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BRITISH CABINET TOTTERS OVER IRISH HOME RULE BILL; WAR MINISTER WOULD RESIGN

Premier Asquith Refuses to Accept Resignation of Seely, Who Accepts Responsibility for Reinstatement of Army Officers Who Resigned Rather Than Fight Anti-Home Rule Ulstermen.

CHURCHILL ADMITS ORDERING SQUADRON

First Lord of Admiralty Calls Suggestion That He Hoped This Might Lead to Bloodshed "Hellish Insinuation."

the arguments he used to persuade

sald Seely, "that the government had

no intention of shooting the Ulstermen

down, and that all we wanted was to

standing, then, replied General Gough,

'we had better have the true situation

"I agreed, drafted a memorandum

and gave it to General Gough, who was

satisfied and did not insist on resign-

King Is Defended.

thers tried to defend the king against

the accusation of having interfered im-

properly in the home rule controversy.

he Liberals, Labor and Irish mem

bers did not warm up much over As-quith's deprecation of attempts to

matter." but they cheered enthusiasti-

cally when he denounced army dicta-

"Such dictation would put the gov-

rnment at the mercy of the army and

because all we took were perfectly

proper and natural steps to preserve

that Sir Edward Carson claimed to

Irish Purious at King.

Conservatives smiled at the sugges-

to retire if home rule were passed, the

English church disestablished in Wales

and plural voting abolished first. It was to prevent just these things, they

declared in the house of commons yes-

by making public the details of the

orders given to General Sir Arthur

Paget, commander of the troops in Ire-

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LONDON SPEECH SENT

TO SENATE BY BRYAN

patches as Making Un-

calling for an explanation of the Amer-

ican ambassador's recent speech in

London on the subject of the Panama

warded to the senate today the text

new world and also the one in which

The portion relating to the Monroe

"May I put in another parenthesis,

also on my own account, and correct

an impression that a part of your press

seems to have about the attitude of

the United States government concern-ing the investment of your colossal

ica that have volcanic tendencies? I

foreign investments there. That is

cannot be charged to the United States.

minds of our government and our peo-

ple which is not new, that would dis-

courage such investments or such con-

cessions as would carry with them the

control of the government of any of

those states, and only such, for so far

as the United States is concerned you

know how heartily we have welcomed your investments in our land and still

"You may be assured that it is non-

of the business of the United States to put any let or hindrance on any legit-

imate investments of yours anywhere

in the world, and they most heartily

welcome them and always will.

"There is a policy forming in the

clause in the canal act,

loctrine follows:

patriotic Remarks.

Seely, Premier Asquith and

(United Press Leased Wire.) London, March 25 .- That the General Gough to withdraw his resig-Asquith cabinet would survive the nation from the army. "I told him," Irish home rule crisis seemed unlikely today.

For the administration's sur- keep order render to the army officers who gave up their commissions rather than fight the anti-home rulers in writing. the premier blamed War Minister

Seely accepted responsibility and ing. offered his resignation. The premier refused it. This was taken as an intimation that he intended the ministry to stand or fall to-

dling of the home rule situation, Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd-George was said also to contemplate retirement. It was assumed Premier Asquith would refuse his resignation also if tendered.

However, predictions were freely navy," he said. "We do not apologize made that the ministers would all speedily quit their posts.

May Name Lloyd - George.

This would not mean a national elec- have organized and equipped 100,000 tion provided the Liberals retained men to resist home rule." their parliamentary majority. Instead, precedent would require the king to choose a new Liberal premier. That tion that Premier Asquith might offer the offer would be made to Lloyd-George was expected. It is no secret that the Welshman is not a favorite with his majesty, but if Asquith is said, that they were trying to force not the Liberal leader, Lloyd-George, him from office, everyone recognizes, certainly is. Thus, without violating every British tradition, the ruler would have no option

There was an exciting scene in the house of commons this afternoon, having used the crown's influence to First Lord of the Admiralty Winston weaken home rule's cause. For having Churchill had just admitted that he ordered a squadron of battleships to Belfast's vicinity, thinking there might be trouble in the Ulster capital and that it would be necessary to land ma-

"And is it not a fact," asked L. Amery, a Conservative member of the "that you noped this precautionary measure would lead to blood-

Churchill Turns on Amery. Churchill advanced on him instantly.

"I repudiate this hellish insinuation," he cried, in a voice which cracked with

For a moment an encounter seemed

certain. The crash of the speaker's gavel brought the disputants to them. selves in time, however, Churchill was rebuked from the chair for his "unparliamentary language," and order, though not good feeling, was restored. The warships, Churchill explained, were recalled soon after they were or-

dered to the Ulster coast. Seely, in offering his resignation, hotly denied that the king had interfered between the war office and the army officers who resigned. This, however, did not prevent many members of parliament from saying that they Diplomat Was Quoted in Disbelieved he did.

Paget Meant Newspapers. Replying to a query as to the mean-

ing of a statement attributed to General Paget, commanding the troops in Ireland, to the effect that the country would be "ablaze" by last Saturday, the war minister said Paget merely referred to the newspapers.

He was questioned, too, relative to

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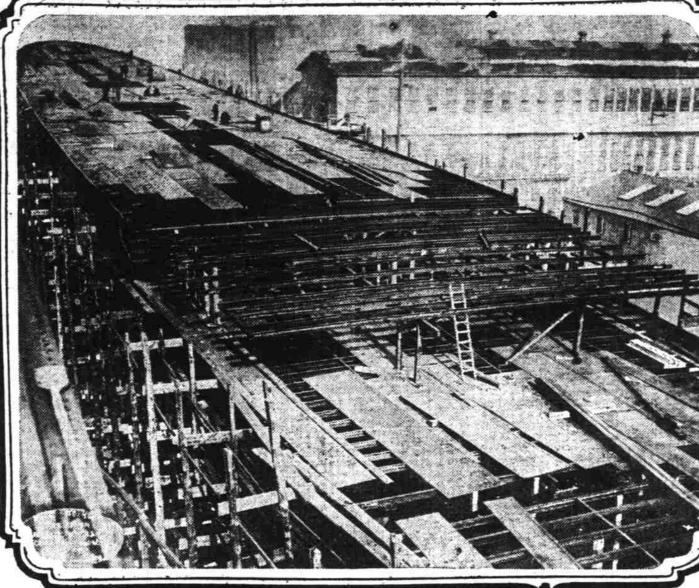
children and to assist with house-Middle aged woman wishes

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These items are taken from today's Journal Want Ads. When you need help consult the "Situation Wanted" columns of The Journal Want Ads.

WORK ON NEW HILL STEAMSHIPS NOW BEING RUSHED



to be operated between the Columbia river and San Francisco by the Hill railway lines is being pushed rapidly drag his majesty's name into such a at the Cramp shipyard in Philadelphia. The accompanying photograph shows the hull of the Great Northern, the first of these which will reach this

Construction of the twin steamships | January, 1915, by way of the Panama The two vessels will be exactly alike. They are to be 526 feet long, 63 feet beam, with a draft of 21 1/2 feet. coast. It will be delivered early in tons of freight, though the vessels are rail, between the two cities.

First designs of the turbine engines provided for a speed of 23 knots per hour, though later indications point to a considerable increase in speed over They will have a capacity for 800 pas- that figure. It is planned to make the sengers, 450 first class, 200 second run from Astoria to San Francisco in class and 150 third class. Besides, about 22 hours, which will be the fast-there will be hold room for about 1500 est time ever made, either by boat or

VILLA REPULSED AT TORREON; CARRANZA HURRIES TO RESCUE

Silence of Rebel Chief Gives much damage to shrubbery and fences. King George, too, was in extremely bad odor with the Irish, the labor element and the advanced Liberals. He was looked upon as having encouraged From Federal Sources. the recalcitrant army officers and as

(United Press Lessed Wire.) terday that the time had come to de-El Paso, Texas, March 25 .- A Mexicide whether the people had a right co City message received by federals "to make the laws without interference here this afternoon said General Vefrom the king or the army," John lasco, at Torreon, had telegraphed to the bulls; pedestrians hastily left the Ward, a labor member of parliament, President Huerta that he had recappark as the news spread, and panic was overwhelmed with congratulations tured Gomez Palacio and Matamoras prevailed even in the residential disand defeated the rebels. Colonel Seely did not mend matters

Reports that Villa had been repulsed by the federals under General Velasco were current here this afternoon. It land, and of the subsequent negotia- that General Carranza was not on his was learned also on good authority way to Juarez, but was hurrying toward Torreon to help Villa. It was said Villa had sent urgently to him Said that Large Percentage of High

Besides the rumors in circulation along the border, J. H. Smith, an arge Mexican interests, received a elegram from his partner in Mexico ity saying the Torreon federals had riven Villa's men out of Gomez Palacio and killed 500 of them.
The telegram's author, of course, got his news from federal sources,

give their side the benefit of every Villa's silence, however, was generally considered ominous. Rebels in Juarez also refused to give out any information, though it was known they were in communication with Villa's

field headquarters. Last night they asserted that Torreon had been captured. Today they were making no Washington, March 25.-In response such boasts. o Senator Chamberlain's resolution General Chao, military governor of Chihuahua state, announced this afternoon that he had received encourag-

ing news from General Villa.

canal, Secretary of State Bryan forever. Villa said the fiercest battle of the of Ambassador Walter H. Page's adrebellion was raging at Torreon and dress on the occasion in question. This Gomez Palacio. At the moment the was the address in which Page was federals held the latter place, it was quoted as saying that the United added. Yet Villa asserted that he had States preferred that no European gov- the federals surrounded and would ernment should gain more land in the soon capture both towns.

It was somewhat confusing, how-

The rebels, according to Chao's meshe was said to have made certain ref- sage, were using Lerdo and El Verjel erences to the repeal of the exemption as their bases. As nearly as could be ascertained, the federals retook Gomez Palacio last night or early today. largely in the engagement.

Asserts Rebels Are Beaten. Washington, March 25.—The Mexiday from the Mexico City government earnings in the states of Central Amer- asserting the rebels had been beaten in an attack on Torreon. The message sometimes read that the United States was dated last night, an hour or two is entering on a policy to discourage after a dispatch was sent to El Paso after a dispatch was sent to El Paso from the rebel fighting line, telling of Socialists Get on not true. I think that some events are the capture of Gomez Palacio, the rout happening there that have discouraged of the federals and the charge against them somewhat, but I hope that they Torreon itself.

New York, March 25 .- Daniel Tolman, a money lender, was discharged from Blackwell's island today after serving six months' imprisonment for He left immediately for his usury. home at Montclair, N. J.

Sues Railroad for \$1,252,000. Liberty, Texas, March 25 .- Suit was brought by the county authorities on April 7 as candidate for mayor, against the Santa Fe railroad today David S. Rose, who served the city brought by the county authorities for \$1,252,000 penalties for alleged violation of the Texas law relative to 1908, was also a mayoralty candidate, merce, Mr. Redfield was a successful brake appliances on locomotives.

He ran third, receiving 17,51f votes. manufacturer in Brooklyn. welcome your investments in any part

Buffalo Bulls Loose In Golden Gate Park

by Mounted Police Who Try to Capture Them Dead or Alive.

San Francisco, March 25 .- Three Gate park here today, creating a reign of terror among visitors and doing Mounted policemen from the park Color to Report Coming station were hunting the fugitives with drawn guns, hopeful of taking them alive but prepared to shoot to kill if necessary. The animals broke loose while being transferred from paddock to paddock. Their escape caused restlessness among the entire herd about 20, and much trouble was experienced in handling them.

Several automobilists were chased by trict on each side of it.

Ban at Hood River

Girls May Start Dress Reform. Hood River, Or., March 25.-A

movement has been launched in Hood learned that the secretary would no River among the parents to wage war sot his news from federal sources, which it was assumed were likely to students are users of tobacco. It is expected to enlist business men, lower teachers and sources and sources of the students are users of tobacco. It is expected to enlist business men, lower teachers and sources are users of the promotion of the expected to enlist business men, lower teachers and sources. the warfare.

also probable.

Law and Order

Pendleton Organization, Outgrowth of

ized here during the evangelistic ser- with friends and in the afternoon be is still alive was indicated by the ar- work at the custom house. Artillery was said to be figuring rest yesterday of C. H. Brown, proprietor of a lodging house, on a be devoted to dinner with friends and charge of selling liquor without a 11- at 7 o'clock he will address the Jackcense. The complaining witness son club, possibly at the Armory, against him is D. C. Connell, one of However, the place had not been definthe detectives who furnished Bulgin itely decided upon this afternoon. This with his evidence of law violation meeting will be public. stand trial next Tuesday.

Bose Third in Primaries.

cree to the effect that upon payment by the plaintiff or any taxpayer of the county before the first day of April, 1914, of one-half of the tax charged against him on said tax roll, the defendant shall be enjoined and restrained from collecting any penalty or penalties whatsoever upon the remaining half of said tax where such remaining half may or shall be paid before the first day of Sep-

of Multnomah county is completely at sea today as a result of Judge Cleeton's ruling in the injunction proceedings brought by Attorney Roger Sinnott, president of the Portland Taxpayers' association, seeking to restrain the county treasurer from imposing enalties against taxpayers who folowed the old law and paid one half of their taxes prior to April 1.

Decision Rendered Yesterday

REVERSAL ON APPEAL

by Judge Cleeton Held by

MAY POSSIBLY RESULT

Prominent Attorney Says Law

May Be Vague but Inten-

tion Clear.

Judge Cleeton's Decree

That the plaintiff have a de-

It is believed that if the decision stands it will go much further than merely upsetting Treasurer Lewis' individual branch of government in activities of the "peace foundation" practically stop the payment of taxes his estates confiscated." for several months and deprive the county, city, the Port of Portland and not changed his opinion regarding our all of the schools in the county of the legal right to exempt coastwise ship-

penalties against those who have paid one half their taxes before April 1, but in rendering the decision of th Busy Attending to Official but in rendering the decision Judge Cleeton has moved the date of delin Judge Cleeton granted an injunction only against the collection of a penalty on second half payments, and if his ruling is to become sweepingly effective a second injunction suit will be necessary restraining the collection of before September 1.

morning that he would proceed with sive, is the bill's author. the collection of taxes as usual, but a personal penalty for failure to account for one half of the state levy prior to April 30 by on that date mailing to the state treasurer a check covering one half of the full amount due the state for the year.

"If Judge Cleeton's decision stands (Concluded on Page Eleven, Column Five) | bridge.

Cupid Ties Tongue of Larry's Accuser RAILROADS

ormer Portland Boarding House Man, Larry Sullivan, Will Wed Woman Who Charged Him With Swindling.

Los Angeles, March 25 .- Politics is assigned today by "Larry" Sullivan, former Portland sailors' boarding ouse man, Goldfield mining operator prize fight promoter, for the grand larceny charge brought against him by Mrs. Laura A. Rodgers. The suit was dismissed vesterday by Justice Summerfield at the request of Mrs. Rodgers, who soon will become Mrs. Sullivan.

Sullivan alleges that former Chief Some to Mean Payments County Detective Samuel Browne was responsible for Mrs. Rodgers bringing May Be Withheld to Sept. 1 Sullivan and Browne recently had a fist fight on the street, Browne coming out second best.

It was alleged by Mrs. Rodgers that the former promoter had swindled her out of several thousand dollars through misrepresentations. He disappeared and the suit was filed. As soon as "Larry" reappeared on the scene Mrs. Rodgers repented and the wedding

Confucius' Heirs Pensioned by China

fices to Chinese Philosopher While Possessions Will Be Hereditary.

Peking, March 25.-Selections were seing made today of the eight functionaries who will offer sacrifices to Confucious under the newly published government regulations for the famous

hinese philosopher's veneration. The appointees will be chosen emong persons said to be his direct descendants. Their possessions will be nereditary. The head of the family has ad his title and honors restored and been granted a pension of \$2000 a year. For sacrifices \$12,000 a year has been

Carnegie Is Accused Of Plotting Treason

Senator Chamberlain Says in Any Other Country the Peace Advocate Would Have Had His Estates Confiscated. (Washington Bureau of The Journal.)

office, but will affect seriously every | Chamberlain, referring to the lobbying the county, for the reason that it will "he would be convicted of treason and John Sharp Williams said he had

ping, and "he should very probably necessary funds to pay running ex-Bill Passed in N. Y.

quency from April 1 to September 1 on all taxes on the 1914 roll. However, Measure Drawn by Ramilton Pish Provides for Presidential Primaries Suggested by Wilson and Roosevelt.

Albany, N. Y., March 25 .- The state assembly passed a radical presidential primary bill today by a vote of 82 to States from having control of rates on any penalty on any part of the taxes | 45. It is reported to embody the views | its own shipping. of both President Wilson and Colonel County Treasurer Lewis stated this Roosevelt. Hamilton Fish, a Progres-

tonight for two hours after 12:30 a. our ships free tons. Senator O'Gor-m., in order to permit the making of man here recalled the attitude of repairs. Cars ordinarily using this Great Britain in saying in 1912 it had bridge will be routed over the Steel no grounds to object if coastwise trade

Senator Chamberlain in Senate Discussion Says They Are Only Ones Who Fought Provision in 1912.

WOULD REVERSE POLICY OF MORE THAN CENTURY

United States Has Always Bought Up Canals to Prevent Tolls Charges.

Washington, March 25 .- In a powerful arraignment of the policy of canal tolls repeal, is which many senators took part, Senator Chamberlain said this afternoon the purpose of a resolution introduced by him yesterday was perfectly sincare and his desire was to get information from the only department able to furnish it. He said he might discure the Hay-Paunce-fote treaty later, but not at this time. lie would discuss what might happer

If the tolls provision were repealed.
The senator decisived that he could not and would not if he could, say one word derogatory toldhe president, but he knew of nothing that could warrant senators in changing their minds about science and judgment at the request of the president. It must follow he said, that if the free tolls provision were repealed, this nation must reverse a policy it had followed for 100 years. No private canal has ever been considered that the government has not tried to buy in order to abolish the tolls on shipping. He instanced cases where the railroads had bught up canals to abolish competition

Chamberlain declared that the insidious influences Behind this repeal are the Canadian Pacific and other transcontinental reads, mentioned R. P. Schwerin of the Southern Pacific and his activities in tolls and told how the Pacific Mail had killed water competition between Portland and San Francisco, and all

other competition to that line.
"Now it is charged," said he, "that
the railroad lobby is here for the purpose of preventing repeal of the fres thlis provision. "There was not a single influence here opposing free wils in 1912 except

railroad interests. "Can it be said that congress didn't know what was being done? The consensus of opinion then and now was that there is no violation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty."

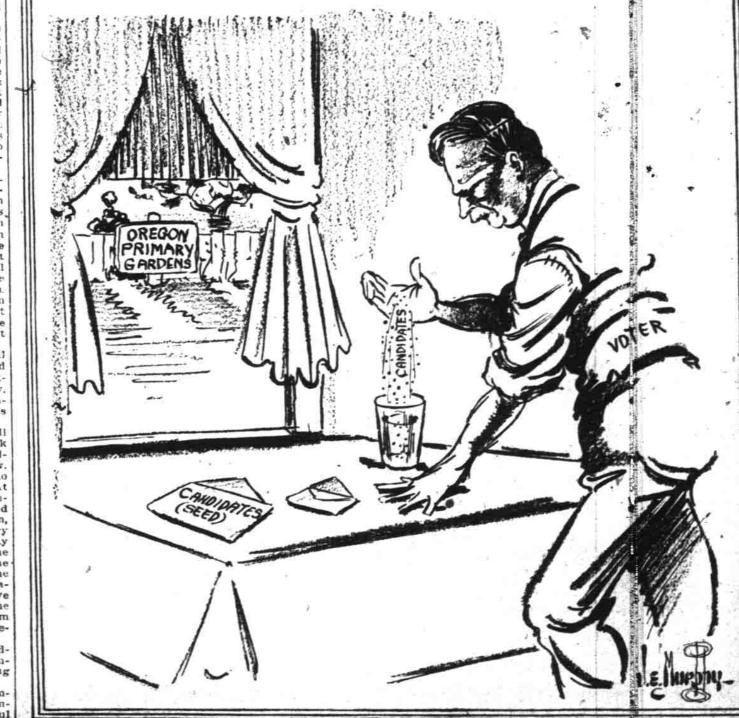
Here Senator William Alden Smith quoted Senator Logge's statement that he had charge of That treaty on the

floor of the senate and that he was satisfied it did not prevent the United "I have not changed my views," said Senator Lodge.

"Former President Roosevelt," said Chamberlain, "says the exemption of our shipping was not a violation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. Senator Smith of Michigan read from

The Broadway bridge will be closed former president sed we ought to give

BETTER TEST THE SEED BEFORE PLANTING



here, and who subsequently appeared before the grand jury. Brown will MONEY LENDER IS FREED seidel, Leading Mayoralty Candidate, Mayor Bading Second; ex-Mayor

Milwaukee, March 25 .- Practically complete returns received today from yesterday's city primary show that all the Socialist candidates were named for places on the ballot. Emil Seidel is leading the mayoralty candidates with 21,054 votes. Mayor G. A. Bad-ing is second with 20,012, and will oppose Seidel at the municipal election as mayor for five terms previous to

Cabinet Member Will Be Too Business.

Secretary of Commerce William C. Redfield has wired the Portland Commercial club and the Portland Chamber of Commerce committee that he will be too busily occupied here with department matters to accept the entertainments planned and proffered by the joint commercial organizations in

The cabinet member will arrive here Friday morning for a two days' stay and it was hoped he would accept at least an invitation to make the trip on a special train to the mouth of the Columbia river to view the might river and see for himself, with his own eyes, School Students Use the Weed; the importance the big waterway bears to the world's commerce Keen disappointment was voiced

this morning when it was definitely against cigarette smoking and other cabinet who recently visited this city forms of tobacco using among high enjoyed immensely and which they school students. It is said that from declared they would not have missed

teachers, and social organizations in tion department, who was delegated to communicate with the secretary in Prof. McLaughlin, superintendent of behalf of the joint committee of the city schools, has pledged his best efforts to see that the state law and school laws governing the use of tobacco are rigidly enforced. That some here yesterday was final so far as any of the dress habits among high school entertainment is concerned under the girls that cater more to style than auspices of the committee and leaves modesty will come under the ban is no room for misunderstanding as to the secretary's attitude in that direc-

According to the best obtainable in formation, Secretary Redfield will arrive here Friday morning at 7:20 from League Still Lives
San Francisco. He apparently does, not wish to be met by any reception committee but will be at the Benson hotel at 9:45 o'clock ready to receive committees that may wish to call. At Evangelistic Meetings, Will Prose- 10 o'clock, or 15 minutes later, he will proceed to the federal building, the custom house, for department business. Pendleton, Ore., March 25 .- That the He will remain there till about noon aw and order league recently organ- when he has a luncheon engagement vices conducted by Rev. E. J. Bulgin will again be busy with department

> The early part of the evening will Saturday morning the secretary will

have time available till 10:30 o'clock to again meet committees or individuals who may wish an interview. At 10:30 he leaves for Reed college to deliver an address at 11 o'clock. At noon he will be entertained at lunch-Milwaukee Ticket | noon he will be entertained at land eon by the Oregon, Washington and California Salmon Packers' association, of which J. J. Reynolds is secretary with headquarters here. afternoon, soon after the luncheon, he will go to Oregon City to inspect the fish hatchery there and study the fishing industry of the Pacific northwest. So far as known no plans have teen made for occupying the time intervening between the return from Oregon City and the departure for Seattle on the midnight train. Admission to hear Secretary Redfield at Reed college will be upon in-

vitation, owing to the limited seating capacity of the auditorium.

Prior to his appointment to the lmportant position of secretary of com-