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No Military Patrols Last Night In Dublin Streets

Truce Arranged for Monday Is Early in Operation—England Intensely Interested in Peace Developments—Earl Middleton Speaks of Fervent Hope of Solution of Troubles.

London, July 9.—Military patrols were withdrawn from the streets of Dublin last night, says a Central News despatch from that city.

It is understood the armistice will be signed by Sir Nevil Macready and Michael Collins, commander of the Irish Republican army.

ALL ENGLAND IS STIRRED BY NEWS.

London, July 9.—Earl Middleton, South Irish Unionist leader, reached London this morning after having travelled nearly all night from Dublin, and was almost immediately received in audience by King George.

It is understood he reported to the king details of yesterday's momentous conference at Dublin, at which a truce in Ireland was arranged and steps were taken to bring De Valera and Premier Lloyd George together.

Holyhead, Wales, July 9.—Earl Middleton landed here this morning on his way to London. He expressed belief that the terms of Eamon De Valera's letter to Premier Lloyd George accepting the suggestion of a conference would be acceptable to the premier.

"Sentiment in Ireland," he said, in referring to the public attitude there, "is overwhelmingly in favor of a settlement and there is fervent hope it will be possible to arrive at a solution that will be permanent."

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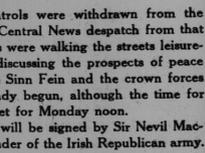
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As Hiram Sees It

"Well, sir," said Mr. Hiram Hornbush to the Times reporter, "I heard a funny one in the market today. One of the fellows in a stall said he was mighty glad the street car weather was over, for now whenever he walked he saved twice as much money as he did when they were five cents."



HOPE A. THOMSON.

"That's just it," said Hiram. "A young fellow was tellin' me last week that he was goin' to buy a car—an' he had about much right to buy a car as I have to buy a castle in Ireland. Says I to him, says I, you just wait that money down till you get some more an' then buy a piece of land an' get ready to make a home for yourself. He said he wouldn't have no business in a short spell if he goes on at that rate. Well, I must run along home. The rain bar's about empty, an' Hiram says I got to fill it up afore Monday mornin'."

"How Dry I Am," he orlo start a "wet parade" by Hen.

BOOTLEGGERS KILL OFFICER

Utica, N. Y., July 9.—Deputy Sheriff Charles Kammerloher was shot and instantly killed by two bootleggers here yesterday. The bootleggers were wounded and taken to a hospital.

Deputy Sheriff Kammerloher was fired upon just as he was entering a house. He was shot in the chest and died before he could be taken to a hospital.

The bootleggers were taken to the hospital. They said their names were John Kominsky and Nathan Denmark. Kominsky had four wounds, one near the heart, two in the stomach and one in the hip. Denmark had a wound in the arm, one in the thigh and two on the lower part of the leg.

SOME CANADIAN WINNERS AT THE BISLEY SHOOT. Bisley Camp, July 9.—Sweepstakes winners among the Canadians to date are: Major C. R. Crowe, Wellington; Major G. F. G. Ottawa; Gunner W. E. Tingtan, R. C. C. A., Quebec; Major Norman Wintings, a winner in the clay bird shooting.

GIRL DELEGATE TO I. O. G. T. BADLY HURT BY TRAIN. Toronto, N. S., July 9.—Florence McCully, of Glace Bay, was badly injured by a train near St. John's crossing yesterday. Her injuries may prove fatal. She was here to attend the Nova Scotia Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., and was with a picnic party in the "Truro" park. An eyewitness said she was walking on the

CUBA TO SEND HOME 10,000 TO WEST INDIES. Kingston, Ja., July 9.—On account of the great distress among the laboring classes in Cuba, because of the closing down of many sugar estates there, the Cuban government, it is learned, is arranging to repatriate 10,000 West Indian laborers.

W. U. GETS PERMISSION. Miami, Fla., July 9.—The long controversy between the government and the Western Union Telegraph Company over the landing of its Miami Barbados cable here has been brought to an end with the granting of federal permission for the landing, according to word received by the local office of the Western Union.

PHETIX and PHERDAND WEATHER REPORT. Issued by authority of the Department of Marine, R. F. Stupart, director of service.

Morning Paper Report. Maritime—Moderate southerly to westerly winds, partly cloudy and warmer in most places; local thunder

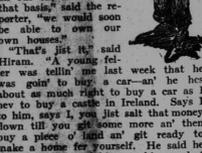
JOHNSON & WARD GET TRURO BONDS. Truro, N. S., July 9.—Johnson and Ward, brokers of Halifax, were the successful tenderers for \$100,000 worth of five and a half per cent. thirty year debentures, sold by the Town Council of Truro last night. The Halifax firm offered \$7.07.

FRANKLIN LANE WAS NOT RICH. Estate of Former Member of United States Government About \$100,000. San Francisco, July 9.—The estate of the late Franklin G. Lane, former Secretary of the Interior, will not total more than about \$100,000, according to a petition filed in Superior court here asking letters of administration. Mr. Lane left no will, the petition cited, and his estate consisted of some 18 acres of farm land in Contra Costa county, California and a few shares of stock in a mercantile company.

Mr. Lane's widow, his son and daughter would share the estate, the petition said. Mr. Lane was a native of P. E. Island.

A CHAMPION OF THE OAR

Again St. John is to the fore: Another champion we claim. We had a Neptune of the oar, Who brings his city sporting fame.



HOPE A. THOMSON.

He passed opponents, one by one, 'Gainst younger men he stood the test; Until the fateful "finish" gun Proclaimed him better than their best.

No waving flags, no rolling drums Announced his going; but today Victorious the hero comes; Our record-breaking sport—Belyea!

C. E. UNION FOR THE DOMINION

Nucleus Formed at New York Meeting. Endeavors from This Side of Border to Have "Canada" Banners in Today's Parade—A Plea for the Immigrant.

New York, July 9.—Canadian delegates to the convention held a "get together" meeting yesterday and formed the nucleus of a Christian Endeavor Union for Canada. At present there is no single organization in the dominion including Christian Endeavor groups of all denominations, such as exists in the United States. Another meeting will be held today to perfect a temporary organization to further the plans.

Considerable indignation is expressed by the Canadian delegates over an order prohibiting the use of any but United States flags in the parade which will be a feature of the convention program. No formal objections will be voiced, however, owing to the delicacy of the situation. Instead of the Canadian flag, the delegates will carry banners inscribed with the word "Canada."

President Harding and Vice-President Coolidge yesterday sent messages to the World's Christian Endeavor Convention, expressing the idea that the world needs no religion to cure its ills. The commissioner of Immigration Frederick A. Walls, in an address on the subject of immigration, said: "The immigrant is a human being, of blood and spirit and the day is past when immigrants can be treated like cattle."

He urged the Christian Endeavor to aid in caring for the immigrant, saying that he is properly educated. He also urged that steps be taken to protect the new comers from "spoilers and grafters."

The next convention will be held in Des Moines, Iowa, in 1923.

SHARP REPLY BY BISHOP FALLON. Refutation of Charges Alleged to Have Been Made by Rev. L. W. Reid.

London, Ont., July 9.—Over his own signature, Bishop Fallon, pastor of the St. George's Roman Catholic church, has issued a sharp reply to charges recently alleged to have been made by Rev. L. W. Reid, of Hale street, that the bodies here, church had stood behind bootlegging in Essex county. In addition, Bishop Fallon says in part:

"When the Rev. L. W. Reid, pastor of the Hale street Methodist church, stated to his Orange audience that the Roman Catholic church has stood behind bootlegging in Essex, he uttered an untruth. The Rev. Mr. Reid is, therefore, a liar. He made the statement in public, he is deliberate and malicious, he is consequently a deliberate and malicious liar. When, on being challenged to do so, the Rev. Mr. Reid fails to give the names of the priests whom he accuses of flagrant crimes against the civil law and of grievous violation of the orders of his bishop, he shows himself to be a coward."

"An incomplete description, therefore, of the Rev. L. W. Reid, pastor of the Hale street Methodist church, would be that he is a public, deliberate, apparently malicious and cowardly liar."

(Signed) "M. F. FALLON, Bishop of London."

MINE LEADERS ARE ARRESTED. Financial Agent and Eleven Others Taken in West Virginia.

Williamson, W. Va., July 9.—Davis S. Robb, international financial agent of the United Mine Workers of America and eleven other union leaders, were arrested here yesterday by Major Tom Davis, Governor Morgan's personal representative in the coal strike region, on a charge of unlawfully assembling. They were taken to the city lockup for investigation, the authorities said.

SUGGESTION OF MIDDLE COURSE

Britain and U. S. and Japan Treaty. London Times' Washington Correspondent Cables Outline of Plan to Which London Newspaper Gives Prominence.

London, July 9.—The London Times gives prominence today to a long despatch from its Washington correspondent in which he asserts that the concern of the people of the U. S. over the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese treaty has deepened and that the British desire for a policy parallel to that of the U. S. cannot be attained if the Alliance is renewed, whatever modifications might be made in it.

Inquiries by the correspondents, however, lead him to assert there is a middle course whereby a satisfactory outcome can be achieved without Great Britain throwing over Japan or abandoning the policy of seeking a closer accord with the United States. This course, if followed would, the correspondent believes, end a situation which he says seems dangerously near an impasse.

The plan suggested by the government is this: Conversations between the U. S., Great Britain and Japan, leading eventually to an exchange of notes which might have the following effect: The open door policy be reaffirmed and the principle of the maintenance of the territorial integrity of China be extended to all border states on the Pacific; the principle of absolute equality of commercial opportunity throughout the Pacific area be enunciated; the U. S., Great Britain and Japan solemnly assert their deep concern in the preservation of peace in the Far East and engage themselves to act at all times with friendly co-operation and frankly exchange views.

This plan, the correspondent argues, would open the road to limitation of armaments, which, he contends is hardly possible without some such arrangement.

The Times supports the idea in an editorial, believing the governments of Great Britain and the dominion would approve it.

London Opinion. London, July 9.—Great Britain's suggestions for a conference at which matters pertaining to the Far East would be discussed, were made in the course of informal diplomatic conversations, so it was stated by several newspapers here this morning.

This statement was made in explaining what was described as a disinclination of Premier Lloyd George's statement relative to Pacific affairs in the House of Commons on last Thursday, it being asserted that he did not intend to convey the impression that formal invitations had been sent to the United States, China and Japan to confer over Far Eastern matters.

In an editorial commenting on the premier's statement the Daily News said that the Washington announcement that Great Britain had not made official proposals need not be taken as a specific denial that a conference was projected. It admitted that the Washington declaration was technically correct, because discussions that have occurred have been kept deliberately on an informal basis.

The News, which is hopeful that a discussion will take place, says that Great Britain and China, and apparently Japan, are agreed that these three nations should be joined by the United States in any conversations that take place.

BIG DROP IN BRITISH TRADE. June Report Shows Consequences of the Strike of Coal Miners.

London, July 9.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Consequences of the coal strike are shown in the further huge decrease in British trade for June. Imports are down eighty-two million pounds sterling, compared with June, 1920, and exports have decreased seventy-eight million pounds sterling. Cotton imports are lower by eleven millions, wool by seven millions, flour and grain four millions and other foodstuffs and drink are down nine millions.

Coal exports decreased by eight million pounds sterling, iron and steel by eight and three quarters millions, cotton manufacturers by twenty-six millions.

U. S. STEEL CUTS MORE PRICES. Pipe and Tube and Wire Nail Figures are Reduced.

New York, July 9.—The United States Steel Corporation yesterday announced a cut in pipe and tube prices ranging from \$2 to \$12 a ton and a reduction of \$5 a ton in wire and wire nails. A reduction in prices for other commodities was announced a few days ago.

CAR SERVICE ON MONDAY

Plans Announced by Manager Today. Complete plans for the resumption of the street car service in the city on Monday morning were announced by Percy W. Thomson, manager of the New Brunswick Power Company, this morning. He said that cars would be started on the main line, Haymarket Square loop and the Glen Falls and East St. John lines. He said that he had received a letter from Glen Falls residents, saying that they would see to it that there was no trouble on that line.

Of some 250 places left vacant when the trouble came to a head, all had been filled, except about fifty-two, he said. "We think that the strike is over," he remarked when asked about the possibility of other mediators taking a hand in the question. He said that a citizen called him up this morning and told him that he had been asked to act as mediator, but that he thought that the chance of mediation was past.

Regarding the relaying of tracks in the streets that are being paved, Mr. Thomson said that this work would be proceeded with as crews were secured. He said he had many offers of outside labor, but did not wish to bring men to the city for this work when local men could be secured. As soon as a full House of Commons on last Thursday, he intended organizing for Brussels street. He figured that the Douglas street work would be cleared up in four days, and that in Brussels street in about a week. Any delay which might occur in the laying of the tracks, he thought, would hold the city up more than it would the power company.

The Union President. Ira D. Farris, president of the street car men's union, said this morning that there was strong talk of a recall of the mayor and city commissioners in the ward, and he understood that papers were being prepared.

President Farris said that the union was prepared to go ahead with the institution of a jitney service in the city. The fares to be charged, he said, would be lower than the street car fares, and was planned to operate over the entire area covered by the present street car lines. For the main line regular White jitney cars would be employed, while on the branches a cheaper form of reconstructed truck was to be used. It was the intention to purchase only the White chassis and the members of the union, who were qualified to do the work, would control the bodies here. Transfers, he said, would be issued. He said that members of the union were already operating three jitneys in the city, and it would require at least nine more to give an efficient service. He had taken the legal end of the matter up with Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K.C., city solicitor, who had informed him, he said, that there was nothing to prevent the men from operating the service, provided the necessary license to carry passengers was secured.

The matter of a church parade tomorrow was to be taken up at the meeting of the men this morning. An effort has been made in behalf of the men to have the four local members of the legislature not as members, but as citizens, to use their good offices to bring about a settlement, but nothing has as yet transpired.

RECORD SMALL MAJORITY FOR PREMIER BRIAND. Paris, July 9.—Premier Briand, after a hot debate yesterday, was supported by the chamber of deputies by one of the smallest majorities he has received. This came when he demanded that discussion of the difficulties of the industrial bank of China be deferred. The question of confidence, however, was not involved.

Mr. Briand said negotiations with China, which previously had failed, now were under way to support a bank to save France's prestige in the Orient.

WEEK'S FAILURES IN CANADA 37. Ottawa, July 9.—(Canadian Press)—Thirty-seven notices of assignment by creditors by business firms in Canada, under the bankruptcy act, are included in this week's official gazette.