
SMUTS MAY BE MAN TO BREAK THE DEADLOCK

Rumored in London That He May be Sent to Belfast to See Craig.

SINN FEINERS ARE STILL VERY HOPEFUL

Next Conference Between De Valera and Lloyd George

London, July 19—Events which apparently had been proceeding smoothly and with fair rapidity toward a common ground upon which the British Government, the Irish Republicans and the Uisterites, could find a basis for a settlement of the troubles in Ireland, have fallen into a lull and for the moment the negotiations, both official and private have ceased.

Figuring Out Status.

With Sir James Craig, the Ulster Premier, again in Belfast, having before his departure from London delivered a pronouncement which seemed at the time to spell the end of the discussions between the three parties, the English people are trying to figure out what will eventually happen with respect to Ulster and more particularly with respect to the whole of his and at the next conference between Ljoyd George and Mr. De Valera, which is set down for Thursday.

clared that his services and those of the officials under him "are available at any moment," leads to a hopeful wiew that the final word of the Ulsterites has not yet been spoken.

Senor of the Fronte to Garden et al., Fig. 1.

E. Blondin, Postmaster General; Premier Taschereau, of Quebee; Hon Martin Burrell, Lady Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Taschereau, Mrs. Biondin.

Mrs. Doherty and Mrs. Biondin.

ites has not yet been spoken.

Notwithstanding the attitude of Ulster as expressed by Premier Craig. gates today declared that they were "still not unhopeful," while another Sinn Fein representative said: "It is not a question of Belfast being subservient to Dublin, or vice versa, but that both must be subservient to Ire-

De Valera at Thursday's meeting, which have been approved by the British cabinet. The republican leader and his colleagues will probably return to Dublin on Friday or Saturday in order to review the events of their visit to London and take under advisement whatever proposals the British Government has offered.

Ottawa, July 19—Canada is reducing the strength of her permanent force by ten per cent., it was officials and anomale by the militial department today. This step, taken on the ground of economy and effective as soon as possible after July 31, will mean there being a maximum of 3,600 officers and men, as against 4,000 as heretofore. Commanding officers were instructed to select those for dis-charge who will suffer the least hard-

Four Hundred to Go

The reductions in the Canadian Permanent Force, taking effect on July 11, for as soon as possible after that rate, will affect all units. The Royal Canadian Dragoons will lose 17 men; Strathcona Horse, 13; Royal Canadian Artillery, 59; R. C. B.'s, 31; Royal Canadian Engineers, 14; P.P. C.L.I. and 22nd Regiment, 20 each; Machine Gun Brigade, 15; R.C.A.S.C., 46; R.A.M.C., 2; R. C. Ordnance, 80; R.C.A. Veterinary, 20; R.S.A.P.C., 8; Y.M.S.C., 11; Miscellaneous, 50; making 400 in all, or a total reduction of ten per cent.

U. S. TARIFF BILL

Washington, July 19—The House
mished consideration of contested
schedules in the Fordney Tariff Bill
today by placing asphalt on the free
list and thus in four of the five paragraphs open to separate votes, overgried the action of its ways and means
committee in framing the measure,
Dye control provisions of the bill as
drawn were in the only section of the
five not upset by the Houes.

QUEBEC REMEMBERS.
Quebec, July 19—Premier Tasghereau has sent a telegram to Hon. G.
H. Murray, Premier of Nova Scotia, on the completion of 25 years as prem-

Montreal, July 19.—W. W. Builer, president of the Canadian Car and Foundry Company, Limited, is back here today after a four months' tour of Europe. He states that he has secured a \$2,000,000 order for 500 fifty-ton tank cars for the Russian Soviet Government. Work has already been started on this order and will be completed by the end of November this year.

DEVONSHIRES EN Will be Held on Thursday. ROUTE HOMEWARD FROM DOMINION

Fine Send-off at Quebec for Vice-Regal Party as it Quits Canada.

VETERANS' GUARD AT THE WHARF

Acting Premier of Canada There to Say Good-bye to Departing Gov.-General.

th Quebec, July, 19—Canada's farewell to Their Excellencies the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire this atternoon yd was a most impressive affair. The 18 Governor-General and the Vice-Regal

Smuts for Belfast.

In the meantime, General Smuts. the South African Premier may proceed to Belfast as intermediary, and the fact that the Uister leader has delered that the universe and those of the south Province of Quebec, the south Province of Quebec, Sir George Foster, Acting Premier; Rt. Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice; Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, Lieutenant-Governo of the Province of Quebec, Sir George Province of Que

Veterans Supply Guard.

"still not unhopeful," while another Sinn Fein representative said: "It is not a question of Belfast being subservient to Dublin, or vice versa, but that both must be subservient to Ireland."

King Greatly Concerned.

The King greatly concerned.

The King greatly concerned in the outcome of the Irish discussions, was visited today by the Marquis of Londonderry, Ulster minister of education, who, it is understood gave His Majesty details of the conversations the Marquis had with Mr. Lloyd George yesterday. The continued presence of the Ulster cabinet in London is considered significant and of good augury.

Mr. Lloyd George is believed to have certain propositions to present to Mr. De Valera at Thursday's meeting, which have been approved by ties British cabinet. The republican leader the 22nd Battalion in charge of Major J. P. U. Archambault, D. S. O., M. C.

Previous to her departure the Duchess of Devonshire was presented with bouquets from the ladies present and Washington. ad she expressed her appreciation of the Canadian people and her regrets at

visit to London and take under advisement whatever proposals the British Government has offered.

CANADA TO HAVE

FEWER TROOPS

FOUR Hundred Men in Regular Force to be Discharged August First.

Canadian people and her regrets at leaving.

At noon Their Excellencies enterports reaching England indicate the desirability, from a political stand-point, of his returning as soon as possible; but on the other hand, the question of the Pacific is so vitally related with a resolution of the Pacific is so vitally related to Canada and he has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to the Pacific is so vitally related to Canada and he has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to the Pacific is so vitally related to Canada and he has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to the Pacific is so vitally related to Canada and he has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here were high officials and other ministers are excluded, was held this afternoon. Questions of empire defence in relative part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to Canada and he has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to Canada and the has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to Canada and the has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to Canada and the has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to Canada and the has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to Canada and the has taken such an active part in bringing the conference about, that his presence here is estimated to Canada and the has taken such an active part in bringing th

Plunges To Death

Fell Thirty Feet When Pin Supporting Wire He Performed Upon Broke.

St. Catharines, Ont., July 19.—John Soper, aged 47, a native of St. Catharines, died at the General and Marine Hospital this morning from injuries received last night when he fell thirty feet from a tight rope upon which he was giving a performance in connection with the Old Home Week scelebration. While walking with a barrel about his legs, a pin holding a guy wire broke, causing the rope to sway and unbalancing him. With the barrel hanging to his legs he grasped the rope and endeavored to reach a telegraph pole hand over hand. Fifteen feet from the pole he lost his grasp. He leaves a grown up family. St. Catharines, Ont., July 19 .- John

NIHILIST WOMAN IS DEAD AGAIN



MEIGHEN LIKELY TO BE DETAINED UNTIL AUGUST 4

Anxious to Get Back to Ottawa as Political Situation Is So Uncertain.

PRIVATE SITTING OF THE PREMIERS

gest Feature of the Day.

(By GRATTAN O'LEARY)
Cenadian Press Staff Corresponden
London, July 19—As the result
a important communication sent an important communication sent to Washington yesterday, it may be ne-cessary for Fremier Meighen of Can-ada to remain in London until August 4, it was léarned tonight. The com-munication was confidential, but it is munication was confidential, but it is believed was connected with the de sire of the British Government to hold

Questions of empire defence in rela-tion to the new situation created by the calling of the disarmament confer-ence were discussed.

GERMANY PAYS MORE ON DEBT

Thirty-One Million Gold Marks Sent, Making 310,-000.000 Marks to Date.

Paris, July 19.—The reparations commission today isued an official statement that the German Government has just paid to it 31,000,000 gold marks in European currency on account of the three months' notes given in the latter part of May in settlement of the one billion gold marks due before June 1. Including the remittance of 31,000,000 marks paid today, Germany now has redeemed 114,949,000 marks, making a total of 275,375,000 marks paid on account of the one billion marks. The German Government has informed the reparations commission that it is ready to remit immediately 41,000,000 marks more in European currency, which will bring the total paid in specie and currency to more than 310,000,000 marks.

Copenhagen, July 19—Vera Sassuilich, a notorious Nihilist known
twenty-five years ago throughout the
world, died at Moscow yesterday, according to a report received here.

The death of Vera Sassulitich at
Petrograd was also reported in July,
1919. Included in her crimes was the
killing of General Trepoff, prefect of
police of St. Petersburg, in 1878.

JAPS TO QUIT SIBERIA
Tokio, July 19—Announcement by
the press that Hajime Matsushima,
permanent secretary of the foreign
ministry, had gone to Siberia in coonection with negotiations for a genrection with negotiation of section with negotiations for a genrection with negotiation of a genrection with negotiations for a genrection with negotiations for a genrection with negotiation for a genrection with negotiation for a genrection with a genrection with a genrection with the government

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News of The World

CANADA

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Quebec after fine sent off by the Government.

High wire walker falls to his death at St. Catherines, Ont., while giving exhibition.

Farmers win 39 seats in Alberta with Liberals 14, Labor 4 and Independents 4 also.

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THE BRITISH ISLES

General Smuts may be sent to Belfast to see Sir James Craig on Irish situation. Lloyd George defeated in the

House of Commons on a snap vote which he will disregard. Premier Lloyd George will come to Washington for the disarma-

Sinn Feiners Free

REVOLT PLOT

LIBERALS BRING **BACK ONLY SIX** FORMER MEMBERS

Farmers Secure 39 Seats in Alberta With Liberals 14,

NEW CABINET IN

Agrarians Likely to Contest

Seat Given to Liberal by Acclamation.

Calgary, July 19—Probably within one week the United Farmer members-elect of the Alberta legislature will meet to choose a political leader, who in turn will be invited to undertake the formation of the first Farmer Government in this province. Within a fortnight from this time it is expected that Premer Stewart will have handed over the administration to a new prime minister and a new cablinet. There is good authority for these statements, although no action has been taken officially at this time to put into effect the vote of yesterday. The standing now is 39 Farmers, 14 Liberate, 4 Labor and 4 Indeday. The standing now is 39 Farm ers, 14 Liberals, 4 Labor and 4 Inde

Only Eleven Old Members

Word from Edmonton today is that Victoria constitutency has left the Liberal column, reducing the Liberal representation to fourteen and increasing the Farmer to thirty-nine. W. Fedun, U. F. A. candidate there, has a majority of thirty-nine with all polls counter-revolutionary organization has been discovered in Odessa. It was plotting an uprising for next week. One hundred officers and several hundred coldiers were said to have been arrested.

PIRATES CAPTURE SPANISH VESSEL

Meilila, Morocco, July 19.—
Moorish pirates are again active off this coast, an attack by them upon the Spanish slopy Antonia Torres being repytigatoday. One seamen was killeda and the Captain, Jose Martinez Saez and four seamen were taken prisoner. The vessel was found abandoned off Penon Gomera with the dead seaman aboard. It is supposed he refused to surrender. The vessel left Alhucemas, July 14.

BUILDING PLANS FOR HUGE WORKS IN TORONTO OFF

Over \$8,000,000 of Work Tied up Because of Labor and High Prices.

SENATOR ROBERTSON TRIED A SETTLEMENT

Conference Between All Par-

Ottawa, July 19.—Eight million dollars worth of projected building is being held up in Toronto at the present at time, according to a statement made by Senator Robertson today. The work fin not beins proceeded with because the present cost of construction would be unjustifiable from the investors' point of view. No fair return could be expected upon the outlay, it is said.

Conference Arranged.

ORMER MEMBERS
On Thursday next a second conference will be held between representatives of the building trades organizations and contractors, sub-contractors, dealers in builders' supplies, as well as the Canadian manufacturers' Association and the Toronto Board of Trade. The purpose of these conferences is to stimulate local building, and at Thursday's meeting each of the interests represented has agreed to come prepared to say what thy are between the proposition of the second to the boilers was incorrect, the Binghampton would break up during the night.

TEAR BOMBS TOO MUCH FOR SQUAD OF BEST POLICE.

Rents Not Decreasing.

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Superintendent of Police Mills took

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It is a fact of note that only eleven members elected held office in the old of 34 former members are returned of 34 former members are returned of 34 former members are returned with 150 fear gas bombs. Three members elected held office in the old of ton. Mr. Murray

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STEAMER HITS **GARNET LEDGE** AND EXPLODES

Binghampton" En Route from Boston to Russia Wrecked in Dense Fog.

HEAVY SEA RUNNING WHEN SHIP ABANDONED Little Hope Entertained That

Vessel Will Ever be Released from Reef.

Halifax, N. S., July, 19.—The American steamer Binghampton three days out from Boston for Riga, Russia, with a general cargo, went ashore in a thick fog early this morning on Gaanet dry ledge about fifteen miles from Yarmouth, N. S., it was learned when Captain M. L. Gibert and her crew of thirty men came safely to land in the ship's boats at Chebocque Point tonight. When the men left their ship lying in an exposed position with a heavy sea running, about two o'clock this afternoon, numbers 2 and 3 holds were flooded.

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There was about six feet of water There was about six feet of water in the engine room. They had light ened the vessel of several tons of cargo. Little hope is held out that she may be got off the dangerous ledges. The steamer Blughampton is a vessel of 1,549 net tons, owned by the Bergen Navigation Company of Panama. She had cargo of cloth, shoes, clothing and other commodities.

Bollers Blow Up.

Halifax, N. S., July 19—Captain Gilbert expressed the opinion that the Binghampton was doomed. Shortly after he left the vessel with her fires still burning and pumps working, alstill burning and pumps working, although she was pounding heavily and in imminent danger of breaking in pieces, he heard a terrific explosion, and supposes that the boilers blew up. He thought it probable that even supposing his theory about the boilers was incorrect, the Binghampton would break up during the night.

OF BEST POLICE

Attempted Repeatedly to Reach Bomb Throwers But Could Not Stand It.

CHIEF CLAIMS IT GREAT PROTECTOR

Sees in It Way to Guard Banks and Break Up Unruly Mobs.

Philadelphia, July 19-The effective-Lloyd George Party

Lloyd George Party

Philadelphia, July 19—The effectiveness of tear gas as a mob dispelled ness of the emphatic endorsement of 200 stalwart Philadelphia policement of 200 stalwart Philadelphia policement of the emphatic endorsement en