ASQUITH TO OFFER ULSTER THREE YEARS' EXCLUSION

His Final Home Rule Proposition to Unionists Gives Any County Right of Referendum—Generally Believed That, Unless Period of Exclusion is Indefinite, Compromise Will be Declined.

LONDON, March 6— The Daily News prints this morning what purports to be the government's final offer to the Unionists regarding Ulster and Home Rule. The statement is written by A. P. Nicholson, the Parliamentary correspondent of the paper, who recently resigned a similar position on the Times because of political reasons after he had won a high reputation for the accuracy of his parliamentary news.

According to this writer, the much-talked-of scheme of "Home Rule within Home Rule" has been dropped because, among other things, the Unionists made it clear that they would not accept it. The Cabinet has now agreed to go to the furthest limit toward the temporary exclusion of Ulster from the control of the Dublin Parliament.

"The proposal," says the correspondent, "will indeed be consistent with the root principles of the Home Rule Bill, but it is conceivable that it may at first be misunderstood by some supporters of the Government although the Nationalists are ready to give their loyal support."

The suggestion, which is said to have been decided upon by the Cabinet yesterday and to be made solely in the interests of peace and settlement by consent, is this:

"Any county in Ireland which makes the demand after the passage of the Act, but before the Irish Parliament is summoned, shall have the right to take a vote of the electorate of the county, and if a majority favors exclusion that county shall be excluded for a term of years, probably three."

The correspondent adds that he believes the Unionists are determined not to accept any offer of exclusion which does not come inside their own definition, namely, cutting Ulster for an indefinite period out of the territory to be under the jurisdiction of the Irish Parliament.

Through an oversight, the Home Rule Bill was omitted from yesterday's orders of the day in the House of Commons, and therefore it was not introduced, as had been intended. It will be introduced to-morrow. The incident is of no significance, and it will not affect the procedure which has been arranged.

The second reading will be moved on March 9, Mr. Asquith will on that date make his proposition to the Unionists. The various schemes for partial administrative economy, such as variations of postal arrangements or of Customs, the suggested increase in Ulster representation in either House of the Irish Parliament —all these ideas, which have been widely discussed, during the winter, have gone definitely by the board.

Tremendous interest is being taken in Premier Asquith's promised statement on Monday. Seats in the House of Commons already are being held at a premium.

No Eelection This Year.

The Daily Chronicle, which enjoys in a large measure the confidence of the Liberal Government, declares today that, despite assertions to the contrary, the government has no intention of dissolving during the present year, and that the Ministers anticipate finishing out their full five-year term.

The Government, according to the Daily Chronicle, will introduce today (Thursday) for their first readings during the present session, the Irish Home Rule, the Welsh Disestablishment and the Plural Voting Bills, and expects to carry all three of them before the expiration of its present term of office.

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MARKET CONDITIONS ARE DEPLORABLE

Trades and Labor Council Asks for Much Needed Improvement.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council took place last evening. Beyond the usual routine there was very little extra business to come before the council.

A letter was read from Mayor Spence, explaining the position of the Hydro Electric Commission on the charging of floor space for current supplied to users. After some discussion, a motion was passed instructing the secretary to answer the communication, and to convey the thanks of the council to his Worship for the explanations given.

A resolution was introduced, asking the city council to take steps to remedy the existing conditions on the market, the part referred to being where meat is now offered for sale. The council thinks that some action should be taken to protect the meat in the summer time from flies and dust, believing that those who sell such should be compelled, at their own expense, to supply some sort of covering for the meat and fish. It was claimed that such a move would be in the interests of the health of the community at large.

Another resolution introduced and a question which has been before the council before, was relative to the public lavatory on the market square. It was felt that even if the city council did not want to go to the expense of putting in a new one, they might at least have the same thoroughly cleaned up once in a while. It was pointed out by the president that until such time as the market question was settled, there was small chance of a new one being built, as the expense of installing an up to date one would be quite large.

A resolution will be introduced at the next meeting to curtail the meetings of the council during the summer months at least, to one night a month.

The carpenters of the city still claim that they are not getting what they claim a square deal in regard to working on public buildings, reference being made especially to the present post office building, where they claim that it is almost impossible for a union carpenter to secure steady work, also that the fair wage schedule was not being lived up to. They stated that in the letting of the contract for the new armories, they must secure justice in these regards.

Laid at Rest

The Late T. W. Holme.

The funeral took place yesterday at noon to Greenwood cemetery of the late T. W. Holme, a former well known resident of this city, who demains were accompanied by three sons, George and William of Buffalo and Brant of the Renssaler Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N.Y. Very impressive services were held at the late residence, 294 Hudson street on Tuesday by the Masonic Order of which the deceased was a life-long member. The funeral here took place from the Grand Trunk Depot and was of a private nature. Rev. C. W. Saunders officiated. The last sad rites were attended by the very near relatives and a few intimate friends. The floral tributes were many and very beautiful, of which only a few were brought here. The late Mr. Holme is survived by a widow, three sons and one daughter.

Obituary

A resident of Brantford for a great many years passed away last night, in the person of Sarah Taylor Phipps, relict of the late Isaac Scrivner. Mrs. Scrivner, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Finch, 127 Cayuga street, had been ill for some time, and her death was not unexpected.

The deceased lady, who was highly esteemed by a large circle of friends in this city, was born in Birmingham, England, on December 30, 1845, and came to Canada with her parents in July, 1872. She married Isaac Scrivner in the following year. The late Mr. Scrivner was for a number of years caretaker of the old Y.M.C.A. and also a member of the volunteer fire brigade. Mrs. Scrivner lost her husband and brother, Mr. W. Phipps, in a lamentable drowning accident in the year 1878, when a canoe in which the two men were boating was capsized at Blue Lake, and she was left with a family of small children to bring up.

She leaves to mourn her loss three sons, Arthur and George of Detroit, and Walter of this city; two daughters, Mrs. H. Jennings and Mrs. J. W. Finch of Brantford; also four brothers, John and Walter, Detroit, James of Toledo, Ohio, and Henry of Brantford, and three sisters, Mrs. William Gregory of Melbourne, Australia; Mrs. William Farr and Miss M. Phipps of this city.

The United States Congress made preparations to rush through legislation to repeal the Panama talls exemptions,

COL. MUNRO'S FARMS SOLD FOR $15,500 CASH

WOODSTOCK, March 5—Something of the Farmers' Bank failure was heard at Embro yesterday, when two farms owned by the late Coy. Munro, President of the Bank, were sold by auction. The sale was made by the liquidator of the bank. The two farms of 200 acres, were sold to Geo McDonald, late of British Columbia and now of Embro for $15,500, the transaction being made for cash. The implements netted about $2,500, while the live stock brought some high prices.

MARECHAL MAY REPLACE MONK

Two May Succeed Coderre and Nantel in the Cabinet.

OTTAWA, March 5—There is already considerable speculation here respecting Mr. Monk's successor as member for Jacques Cartier. Either L. T. Marechal or Thomas Chase Casgrain will be the choice of the government. Both these gentlemen have been prominently mentioned as likely to be called to the cabinet before the next election to replace Hon. L. Coderre, secretary of state, and Hon. Mr. Nantel, minister of inland revenue.

At the time of Mr. Monk's resignation as minister of public worke it was rumored that Hochelaga would be opened by the appointment of Mr. Coderre to the bench, and that Mr. Marechal would come into the cabinet. There was some doubt, however, as to whether Mr. Marechal could carry Hochelaga at that time, and in the end Mr. Coderre became secretary of state.

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Parks Board fuse to Agree the L. E. & I

Expert Again Depot Near lee Terrace.

The Parks Board held t ular meeting last night in hall at which the following were present: Chirman E. F. Cockshutt, F. Grobb and J. J. Hawkins.

The grounds committee b a report from Mr. Dunningt pointing out the disadvantag proposed site for a railwa for the L. E. and N., at th Scarfe Ave. with outlets on Street, 24 feet wide to Chur

The grounds committ brought in a report reco that the board refuse to g L. E. and N. the land awar Parks Board from Jubilee T Church St

A resolution was passed the report and refusing the the land which was award Board in part compensatio land taken on Jubilee Te other damages by the Domi way Commission.

The secretary read a le the general superintendent T. R. in reply to [illegible] ing out the fact that a park promised to the city at the West and Wadsworth Stree turn for the privilege of la extra sidings along Wadsw with junction at Waterloo S

The city council of that the Parks Board consented a an agreement permitting the to lay the sidings. This w the time that the main line pleted through the city. In h ing year the G. T. R. part out the park doing some leve putting a temporary railin the plot. Nothing further done from that time until ent.

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Very High Comp Paid by the Press Great Britain.

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LONDON, March 6.— comments on President Wil sage delivered to Congress are published in most of papers of this country to-d Government organ, the We Gazette, pays the highest ments to President Wilson titude in regard to the qu Panama canal tolls. It say

"It is not always convenie a statesman of another cou 'just judge' when he advo cause against a section o countrymen. We cannot ref ever, from expressing resp miration of the courage a ness with which Presiden handles the Panama tolls

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