

New House Subsidy

PREMIER'S IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT—VISIT TO GLASGOW SLUMS.

A parenthetical remark by Mr. Baldwin in his speech in acknowledgment of the granting of the freedom of Glasgow, a week ago, disclosed the fact of a three-hours' visit to the slums. Whereas in Dundee a request was made for an enlargement of the programme, in the case of Glasgow Mr. Baldwin, for reasons of his own, made it clear that he would not make an official pretence to visit the slums in which he was to appear as the central figure.

The plans were arranged with every care to avoid publicity, and were successfully carried through, although he devoted fully three hours to inspecting slum properties in both Glasgow and Anderson (the latter part of the constituency of Kelvin, represented by Captain Elliott, the Member, who acts as Parliamentary Secretary to the Scottish Board of Health), not a whisper was heard of his visit until he himself dropped a hint in his speeches.

It was Mr. Baldwin's own desire to see the darker spots of the city in his everyday guise. Accompanied by Dr. A. K. Chalmers, until recently Medical Officer of Health for the city, who acted as his guide, Mr. Baldwin visited some of the worst slum dwellings in Glasgow. He entered and inspected a number of the houses, chatting with the people living in them, and so far as could be observed completed his tour without being recognized.

A Great Welcome.

At none of the numerous functions which the Prime Minister attended during the day did the cordial welcome which the citizens greeted him everywhere find more complete expression than at the Freedom ceremony in St. Andrew's Hall, at which Mr. Baldwin was admitted to the select and distinguished company of honorary burghesses of the city. For almost half an hour before noon, the hall at which the ceremony began, practically every seat in the spacious interior of the hall was occupied, and the proceedings were conducted amid every evidence of spontaneous enthusiasm. The large audience was representative of all sections of the city's life, and it was with very apparent pleasure that they took advantage of the opportunity to give expression to the feelings of personal goodwill to the Prime Minister with which all were obviously animated and their delight that the civic authorities had seen fit to offer him the highest honour in the gift of the community.

In the interval between the Freedom ceremony and the other engagements the Premier, who was accompanied by Mrs. Baldwin, was entertained at a civic luncheon in the City Chambers. Replying to the toast of "Glasgow's Youngest Burgess," he remarked that there was nothing that strengthened one's hand, or sent one on one's way rejoicing, more than the cordialship which they gave in the great work of the government of the country.

Scots Housing Proposal.

Opportunity was taken by the Prime Minister to make an important announcement affecting the Scottish housing. Mr. Baldwin said that whereas in England they were overtaking housing arrears, in Scotland they were still accumulating. He understood it would be years before the building trade in Scotland was able to provide even for normal annual demands. Meanwhile they had an accumulated deficit of 150,000 houses. People were living and dying in hovels, and the Government could not stand by and accept this position without doing all in their power to remedy it. The only method suggested for dealing with the situation in a satisfactory manner was to use the immense capabilities of the engineering industry until the building trades were again in a position to cope with it.

The ordinary Government subsidy under Mr. Wheatley's Act was estimated to be worth in capital value about £150 per house. In order to get manufacturers going on mass production the Government had decided to supplement this subsidy for the first 4000 houses of alternative types in Scotland by a premium of £40, making a total subsidy in each case equivalent to £200. The Prime Minister appealed to Scottish local authorities to give the offer most careful and sympathetic consideration and to make immediate application to the Board of Health to participate in it to the fullest possible extent.

At the opening of the Knightswood scheme the Prime Minister said he wanted to attack housing to-day as we attacked shells in the war.

Mrs. Baldwin Touched.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin afterwards look part in the opening of the new Municipal Child Welfare Centre at St. Peter Street, Bridgeton.

Coming in the narrow thoroughfare with the blank railway wall facing the houses and the new building where thousands of people in working-class attire, many women clad in shawls and holding babies. The enthusiasm of

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the West was quite equalled by the manner in which these East-Enders received the Premier and his lady. Mrs. Baldwin was so touched with the spectacle that when she descended from the car she impulsively plucked the expensive flowers from her bouquet and cast them to the wondering children and their mothers.

A Land of Oil

Many centuries ago Palestine was called "a land flowing with milk and honey," and to-day Texas may be called a land flowing with oil.

In 1886, when an enterprising pioneer dug the first Texan well with a pick and shovel at Oil Springs, few people dreamed that the petroleum resources of Texas were later to be counted among the greatest in the world.

There are now a hundred producing areas in the State, from which half a million gallons of crude oil are produced daily from depths varying from 60ft. to more than a mile. Official figures show that to-day Texas is furnishing more than a seventh part of the world's production of petroleum. A certain Captain Lucas accidentally bored through oil near Beaumont, and when he removed the drill an oil geyser rose to a height of a hundred feet. In a short time this "rusher" was delivering 3,000 barrels an hour.

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Sapping the Buffalo

Many people recall "Buffalo Bill." He got his name from his prowess as a hunter of the American bison. He, and others, almost exterminated this magnificent beast, which, within the memory of many now living, roamed the prairies of the United States and Canada in vast herds.

To-day the only buffaloes left in the United States are preserved in Yellowstone Park; but in Canada, where there is more room, the buffalo is likely to become a national asset and a source of revenue.

It is estimated that there are in Canada 10,000 head of buffalo, and their preservation is due to the late Lord Strathcona, who, nearly fifty years ago, collected a small herd for his estate near Winnipeg. They flourished and increased, and were bought by the Government to stock the national park at Banff, in the Rockies.

When the herd had increased to about 700 it was removed to 150 square miles of territory in Alberta. Here the herd thrived, and now it is about 8,000 strong. The Dominion has established another herd in Alberta, at Elk Island Park.

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Thursday, Oct. 23, 1925.
6:15 p.m.—"Words Often Mispronounced."
6:37 p.m.—Hotel Shelton Dinner Music.
7:15 p.m.—Bill Wathey of the New York Evening Telegram Staff in Sports.

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Wave Length 292.8 Meters—Kilocycles 1000.
(Eastern Standard Time)
Thursday, Oct. 23, 1925.
1:30 p.m.—Hotel Morton Luncheon Music. J. Leonard Lewis, Director.
4:30 p.m.—Chalfonte-Haddon Hall Afternoon Tea Music.
6:30 p.m.—"Billy" Rocab, Dean of Sports Writers, Weekly Review of Sporting Events.
6:45 p.m.—15-minute Organ Recital (Request Selections). Arthur Scott Brook, City Organist.
7:00 p.m.—Hotel Ambassador Dinner Music.
8:00 p.m.—"World-Wide Excursions." Alfred James P. McClure, D. D.
8:15 p.m.—Studio Program to be Announced.
9:00 p.m.—Hotel Traymore Concert Orchestra.
10:30 p.m.—Dance Orchestra. "The Silver Slipper."

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