

HE CALLES ELECTED

King Edward Summons Brand-New Parliament.

POLLING OPENS SATURDAY

Britons Will Talk Politics and Vote for Two Weeks—Great Series of Speeches—No Opposition to Healy.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—King Edward, who has been absent in the country since Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's Cabinet was formed, returned to London this afternoon and held a meeting of the Privy Council, at which the proclamation dissolving Parliament was signed. Immediately afterwards writs were sent to the returning officers for the election of the members of the new Parliament, which, in accordance with the law, His Majesty has summoned to meet at Westminster on February 12.

Air Full of Politics.

The leaders of the opposing forces mounted the hustings tonight and the rallying cries of the main forces and factions engaged in the combat were heard everywhere. No less than 15 members of the past and present Cabinets spoke in different parts of the country, including ex-Premier Balfour, Herbert Henry Asquith, Joseph Chamberlain, John Morley, Lord Lansdowne, Arthur Balfour, David Lloyd-George and Austen Chamberlain. The issues were clear, and the speakers continued to ring the changes against home rule or tariff reform. The Liberals attacked the Unionist record of the past ten years, while the Unionists in the main were on the defensive.

Healy Expects No War.

Sir Charles Dilke, speaking in London tonight, announced himself as an advanced Liberal Independent. He spoke very favorably of the members of the new Cabinet. Questioned with regard to Morocco, Sir Charles said that the difficulties predicted over the Moroccan situation were trifling. He stated that there was no danger of a war arising therefrom.

Chamberlain's Lofly Flight.

Joseph Chamberlain, speaking at Wednesday night, said he had surrendered the great office of Colonial Secretary, of which he was proud, because he had become deeply imbued with the importance of fiscal reform. He said he wanted, as the last act of his public and political life, to do something which might be remembered. He stated that he therefore, he had abandoned all petty political ambitions.

SUFFERS RUSSIAN ABUSE.

British Merchant Imprisoned as Spy and Beaten With Straps.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 8.—Mail advices from Hongkong state that Joseph Ernest Goddes, a Hongkong merchant who was imprisoned in Siberia for 12 months and brutally treated on suspicion of being a spy in the service of the Japanese, has been released and is returning to Hongkong.

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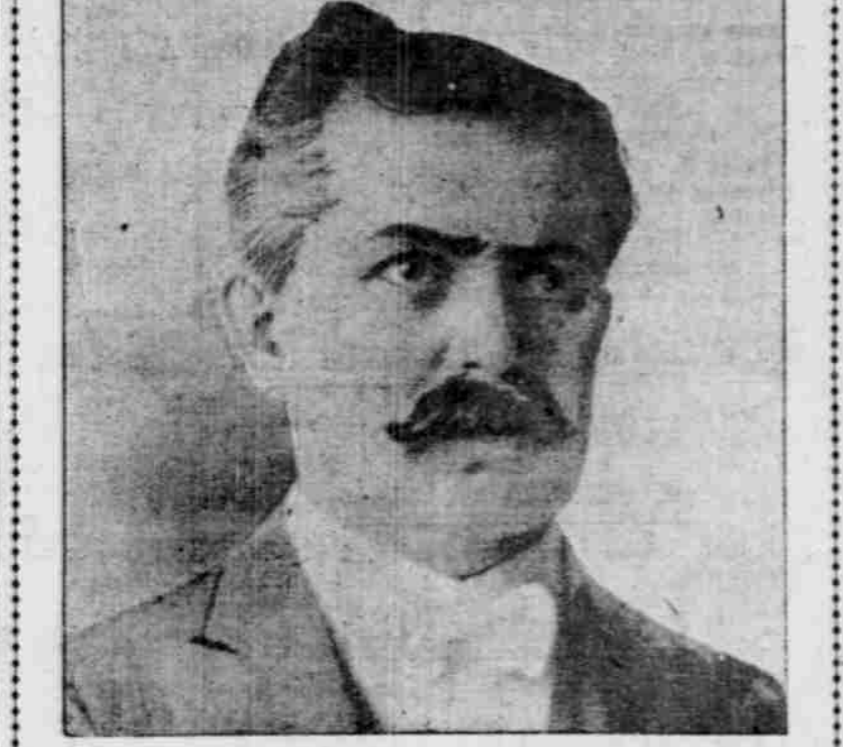
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