

BRITISH INCOME TAX INCREASED IN MONSTER BUDGET

England Faces Deficit of Six and a Half Billion Dollars Yearly

ALL TAXES RAISED

War Profits, Imports and Luxuries to Bear Burden—Daily Expense \$22,500,000

VAST FIGURES INVOLVED IN ENGLAND'S NEW BUDGET

England's "unprecedented" budget shows: Estimated revenues, \$1,380,000,000; Estimated expenditures, \$1,950,000,000; Deficit, \$570,000,000.

LONDON, Sept. 21.

A 40 per cent. increase in the income tax and other drastic levies, to meet the greatest deficit ever faced by the British nation, were proposed in the Government's tax budget, introduced in the House of Commons this afternoon by Chancellor of the Exchequer Reginald McKenna.

The income tax exemption limit is lowered from \$500 to \$300 a year under the provisions of the bill introduced by the Government today. Thousands of workers, heretofore exempt, will be forced to pay income tax.

Excess war profits will be heavily taxed, the Chancellor of the Exchequer announced, the Government hoping in this way to raise \$150,000,000 annually.

TAX ON TEA

Taxes on tea and spirits are left unchanged, but the tax on tea and coffee is increased 50 per cent. The tax on practically all patent medicines is doubled and all valorem duties averaged 1.51 per cent. are assessed against a long list of luxuries.

In introducing the budget Mr. McKenna declared that the British government is faced with a deficit of \$570,000,000.

"I must ask the House to assent to a great loan for an unprecedented budget," said the Chancellor. "In the existing basis of taxation the revenues for the current year are \$1,380,000,000, while the expenditures are estimated \$1,950,000,000. I am sure the country is prepared to face the budget with confidence."

\$1,000,000,000 DEBT.

"To enable the nation to deal with the colossal task in front of us every section must be called upon to contribute and make sacrifices. It is estimated that at the end of this year the dead weight of debt upon the Government will be \$1,000,000,000. This will not cripple our resources, however. We had to consider our navy, costing \$600,000,000; our army, costing \$2,500,000,000; and external advances by the Treasury amounting to \$150,000,000."

Chancellor McKenna estimated that the daily rate of expenditures on all services from now on until the end of fiscal year will be upwards of \$22,500,000.

Later the Chancellor said the daily cost of carrying on the war may rise to more than \$25,000,000 a day, an estimate slightly in excess of that recently made in Parliament by Premier Asquith.

SUPER TAX PROPOSED

The new income taxes to the government must be paid quarterly in the future. Mr. McKenna estimated that the realization from the additional 40 per cent. income taxation will net the government income of \$187,000,000. The budget also proposed a new super tax of two shillings and ten pence on incomes of from \$40,000 to \$45,000, and three shillings two pence on incomes from \$45,000 to \$50,000. Incomes above are to be taxed three shillings six pence.

ROCKEFELLERS OF ONE MIND NOT TO HELP PROLONG WAR

Son of Oil Magnate Said to Oppose Loan to Allies

TRINIDAD, Col., Sept. 21.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and his father are of one mind that the Rockefeller fortune shall go to the warring nations of Europe, according to a member of the younger financier's party visiting the Colorado coal fields today. Young Rockefeller, it is reported, he had forsaken the chance of amazing greater wealth because his attitude toward the war was the same as that outlined by his father. Rockefeller, Jr., was quoted by a member of his party as having "expressed his displeasure with prospective assistance to the belligerents in referring to the Anglo-French loan."

THE WEATHER

Official Forecast: For eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey, fair tonight and Wednesday; cooler tonight; fresh west winds. The disturbance that overspread the Mississippi Valley and part of the upper Lake region yesterday has moved rapidly eastward to the St. Lawrence Valley and extends thence southward over the Atlantic States this morning. It has been attended by showers over its whole course, and is being followed by a decidedly cool area. Frosts were general last night in the Missouri and upper Mississippi Valleys, and the temperatures are mostly in the forties in the upper Lake region this morning.

Table with weather data for various cities: Boston, New York, Philadelphia, etc.

FILM PROTEST TO BE HELD AT CITY HALL

Mayor Permits Negroes to Hold Meeting in His Reception Room

Mayor Blankenburg today granted the request of a committee of negro ministers and physicians to hold a public meeting next Friday morning at 11 o'clock in the reception room of the City Hall, at which the play, "The Birth of a Nation," will be displayed. Mayor Blankenburg stipulated that the management of the Forrest Theatre be represented at the meeting.

The committee was headed by G. Edward Dickerson, a negro lawyer. In the party was Dr. J. M. Smith, of 1221 Pine street. Dr. Smith informed the Mayor that he was treated last night at the Douglas Hospital after being struck on the head with a club. This occurred during the "The Birth of a Nation" performance.

A tall negro clergyman led a throng of 150 of his race up Broad street last night. They chanted "Forward, Christian Soldiers" as they marched. Then, as they reached the front of the Forrest Theatre, where "The Birth of a Nation" is being shown, he threw his arms aloft. The singing stopped. A brick was thrown.

"Get that man," shouted Lieutenant Duffy, of the Reserves. "Get them. Get them," repeated Lieutenant Duffy, of the 15th and Locust streets station, again and again. The police, with drawn clubs, charged the throng. It broke and ran. Some took shelter in the lobby of nearby hotels; some ran into the clubs that line Broad street, carrying with them white women, caught in the swirl; others ran down little streets.

The police whacked every head within whacking distance. Some were trampled on. The dark cross streets seemed to offer the best haven of comparative safety. While the churches reserves were in the van of the pursuers, the bluesons from the 15th and Locust streets station were testing the skull-cracking proclivities of their locust sticks. The nimble-footed reserves caught the bluesons of whom was accused of having thrown the brick. He was the only prisoner held after the testimony had been presented before Magistrate Beaton, at the night court hearings.

FRENCH FORCE MARNE CANAL; THREATEN FOE

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night the branch line railway at Amagne-Lucigny, to the east of Rehel.

A second official statement this afternoon explained the reasons for the shells poured in upon the enemy's trenches surpassed any previous artillery storm of the war.

"These heavy artillery actions along the entire front resulted in the destruction of divers enemy works," said the official statement. "These cannoneers, often unaided, and by direct attacks, were intended to destroy workable enemy positions and munitious, demolish enemy shelter places, impede the concentration of enemy troops and render it impossible for the enemy to hold certain works."

LIVELY CONTEST IN BOSTON AND MASSACHUSETTS PRIMARY

Candidates Busy Lecturing on New Election Method and Platform

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—With long lists of "what to do" and "what not to do" the voting booths were thrown open today for the first "open primary" ever held in this State. The "abolition of party enrollment" law will have its first test. It gives the voter the right to cast his ballot for any of the candidates providing they are on the list.

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THIEVES SET OLD HOUSE AFIRE

Home of Late Miss Rebecca Coxie Infested by Tramps

Fire started by negro thieves in the home of the late Miss Rebecca Coxie, a social leader in this city about 10 years ago, at 112 Spruce street, today brought to light the fact that the old mansion has been used as a headquarters for tramps. The house has been closed since the death of Miss Coxie, six years ago.

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Former Bartender Promises Alimony

A former bartender, who married a wealthy widow and now is being sued for divorce, was discharged today in Court of Common Pleas, where he was held to explain why he had failed to comply with an alimony order of \$1250 and \$25 counsel fees for his wife. The man is Cornelius Dougherty and his wife was Mrs. Mary De Wess Dougherty before she married him. Dougherty explained that he had been unable to pay the alimony, but would make renewed efforts to pay up.

MORE TROUBLE IN THE BALKANS



The map indicates that what probably be the direction of the German drive toward Serbia to Turkey, which is reported to have been begun by the bombardment of Serbian positions on the Save and Danube Rivers. The Germans very likely will follow the main line of the railroad which runs from Budapest through Belgrade, thence across Bulgaria to Constantinople. The map also shows how completely Bulgaria is surrounded by potential enemies, who will assail her from almost every side if there is a repetition of the second Balkan war.

CHESTER PROSECUTOR ASSAILED BY VOTERS

"Jury Wheel Crime of 1912" Recalled in Attack on John B. Hannum, Jr.

A violent attack against District Attorney John B. Hannum, Jr., of Chester, in the form of a pamphlet report on the "Jury Wheel Crime of 1912," was distributed to the voters of Delaware County today by the People's Rights Association of that county. The District Attorney is a candidate for re-election. The report, which is accompanied by a letter from William T. Ellis, of Swarthmore, president of the association, states that the investigation into the alleged jury wheel stuffing has been an issue in the county for some time.

The report speaks of the discovery of the alleged irregularities, the alleged motive, the alleged illegal juryman selected for the December session of 1912 and the action of the court and the bar association in calling attention to the alleged "packing" of the wheel.

Under the caption "The Problem Before the District Attorney" the report states: "The conviction of these criminals—that is, those responsible for the alleged 'packing' of the wheel—was part of the regular line of duties of the District Attorney, John B. Hannum, Jr., under his oath of office. Judging from the facts given above, the problem before the District Attorney was a relatively simple one, compared with the difficulties of ferreting out criminals in general."

"Not only did the District Attorney have before him an easy problem in determining who the criminals were, but he had ready to stand back of him the Bar Association with an able committee eager to assist, and the People's Rights Association, with its Special Committee ready and anxious to render all possible assistance."

Further evidence of the alleged obstruction of justice by the District Attorney is given. The report closes with an attack against the "dominant political party" of the county, and states that it is presented "for the information of the citizens of the county, to aid them in performing their civic duties."

GERMAN SECRET U-BOAT BASE ON ENGLISH CHANNEL ISLAND

Petrol and Other Supplies Given Submarines

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—That Germany secretly established a submarine base on Guernsey Island, in the English Channel, and that the supposed fishermen captured there proved to be enlisted men in the German navy, was the information brought to New York today by Frank S. Perr, of Ithaca, N. Y., who arrived on the liner Minnehaha.

"These fishermen were caught setting cases of petrol adrift for the submarines to pick up," said Mr. Perr. "They probably will be shot. It is reported in England that 25 German submarines have been caught in steel nets set by the English."

Powder Officials Need More Room

WILMINGTON, Del., Sept. 21.—On account of the demand for more office room on the part of the powder companies having headquarters in the Gun Point Building, the work of placing these additional stories on the older portion of the building will be commenced within a short time unless the present plans are changed.

Abbotts Milk advertisement featuring a woman with a milk can and text: "Where 'A' Milk Comes From. How It Gets to Your Home. All 'A' Milk brought to our country receiving stations is carefully tested by a bacteriologist to determine its cleanliness."

TELL ME WHERE YOU LIVE AND I'LL TELL YOU HOW YOU VOTED

M'Lisa Makes Tour of City and Finds Point of View Varies With Sections of City

According to the officer of the law who swings his club negligently as he helps support a barber pole at the corner of Race and Locust streets, where the pasty-faced denizens of the Tenderloin are turning out sleepily to demonstrate their allegiance to "Lord Jim McNichol," there's nothing to "voting" for.

TENDERLOIN FOR SMITH

According to the officer of the law who sits on a bread-box outside of the grocery store at 2d and Locust streets, where West Philadelphia comes to the poll and deliberates, with real reasons backed by real convictions for marking up their ballots the way they do, the next Mayor of Philadelphia is going to be an individual who spells his name Porter.

Down in South Philadelphia, where the electorate discusses its political affections in strange foreign tongues to which "Vote" is the only intelligible word, the guardian of the public peace and morals thinks it's a sort of 75 to 25 proposition with Smith on the happy end.

COPE AS BAROMETERS

All of which is but one way of saying that in this election the police are the political barometers who merely register the conditions of the localities in which they are.

"Smith's got a clean beat," said one of the bluesons detailed to duty in the Tenderloin, "and the funny part of it is that he's got the police department too, almost to a man, judging from the talk I've heard, and a man usually votes the way he talks, you'll find."

POLITICS AS CROOKED AS—

At this moment a quivery, trembly sort of gentleman, with an election nose and an uncertain gait, came out of an alley and made his way toward the poll.

"How drunk does a man have to be?" I asked, in my ignorance, the loquacious "cop," before he is refused entrance to the polling booth?

The cop laughed a cynical laugh and spat into the gutter, disgustingly, before he answered. "There ain't no limit. Just so he knows what he's doing and remembers his instructions. All I've got to do is keep the peace. It ain't my business to arrest any of them unless they get rambunctious. Politics is as crooked as —"

TWO KILLED BY TRAIN

Conductor and Brakeman Lose Lives When Open Switch Is Struck

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 21.—Two men were killed, two horses badly injured, two wagons demolished and four freight cars broken and scattered about the street here today, when a freight train going east on Pratt street struck an open switch. The dead are Charles J. Kammermohr, United States Marshal. Extrajudicial papers were granted and, in spite of a legal fight on the part of the "judge," he was brought to this city last night. He was taken before Judge Thompson today, but, since the latter had been the District Attorney who prosecuted Marrin nine years ago, Judge Dickinson was asked to preside at the trial.

James Cortelyou, of this city, Chief United States Postal Inspector, was largely responsible for the conviction of Marrin. When many other detectives given above, Cortelyou proved that he had defrauded Mrs. Elizabeth Barry, of Brooklyn, 80 years old, of \$71,000.

Dahlia Show

Sept. 22d and 23d

The largest collection of high-class blooms ever exhibited in the city. All the new and rare varieties will be shown. America's most popular flower can be seen in all its glory.

ADMISSION FREE

Open 8 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. Order Book for roots to be delivered next spring. See also the large exhibit of vegetables.

MICHELL'S SEED HOUSE

518 Market St. Philadelphia

BULGARS MOBILIZE ON SERB FRONTIER

Servia Declares Border War Zone, According to Berlin Dispatches

BERLIN, Sept. 21.—Bulgarian troops are concentrating along the Servian frontier, according to dispatches received here this afternoon. Servia, these reports asserted, has declared the Servian-Bulgarian frontier a closed war zone and is preparing to meet an expected Bulgarian invasion.

German troops, as well as German artillery batteries, are massed along the Servian boundary, co-operating with the Austro-Hungarians, according to press dispatches.

According to dispatches from Athens, Bulgarians already have invaded Servia. Other dispatches report Bulgarian mobilization. It is reported that Rumania will remain neutral.

The Overseas News Agency announced today that the news from the Balkan Servian boundary, that from Vienna the Austrian and German troops are concentrated on the Servian frontier, when according to yesterday's official report they had silenced Serb guns.

JUPITER PLUVIUS HERE

Retired Old Gentleman Reappears and City Has Rain

Old Mr. Jupiter Pluvius early today made a brief and only slightly successful attempt to come out of the shell in which he has been in retirement almost a month, and Philadelphians saw the slight, now become unusual, of wet pavements when they arose from their beds today. Not since the last of August has there been a good rainfall, the entire precipitation for the month being less than a quarter of an inch.

What makes it funnier is that every man in the department is willing to grant that Porter's done a lot for the department—gave us the three platoons, with the eight-hour shift, one of the whitest things a director ever did. If Porter's Mayor, it's practically a dead clinch that our pay'll be raised from \$3 a month to 100. But somehow or other the boys believe that Smith's the best bet. They got a bunch and they're playing it."

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Start the Fall With a Satisfactory Grocery Service

High quality goods at lowest prices. Automobile service assures prompt deliveries. Bradford Blend Coffee, 33c lb. 3 lbs., 95c. Biggest coffee value in town. E. Bradford Clarke Co. Importers. 1520 Chestnut Street. Grocers.

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