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CONTINUE TO BOIL WATER, IS ADVICE FROM CITY HALL

No Serious Washout at the Reservoirs As Reported On Street.

SUPPLY IS AMPLE
Pumps Out of Commission On Sunday Through Power Trouble.

Citizens are warned to continue to boil drinking water before using it, as a result of surface water washing into the reserve ponds at Springbank on Sunday. Mr. Buchanan denies the rumor to the effect that a washout seriously threatened the old reservoir Sunday, and that two men were on guard all night to give water to the city.

A washout occurred Sunday about the water main leading from the reservoir on the Pipe Line road, and this has been "shored up" with timbers. The reservoirs are now filled to within two inches of the top, the city being provided with an ample supply of drinking water, despite the fact that more than five million gallons from the reserve ponds were emptied into the river Sunday following contamination with surface water, and the additional fact that owing to power troubles at the waterworks the pumps were not working Sunday.

Although the bathing shacks at Birkett's flats were removed from their locations by Sunday's flood, they were not seriously damaged, and when the waters subsided, were found to be collected together within a short distance of their original sites. A large set of steps leading down to the ground from one shack was carried away by the deluge, and floated over a mile down the river, to be retrieved at the foot of Clarence street Sunday evening by a resident of the vicinity. They will be claimed by the authorities and placed once more at the door of the shack at Birkett's flats.

A small bridge crossing the creek near the north end of the camp floated down the north branch of the river a similar distance to Richmond street, where it was fished out by a citizen to be returned to its original location.

Medical School Invaded.
Secretary W. A. Tanner of the board of education reports that the Technical School was struck by lightning Sunday, and the heavy storm Sunday, but no serious damage resulted. A peculiar feature of this incident is the fact that the Dundas Centre Methodist Church, which is within a stone's throw of the Technical School, was also struck by lightning Sunday.

It has been also reported that the basement of the new Western University Medical School on Ottawa avenue was flooded Sunday. The water gained access through the lavatory sewer connections, and a minor damage resulted.

Many Permits for Repairs.
Building Inspector A. M. Piper reports that many property-owners of this city are actively engaged taking out permits to repair house foundations washed out and damaged by Sunday's storm. In many cases, Inspector Piper advised owners how to carry out their repairs, which will aggregate a cost of several thousand dollars.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.
Montreal, July 12.—There was practically no trading on the local stock market during the first half hour this morning. Only three of the leaders appeared, and they remained unchanged at their yesterday's closing levels, viz., Abitibi 25½, Laurentide 71, and Riondon 9.

The market continued to be very quiet all morning, and very little of interest transpired. Abitibi remained unchanged at its opening quotation, Laurentide 25½, and Riondon advanced 1½ point to 9½.

MAKES MOVE TO REDUCE ARMAMENTS

PRESIDENT HARDING OF THE UNITED STATES, who has invited Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan to a conference in Washington on the "limitation of armaments."

SEVEN DAIRIES REPORTED UNFIT, SAYS INSPECTOR

Three Milk Producers Must Discontinue Supplying Milk To City.

Farms located in all portions of the district from Port Stanley to Kerwood, upon which milk for local consumers is produced, have been inspected by Dairy Inspector Dr. C. S. Tamlin, of the London Board of Health, during the month of June. Dr. Tamlin visited 51 milk producers, and ordered three with insanitary premises to discontinue supplying milk to Londoners until conditions are remedied.

Dr. Tamlin reports general conditions as fair, with "not so much care taken as there should be." Tests for fats and bacteria counts "ran pretty good," he reports, considering the hot weather. "Lack of ice has proved a great handicap to the producers, and serves as a lesson to put in ice in the future. They cannot depend upon water for cooling, and every dairy should have an abundance of ice."

One producer was refused a license because he had no equipment. Dairy inspectors were also carried out by Inspector Tamlin, who discovered seven to be unfit. Samples of milk numbering 120 were taken for analysis, and eight cans of milk were returned to producers as unfit for human consumption.

City Briefs
FUSED WIRES AT TECH.—During the storm on Sunday, lightning struck the high-power wire at the Technical School, but beyond fusing the wire did no harm. The wire will be repaired before the opening of the school in September.

BUILDING STILL ACTIVE.—Building permits issued Monday include one for a one-story stucco dwelling at Dundas street, between D. D. Purdy to cost \$3,000, and for a frame dwelling on St. Julien street for James Lavery, estimated to cost \$1,000. Permits for July now total \$176,475.

CAR CRASHES THROUGH FENCE.—While backing a sedan car out of its garage at the Oxford street end of Gunn street about 8 o'clock this morning, the owner had the misfortune to crash through the fence on the opposite side of the street. Beyond the damage to the fence and considerable scratching of the paint of the car, no harm was done. Failure of the reverse gear to operate quickly is given as cause of the accident.

TWO INQUESTS THIS WEEK.—Two inquests will be held at the police station this week, one on Wednesday night to probe the cause of the death of John Price, who died as a result of being struck by a motor car at the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets on Saturday afternoon, and one on Thursday night to ascertain the cause of the death of Alvin Stepien, who died while at work on hydro lines near the former station in London Township on Friday afternoon.

BAILED FOR A MONTH.—Arthur Frazeley, because of the intervention of a number of friends, including Lieut.-Col. W. G. Coles, who bore testimony of his personal excellent character, was bailed in police court this morning for the theft of some lumber from the Tecumseh Barracks, of which he was convicted, but was bailed to appear in a month. The prisoner has a wife and five children.

MAY CONFISCATE WHISKY.—One hundred cases of whiskey will probably be confiscated by license department officials on Thursday, the shipment having been seized here a few months ago, and three Windsor men fined \$2,500. The runners attempted to quash the conviction, but failed. The liquor is now in the Government warehouse at Toronto, awaiting an order of confiscation. Crown Attorney J. B. McLeod will move for the order. The liquor was addressed to Robert Anderson, 30 Campbell avenue, Windsor, and Joseph Richard, 70 Campbell avenue, Windsor.

PLUMBING INSPECTOR MADE 135 INSPECTIONS

In his report for the month of June, Plumbing Inspector James C. Young announces that \$278.50 has been collected in fees from 135 inspections, and 85 permits issued, making fees for the first half of the year total \$148.70. The permits issued during June surpassed those of previous months in 1921, while the inspections carried out were over one-half the total for the six months, which augurs well for plumbing activities in the city. Defects discovered during the month totalled eight, and of these six were remedied. Several smoke tests were carried out by the inspector, the new machine, purchase of which was authorized at the last regular meeting of the board of health, being now in use.

MANY ARE KILLED BY FALLING WALL

Dax, France, July 12.—Many persons were buried by a falling wall during a fire which destroyed a mercantile establishment here, owned by Senator Millies-LaCroix, today. Eleven bodies had been taken from the debris up to a late hour this afternoon.

ONE SUPERVISOR OR ORGANIZER IS ON THE JOB

The first of the Government's "supervisors" or "organizers" under the "new order of things," Mr. MacNabb, is in the city from the east. The new department, comprising the railway mail service and the office of the postoffice inspection, is being organized today, and it is understood that the intricacies of the new Griffiths scheme of civil service reorganization will be explained in detail. That the work should proceed smoothly after the start is the belief of the officials. Another of Ottawa's foreign efficiency experts is giving his attention to the departments at Toronto, but is expected to reach London directly to assist in the reclassification.

FOR REWARD FOR SAVING TRAIN

Some Claims Made Over the Phone and Some Personally.

WASHOUT WAS BIG ONE

Huron and Bruce Still Tied Up by Storm Damage to Track.

Although several calls were received over the telephone on Monday, and at least four personal calls were made at the office of the superintendent of the local division this morning, the local officials of the G. T. R. are still in the dark regarding who really did discover the washout and land slide near the sandpits immediately east of this city Sunday night. According to the official, however, the gratitude of the G. T. R. will go out to the boy or boys who first notified the sectionman in charge of that portion of the track.

Saw Washout.
F. H. Smith, of R. R. No. 8, London, and two boys who work on the Huron and Bruce lines, called at Mr. Forrester's office this morning to claim whatever credit was due for the action. According to the story told by Mr. Smith, the three of them were together when the washout occurred. Realizing the seriousness of the situation, Mr. Smith sent the two boys to notify the sectionman while he waited for the section flag any train which might come along.

Carried Away 200 Feet.
The washout was perhaps the most serious of the whole division. Just west of the washout, a section of track, about 200 feet long, was carried away by the water of the flood had abated. The embankment for more than 200 feet had been washed away, and the track bed left a hole that will be impossible to fill until a steam shovel has been secured from Toronto. The landslide occurred at 9 o'clock at night, and the sectionman, who was passing westward, for the time being all trains are running over the east-bound track.

L. H. and B. Still Blocked.
The London, Huron and Bruce is still tied up by a washed-out culvert. The passengers of north and south bound trains were transferred from one to another last night, and again this morning. The washout, however, the hole will be repaired by tonight after the arrival of a pile-driver. Sand and gravel is being hauled by the trainload to the section of the culvert at 2:30. Many beautiful floral tributes were sent to the local officials, though apparently small, are deserving, for in one hole, according to the local officials, four flat cars of gravel was dumped, but it had little effect.

Obituary
SUCCESSFUL TO DIPHTHERIA.
On Friday, June 8, the death took place at Clandeboie at the family residence of Edith Mae Flynn, aged 9 years, and 1 month, of diphtheria. She was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Flynn, section foreman, of that place.

The little girl had been ailing since Monday, but showed no signs of this disease until Thursday, and passed away peacefully at 2:30. Many beautiful floral offerings were sent by schoolmates and friends. She leaves to mourn her loss her parents and two brothers, Cecil, 11, and Harold, aged 7.

The funeral, which was private, took place Saturday morning, at 11 o'clock at St. James Cemetery. There were a number of relatives, friends and members of the L. O. R. A. Lodge, of which the mother is a member, present.

BURIED AT DELAWARE.
The funeral of Mrs. Emily Whitaker, who died on Saturday at her residence, Delaware, was held from the above address to the Presbyterian Church at 2:15, when services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Ross. Interment was made in Delaware Cemetery at 3 o'clock.

RELATIVES ATTEND FUNERAL.
The funeral of William Redding, who died early Monday morning at the Aged People's Home was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the undertaking parlors of J. Ferguson's Sons to Woodland Cemetery. Services were conducted at 2:30 by Rev. Canon Gunne of Christ Church.

It was through the report carried in The Advertiser of Monday to the effect that the man had died, and that the body was being held pending investigation as to the whereabouts of relatives that a stepson, James Berryman of Port Huron was located. Mr. Berryman arrived on the noon train to attend the funeral.

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LONDON WITNESSES

plain-clothes officers on duty at Queen's Park.
The parade was headed by lodges from the State of Michigan, led by the G. W. V. A. Band and pipes. First was the Martin Luther Lodge, 54, of Detroit; then the Highland Park Lodge. After these came the Port Huron Lodge, 103, and the True Blue Lodge of women, who won considerable applause. Other American lodges were the Robert Brown and the Grant County.

Following are the Canadian lodges in order of march: Brantford, 742; St. Thomas, 238; St. Thomas, 359; West Lorne, 2358; Fargo, 690; Chatham, 1041; Moraviantown, 943; Chatham, 199; Greenway, 219; Bidulph, 493; Lanark, Sarnia, L. O. B. A., 155; Sarnia, Black Knight, 1230; Sarnia, 301; Point Edward, 514; Sarnia, 671; Petrolia, Star of the West, 1066; Wyoming, Havelock, 964; Bruce, 916; Uttoxeter, 516; Watford, 500; Aurora, 819; Wainstead, 620; Ardena, 2338; Stratford, 537; Woodstock, 93; Norwich, 2106; Tillsonburg, 254; Ingersoll, 743; Stratford, 759; Kirkton, 591; Stratford, L. O. B. A., 171; Stratford, Classic, 20668; Granton, 592; Carleton Place, 884; St. Mary's, 518; Huron, 827; Lakeside, Galt, 478; Kitchener, 2027; Preston, 2308; Onondela Reserve, 953; Onondela Reserve, 2750; Mount Brydges, 186; Glenora, 593.

London made a splendid showing with the following lodges: Forest City 702, Ahoghill 230, Royal True Blues 64, Hackett 805, Boyne 298, Beaver 2101, Nassau 2170.
Nearly every lodge had a fife and drum or a brass band in attendance.

COLONIAL PREMIERS GO FOR A FLIGHT IN R-34

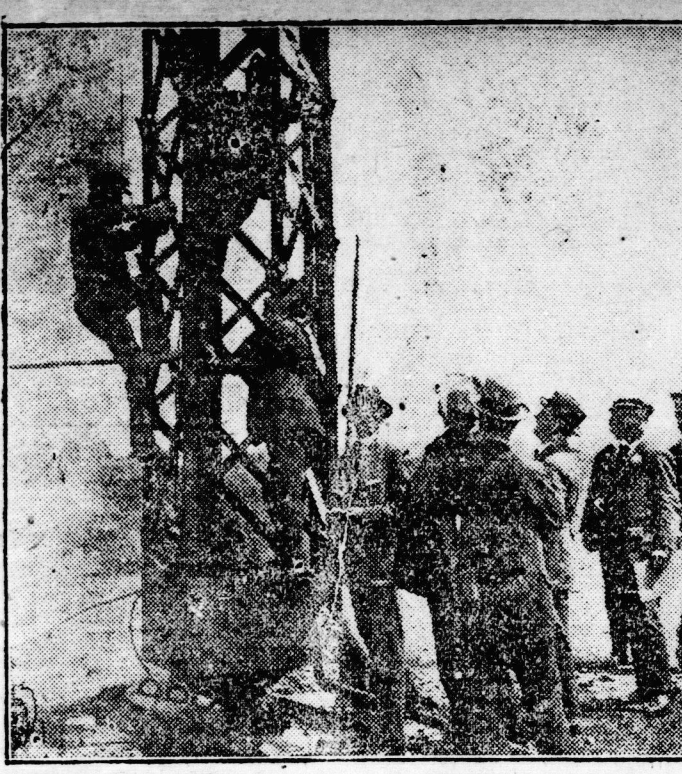


Photo shows a group waiting their turn to climb the mooring mast and enter the big vessel.

DETAILS OF WAGE REDUCTIONS NOW IN LOCAL G.T.R. OFFICE

All Classes Are Affected — Trainmen's Pay Down 60 Cents a Day.

For the first time since the United States Railway Board ordered a cut in the pay of all railwaymen in that country, a detailed account of the reductions was received this morning at the local G. T. R. divisional superintendent's office. As practically the same reductions will be effective in this country it is expected the following listed reduction will be of some interest:

After the percentage of decrease was worked out in each class of workmen it was found that the decrease in the salary of clerks, with more than two years service to their credit, the cut would amount to 6 cents an hour; with more than one year's service, 12 cents an hour; with less than one year's service, 18 cents an hour. Office and other employees under 18 years of age, the cut would be 5 cents an hour. Station employees, including conductors, would suffer a reduction of 6 cents, while common laborers would receive a cut of 8 1/2 cents.

The employees of the maintenance of way department, including sectionmen, track inspectors and others, the cut ranges from 7 1/2 to 10 cents an hour, according to the class of work. Shop employees, including every class of worker, needed for the repair of telegraphers and dispatchers receive 6 cents an hour less than their present scale.

Engineers, including engineers and firemen, in the passenger service, suffered for a cut of 48 cents a mile, or a cut of 48 cents a day. In the freight service the reduction is .64 cents a mile or 64 cents a day.

Trainmen, including conductors, brakemen and baggagemen, in the passenger department, the cut is 4 cents an hour, 60 cents a day, or \$18 per month. In the freight service, conductors and brakemen would receive .85 cents an hour or 64 cents a day. For yardmen, including the foremen and the switch tenders, the decrease is 6 cents a day.

WAS HIS ALMANAC WRONG, OR WAS HE REALLY VER COLD?

The janitor of the public utilities building is reported by members of the public utilities staff to be "a cold-blooded cuss," the heat in the office radiators being on full blast today. General Manager E. V. Buchanan discovered this fact this morning while on a still hunt to determine why the electric fan on his desk was not producing the usual cooling breeze.

He set out to hold a court of inquiry, but discovered that the janitor "was out," thereby proving that the heat was not prepared for his own benefit. The court of inquiry will be continued when the summer storm returns.

CONDITION IS IMPROVED.—Harry Merritt, popular caretaker of the city hall, who underwent a serious operation in Victoria Hospital Saturday, was reported to be improved today.

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OVERSEAS PREMIERS TO ATTEND MEETING IF DE VALERA URGES

Participants At Irish Conference Will Hold Widely Divergent Views.

PLAN OF INTERVIEW
Object Will Be First To Seek Settlement Along Broad Lines.

London, July 12.—The parliamentary correspondent of the London Times says the arrangements for the meeting of Mr. Lloyd George and Eamonn de Valera are not to be "cut and dried," adding that General Jan Christian Smuts, the South African premier, is not to be present at the opening of the interview, but that it is understood in Mr. De Valera's desire the overseas dominions represented, formally or informally, "this wish will meet with cordial acquiescence."

The correspondent adds Mr. Lloyd George is prepared to see the Sinn Féin members by himself, or have with him such other Government members as may appear desirable in view of the development of the discussions. It is predicted that the early discussions will be on broad principles with the later stage probably devoted to the setting up of committees to deal with particular subjects.

The Times says that while Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, who returned to Belfast last night owing to outbreak of disorders, is absent the Marquis of Londonderry, minister of education in the Belfast Parliament, will remain in London. Sir James, it is declared, is prepared to return at any moment.

Views Widely Divergent.
According to the correspondent, will be, in the words of the premier, "to explore to the utmost the possibility of a settlement, the aim being first to discover whether the general lines of settlement can be marked out."

News received at the Irish office and reported by the parliamentary correspondent, indicated that the last Sinn Féin shot was fired at 11:55 a.m. yesterday at Kingscourt, County Cavan, where a revolver was aimed at a police patrol. No one was injured, and the shot was not returned.

Editorially, the Times says: "In appearance, if not in reality, the points of view of the parties to Thursday's conference will be widely divergent. The standpoint of the Sinn Féin, temperamental and intellectually, is different from that of Englishmen. The paper attributes the outbreak mainly to the Orange anniversary. When political feeling runs high in Northern Ireland and men's passions are stirred by memories of a stormy past."

EXCHANGE RATES.
New York, July 12.—Sterling exchange steady, demand, \$3 63½; cables, \$3 61½; Canadian dollars, 12½/12½ per cent discount.

WILL NOT BE NAMED AFTER ROOSEVELT

Hon. H. C. Biggs Declines To Agree To Changing His Plans.

Because Hon. H. C. Biggs, minister of public works and highways in Ontario, does not wish the provincial highways now under construction to be known by any other name, the road running between Windsor and Niagara Falls will not be designated "The Theodore Roosevelt International Highway." Word to this effect was received today by the local chamber of commerce, which a communication was also sent to Mr. Tracy of Duluth, president of the association which is endeavoring to designate a transcontinental highway to commemorate the life of the great American.

It was the intention of the association to designate a direct road through Western and Southern Ontario as a portion of the road running between the chambers of commerce and other organizations were strongly in favor of the scheme, as it was believed that many tourists would be brought into the province, and with them their money. It was believed also that as the road was to be shown on thousands of maps to be published in the United States this portion of Ontario would receive much free advertisement. To bring this about by gaining the consent of the Provincial Government a committee was formed a few months ago. This committee worked hard to win the approval of the minister of public works, but it was to no avail. Although Hon. Mr. Biggs objected to having other names applied to any of the provincial highways, he suggested that signs be placed at Niagara Falls and Windsor to inform tourists that the provincial highways between these places was a connecting link in the transcontinental system. He intimated that the highways in Ontario under his jurisdiction were to be numbered, and that by taking a road with such a number, it would be easy enough for anyone to keep to the proper road without other signs on the road. This suggestion was passed on to the president of the association.

STORE THIEVES ARE SENTENCED

Mrs. Ingram Goes To Merceur—Cambridge Women Get Three Months.

Eliza Ingram, third of the shoplifters to face Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon, after pleading guilty to two charges preferred against her in police court this morning, was sentenced to an indeterminate term not exceeding two years in the Andrew Mercer Reformatory at Toronto. She was convicted on four counts, namely: stealing one silk dress, cut glass, and two pieces of jewelry, valued at \$45, from Smallman & Ingram, a cup and saucer from John L. Scott, valued at \$5, on January 1, and of taking \$14.35 worth of silverware from the Cowan hardware, and a \$10.30 sweater from Gray's, Limited, on June 12. The court said that there were other charges which could have been preferred against her, including thefts from Kingsmill's, Limited, and Leo Watson, haberdasher. On the charge of stealing a cup and saucer from John L. Scott, the court said that the imposition of sentence in the other cases might not be interfered with.

Edith Cambridge, and Ethel Cambridge, the last of the gang to be held by the court, were sentenced to a period of three months. They had only two convictions registered against them, and the court was inclined to believe that they had been led into the affair.

ST. THOMAS GREENS WERE NOT FLOODED

Big Entry List for Tomorrow's Annual Tourney.

A good entry list for the St. Thomas tourney, which opens tomorrow, is already in. The entries close tonight, and the draw will be published Wednesday morning.

A report that the greens of the St. Thomas Club were flooded in the big storm was not correct. Very little water got to the playing greens, and they were well dried out Monday.

LEAVE FOR LONDON.
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BRIAND ANNOUNCES

mons as those enacted there yesterday. When Mr. Lloyd George told of President Harding's proposal, and announced Great Britain's hearty acquiescence, it was apparent that parliament, Downing street and the foreign office looked upon the president's invitation to the allied nations to confer on the limitation of armaments as most momentous. The British dominions are reported to be planning to cut short the sessions of the imperial conference, so that they may return to their home estates and prepare for the Washington conference. It appears to be the feeling in official quarters that discussions of naval projects and other important matters should be held in abeyance until after the nations have met and have decided upon their future action regarding military and naval affairs. Newspapers of this city continued today to express satisfaction over President Harding's proposal and the ready response of the British Government. They indicated that the Washington conference may have far-reaching effects upon not only the armament situa-

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tion, but problems focusing about the restriction of armaments has been favorably received in Italian official circles and especially by Premier Bonomi and Foreign Minister Della Torretta, it was indicated today. This leads to the belief that Italy undoubtedly would accept an invitation to such a conference.

CANADA TO TAKE OUTSTANDING PART IN BIG CONFERENCE
London, July 12.—By Gratton O'Leary, Special Correspondent, Canadian Press.—The international and imperial situation, as a result of developments over the week-end, may be summed up as follows: The British Empire has welcomed and accepted President Harding's invitation for a conference of the great world powers at Washington on the limitation of armaments. The Anglo-Japanese treaty still exists, but both Japan and Great Britain have agreed that it shall be brought into line with the covenant of the League of Nations, which means the elimination of the military clause to which Premier Meighen and Smuts most strongly objected. Eamonn de Valera is on his way to London to meet Prime Minister Lloyd George, which means the prospect of a settlement in Ireland.

The British Empire Congress of Premiers, satisfied that its influence and deliberations have made possible a great step in world peace, is proceeding to shorten its consideration of minor subjects.

Much Preliminary Work.
The conference at Washington is not expected to be held until some time in October. It is recognized that in a matter of such great moment to the world it is the better part of wisdom to make haste slowly, and it is obvious that a great deal of preliminary work must be necessary before such a gathering can be got into motion. Practically speaking, there will be two conferences. The first is to be confined to Japan, China, the United States, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and Great Britain, while the second will include all the great world powers, France, Italy, Holland and other European nations, probably taking part 80 per cent as Canada is concerned, it can be definitely stated that she will play a part in both conferences. Premier Meighen's intention, therefore, is to reach Ottawa before the 1st of August and clear up whatever political and administrative problems are awaiting him, and prepare to go to Washington.

Guest of Government.
Meanwhile London awaits Eamonn de Valera. The Sinn Féin leader while here will be the guest of the British Government, and, not without amusement, Canadians here have heard that he is to be a fellow-guest of Premier Meighen in the sumptuous precincts of Claridge's.

De Valera is regarded as a godsend, one of the most moderate and sensible of the Sinn Féin leaders, and by R. C. Barton, formerly a Protestant Unionist, who fought as a British officer in the Great War. It is understood that Timothy Healy, the noted Nationalist lawyer and close personal friend of A. Bonar Law and other Conservative leaders, is acting as his legal adviser. Few here minimize the vast difficulties in the way of a settlement, but, on the other hand, there has never been a time in the last century when more good-will has been exerted toward a just solution.

ITALY EXPECTED TO ACCEPT INVITATION TO THE CONFERENCE
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