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## RILENT DIPLOMACY

If what the German Chancellor tactfully calls "military necessity" should require the suspension of Count von Bernstorff's salary, the Allies should gladly pay it. He is easily their best asset in this country. To raise such a point as the violation of the Monroe Doctrine, at such a time as this, reveals an ignorance of everything diplomatic which is almost incredible.

As the Hearst American justly says the right to invade Canada (after the British preliminary of disposing of the British fleet) involves on the Belgian precedent, the right to march troops through New England to seize the Maine Central and the Boston & Maine, and any part of the Canadian Pacific or Grand Trunk in the United States, for the transport of troops.

While professing to dispense the intelligence of our sometimes slow-thinking cousins in Great Britain, German critics credit them, most inconsistently, with an almost superhuman capacity for diplomacy. But one rule of the British diplomatic service is that the diplomat who becomes notorious for any reason, meritorious or not, finishes his career, then and there. He may become a governor of a crown possession. He ceases to be the typical self-effacing ambassador of the British diplomatic service.

This was strikingly shown twenty-odd years ago, in the case of Sir Charles Euan Smith, British Minister to Morocco. He had to demand, from the Sultan of that country, at Fez, satisfaction for the looting of a wrecked British merchant vessel, and the ill-treatment and murder of some of its sailors. The Sultan showed temper, and asked "Teaparty" Smith what would happen if he, the Sultan, ordered Sir Charles head cut off?

Smith, as his nickname indicates, had a deceptively mild manner, but there was nothing the matter with his courage. "There would be another British Minister here in a month," he responded tranquilly, "but there would be no Sultan of Morocco."

Smith became the hero of the newspapers. But his diplomatic career was closed. He was recalled, after a sufficient interval, and his future public employment was inconspicuous. Perhaps the enormous damage which has been done to the German cause by von Bernstorff, and other agents of publicity in America, will some day teach even the Prussian Government that an efficient diplomatic machine, which has learned when not to talk, is a cheap and effective substitute for Krupp guns and soldiers.

## ON THE SIDE

These Zeppelins are still operating with such ostentation.

The war correspondent who slept with a cat may have been ordered to the Meuse.

A few more peace treaties and there wouldn't have been anything left of Belgium.

General Dank's army again has been reported "hemmed in." Maybe this time it's sew.

The rectangle Jaroslav Rozoff-Dymoff-Przemysl has been seized. It could be squeezed.

Germany puts her own troops into Przemysl. Probably the Austrians couldn't be trusted to pronounce it.

The Austrian army is hardly classy enough for a world series. It should be farmed out to the Balkans.

Perhaps the German commander who ordered daylight punched into Rheims cathedral believed in Goethe's saying, "Mehr Licht."

A Prussian general has posted orders to the invaded towns' inhabitants to salute on sight or take the consequences. We dare any of them to say, "Morituri te non salutamus."

## LOCAL NEWS

## AID FOR THE BELGIANS.

Rev. Dr. Smith of this city, was the principal speaker at a public meeting at Chipman on Monday evening in aid of the Belgians. He delivered an able address, in which he dealt with the moral side of the war. Dr. Armstrong was chairman.

## DIED AT MONCTON.

The death occurred at Moncton this week of Mrs. Dennison, wife of Mr. F. E. Dennison, a well known commercial traveller. She was a daughter of the late Mr. David Richards of Campbellton, and a cousin of Mr. D. M. Richards of this city. The remains were taken to Campbellton for interment. The late Mrs. Dennison had been in poor health for some time.

## FOR THE BELGIANS.

Judge Wilson and Mr. E. H. Allen will be the principal speakers at a meeting to be held in the hall at Durham Bridge tonight in the interests of the Belgian Relief Fund.

## IN THE POLICE COURT.

One drunk was allowed his freedom this morning upon making the usual deposit of \$5 which was forfeited in the police court. Another offender was sent to jail for thirty days in default of a payment of a \$5 fine.

## CALL TO REV. E. E. MOWATT.

At a meeting of the Presbyterian congregation of Chipman on Monday it was decided to extend a call to Rev. E. E. Mowatt of Loggieville, a son of the late Rev. Dr. Mowatt, at one time pastor of St. Paul's church of this city. The call will receive the attention of the St. John Presbytery at an early date.

## A FALSE ALARM.

The firemen were called out at about 11.30 o'clock this morning to respond to a false alarm from box 46, corner Charlotte and St. John streets. The glass in the box had been broken, and some small children going home school pulled the alarm.

## PATRIOTIC BALL TONIGHT

Preparations have been completed for the Patriotic Ball to be held in the Parliament Building tonight under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor. It is expected that there will be an exceptionally large attendance.

## BEES BEER AGAIN.

Gabe, Sacobie, a Millicote Indian, will be arraigned before Magistrate Limerick in the police court tomorrow morning on the charge of keeping California's bees beer, an intoxicating drink, on his premises at the St. Marys reserve.

## SONS OF ENGLAND

## HAD PLEASANT TIME

An enjoyable social was held last evening in the Church Hall under the auspices of the Sons of England Benefit Society. The following interesting program was carried out:

Opening address—A. D. Thomas.  
Reading—A. Smith.  
Song—H. T. Spare.  
Reading—Oscar Harris.  
Violin Solo—H. Day.  
Song—R. Smith.  
Baritone solo—Arthur Reading.  
Address—Sergt. Major H. T. Brewer.  
Vocal solo—Mrs. Coe.  
Piano solo—Miss Helen Wandless.  
Reading—Oscar Harris.  
Song—H. T. Spare.  
Reading—Sterling Brannen Jr.  
Flute solo—W. Butcher.  
Reading—A. D. Thomas.  
Vocal solo—Mrs. Coe.  
God Save the King.

## WHITMAN ELECTED GOV.

## ERNOR OF NEW YORK

New York, Nov. 3.—District Attorney Charles S. Whitman, Republican, was elected governor of New York today by an estimated plurality of 110,000 over Martin Glynn, Democrat, the present incumbent.

William Sulzer, who was impeached and removed from that office last fall running on the Prohibition and American party tickets finished third in the race, polling, it appears on the face of incomplete returns slightly more than 100,000 votes. Frederick M. Davenport, Progressive, ran fourth with approximately 50,000 votes.

James W. Wadsworth appears to have defeated James W. Gerard, Democratic, for the United States senatorship by about 25,000. Bainbridge Colby, Progressive, was third with a vote that probably will not exceed 50,000.

Mr. Thomas McAvity of St. John, is among the guests at the Queen.  
Mr. N. M. Jones of St. John, is a guest at the Queen.

## PLEA FOR SUPPORT

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REV. CANON GOULD

of Toronto, was the last speaker. He stated that he had been for thirteen years a missionary to Palestine, which country, he explained, was under the dominion of Turkey. Only recently he had returned from a trip around the world, which had occupied five and one-half months. Referring to the European war, he said that the situation had lately been complicated by the entrance of the Ottoman empire into the field of operations. He was often asked if the entrance of Turkey into the conflict would precipitate a holy war. In this connection certain factors had to be considered. The prophet Mohammed was an Arabian and the Sultan of Turkey, who claims to be the spiritual head of the Mohammedan faith, is not of the tribe of Mohammed. Therefore, if he made a call to the Mohammedan world for a holy war for the uplifting of the Crescent, the speaker did not think it would be heeded. Not being an Arab the Sultan cannot be the spiritual head of Mohammedanism. Then there is another factor which enters into the case. The Young Turks party, who came into power in Turkey a few years ago, as progressives, are neither Mohammedans nor Christians. They had their training in Berlin and were demohammedanized but not Christianized. As a matter of fact, they are agnostics. Another important factor is the distrust of German arms and ideals which is everywhere apparent among the people of Turkey.

Speaking of the influence of Turkey upon Egypt the speaker said that this was not a matter worthy of serious thought. It is a question now of the influence of British administration in Egypt and the Near East. When the day comes for lasting peace the splendor of the English, Irish and Scotch who went out to Egypt when that country was a by-word among nations, will not be forgotten. Egypt has been regenerated from bottom to top, and it is the benign influence of British rule which has produced the feeling of unrest in the surrounding countries. Men are dreaming that these things may be repeated in Turkey and one result was the overthrow of Abdul Hamid, the man of blood, and the enthronization by the Young Turks.

The speaker then quoted statistics giving the relative growth of the English, German and French languages from 1801 to 1901. In 1801 there were thirty-one million people speaking the French language; in 1901 the number had grown to fifty-two million. In 1801 the German language was spoken by thirty million people; in 1901 the number had increased to eighty-four million. The English language at the beginning of the last century was spoken by twenty million people and in 1901 it was spoken by one hundred million people. The rapid spread of the English language had made the Germans envious. The speaker during his trip around the world had in every country found somebody conversant with the English language. The Germans believed that trade followed the spread of the language and they had hatched a gigantic scheme to capture the trade of China, under the guise of missionary work. He quoted from a secret pamphlet giving details of the scheme. Millions of dollars were to be expended in China for the establishment of schools and colleges for the promotion of German culture. The speaker dwelt upon this subject at some length and his remarks made a deep impression upon his hearers.

He went on to say that a united India was behind England in the present war, and in this connection he eulogized the brave Indian troops now at the battlefront fighting for the integrity of the empire. He quoted from a letter written in India to show that at the present time prayers were being offered up in every mosque for the success of British arms. This went to show that Christianity was permeating the great masses of the Indian people and the pure service rendered by the church in missionary effort was one of the factors making for the loyalty of India today.

In concluding his admirable address the speaker gave a brief account of a recent visit to China and described the wonderful changes which had been brought about in that country in recent years.

A hearty vote of thanks, moved by Bishop Richardson and seconded by Rev. Dr. Smith, was presented to the speakers of the evening.

A motion by Mr. J. S. Armstrong that monthly meetings be held during the winter months, was referred to a committee.

## TRIP THROUGH WEST.

Ex-Ald. A. H. VanWart returned yesterday from a trip through the Canadian West. At Edmonton he was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. George Massie.

## DIED LAST EVENING.

Mrs. Jane Patterson died at her home on George street last evening at the age of seventy-eight years, of congestion of the lungs. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon. Service will be held at the house at two o'clock by Rev. Mr. Baker. Interment will be made at Sunnybank cemetery.

## Blanket Season Now

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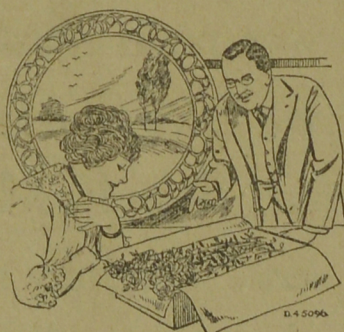
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