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THE ASQUITH GOVERNMENT

All the indications point to an early downfall of the Asquith Government in the Old Land.

If so, the Home Rule challenge will once more be dashed from the lips of the Nationalists, as it was when Gladstone had the cup in hand to offer them.

Recent bye-elections have gone badly against the Administration, and in each case it was intimated that the results had been largely affected by the disclosures regarding Lloyd George and Rufus Isaacs, two of the Ministers, with reference to Marconi shares.

On top of this there has come the sensational charge that some of said shares were also used by the then chief Liberal whip in connection with the party funds.

Under all the circumstances, the Asquith Government may, after a stormy time, manage to get the Irish measure through, but if so it will undoubtedly be thrown out by the Lords, and then an appeal to the people would seem to be inevitable.

THE VIEWS OF A LIBERAL PAPER

The Montreal Herald is a staunch Liberal sheet, but it cannot stand for the course of its party with reference to the Naval question.

Here is what it has to say in an editorial on the subject:

"The effect of the Churchill announcement on the situation in this country will undoubtedly be to strengthen materially Mr. Borden's case. It makes abundantly evident the Admiralty's belief that the 'emergency'—to use a well-worn expression—is sufficiently acute to render three extra dreadnoughts necessary two years from now.

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And these views, which the Montreal paper expresses with so much force and dignity, are, without any question, shared by thousands of other Liberals throughout the Dominion. There are many such in Brantford and, the same is true of all other Canadian communities.

Apart from the national disgrace, Laurier in this instance has made even a worse tactical blunder than he did when he tried to ram reciprocity down the throats of the people.

BRITISH MONARCHIAL SYSTEM.

A motor mechanic in the employ of the late King Edward has published some memoirs which have lacked veneration for the divinity that doth hedge a King, and likewise for the attribute of awe and majesty wherein doth sit the dread and fear of a Royal personage.

monarchical institutions in an age when reality is obliterating romance and delusion.—Toronto Globe.

That monarchies are sometimes oppressive is quite true, but so quite often are Presidencies, such, for example as in Mexico.

What the memoirs of this motor man divulge, this paper does not know, and probably they have little value, but no one in these days pretends that occupants of thrones are any more than human.

There must, under any form of state, be a head, and under its conditions which surround the present careful training of the British Royal family, recent occupants of that throne have come to the task with an equipment which would not be possessed in many respects by anyone else.

In addition, although a monarchy, the British Empire is, in reality, the biggest republic the world has ever seen.

The vast majority of those who live under the grand old Union Jack sing with hearty intent "God save the King," or "God save the Queen," as the case may be, and in the so doing there is involved the prayer for the continuance of the glorious traditions and free institutions of the Empire.

Under such conditions, the upholding of the Royal house is not in any sense a case of servility and flunkeyism, as the Globe seems to think.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Come to think of it, cupidity is associated with all marriages.

It is not believed that the early frosts are likely to spoil the June bride crop.

Home Rule certainly holds the record as the stormy petrel of British public life.

It is beginning to look as if it is not the Turks alone who have the instinct for massacre out the Balkan way.

The Medicine Hat Call says: "The brightest news item in all—Canada these days is that throughout the West the crop generally promises well."

It certainly is good news for Brantford manufacturers, as Western collections have been none too rosy just lately.

A French aviator has flown from Paris to Warsaw, via Berlin, a distance of over nine hundred miles, in thirteen hours, or at the rate of 93.3 miles an hour. And the incident, which would have been a world sensation only a few months ago, is now related as a matter of course.

The fact that the Shantz family reunion in Berlin brought together some 2500 descendants of one man serves to forcibly demonstrate how many previous people we all have an alliance. Just remember that every one has four grandparents and each of them four in turn, or sixteen, and those sixteen between them sixty-four, and on the direct line alone amazing figures are soon reached.

By common consent, the Courier's "Square Deal" contest, which has now come to a close, has been the fairest competition of the kind ever conducted in Canada. Every competitor was paid in cash for what they did, and elsewhere the winners are announced of several beautiful presents into the bargain. This paper wishes to return hearty thanks to these volunteer workers, and also to the public for their cordial reception of them.

What the Other Fellow Thinks.

In the West. London Free Press: A quartet of Cabinet ministers will spend much time in the West this year. The questions that have arisen there in connection with transportation and handling the grain require first-hand information to be properly dealt with.

Good Advice. Stratford Beacon: The advice given by President Finley of the College of New York to the students is very good. It is to "take a long walk, read a good book, and make a new friend." If this advice is followed it will bring the boys increased physical, mental and moral strength that will greatly aid them in the battle of life.

Beggars in Montreal. Montreal Witness: There are far too many beggars in Montreal. The police must put a stop to it. It is not a difficult problem; they are not so clever at concealing their offences as other classes of criminals, and as begging is practically a profession, the members of which are in close communication with each other, a comparatively small number of arrests will make a quick clearance of the nuisance. On Saturday, according to the police account of the affair, a man was stabbed because he refused to give to one of our beggars. It is a not uncommon experience for men to be accosted on the

central streets of the city by these husky beggars, who are perfectly able to do work of which there is plenty to be found. They stand in some doorway, or lean up against a wall or post, watching with their experienced eye the passers, until they sight a probable victim. After he has passed them five or six steps, they follow him, and walking close to him, ask in the name of our Saviour, for the "Debrak," then came, for they know it to be the very strongest appeal, coupled with the protestation that they have had nothing to eat since morning or since the day before, for money to buy something to eat.

Play Censorship. Montreal Star: The difficulties of a theatrical censorship are well illustrated in what happened at Toronto. First came Mr. William Banks, senior, the censor who licensed the play "Debrak," then came, for they know it to be the very strongest appeal, coupled with the protestation that they have had nothing to eat since morning or since the day before, for money to buy something to eat.

Getting in Pretty Deep. Stratford Beacon: The editor of the Hamilton Times, referring to the subject of immodest dress among women, says he could not tell how any of his lady friends were dressed the last time he saw them. He confesses that he may be a little singular in this respect, and he may not have the quick eye of our ministerial friends for such things. Now, what are we to infer from that?

Game Losers

(Continued from Page 1) British team ought to have learned a deal from yesterday's game and we are more hopeful of the result of the next game.

The Westminster Gazette says: "We may still hope but we can no longer entertain great confidence that the big effort made by England will restore the cup this time."

Fastest Game Ever. NEW YORK, June 11.—"It was the fastest game I have ever taken part in," said Capt. Ritson, of the British polo team in commenting on yesterday's match at Meadowlands.

Whitney's team played brilliantly. They were perfectly fair and the foul crosses which penalized them part and a half were not intentional. Our ponies, I think, were more alert and subject to better control, but I believe our opponents' mounts were faster. We did our best and hope for better luck next time."

Similar sentiments were expressed by Capt. E. D. Miller, the Duke of Westminster's personal representative at the match. "We have no thought of making a change in the team," he declared. "I don't think it has been considered. It is quite likely there will be no change unless the men on the team suggest it themselves."

The American team members took their victory modestly. Capt. Harry Payne Whitney complimented Louis Stoddard's work and expressed the hope that "Monty" Waterbury would be able to get back in the game on Saturday. "It was a bully good game," said Mr. Whitney.

County Court.

(Continued from Page 1) Axon vs. Hendry—Jury Case. The case of Joseph Axon vs. Thomas Hendry, an action for damages, arising out of the seizure and sale of a number of horses, harness, etc., was commenced yesterday afternoon and is on this afternoon.

The case. Mr. Frank Axon, formerly a flour and feed merchant in this city, made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to the defendant who advertised the horses, etc to be sold on the market. Frank Axon's father, the plaintiff in this action, bought the bulk of the goods at the sale for \$80. He paid \$80 cash at the time horses, etc. Although the defence and raised \$500 on a mortgage and paid that over on the goods, and he was allowed to take charge of the claimed that he was not given possession, the horses were afterwards neglected and seized by the police and taken to Angus's delivery stable. Axon, neglecting to pay the balance of the purchase price, though urged to do so by Mr Hendry, and his solicitor, the horse and other goods were sold on the market. Owing to their condition about \$750 was realized. Mr. Axon claims that the sale was not properly advertised and that the goods were slaughtered.

Mr. W. M. Charlton is appearing for the plaintiff and Mr. W. M. Ewen for the defendant.

The criminal action will likely be heard this afternoon.

Jewish "Feast" Is Celebrated

The Jews of Brantford, in common with those of other cities, are celebrating the annual "Feast of Days" to-day and the festival will continue until sundown to-morrow. The preliminary service was conducted in the place of meeting last night.

The ceremonies are held to commemorate the giving of the Commandments to Moses on Mount Sinai, and is held just "seven times seven days" after the Feast of the Passover. The occupations of the Jews before and during their exiles, will be portrayed in the decorations which will be placed in the synagogues to-day. Ordinary holiday prayers were sung and sermons will be preached in the afternoon only, and the orthodox ritual will be strictly adhered to during the morning and evening services.

All Jewish places of business will be closed during the festival and every orthodox Jew is expected to attend the services. Large numbers of those who have not been so regular in their attendance of the weekly Sabbath service will make it a point to attend the synagogues during the holidays, as the services are considered of the utmost importance to those of the Hebrew faith.

In Toronto many factories will be closed for two days on account of the shortage of hands caused by the holidays, while the various news agents will be required to hire Gentile news boys during the absence of the Jewish boys, who practically control the newspaper stands in the downtown district of the Queen City.

Wedding Bells

DUNNINGHAM—REED

A very happy event transpired this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Courtnage, 22 Foster street, when Miss Alice M. Reed was united in marriage to Mr. Norman J. Dunningham by Rev. R. D. Hamilton, of Wellington St. Methodist church in the presence of relatives and friends.

The rooms were prettily decorated with evergreen and white roses. The bride, who was given away by her aunt, Miss Reed of Brooklyn, N.Y., was "gowned" in white embroidered marquisette over silk, and wore a wreath of white roses, the gift of Mrs. Braddon and family, of Brooklyn, N.Y., and carried white roses. She entered the room to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Miss Grace Arrowood. The bride took her place under the arch which was decorated with evergreen and white roses and a floral bell. They were unattended.

After the ceremony, the guests repaired to the dining room where a tempting dejeuner was served, at which the happy couple received many wishes for their future happiness. Three friends of the bride and groom served.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunningham will reside at 12 Wells Avenue. Many handsome gifts were received.

Do not allow worms to sap the vitality of your children. If not attended to, worms may work irreparable harm to the constitution of the infant. The little sufferers cannot voice their ailment, but there are many signs by which mothers are made aware that a dose of Miller's Worm Powder is necessary. These powders act quickly and will expel worms from the system without any inconvenience to the child.

Will Resign Seat.

NEW YORK, June 11.—A cable to The Tribune from London says: It is understood that Crawshaw Williams, Liberal M.P., for Leicester is about to resign his seat in parliament. He is co-responder in a pending divorce suit in which Hubert Carr-Gomley, another Liberal member is petitioner.

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60 only Ladies' Fine Summer Dresses. These are broken lines from our regular stock. To clear \$1.00 EACH

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