

SAYS MR. ASQUITH IS ALARMED OVER ULSTER

London Times Claims He Has Been Misinformed as to Situation, Which Is Held To Be More Serious Than Is Generally Supposed.

London, Saturday, Nov. 8.—The Times gives prominence this morning to a dispatch from its Dublin correspondent which says that the Government is seriously alarmed at recent developments in Ulster. The Dublin Castle authorities, the dispatch says, have been very badly informed concerning the Ulster agitation against home rule, as Mr. Birrell, unlike former chief secretaries of Ireland, does not keep in touch with the Administration's representatives throughout the country, and consequently the authorities are only now awakening to the gravity of the situation.

EX-LONDON CLERGYMAN IN A HEATED EXCHANGE

Rev. C. E. Jeakins a Principal in Argument at Laymen's Conference.

Goderich, Nov. 7.—There were lively scenes in the North Street Methodist Church tonight at the close of the county conference of the laymen's missionary movement. After being in session all day the meeting prepared to adjourn, when the chairman announced, as by request, that there would be a temperance meeting afterwards, to organize a plan of action to carry the Scott act campaign.

The second meeting had just commenced, when Rev. C. E. Jeakins, an Anglican minister of Clinton (formerly of London, Ont.), stated that he thought it was bad grace to use this opportunity for a temperance cause, and that it should be held later.

Rev. J. E. Ford, of the Victoria Methodist Church here, said he thought the occasion was appropriate, and that it was just as bad grace to accuse those interested in the cause of temperance as it was to hold the after-meeting.

Before the motion could be put, Rev.

The meeting of commercial men in Belfast on Tuesday last, when an enormous sum of money was pledged to the cause, profoundly affected the Government, and it is now realized, says the correspondent of the Times, that Ulster can and will fight if home rule is forced upon her. He adds that well-informed persons in Dublin take the gloomiest view of the situation, and do not believe that any compromise acceptable to Ulster can be devised, believing that a general election is the only way out of the difficulty.

EX-LONDON CLERGYMAN IN A HEATED EXCHANGE

Mr. Sharpe, Presbyterian minister at Exeter, said that he was opposed to the campaign, as it was a Conservative political move. Another minister arose to speak in opposition, when Mr. Sharpe told him to wait until he was through. For a short time everything was confusion, and cries—"We are wasting time," and "No, we're not, go on!"—could be heard in different parts of the edifice.

To quiet matters, Mr. E. Smith, of Hensall, and Mr. J. Ewart Stewart, of Wingham, moved an adjournment to the basement. The motion was defeated, when some of the clergy withdrew, matters finally quieted down and the missionary meeting was held.

LAYMEN'S CONFERENCE HERE NOVEMBER 14

Campaign in Middlesex To Be Discussed, and Noted Speakers Will Attend.

Under the auspices of the Laymen's Missionary Movement the united missionary campaign for the county of Middlesex will open here on Friday, Nov. 14. This is one of 37 conferences which will be held throughout Western Ontario. All the sessions of the conference in this city will be held in the Dundas Centre Methodist Church, and it is urged by the executive that each church should have a large representation. A banquet will be held in

the Dundas Centre Church at 6:30 on the evening of Nov. 14, at which the following noted speakers will deliver addresses: S. J. Moore, president of the National Council of Men; Rev. Dr. Murdoch MacKenzie, of China, the moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church; and Bishop Lucas, of the Anglican Church Mission in the Mackenzie River Diocese.

PANIC IS AVERTED WHEN FLOOR SANK IN GUELPH HALL

Quick Thinking of Two Probably Prevents a Serious Loss of Life

BUILDING WAS CROWDED
As Result of Accident the New Trades and Labor Temple Must Be Rebuilt.

Guelph, Nov. 7.—With the new Trades and Labor Hall on Macdonald street packed to the doors tonight for the annual concert of the Iron Molders' Union, and with President Wm. Parker about to open the program, the floor at the rear of the hall suddenly sank about six inches with a noise which could be heard all over the hall. There was confusion at once, and someone yelled "Fire," whereupon a rush was made for the door; but Alf. King and R. S. Cull had presence of mind enough to block the way, and called out for everyone to stop, which they did. The people were then allowed to file out, one by one, and not a single person was injured. The hall was opened a week ago, and was considered perfectly safe. If the floor had gone down the drop would have been about 14 feet, and doubtless there would have been a terrible loss of life. The concert thus interrupted will be held in the city hall some night next week.

DEATH TAKES FAMED MAN

Alfred Wallace, Noted English Scientist, Dies at London.

AUTHOR OF MANY BOOKS

London, Nov. 7.—The death occurred today of Alfred Russel Wallace, F.R.S., one of the leading British scientists, in his 81st year. He published many works of world-wide reputation on the theory of natural selection, the geographical distribution of animals and other branches of science. He was a great authority on the land question and was a strong advocate of land nationalization. He travelled in every part of the world in pursuit of his studies.

Dr. Wallace was one of the greatest of evolutionists and shares with Charles Darwin the discovery of the doctrine of natural selection. He, however, worked independently of his great fellow-scientist. When he was in the East Indies in 1858 there suddenly flashed upon his mind the idea of the "survival of the fittest." He drafted the theory and posted it to Darwin, who, upon receiving it in England, at once recognized his own theory in the manuscript essay sent by the young and almost unknown naturalist in the tropics, then a stranger to him. Darwin wrote Sir Charles Lyell on the same day, saying that he never saw a more striking coincidence. "If Wallace had my MS. sketch written out in 1842 he could not have made a better short abstract," he wrote. "Even his theory now stand as the head of my chapters."

GAMBLE CASE NOT DECIDED

Jury Fails to Agree in Trial
Toronto Labor Union Official.

NEW TRIAL IN SPRING

Whitby, Ont., Nov. 7.—For five hours this afternoon those interested in the case of Stead M. Gamble, of Toronto, financial secretary of the Structural Ironworkers' Union, waited impatiently while the jury wrangled and argued in an attempt to reach an agreement. At 12:40 Mr. Justice Britton concluded his charge, and without waiting for dinner the jury filed into the jury room. As the afternoon wore on hope of a unanimous verdict being reached was abandoned. At 5:40 the jury again appeared. "What is your verdict?" asked the court.

"We have not been able to agree, your lordship," replied the foreman. "Is there no hope of an agreement?" the judge asked.

"None whatever,"

Judge Britton thereupon dismissed the jury. It is understood that two jurors held out for conviction and ten for acquittal. Gamble's counsel, Mr. H. H. Dewar, K. C., Toronto, has arranged for bail until such time as the case shall again be called, which at the earliest will not be until next spring. In the meantime it does not seem likely that any new facts can be brought to bear upon either side. Gamble was charged with damaging a rope that was to have been used in connection with bridge construction work. A strike was in progress at the time.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS

LIVE STOCK.
CHICAGO, Nov. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; market steady; beefs, \$8.60 to \$9.70; Texas steers, \$6.50 to \$7.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.90 to \$7.50; cows and heifers, \$3.25 to \$5.15; calves, \$7 to \$11.25. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market slow; light, \$7.50 to \$8; mixed, \$7.50 to \$8.10; roughs, \$7.85 to \$7.55; pigs, \$5 to \$7.65; bulk of sales at \$7.70 to \$8. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market slow; natives, \$4.10 to \$5.30; yearlings, \$5.25 to \$6.30; lambs, natives, \$6 to \$7.10.

DUBLIN, Nov. 7.—Dressed hogs, abattoir killed, \$14 to \$14.25. Pork—Heavy Canada short mess, barrels, 35 to 45 pieces, \$30; Canada short cut backs, barrels, 45 to 55 pieces, \$29. Lard—Compound, tierces, 375 pounds, 10c; wood pails, 20 pounds net, 10½c; pure, tierces, 375 pounds, 14½c; pure, wood pails, 20 pounds net, 14½c.

DETROIT, Nov. 7.—Cattle: Receipts this week, 1,923, against 2,085 last week; market steady; best steers and heifers, \$7.50 to \$8; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$6.50 to \$7; steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs., \$5.50 to \$6; choice fat cows, \$5; good fat cows, \$5.25 to \$5.75; common cows, \$4.25 to \$4.50; calves, \$7.50 to \$8.25; choice heavy bulls, \$5.25 to \$6.50; fair to good bologna bulls, \$5.75 to \$6; stock bulls, \$4.50 to \$5; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.25 to \$6.50; choice stockers, \$5.50 to 700 lbs., \$5.50 to \$6; stock heifers, \$4.50 to \$5; milkers, large, young, \$10c; small, \$8c; common milkers, \$8c to \$10c. Veal calves—Receipts this week, 675, against 736 last week; market steady; best, \$11; others, \$7 to \$10.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts this week, 12,255, against 9,710 last week; market steady; best lambs, \$4.75 to \$5; fair to common lambs, \$3.25 to \$3.75; fair to good sheep, \$3.75 to \$4.25; culls and common, \$2.50 to \$3.25. Hogs—Receipts this week, 13,256, against 12,589 last week; market steady; light to good butchers, \$7.80; pigs, \$5.75 to \$6.75; mixed, \$7.75 to \$8; heavy, \$7.75 to \$8.30.

PRODUCE.
Close.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 1 Manitoba, 68 1/2c; No. 2, 68 1/4c; No. 3, 68 1/2c; futures firm; December, 68 1/2c; January, 68 1/4c; May, 68 1/2c. Corn—Spot easy; American mixed, 68 1/2c; futures, La Plata firm; December, 68 1/2c; January, 68 1/4c; May, 68 1/2c. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast, 26 1/2c to 27; Beef—Extra India mess, 117 1/2c; Prime mess, 117 1/2c; Ham—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 68c; Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., 75c; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs., 75c; shoulders, square, 11 to 12 lbs., 54c; Light Prime western, in tierces, 57c; Canadian finest white, 64c; do, colored, 62c; city, 62c; Australian (in London), 34s 6d; Turpentine spirits, 30s 6d; Rosin—Common, 30s 6d; refined, 32s 6d; Linseed oil—24s 9d; Cottonseed oil (Hull refined)—Spot, 30s 4d.

PENNSYLVANIA, Nov. 7.—Alsike, No. 1, \$7.75 to \$8.25; do, No. 2, \$6.50 to \$7.50; do, No. 3, \$5 to \$5.50; red clover, \$6.40 to \$7; timothy, No. 1, \$2.60; do, No. 2, \$2.40. Cash prices were stronger and 1/2c higher tonight at bay ports. Corn strong and dealings nominal. Oats strong. Quotations: Ontario wheat, No. 2 winter, 80c to 82c outside, according to location; Manitoba wheat, No. 1 northern, 88 1/2c; No. 2 northern, 87c.

Oats—Canada western, No. 2, 29c; No. 3, 28c; Canadian western, 38c; at lake ports, for immediate shipment; Ontario, No. 2 white, 32c to 34c outside; on track, Toronto, 35c to 36c. Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 77c on track, Toronto.

Peas—No. 2, 88c to 90c. Barley—58c to 60c outside, for malting.

Flour—Wheat—55c, shipping points. Milled—Manitoba bran, 23c per ton; shorts, 24c per ton, on track, Toronto.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 8.—Close.—Wheat—Spot irregular; No. 1 Manitoba, 68 1/2c; No. 2, 68 1/4c; No. 3, 68 1/2c; futures steady; March, 75 1/2c; December, 68 1/2c; March, 75 1/2c. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 68 1/2c; futures, La Plata, December, 68 1/2c; January, 68 1/4c; May, 68 1/2c. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast, 26 1/2c to 27; Beef—Extra India mess, 117 1/2c; Prime mess, 117 1/2c; Ham—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 68c; Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., 75c; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs., 75c; shoulders, square, 11 to 12 lbs., 54c; Light Prime western, in tierces, 57c; Canadian finest white, 64c; do, colored, 62c; city, 62c; Australian (in London), 34s 6d; Turpentine spirits, 30s 6d; Rosin—Common, 30s 6d; refined, 32s 6d; Linseed oil—24s 9d; Cottonseed oil (Hull refined)—Spot, 30s 4d.

PERTH, Nov. 7.—There were 500 boxes of white and 400 boxes of colored cheese boarded and sold here at 13c today.

PICTON, Nov. 7.—At our cheese board 591 boxes were boarded; all sold at 13½c.

VICTORIAVILLE, Que., Nov. 7.—Five hundred boxes of cheese were sold here today at 13½c.

CORNWALL, Nov. 7.—Owing to the light make of cheese at present there was no meeting of the local board this afternoon. A meeting will be held next Friday.

DEATH OF JOHN LOWE

Former Canadian Deputy Minister of Agriculture Dead at Capital.
Ottawa, Nov. 7.—John Lowe, ex-deputy minister of agriculture, died here tonight in his 90th year. He was born at Warrington, England, in 1824. From 1850 to 1870 he was senior editor and proprietor of the Montreal Gazette. In the latter years entering the Dominion public service as census officer and later as assistant deputy and deputy minister of agriculture. He retired in 1895.

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Ladies' Solid Gold Bracelet Watches, 15-jewel movement. Regular \$28. Sale \$22.40

Ladies' Solid Gold Bracelet Watches, 15-jewel movement. Regular price \$30. Sale \$24

Ladies' 14k Gold Bracelet

Watch, high-grade movement, regular price \$85. Sale \$68

Silver with strap

Silver Bracelet Watch with strap. Regular \$5.00. Sale price \$4.00

Silver Bracelet Watch with strap, regular price \$8. Sale price \$6.40

Silver Bracelet Watch with strap, regular price \$9.00. Sale price \$7.20

Silver Bracelet Watch with strap, regular price \$10. Sale price \$8.00

LADIES' WALTHAM movement, complete in gold-filled casher case, regular price \$12. Sale price \$10.00
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Half dozen Tumblers with beautifully-cut star, frosted pattern. Regular price \$9.75. SALE PRICE \$7.80

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Gold-plated Jewel Case, regular price \$3.75. SALE PRICE \$3.00

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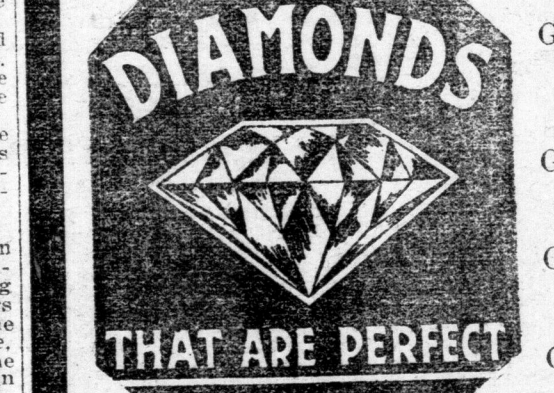
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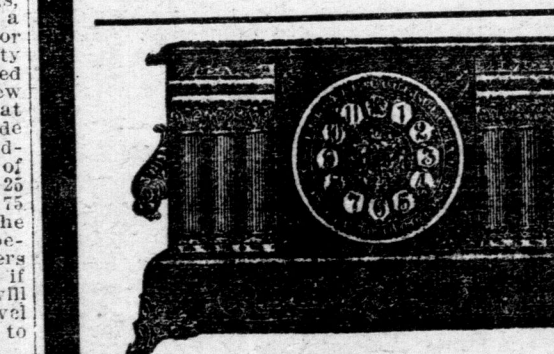
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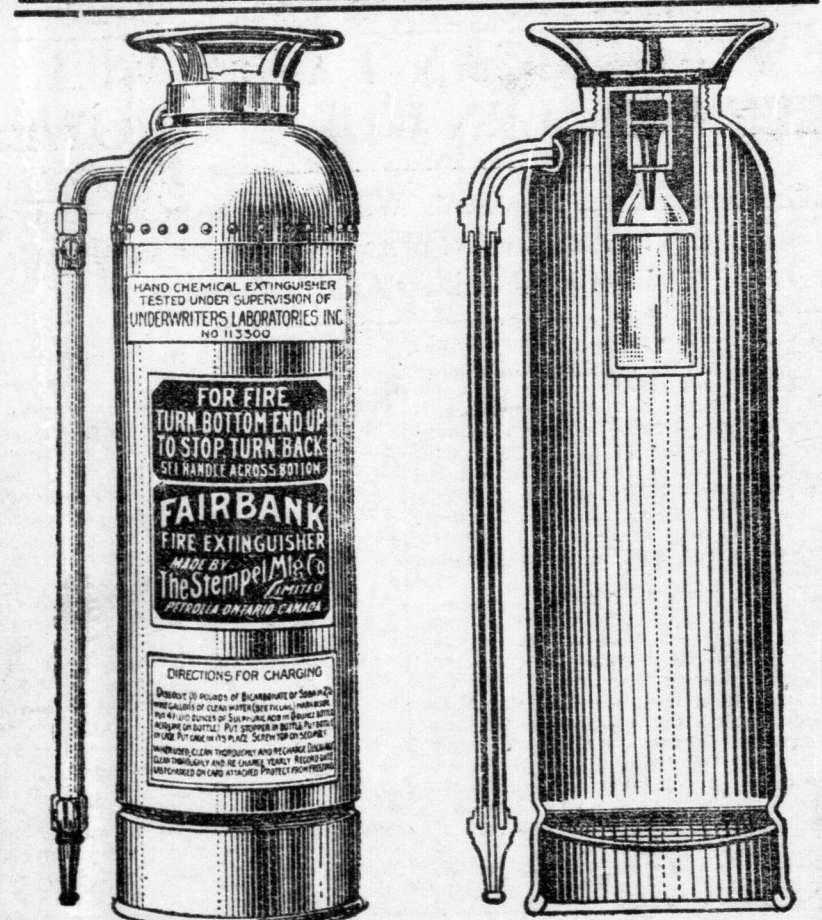
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