

# LICENSING BILL REJECTED.

Lords Vote It Down—May Help Liberal  
Attack on Their Powers.

LONDON, Nov. 27.—The House of Lords created an interesting political situation this evening by rejecting the Licensing bill by a vote of 272 against 96. The Liberals are likely to make this action a rallying cry in their campaign for the curtailment of the power of the House of Lords, claiming that the Peers have defeated the will of the people. They set forth furthermore that the bill, being a revenue measure, is outside the jurisdiction of the House of Lords.

On the other hand, the Conservatives insist that this bill is the most unpopular measure with the country attempted in many years, and that the House of Lords in rejecting it has reflected public sentiment.

They urge the Government to test the question by going before the country in a general election, but there is very little likelihood of this being done.

## Two More Trench Victims Found.

The bodies of two more of the men who were engulfed in the ground following a sewer explosion at Gold and Front Streets, Brooklyn, seven days ago, were recovered last night and identified as Felix Green of 117 East 119th Street, Manhattan, and Charles Nelson of 170 Union Street, Brooklyn. Nine bodies have now been recovered.

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