

New Irish Dominion League Promises Failure to Solve Question of Government

PLUNKETT PLAN ON IRISH PROBLEM NOT IN POPULAR FAVOR

Considerate Tone Adopted With Respect to Sinn Fein Increases Demand for Independence.

EVEN CARSONITES OPPOSED

Meantime Premier Lloyd George Does Not Seem to Have Confidence of Parties to Dispute.

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Dublin, July 30.—The pronouncement of Count Plunkett's new Irish dominion league so far has made no impression in Ireland. The sweeping character of its advance upon the terms of the home rule act has only had the effect of stiffening the attitude of the Republican party.

COUNT PLUNKETT DENOUNCED

The considerate tone adopted toward the Sinn Feiners by the league's paper, the Irish Statesman, has not been reciprocated. Count Plunkett is freely denounced as a secret agent of the British government, deliberately drawing a red herring across the track of Irish freedom. All shades print prominently accounts of De Valera's proceeding in America. The importance attached to his speeches there increases the confidence of his supporters in Ireland. The Carsonites, however, in Britain indicate plainly that as between Plunkett and De Valera they prefer De Valera. They are apprehensive that dominion home rule might become a serious proposition and believe that so long as an independent republic remains on the Irish program they can count with safety upon determined opposition to it.

LEAGUE HAS FRIENDS

Representatives of the old constitutional party are friendly to the new league, whose policy does not substantially differ from that which they themselves submitted to the Irish electors, but the friendliness does not extend to willingness to accept their own resignation, which the government, when it takes up the question of Irish self-government, must take into account. The difficulty of the prime minister in handling the question is constitutional, and the parties vie with each other in expressions of distrust of his good will and the bona fide nature of his attitude. Sir Horace Plunkett's paper condemns him as vigorously as any other. It declares that David Lloyd George "distills the Irish nation with that peculiar venom habitually cherished by a certain type of men toward the victim of his own injury."

AGREEMENT WITH WILSON

Yet it states that it has knowledge that an understanding exists between the prime minister and President Wilson by which the premier undertook to deal with the Irish question after signing peace. Apart from any such arrangement it is obvious that the prime minister must take some action immediately. The act of parliament expressly provided that the home rule act must come into operation not later than six months after peace was made. The premier is not helped in negotiating a settlement by being denounced by the constitutionalists as untrustworthy. He has, in fact, nobody left to negotiate with. Ireland at present is largely governed under the defense of the realm act, which must disappear when peace is made.

SITUATION IS DIFFICULT

Unless a settlement is reached the task of governing Ireland must become increasingly difficult. To repeal the home rule act, on the faith of which many thousands of Irishmen joined the army, without anything in its place, and at the same time ask parliament for exceptional measures for governing the country would be in the highest degree invidious and embarrassing. It seems probable that the home rule act will not be repealed but further suspended. An act extending the moratorium in its operation will be passed to permit another attempt at a settlement to be made. Some form of an inquiry



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DISPUTE OVER LEVANT UNDER LEAGUE PACT CAUSES MILD STRAIN

King George Urges British Sea Power Be Built Up Again

London, July 30.—King George told an audience in Guild hall today that one of the most important tasks ahead of Great Britain is the restoration of her supremacy on the seas. He urged that the development of the merchant navy and of the ports be pursued with the utmost energy. "A new era is opening," said the king. "The qualities that enabled us to victory are to be reap the full benefits of peace." King George pleaded for national thrift and for increased industrial production. "Without these," he said, "we shall face depression and poverty and cannot hope to maintain our pre-war commercial position."

Labor Nominee Beats Lloyd George Faction

London, July 30.—The Lloyd George government received a blow in the parliamentary election at Bothwell, Scotland, when Robertson, the labor candidate, defeated the coalition (government) candidate by a majority of 718 votes. Robertson was a candidate in the general parliamentary election last December, when he lost by 323 votes.

Rice Free of Freight Cost Through Japan

Tokio, July 30.—The Japanese government has undertaken to reduce the cost of living and today it was announced that rice would be transported free of cost over the railways. Three millionaires have donated 1,000,000 yen each to the poor of Tokio. There is an epidemic of minor strikes, the men demanding from 20 to 60 per cent increase in wages.

France Given Most Of German Kamerun

Paris, July 30.—(I. N. S.)—Viscount Milner, British colonial secretary, and Henri Simon, French minister of colonies, have signed an agreement at London today to France the whole of the German Kamerun in South Africa, except a strip adjoining Nigeria, which will go to Great Britain. The Petit Journal stated today. The report of Duval and most of Togoland, including Lome, will go to France, it was said.

Belgian Committee Favors Ratification

London, July 30.—(I. N. S.)—The foreign committee of the Belgian chamber of deputies today recommended the ratification of the peace treaty by the chamber, said a News Agency dispatch from Brussels.

Massacre Threatens If Troops Withdrawn

Paris, July 30.—(I. N. S.)—Major Green, representative of Herbert Hoover, in Armenia, telegraphed to the American officials today that the Turks are threatening a great massacre in the event the British troops withdraw from Asia Minor and that the country is in a panic.

Spirit of Revenge Is Fostered Among People of Germans

Von Bernstorff to Be German Foreign Minister, Is Report

London, July 30.—(I. N. S.)—The German cabinet is to be reconstructed with Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, succeeding Dr. Hermann Mueller as foreign secretary, according to the Copenhagen correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph today. The new cabinet will include Democrats in its membership. Another member will be Dr. Preuss as minister of interior. Pneumatic boxing gloves have been invented by a Philadelphia sporting man.

Sale of U. S. Autos In France Opposed

Paris, July 30.—The Socialist newspaper L'Humanite today published a series of documents to show that French automobile manufacturers have sub-

for both countries should be granted to the United States, or, in the event the American senate declines it, to Great Britain. This would be a shattering blow to important French interests in the Levant, where France has held cultural away for centuries, in addition to building up important business interests. This explains why the Temps, ordinarily a strong supporter of British policy, comes out with a mild attack on the activity of British agents in the Near East. "It is beyond doubt that the policy pursued by British agents in the Levant is causing profound uneasiness in France," says the Temps. "But no well informed man can incriminate the British government. Premier Lloyd George has flatly declared that Great Britain would not accept a Syrian mandate, and no one has a right to doubt that he was sincere. Nevertheless, British agents are pursuing a different policy and are doing their utmost to clear the French out of the Levant."

Old-Time Resident Dies
The Dalles, July 30.—Mrs. Frank Vogt, 76 years old, resident of the Dalles, died here Sunday. She came to The Dalles with Mr. Vogt in 1877. Mrs. Vogt was born in Arnberg, Germany, February 11, 1843. She is survived by her husband and four children, Mrs. J. C. Thrall and William Vogt of The Dalles, J. G. Vogt of Hood River and Elizabeth Vogt of The Dalles.

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Asiatic Monroe Doctrine Wanted By the Japanese

Von Bernstorff to Be German Foreign Minister, Is Report

London, July 30.—Japan is now maneuvering to obtain recognition from the great powers of a new Monroe doctrine in the Far East, recognizing her priority of interest in China, according to the Tokyo correspondent of the Morning Post. Japan, the Tokyo correspondent reports, interprets the clause on regional understandings in the League of Nations covenant to cover her numerous regional understandings with China, as well as the 1911-Lansing agreement with America in the same manner that it covers America's Monroe doctrine. "It is obvious," he adds, "that the main reason why Japan insists upon holding Kiauchau while promising its restoration to China, is to enforce her Monroe doctrine for East Asia, and finally have it formally admitted and honored by Occidental nations." "With her feet in Korea, one hand in Manchuria and the other in Kiauchau,

Hatchery Appropriation Asked For

Washington, July 29.—Secretary Rodfield today asked congress for an appropriation of \$50,000 for the construction of a new fish hatchery at Baker lake, Wash., to replace one recently destroyed by fire.

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