

UNCLE SAM WON'T JOIN

Anglo-French Alliance With the United States Not Possible.

Liverpool, Eng., Nov. 4.—Ambassador Harvey told an audience at the Liverpool chamber of commerce last night that it was futile to hope that America, as Lord Derby recently had suggested, may some day be merged in a definite alliance with Great Britain and France.

This statement was made as a digression from an address on economic and the international industrial situation, in which the American ambassador attacked communism and socialism and defended the principle of individualism.

In his digression, Ambassador Harvey recalled Lord Derby's statement in a recent address in which the latter voiced the conviction that the success of the Washington conference would mean peace and that its failure would mean war in the immediate future. The speaker recalled Lord Derby's suggestion to former President Poincaré of France at a dinner last Tuesday that an Anglo-French alliance would be desirable in the interests of peace, intimating the "strong hope" that America might eventually join this combination.

"Now it seems to have fallen to my unhappy lot since I have been in England," continued Ambassador Harvey, "to dispel illusions respecting the attitude of the United States. I can conceive of no more effective service on the part of an envoy, desirous as I am of eliminating all causes for misapprehension than to set forth frankly any certainty which may bear on the immediate future, however disappointing it may be to his hearers. In pursuance of this policy, rightful or wrongful as it may be, I feel impelled to say frankly that the hope voiced by Lord Derby should be regarded as futile.

"Our first president fixed the foreign policy of the United States clearly and unequivocally when he adjured his countrymen never to enter a permanent alliance with any other power. This policy has been reaffirmed by practically all his successors. It was reiterated with great positiveness in our latest national campaign by our present president and was confirmed by a majority of the people so great as to be beyond the pale of comparison.

"In view of these circumstances, am I doing more than stating the wholly obvious and inescapable fact when I pronounce the entrance of the United States into any permanent alliance, however desirable that action may seem, an utter impossibility? May it not be, then, the part of wisdom to avoid discussion or even suggestion of a proposal which, however praiseworthy it may be, could hardly serve any purpose other than to feed enemies and distress friends of both Great Britain and France who live in America?"

Pray For Supreme Effort To Reduce Armaments

London, Nov. 4.—A resolution approving the Washington conference and praying that a supreme effort will be made to reach an agreement as well secure a substantial and progressive reduction of the crushing burden of armaments was introduced in the commons to-day by the labor members, Henderson, Clynes, Walsh, Thomas and Shaw.

URGES ADJUSTMENT.

Of the War Debts Between The Allied Nations.

London, Nov. 4.—Steps toward reaching an adjustment of war debts between the allied nations are urged in resolutions sent to the chancellor of the exchequer by the British national committee of the international chamber of commerce. The resolutions advocated the desirability of negotiations in order to obtain benefits which, in the committee's opinion, would accrue if the war debts of the allies to Great Britain were reduced or cancelled on terms to be agreed upon.

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HUSBAND AND WIFE.



My husband talks to me continually while I am talking over the phone.—M. H.

What Does Your Husband Do?

NEWS OFF THE WIRES IN CONDENSED FORM

Tidings From Places Far and Near Are Briefly Recounted.

Sir Edward Kemp, Toronto, goes to the senate. The United States will not enter a permanent alliance with Britain and France.

Montreal chamber de commerce endorses proposal for new census by city authorities.

Henry W. Bennett, aged twelve, Stamford township, dies as result of hunting accident.

A heavy storm on the Atlantic has been doing great damage to fishing vessels off Newfoundland banks.

Peter L. Shannon, foreman, thirty-one years old, of Niagara Falls, killed by falling joist at Hydro canal.

Homer Callahan, aged fourteen, fatally shot by accident while deer hunting at Astorville, near North Bay.

A special invitation has been extended to manufacturers to attend Mackenzie King's meeting Saturday in Toronto.

sentences dealt out to John May, who pleaded guilty at the fall assizes in Brampton to pointing a revolver at Richard Robson, Brampton, with intent to kill.

Piers and Waterfront Laid Waste by Fire

Much Freight and Cars Destroyed—Loss Over a Million Dollars.

Weehawken, N.Y., Nov. 4.—The Erie railway piers and waterfront are a waste today by fire which started at midnight last night consuming five piers laden with freight, thirty loaded barges, a train of thirty loaded freight cars and another of five oil tanks. Estimates of the loss range from a million dollars up. All available fire apparatus from New York, Hoboken, Jersey City and New Jersey towns fought the flames.

Shot in Abdomen While Loading Rifle

Lindsay, Nov. 4.—Peter Weaver, Cobococ, was badly injured by his own rifle last night. When leaning a loaded gun against the verandah of his house it fired and the contents lodged in his abdomen. He was rushed to the Lindsay hospital by motor, and his recovery is doubtful.

Serve New York Public Through Milk Depots

New York, Nov. 4.—Milk distributors to-day are serving the public through district depots and are continuing the efforts to fill the places of strikers. This is in response to a threat of Health Commissioner Copeland to take over the milk industry. He declared, however, that there is no acute suffering.

THE POLITICAL ARENA.

Corwall Liberals Meet.

Corwall, Nov. 4.—A mass meeting in the interests of the Liberal party of Glangarry and Stormont was held at Alexander Hall, Alexandria. Addresses were delivered by Gustave Evariant, M. P. P., for Prescott county; James W. McLeod, M.P.P. for Stormont; Col. Robert Smith, K.C., of Corwall, and Miss Tansey, Montreal.

Two Hot Meetings Coming.

Port Hope, Nov. 4.—Hon. Dr. Edwards and W. T. R. Preston, the Liberal candidate here, will hold a joint public meeting at Millbrook on November 10th, in which will be discussed Dr. Edwards' personal charges that were made by him in the House of Commons three years ago and again in Port Hope a couple of weeks ago. Mr. Preston has also been invited by Senator Mulholland to attend Hon. R. B. Bennett's public meeting at Bowmanville on November 9th and meet the same charges from Mr. Bennett.

To Take King's Oath.

Belgrade, Nov. 4.—King Alexander will take the oath of office as ruler of Yugoslavia to-morrow. Reports that there is a probability of a change in the occupant of the throne are regarded as groundless here.

Viscount Grey To Wed.

London, Nov. 4.—Announcement of the engagement of Viscount Grey and Lady Glenconner will be made soon, it is stated, here.

HUNGARY OUSTS HAPSBERG DYNASTY

Budapest, Nov. 4.—Former Emperor Charles was dethroned and the Hapsburg dynasty was ousted from Hungary by a bill adopted by the national assembly to-day.

The armament parley is to be made public.

WHAT WILL ULSTER DO?

The Irish Peace Solution Hinges Upon Concessions By Ulster.

London, Nov. 4.—Great Britain and the Sinn Fein have arrived at a substantial agreement as to the future government of Ireland, but it is dependent on agreement on Ulster. Both sides are now awaiting the arrival of Sir James Craig on Saturday, when it is expected that as will go into conference with Prime Minister Lloyd George on the new proposals.

Both the Sinn Feiners and the British are hopeful of his acceptance, for he has already declared his wish for peace "at a fair price." The plan of settlement calls for enlarging the power and democratizing the council of Ireland so as to make it a real Irish parliament. Under the present act the members are partly elected and partly nominated by the crown, and the Ulster six counties have equal representation with all the rest of Ireland.

The Sinn Fein insists and the prime minister agrees that the council should be democratically elected and the representation should be based on population. The British, however, are pledged not to take from Ulster without its consent any of the privileges granted under the act, and the next step, therefore, is to gain Ulster's consent to give up its advantage in the council.

In return for this concession the Sinn Fein is willing to abandon its claim for the independence of Ireland and to grant to Ulster the widest measure of autonomy in the Irish state. If Ulster refuses the prime minister is said to have declared that he would resign rather than to undertake the task either of coercing Ulster, except in case it violated its repeated pledges, or of covering the rest of Ireland after Ulster had blocked the success of a fair arrangement.

Law Confers With Premier.

London, Nov. 4.—Bonar Law conferred with the premier last night, and is taking part in an effort to reach a settlement of the Irish question. The Daily Mail, discussing his interview with the premier, declared that he would, if necessary, bring an independent influence to bear upon the extreme unionists with a view to achieving a complete agreement.

Still Hopes to Attend Chamberlain Announced to-day that Premier Lloyd George still hopes he will be able to go to the Washington conference.

A SNEAK THIEF BUSY AT A RUMMAGE SALE

Woman Lost a Satchel With \$15—Thief Out of Her Arm.

When you go to a rummage sale you should keep a close eye on your purse. On Friday morning at a sale in the island market building a woman, who is the mother of eight children, was the victim of a sneak thief who cut the little satchel she carried on her arm and got away with its contents, fifteen dollars, a sum that the average woman cannot afford to lose in these times. Another woman at the sale lost two dollars. There was great excitement when it became known that a sneak thief was in the building. The police were notified, but it was impossible to locate the pickpocket.

ROW OVER A TWO-SPOT AT POLICE STATION

One Woman Dropped the Bill and Another Picked It Up.

Quite a sensation took place at a rummage sale in the market house on Friday morning, when a woman announced that she had dropped a two-dollar bill out of her purse, and two young ladies pointed out an elderly woman as the party who had picked up the money. In order to have the matter straightened out, the parties concerned went to the police station. The woman who was accused of dropping the money had a two-dollar bill in her purse, but denied most emphatically the statement of the two young women that she had picked it up off the floor. The young ladies could not be shaken in their story, and after a time, the accused admitted that she had picked up the money. It was given back to the owner and the matter was then allowed to drop.

A U.S. National Holiday.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Armistice day, Nov. 11th, will be declared a national holiday in honor of unknown soldier of the United States to be buried that day in Arlington.

The United States senate appointed a special committee to investigate Senator Watson's charges that United States soldiers were hanged in France without trial. He submits a telegram from a Morrisburg man.

Slack Potters, who have been under indictment at Ballykinlar, have been released. The mikado of Japan has decorated Admiral Beatty.

REWARD FOR TRYING TO FOIL BANDITS

Two Employees of the Bank of Hamilton Are Given Watches.

Hamilton, Nov. 4.—For bravery shown by them when bandits visited the banks in which they worked, Miss V. K. Harris, of Toronto, an employee of the branch of the Bank of Hamilton there, recently visited by hold-up men, and Edward K. Pottinger, of the Sanford avenue branch here, were presented with gold watches by J. P. Bell, general manager of the Bank of Hamilton. The presentation took place at the head office in the presence of the bank officials and employees. Illuminated addresses, the gift of the board of directors, were also presented. Miss Harris and Mr. Pottinger, Mr. Bell, in officiating, praised the two employees for their courage in doing everything possible to foil the bandits.

An interesting announcement was made by Col. B. O. Hooper, of the bank, during the ceremony. He said that in future revolver practices would be compulsory and that practices would be held twice a week, which all employees who might need to use a gun must attend. An expert had been engaged to conduct the classes, he said, and special attention was to be paid to snap shooting.

THE POWER HOUSE AT NAPANEE BURNED

Relatives Were in Attendance at the Funeral of Late J. M. Wallace.

(From our own correspondent.)
Napanee, Nov. 4.—Thursday afternoon fire broke out in the power house, situated on the canal, and although the fire brigade was promptly on the scene the power house was but a skeleton when the fire was extinguished. It is not known how the fire originated. A new pump had just been installed for emergency purposes and this is out of commission for the time being.

James B. Wallace and daughter, Margaret, Meaford, came to attend the funeral of his father, the late J. M. Wallace, Mrs. Robt. Fuzzell, and son, Charles, Niagara Falls, came down to attend the funeral of her brother, the late J. M. Wallace.

A Girl Decoy Aids In Robbing a Man

Rochester, N.Y., Nov. 4.—Meyer Cohen of this city was the victim at an early hour yesterday morning of a hold-up in which a girl was used as a decoy. Cohen was driving on a ridge road near the city when he saw a girl in a wildly waving her arms. He supposed she was signalling for help and stopped his machine. Another girl and a male companion stepped on the running board of his car and demanded his money. He handed over \$20 and the party drove rapidly away.

POTATO GLUT IN TORONTO

Prices Drop to \$1.40 and \$1.50 Per Bag on Market.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—While it is reported that there is a glut of potatoes in the local market and that certain dealers hoping for better prices are paying demurrage charges to the railways on carloads rather than accept delivery, inquiry among commission houses failed to bring confirmation. It was admitted that potatoes which a few weeks ago had sold in Toronto as high as \$2 a bag were now being offered in the wholesale market at from \$1.40 to \$1.50 a bag, but it was stated that the break was a seasonal one and that during the past week there had been a steady tone to the prices at the lower level. Most of the potatoes coming into Toronto are from Ontario points, and while there are some shipments from New Brunswick, these are comparatively unimportant high freight rates being a great handicap.

The Daisy is Chosen.

Kansas City, Nov. 4.—The daisy was adopted by unanimous vote as the official flower of the American Legion. The poppy had many adherents because of its association with Flanders battlefields, but when it was explained that it was not an American flower and could not be obtained in large quantities, the "poppy party" shifted its support to the daisy.

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DR. A. E. ROSS IS SELECTED

As Conservative Candidate For Kingston at Meeting Thursday Evening.

Hon. Dr. A. E. Ross, M.P.P., was the unanimous choice of a big convention of the National Liberal and Conservative party held in Ontario hall on Thursday evening. There was great enthusiasm and the hall was crowded.

W. R. Givens presided, and Dr. Ross' nomination was moved by Percy Bauld, a member of the G.W.V.A., and seconded by William Partell and Mrs. Charles McKay, the latter on behalf of the ladies present. Mr. Bauld, in moving the motion, severely arraigned Hon. Mackenzie King upon his war record. "Not only did he oppose the sending of reinforcements to us in France, but he declined to enlist himself and went to the United States where he drew a good fat salary at a soft job promoting the Rockefeller interests, while Dr. Ross was risking his life in the interests of Canada." "Ross for Kingston" will be our slogan from now until election day.

Mrs. McKay, in supporting the nomination, said: "He did his bit for



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as in France. Let us do our bit for his at home." (Applause.)

A resolution was passed expressing the utmost confidence in Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, and the policies of the National Liberal and Conservative party and pledging the fullest support in the coming election.

Dr. Ross Accepts.

Hon. Dr. Ross received great applause when he entered the hall. In accepting the nomination he reviewed the political situation. He declared that Mackenzie King was known to be going to certain personal defeat after the elections the premiership of Canada would go to a leader in Quebec if the Liberal or Progressive groups outnumbered the government following. Referring to the tariff issue he said that "if we bought goods outside the country we got the goods and the foreign country got our money, but if we made the goods in Canada we had both the goods and money," and this was good for Canadian industries and Canadian labor.

W. R. Givens opened the proceedings by welcoming the gathering. He said: "We are assembled to select a candidate, and a winning candidate. If the man that I have in mind is selected I feel sure that he will be a candidate whose life has been one of service to the public." Referring to present political conditions, Mr. Givens said that everybody would be glad when this election is over. There is much that is blamed upon the government that does not lay at the door of the government. There is some unemployment, but Canada is in reality better off than many other countries. Speaking of the tariff, Mr. Givens said that the other parties advocated what was practically free trade and if any of them should get into power, we would have a policy of free trade which would not be good for the country. He quoted Hon. Dr. Edwards in a recent speech as showing how injurious free trade would be to Canada. At a recent meeting in Toronto, Hon. Dr. Edwards asked whether it would be a good thing to open our doors and permit foreigners to flood the country with cheap labor. The answer from the audience was "No." Well then, if it was bad, it was also bad to open our doors and permit foreign countries to dump their cheap products on to our markets, taking from the mouths of Canadian workmen their very bread and butter.

"We have two candidates already in the field in Kingston," the speaker said. "Mr. Campbell is a high-minded man, a citizen who has done much for Kingston. Dr. O'Connor is a good physician and a good citizen. This campaign will be over within a few weeks and we want a good, clean and honest campaign, and I believe this is the policy of our opponents."

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The Nomination

"We have always desired to have a representative of the soldiers in parliament and I am going to nominate a soldier and a man," he said. "Mr. Crerar represents the farmers. We want a man who is big enough to represent all classes. What have we to expect from Mr. Crerar or from Mr. King should they become the leaders of the government of this country? Some of the farmers complained when their sons were conscripted. Why shouldn't they be called? They have no more right than a city boy to be excused. What have we to expect from Mr. King? When we were putting our all on the altar of our country, Mackenzie King was studying social welfare at a good fat salary. Are we to put our own destiny in the hands of a man like that? I am sure that he has not the interests of Canada at heart. He was opposed to compulsory military service and in my opinion any man or any woman who saw service in France are traitors to Canada if they support a man like Mackenzie King. I say 'Ross for Kingston.' Let that be the battle cry for Comrade Gen. Ross." (Applause.)

William Partell, in seconding the nomination as a representative of labor, said that Kingston needed a good man, one who would support the policies of Hon. Mr. Meighen.

W. R. Givens called for other nominations and the answer "No" came from the audience. "Then with your approval I will cast a ballot for Hon. Dr. Ross." (Applause.)

The following committee was then appointed to wait upon Dr. Ross, at his residence, inform him of his nomination and conduct him to the meeting: R. N. F. McFarlane, C. Higgins, Captain John Donnelly, W. Cook, J. F. Sowards, Chester Wood, W. H. Graham and W. B. Dalton.

Salisbury's orchestra played throughout the evening. While waiting for the return of the deputation, A. E. Day presented a resolution expressing confidence in Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Dr. Ross, and in the policies of the National Liberal and Conservative party.

In support of his resolution, Mr. Day referred briefly to the political situation and condemned the Liberal and Progressive policies. "The Progressives were progressing backwards. Mr. Meighen was an old school mate of his and he knew him as brilliant always. He had the finest common sense and most excellent judgment. "We have the best financial policy and the best leader and we must win. It is a fact observable to careful readers that the opposition today does not depend upon winning either by their leaders or policies, but point out that there are three leaders and three parties, and we will, therefore, have group government, and Canada will get along anyway. That surely is a confession of defeat. But the country does not believe that. I believe that we will have a clean-cut victory and (Continued on Page 3.)

HANGING SCHEDULED

No Definite Information Until Mail Arrives.

Edmonton, Alta., Nov. 4.—The first hanging in the history of the Northwest Territories was scheduled to take place at Fort Smith, 900 miles north of Edmonton, Tuesday, but definite information as to whether the sentence was carried out, will not be available until the middle of December, when the next mail comes out from the north country.

Albert Lebeaux, Slavey Indian, convicted of the murder of his wife and child, on Tuesday expired on the gallows his crime of ten months ago, unless some unforeseen circumstance arose which delayed the carrying out of the death sentence. According to Major Jennings, superintendent of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, all arrangements were completed, and the sentence was to have been carried out Tuesday morning.

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There are still three vacancies in the Senate and when these are filled the government will have a majority of thirty in the Upper House. There is a vacancy in Nova Scotia which will probably fall to Peter Martin of Halifax, former M.P. There is another in New Brunswick for which Frank Black of Sackville is a strong contender. In British Columbia there is still an unfilled vacancy. For this the names of Col. Cy Peck, V.C., and H. Clements were mentioned. But both are running again for the Commons.

The most recent vacancy is that created by the death of Senator Frederic Nicholls in Ontario. Sir Edward Kemp gets this post.

C. J. Doherty, former minister of justice, is still unprovided for in his old age. It is now rumored that he will find a place on the railway commission to fill the vacancy created by the death of the late Commissioner Goodeve.

Hoover Wants Medicines For Relief in Russia

Washington, Nov. 4.—Secretary Hoover, appearing before the house military committee, urged that surplus army supplies to the value of approximately \$4,000,000 consisting mainly of medicines be turned over to the American relief administration for use in Russia.

With 60 per cent. of the children in some sections suffering from malaria, Mr. Hoover said there is not even quinine available for their treatment. He estimated that agencies co-operating with American relief administration were feeding 1,400,000 children.

Discussing the prevalence of typhus typhoid fever, cholera, and smallpox in Russia, Mr. Hoover said it was imperative that the spread of disease should be checked as it might get a foothold in other countries.

8 Per Cent. Fair Return For Owners From Rent

New York, Nov. 4.—Federal Judge Learned Hand decided yesterday that 8 per cent. of the value of rented property was a reasonable return to the owners. He rendered his decision in a case brought before him by the Lockwood committee, investigating the building trust, on behalf of tenants complaining of raises. The Brooklyn term of the supreme court previously had held 10 per cent. a reasonable return.

Former Toronto Girl Divorced By Husband

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Dirk M. Bruyn secured a divorce from his wife, Ora C. Evans Bruyn, on the plea that she locked him up in a room for hours, beat him, and otherwise mistreated him. The former Mrs. Bruyn is a daughter of Frank C. Evans, a wealthy cattle man of Toronto. They were married in Crown Point, Ind., September 21st, last year, after an acquaintance of two weeks.

GOVERNMENT FINES TORONTO CHURCHES

Toronto, Nov. 4.—Churches are employers. Ministers are employees. Churches must make returns to the government of their ministers' salaries or they will be fined. In fact, some in Toronto have been fined already because they were late in filing the return last spring.

Notices to pay the penalty have recently been received from the government department. It amounts to \$10 for each day's delay, with a maximum of \$50. Some of the churches have protested, but have been told that the government makes no exceptions.

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