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Silesia May Become Source of Trouble.

France Will Send Reinforcements Independently -- Fordney Tariff Bill Passes U.S. House.

FRENCH ANGER.
PARIS, July 21. French official circles received a distinct shock from the British Government's reply to the French suggestion that Allied reinforcements be sent to Upper Silesia, and in some quarters to-day, Anglo-French relations are described as critical as a result. The French Government is said to have been unprepared for the severity and unyielding tone that this morning's newspapers indicate characterizes the British communication. Editorial comment suggested that the British Premier acted entirely too hastily in refusing to agree with the French view that additional Allied troops were necessary in Upper Silesia.

FRANCE HOSTILE TO MEETING.
LONDON, July 21. While the formal reply of Premier Briand of France to Earl Curzon's proposal for an immediate Supreme Council meeting has not yet been received, it is learned in official circles, late this afternoon, that a verbal answer has been given to the British charge at Paris, in which the French reiterate their desire for a postponement of the meeting until late in August. Meanwhile it was added, the despatch of further troops for the pacification of Silesia is necessary.

FRANCE TO ACT INDEPENDENTLY.
PARIS, July 21. France, it was declared in official circles this morning, will send reinforcements to Upper Silesia, whether Great Britain joins or not, in those reinforcements suggested by France. The French move will be made, it was declared, to insure the safety of ten thousand soldiers already on the ground there.

TO REPLACE OBSOLETE SHIPS.
LONDON, July 21. Mr. Lloyd George declared in the House of Commons to-day that it was essential for the Government to proceed with its policy of replacing obsolete capital ships of the navy. As a result of candid discussions with the principal naval powers, the Premier declared, it might be possible to avoid anything in the nature of competitive building, but he said, it would be a dereliction of duty on the part of the Admiralty to allow neglect, and not to provide it with material equal to the rest, and in which full confidence could be had. The Premier was speaking concerning four capital ships, provided for in naval estimates. He was asked if the Government would not suspend work on the capital ships, pending the outcome of the Washington Conference. Mr. Lloyd George said the Government in replacing obsolete ships, neither committed itself to, nor contemplated, any building program in answer to that of any other power.

NO BASIS YET.
LONDON, July 21. A basis for the Conference to attempt a settlement of the Irish question has not yet been found, it was announced in an official communication issued after the Conference to-day, between Eamonn De Valera and Mr. Lloyd George. Mr. De Valera and colleagues, adds the communication, will return to Dublin to-morrow, and will communicate with Mr. Lloyd George, after further discussion with their followers there. Mr. De Valera arrived at Number 10 Downing Street at 11.30 this morning. He remained until 12.25. The Republican leader was chatting and smiling as he came out, and it seemed to the crowd that he was pleased with his interview.

CURZON IS HOPEFUL.
LONDON, July 21. A hopeful view of the Irish peace negotiations was taken by Lord Curzon, Secretary for Foreign Affairs in the House of Lords this evening, when he incidentally touched upon the question. It was the Government's intention not to have an autumn session of Parliament, Lord Curzon said, in answering a question, but if the Irish negotiations proved successful, and so far, he was glad to say, they seemed charged with hope, it was conceivable that an Assembly of Parliament in the autumn might be necessary.

THE IRISH TERMS.
LONDON, July 21. The Parliamentary correspondent of

the London Times understands that Premier Lloyd George will announce the terms of the Government's offer to De Valera in a speech in the House to-morrow.

FAMINE IN RUSSIA.
PARIS, July 21. An appeal addressed to all nations in the world, asking that they organize to provide immediate aid for millions of Russians now suffering from famine in the region of the Volga River and South West, was issued last night by the Executive Committee of the Russian Constituent Assembly. Latest reports from this region say that epidemic diseases are rapidly getting beyond control, and that if relief is not immediately provided, another serious European menace is imminent.

FORDNEY BILL PASSES.
WASHINGTON, July 21. The Fordney Tariff Bill was passed to-night by the House by almost a straight vote, after the Democratic motion for its recommittal had been rejected by 233 to 127. The vote for the passage of the Bill was 239 to 127.

McMurdo's Store News.

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terested in this industry until we came to Charles I., who, in 1625, thought it necessary to regulate the size of bricks, so that transportation difficulties could be overcome. An inventor in the United States by the name of Spence is credited with the first brick-making machine, but an Englishman, whose patent was granted in 1861, was the first to produce brick by steam at the rate of 1,500 an hour.

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Episcopal Visitation.

Bite of Confirmation at Crabbes

His Lordship the Bishop of Newfoundland, accompanied by his Chaplain, Rev. Canon Bayly, and Rev. A. Butler, Rector of the Parish of St. George's, was at Crabbes on Thursday, July 7. On arrival Wednesday evening the Episcopal party was greeted with volleys of musketry, the salutes of welcome being fired as the Bishop and clergy passed under the first arch, erected near the Cemetery, where Mr. Richard Chaffey was in waiting with horse and wagon and took the Bishop to his residence, where he was entertained during his stay. The Chaplain lodged with Mr. Isaac Chaffey on the East side of the River. Two other very fine arches were erected, one at the Norris Lodge, and one at the Church gate, decorated with flowers and bearing appropriate inscriptions. Manifestly those who planned and erected these arches possessed something of the beautiful in nature and art.

At 7.30, the Bishop, fully robed, entered the Church preceded by his Chaplain, bearing the Pastoral Staff, and the Lay Readers. Mr. J. A. Renouf, the Churchwarden, read a most appropriate address of welcome from St. Michael's congregation, to which His Lordship made a very happy reply and thanked the congregation for the address and the splendid reception accorded him. The Rector then presented 47 candidates, all of whom knelt before the Bishop and were confirmed. The Bishop's address to the children was couched in simple but beautiful language, which the youngest novice could understand, and dwelling particularly on the efficacy of prayer as a means for using the grace given to them in their daily lives.

At 7.30 this morning there was a celebration of the Holy Communion, the Bishop being celebrant. Rev. S. A. Butler, Epistoler, and Rev. Canon Bayly, Gospeler, and all those who were confirmed yesterday, and many others, received the Holy Eucharist from the hands of their Bishop. After service the Bishop and party were taken to Crabbes Station by teams and left by No. 2 express for Stephenville Crossing.

At the station the Bishop exchanged greetings with His Lordship Bishop Renouf of St. George's, who was paying an official visit to his people and our good neighbours at the Highlands and Crabbes Station. As the train was about to pull out three hearty typical Newfoundland cheers were given for both the bishops.—COM.

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