

BRITAIN WILL NOT BOW FOR SAKE OF PEACE

Marquis Curzon Declares Empire Refuses To Be Humiliated.

REALIZES THE DANGER Secretary of Foreign Affairs Outlines Policy in Near East Situation.

LONDON, Nov. 8.—Great Britain refuses to purchase peace with the Turks at the cost of "humiliation and disgrace," Marquis Curzon, secretary for foreign affairs, declared today in the course of an address at the Cannon Street Hotel.

The attitude of the Kemalists, reflected in their recent demand that the allied troops leave Constantinople, will not be tolerated, he added, and he gave flat warning to the Nationalists that they will come to disaster if they venture to oppose their military power "to the strength of Great Britain and the might of Europe."

The gravity of the situation in the Near East was emphasized by Lord Curzon when he termed it "the most definite menace to the peace of the world."

Refers To Manifesto. Replying to what he described as "lies made at himself by former Prime Minister Lloyd George and Winston Spencer Churchill," he declared that Mr. Lloyd George did much to win the war and that his record would be inscribed in lasting letters on the pages of history, but that some of his actions as prime minister had not been helpful to Curzon's department.

The secretary of state for foreign affairs referred to the issuance of the premier's manifesto on September 16, in which it was asserted that Britain was prepared to fight to maintain the freedom of the Dardanelles. This, he said, was not only issued without his knowledge, but was "unfortunate in its character and tone."

When there was a premier with the peculiar gifts of Lloyd George, such a man must exercise unusual influence on foreign affairs. General opinion, however, he thought, was with the new premier, Mr. Bonar Law, in his declaration that the work of the foreign office, which is largely expert, must be done by the department itself, subject to the control of



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WINDSOR, Nov. 8.—Ray Snider and Verne Kiff, both of Leamington, were arrested in that town today at the request of the Sandwich police, charged with beating and robbing James Rasbrooke of Ford City in Sandwich Friday evening last. Webb Pastorsius, awaiting trial at the fall assizes here on another charge, is also charged with complicity in the robbery.

Guards At Prison Farm May Be Given Guns Following Epidemic of Escapes

Special to The Advertiser. TORONTO, Nov. 8.—"The department has no intention of allowing an epidemic of escapes to go on unchecked," stated Provincial Secretary Nixon when questioned regarding the escape last night of a number of prisoners at Guelph.

"You know we have never had armed guards there," said Nixon. "That has always been a source of pride, but nothing would destroy the morale of the institution there so much as an epidemic of escapes."

"Following these escapes there you may arm the guards at Guelph," Mr. Nixon stated. "We are considering the matter and are waiting to see if these men are promptly recaptured. If we do decide not to arm the guards this time the next escape at Guelph will probably mean that the guards will be given guns."

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While K. K. Hornum has announced that he will again seek election to the Provincial Legislature if selected by the voters, he has not yet been far from in either the Conservative or Liberal camps, and little interest is being taken in provincial politics locally.

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WILL MASTER HALL INQUIRY

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Canada Not Invited To Attend Near East Peace Conference At Lausanne

OTTAWA, Nov. 8.—(By Canadian Press).—Canada will not be represented at the Near East peace conference at Lausanne whenever that conference, which has been postponed from Nov. 13, is held. No invitation to send representatives was forwarded to any of the self-governing British dominions, it was stated by the prime minister this evening.

Invitations to send representatives were sent by the French, British and Italian governments acting together, it was said, and the countries involved were Japan, Rumania, Yugoslavia, Greece, Turkey and the United States.

The American government, it is learned, has declined to participate in the conference, inasmuch as it was not at war with Turkey. It will, however, have "observers" present at the meeting.

Mr. Doherty, minister of agriculture, in addressing a large number of his constituents in East Kent last night at Dresden, reviewed his activities to have the embargo on cattle removed. He claimed he had kept silent in face of unfair and dishonest criticism until the present lest a controversy would wreck the chances of the removal of the embargo. He gave full credit to all who made efforts in the past to have the embargo lifted but said they failed because their protests were made to the British government. He declared the successful results of the campaign was due to the fact that the appeal was made to the British people.

Mr. Doherty declared that when he went to England to attend the conference to discuss the embargo question it was at the urgent request of Lord Beaverbrook, and leaders of both parties in the Legislature at that time approved of the trip, yet he was not away from the House three hours before he was attacked in the Legislature for endeavoring to interfere with British boycotts. These were over three days before he arrived in the Old Country.

Urged By Premier. The minister of agriculture claimed that when Premier Meighen attended the Imperial conference in London supporters of the plan to lift the embargo urged the Canadian premier to press for the removal of the ban at Lausanne, and assured him that if he took that course the embargo would be lifted at once. Mr. Doherty declared the premier failed to do so.

Mr. Doherty also declared that cablegrams after cablegrams had been received in England by supporters of the move to lift the embargo, urging him to forsake the scheme and pointing out that if the embargo was lifted the Farmers' government in Ontario would receive the credit.

Premier Drury spoke briefly, during which he gave an account of the government's legislation during the past three years. J. M. Webster, M. P. for East Lambton, also addressed the meeting. Ex-Warden Harry French was chairman.

BID FAREWELL TO COL. R. I. TOWERS

Members of Sarnia Law Association Hold Banquet At Vendome Hotel.

SARNIA, Nov. 8.—Lieut. Colonel R. I. Towers, formerly of the law firm of Cowan, Towers and Cowan, who is leaving Sarnia for Toronto to practice law independently, was the guest of honor at the Sarnia Law Association at the Vendome Hotel tonight.

General regret at the departure of Colonel Towers, who has been a lifelong resident of the city and prominent in many circles, was expressed. Tuesday night Col. and Mrs. Towers were the guests of honor at a dinner given by the Sarnia Riding Club, of which organization Col. Towers is the president.

There is a considerable tie-up of freight at the Sarnia and Port Huron yards owing to the inability of the Central Vermont Railway to accept any freight other than livestock and perishable goods at the present time.

Seventy cars of general American freight consigned to Eastern States are tied up at the Port Huron yards on the American side of the St. Clair tunnel.

Canada is being increasingly regarded as a factor in the trade of the world, was the statement made today by H. R. Pousette, director of commercial intelligence service of the Canadian government department of trade and commerce, following a four-months' business trip to Great Britain, the Scandinavian countries, Lithuania, Latvia, Germany, Holland, Belgium, France and Italy, visiting offices of the department established in these countries.

Mr. Pousette claims Sarnia as his home, and is making a brief visit here following his return from abroad.

GIVES JUDGMENT IN FAVOR GODERICH SCHOOL BOARD

TORONTO, Nov. 8.—Mr. Justice Middleton today gave judgment in favor of the Goderich separate school board. The Western Canada Flour Co., Ltd., and Patrick J. Ryan, applied for an order to compel the municipality of Goderich to assess so that one-thirtieth of the taxes paid by the milling company would go to the plaintiffs as a board for separate schools purposes. The assessor of Goderich held that all taxes should go to public school purposes until it was shown that the Roman Catholics held a proportion of the stock in the mills.

Judgment has been reserved to consider whether the matter was in the right court.

LINDSAY WOMAN HURT IN FALL FROM WAGON

LION'S HEAD, Nov. 8.—Mrs. Duncan Campbell, a resident of Lindsay Township, near here, sustained severe injuries when a team of horses driven by her son ran away, throwing both Mrs. Campbell and her son out of the wagon in which they were riding. The horses broke clear of the vehicle, leaving it capsize in the ditch.

The Campbells were returning from school at the new school at Brown's Corner when the accident occurred.

HALTS WATERFRONT PLANS AT TORONTO

Mr. Justice Meredith States Program Must Have Validating Legislation.

TORONTO, Nov. 8.—The waterfront program cannot be proceeded with without validating legislation or a vote of the ratepayers. That is the effect of the decision handed down by Mr. Justice Meredith today in the Peckover action.

The judge restrains the city from action on the hydro electric agreement, but he makes the exception that this does not interfere with the

construction of a line between Toronto and Port Credit on an agreement conforming with the statute.

The point is that for a line from Port Credit into the city a six-track right of way is on the face of things absurdly unnecessary, and this the judge has pointed out in his previous finding.

His lordship decided to accept no undertakings from the parties to the action, but prefers to make a court order restraining the city. Five days are allowed in which to settle the terms of the order. The judge directs that the parties try to agree on the terms.

It is most unlikely that they will do so. If they cannot agree then they must appear before him again and he will finally fix the terms of the order. If either party is not satisfied they may appeal to the appellate division.

"We are simply enjoined from doing anything wrong," said Corporation Counsel G. R. Geary, K. C., after the hearing at the city hall today.

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