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—**JOINS 105th.**— Mr. Russel McCallum, Lower Bedeque came to Summerside on Wednesday and having passed the necessary qualifications signed on with the 105th reinforcements for overseas service.

—**POTATOES SOARING.**— Since the retail price of potatoes in Summerside has advanced to 2 cents per lb. many citizens are compelled to cancel this luxury and substitute some less expensive article of diet.

—**HOLY CITY.**— The Play of "The Holy City" will take place in the Parish hall on Thursday evening, March the 15th. An interesting programme will be furnished including good music between the Acts. Doors open at 7.30. Curtain rises at 8.15. Admission. Reserve Seats 35c. Adults 25c. If the night proves stormy it will take place next flag night. 4772-3-13M11.

WESTERN PERSONALS

—The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Morrison, Spring St., on Wednesday the 7th inst., and brought a young son. Congratulations.—H.

—The friends of ex-Fire Chief Johnston are pleased to hear that he has so well improved in health as to be able to return to his home after several weeks confinement in the Hospital.—H.

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104th BATTALION

13th Reserve Batt.,
Bramshott Camp.

Sir,— I thought I would write you a line to let those at home know that the following men of this battalion, and formerly of the 105th Battalion (which latter number is still dear to many of those who worked hard to recruit it) left this morning with a draft to the 26th New Brunswick Battalion, France:—

- Number 712411 Arsenal, H.
- " 712420 Daley, F.
- " 712356 Lefrerey, A.
- " 712338 Crosby, D.
- " 712117 Livingstone Gordon, Charlottetown.
- " 712064 Dowling, Aeneas, Nine Mile Creek.
- " 712688 Gallant, C.
- " 712718 Richards, D.

I regret that I cannot get addresses of all the men. The two men whose addresses I have given were in my company in the old 105th.

This battalion has just received orders to move next Monday to Shoreham Camp, near Brighton, which is on the south coast of England. I understand it is one of the best camps in England. Bramshott Camp is noted for its mud so we are rather looking forward to the change.

This is a N. B. and P. E. I. Reserve Battalion and we will send men to the 26th Battalion and also to the 104th Battalion, if the latter get across as a unit.

I only regret it was impossible to take all of our senior officers. Majors Campbell, Stewart, and myself, and several others, are left in the Reserve, but we will all, I am sure, try and do our duty as best we can.

Majors Stewart and Campbell are now taking courses and Captain Dawson has transferred to the 202nd Battalion.

I will so long as I am in this battalion try and advise you of the names of Islanders going forward in drafts.

I am, sir, etc.
T. E. MacNUTT, Major,
13th Reserve Batt.

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- Byron N. Barnes, Halifax
- Russel Clark and wife, Mt. Stewart
- Mrs. Wm. McLean, Northam

SPANISH SOCIALISTS FAVOR RESISTANCE

MADRID, via Paris, March 10.—The Socialist party in Spain has taken up a strong position in favor of measures of resistance to the German submarine campaign and for the punishment of espionage. The party has just accepted an appeal to Spaniards on the subject.

The appeal reviews the origin of the war, crushing of Serbia, the invasion of Belgium and the treatment accorded the populations of the invaded countries. Submarine warfare on merchant ships is characterized as being in contempt of human sentiments. The appeal says the Socialist party unanimously approves of suppressing the German system to which it attributes the effectiveness of the German spy system to which it offers blockade of Spanish ports. It declares the government ought to act energetically against criminal acts by foreign elements, punishing every spy.

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DISCUSSION ON IRISH HOME RULE

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In the Premier's speech Mr. Dillon interrupted again, exclaiming: "What will you say to the Sinn Feiners?"

"I will say to them," replied the Premier, "you can have Home Rule for the asking, but we won't place under your people who do not want Home Rule."

Mr. Asquith's Position.

Ex-Premier Asquith rose after Mr. Lloyd-George had concluded his speech, and said that, speaking on the spur of the moment, the Premier's address appeared to affirm a position which nobody disputes. The situation in Ireland, to say the least, was not improving. Nobody with an responsibility for the government of the Empire could contemplate without uneasiness a situation compelling the executive to recourse to the deportation of Sinn Feiners.

"In my opinion," said Mr. Asquith, "the only solution is that Parliament should invite some outside impartial authority to whom they might entrust the task of adjustment between all the interests and sentiments concerned." The position of this body might be facilitated by the presence among us of a number of Dominion statesmen, to whom the problems of local autonomy have presented themselves in different forms, and by whom they have been solved in different ways.

Just Advisory Authority.

Premier Lloyd-George, intervening, said: "This is an important suggestion. I wish to know what would be the character of the body." Was it to be merely advisory, or was it to have statutory powers, and were its decisions to have statutory effect? Mr. Asquith resumed, saying: "No!

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would make this decision subject to the approval of Parliament, and entrust it with the power of moulding and adjusting a scheme to meet the interests and sentiments of all concerned."

He appealed to the House with all solemnity and earnestness to make a united effort to throw the burden of the Irish situation from the nation's shoulders.

No Negotiations, Says Redmond.

Mr. Lloyd-George, having promised to consider Mr. Asquith's suggestion, John Redmond rose and said that he had listened to the Premier's speech with the deepest pain. The Premier today, he said, was in a position to have the power, if he had the courage, to carry his professions into practice. The naked reality of his speech was that his policy was absolutely one of "wait and see."

The Premier had suggested negotiations, but he, for one, would enter no such negotiations. The effect of the debate would be most injurious to the Empire's best interests. The Government by their actions was playing into the hands of the revolutionaries in Ireland.

By their efforts to effect a settlement, said Mr. Redmond, the Nationalist leaders had taken their political lives in their hands, and they had been betrayed. The Government should have made proposals acceptable to the whole of Ireland. By this he meant putting Home Rule into operation, with such additional amendments as time and altered circumstances rendered necessary.

Germany, continued the Nationalist leader, would chuckle with delight after the Premier's pronouncement, which would have a bad effect on neutral countries, and take the heart out of the Irishmen fighting at the front.

In Ireland the position was serious. There were men there with influence, and money, who were combined in the enterprise of smashing the constitutional movement, and the Premier was playing into their hands.

The Premier, Mr. Redmond declared, would have to govern Ireland with the naked sword if he continued the course which played into the hands of the revolutionaries.

Irish Left the House.

After a few minutes of heated speaking Mr. Redmond asked Irish members to leave the House and consult with him. They did so, and there was an exciting scene as the Nationalists left, with cheering among the Irishmen and opprobrious epithets against the Government.

The Nationalists did not return to the House. After their dramatic withdrawal they held a party meeting in one of the committee rooms.

The meeting lasted only twenty minutes and, it is understood, unanimously carried a resolution approving of Mr. Redmond's action. Arrangement was taken until tomorrow morning when the position will be further considered.

Mr. Redmond was obviously suffering from the effects of his recent illness and spoke with much feeling. Great sympathy was extended to him by the members general.

Sir Henry Dalziel, Liberal, ordered to give the Premier an opportunity to say whether he supported Mr. Asquith's suggestion, and to his statement, moved the adjournment of the House.

Premier's Two Alternatives

The Premier, rising, said he had already submitted certain positions. He suggested two alternatives. One was a conference of Irishmen; the other was a commission of inquiry, to report to Government and Parliament.

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