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Court. CHAPTER I.

The prince looked older than when we saw him last, but as he took Margaret's hand in his and pressed it reserve Good

advantages over the not the least is the self. In the twelve opposite Blair, and sought to take his life. Prince Rivani had fought a stern than that memorable one at Naples: the fight with a pas-

threatened to absort he could return the of Margaret's hand with one of brotherly affection. "If I cannot have her for lover and

wife," he had sworn to himself. "at least. I will have her for friend!" It was a noble and unselfish vow and he fought for strength until he ad accomplished it.'

"And now, when you can tear yourselves apart, you two," said Blair. "She looks the picture of youth and essing the two la health and happiness." said the prince dies who displayed a great disposimietly "and more beautiful--vou will der the trees, and pardon me-than ever in my eves." remainder of their lives. "And in mine, old fellow!" said "perhaps we'd better go to the house." Blair, holding out his hand place it is!'

omfort, and maintained himself with the guard-.50 ianship of the lad, and had done i all with such strict, though uncon scious obedience to the whole command of keeping the good deeds of

hat the lad himself had no suspicion

that he owed his preservation from

education, his whole

ov bore for him should

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Achilles? Well, I ran

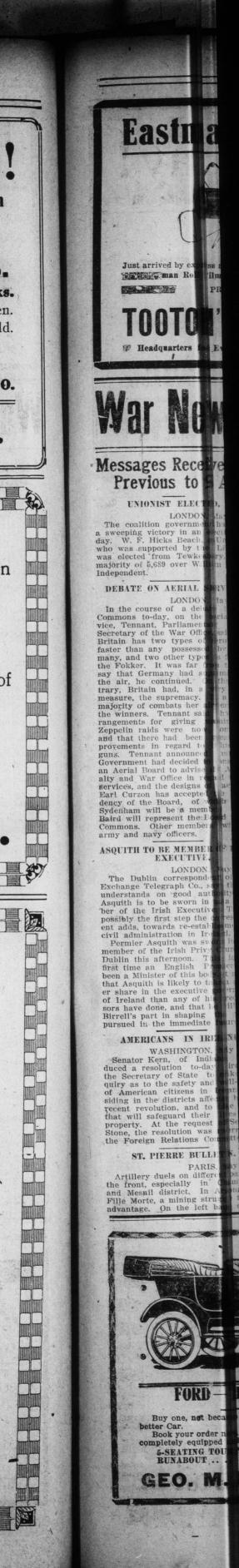
to the round corner in

you haven't finished

All good news. I hope?"

entered. dressed

to this handsome beau-ideal



exclaimed the princess. "I always ficant meeting of the palms, then thought the Villa Capri the beautiful Blair said: "Any news?" est house in the world, but it is a The prince was silent a moment.

hovel compared to this. Oh, how "No, not much," he answered, after happy you must be, dear!" she added pause. "All you wished done I have in a whisper. had carried out."

"Yes," said Margaret, with her quiet He referred to two graves in the outside were great monarchs, instead smile; "yes I am very fond of the cemetery at Naples which he had un- of one of the ornamental properties court, but I think I am happy because dertaken to keep in order-two graves of a London park. I am the wife of its master!" covered with huge slabs of black mar-Florence glanced at Blair as he ble, one bearing the initials "A. A.," strode along beside the prince in and the other "V G." earnest conversation.

Blair nodded, and his face grew good appetite and a refined taste "What a splendid fellow he is, dear." cloudy for a moment. she said in a low voice, not altogether

"And Lottie?" free from awe. "Do you know, if I "Lottie doesn't need your generous weren't so fond of him-you aren't assistance any longer." said the jealous?-I think I should be a little prince, with a smile, "She is now one The stories we are afraid of him.

est famous young ladies in always hearing about him since we came to England! It is always how Italy. I forgot to send you the paper Lord Blair-they always call him containing an account of her great Blair!-rode in such and such a race, success in the new spectacular play" and how he swam such and such a -he had not forgotten, but had re-

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silence after that sign is our hero, to enlarge upon his goo qualities, and allow the readers to find his bad qualities for themselves. See him as he sits at his breakfas table on spring morning, so brigh and clear and vernal that one migh feel tempted to imagine that the trees

case, and given to the word honor

"Here is a paragon!" exclaims the

Alas, no! the perfect, godlike, im

maculate hero no longer exists, thank

neaning wide and significant.

reader, incredulously.

Heaven! But it is as

he untainted by interest or constrain ed by gratitude or humiliation That Percy Chester is no ascetic may be gathered from the appearance after the Eton fashion, straight of of the table, which is eloquent of a

limb and every inch a gentleman. Percy Chester looked up and felt for Pate de foie gras, deviled kidneys, the hundredth time that he had done plovers' eggs, Chateau Margaux right in deceiving him. claret. Vienna rolls, not to mention : "Hallo Percy old fellow!" exdozen other dainties, served on choice claimed the boy, charging round to

china and antique plate, and made his kinsman to the imminent danger pleasant to the eye by a bouquet o of a stand of bric-a-brac in his nath: of a man's epicureanism. If we add Why The been up and round to this a slight idea of the room, with the park on the chestnut. Oh! and its hangings of stone grav and crim say, isn't she a beauty! can't she go! twelve choice example armory of weapons of the chase, to even minutes and a half-that was

gether with furniture costly and rare fast, wasn't it? And I say-but I beg one may also give the owner some your pardon! credit for artistic taste. vour letters. As a matter of fact, Percy Chester was no mean judge of wine, pictures

or women; and his opinion was grad early this morning, after your night's ually acquiring a weight in the fash lissination too! Did you enjoy yourwho had good grounds for his decis

'answered the boy. h ion, and knew his own mind. "Oh. rather!' Look at him as he leans back in awfully jolly! You chair of Venetian ebony, poising a claret glass in one hand and idly turn ing over a small pile of letters with

the other. Tall, stalwart-yet graceful as Lord Vering should be, with eyes of old fellow, why didn't you come? gray, dark enough to oked for you every five minutes." taken for brown, with a handsom (To be Continued.) clear-cut face, tinged by a touch

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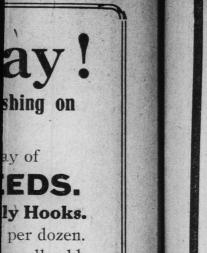


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DEBATE ON AERIAL SERVICE.

In the course of a debate in the commons to-day, on the aerial service, Tennant, Parliamentary Under Secretary of the War Office, said that Britain has two types of aeroplanes

War News,

Previous to 9 A.M.

LONDON, May 17.

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UNIONIST ELECTED.

faster than any possessed by Ger-many, and two other types as fast as the Fokker. It was far from true to say that Germany had supremacy in the sin he continued of the sin the vicinity of Deadman's the air, he continued. On the con-trary, Britain had, in a very large report of to-day says that on the east need something to put some ginger trary, Britain had, in a very large report of to-day says that on the east measure, the supremacy. In a great inajority of combats her airmen were the winners. Tennant said that arrangements for giving warning of Wood and Vaux Pond. French aero-Zeppelin raids were now complete, planes made several raids during the night. Bombs were throw no the railway station at Metz, Frescai for superstructure and that decided to constitute and Brieulles.

Government had decided to constitute and Brieulles. an Aerial Board to advise the Admiralty and War Office in regard to air services, and the designs of machines. Earl Curzon has accepted the Presi-

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AMSTERDAM, May 17. According to the German versio

LONDON, May 17. A British official this evening ad-mits the loss of a small monitor, as

much cargo huried into the air, with-in three minutes the ship's decks were awash. I had a life belt, but being a good swimmer, gave it to my fellow American, Mancini, who could not swim. I kicked off my shoes, dived, and swam to a boat, which had been launched. I assisted the stewardess and an injured officer of the ship into a hoat. I was so busy I did not see a boat. I was so busy I did not see what happened to Mancini. The ship sank in twenty minutes. We were picked up by a trawler patrol and arved at Yarmouth." Comstock has made a report at the rican Embassy, expressing his ion that the Batavia V. sank as result of striking a mine. The bassy will forward his statement

THE EVENING TELEGRAM, ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, MAY 18, 1916-3

to the State Department at Washing-ton. Through Consular officials the Embassy is obtaining affidavits from the ship's officers.

GERMANS REPORTED DESERTING. GENEVA, May 17. German soldiers along the Swiss-Alsatian frontier, chiefly elderly men of the Landstrum, have begun to ask for food from the Swiss soldiers. The Germans say they have not eaten meat or weeks. Five German soldiers, in iniform, although fired on, escaped across the Swiss frontier at Rodersdorff near Basel, yesterday. They were interned at Berne. The Neue Stuttgarter Zeitung says that the food situation in the Rhine towns is euse bombardment of our first lines The enemy attempted to progress by means of grenades at Mort Homme, becoming intolerable. The newspape advises the Government to take dras ut completely failed. On the right ank of the Meuse, great artillery acic measures to change the mode of living of the people. It suggests that cooking in private families be pro-hibited, and that the population be ordered to eat at common restaurants, vity in the district between Haudro-nont West, and Vaux Pond. Northvest of Thiaumont farm we repulsed a grenade attack against our advancwhere meat-would be served once l posts. During the night of the daily, at noon only, and vegetables in the evening. Eighteen German cattle 16th to 17th thirteen of our bombard-ing aeroplanes dropped twenty-four dealers arrived at .Basel yesterday shells on bivouacs in the Donvillers and Ville de Vautchaumont district, eleven on the Brieulles and Clery stanoping to buy cattle, which are becom

ing scarce. tions, fourteen on Nantillois and Ro-magne cantonments, and twenty-one PROBABLE LOSS OF EIGHT MEN. BOSTON, May 17.

on Appremont and Grand Pre sta-tions. Several fires are recorded. On The probable loss of eight men from the same night another of our air the cruiser San Francisco, after the squadrons dropped twenty shells on Ars and Metz stations, forty on Frescruiser ran aground on the grea round shoal in Vineyard Sound day is reported by wireless here. touting sheds, forty on Arnaville sta-tions, thirty on the railroad and sta-san Francisco has been officially retions between Metz and Thionville. One of our aviators brought down a ported only slightly damaged.

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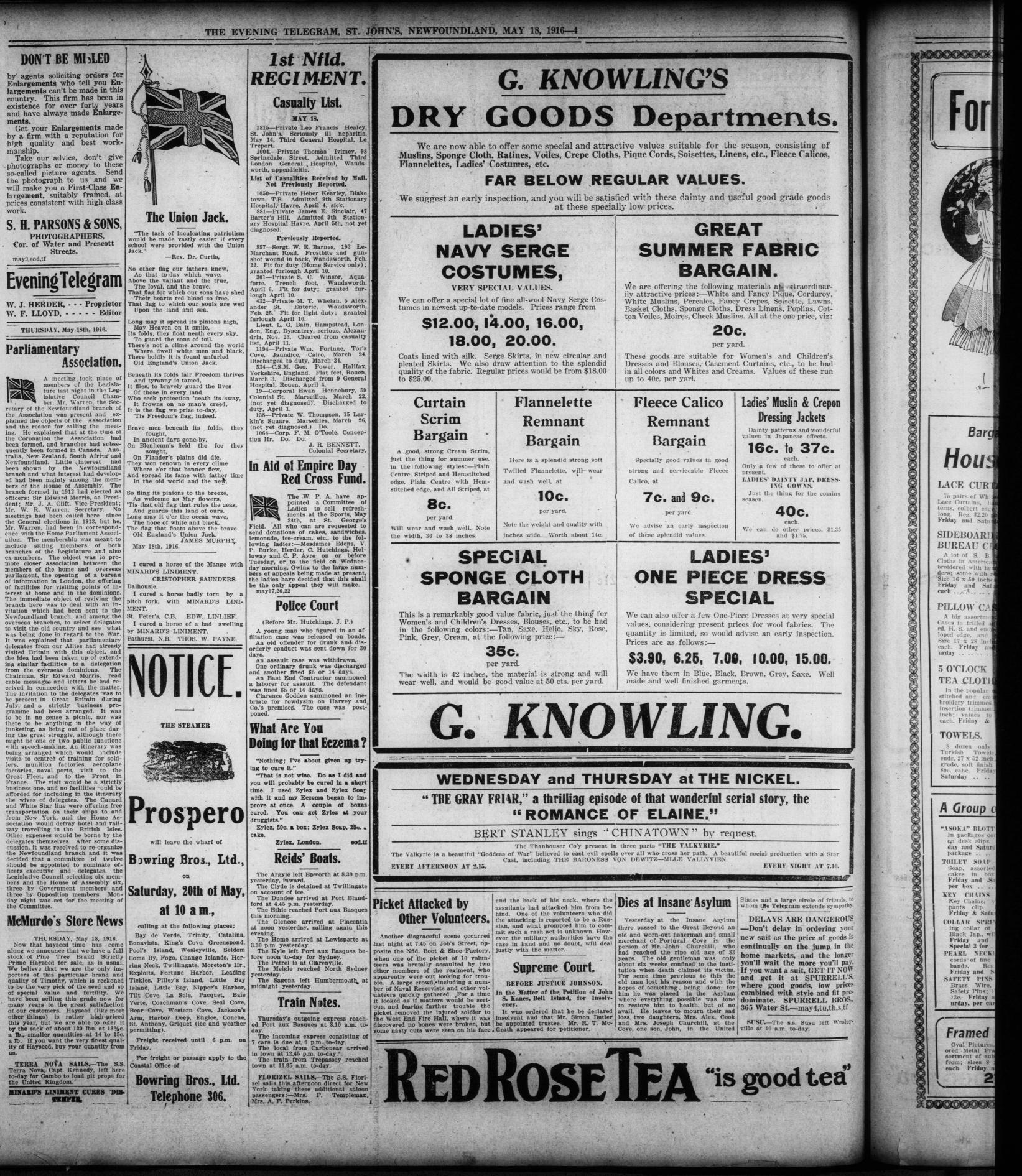
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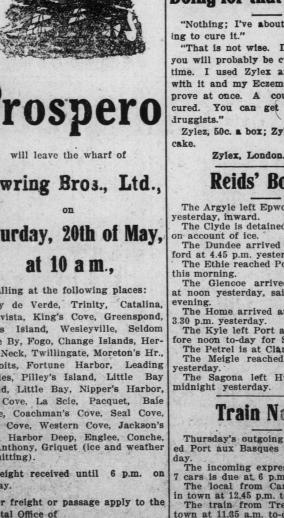


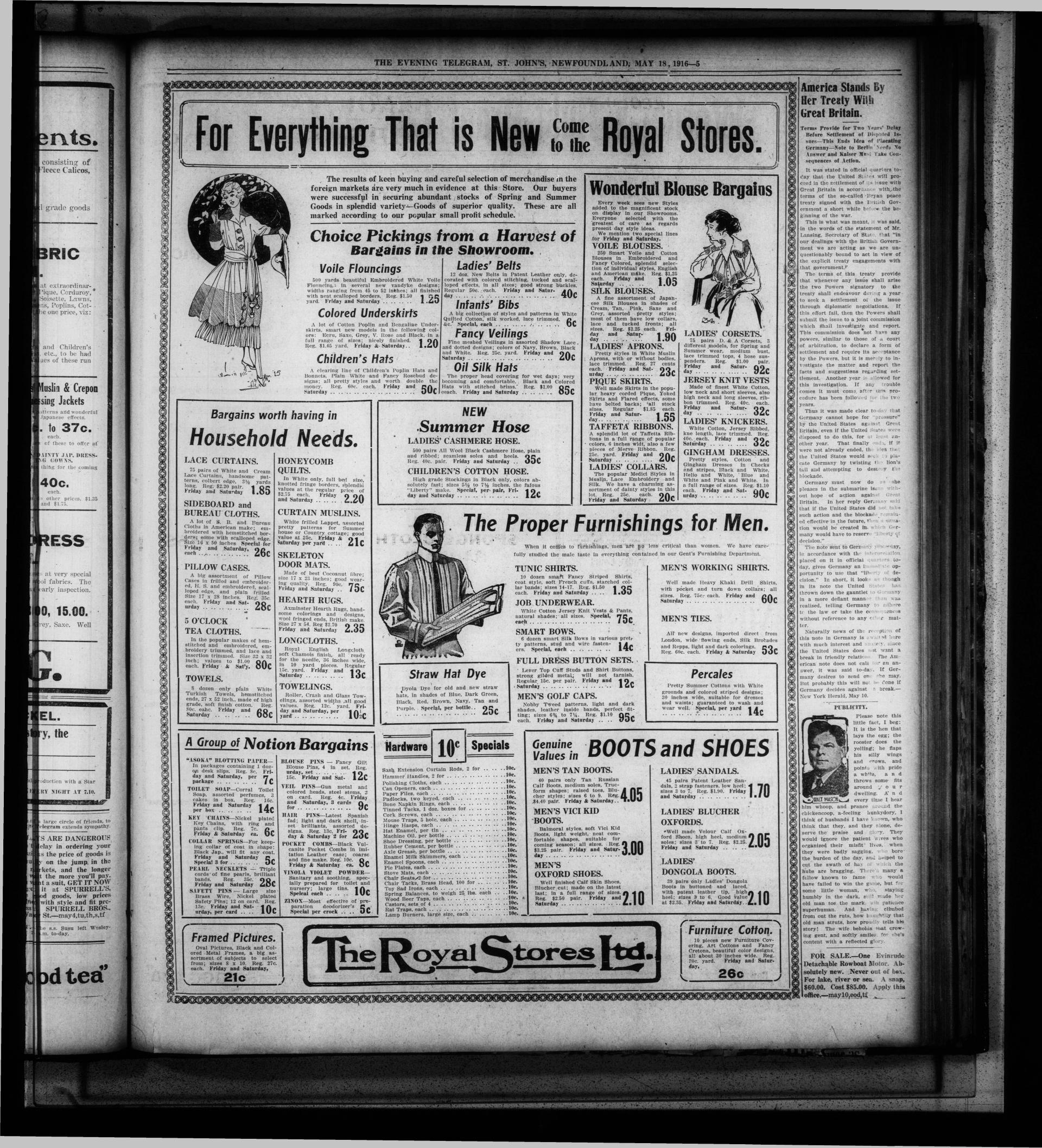
to be in no sense a picnic, nor was there to be anything in the way of junketing, as being out of place dur ing the great struggle, although there might be one or two public functions with speech-making. An itinerary was being arranged which would include visits to centres of training for sold iers, munition factories, aeroplane factories, naval ports, visit to the Great Fleet, and to the Front in France. The visit would be a strictly business one, and no facilities could be afforded for including in the itinerary the wives of delegates. The Cunard and White Star line were offering free transportation on their ships to and from New York, and the Home As-sociation would defray hotel and railway travelling in the British Isles Other expenses would be borne by the delegates themselves. After some dis-cussion, it was resolved to re-organize the Newfoundland branch and it was decided that a committee of twelve should be appointed to nominate of-ficers executive and delegates, the Legislative Council selecting six mem-bers and the House of Assembly six, three by Government members and three by Opposition members. Mon-day night was eat for the maxing of day night was set for the meeting o

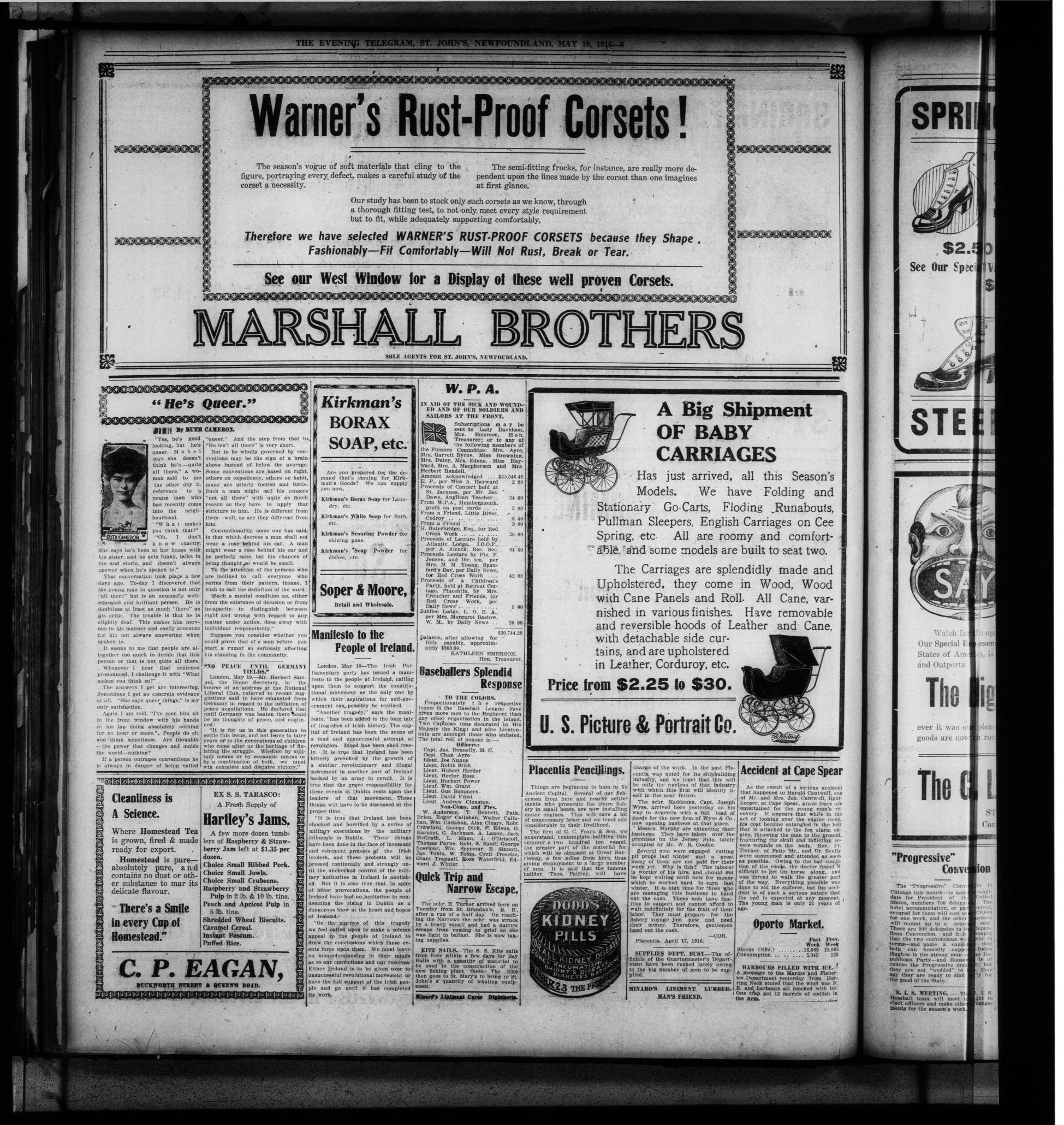
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COMMITTED FOR TRIAL. LONDON, To-day.

Sir Roger Casement and Bailey were committed for trial for high treason, yesterday.

SEIZED MAIL.

BERLIN, To-day. A despatch from the Hagne Over seas News Agency, says all first class mail on board the Dutch steamer Bandceng, bound from Rotterdam for Bolavia, was taken off by the British authorities

DUE TO A MISUNDERSTANDING. WASHINGTON. To-day.

Sir John Chancellor, British Gover-nor of Trinidad, cabled President Wilson to-day and explained the failure officially to receive Secretary-Treasurer McAdoo, when the latter visited the Island, on his recent trip to South America. Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, Brit-ish Ambassador, had previously ex-pressed regret to the President for the incident milither was a significance the incident which was due to a mis-understanding as to McAdoo's arrival.

HARDINGE BACK TO FOREIGN OFFICE.

LONDON, To-day. Baron Hardinge, former Viceroy o India from 1906 to 1910 and Perman net Under Secretary of State for For eign Affairs, will temporarily resume ing by the Foreign Office.

CHURCHILL ATTACKS GOVERN-MENT,

RADICAL CHANGES IN GOVERN-MENT OF IRELAND.

Premier Asquith reached the conclu-sion from impressions gathered dur-ing his Irish visit that the old form of

Government of Ireland has had its day. The Associated Press learns

DUBLIN, To-day

1.45 P.M.

ON THE VERDUN FRONT.

Several attacks were made by Ger-

PARIS. To-day.

LONDON, To-day The debate in the Commons yester-day on the British aerial service, was of no interest except for the state-ment of Harold J. Tennant, Parliaientary Under Secretary of War, o the appointment of a new Board of which Earl Curzon is to be President. Col. Winston Churchill and William LON or 5 cents PINT, while they last.—may18,1i



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