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PRICE FIVE CENTS

Two Dead and Four Wounded In Riots

Cash Between Disorderly Soldiers and Civilians in Streets of Dublin Caused Disturbance with Fatalities.

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
DUBLIN, March 23.—There was a riot here tonight in which men were shot dead and four seriously wounded. The riot was precipitated by the disorderly conduct of soldiers, about 300 of whom paraded the street at 9 o'clock last night singing, jostling, hammering on doors and smashing windows.
LONDON, March 23.—Reports from Dublin dealing with the riot differ. One says the soldiers were leaving a theatre singing "God Save the King" when they were attacked by a mob. A soldier fired his revolver in self defense whereupon a general and a man and a woman were killed. Another version is that the fatalities were due to volleys fired by troops ordered from the barracks to protect unarmed soldiers.

REFUSED TO CARRY MAIL

As They Were Paid Twice As Much as G. T. P. Was Getting.

Letter from the Superintendent of Railway Mail Service, J. O. ... was read at last night's meeting showing that the responsibility for the Princess ... not carrying mails in out of this port lay with the ... R. itself. A copy of the ... was ordered to be sent to ... Troup, superintendent of ... R. steamships at Victoria. ... superintendent of mail ... explained that the G. T. P. ... had offered the contract ... the Saturday G. T. P. boat ... laid off but the company re ... it unless they were paid ... as much as the more effi ... Grand Trunk service had ... getting. ... think this matter should be ... up with the G. T. P. direct. ... Ald. Rochester, "and the ... should know about the ... this company is trying ... to get on the city." Alderman ... seconded the motion. Ald ... mentioned that the ... of shipping mail in boxes ... might be resorted to.

ST AND WEST HOCKEY MATCH

Team Defeats the Seattle Metropolitans by Score of 3 to 2.

OTAWA, March 23.—In the ... of the world series hockey ... Ottawa won by a score of ... 2. Seattle is the champion ... of the west and Ottawa of ... east. The Stanley Cup is the ... by the winning team having ... three out of five games.

CLUB WON BILLIARD MATCH

The Trail Athletic Club bill ... were last night success ... defeating the St. Andrew's ... by a score of 4-2. The ... were played in the St. An ... rooms. The St. Andrew's ... were S. D. Macdonald, Joe ... Malcolm Lamb, James ... Wilham Murray and ... Martin. The Trail and the ... of England will meet again ...

Tonight Only WEST HOLME THEATRE

Wm. S. Hart
"SQUARE DEAL SANDERSON"
Reel Keystone Comedy
"Saved by Wireless"
British Canadian News

ADMIRAL EVANS AGAIN FLOATED

Steamer Was Ashore After Ramming Tug "City of Lund."

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
SEATTLE, March 23.—Reports reaching here today say that the steamer Admiral Evans was floated Sunday night, and proceeding northward unaided.
The Admiral Evans early Saturday morning rammed and sank the Seattle tug "City of Lund," and while trying to make shore to survey the damage went aground.

ELECTRIC CURRENTS IN U.S. AND CANADA

Trouble Everywhere With Telegraph Wires as Result of Aurora.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
NEW YORK, March 23.—Aurora borealis last night pricked up his head, danced over the sky and put the telegraph wires out of commission.

The wire chief at the Western Union headquarters reported that the company had no instruments strong enough to measure the voltage in the electric currents. The trouble was experienced more or less all over Canada and the United States.

TWO DRUNKS ARE ORDERED TO GET AWAY FROM TOWN

John Graham, who was fined yesterday morning for being drunk and disorderly, appeared in the police court this morning, having again been arrested last night in the same condition. This time Magistrate McMordie fined him \$25 or 30 days with 48 hours to get out of town.

Mickey McDonald, described by City Prosecutor Williams as being a public nuisance, was also fined \$25 with an option of 30 days and warned to leave these parts within 48 hours. Mickey is a miner from Swamp Point.

GOOD PRICE PAID THIS MORNING

Few Smaller Fish Boats in Sold Catches at 16.3c and 12.2c.

The following boats in this morning sold their halibut catches to the Pacific Sea Products at 16.3c and 12.2c: Valid, 3,000 lbs.; Nidaros, 9,000 lbs.; Tillicum, 8,000 lbs.; Pauline, 5,000 lbs.; Ingrid, 6,000 lbs.; Elida, 2,000 lbs. Three cars will come on tonight's passenger train.

would be a direct benefit to the citizens before he would favor giving the market over. He did, however, appreciate the object of a closer relationship between the producer and the consumer.

The matter has been left in the hands of the market committee to confer with Mr. Prudhomme and report at an early date to the council.

Admiral Benson was Man Who Warned Sims Against British During The War

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
WASHINGTON, March 23.—Rear Admiral Sims told the Senate investigating committee yesterday that Read Admiral Benson, chief of naval operations during the war and now chairman of the United States Shipping Board, was the officer who told him "not to let the British pull the wool over your eyes, we would as soon fight them as the Germans."

Explaining his interpretation of what Admiral Benson said, the witness said he had not given the statement a second's consideration then, because he had assumed it resulted from what he described as an intensely anti-British feeling, entertained by Admiral Benson.

Sims added that Admiral Benson was an "upright and honest man."

CITY COUNCIL LIKES MAGAZINE "RESOURCES"

Mayor and Aldermen Feel That It is Doing Invaluable Publicity Work for the City.

On the recommendation of the finance committee the City Council last night decided to take a half page advertisement in the monthly "Resources" at a rate of \$20 per month. Alderman Casey was in favor of making it a full page advertisement at \$30 and the power to do this was left with the finance committee.

The consensus of opinion of the council seemed to be that "Resources" was doing an admirable work of publicity for the city. It was a publication that was a decided credit to the city and should be supported. Many of the aldermen made appreciative and complimentary remarks on the high class publicity that Weston Coyney was giving Prince Rupert and the district in his excellent publication.

DORREEN HITS ROCK IN SKIDEGATE STRAIT

Was Towed to Skidegate by the Nidaros Where Temporary Repairs are Being Made.

Word has just reached town of the wreck of the gasoline fishing boat, P. Doreen, in Skidegate Narrows. The boat just left Prince Rupert a few days ago and was making her way through the narrows when the engine stopped and the vessel drifted on the rocks. She was towed by the Nidaros into Skidegate where examination was made and it was found to have smashed several planks. It is expected that temporary repairs can be made at Skidegate so that she come across the straits under her own power where complete repairs will be made. There were four men aboard under Captain Henry Doiron.

NOTIFY POWERS OF ACTION OF SENATE

That Will Probably be First Step to be Taken By President Wilson.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
WASHINGTON, March 23.—In the absence of any authoritative prediction of what President Wilson would do with the unrattified treaty, the impression gained in diplomatic circles today was that the first step probably would be a notification to the other powers that the Senate had refused ratification.

The two borrowing-by-laws for \$50,000 and \$10,000, the light and pole line extension \$45,000 bylaw and the telephone extension \$60,000 bylaw were passed by the City Council again last night. They had been passed previously but were returned by the bank solicitors for minor changes. A standard by-law form is to be compiled for the use of the municipalities which will avoid this returning of bylaws for correction.

GERMAN SITUATION STILL IS EXTREMELY SERIOUS

Company of Volunteers Overpowered by Spartacans; Officers Killed and Bodies Mutilated, According to Report From Berlin.

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
BERLIN, March 23.—Conditions in Germany were described by the minister of defense this morning as extremely serious. "You can't paint the situation throughout Germany too black," an official at the ministry declared to the correspondent after a survey of the reports that had come in during the night. The situation in Berlin itself was characterized as bad. In one case a company of volunteers had been overpowered by Spartacan forces, its officers killed and their bodies mutilated.

The southern and eastern parts of Germany are reported quiet. To the north of the Spree River in the Berlin district the outposts of the regular soldiers have been withdrawn, leaving detachments to guard the stockyards and railway station.

HUSBAND AND WIFE QUARREL

Man Charged With Ill-using Woman—Adjourned to Allow Opportunity of Settlement.

Henry John Clarke appeared in the police court this morning charged with assault on his wife by spanking her. The accused elected for summary trial and pleaded not guilty.

Mrs. Jane Clarke, the wife, appeared in the witness box and told of being married four years, having one child 17 months old. She had been in Prince Rupert ever since last July and had been living with her husband. He was in the habit of going into violent tempers, grabbing her by the throat and threatening her life. In September he had made her black and blue by punching her arms. He had only worked three months since July and she had been dependent on the charity of the Great War Veterans' Association and Ladies' Auxiliary. She had heard that he was addicted to the use of drugs although she had not seen him use it. On Wednesday he had grabbed her by the throat and hurt her.

Continually Nagging.

The husband, taking the box, said he had been in the hospital for three months. On the morning when she claimed he made her black and blue, she had nagged him to work and had finally hit him with a broom. At this time he was under the doctor's care as a result of an operation on an old wound. That was the only time he had ever lifted his hand to her. She was continually nagging at him and he had warned her that he might lose his temper and do violence.

W. E. Williams argued that there was no doubt but that the man had assaulted her. His demeanor in the box would show that he was of an unreasonable disposition. There was considerable justification for the woman to want him to go to work. It was hardly believable that a man would choke a woman in her condition. Why should she get up to cook his breakfast? Whatever decision the magistrate made the woman would have to have protection from the man.

Remanded Two Days.

The magistrate said that he believed Mrs. Clarke's story. It was, however, a serious matter to break the relations between man and wife. The present state could not continue in this country. The case was remanded for two days in the hope that an understanding may be reached between the man and his wife.

Hear the St. Andrew's Pipe Band at the Calles football club concert Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in St. Andrew's hall. Admission 50c. A short dance will follow.

B. C. Undertakers. Phone 41.

T. B. HOOPER - NEW SOLICITOR

Finance Committee Recommends His Appointment and Report Adopted by Council.

At last night's council meeting the report of the Finance Committee recommending the appointment of T. B. Hooper as city solicitor at a monthly stipend of \$250 was adopted unanimously. Mr. Hooper, it is expected, will be here to take up his new duties within ten days or as soon as he can get away from Vancouver.

Alderman Casey asked if the position had been advertised. The mayor replied that as local lawyers did not seem to want the post advertising had been deemed unnecessary by a majority of the aldermen.

VALUABLE FURS SOLD AT EDMONTON FOR HUNDRED THOUSAND

EDMONTON, March 19.—One of the biggest transactions in the hide and fur business for several years occurred Wednesday when the A. Carruthers Co., Ltd., through their branch manager, T. H. Halford, purchased from Lamson & Hubbard \$106,543.75 worth of furs. This is the largest lot of furs sold in Edmonton by public competition for the last fifteen years. The second highest bid was \$98,000 by F. Ramelson. The purchase represents the bulk of Lamson & Hubbard's Christmas furs from the Mackenzie district. The lot is comprised of 28 white foxes, 1,356 mink, 97 red foxes, 164 beaver, 82 skunk, 49 bear, 1,859 weasels, 9 silver foxes, 14 wolverines, 8 fishers, 26 otters, 20 lynx, 970 marten, 37 cross foxes, and 6 wolf furs. One of the most outstanding features of this shipment of furs is that they are nearly all of the most fashionable furs, and that there is practically no culls in the lot. They were shipped to the Winnipeg branch of the A. Carruthers Co., Ltd., and will be sold from there.

PECK'S QUESTION

Asks Why Returned Soldier Not Appointed to Saar Valley Commission.

In the House of Commons C. W. Peck asked why a returned soldier had not been appointed to the Saar Valley Commission instead of Mr. Waugh. Sir George Foster replied that Mr. Waugh was the best man they could find and that two of Mr. Waugh's sons had served overseas, one of whom had been killed.

Pianos correctly tuned. \$6.00, G. C. Walker. Phone Blue 389. If follow.

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