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## Genoa Conference at Cross Purpose.

Lloyd George Optimistic no Matter What Occurs—Anglo-French Entente Not Imperilled—Floods Render 70,000 People Homeless.

GEORGE STILL OPTIMISTIC. LONDON, May 8. Lloyd George was still professed to be optimistic. He said that the most delegates to the Genoa Conference no longer have any doubts as to the Anglo-French entente. "We have passed the most difficult part of the conference," he said. "We have passed the most difficult part of the conference," he said. "We have passed the most difficult part of the conference," he said.

RESISTANCE AT AN END. TIENTSIN, May 8. General Chang Tso Lin has evidently given up any further idea of resistance and has gone to Cang-li, ordering all his Tientsin troops to withdraw behind the great wall.

SUCCESSFUL CARBONAR BOY. MONTREAL, May 8. Results of graduations at McGill University posted to-day show that E. C. Duff, Carbonar, Nfld., took honors in Metallurgical Engineering.

70,000 HOMELESS. NEW ORLEANS, May 8. Approximately seventy thousand men, women and children are homeless in Mississippi and Louisiana as a result of the Mississippi River flood.

KING AND QUEEN IN BELGIUM. BRUSSELS, May 8. King George and Queen Mary upon their arrival here to-day for a state visit were met officially by King Albert and Queen Elizabeth and unofficially by a large and enthusiastic crowd of Belgians.

FRANCE ECONOMIZING. LONDON, May 8. Over 50,000 Government employees in France are being dismissed for reasons of economy, says Reuter.

FRANCE RESOLUTE. PARIS, May 8. France will not recognize the Soviet Government of Russia, until the United States does, a high official said to-day. France has kept a free hand in this matter and it makes no difference what action the Genoa Conference may take.

FLOOD RECEDES. BRANDON, May 8. The Assiniboine River which has been in flood for a week, has receded since Sunday.

QUELLED JAIL RIOT BY WHIPPING. CHICAGO, May 8. A four hour riot in Cook County Jail was quelled to-day when the warden and 30 guards took the ringleaders

from their cells and whipped them. The displeasure of the prisoners over a change in the method of admitting visitors led to the outbreak.

150 CONVICTS MUTINY. COLUMBIA, B.C., May 8. A mutiny of 150 convicts in the State Penitentiary to-day was put down after eleven of the mutineers had been wounded by guards and city police. Two of the mutineers were, perhaps, fatally shot.

### At the House.

VERY SHORT SESSION. The House met at 3:15 yesterday afternoon but very little business was accomplished.

Mr. W. J. Walsh, member for Piacentia & St. Mary's, presented several petitions which were supported by Mr. E. Sinnott.

Information asked for by Sir Michael Cashin re the cable between Port aux Basques and Canso, was tabled by Hon. W. W. Hallyard.

Hon. W. E. Warren informed the House that the Prime Minister was unavoidably absent, but that when he arrived the questions addressed to him would be answered.

The Minister of Public Works replied to several questions tabled by Mr. Bennett.

Hon. W. E. Warren moved the second reading of the Council's amendments to the Judicature Act. The Bill goes to Committee to-morrow.

The House went into Committee on the Commercial Cable Co.'s Resolutions.

Sir Michael Cashin asked that in view of the paucity of information tabled, the matter be allowed to stand over to give the Opposition time to study the details, as the contract was an important one and should not be rushed. He requested that the outstanding questions in relation to this matter be answered immediately.

Hon. Mr. Hallyard agreed to the request and the Committee rose and reported progress.

The second reading of the Bills regarding Local Affairs in the Outports, and The St. John's Municipal Act were deferred.

The Bills relating to Postal and Telegraph Service and Bonds for Customs Duties were read a second time.

The Prime Minister not putting in an appearance, the House adjourned at 3:35 until this afternoon.

### Audiences Witness Real Movie Thrill.

RUNAWAY TRAIN FILM SEEN AT THE NICKEL. Something unusual in the line of moving picture entertainment was witnessed at the Nickel Theatre last night. This novelty was entitled, "Lynman H. Howe's Famous Ride on a Runaway." The picture is intensely exciting, and was keenly watched by everybody. Each incident in the film has its own sensation.

The feature is entitled "The Green Flame" featuring J. Warren Kerrigan. In this play Kerrigan takes the part of a private detective, assigned to the task of running down a dangerous gang of jewel thieves. With the aid of a clever girl colleague he forestalls a plan of the crooks to steal "The Green Flame" a priceless emerald, formerly one of Russia's crown jewels, and captures the leaders of the gang. This is considered the best picture this star has ever made. Mr. Henry G. Kelly rendered two splendid baritone solos which showed up his magnificent voice at its best. To-night this programme will be repeated.

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### The Thorburn Road.

Editor Evening Telegram

Dear Sir:—Allow me space in your valuable paper to make a few remarks in reference to the condition of Thorburn Road. Three years ago the road was repaired by me at a cost to the government of five hundred dollars. Since then no repairs have been done, and the road is nothing better than a car path. Motorists are anxious that this road should be repaired by me. I was employed by the Motor Association and am the only man who can do the work for the money. None of the men on that job worked half days and received a full day's pay. All worked from seven a. m. till 5 p. m. and received \$2.00 and \$4.00 for a man and horse. The year after I repaired this road the Motor Association sent me to the Topsail Road with five men. We worked from Cornwall Ave. to the Blackmarsh Road, where the road making machinery was put on the job. Mr. Hibbs, M. H. A., told me that I had done good work with such a small gang of men, and I and my men should follow the machinery wherever it went. A few days afterwards he said we would have to cease work as the road machinery could not complete the job as it went, so Mr. Thos Soper had informed him. On seeing Mr. Campbell he told me the machine required 5 men to tend it. This I told to Mr. Soper who said that as it was getting late in the season, he intended to clear up the work for that year. A week later, however, he brought men down from Kelligrews and put them on the job. Something should be done now to the Thorburn Road, and as there are a number of poor people on the road waiting for work, the time would be opportune for operations.

Yours very truly,  
PETER OLIVER.  
Thorburn Rd., St. Philips, May 7th.

### A Laundry Hint.

To keep white clothes a good color, wring them out of cold water, soap well, steep all night in cold water. Then wring them, soap in warm

water, put into a wash bag and into cold water with a little soda, let them nearly, but not quite come to a boil. Lift into cold water, rinse into cold water with a little blue. The secret is, first soak out the dirt by soaping and cold water, extract grease by scalding, finally clear by rinsing in cold water. Hot water used whilst dirt is still in cotton or linen garments fixes it, and no after-washing will remove it.

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### Boiler on Ferry Explodes, Causing Several Deaths.

Four were killed outright, two persons are missing, believed killed, numbers were injured and damage estimated \$300,000 was done to the town of Port Huron, Mich., on March 26, when the ferry Omar D. Conger was shattered by a tremendous explosion that tore the stoutly built vessel into shreds, and threw the debris all over the town. The boiler from the ferry landed on the top of a house a block from the dock in the Black River, where the explosion occurred, and the house was burned to the ground by the fire which started. At the time of the accident the ferry City of Cheboygan was entering the mouth of the Black River from Sarnia when the titanic explosion rocked her from head to stern. The presence of mind of her officers averted a panic, as debris came hurtling down all around the boat. Many Sarnia citizens who were standing on the dock of the Sarnia and Port Huron Ferry Company, waiting to take the ferry back to the Imperial City narrowly escaped death and serious injury. A number were badly shaken up, and others suffered considerably from shock.

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