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dom, for a discussion of the Irish question, appears to be doomed to failure. The government very properly insists that the acceptance of home rule would have to be agreed to at the outset, and to this the Unionist leaders will not assent. The only terms on which they would enter a conference would be that the whole question of the government of Ireland be re-opened for consideration. Some progress might have been made toward a better understanding between the parties but for the pernicious activations.

The difficulty in voting for Bonar Law and Carson is at least as great as that which keeps the Ulster Presbyter-land the least as great as that which keeps the Ulster Presbyter-land was successively school teacher and barrister. He held office in the Maniscondly, we have learnt by long experience that free institutions, in the day-light of full publicity, have a wonderful power to destroy the abuses which Ulster Prosbyter-land was successively school teacher and barrister. He held office in the Maniscond was for a time premier of British Columbia. He now resides in England, where he is a member of the House of Commons there.

LIGHTER VEIN

Their Resemblance

Mrs. Nubride—My dear Jack is so handsome he resembles a Greek god.

Mrs. Longwedd—So does my husband. toward a better understanding between the parties but for the pernicious activity of Sir Edward Carson and Mr. P. E. Smith, M.P., who have encouraged the Unionists of Ulster to believe that they will accept and believe any sort of nonsense it may be pleased to serve up to them. For example, the Gleaner asserts that the deposit of Cammelf, Laird & Company, in connection with their tender for the establishment of a ship-building enterprise at St. John, was not a special representative into Ulster to describe conditions there. In a cable on Monday he began by saying that "Ulster's defiance is no bluff," and concluded with this sentence:—"The home rule crisis has moulded Ulster into a democrate of countesses, girl operators of mills, peers, clerks and gardeners." Such a statement conveys the impression that the whole province of Ulster are heartily in favor of home rule. It is not true, therefore, that Ulster is that more than half the people of Ulster are heartily in favor of home rule. It is not true, therefore, that Ulster is threatening rebellion. A few fire-caters talk in that strain, and although they may be able, to precipitate riots and even armed resistance, the outbreak would be guilty of treason against the opening meeting of the Borden Club. the parties but for the pernicious activ-

could not but fail, because its leaders would be guilty of treason against the King and the state, and would have against them the great body of public opinion, not merely in Ireland, but throughout the United Kingdom.

It is announced that a feature of the opening meeting of the Borden Club will be an address by the president of the Royal Life Saving Society. Is it as bad as that with the Borden Club, or is this for the benefit of Mr. Hazen?

opinion, not merely in Ireland, but throughout the United Kingdom.

The Manchester Guardian very properly points out that if the task of coercing one-fourth of the Irish people is one to be avoided, that of coercing the remaining three-fourths does not present any greater attractions. Moreover, the English people are determined to put an end to the old system in Ireland, and the Unitonist leaders may as well look the facts in the face. If the home rule bill becomes law, it cannot be doubted for one moment that respect for the law will be enforced by the full power of the British government.

Mr. Bonar Law, Lord Lansdowne and other Unionist leaders as incalculable injury by their failure to repudlate Sir Edward Carson and Mr. F. E. Smith. They will be compelled to do it sooner or later, for those two fare-brands are in a fair way to make themselves like to prosecution under the treason and felony act. The Irish question has been a source of trouble in British policities for very many years, and it is most unfortunate at a time when a conference might be of some service that the leaders of the Unionist party should permit themselves to be so governed by partial cannot be conference might be of some service that the leaders of the Unionist party should permit themselves to be so governed by partial cannot be collidared on the bottle. Beware of counterfields and consideration as to allow the Carsonian campaign to be carried on without protest.

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A correspondent of the Manchester Guardian sets out the reasons why the English non-conformists do not rally to the support of the Ulster Manchester of the Manchester of the Manchester of the Manchester of the Work, which would also be to them a great source of pleasure. The plan would be a very good one for other cities to adopt. the support of the Ulster Unionists. A Belfast religious paper had contended that all non-conformists should support the cause of the Presbyterians in Ulster, and this correspondent points out that the question is not religious but political. Since the Ulster Presbyterians have chosen to unite themselves with one political party, they become responsible for the whole policy of that party. The correspondent of the Guardian asks what the non-conformists of England would get if they assisted in defeating the Asquith government, and he answers:

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"Our reply, then, to our Free Church brethren in Ulster, when they reproach us with betraying them to their natural enemies, is twofold. First, we remind them that they have sold themselves too cheaply to the political party which at and so strengthened the nerves that she was strengthened the nerves that she

cheaply to the political party which at present is championing their cause. They have no right to expect us to instal the Opposition in office without exacting pledges that they will keep better than son, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24.

The Hon. O. M. Marshall, minister of agriculture for Alberta, was born in Bruce County, Ont., on September 24, 1872. He was originally a school teacher and then took up newspaper work. Removing to Edmonton a few sears ago, he became editor and manager of the Bulletin. He was elected to the legislature in 1908 and soon after took office in the government.

That's Different
Kitty—They say, you know, that love
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Marie—Maybe; but it cannot make the
eligible young men go round.

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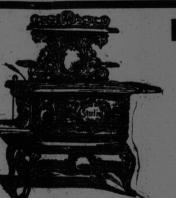
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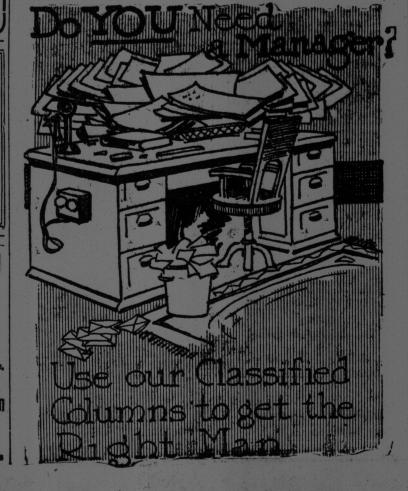


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