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**ULSTER BODY GETS
WORD FROM KING**

Message Opening Parliament
Suggests Laws to Curb
Belfast Crimes

83 SLAIN IN CITY THIS YEAR

By the Associated Press
Belfast, March 14.—The Ulster Par-
liament reconvened today. The King's
speech opening the session stated that
the legal process of transferring the
various services in Northern Ireland
from British control to that of the Ul-
ster Government was now complete, but
regretted that the transfer of the staff
and the allocation of property and re-
cords to the Government departments had
not proceeded as expeditiously. The
speech continued:
"I congratulate you on the manner
in which, in spite of these obstacles, the
departments of the Government have
been brought so rapidly into smooth
working order. The spirit of consultation
shown in Northern Ireland in the set-
tlement of industrial disputes is tend-
ing toward a more satisfactory state of
affairs."
The King expressed hope that means
would soon be devised enabling the Gov-
ernment departments to cope with the
difficult administrative problems, and
said projected legislation included con-
fering of powers necessary to prevent
crime, secure peace and maintain order.
Belfast's casualty list from the ac-
tivities of gunmen and bomb-throwers
in the last ten weeks totals eighty-three
dead and 157 seriously wounded, ac-
cording to the Northern Whig, which
declares this is "relatively more terrible
than for the whole year 1921."
The list would have been greatly
swollen, the newspaper adds, if all those
who received bullet wounds were in-
cluded. It points out as the worst fea-
ture of the recent outbreaks the number
of women and children, some of them
babies, struck by chance bullets or
bomb splinters.
Twelve persons, including women and
children, were injured through the ex-
plosion of a bomb thrown in Foundry
street last night. The injuries of two
are serious. There were two bomb
outrages during the night.
Police Sergeant Clark and a const-
able, while returning from the
funeral of a comrade killed in the
disturbances last week, were attacked
by an armed bandit in Falls road.
Clark fell dead, his body riddled with
bullets. The constable returned to the
fire and a civilian was dangerously
wounded.

**"RAISER OF THE DEAD" HAS
SUBSTITUTE FOR SLEEP**

Miracle Doctor Offers Device to
Purify Blood Without Slumber
New York, March 14.—Not only does
Dr. Octavio Felix Pedross, the young
Brazilian "scientist-medicine-inventor"
as his professional cards proclaim,
believe he has discovered how to
raise the dead and turn Negroes into
white men by mechanical means, but he
also has blueprints of an apparatus
which he says will charge the blood with
electricity, purify it, and thus do away
with the necessity for sleep.
The doctor is confident that another
machine for which he has plans drawn
will cure any disease "not due to in-
fections" in a day and put advancing
old age to flight in a month.
Dr. Pedross arrived here from Sao
Paulo, Brazil, last Monday, explaining
that he was a graduate of the Royal
College of Physicians and Surgeons in
London. At the law office of Joseph
T. MacNair, in the Woolworth Build-
ing, yesterday he gave additional details
of his discoveries.
His electrical substitute for sleep is
built upon the belief that the nature
of all energy can be transformed. Dr.
Pedross' machine is applied to the blood
vessels, from which it is designed to
extract impurities and inject an artifi-
cial serum which recharges it with en-
ergy. A static alternate or frequent
current can be applied at will, the
doctor says.

**FASCISTI AND SOCIALISTS
REVIVE REIGN OF TERROR**

Sanguinary Encounters Reported
From All Parts of Italy
Rome, March 14.—(By A. P.)—
Sanguinary encounters between Fas-
cisti and Socialists have been resumed
with all their former terror, according
to advices received in Rome today from
various parts of Italy.
Five workmen were killed by bullets
from Fascisti revolvers in villages sur-
rounding Parma following isolated en-
counters between gangs of the various
factions. More than a score were in-
jured, including two Fascisti.
Near Modena the Fascisti attacked a
group of Socialists in a café, one
Socialist being killed and several seri-
ously injured with heavy clubs.
Near Piacenza a peasant was beaten
to death by the Fascisti, and the secre-
tary of a Socialist club was killed near
Reggio. Still another Socialist was
killed at Spino.
Incidents, in which many were
wounded, occurred near Bologna and
Mantua. Near Cremona the Fascisti
attacked the royal guards and wounded
two of them when they sought to pre-
vent setting fire to the Socialist head-
quarters.

SOFIA DENOUNCES BOMBER

Bulgaria Expresses Regret for At-
tack on U. S. Legation
Sofia, March 14.—(By A. P.)—De-
nouncing the bombing of the United
States Legation, Minister of the Inter-
ior Daskaloff has issued this state-
ment:
"We are all indignant at the odious
attempt against the United States Leg-
ation. Its author could not be Bul-
garian, for there is not a Bulgarian
who could thus offend the great Amer-
ican Republic, to which the Bulgarian
people are so much indebted."
"On behalf of the Government, I
have personally expressed regrets to
Mr. Wilson, the American Minister;
King Boris has already expressed his
regrets through his secretary and the
Ministry of the Interior has offered a
reward of 50,000 leva" (normally about
\$6000) for the discovery of the authors
of the attempt.
Parliament, with the Socialists and
Communists participating, yesterday
unanimously voted the regrets of Par-
liament and the country for the bomb-
ing of the Legation.

SERENADER IS WOUNDED

Delaware Bridegroom Fires Into
Crowd of Callithumpians
Laurel, Del., March 14.—While he
and his bride were being tendered a
callithumpian serenade last night, Oscar
Meseick, a farmer residing near Laurel,
fired into the crowd of neighbors with a
shotgun.
Richard Mitchell, one of the party,
was seriously wounded by a bullet en-
tering his right leg. He was removed
to Peninsula General Hospital at Balti-
more.

RESENT GANDHI'S ARREST

East African Moslems Are Deeply
Stirred by Britain's Course
London, March 14.—(By A. P.)—
The arrest in India of Mohandas K.
Gandhi, non-co-operationist leader, has
created intense feeling among the In-
dians in British East Africa, accord-
ing to a Central News dispatch from
Nairobi dated Monday. Mass meet-
ings of protest have been held in vari-
ous centers and a complete boycott
was declared at Mombasa, the capital,
for one day.
The local Indian congress has desig-
nated a committee to decide upon the
future course in view of the latest
developments in India.

**AFRICAN RIOTERS
LOSE STRONGHOLD**

Brakpan, Coal Mining Center,
Captured by Government
Forces
Johannesburg, Union of South Africa,
March 14.—Government forces have
captured Brakpan, Brakpan is a coal-
mining center, twenty-two miles east
of Johannesburg, and has been a rev-
olutionary stronghold. A Cape Town
dispatch last night stated that Major
General Van Deventer was marching
on Brakpan after having captured Be-
nomi.
The commandos at Forburg, five
miles west of this place, have been no-
tified by the Government that they must
evacuate their positions by 11 o'clock
this morning, failing which they will
be subjected to bombardment.
Advice from the western district yes-
terday afternoon showed the Govern-
ment forces were sweeping in from both
sides upon the commandos fighting at
Maraisburg, the advance Government
forces having reached the ridges over-
looking the town.
It was believed the lull in the fighting
meant that Premier Smuts was trying
to obtain the unconditional surrender
of the strike commandos, so as to avoid
the loss of life which would be entailed
in overwhelming them with his forces.
This city, which on Saturday and
Sunday was the center of the battle
area, resumed its normal appearance
yesterday. The streets were filled with
the usual shopping crowds and the fas-
hionable tearooms and stores were all
doing business.
The Dutch burghers have materially
assisted the British forces in their suc-
cesses against the revolutionaries, be-
ing especially effective in obtaining
positions held by the rebels. They made
and Dunswart.
In this operation both the burghers
and the Durban Light Infantry distin-
guished themselves. Their advance was
made under what was described as a
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wounded.

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