THE EMPIRE IS AT WAR WE ALSO ARE AT WAR, DECLARES AUSTRALIA

arno Has Not Changed That Legal Fact, Australian Attorney-General Says, But Australia Still Has Right to Decide on Active Participation.

ald the Dominions take an active to admit that it existed and by re-

Australia's position was definitely tions that might be made for the tlined in Sydney yesterday by the solution, deral Attorney-General-Hon. J. Latham-a constitutional lawyer note, who was on the advisory rsailles Peace Conference in 1919. e relation of Australia to internaustralia and foreign affairs was happened in international affairs. ncerned. The suggestion, for in- Mr. Latham went on to say that

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On the 14th day of May, 1926,

d one person to attend at each pol- consultation was not perfect, there proposed by-law and a like with which the world struggled carno Pact. Supposing Great Britain and desirous of opposing in every walk of life, with a lin went to war in pursuance of her spirit of goodwill behind them

dence Act so stating shall be entitled the Empire, and pointed out that, we were at war; but it depended daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward ness.

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of voters prepared by the Clerk.

Under the Treaty, the position leg- upon ourselves what part, if any, we Cummings, Cloyne, was united in J. Clarke and family. Toronto. posed By-law

W. W. SANDS. Kingston, April 22rd, 1924.

ydney, N.S.W., == 0 .- (By | be sent to London for the purpose Canadian Press Australian Cor- of assisting in the solution of probpondent): The question of how lems of foreign affairs met somethe great self-governing British times with expressions of contempt. minions should enter the field of There were, however, despite this rnational politics has exercised attitude, very urgent matters in reby of the ablest minds in the lation to foreign affairs, which afminions, Should the Foreign Of- fected intimately the well-being of in London formulate the policy Australia and we were not going to the whole of the Empire, unaid- solve this problem of our relationby Dominion statesmen? Or ship to foreign affairs by refusing

ceiving with contempt any sugges-

Australia's attempts to deal with her own local problems, urgent and important as many of them were, were not as significant in the life of the nation as the reactions of Aus-Mr. Latham said that in regard to tralia to foreign affairs. It was international affairs which affected onal affairs, there was a disposi- the very existence of a nation. The in Australia to deny the exist- very existence of Australia, for exnce of any problems. There were ample, as a democratic, self-governany in Australia-some in respon- ing community, was at stake during ble positions-who assumed what the war. Our very destiny, our fate, ight be termed the pose of indif- our chance of dealing with internal rence as far as the question of affairs, were all bound up with what

that any Australian should to take no part in international affairs meant that the destiny of Australia as a British self-governing community was to be left entirely in other hands. Surely such a position was unworthy of a people with any claims to nationhood. Did we really believe that we were to have no voice in determining a policy which might, for example, throw throw Australia into the scale between contending nations? A great many Australians were to-day shutting their eyes to the facts. It was impossible to escape or avoid international relations. They existed, and that being so, there must be a considered determination of policy with regard to them. Supposing a war, in which Great Britain was involved, should break out. Some people appeared to think that a Dominion in such circumstances could say: "I am not in the fight; you cannot touch me." But it was what the other fellow did that mattered. A big issue such as that depended not upon what we thought or said but upon what other nations and we ourselves did. To think, when Great Britain was at war, that we were not in the fight, was to live in a fool's paradise. In the British Empire Australia had the part and the influence of one of the most powerthe Municipality of the City of ful nations on the face of the earth. On the contrary Australia by herself was one of the minor Powers. We had a race pride and a national pride. But whatever our national pride might be, Australia, standing on the westerly side of Montreal alone, was one of the small Powers of the world.

Mr. Latham emphasized the importance of unity of policy within the Empire; the fact that the Empire, of which Australia was a part, was, in fact and in law, an international unit; and what he termed the insanity of an attitude of independence. He contended that to allow Great Britain to determine foreign The votes of the electors of the City policy without any reference to the Kingston shall be taken on the Dominions at all was inconsistent alike with the growing sense of nain the afternoon at the tionhood in the Dominions and the responsibilities of the Dominion governments. For the Government of Australia to wash its hands of foreign affairs was gravely to neglect the vital interests of the people. Surely, again, Australia had reached a stage in her development when she owed also a duty in this regard, not alone to herself, but also to the world, irrespective of considerations of self-interests, self-protection and self-defence. Australia had a duty to try to offer some contribution to

Mr. Latham pointed out that

while the present means of consultation, through the instrument of Imperial Conference and other channels, were not yet entirely satisfactory and effective, it was hoped that the position of High Commissioner in London in the future would be such that its occupant would be enabled to concern himself with these questions and give direct and authentic information to the Government of Australia, although at the same Nos. 19 and 20 at 558 Princess St. time there was very strong objection to allowing a High Commissioner to bind the Australian Gov-No. 23 at Booth's Coal Office, King ernment; that must be left to the St. John Ashley, D.R.O. Ministry, which was Parliament and, through Parliahour of eleven o'clock in the ment, to the people. Mr. Latham or's Office, the head of the Coun-of the said Corporation shall at-at said place in the said Muni-in the way of the suggestion that a ality for the purpose of appointing Minister should be sent to London of it requested so to do shall apoint to represent Australia, and pointed to some to attend at the final sumout that, while the machinery for

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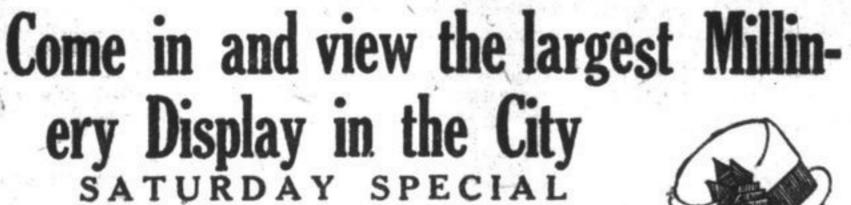
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CHARIVARI CLOYNE COUPLE.

for a while, while her husband is ing. Allan Spencer purchased a bi-

the day is housecleaning and sugar- Sunday afternoon, by C. Ireland and law's funeral, who died suddenly. A great many crows are here this dale is again a guest at the Wick- day morning, by Rev. Mr. Cafley; in

On the 18th day of May, 1926, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, at twelve o'clock of the said Municipality shall attend and sum up the cipality shall attend and sum up the votes given for and against the pronear to midnight, when a joyous Wheeler's, Saturday, Mrs. Jane

employed at Loon Lake. Everyone cycle from James Meeks, Monday, Who Were Recently Married at wishes them much joy in the coming and Angus Spencer one from W. Cloyne, May 3.—The main duty of Service was held at Samuel Meeks.) week for Ottawa for her brother-inmaking for the men. Everyone is a good crowd attended. Mrs. Jack Miss Marguerite Barkley spent the Australians owed to themselves and pate actively in that war. Mr. Lath- glad to see spring arriving. Nearly McCausland was a guest at Harry week-end with the Wheeler girls. all the spring birds are here again. Levere's, on Sunday. Sandy Drys- Service held in United Church, Sun-

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