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URGING POSTPONEMENT

British Government Hopes to Hold Back Strike.

Only Chance Now of Averting Great Coal Mine Strike in England Lies in Getting the Mines to Delay Their Notices and Lloyd-George Will Urge That They Do This—Leaders' Dispute Brings Hope.

London, Feb. 26.—One of the largest mine owners in England, who has taken part in the conferences with the Government, expressed the opinion last night that the only hope of preventing a coal strike, which will involve more than 800,000 miners, is for the Government to persuade the men to postpone their notices.

James Haslam, the Labor member for Derbyshire, and the agent of the Derbyshire Miners' Association, has stated emphatically that this is impossible, as the miners have decided to stand together, and the Welshmen will persist in laying down their tools on Feb. 29 unless their demands are acceded to. Mr. Haslam added that the Derbyshire miners could settle the whole question in twenty-four hours, but they could not break away from their fellow-workers in other fields.

In other quarters a more optimistic feeling prevails, based on lack of harmony among the Welsh leaders, which may lead to a postponement of the notices. It is understood that Premier Asquith and Chancellor Lloyd-George will endeavor to induce the miners at Tuesday's conference to hold their notices in abeyance temporarily, and the owners to deal with all questions which have arisen, except that relating to the minimum wage, at once, leaving the latter to be negotiated later. In the English districts, in case of a strike, the miners will be permitted to keep the mines clear.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Sir Richard Scott celebrated his 87th birthday at Ottawa.

The British Admiralty is shipping coal from the United States.

Eleven Kingston coal dealers have been summoned on a charge of selling under weight.

Bishop Fallon of London, Ont., dedicated the new Church of the Holy Angels at St. Thomas.

Lorne Widmer, a Mille Roches boy, fell with a loaded rifle in his hand and received a fatal wound.

The bill for the annexation of Tripoli passed the Italian Senate and received the signature of the King.

George Patterson and Warren Dennis of East Zorra were arrested on a charge of setting fire to Patterson's barn.

Brockville Liberals propose to tender Hon. George P. Graham a public demonstration on the evening of March 4th.

The Minister of the Interior, Japan, proposes a scheme for bringing the various religions into closer relationship under the state.

The basement of the First Baptist Church at Dunnville was wrecked by a gas explosion and two young men were painfully burned.

Robert Barr, about thirty years of age, living at Collins' Bay, near Kingston, met instant death yesterday, being struck for a fast train from the west.

Fire on Sunday morning destroyed the stable in connection with the Hastings House in Belleville. These stables have been destroyed by fire three times within a few years. An incendiary is blamed.

A large number of persons were frozen to death during a snowstorm in Siberia Saturday. In Omsk 31 fatalities have been reported, while in Kokopatakavk the death toll totals 32, and in Peteropavlovsk it reached 165.

Much damage has been done to Mobile, Ala., and surrounding towns by a windstorm that blew in from the gulf early yesterday. Coden, Bay Minette and several other towns have sustained heavy damage from the wind.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cullen, the Halifax lady who was a very prominent figure in the McNeill law suit two years ago, wants \$20,000 from David Russell of Montreal. She says he hurt her feelings by calling her names over the telephone.

Guests Bravely Rescued.

Galt, Ont., Feb. 26.—Fire broke out at 7:30 p. m. Saturday, in the Hotel Imperial and destroyed the eastern wings. The damage is \$5,000, insured. The hotel is owned by A. J. Cardy, Niagara Falls. The blaze started in the lavatory.

The guests had a narrow escape with their lives. Miss Cowan and Mrs. Hounhan were bravely rescued, the former by James Harrocks, a boarder, and the latter by H. Rowley, a hotel porter.

Three guests descended by a rope ladder from a bedroom, Turner Virgin, Dr. Durran and James Hall. The first named made a thrilling escape from a third storey window. The Hotel Imperial is the oldest existing in Galt and is noted throughout Canada for its fine bowling green.

To Maintain Cat In Women's Ward. St. Catharines, Feb. 26.—Hugh E. McSloy, treasurer of the General and Marine Hospital, on Saturday received

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"For the past 41 years, I have been suffering with Rheumatism. When I read in the papers that GIN PILLS would positively cure rheumatism, I wrote you for a free sample to try. I could not raise my right arm because of the awful pain in my shoulder—was not able to drink. After taking a few GIN PILLS, I was able to lift my hand and put it on the top of my head."



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A peculiar donation: It was a check from Miss Annie Norris, Ontario street, for \$50. With the money was a stipulation that the sum is to be expended in maintaining a cat in the woman's ward of the hospital. The grant was accepted and a cat will at once be installed and supported upon the \$50.

Earthquake In Costa Rica.

Port Limon, Costa Rica, Feb. 26.—Serious damage has been done by the earthquake shocks throughout Costa Rica during the latter part of the week. The heaviest shock was felt in San Jose, the capital, at 2:20 o'clock on the morning of the 21st, and lasted about three minutes.

Not His Trouble.

"My boy doesn't seem to have got along here very well," said the office boy's father. "Well, to be perfectly frank with you," replied the employer, "I must say he does not."
"Ah! What's his trouble?"
"He hasn't any trouble. It's the rest of us who have had that."

The Unexpected.

"Say, who is that beefy fellow over there with the remarkably broad shoulders?"
"That's the champion chess player of the college."
"And who is the midget with the red hair?"
"That's the great left end of our football team."

Their Distress.

His family felt very much distressed about his going on the stage, did they not?
"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne, "but not until after they had seen him act."

A Bad Time.

"Have you read anything about this Turko-Italian war?"
"I'm just beginning to catch up with it. They showed poor judgment in getting up a war just at the end of the pennant season."

How Willie Won.

Mother—Did you do as I told you at Mrs. Winters' and not ask the second time for pie?
Willie—Yes, ma. I didn't have to ask only once. I got the first piece without asking.

An Exception.

"A good man always is found on top of the heap."
"Not always. For instance, in a football game the best man is usually found at the bottom of the heap."

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BEIRUT IS BOMBARDED

Syrian City Shelled by Italians and 60 Are Killed.

Sensation Is Created In Europe by Reports of the Attack on City—Turkish Gunboats Were Lying In the Harbor and Were Promptly Destroyed—Italians Deny Firing Any Shells at the Citizens.

Beirut, Syria, Feb. 26.—A flotilla of Italian warships Saturday morning bombarded this city, killing sixty peaceful inhabitants and wounding a large number of others. They also sank a number of small Turkish gunboats anchored in the port.

Appearing suddenly off the port, the commanders of the Italian gunboat Voltorno and the armored cruiser Giuseppe Garibaldi sent to the authorities a peremptory demand for the surrender of the Turkish gunboats in the harbor.

Before the provincial governor could deliver his reply to the Italian commanders or ask for time to negotiate, the cruisers opened a devastating fire.

In a short time the Turkish gunboats in the harbor were disabled and in a sinking condition. The custom house was greatly damaged and other buildings also suffered severely. Three torpedoes finally destroyed the Turkish vessels. The Turks fought bravely but were at a great disadvantage, as they were unable to manoeuvre their vessels and their guns were of small calibre.

During the fighting in the harbor a mob looted the Government arsenal and seized rifles and ammunition. One shell burst close to an American building, but injured no one. All the Americans in the city are safe.

Italian Commander's Version.

Rome, Feb. 26.—The first official statement of the destruction of two Turkish warships Saturday in Beirut harbor was received yesterday from Admiral Favarelli, commanding the squadron, to which the cruisers, Giuseppe Garibaldi and Francesco Ferruccio, the attacking vessels, are attached.

The admiral sent the following despatch: "I surprised the Turkish gunboat Avnillah and the torpedo boat Angora at daybreak in the port of Beirut. These ships were ordered to surrender, the time limit being fixed at nine o'clock. My decision was communicated to the governor and consular authorities through the Turkish officer who came aboard."

"At nine o'clock a signal demanding surrender was again hoisted. As no answer was given, fire was opened on the gunboat, which replied energetically. At 9:20 the gunboat was silenced, fire having broken out on board. Having suspended fire, I proceeded aboard the Giuseppe Garibaldi to the mouth of the harbor, where an action ensued with the Angora, which was badly damaged. Her destruction was completed with a torpedo."

"The report that the town of Beirut was bombarded is absolutely false. The squadron then departed."

Admiral Favarelli received a despatch from Admiral Direvel, who returned to Beirut in the afternoon aboard the Francesco Ferruccio, as certain if the Turkish vessels were entirely out of action. He found one of them still afloat and accordingly opened fire and sunk her with a few shots.

British Cruiser Leaves for Beirut.

Malta, Feb. 26.—British armored cruiser Lancaster left here yesterday under sealed orders, presumably to protect British interests at Beirut.

Expell Italians From Syria.

London, Feb. 26.—Turkey has decided upon the expulsion of all Italians in Syria, according to a special despatch from Constantinople. The order will go into effect immediately, but fifteen days' grace are allowed.

Sensation In Paris.

Paris, Feb. 26.—The Italian action at Beirut has caused somewhat of a sensation here, for France, like other European countries, has important commercial interests and religious and educational establishments in that city. An outbreak of fanaticism, which the bombardment of Beirut is calculated to provoke, is feared, and to prevent as far as possible the natural consequences of such an outbreak.

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break, the French Government has ordered the armored cruiser Admiral Charner, which is now at Suda Bay, to proceed to Beirut without delay.

Alarm In Vienna.

Vienna, Feb. 26.—The bombardment of Beirut by Italian warships occasions serious misgivings here. The Vienna papers indulge in sarcastic comments on "Italy's war prowess." Die Zeit urges the powers to take action to prevent Italy from repeating such attacks.

Senator Miller Buried.

Ottawa, Feb. 26.—A great many friends of the late Hon. William Miller, P.C., K.C., of Arichat, N.S., who died in Ottawa on Friday, paid their last marks of respect to the deceased by attending the funeral, which was held yesterday afternoon from the Senator's late residence. The funeral was marked by a large representation of Senators and members, while there were also a number of personal friends and prominent citizens of Ottawa.

The late Senator expressed the desire in his will that if he died in Ottawa, his remains be interred in this city.

Another Cuban Crisis at Hand.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Another crisis in Cuban affairs apparently is at hand. Reports from the island indicate that the unrest temporarily quieted by U. S. Secretary of State Knox's recent note of warning, is about to break out anew, as a result of the Cuban supreme court decision invalidating the law ousting office holders who were Spanish sympathizers during the revolution.

Developments are being awaited with keen interest in official circles here. It is believed that the situation will tax the resources of President Gomez to the utmost.

At the Sign of Suspended Absalom.

M. Camille Flammarion mentions that on the boulevard near the Port St. Denis there used to be a wig-maker's shop which had for its sign a large picture showing Absalom hanging by his hair from a branch and underneath was a quatrain which may be translated:
O passerby, see the woeful rig
Of Absalom hung by the nape
Of his neck! He'd worn a wig
He'd have avoided this terrible scrape.
—Paris Liberte.

Desperate.

Johnny, aged five, had been chastised by his father for disobedience and, running to his mother, said, "Mamma, were all the bad men drowned in the flood?"
"Yes, dear," she replied.
"Well," continued Johnny, looking at his father with a frown, "do you think there will be another flood soon?"

Milk and Buttermilk.

The nutritive value of milk as compared with buttermilk is not near so great as some appear to think. It is about as twenty to eighteen. You get about as many energy units out of a pint and a quarter of buttermilk as you do out of one pint of sweet milk. Besides, the bacteria of typhoid tend to die out in buttermilk because of its acidity.

Gave More Than Milk.

"What're ye comin' home with your milk pail empty for?" demanded the farmer. "Didn't the old cow give anything?"
"Yes," replied the boy; "nine quarts and one kick."

Cape Horn's Lighthouse.

Probably the most desolate, dreary spot in the world inhabited by white men is the lighthouse maintained by the Argentine Government at Cape Horn. This is claimed to be the southernmost light house in the world.

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