

It was a question in which any action must depend upon that of other nations and as other countries continued to develop this matter of warfare the safety of the British fighting services would be seriously jeopardized by lack of similar developments here. The subject he added, would of course have to be reconsidered when the League of Nations made its expected pronouncement. chemical research as related to dyestuffs is one that has been greatly agitated in a section of the press since the war, although the subject was not mentioned in connection with the interrogation today. It had been agreed that Germany, by her extensive dyestuff factories and her enormous chemical resources for the purposes of chemical warfare and it has been contended that Great Britain ought therefore to develop her dyestuff industry to the utmost.

London, Nov. 15th.—The House of Lords today read the Home Rule Bill for the first time.

New York, Nov. 13th.—The market for raw sugar is again demoralized, weak and declining. At the close of Thursday the spot price was 7.20c. duty paid. Yesterday morning there was business at a 1c. decline and still later another decline of a 1c. reported. The early sales include 1,500 bags San Domingo's afloat, @ 51c. cif and 5,000 bags Porto Rico's, prompt shipment, @ 6.77c. cif, both transactions to be federal. Later there was a sale of 5,000 bags Porto Rico's, due on or before Nov. 21st, @ 6.51c. cif, equivalent to 51c. for Cuba's, 51c. for full duty paying sugars and a duty paid at 6.51c., a new low record for the season. At the close of the market further offerings at these prices remained un-

Athens, Nov. 16th.—Premier Venizelos' Cabinet resigned early today and Admiral Coundouriotis, the regent of Greece, has sent for M. Rhallis, to whom it is expected will be entrusted the formation of a new ministry. M. Rhallis had refused to undertake the task and it was believed that former Premier Gournaris would head the new Government.

New York, Nov. 16th.—The Weather Bureau here today issued the following storm warning: Northwest storm warning 9.30 a. m. Cape May, N. J., to East Port Maine. Southern storm increasing rapidly in intensity and moving northward. Increasing northeast winds, becoming gales with rain and probably snow of New England and middle Atlantic coast. Dangerous for all shipping.

Genoa, Nov. 16th.—M. Hymans of Belgium was elected permanent President of the League of Nations at the first session. He received 35 votes, to 4 votes for President Motta of Switzerland, and one each for ex-President Ador of Switzerland, and M. Bourgeois of France. 41 countries were represented at the meeting. Canada's delegation is composed of Sir George Foster, Mr. C.

J. Doherty and N. W. Rowell. South Africa was represented by Lord Robt. Cecil, who was not selected by Mr. Lloyd George as one of Britain's representatives. The United States was not represented officially, but throughout the session there will be present United States observers who will keep Washington fully informed of developments.

Lisbon, Portugal, November 16th.—The Portuguese Cabinet has resigned.

Paris, Nov. 16th.—Reports that Premier Venizelos met defeat in the elections held on Sunday came as an unpleasant surprise to Paris. Newspapers here agree that Great Britain and probably France will forbid the return of former King Constantine to Greece. Hope is expressed by "Pertinax" political editor of the Echo de Paris, that even a compromise of placing Prince George, the eldest son of Constantine on the throne will not be sanctioned by the Entente. Most writers fear the result of the election, if it brings about the fall of M. Venizelos, will still further complicate the already difficult situation in the Near East.

London, Nov. 16th.—Great Britain, France and the United States have through their ambassadors expressed satisfaction with the settlement of the Adriatic question reached at Rapallo, (Italy), last week. Premier Giolitti of Italy announced at a Cabinet meeting yesterday, says a despatch from the Stefani News Agency, a semi-official organization.

Fiume, Nov. 16th.—The hostility of Gabriele D'Annunzio, insurgent Italian commander at Fiume, to the settlement of the Adriatic question reached between Italy and Jugo Slavia at Rapallo was announced today at a session of the Rectors of the Fiume Regency, summoned by the commander. The reasons why the settlement was objectionable were set forth in a communication, which says, "The Government of the Italian Regency of Quarnero is unable to recognize the right of the delegates who met at Rapallo to determine the confines of the Regency without the admission of delegates from that Regency. The Regency therefore decides that the findings of the Rapallo Conference are unacceptable and illegal". Meanwhile D'Annunzio is calling councils of war and proceeding with the occupation of territory ceded to the Jugo-Slavs by the Rapallo agreement.

Paris, Nov. 16th.—Soldiers of Gabriele D'Annunzio have taken possession of the coast and Mount Luban to the east of Fiume, says a Rome despatch today, quoting the Fiume correspondent of the "Messagero". The troops, says the despatch, have occupied all localities of the district of Castua without struggle or incident.

NEW YORK, 16th Nov. 1920.
Flour, Blended Clears St. Lawrence 1 brand
pr. brl. \$6.41
Meal, Kilndried per 100 lbs \$2.50

New Season's Pork per brl. \$37.00
Heavy Mess Pork per bbl. \$32.00
Sugar---Crystals maximum per 100 lbs. \$6.51.

Molasses Sugar 89° test, no quotation.
Cotton, Middling Upland, at Liverpool
per lb. 14 15-100d.

Exchange, New York and London, 60
days' sight \$3.36½
Exchange New York and London, sight
\$3.40½

LONDON, Nov. 16th 1920.
Sugar, Demerara Crystals, Govt. controll-
ed price, duty paid 129s. 9d.
" Demerara Crystals free of con-
trol, duty paid, 78s. - 83s.
" Moscovado Govt. controlled price,
duty paid, 124s. 9d.
" " free of control duty paid
50s. - 60s.
" " fine 75s.

German Beet 88° f.o.b. no sales.
White Java sugar cif United Kingdom
nominal 80s. 0d.

Demerara Rum, per gal. nominal.
Trinidad Cocoa, Good Middling Red no-
minal per cwt 80s. 0d.

Cotton Medium Fine Sea Island, at Liv-
erpool per lb. nominal

Bank of England rate of Discount per
cent. 7.

Consols 44½.
Three per cent rents in Paris Fcs. 55.25.
All prices subject to correction.

"EPIGRAMS AND WITTY SAYINGS."

When a poor man marries a rich girl
everybody knows that he married her for
her money. But when a poor girl mar-
ries a rich man she married him for love.
How romantic!!!

About the only thing that you can get
for the asking now-a-days is trouble; and
you don't have to go far for that.

Without woman the world would be a
poor place indeed. Quite so, but without
man to advance the money the world
would be completely bankrupt.

Divorce is getting to be so much in-
vogue that soon we can expect to hear of
"Divorce Coupons". Alas! Alack! A
good thing never lasts.

When a woman calls you a fool you can
rest assured it doesn't mean it. It's
only one of her numerous ways of paying
compliments.

On a busy day when your wife calls
you "dearie", etc. about the quickest
way to get it over is to ask her how much
she wants and open up your cheque book.

When a girl cares for a man she makes
him believe that he is nothing to her.
But when she hates a man she jolly well
tells him so, and she doesn't mince mat-
ters neither.