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MORE CABINET CHANGES.

RESIGNATION OF DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE.

Some Vacancies Filled—Hon. Alfred Lyttelton Colonial Secretary—Premier Balfour's Reply to the Duke of Devonshire.

London, Oct. 6.—The Duke of Devonshire, who was leader of the Conservative party in the House of Lords, has resigned the office of Lord President of the Council, and the King has accepted his resignation.

The following new members of the Cabinet have been appointed:—

The Right Hon. St. John Brodrick, formerly Secretary for War, succeeds Lord George Hamilton as Secretary for India.

Austen Chamberlain, Postmaster-General of Oxford, succeeds the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain as Secretary for the Colonies.

H. O. Arnold-Forster, Secretary of the Admiralty, succeeds Mr. Brodrick as Secretary for War.

The Right Hon. Graham Murray, Lord Advocate of Scotland, succeeds Lord Balfour of Burleigh as Secretary for Scotland.

Lord Stanley, Financial Secretary of the War Office, succeeds Austen Chamberlain as Postmaster-General.

The Duke of Devonshire wrote to Premier Balfour giving his reasons for his resignation, which he attributed, among other things, to the Premier's speech at Sheffield and his pamphlet on insular free trade.

Mr. Balfour, in reply, says:—"It was on Sept. 10 that you informed me of your resolve to remain in the Government. This decision was preceded by much confidential correspondence, much intimate conversation. There was no phase of policy which I was not prepared to discuss and which I did not, in fact, discuss with perfect frankness. The decision arrived at I had a right to consider final. Accordingly I consulted you on the best mode of filling the vacancies in the Government of which you are the most distinguished member. You were good enough to express some weighty judgments on the delicate matters submitted to you. You even initiated proposals of your own, which I gladly accepted. Our last communication on these subjects was in the letter I dictated during my journey to Sheffield on Thursday afternoon.

"Less than forty-eight hours thereafter I received in Edinburgh the telegram which first announced your intention to resign, and your desire to see the process of resignation consummated without delay and without discussion. The principal occasion for this singular transformation was, you tell me, my Sheffield speech. This is strange, indeed. In at least, there was no doctrine contained in that speech which was not contained in my note on insular free trade, and in my published letter to Mr. Chamberlain. With both you were intimately acquainted during the whole fortnight in which you lent your countenance to the Government after recent resignations. I must suppose, therefore, that it is some unintentional discrepancy between the written and spoken words which now drives you to desert the Administration you so long adorned."

"Till 1 o'clock this afternoon I had, I confess, counted you, not as an opponent, but as a colleague. To such a one it would have seemed natural, so I should have thought, to take in cases of apparent discrepancy the written rather than the spoken words, or, if this is asking too much, at least to make an inquiry before arriving at a final hostile conclusion. But what and where is this discrepancy? I do not believe that it exists."

"Am I not right in complaining of your procedure in reference to my Sheffield speech? You fear that it would aggravate the party division if there is anything certain it is that the declaration of policy then made produced, and is destined to produce, greater harmony in the party than has prevailed since the fiscal question first came to the front six months ago. Had you resigned on the 15th, or had you not resigned at all, this healing effect would have suffered no interruption. To resign now, and to resign on the speech, is to take the course most calculated to make harder the hard task of the peacemaker. Again, do you not feel some special regret at having, at this particular juncture, to sever your connection with a Unionist Administration? At the moment of its most buoyant prosperity your absence from its councils would have been sensibly felt, but you have, in fact, left it when in the opinion of your opponents its fortunes are at the lowest, and its perplexities at the greatest? I see no difficulty in carrying out the policy, which for a fortnight you were willing to accept by the aid of an Administration which for a fortnight you helped to construct."

TROUBLE IN BRITANNY.

An Anti-Clerical Mob Charged by Cavalry.

Paris, Oct. 6.—According to the correspondent of The Gaulois some disturbance occurred at L'Orient, a fortified seaport in Brittany, where a band of anti-clericals broke through a cordon of troops and attempted to set fire to the Church of St. Louis, but were charged by cavalry, who arrested fifteen of them. Another mob assembled near the church at 10 o'clock at night and threw stones at the troops, who were again compelled to charge. The Ministerial papers and the semi-official agency, however, declare that no disturbances occurred.

Mission Burned at Windsor.

Windsor, Oct. 5.—The Mercer Street Mission, also called the Messiah Temple, was burned to the ground at 4 a.m. together with all the church fixtures and furniture, including the organ and library. The edifice, which was a small wooden structure, was used by the colored people in the neighborhood.

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Astor's New Hotel.

Colonel John Jacob Astor's \$5,000,000 hotel, the St. Regis, on Fifth avenue, New York, which is planned to open next Thanksgiving day, will be nineteen stories high, with a three story basement. Apparently no expense is being spared in the construction of the St. Regis. The machinery installed in the basement will, it is said, cost \$750,000 and the plumbing \$250,000. A million dollars' worth of furniture and bric-a-brac, \$150,000 for the decorations of a Roman court and \$50,000 for the furnishings of what will be known as "the royal suite" are some of the other items that go toward making up the \$5,000,000. The ground site of the hotel is only about one-third that of the Waldorf-Astoria.

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DEVONSHIRE'S LETTER.

What He Says in Resigning From the Cabinet.

London, Oct. 6.—Late last evening the Duke of Devonshire's letter to Mr. Balfour was communicated to the press. It says in part:—"I have since we last met felt increasing doubt whether I had been well advised in consenting to separate myself from those of our colleagues whose resignations were tendered and accepted last month."

Referring to the Sheffield speech, the Duke says:—"I was prepared by our discussions for your statement that you desired to obtain the sanction of the constituencies, for a reversal of the doctrine that taxation should never be imposed except for purposes of revenue and this is no doubt the principal and most definite statement in your speech. I admit that you have succeeded in making this declaration the basis of a great political announcement, but in my opinion that announcement has been extended very far beyond the necessities of the case."

"It was unnecessary in my opinion to assert that you desired to reverse the fiscal tradition, to alter fundamentally the fiscal tradition that has prevailed during the last two generations. I had hoped to have found in your speech a definite statement of adherence to the principles of free trade as the ordinary basis of our fiscal and commercial system and an equally definite repudiation of the principle of protection in the interest of our national industries. But in their absence I cannot help thinking that such declarations as those which I have quoted cannot fail to have the effect of materially encouraging the advocates of direct protection, and of discouraging those who, like me, and I hoped yourself, believed that our present system of free imports and especially of food imports, is on the whole most advantageous to the country, although we do not content that the principles on which it rests possess any such authority or sanctity as to forbid any departure from it."

"You have in your speech said that this subject could no longer be left an open question among the members of the Government, and I think have said enough to prove to you that there is no such agreement between us on the general question as to make it possible for me to be a satisfactory exponent of your views or those of the Government in the debates which must inevitably take place in the next session of Parliament."

"I cannot adequately express the deep regret which I feel in separating myself from a Government with which I believe myself to be in sympathy on all other matters of public policy or the anxiety with which I anticipate the wide division, which I fear must result from the unexpected scope and strength of your declarations, in the ranks of the Unionist party."

NO CLEAR MAJORITY.

Position of the Parties in British Columbia.

Vancouver, B.C., Oct. 6.—With Comox, Similkameen and Fernie still in doubt, the Conservatives have nineteen, Liberals seventeen, Socialists two and Labor-Liberals one in a House of forty-two. Mr. McBride's supporters claim the doubtful districts as Conservatives, but at the same time the Premier announces that he hopes to control the House by securing Mr. Wells' (former Chief Commissioner) support, who secured his election by acclamation as an uncompromising Liberal, and Mr. Davidson (Slocan), elected as a Labor-Liberal, and who has left a signed and undated resignation in the hands of his committee for use if he forsakes his ante-election pledges.

LIQUOR FOR INDIANS.

Terrible State of Affairs in the North.

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—Mr. J. M. Macoun of the Geological Survey staff, who has travelled extensively in northern Canada from Labrador to Alaska, says that nowhere has he seen drunkenness so common among Indians and half-breeds as at Lesser Slave Lake and to the north. This is due to the sale of essences and perfumes made specially for the northern trade, which are really little more than pure alcohol, flavored so as to allow of their being labelled "essence of ginger," "Florida water," "peppermint," "eau de Cologne," etc. No language could exaggerate the demoralizing influence upon the natives of the present condition of affairs. The missionaries and others are in despair.

SOO RIOTERS PLEAD GUILTY.

Andrew Dean and Several Others \$25 Each.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Oct. 6.—The trial of the eleven rioters began yesterday, and, contrary to expectation, was concluded at 4 o'clock this afternoon. All of the men, through their solicitor, pleaded guilty to the charges, which had been considerably modified. The most interesting case was that against Andrew Dean, who was charged with shooting and also with having incited to riot. The former charge was dismissed, while the latter he was fined \$25. Leonard LaVerne, Albert Robinson, Baptiste Koon, Edouard Galsien and Fred Winer were each fined \$25 or two months in jail at hard labor for rioting, and \$10 or thirty days for assaulting the police. Dupont will be tried on Thursday on a charge of assaulting Policeman Littlewood. Grenier and Dault, the two men who were shot in an encounter with the police, were let go on suspended sentence. The charge of rioting against one man was dismissed.

The court room was crowded during the trial, and the leniency shown by Police Magistrate Quibb has given general satisfaction.

A Fifty-thousand Guarantee.

Orillia, Oct. 3.—The guarantee given to the Dominion Linen Mills Company by the town of Orillia is \$50,000, not \$5,000, as recently stated in a press despatch. The company is a large one, the capital being \$500,000.



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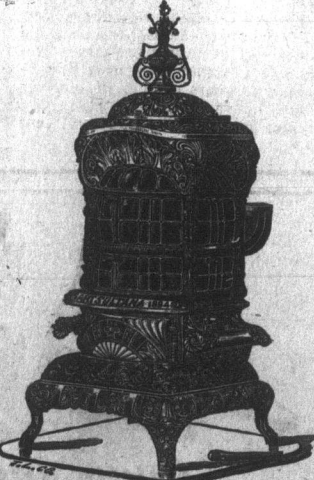
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