

LETTER STATES CONDITIONS OF 'PEACE PARLEY'

Unionists Said to Have Agreed
to Main Points of De
Valera Missive.

HARMONY AT DUBLIN

DUBLIN, July 9.—The draft of a letter from Eamon De Valera to Premier Lloyd George citing the conditions upon which the "president of the Irish republic" would go to London to attend a peace parley, was submitted to the Sinn Féin-Unionist conference here Friday.

It was understood that the Unionists agreed to the main points of the letter during the morning session.

The meeting was said to be harmonious and the opinion was expressed by those close to the conference this afternoon that "all goes well with the peace movement."

The Unionist delegates left the conference in a body at 1 o'clock. Their departure caused the waiting crowds to believe that a split had taken place and the negotiations had been broken off, but it was announced that a second session would be held, beginning at 4 o'clock.

Eamon De Valera and Arthur Griffith remained behind while the Unionists went into conference among themselves on the outside.

Eamon De Valera entered the conference insisting upon certain specific guarantees which, it is understood, the southern Unionists knew all about in advance. The fact that the Unionists had foreknowledge of the Sinn Féin demands simplified discussions.

Belief was expressed in responsible circles that the conference would create another milestone in the "march to peace," and that the meeting would weld closer the relations of the Republican and Unionist factions in the south at least.

Before the meeting was convened De Valera and Arthur Griffith conferred.

Sinn Féiners and Unionists alike were cheered by thousands as they arrived at the City Hall where the meeting was held. There was much noise and flag waving in the streets.

"I am hopeful of the outcome," said Sir Maurice Dockrell before entering the conference.

It was said an official statement would be issued at the conclusion of the conference.

A warning was issued by Dall Eileann (Sinn Féin parliament) against "unauthorized and speculative press reports dealing with the present peace situation."

The personnel of the political conference was the same as on Monday, with Eamon De Valera and Arthur Griffith representing the Sinn Féin, and Lord Midleton, Sir Maurice Dockrell, Sir Robert Henry Woods and Andrew Jameson representing the Unionists.

Sir James Craig, premier of Ulster, resisted all pressure to induce him to attend.

**KING TAKING
ACTIVE HAND**

LONDON, July 9.—Further evidence of the important part that King George is playing in the Irish peace negotiations was given today, when Sir James Craig, premier of Ulster, was received in audience by the King at Buckingham Palace. It is the proposed settlement, as it affects Ulster, was discussed.

A series of conferences on the Irish question will begin at the Chequers, the country estate of Premier Lloyd George, and will continue until Sunday night.

All of the Dominion premiers who have been in the Irish conference, were invited to Chequers tomorrow morning.

Premier Lloyd George and other government officials.

Dismissing the conference, there was some dissatisfaction in government circles that General Smuts, premier of South Africa, visited Dublin to confer with Eamon De Valera and other Sinn Féin officials.

**SEVERAL KILLED
NEAR BELFAST**

BELFAST, July 9.—The seat of Irish violence, apparently has shifted from the south into Ulster province and many casualties were reported today in battles.

Four men were killed in the Belfast district while crown forces were searching for arms and a woman was killed and a constable wounded. It was rumored a number of Sinn Féiners were killed and their bodies recovered secretly.

A detachment of police was fired upon in the Millfield district. One was wounded.

A constable was shot to death at Balbriggan.

A constable who was wounded in fighting Wednesday died today.

**TOMB MYSTERY
IS NOW SOLVED**

SAVANNAH, Ga., July 9.—The mystery of "The Serpent Tomb" in Colonial Cemetery has been solved. It is the old burying ground, in the center of the downtown district of Savannah, for many years visitors have viewed with interest an unmarked pedestal on each side of which a serpent twisted to form a circle was the only inscription. Visitors have been entertained by strange stories of its history. One of the favorite tales was that it was erected to the memory of a young man who lost his life in a duel and whose last request was that his name should not be inscribed upon his tomb.

Other stories had it that the stone marked the grave of Brutus, one of the signers from Georgia, of the Declaration of Independence.

Now the tomb bears the inscription: "Archibald Bulloch, First President of Georgia, 1770-1777."

"Born in South Carolina, 1730. Died in Savannah, 1777."

"Patriot, Soldier, Statesman."

And beneath are these words, from White's Statistics:

"Georgians, let the memory of Archibald Bulloch live in your breasts. Tell your children of him and let others tell another generation."

The inscription has just been put on the famous old tomb by Archibald Bulloch's great-granddaughter, Miss Emma Bulloch, of Washington, who declares there has never been any mystery about the old tomb; that she has always been desirous of marking the tomb of her famous ancestor, who was the great-grandfather of little Bulloch, the mother of Theodore Roosevelt.

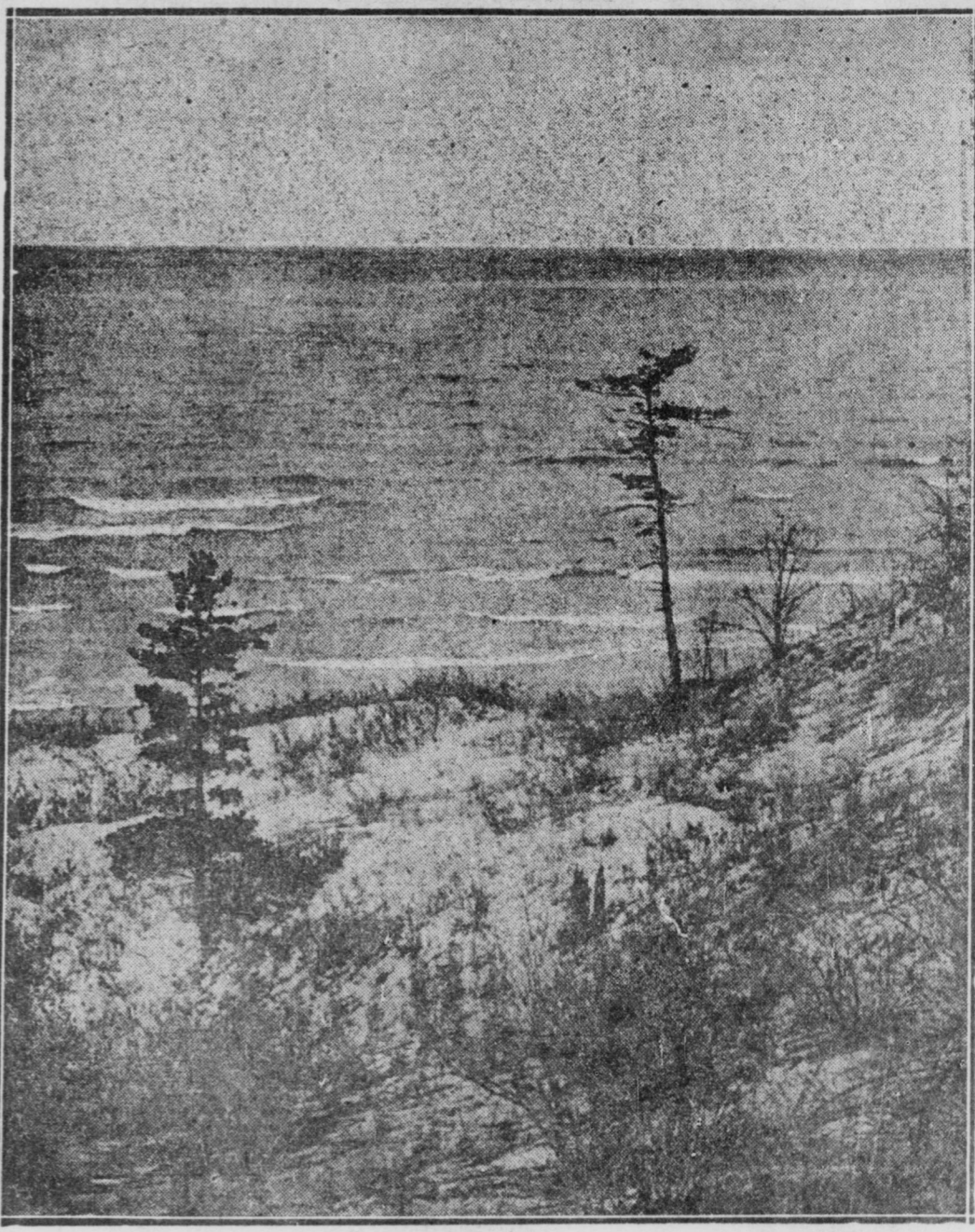
**Minister Resorts to
Use of Limericks**

NEW YORK, July 9.—The laws of sanctification and the psychology of modesty have been thrown to the proverbial four winds by modern woman in her pursuit of Lucifer, known to the Rev. John Roach Straton, of the Calvary Baptist Church of this city, as the demon, Style. In an exhorting sermon the Rev. Straton pronounced the knee length skirt out of harmony with God and detrimental to health.

He called it everything but an ersatz. The present style of women's dress is "a crashing discord" with the "higher things of life," said the minister, waxing foreboding, adding that: "The only thing that saves us from the full effect of the dangerous present style is the humor of the situation." As an example of what he quoted:

"Mary had a little skirt.
The latest style, no doubt.
She was a little bit inside
She was more'n half way out!"

Right Here in Indiana



Photograph by A. E. Anderson.

Dunes and shoreline, the Dunes of Indiana.

BLONDE AND BOB HAired GIRLS USELESS.

Insurance Co. Employment Agent Says Yellow Tops Lack Brains

IDEAL WOMAN FOR BUSINESS BANS POWDER

HARTFORD, Conn., July 9.—"Extensive blonde and girls with bobbed hair have no place in American business life," F. K. Daniels, employment agent of the Aetna Life Insurance Company, employing 3,000 women throughout the country, told the United Press today.

The company recently issued a mandate that no more artificial blondes or bobbed heads would be employed and that employees already in either category would have to get back to normalcy as rapidly as possible.

"Artificially blonde hair is a sign of light-headedness," Daniels declared. "Blondie is a mark of a lack of intelligence. If any more bobbed-haired girls or blondes get into our offices they will have to crawl through the keyhole."

"There are some in this office now, but we are going to get rid of all of them as soon as possible. Of course, we can't make any set rule, but we have advised these girls to drop all artificiality at once."

"The Swedish blonde is very pretty, even if she looks like a clown. She is intelligent, faithful and studious. It is the brunettes who use peroxide who get me."

"Business researches have proved that 90 per cent of blondes are useless. All women who bob their hair are useless. Some say they have cut their hair to avoid the heat, but I can tell you there is a better place waiting for them."

"My ideal of a business woman is one who has had two or three years' college work, does not powder her nose, does not watch the clock, does not rouge her cheeks and does not smoke cigarettes."

"I can tolerate the woman who lays aside her corset. That is comfort. But it is carrying comfort too far to bare oneself in bobbed hair."

"I don't wish to give the impression that women should neglect their dress. I believe among girls should be attractively garbed in pure business style the same as business men."

"When you're dishing out my employees, for God's sake give me long-haired brunettes."

**BLONDES NOT
MENTIONED HERE**

CHICAGO, July 9.—Men haven't a monopoly on brains after all.

Those who said the only mark the so-called frivolous girls of today would leave upon the generation would be a disheveled neck among the men, are all wrong.

A survey of colleges in the Middle West shows that the co-eds have stepped right up to the head of the class and received higher grades than the men during the school year just closed.

The survey was made by Mary Ross Potter, dean of women of Northwestern University, ranking colleges in Illinois, Missouri, Indiana, Ohio and Iowa.

Educators in all these States agreed that women were better students and received higher marks than men.

Girls greatly excel men in mathematics or any other subject requiring attention to detail, it was shown.

**TEACHERS SHOW
INDIGNATION**

DES MOINES, Iowa, July 9.—Indignant teachers of physical culture and recreational supervisors attending the N. E. A. convention here rallied to the defense of bobbed hair and short skirts.

Replying to the assertion of F. K. Daniels, president Aetna Insurance Company, that "all women who bob their hair are useless and have no place in American business life," Miss Sarah Glyn, director of physical education at Drake University, said:

"Bobbed hair is sensible and sanitary. Think how easy it is to wash it. It is infinitely better for the scalp, too, than to wear a huge wad of hair piled in one place. And think of the time saved. Think of the hours and hours that some business women waste in doing up their hair."

The college girl of today, with her devotion to jazz music, short skirts and near-to-nature waists, will be a shocked matron of tomorrow, when her college

Shorter the Hair, Shorter the Skirt, the Nearer to Hell

HARTFORD, Conn., July 9.—The shorter the hair and the shorter the skirt, the nearer to hell, according to the Rev. D. J. Jaxhelmer of Hartford.

The levity of American women regarding dress and appearance astonished me," he said.

"It is evidence of the moral laxity of the present age. Bare legs and blondes should be eliminated."

educated daughter dons masculine attire and goes to a four-course dinner before going to her business office, according to R. C. Gruenberg, director of physical education of the public schools of Washington, D. C.

"A few years ago a woman would not have had a healthy leg to show beneath a short skirt," Gruenberg declared.

"Women today are walkers and are not ashamed of their legs. If the limbs are crooked they even have them straightened. So much the better. Their daughters probably will be wearing tight-fitting trousers."

**IT'S OUT, GIRLS—
DANIELS IS BALD**

HARTFORD, Conn., July 9.—A bald-headed man looks less business-like than a bobbed-haired girl—and most times he has less sense.

This was the answer yesterday of Miss Mabel Johnson, 18, bobbed and blonde, to J. K. Daniels, slightly bald brunettes, head of the employment division of the Aetna Life Insurance Company.

Miss Johnson was refused a position with the company chiefly because she had bobbed blonde hair—that straight flaxen kind which Daniels said was a sign of "light-headedness."

He has put in force a policy of not hiring peroxide blondes and bobbed-haired girls.

"Bald-headed men ought to be waiting in a restaurant," Miss Johnson told the United Press. "Every time I see one of those shiny domes with a mock dignified little fellow underneath it, I want to tip him a dime."

"I don't think I have any less sense now than I did before my hair was cut."

"There's always a big bumpus like this when women try to get away from the comfortable conventional styles for healthful informality and ease."

Shipping Board Head

A. D. Lasker, Chicago advertising man who has assumed the \$300,000,000 burden of the emergency fleet, leaving the White House after a conference with the President.

Princess Fatima

Princess Fatima, Sultana of Kabul, Afghanistan, photographed on her arrival in San Francisco recently from the Orient, wearing a Jewel in her hair.

The Princess is a cousin of the Emir of Afghanistan. She is en route to England with her three sons, who will enter college there.

**RUMANIAN RULER
WILL BE CROWNED**

ALBA JULIA, Transylvania, July 9.—King Ferdinand and Queen Marie of Rumania will be crowned here September 24. Plans are now being made for the erection of a church for use in the religious service for the coronation and in memory of the great battles which brought Greater Rumania into being. The church, it is expected, will serve for the crowning of all future Kings of Rumania.

On the outskirts of this little Saxon town, where, 500 years ago, Michael the Brave, Rumania's George Washington, scored a victory over the Hungarians, a monumental arch, with reliefs commemorating events in Rumanian history will be erected.

On the coronation day, after a service at the new church, at which all the Rumanian Bishops will be present, the King and Queen, crowned, will proceed to the new triumphal arch, where there will be a great religious pageant.

In the afternoon and evening there will be gala entertainments, including a banquet in the hall in which the union of Transylvania with Rumania was proclaimed.

The next day the sovereigns will arrive in Bucharest and make a triumphal entry into the Rumanian capital. Here also an arch will be erected to commemorate the day.

King Ferdinand and Queen Marie have occupied the Rumanian throne nearly seven years, having succeeded the late King Carol in October of 1914; but on account of the war they never were formally crowned.

KEEPING HOUSE WITH THE HOOPERS

(The Hoopers, an average American family of five, living in a suburban town, on a limited income, will tell the readers of the Daily Times how the many present-day problems of the home are solved by working on the budget that Mrs. Hooper has evolved and found practical. Follow them daily in an interesting review of their home life and learn to meet the conditions of the high cost of living with them.)

SATURDAY.
"When do you have your vacation this year, Henry?" asked Mrs. Hooper, as they started for a little walk after dinner.

"The schedule for vacations was only posted this morning in the office," answered Henry, "and they have given me the last two weeks in August. I suppose we are about to begin our yearly argument as to whether I am to go away anywhere for my vacation or whether you ought to go."

Mrs. Hooper laughed. "Well, we always compromise about that since we can't both afford to go. I went last year,

and you came in, Hooper?" called out Mr. Briggs hospitably.

"To come in and sit a few minutes," urged Mrs. Briggs. "His nice and cool here."

"We've just been deciding about our vacation," said Mr. Briggs when they were all comfortably seated on the porch. "They are giving me the two first weeks in August and we want to go away some where."

"I just got the rate from a place that suits me exactly," said Mrs. Briggs. "For \$35 a week for the two of us we can go to this cottage and have a nice room and three meals a day."

"But what are you going to do about the children?" asked Mrs. Hooper.

"Oh, I'll take the baby and leave the other two home with my sister," answered Mrs. Briggs. "She says she'll come down and take care of them."

"Do you plan to take the two weeks?" asked Mrs. Hooper.

"Oh, yes," answered Mrs. Briggs. "You see with the \$50 a week salary, we can

NINETEENTH WEEK. WEEKLY STATEMENT FROM MRS. HOOPER'S ACCOUNT BOOK.

Received Henry's salary.....		\$50.00	
Budget.		Paid Weekly	
		Nothing	
Shelter	\$6.00		
Food	20.00		
Meat	\$2.75		
Dairy supplies	3.00		
Greengrocery	2.00		
Fish75		
Vegetables and fruit	1.50		
Henry's lunches	2.50		
Clothing	7.00		
Socks for Henry	\$1.00		
Garters for Henry25		
Repairing Henry's watch	1.25		
Socks for Betty50		
Operating ex.	2.00		
Seventh installment on washing machine	2.50		
Household supplies	2.50		
Advancement	3.00		
Church	\$.35		
Newspapers25		
Savings	5.00		
	\$50.00		
		Nothing	5.00
		\$30.00	\$19.50 \$50.00

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you know, and had a quiet week with Betty at that inexpensive little place at the seashore. But we haven't much in our vacation budget this year and I don't know how we are to manage our outing."

"Can't we camp or something so that we can all go?" asked Henry.

"I've been thinking about that," mused Mrs. Hooper. "I'll see how we can manage it when I go over my accounts next week."

"That would be the very best kind of a vacation for the children and me," said Henry, "but I don't know about you. On a camping trip you just take the same kind of cares along with you that you have all year at home. It seems no sort of rest for you; that's why I've never suggested it before."

"I'm not so keen on camping out," acknowledged Mrs. Hooper, "but you and the children love it, so I'll try and think up some plan to have that kind of vacation this year. Auntie Belle wants to take Roger and Helen with her to that cottage she owns in the mountains for a month, but they always come back from a visit with your sister with such notions that I'm not going to let them go with her as they did last year when I have all year at home. But we have had rest for you; that's why I've never suggested it before."

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Vegetable Combination Salad
Frozen Fruit Mold
Whipped Cream.

SUPPER.
Cold Stuffed Tomatoes
Lettuce Sandwiches
Rhubarb Conserve Fruit Iced Tea.

Just manage it for the railroad fares and a few things I need."

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