

DERBY SEES BLOW AT LLOYD GEORGE

Says Commons Ended Strike, Rebuking One-Man Control

PREMIER LEARNS LESSON

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 London, April 18.—Speaking at the annual dinner of the Junior Imperial League, Lord Derby hailed as a triumph for the constitutional system of England the action of the House of Commons on the coal strike when it asserted its powers against the one-man rule of the premier.

"The House of Commons took the matter into its own hands," he said, "and when the issue was put before the members they realized that a general strike would have been a death blow to this nation, and so they stood their hand. The House of Commons vindicated itself and once more the constitutional system triumphed."

Mr. Lloyd George and his cabinet had been trying to settle the strike for a fortnight, refusing to take Parliament into their confidence. Last Thursday night 200 members of Parliament called the mine owners and miners before them, and at this point the breakdown of the strike started. The premier has said he recognizes the end of personal rule is in sight, and is willing in future to pay more attention to the wishes of the House of Commons.

London, April 18.—(By A. P.)—A meeting of the parliamentary labor committee and the Trades Union Congress will be held Wednesday. It is believed some program will be formulated for presentation at Friday's conference of miners. The parliamentary labor committee has in the past been serviceable as an intermediary in labor disputes, its only failure to function occurring during the crisis last week.

The Daily Herald, organ of labor, is furthering a campaign to provide the striking miners with financial assistance through voluntary contributions from all union men of one shilling a

week, thus enabling the miners to carry on what the Herald insists is "their fight for the whole of trade unionism."

The slowing down of many industries because of the coal scarcity is causing increasing alarm, with the numbers of unemployed registering at the labor exchange steadily mounting. It is estimated that the strike has deprived the nation of 11,000,000 tons of fuel.

Those who have always doubted the potentialities of the "Triple Alliance of Labor" now deride it as the "tripolitan alliance."

2 BRITISH SOLDIERS KILLED BY MISTAKE OF COMRADES

In Civilian Clothes. Are Taken for Sinn Feiners

Limerick, April 18.—(By A. P.)—Two members of the crown forces were killed and one was wounded in a hotel at Castleconnell, County Limerick, last evening, when soldiers mistook some of their comrades in civilian clothes for Sinn Feiners and began firing. Dennis O'Donovan, proprietor of the hotel, also was shot and killed. One report says he was summarily executed on suspicion of harboring rebels.

Dublin, April 18.—The first execution of a woman in the strife between the disloyal factions in Ireland is announced. She was taken from her home in the Scotstown district of Monaghan today and shot and killed on the bank of the river.

The woman, whose name was Kitty MacCarson, belonged to the farming class. She was about forty-five years old and lived with her parents, octogenarians, in a wild, mountainous part of the country. About midnight a knock was heard at the door and a party of masked men entered and informed the victim they had come for her.

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Lloyd George, Questioned on French Plans, Says Allies Will Confer on Steps

VATICAN NOT GO-BETWEEN

By the Associated Press

London, April 18.—The German Government said Prime Minister Lloyd George in the House of Commons today, is still in default with regard to reparations, the trial of persons accused of offenses against the laws of war and disarmament.

The Germans, continued the prime minister, have not thus far shown any inclination to advance practical proposals for carrying out the Treaty of Versailles in these respects. Therefore, it was imperative for the Allies to confer with regard to the further steps which might be necessary to enforce compliance with the treaty.

Mr. Lloyd George's statement was in

answer to a question by Commander Kenworthy, Independent Liberal member from Hull, as to whether the prime minister's attention had been called to the pronouncement of Premier Briand, of France, that France, as the questioner construed it, intended to use force against Germany after May 1 and whether British troops would be involved in a new demonstration.

A formal denial was issued by the Vatican today of the reports that it would act as an intermediary between Germany and the United States for presentation of German propositions with regard to reparations.

Paris, April 18.—(By A. P.)—Reports were current in Lille today to the effect that the military classes of 1918 and 1919 had been summoned to the colors for a period of preliminary training before being called upon to aid in the possible enforcement of the Allied reparations decision, but these reports were declared by the ministry of war to be baseless. No call for the mobilization of these classes for any reason whatsoever had been sent out, the ministry asserted.

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Franklin street, were discharged this morning by Magistrate Pennock in the Germantown avenue police station when it was found that it was not criminal negligence that caused Jepson's car to be overturned on Stenton avenue in a collision with a truck driven by Andrea, on March 18. The Rev. Gilbert Fenber, of 244 High street, rector of St. Michael's Protestant Episcopal Church, who was riding with Jepson at the time of the accident, lost the sight of one of his eyes.

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