuous leaders spoke in its support. Those who most strongly advocated the policy of the motion laid much stress on their protests against negotiations with men who have denied allegiance to the Crown. Arthur Henderson, on behalf of the Laborites, explained that the party favoured negotiations, although opposing what he termed the previous policy of repression and retaliation.

ULTIMATUM TO HUNGARY.

BUDAPEST, Oct. 31.

The British French and Italian Governments have issued an ultimatum to the Hungarian Government demanding that Charles be handed over to a British squadron and that proclamation of his deposition as King be made.

SCHR. PURDY PROBABLY TOTAL LOSS.

SYDNEY, Oct. 31.

The schooner which drove ashore at Mira Gut in the height of Saturdays gale was the Linda Purdy, 65 tons, of Harbour Breton, Fortune Bay. She will probably be a total loss, according to her master, Capt. B. Mullins. The schooner was trying to make North Sydney when she encountered heavy winds and anchored off False Bay Beach. The anchors began to drag and the ship was subsequently driven up on the beach. Capt. Mullins and Joseph Salters and Sons, of North Sydney, are part owners of the Purdy.

CANDIDATE FOR KINGSHIP.

PRAGUE, Oct. 31.

It is suggested here that the Duke D'Aosta, cousin of the Italian King, is a candidate for the Hungarian Throne.

PROTECTING MURDERERS.

HAVANA, Oct. 31.

Threats against Major General Crowders and the American Legation here are contained in a proclamation distributed in connection with the Sacco-Vanzetti case, and General Crowders is denounced as the representative of American bourgeoise, Sacco and Vanzetti who were prominent leaders of foreign labour in Massachusetts were convicted of murder.

CHINA AND SHANTUNG.

PEKIN, Oct. 31.

The Chinese Government has sent a representative on the Council of the League of Nations, a message declaring its adherence to its previous attitude towards the Shantung question. China wants to take back the entire Shantung leased territory, making Tsingtao an open port, governed as under the German regime by a Chinese Municipal Bureau. China refuses to recognize the validity of forcible purchases of land by Japanese in the leased territory.

THE REID LITIGATION.

MONTREAL, Oct. 31.

The Court of Appeal has dismissed the appeal of Harry Duff Reid and Robert Reid, junior, from an interlocutory judgement, granting Miss Harriot Reid's petition for the appointment of a Rogatory Commision to examine certain witnesses in Newfoundland, in relation to the principal action between the parties, in which Miss Reid asks the executors of her father's will to render an accounting of succession, and to re-assign certain shares in the Reid-Newfoundland Railway to the Royal Trust Co.

REVOLUTION IN PARAGUAY.

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 31.

La Nacion says President Condrae of Paraguay has handed his resignation to the Vice-President owing to the revolutionary movement of his followers. Ex-President Shaerar is supported by troops in the capital.

Social Service Circular.

The following circular letter was read in the Methodist Churches of the Newfoundland Conference on Sunday last. Owing to pressure on space yesterday, the Telegram was obliged to omit this appeal, but trusts that it will not lose the power of force by being published a few hours later than delivering.

The Conference Standing Committee on Evangelism and Social Service.

Dear Brother,—The Conference Standing Committee on Evangelism and Social Service, having had under consideration the conditions at present obtaining under Prohibition in Newfoundland, in general, and St. John's, in particular, and the best means of dealing with the situation, respectfully makes the following recommendations, viz: That on Sunday, Oct. 30th at every Methodist appointment, the betrayal of the Prohibition law be brought to the notice of our people, and that frequently during the year efforts be made by sermons, public meetings and otherwise to arouse their interest in this important matter.

They will of course remember that on Nov. 4th, 1915, a plebiscite was held in Newfoundland when the country, with great readiness, voted for Prohibition, and that on Jan. 2nd, 1917, the Prohibition Act became the law of the land. But, unfortunately, the law lacked adequate enforcement almost from the beginning and the state of things has steadily gone from bad to worse, until at present street drunkenness at least in St. John's is a daily occurrence.

The court records prove that during the month of August 90 p.c. of the arrests for drunkenness was due to "scripts."

A controller has recently been appointed who is notoriously out of sympathy with the Prohibition Act, and the sale of liquor has developed to very large proportions.

Some of the medical doctors and druggists have taken the place of saloon keepers in debauching the public, contrary to law, and are growing wealthy out of the vices of their victims: until, at present, the general condition constitutes a public scandal. Possibly indeed Temperance workers made a mistake when, having secured a prohibitory law, they omitted to employ special agents to assist in its enforcement, but left that work entirely to the officers of the state—forgetting that "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty."

It is now obvious that no improvement can be looked for without some fresh and vigorous action on the part of temperance people. We shall need to use our utmost endeavours and every pressure we can control to hold what we have won. It is of vital importance that we insist on the rigid enforcement of the law. Kindly see that sermons are backed by resolutions, interviews and letters to the press and to your district representatives in the House of Assembly so that everything possible be done to combat lawlessness in our midst.

Happily we are quite sure that in this great struggle we can count upon the loyal and active co-operation of all our people.

Signed on behalf of the Committee.

(Sgd.) L. CURTIS.
Chairman.
WM. WHITE,
Secty.-Treasurer.

Preliminarry Hearing.

The preliminary hearing of the charge of manslaughter preferred against Engineer Cyril Turner is now being held at Carbonear before Judge Penny. As a large number of witnesses are being examined it is expected the hearing will occupy the greater part of the week. Deputy Minister of Justice Summer represents the Crown and Mr. W. J. Higgins, K.C., appears for the accused.

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Asking for Further Information.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir.—As one of the general public, and therefore unversed in matters pertaining to shipping, I am unable to resist asking the gentleman who occupied so much of your space yesterday, with a, to me, unintelligible discourse on foreign shipping, what he really meant.

Unfortunately, I am neither an owner of local sailing vessels nor a charterer of foreign steamers, and am not in a position to gain the knowledge that your correspondent should possess, but I am very sure that if I were so well informed, I would be able to put my knowledge to much better use. There are, I will admit, a few arguments in his letter, but few of these appear to be logical, and all are engulfed and lost in the dense mass of useless verbiage with which they are surrounded. There may be a case for foreign shipping but with my limited acquaintance with the subject, I am unable to express an opinion on the matter, but I sincerely hope that the next exponent of that case will make it to some extent clearer than did your correspondent of yesterday.

Yours faithfully,

At once:—A member of the general public.

A patriotic Newfoundlander.

One prevented by age from becoming soldier.

And not an owner of local sailing vessels nor a charterer of foreign steamers.

Nov. 1, 1921.

Will Debate Disarmament.

Wesley Church Literary Society meets to-night when Disarmament, a subject which has been receiving considerable prominence of late, will be discussed. An interesting debate is expected to ensue. The affirmative will be led by Mr. J. R. Smallwood and Rev. W. B. Bugden will lead the negative. Special interest attaches itself to the subject, as the big Disarmament Conference at Washington starts shortly. A large number of people are expected to be present at the debate.

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Bell Island Poultry Association.

The Bell Island Poultry Show and Exhibition of Vegetable, School and Needlework, comes off this month. Secretary Lawton is a busy man, and, with other members of the Association is preparing for the big event. The Nfld. Poultry Association in St. John's through Secretary Stanley White, is shipping now some hundred odd coops for the birds and this Association has purchased a magnificent Silver Cup to be presented to its sister organization for competition amongst its members. Mr. Otto Rusch goes over to act as judge for the vegetables and assist in couping the birds. Miss Bremner, the well known teacher of Sewing and Fancy Art Needlework, will judge this section, whilst Messrs. Gilliat and Morley will be judges of the Art Work etc., submitted by the school pupils of Wabana.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.

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