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DUBLIN REJOICES AS REBEL LEADERS JOIN MICK COLLINS

Army Revolters Agree to Election and Admit Majority of People Are Willing to Accept Pact with England.

BY DENNIS O'CONNELL, Special Cable Dispatch. Dublin, May 2.—The sensational announcement that practically all of the most influential revolting members of the Irish republican army have reached an amicable agreement with Michael Collins was made public by the Daily government Monday night.

An agreement signed by Sean Hagerty, Dan Breen, H. Murphy and F. O'Donoghue, all leaders of the revolting section of the army, and by Michael Collins, his minister of defense, Dick Mulcahy, chief of staff, Owen O'Duffy and Gerald O'Sullivan, representing the free staters, was given out.

The agreement declares that the "conflict of comrades is the greatest calamity in Ireland's history," and calls for a "closing up of the ranks of the army" and "a facing of the situation that a majority of the people are willing to accept the treaty with England."

The army convention has agreed to the election with a view of forming a government which "will have the confidence of the whole country."

The unification of the army upon an agreed basis was approved.

The agreement broke like a bomb-shell and means that all the principal revolting sections have joined the Collins standard.

De Valera in a statement Monday night declared that "it has become clear that the treaty must be referred to the people or be settled by force."

All Dublin is rejoicing in the feeling that the announcement brings the best news that Ireland has had since the signing of the treaty in London.

PACKERS ACT CONSTITUTIONAL

U. S. Supreme Court Reaffirms U. S. District Court Decision—Transactions Question at Issue.

Washington, May 2.—That portion of the packers and stockyards act of August, 1921, giving the secretary of agriculture supervisory rights over the livestock dealers and commercial men is constitutional. The United States supreme court so decided Monday in the consolidated test cases of T. F. Stafford, J. E. Burton and others, livestock dealers on the Chicago stockyards and taken before the supreme court on appeal from the United States district court for the northern district of Illinois. The supreme court affirmed the district court decision.

The opinion handed down by Chief Justice Taft was concurred in by all the justices except Justice Day, who did not participate.

The question at issue was whether transactions on the stockyards should be construed as interstate commerce. The court stated:

"The word 'commerce' when used in the act is defined to be interstate and foreign commerce. Its provisions are carefully drawn to apply only to those practices and obstructions which in the judgment of congress are likely to affect interstate commerce prejudicially. Thus construed and applied, we think the act clearly within congressional power and valid.

"Other objections are made to the act and its provisions as violative of other limitations of the constitution but the only one seriously pressed was that based on the commerce clause and we do not deem it necessary to discuss the others."

The complainants went before the district court with petitions praying interlocutory injunctions to restrain the secretary of agriculture from enforcing the provisions of the act as applied to the commission and traders. The injunctions were refused.

PERSHING PAYS TRIBUTE TO GENERAL M'ANDREW

Washington, May 2.—General Pershing paid an affectionate tribute Monday to Maj. Gen. James W. McAndrew, his chief of staff in France, who died Saturday in Walter Reed hospital.

"He was a tower of strength to his commander-in-chief. Few men have had the opportunity to so serve their country and fewer have served so well."

The body of General McAndrew will be escorted on Tuesday afternoon from Walter Reed hospital to the state until again escorted to St. Patrick's cathedral, where the funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The pall bearers will be General Pershing and senior officers of the army.

ONE KILLED, 4 WOUNDED IN MEXICO CITY CLASH

Special Cable Dispatch. Mexico City, May 2.—One person was killed and four wounded Monday night as the result of a clash between syndicalists and Catholics at the Young Men's Catholic Association club house near the Spanish legation.

MISS CUMMINS IN HOTEL WHEN FIRE BREAKS OUT

Washington, May 2.—For the second time within a week senators and government officials were forced from their apartments by fire Monday.

The blaze started in the apartment of Senator K. D. McKellar in the Portland hotel. In order to reach it hose had to be passed through the window of Senator Cummins' apartment on the floor below. Miss Margaret Cummins, sister of the senator, was ill and had to be assisted from the building. Senators Dillingham, Townsend and Cummins who were in the Senate when the fire started, left in great perturbation and helped in salvaging their belongings. The property damage was slight, except for the flooding of many apartments.

HANNA MYSTERY NEAR SOLUTION

Sheriff Intimates Warrant Charging Murder of Girl May Be Issued Within 24 Hours.

Hoopeston, Ill., May 2.—Early solution of the mysterious death of pretty Gertrude Hanna was promised by the authorities Monday. The



GERTRUDE HANNA

ment of the United Presbyterian church parsonage last week.

The authorities Monday night were working on the theory that the girl's life was sacrificed to save the family name. The girl, it was revealed soon after her body was found, would soon have become a mother had she lived. Whether an operation had been attempted by unprofessional hands or whether a drug had been administered is yet to be determined. Chemists at the University of Illinois have begun an examination of the girl's vital organs.

Sheriff Charles Knox admitted Monday night that John C. Wyman, the girl's former sweetheart who admitted he was responsible for her delicate condition, was "aiding him" in the investigation.

Members of the girl's family were being questioned by the authorities.

William T. Hanna, father of Gertrude, expressed a desire to have the investigation dropped.

"I'd just as soon have the whole thing dropped," he was alleged to have said. "There's already been too much scandal and gossip."

But Sheriff Knox and State's Attorney Lewman would not listen to the father. They insisted the investigation should be continued and intimated a warrant charging murder might be issued within the next 24 hours.

FLOOD SITUATION IN DIXIE IMPROVES

Harding and Weeks Approve \$200,000 More for Relief Work.

Memphis, Tenn., May 2.—The flood situation on the lower Mississippi showed improvement Monday. The river was reported falling at all points above Memphis.

Below Memphis levee workers succeeding in preventing further breaks in the levee. They believed the crisis would be over within the week.

The greatest problem confronting cities of the river valley is to care for refugees. It is estimated between 50,000 and 75,000 people have been driven from their homes. An equal number have been thrown out of employment.

Relief supplies are being distributed from Memphis, Vicksburg, Natchez, Greenville, New Orleans and others of the larger cities to the small towns in the flood districts.

Washington, May 1.—President Harding and Secretary of War Weeks on Monday gave their approval to an additional appropriation of \$200,000 to aid in relief work and to repair damage done to levees along the lower Mississippi river by floods.

CHENEY, FAMOUS POET, DIES IN SAN DIEGO

San Diego, Cal., May 2.—John Vance Cheney, famous American poet, died here Monday at his home, aged 74. He has been noted in literary circles throughout the country for many years and his poetical writings have been widely published.

Throw Them Out. From Life. The only place in which some boobs ever offer their seats to a lady, is in a canoe.

ADVANTAGE, CLAIM OF BOTH SIDES IN CHINESE BATTLES

Big Guns and Machine Guns in Action Without Letup—Meantime, U. S. Rushes More Marines to Peking.

Special Cable Dispatch. Peking, May 2.—Heavy fighting south and west of Peking continued Sunday and Sunday night with both sides claiming the advantage.

Big guns and machine guns were in action without letup.

A million and a half residents of Peking were relieved Monday by the organization of special police to safeguard Peking.

Trains on the Peking-Shanghai railroad have been turned back by the warring factions. Foreign legations are drafting a protest to Chang Tso-Lin on the grounds that the clear way guaranteed to the sea from Peking is being interfered with.

UNCLE SAM RUSHES MORE DEVIL DOGS

Washington, May 2.—With Peking a beleaguered city, the United States is continuing to rush reinforcements to the legation guard there.

The ships now engaged in taking marines to Ching Wang Tao, en route to Peking, are the New Orleans and the Albany, which were stationed at Vladivostok and the Huron, which left Cavite, in the Philippines some 10 days ago. The fact that the Huron has not yet landed is believed due to the fact that she changed her course.

Call for More Gunboats. The navy department was advised that Minister Schurman had called for additional gunboats to protect the interests of Americans in the Chinese capital. There are several such craft in the Yangtze river, under command of Rear Admiral Strauss.

Chinese legation officials here Monday expressed the conviction that in the event either Chang Tso-Lin or Wu Pei Fu, the contending generals, captured the city, foreign interests or citizens will not be interfered with.

Official records show that there are 800 Americans in Peking, more than half of whom are connected with religious missions. The remainder are principally owners and employees of commercial concerns. At last accounts there were 7,289 American business men, owning or employed by 400 concerns, in all China. The headquarters of these concerns are mostly at Hong Kong, Canton and Shanghai.

Many More Marines Arriving. The present American guard in Peking numbers 375 marines. These will be augmented to some 750 within three days by 170 marines and sailors from the Albany and 200 from the Huron. To this number will be added possibly 300 or 400 from the cruiser New Orleans.

In the event there is mob violence inside the city walls, the international column of artillery and infantry at Tien Tsin probably will move toward the city. In this column are 400 Americans commanded by Col. W. E. Martin, 2,000 Japanese and 500 British. This force is stationed by international agreement to keep the railway line open between Taku and Peking. The emergency at present is not sufficient to warrant the moving of this column in the opinion of war department officials Monday.

DOYLE VICTIM OF TRICKERY

Famous Psychologist Says Prof's Result of Crash Evidence Which is Certain To Be Exposed.

BY JOHN GOLDSTROM. Washington, May 2.—Dr. C. E. Seashore, psychologist of the national research council and member of the National Academy of Sciences, Monday characterized Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's proof of spirit communication as the "result of trickery" and "crash evidence which is certain to be exposed."

Dr. Seashore's statement is the first denunciation of Sir Arthur's campaign in this country which has come from an official source, although the psychologist said that he spoke only for himself and not for either the National Research Council, which is a government institution, or the National Academy of Sciences, the foremost scientific organization in the United States.

Seashore's Colleagues Back Him. His attitude, however, is generally held by his colleagues in both the council and the academy.

Dr. Seashore, one of the foremost psychologists of the United States, attended Sir Arthur's lecture here on Sunday night, and after seeing his "spirit photographs" and hearing his statements declared that the mentality that offered them to the public is "different" from that which created Sherlock Holmes.

HUGHES WARNS RUSSIA. Washington, May 2.—Before the United States can extend political recognition to Russia there must be "a government that is competent to discharge, and show a disposition to discharge its international obligations." Secretary of State Hughes on Monday declared to a delegation of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom.

"We are most desirous to do what we can to aid in Russian recuperation." Secretary Hughes declared, "but they must establish the basis for such recuperation."

FISHERMAN DROWNS

Watertown, S. D., May 2.—Vern Kinsman, 30, was the victim of Lake Kampeska's first fishing tragedy of the season which opened Monday. He was drowned when the motor boat in which he and three others were fishing a short distance from the third point was swamped and capsized in a heavy wind. The body has not been recovered.

Nebraska City, Neb., May 2.—George Flessner, of Burr, is in jail here while Sheriff Fischer and other authorities are making an investigation of the death of Joshua Howard found dead in the woods of his home Monday. He had been shot in the back of the head, and when found was lying in a pool of blood. A trail of blood, authorities say, led to the house of Flessner, nearby, and in a room on the second floor was found evidence of a struggle. Flessner denied knowledge of the crime. The sheriff began an inquest at Burr, but adjourned it until Tuesday when more witnesses will be summoned.

PEGGY JOYCE'S ONLY LOVE DIES BY HIS OWN HAND

Errazuriz, Millionaire Chilean, Shoots Self as She Wouldn't "Drop" Letellier, Richest Man of France.

BY C. F. BERTELLI, Special Cable Dispatch. Paris, May 2.—Because Peggy Hopkins Joyce refused to order Henri Letellier, the richest man in France to cease his attention to her, Guellermo (Billy) Errazuriz, a young Chilean millionaire and brother of the famous Mrs. de Saules, heroine of a husband killing in New York, six years ago, shot and killed himself in his room at Claridge hotel.

"Jealousy," Declares Peggy. "He is the only man I really loved," declared Peggy Hopkins to me Monday. "It was his mad jealousy that sent him to his death."

The young South American millionaire before committing suicide carefully masked the real reason for the act by writing notes to his mother and to the police, in which he declared:

"My fortune is gone. I die sooner than become a pauper."

The fact that the Errazuriz family is notoriously the richest in Chile, coupled with the fact that for months "Billy" and Henri Letellier have been rivals for Peggy's favor, led Universal Service to ask the "million dollar doll" for the truth of the tragedy.

Peggy Tells Her Story. Peggy received the Universal Service correspondent in her luxurious suite at Claridge's.

Reclining on a wonderful bed, her two pet Pekinese poodles playing about the couch, while Katherine Maloney, the well known American pianist who is Peggy's companion remained as chaperon, Peggy gave her story.

"I am absolutely broken up about it all," she said, with tears in her eyes. "Billy and I have been in love for six years. He was the finest, whitest and squarest boy I ever knew."

Loved Him During Her Marriage. "All through my last marriage I loved him, but nothing between us was ever possible because he himself was married and had a child.

"However, when I returned from Cannes I found Billy installed at Claridge's and he immediately renewed his attentions to me, telling me he had been separated from his wife for a year. He said that he expected a divorce soon, and I promised him that as soon as he was divorced I would marry.

"But that did not satisfy him. He insisted that I cut out all my other men acquaintances, especially objecting to my friendship with Henri Letellier, who in spite of his frequent proposals I had not the slightest intention of marrying.

"Billy was frantically jealous. He used to follow me into restaurants, where he would sit at the next table and glare at Letellier until I just felt that something awful was bound to happen.

Three Make Cabarets Together. "At last I introduced the two men and last Saturday night we all went out to make the rounds of the dancing places together.

"After a dinner at Giro's, we went to Maurice's cafe where we danced until 5 o'clock in the morning, returning home at 5:30.

"After Letellier had gone Billy stayed back and he got down on his knees and begged me to 'give Henri the gate.'

"I pointed out to him that he had no right to talk to me that way because he was still married, telling him that although I loved him dearly, I could not refuse the attentions of other friends who had been sweet to me.

"The Last Word." "Thereupon he said quietly: "'Very well, Peggy, is that your last word?' I said 'yes,' never dreaming that it would be followed by such a tragedy. Then he left and went to his own room on the next floor.

"He must have shot himself almost immediately, for they found him at 10 o'clock on the floor.

"He died Sunday night. I am broken hearted. All the joy and happiness has left me. I never want to see a dance place, hear a jazz band or taste champagne again.

Peggy Intends to "Retire." "I am just waiting here for the funeral which I hope to attend. I mean to retire and live a quiet life in the country and try to forget."

Errazuriz' young wife was with her husband when he died Sunday night. Peggy's story was given with sobbing sincerity, refuting the gossip around the hotel that the Chilean millionaire killed himself because reverses in his fortune did not leave him money enough to "travel with Peggy and complete her chain of millionaires."