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And All the News of the Day.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

## "The Warrior"

## THE CONSCRIPTION CLAUSE PASSED BRITISH HOUSE

The Majority in Favor of It Was 165---  
Mr. Asquith is of the Opinion That It  
Should have been Omitted From the Bill  
---Joseph Devlin Strongly Condemned  
Action of the Government.

London, April 12.—When the House of Commons, in committee of the whole, this afternoon reached the clause in the man power bill extending conscription to Ireland, James Lardner, Nationalist, for North Monaghan, moved that the bill should not be enforced with regard to Ireland, until the passage of a resolution by the Irish parliament approving it.

"Today," he said, "County Clare is an armed camp, and what Clare is today the rest of Ireland will be tomorrow, if the government go on with this proposal."

Subsequently Mr. Lardner's motion was rejected, 230 to 108. The conscription clause finally passed in committee by a majority of 165.

Arthur Henderson, leader of the Labor party, warned the government that it was displaying more relentless courage than wisdom in pushing its existence on the clause applying conscription to Ireland. Unless the government was prepared to modify its proposals, it was creating a situation which contained all the elements of the greatest disaster which had befallen the country in the last four years.

The government's present proposals he declared, would place Sinn Féinism in the ascendancy in Ireland, as they had placed Bolshevism in the ascendancy in Russia. The minimum the government could do was to say frankly that it would not make the clause operative until Home Rule absolutely was the law in Ireland.

Mr. Asquith

Former premier Asquith suggested that inasmuch as it would take some weeks after the bill was passed to undertake the preliminary work connected with conscription in Ireland, the interval should be occupied in passing through both houses a bill based on the report of the Irish convention. By that course the prolongation of the controversy would be prevented. Mr. Asquith again appealed to the government to omit the clause on conscription. If these were normal times, he said, he would not hesitate to take an appropriate parliamentary action to give effect to his position to the clause, but it would be criminal to blind our eyes to the extent of the peril at this moment.

"I could not be a party to any proceeding in the House," he added, "legitimate in normal conditions, which if it succeeded, must have the effect of prevention on those who for the time being are responsible to the Nation and to the Allies for extricating the greatest of causes from the greatest of perils."

"When every moment of their time, every faculty of their mind and every fibre of their body adds to be devoted to saving from disaster the Allies cause, I cannot make myself responsible."

Bitter Irony

Sir Edward Duke, chief secretary for Ireland, described it as one of the bitterest of ironies that the government was forced to make this conscription proposal at the moment when the Irish convention reported, and there was a situation of unprecedented promise for Ireland's future. He said it was not merely that the convention had arrived at conclusions, but that the main characteristic of the incident was agreement and not disagreement.

"A government's first duty," he continued, "is the defence of the state. Ireland is an integral part of the United Kingdom, and the government is the only authority which can decide what Ireland must do. At the same time it would be the worst disaster to the state to call into the ranks men suffering under a historic sense of grievance. The government advised to remove this sense of grievance and thought to help the country in believing there would be an overwhelming force of opinion in favor of self government. Nothing could please them better than that a parliament should be established in Dublin before any Irishmen went to the colors."

A Perilous Situation

Mr. Duke was not without hope that when the men of Ireland saw that the government was resolved to settle the Irish question, and that it opened to them a way honorable citizens to take their part in the defence of the Empire they would again rally to the sacred cause as they did in 1914.

Joseph Devlin, Nationalist, condemned the government action in most trenchant terms, declaring it was fraught with the greatest peril the government ever had to face. Their wisest course was to withdraw the clause concerning conscription in Ireland at the earliest possible moment. Mr. Devlin said he must repeat his offer to the government that if they would introduce a broad measure of safe government satisfying Irish National aspirations and would call together at the earliest possible moment a parliament representing the Irish citizenship, they would get from Ireland what they had got from South Africa. Let the government do this and Mr. Devlin himself, who at the beginning of the war had asked the late John Redmond's permission to join the colors, would join as a private now and constitute himself the leader of the young and generous hearts who would be touched by the chivalry and justice of the government's act and he would do his best to rally them to the government's support in this time of bitter trial. What more could a man offer than this. Mr. Devlin said it was for the government to say.

## MARYSVILLE HAPPENINGS

Marysville, Apr. 13.—The body of the late Mrs. George Dayton arrived here today from Montreal, where her death occurred. The funeral will take place from her late home Sunday afternoon with services by Rev. Dr. Harrison.

Pte. George Greer has returned from a visit to St. John.

Mr. Clifford Sherwood of Upham, Kings county, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. David Middleton has purchased a new Ford touring car.

In the Dawson Club Bowling league games last evening Capt. Edmund Downing's team won from Capt. E. B. Walker's and Capt. Pickard won from Capt. Dolphin's line-up.

## Daylight Saving

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is adopted instead of setting watches ahead one hour because of the connection of the C. P. R. with United States points which have Eastern Standard time and which already are under Daylight Saving. The times of the arrival and departure of trains from Fredericton on this line are as follows:

Fredericton Branch.

Departures—5.05 a. m., 8.50 a. m., 4.55 p. m., 7.40 p. m. Arrivals—8.10 a. m., 11.10 a. m., 7 p. m., 9.40 p. m.

Gibson and Otis Branch.

Departures—6.10 a. m., (North Devon 6.45 a. m.), 2.15 p. m., (North Devon 3 p. m.) Arrivals—10.15 a. m., (North Devon 9.45 a. m.), 8.35 p. m., (North Devon 8.05 p. m.)

To bring this timetable into conformity with local time under daylight saving one hour is added in each case.

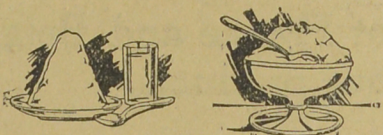
The Fredericton & Grand Lake Railway will set its watches and clocks ahead one hour and the announced time of arrivals and departures will remain.

Indecent Assault Case.

Mr. St. John Freeze of Sussex, arrived here last night and went to Galetown this morning to appear as counsel in an indecent assault case before Magistrate Peters. Mr. Kenneth Wilson is the opposing counsel.

## INFANTILE PARALYSIS

Quebec, April 13.—A case of infantile paralysis was discovered today at Lévis, across the river from Quebec. The sick child has been immediately isolated. He is 11 months old.



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