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# Crisis on Irish Question Believed Past After

Conference

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## LABOR BACKS HOME RULE stronghold from which the British other vital points.

London, April 16. After an interview with Premier If guarded the entire Ypres salient Cabinet pressed the Premier to grant suff-government to Ireland on the basis of the imajority report of the Irish con-vention before conscription is put into operation. It is understool that the con-ference had satisfactory results and there will not be a Cabinet crists

London Times-Public Ledger Science opyright, 1918, by Public Ledger to London, April 16 .-- The Times parlia-

"It is understood that the new bonne "It is understood that the new bonne rule bill is aiready in course of tanid preparation. The Covertment leaders Bonar Law's phrase) that they think it right and mean to do it."

### Demand Insistent

The estence of the matter is to frame "The convention has given them all

"From their own point of view the Government leaders are right in ac-nouncing the two measures are entirely chate in the House of Commons was echnically concerned entirely with clauges of the military service bill : the constitutional question cropped on an every turn and the not result was a remarkable collection of snow

#### Constitutional Changes

"Every one recognized the genuin feeling of Devin's permation. It co-mbatically was the utterance of a num cho realized the meaning of the way whore significant was the carrest appeal by Mr. Asquith for home rule legislas. The tion at once to follow the massing of the Garman military service bill. He scenived strong aupport from such Unionists as Colonel Amery and Sir Marg Sples. One com-reported Amery and Sir Mark Splace. One com-mon anxiety, an a subsequent canvaesing has shown was fear that the supreme opportunity for a settlement of the binds question should be allowed to drift away. "It will be surprising if the attitude of the younger Unionists, who are less hampered than their leaders, does not become still more definite within the

become still more actinity within the nextsfew days. "The lines of the forthormany bill are to a large extent laid down in advance by the work of the Irish convention. The fact that some of the most difficult deci-sions were postponed matters has, owing ine.

esting that the Westminster Gazette. Every hour gamed by the British in effort urging, like the Times that there about bolding this ground means Increased. In that care the scene of epocations be no delay, should piead only one gen-eral condition, that the bill should be of supporting fuses in sufficient trous are on the front. The railway

# City's Drive Lagging; May Fail of Quota May Fail of Quota

Wayne, St. Davids, Strafford., 128,658 NEW ATTACK ON BAILLEUL MAY

**ON FRANCO-FLEMISH FRONT** Continued from Page One according to gazetteers, and was of minor operations southeast of old Flemish design.

Grape-growing was a large in-Bailleul, in France near the Bel- dustry in Bailleul hothouses before gian frontier, has been the scene of the war. Recently the city was set the most desperate fighting in the affire and half of it destroyed. entire Flanders drive. It was the Juig, however, is repared to hold

## For's Flanks Exposed

A new artillery engagement i the British positions in Ypres, on the terre. centered around Hangard-en-San

man drive to fall. It is located on a point where they must keep up the main Armentieres-Hazebrouck their pressure. They have created railway, midway between the two a sufferit about twelve miles deep at cities. It is three and a half miles its point,

west of Neuve-Eglise, which also is Both flanks now in German hands. The way now ish attachs of the Germana vehas, have had every reason in the last few appears to be open westward to Abready the British counter-drives days to realize the value of promitness of decision, and the support they won for the military service bill will be just as strong behind the other if they show tim Benar Law's phrase) that they flink it Ypres, around the western edge of the Germans fight themselves to complete exhibitation before com-

Abandonment of Wulverghem, mencing a counter-offensive on a bill sound in principle and then carry which is four and a half miles east grand scale all along both the bat-through to a determination. Their and slightly north of Bailleul, on the thefronts of Picardy and Flanders. Douve River, gives Hindenburg a A distatch from Paris today hold in the southern foothills of the quoted the Matin as saying it is for the material they need or can ever more to get from Ireland, and finally the de-ridge. The tenability of this post- fraying no secret to say that the ridge. The tenability of this post- fraying no secret to say that the tion itself is questionable. But from which possible powers have been

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by the work of the Irish convention. The fact that some of the most difficult decision for conditions inevitably imposed by the war. Meanwhile there is a growing like war. Meanwhile there is a growing like the conditions inevitably imposed by the maxe of a constitutional changes in the Government. Great Britain, indeed the whole empire, is giving a new aspect to come angletic controversies. . This prospect constantly appears in the report of the convention's proceeds ings. If formed the more to interface the original to the second speech by J. H. Thomas and it is inter-rating that the Westminster constitu-ent process when the the more and the consequent index of a storm of the British inte. . The German's were in possession of Neuve Eglise by tast accounts, but to be driven out again. The similary to be driven out again. The similary front further than to show that the sistance to his effort to widen his fight-ing front to the source. . Every hour gained by the British in bolding this ground means hormore isolating this the Times that the source at a defi-nation front to the growth hormes and the inter-siting that the Westminster consetter.

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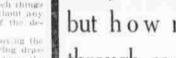
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"The evening statement from general headquarters says" "There were local engagements on the Lys-Wulverghem battlefield, and the enemy's lines northeast of Wul-verghem were taken by storm."

## HAVRE DISTRICT BOMBED

German Aviator's Missiles Fall Near Prisoners' Camp

FOLLOW NEUVE EGLISE LOSS

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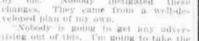
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