DREADFUL SHIPPING DISASTER
AN EMIGRANT STEAMER ON FIRE.
707 SOULS ON BOARD.
GREAT LOSS OF LIFE FEARED.

WASHINGTON, October 12.
TERROR NEAR PRESTON MEADOWS.

The United States government is making vigorous efforts to save the lives of the passengers of the steamship 'National', which was wrecked near Preston Meadows last night. The vessel was on her way from Buenos Aires to the United States, and it is feared that a large number of lives have been lost. The United States government has sent out two tugs to assist in the rescue operations.

PANAMA CANAL
THE MEETING OF THE WATERS.

WASHINGTON, October 12.
A meeting of the waters took place in the Panama Canal yesterday. The Canal was opened to traffic yesterday, and the Panama Canal Company is now able to carry out its plans for the development of the Canal.

LAND POLICY
MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S POLICY.

WASHINGTON, October 12.
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Mr. Lloyd George's policy is to be carried out in the House of Commons this afternoon. The House of Commons is expected to give a vote of confidence to the Government on the proposed policy.

IMPERIAL DEFENCE
THE PROPOSED CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, October 12.
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The proposed Congress of the United States will be held in Washington on Monday next. The Congress is expected to discuss the question of the United States' participation in the First World War.

THE BLOOD ACCUSATION.
AMERICAN DYNAMITERS.

WASHINGTON, October 12.
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The American dynamiters are expected to be tried in the United States next week. The American dynamiters are believed to have played a part in the murder of the President of the United States.

NAVAL DISASTER.
THE BATTLESHIP WISH-ENED IN FLAMES.

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The battle cruiser 'Wisconsin' was set on fire in the United States last night. The 'Wisconsin' is believed to have been damaged in a collision with another ship.

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