

### BONAR LAW YIELDS TO IRISH STRIKERS

Government Spokesman Promises Consideration for Imprisoned Suspects

### DUBLIN CONSTABLE KILLED

By the Associated Press  
London, April 14.—Andrew Bonar Law, the government spokesman, said in the House of Commons today that the Irish Government had decided to treat those prisoners in Mount Joy prison who were arrested on suspicion differently from other classes of prisoners and that they would receive ameliorative treatment.

He made this announcement in reply to a question by T. P. O'Connor, the Irish Nationalist leader.

The government's attitude had been criticized by the press.

Mr. Bonar Law's statement is taken to mean that the government has reconsidered its attitude, which was to let the prisoners commit suicide by hunger striking if they desired to do so.

It is assumed that the new ruling will be applied to the Mount Joy prisoners.

An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Dublin says the hunger strikers in the Mount Joy jail are to be released immediately. The Irish office here denied it.

Dublin, April 14.—The general strike declared yesterday in protest against the treatment of the Irish hunger strikers in Mount Joy prison continued today with added tenaciousness and intensity.

Sixty thousand workers in Dublin alone are on strike. Clashes are feared. The same situation exists in Cork.

The day was marked early by a fatality. Constable Harry Kelly, being shot dead while on plain clothes duty. The assailant, unidentified, escaped.

There have been rapid developments in connection with the strike. Viscount French, the viceroy, sent for the Irish mayor today and later the military was withdrawn from the vicinity of Mount Joy prison.

Another development was the arrival of General Sir Nevil Macready, new commander of the forces in Ireland, who is expected to assume his duties at once.

The general expectation here with regard to the hunger strikers, based upon last night's debate in the House of Commons in London, is that the government, although refusing to release the political prisoners, will make some concession in their treatment to secure the termination of the hunger strike.

The feeling appeared to be that some formula for a settlement which would be held to constitute a backdown by either side was being sought.

Londonderry, Ulster, April 14.—(By A. P.)—The Unionist members of the Londonderry City Council withdrew from the session today when a resolution of sympathy with the hunger strikers in Mount Joy prison was proposed.

Applause greeted the statement of Mrs. Morris, a Nationalist councillor, that she had prayed the previous night for the Mother of Mercy "that these poor men would be triumphant over the stage hand of Lord French."

### KAPP FLEES TO DANZIG

Other Leaders of Berlin Revolt Are Hiding in Bavaria

Copenhagen, April 14.—(By A. P.)—Dr. Wolfgang Kapp and other leaders of the recent unsuccessful coup in Berlin have gathered at Danzig, which was made a free city under the Polish settlement, and are thus outside German jurisdiction, says a dispatch to the Politiken from Berlin.

Others prominent in the Kapp revolt are hiding in Pomerania and Bavaria, the message adds.

Two Rome-to-Tokio Aviators Killed  
Karachi, British India, April 14.—(By A. P.)—Captain Godesco and Lieutenant Grassi, Godesco and Lieutenant Grassi, Italian aviators engaged in the Rome-to-Tokio flight, were killed at Bushire, on the eastern shore of the Persian gulf yesterday. They were attempting to land after crossing the gulf when their machine crashed to the ground.

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### FRANCO-BELGIAN ALLIANCE IS NEAR

Ambassador to Paris Tells of the Proposed Defensive Agreement

### BAVARIAN JUNKERS ACTIVE

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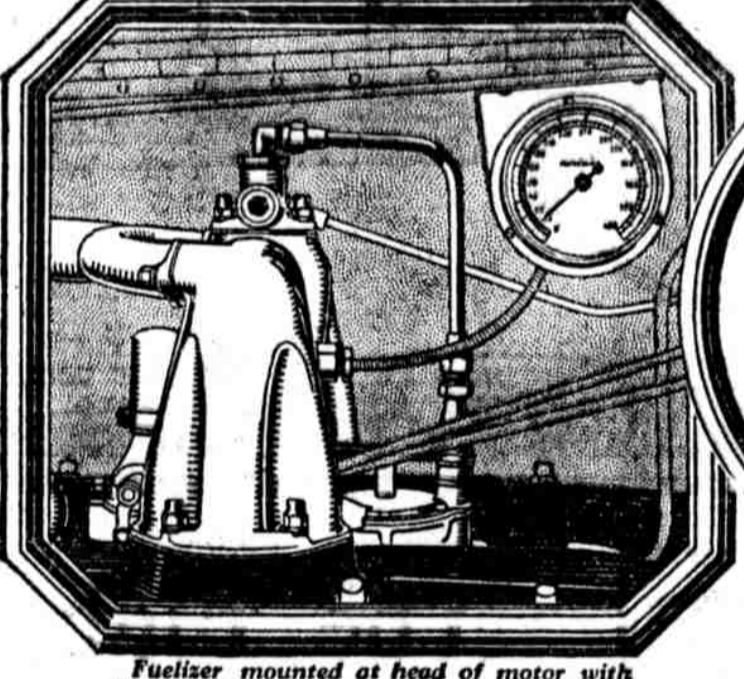
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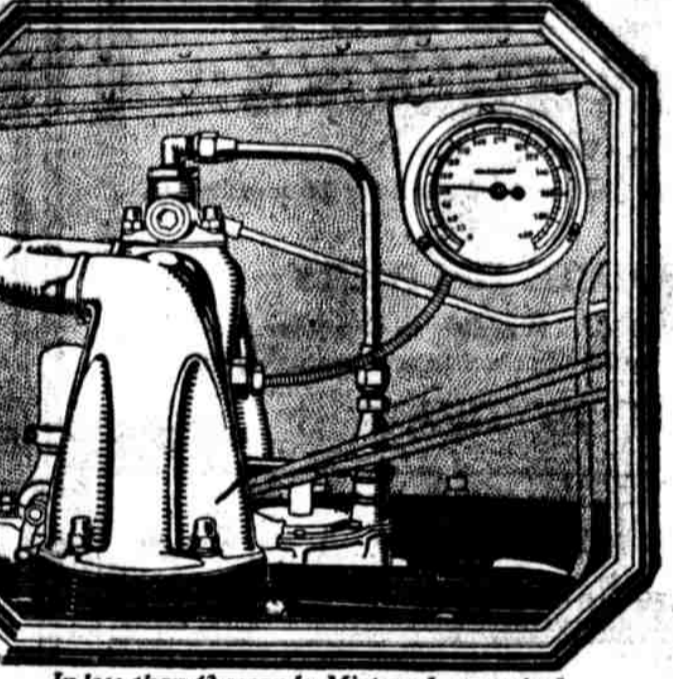
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