

ban on fairs and markets off in the martial law area. The I.R.A. liaison officers are duties as usual in the area, but they are not in contact with the British army authorities. They act as usual. Nothing that has happened of the truce on behalf of the area had been reported. The truce from the beginning. As he was taking in the matter that he was dealing with the matter dealt with similar matters. The matter had been finally settled. He would say that an arrangement would be made that the affair would lead to no interference with the keeping

## PEACE TERMS

### own this Week.

which," discussing Irish peace. The strict observance of the truce having helped enormously to the Premier's idea of a

Valera returned to Ireland to show that Sinn Fein is in favour of the resumption of peace. On all sides it is agreed that the move must come from Mr. Lloyd George. A reply to Mr. Lloyd

George was received at 10 Downing Street and Mr. Lloyd George, it is expected, will immediately inform the country through the House of Commons of the result and what was offered. Sir J. Craig has been on a holiday in Scotland; his return is indicating that the next step will be taken solely with Sinn Fein."

## Peace in Ireland.

Meeting of the shareholders of the Irish Land Company, of which he was president, Mr. Joseph Devlin yesterday. He said that, so far as he was concerned, he thought they were on the right track in Ireland. (Applause.) Peace, the corner-stone of prosperity, for unless they had a peace they could not prosper. That peace, however, is a peace not only for those who live in the best of Ireland, but for them in the rest of the world. (Applause.) Though a violent fighter, he is a man of the highest character and of the interests for which he has his earnest desire and hope to bring North and South together. It was, he thought, one of the greatest contributions that could possibly

Admiralty has brought the entire German Press to declare that Great Britain plans to use Heligoland as a naval base. The next meeting of the League of Nations will demand that Germany hand over the island. The reactionary Press is in a state of hysterics over this rumour.

## IRISH RAILWAYS BILL.

The financial resolution authorising the introduction of the Irish Railways Bill will be taken to-night. The Bill provides for the payment of a sum of £3,000,000 to the Irish railway companies in settlement of all claims arising out of the war services. Three Labour members, Mr W. Graham, Mr Royce, and Mr Robert Young, have given notice of an amendment for reducing the three millions to one.

## SIR E SHACKLETON RECEIVED BY THE KING.

Sir Ernest Shackleton, the famous Irish explorer, was received on Saturday at Buckingham Palace by King George and Queen Mary, to whom he explained his plans for the forthcoming Shackleton-Rowett expedition in the Quest. The King presented Sir Ernest with a silk Union Jack, and wished the expedition God-speed.

## DEATH OF LATE SENIOR INSPECTOR OF NATIONAL SCHOOLS.

Mr James Francis Hogan, late Senior Inspector of National Schools, died yesterday at his residence, 20 Ashfield Park, Terenure. He was the third son of the late Mr James Hogan, Ballinacorra House, Limerick. He had a successful career under the National Board, and was for many years Inspector in Dundalk district, whence he was transferred to Limerick, where he retired on pension. He was the father of Mr J. Hogan, dentist, Upper Fitzwilliam Street, Dublin. For the last year he had resided in England, and only returned to Ashfield Park about a fortnight ago.

## CUT OF 35 PER CENT.

### On Civil Service Bonuses.

Col Gretton headed a deputation from the group of Unionist business men in the House of Commons to the Chancellor of the Exchequer yesterday, and urged the need of economy. In particular he pleaded for a reduction in the bonuses to officials, and was sympathetically received by the Chancellor.

"It is understood," says the "Daily Mail," that Sir Robert Horne will announce considerable concessions in his speech to-day, and that the cut in Civil Service bonuses may even amount to 35 per cent, which, added to automatic and other reductions, may mean a decrease of nearly half the bonus paid in some cases."

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