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SINK PARTISAN DIFFERENCES FOR NATIONAL GOOL

Liberals and Unionists Now As One in Great European Crisis

SHELVE HOME RULE FOR THE PRESENT

Business of Preparing For War

Home Rule Bill. No details of the international crisis is believed to have Cleary and ask his forgiveness. played a great part in the bringing of Unionist leaders to the point of agreement. While the dispute between Aus was talking with three friends tria and Servia is threatening to inadjusted.

Postponement.

extreme gravity of the situation the authorities. when announcing to the Commons the postponement of the second read- WHAT BRITAIN ing bill to amend the Home Rule Bill said: "We meet to-day under conditions of gravity which are almost unparalleled in the experience of any one of us; the issues of peace and war are hanging in the balance. With us is the risk of a catastrophe of which it is impossible to measure the dimensions and effects.

"In these circumstances it' vital importance to the interest of the whole world that this country, which has no interest of its own directly at stake, should present a united front and be able to speak and act with the authority of an undivided nation .

To Be Deprecated.

"If we were to proceed to-day with the amending bill we should inevitvolved in acute controversies and do-

such a use of our time at such a horse-power. moment may have an injurious, ternational situation.

position, shares in full the views I noughts of the air. have expressed. We therefore propose to postpone for the present the second reading of the Amending Bill ROTHCHILDS
Without projudice of its future in the without prejudice of its future in the House in that by the postponement of this discussion the patriotism of all parties will contribute to at least circumscribe the calamity which threatens the whole world."

Asquith's references to all parties rallying to support the Government were heartily cheered by all members British Foreign Office.

GERMANY TELLS HIM TO GET OUT

Kaiser Advises New Ruler of Albania to Resign His Position—He Can't Hold it Anyway

vised by the German Kaiser to abdicate the throne of Albania.

have their military trained on the buildings and are in a position to oc-

cupy the city at any moment. They are anxious that Prince Wilwhich takes place in a few days.

ers interfere, the insurgents threaten to destroy the town and not spare

WARSHIP OFF

Capetown, July 30.—The German pany the one condition that it import gunboat Eber, which had recently been no less than 50,000 Chinese laborers overhauled here, put to sea hurriedly to be employed on the land at cotton

ASKED TO BE

Shocking Murder of a Young Man Who Had Married A Young Girl

Haverstraw, N.Y., July 29.—In his where he was taken after he had shot and killed Eugene B. Newman, his nineteen-year-old son-in-law, Mr William V. Cleary, prominent in county politics and for fourteen years town clerk, refuses to discuss the And Will Attend to the Big murder or tell why he shot the young

Young Newman, who is a son of County Messenger, secretly married London, July 30.—An agreement has Cleary's eighteen-year-old daughter, been reached as to the Amending Anna Cleary. Afterward the couple confided in their respective mothers agreement are mentioned. The present and Newman was advised to te

It was while on this mission that Government, Oppostion Nationalist and Newman was shot. He entered the town clerk's office, where Cleary Newman extended his hand and ask

volve all Europe in war, there has ed for Cleary's blessing. Cleary, with been a demand from all sides that all hardly a word and before his friends internal differences should be speedily could interfere, fired four bullet into the young man's body. New man died instantly and Cleary short Premier Asquith speaking on the ly afterwards surrendered himself to

IS DEMANDING

Any 'Planes Taken by Ad miralty Must be at Least 400 Horse-Power

London, July 29.-While it was in tended at first that the trans-Atlanti flier, America, should be equipped with two 100 horse-power, engines and now that an additional 100 horse power engine has been added, it interesting to learn that the English Admiralty demands far more than 300 horse-power for a hydro-aero

A famous airman and also an aero plane builder had a long conference sults. ably, unless the debate were con, at the Admiralty this week, where h was frankly told that the Britis! Navy Department would not conside any waterplane in future order "I need not say more than that whose engines did not exceed 46

This is believed in aeronautical cir lastingly injurious effect on the in- cles to indicate that the Admiralty about to begin the construction of "Bonar Law, the leader of the Op fleet of cruisers, destroyers and dread

GOT LAND AT I CENT AN ACRE

Huerta Agreed to Sale 100,000 Acres to Capitalists At This Price

SAID THAT HE GOT GRAFT OF \$500,000

Mexican Public Treasury Only Got a Thousand Dollars Of It

Los Angeles, Cal., July 29.—Tha the Rothchilds, of Paris and London under the name of the Lower Cali London, July 29.—Despatches re- fornia, purchased 100,000 acres c ceived here from Rome state that Lower California lands from the Prince William of Wied has been ad- Huerta Government a month ago fo one cent an acre, and that Victorian Huerta received \$500,000 for allow The city of Durazzo is at the mer- ing the sale, is charged by Genera cy of the Mussulman insurgents, who | Carranza in a message to his agents

in the United States. Adolfo Carillo, Los Angeles, ageni Britain. for the Constitutionalists, said to-day that Ysidro Fabela, a member o liam shall leave before the festival Caranza's Provisional Government notified him the alleged sale was reg-Should the warships of the Pow- istered in Mexico City under the name of Joaquin D. Casasus, Paris attorney, representing the Rothchile interests. Fabela declared the sum placed in the Mexican Treasury for

the 100,000 acres was only \$1,000. In addition, Huerta is charged with TO SEA IN HURRY having imposed upon the Lower Callfornia Industrial Development Comraising.

FORGIVEN, BUT WAS KILLED Reports From Seat of War Relate Conflicting Stories; Servians Repulse Austrians?

Servians Reported to Have Prevented Their Enemies From Crossing the Danube to Invade the Country—Heavy Austrian Loss

one of the owners of The Rockland AUSTRIAN GUNBOAT DAMAGED IN A LIVELY ENGAGEMENT

Russia Still Mobilising Troops on the Austrian LIKELY RAISE Border and it is Understood That Germany Will Soon Follow Suit—Then General Hostilities

Belgrade, July 31.—The Austrians opened a heavy cannonade in their second attack on Belgrade at eleven ast night. The guns of the Austrian Monitors and the batteries at Semlin fired until two o'clock in the morning.

Several buildings were damaged. Servian guns replied, but only occasionally, and an Austrian gunboat was badly damaged.

An attempt by the Austrians to cross the River was epulsed with severe losses. The Austrians made several hours a satisfactory explanation of the mobilization of his troops other attempts to cross Rivers Save and Danube, but were along the frontier. everywhere driven back.

It is reported they intend to renew the bombardment FIRST HONORS OF WAR GAINED of Belgrade to-day.

GERMAN TROOPS ARE EXPECTED TO MOBILISE—THEN ARMAGEDDON

London, July 31.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Times says that a partial mobilization has been orlered by Russia but is confined to army corps stationed ilong the borders of Austria-Hungary.

Prolonged diplomatic conferences at St. Petersburg, idds the correspondent, have been devoid of practical re-

"The persistent unanimity of Austria's and Germany's land responses to Russia's despairing appeal for a hearime. Hardly any doubt exists that Germany will now hrow off the mask and openly mobilize."

AUSTRIANS OCCUPY BELGRADE AFTER HEAVY FIGHTING; MANY SLAIN

London, July 31.—An Athen's despatch to The Telegraph says it is reported from Corfu that the Russian warhip Toreto in port there has received news by wireless that Belgrade has been occupied by the Austrians after heavy ighting and that 200 Austrians and 100 Servians were kill-

The War Office has sent a request to all newspapers to efrain from publishing news of British military naval

ALL THE EUROPEAN CABINETS TROUBLED OVER THE SITUATION

Halifax, July 31.—The gravity of the international situation is reognized in all European capitals today Premier Asquith and Sir Ed-Grey called all parties in the British Isles to join together in efforts o avert the immeasurable calamity of the extension of hostilities to ther countries. The German Emperor conferred lengthily with the mperial Chancellor, and Minister of War and Marine. Later, reserve fficers received orders to mobolize. Russia proceeded with the mobiization of a large number of troops.

President Poincare and the French Cabinet decided to meet daily, and the French defensive forces took extensive precautionary mea-

The Austrian invaders and the Servian troops came into contact n Servian territory, and hundreds of casualties are said to have result-1. The whereabouts of the main Britishe fleet is unknown since its departure yesterday from Portland, under sealed orders.

The German battle squadrons are concentrated at Kiel and Wilielmshaven. The French fleet has taken steps to prepare for eventuilities. Japan is said to have declared readiness to join its ally, Great

In the outlying British Colonies troops have been prepared for A German gunboat hurriedly quit Capetown today and went to sea. The German and British fleets in the near east have been concen-

trated at their chief stations. All foreign students have been ordered to leave German schools. The stock markets everywhere in Europe have virtually ceased operations. Leading banking institutions have taken measures to preserve their stocks of gold.

GERMANY SENDS ULTIMATUM TO THE RUSSIAN AUTHORITIES

London, July 30.—Despatches from Berlin say that the Emperor of Germany has sent an ultimatum to the Czar, asking within twenty-four

NOW CONSIDERED BY THE BISHOPS

KIKUYN CASE

Was Bishop Justified in Admitting Non-comformists To Communion

London, July 30.—Fourteen bishops, of the Anglican church, representing churches in Great Britain and the Colonies, met Monday at Lambeth Palace to reach a settlement of the heresy controversy known as the BEHALF OF PEACE "Kikuyu case." The Archbishop of Canterbury presided. Berlin, July 30 .- The Grand Duke

Charges were brought some months Ernest of Hesse, brother of the Emago by the Bishop of Zanzibar against press Elizabeth Fodoroona of Russia, the missionary bishops of Uganda and has been sent by Emperor William to Mombasa, Africa, for administering St. Petersburg today, in a last attempt communion to non-conformists. The controversy is largely one of church discipline, but it involves also serious question of high and low BANK RATES church. The low churchmen defend the African bishops, while the high Berlin, July 30.—The committee of church party says such communion the Imperial Bank of Germany, has is impossible, because of the differ-

been called to meet tomorrow, to de- ences in doctrine. cide as to the advisability of raising The bishops will consider among other things, whether the proposed federation of the missionary societies of British East Africa contravenes READY FOR WAR any principles of the Church of England, and whether the action of the The Hague, July 30.—Holland today Bishops of Uganad and Mombasa in called all her army reserves, frontier administering communion to a number of person who had not

BY THE AUSTRIAN TROOPS AT FOCA

LAST EFFORT ON

to arrange for peace.

HOLLAND GETS

guards, coast guards and coalers.

Vienna, July 30.—Reports declare that the first battle in the Austro-Servian war has been fought at Foca, and resulted in a complete victory for the Austrians. A thousand are reported killed.

Two Servian divisons were routed by the Austrians; one entire the British Special Defence force were division was captured and the other retreated. Reports declare that ,800 Servians were killed. The Austrians loss is placed at 200.

FOUR THOUSAND SERVIAN TROOPS TAKEN PRISONERS IN FOCA FIGHT

Berlin, July 30.—A special says that the Austrians took 4,000 Servians prisoners at Foca. The battle began when the Austro-Hungarian troops commenced to cross the Drina River.

The Servian cavalry opposed the advance; but were driven back day. They comprise electricians, miling," he declares, "compels the unwilling conclusion that upon the position occupied by infantry. This point was shelled by the tary engineers and mine layers. The Il this diplomatic effort has been mere by-play to gain Austrian artillery on the Bosnian side of the River, and when the British Admiralty also requested the Servians were compelled to retreat they were attacked by the Austrian big Welsh coal owners to retain their

CRITICAL STATE OF AFFAIRS NOW AT MEXICO CITY

Whole Army is Honeycombed With Disloyalty-Trouble is General

GERMANS PROTECT THEIR OWN EMBASSY

Some of Huerta's Supporters Have Been Arrested on Charge of Treason

Puerto Mexico, Mexico, July 29 .-The most alarming reports have been received in Puerto Mexico of the condition of affairs in the capital. These reports indicate that matters in Mexico City are becoming extremely critical, and that such of the army as is left there is honeycombed with dis-

It is stated by a man just from Mexico City that German sharpshooters are protecting the German Embassy and German colonists who have assembled there for safety. Much terror has arisen over the threats of a Zapatista attack, and the foreign colony in the capital is arming in anticipation of an assault upon the city by Zapata or to protect themselves in case of mob violence.

onfirmed was consistent with these principles.

The final decision of the bishops will be announced by the Archbishop of Canterbury.

GUARD COASTS OF GT. BRITAIN

London, July 30-Several sections of called to duty today on the East and South Coasts, to relieve the regular guards on bridges, railroad sidings and the maning of coast defences.

BRITISH ARMY RESERVES OUT

London, July 30.—Special army reservists were called to the colours to-

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