

Herzog Slashed With Knife In Joliet By Excited Ball Fan

ONTARIO THEY HAVE SNOWFALL

Med Ways Greet Coming of October

anxious About Storm on Lakes — Montreal Suffers Damage in Blow, as Also Does New York.

Montreal, Oct. 1.—Strong northwesterly winds during the night, followed by heavy snowfall this morning, gave to the city a winter weather.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—While members of the Chicago National League team were leaving the stadium yesterday afternoon, a crowd which surged about their automobile, slashed Charles "Buck" Herzog three times with a knife, shouting: "Here are some of those crooked Chicago players."

Herzog was cut across the palm of the right hand, on the left arm and the left wrist, but his wounds were not considered serious. The cuts were dressed by the club's doctor and he returned to Chicago with the team.

Herzog was one of two players mentioned by J. C. "Big Boy" Denton, of the New York Giants at the start of the grand jury baseball inquiry here, as having attempted to bribe him to "throw" a baseball game.

Herzog was exonerated of all blame by President Heydler, of the National League in his statement before the grand jury.

A Felsch Story. Chicago, Oct. 1.—New evidence which may warrant criminal prosecution of the grand jury today, was expected by Attorney Macklay Hoyne, who arrived from New York.

August Hermann, president of the Cincinnati Reds, was expected to testify today, and Alfred S. Austria, attorney for the White Sox, announced that he believed more players were ready to tell what they know.

The grand jury will complete its regular session today, but Chief Justice McDonald, who ordered the investigation, said it would be extended to a special grand jury, devoting its entire time to the baseball situation.

Judge McDonald said prosecution could be returned on the evidence already submitted, but that no decision would be made until the investigation is complete.

The nature of the new evidence which Hoyne says he obtained in New York is not known. He would only say that he obtained the information from two men who are neither baseball men nor gamblers and who have not been mentioned in the inquiry. He also asserted that he had no evidence to show that the coming 1920 series had been fixed.

Other witnesses to be called before the grand jury include Dr. Raymond Prettymann, who has done dental work for the White Sox players, and Clyde Elliott, a motion picture man, who accompanied "Kid" Gleason to St. Louis to make an investigation last fall at President Conkley's request.

POLES PUT THE REDS TO FLIGHT

Smashing Defeat on the Northern Front

Likely Prevent Trotsky from Carrying Out Plan of New Offensive—Wrangel Takes Kharkov.

Warsaw, Oct. 1.—The defeat of the Russians on the Polish northern front seems virtually complete. The Soviet troops are reported fleeing eastward in disorder in an effort to being surrounded by the Poles, who are in close pursuit. The result of the Polish victory is the elimination of any chance of the Bolsheviks launching the final offensive which they declared by the military planning to drive back the Poles from the territory they occupied after the failure of the Soviet attempt to capture Warsaw.

The advice from the front report that one Russian division surrendered to the Poles after having murdered all the commissaries with it who tried to compel the troops to offer resistance to the Polish advance. An official communication declares the Bolsheviks all along the northern front were whipped unmercifully, much to the discouragement of their commanders. The commander of the third Bolshevik army committed suicide, it is asserted, when he realized that his command had been completely smashed.

In giving details of the advance, the communication reports that Posen troops, sweeping eastward, took the railway junction of Baranowitch, north of the Poles, the key to the old German front, and with it a quantity of war material was taken.

South of the Pripiet the Russians have been pushed back across the River Slutsk.

Polish cavalry, operating in Volhynia, has made rapid progress toward the easterly direction and has occupied Novograd-Volynsk, about midway between Lutsk and Kiev.

Constantinople, Oct. 1.—Kharkov, an important city in Southern Russia, has been taken by the Poles, and it would be expected that the capture of this city, together with the advance of Polish troops toward the city of Kiev, is considered here as having imperiled the communications of Russian Soviet troops in the vicinity of Nikolaiyev, near Odessa.

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As Hiram Sees It

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The Brethren

And when the Brethren labored together with the husbandmen to gather the harvest they also sang, for their hearts were glad within them.

But one, whose surname was Harry, murmured against the Leader, and would have raised a rebellion against him.

And one came to the Leader and warned him, and it grieved him much. For the harvest was rich, and he would not that they should return empty-handed.

And it came to pass that his wrath was kindled against him whose surname was Harry and he sent a messenger commanding that he should be brought before him.

New this man Harry was in no wise loth to speak, even in the presence of the Leader. And straightway he came.

And the Leader said unto him:—What is this that thou hast done? Behold I brought thee to bless the husbandmen and thou hast cursed them all together. Howbeit I will not have thee scourged, if thou wilt but confess thine iniquity and sin no more.

But he whose surname was Harry mocked the Leader, saying:—Go to thou and thy husbandmen. There is corn and wine in the land of the Ploverites, even in the county of York.

And he straightway departed.

STILL WORKING TO STAVE OFF THE MINERS' STRIKE

MRS. W. M. VIVY RETIRES AS HEAD OF RED CROSS

Resignation Accepted with Regret at Annual Meeting of St. John Branch Today.

The annual meeting of the St. John branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society was held this evening at the Church of England Institute, Princess Street. The president, Mrs. John A. McCreedy, was the chair.

The resignation of Mrs. John A. McCreedy as president of the St. John branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society was accepted at a meeting of the executive.

FURTHER WORDS RE EXCHANGE AND THE DUTY

Montreal, Oct. 1.—A memorandum was presented to Mr. W. S. Welton, collector of customs here, from the department at Ottawa, issuing new instructions, designed to remove the customs discrimination against British imports from other countries.

The new instructions received here yesterday do away with all this, and in future British currency for customs purposes will be on exactly the same basis as that of other European countries, which the currency standard has been proclaimed.

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SEAPLANE STILL HELD IN RIVER

Weather Prevents Resumption of the Flight to Halifax — May Make Fredericton Today.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 1.—The Palfrey type seaplane in which Colonel Robert Leckie, D. S. O., and Major Hobbs, D. S. O., are making a flight from Montreal to Halifax to commence from the first Canadian transcontinental flight, is still moored in the St. John river at Kingsclere. Colonel Leckie said he hoped to be able to fly as far as Fredericton before night. It has been raining heavily again today, with blustering and favorable weather counted just as soon as the conditions permit, but I don't expect we will be able to start for Halifax before tomorrow," said Col. Leckie.

WHEAT, CORN AND OATS LOWER ON CHICAGO MARKET

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Fresh declines in the wheat market today resulted from scattered liquidation by holders. Talk of Canadian competition was the chief bearish factor. On the other hand, there was gossip of a large foreign order for wheat at the seaboard.

CABINET TAKES UP MATTERS IN IRISH PROBLEM

Clamor for Pronouncement on the Reprisals

Statements by Sir Hamar Greenwood Under Notice in Connection with Reported Remarks by General Macready.

London, Oct. 1.—Members of the British cabinet met today to discuss the situation in Ireland and to learn from Gen. Sir Frederick Neville Macready, commander of military forces there, details of conditions in the island. It was forecast that it was likely that the cabinet would request an explanation from the commander of a recent interview which has been interpreted by newspapers here as containing reprisals for an authoritative government statement as to its policy regarding reprisals in Ireland, and consider the Macready interview and a letter statement by Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, as being absolutely irreconcilable. Several journals maintain that if the government policy does not coincide with that of Sir Frederick, he should be recalled.

Greenwood's Announcement. Dublin, Oct. 1.—Warnings against reprisals, no matter what the provocation, was given the Royal Irish Constabulary today by Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, in a speech on the occasion of a distribution of medals. He dwelt upon provocation which had been given by "Black and Tan" forces, number murdered, and 170 wounded, but declared no reprisals could be countenanced by the authorities. He congratulated the men upon their general maintenance of discipline.

"You are a disciplined force and I confidently count on you to maintain that discipline no matter what the provocation," said Sir Hamar. "The accounts of reprisals in certain newspapers are often misleading and frequently misinterpreted. There are cases in which unjustifiable action has undoubtedly been taken. These cases are being investigated."

"In the meantime it is necessary to repeat with emphasis that reprisals will ruin discipline. They cannot be countenanced by those in authority. The great provocation which the British are incurring today is that they are not maintaining that self control which has characterized your force in the past. I assure you that you have behind you in your great, difficult and dangerous duty, the support of the government. We believe that the right will win in the end and that we are on the right side."

The 50th Day. London, Oct. 1.—Terence MacSwiney, lord mayor of Cork, passed another very bad night at Brixton prison, where he is being held in connection with his hunger strike. He slept a little before midnight, but not after that hour, said a bulletin by the Irish Self-Determination League and during the morning was suffering severe pain in his arms and back.

Belmont, Oct. 1.—While searching a house in Liscarron, county Cork, on Tuesday, a party of the military was fired on by civilians. The soldiers returned the fire, killing one of its assailants.

U. S. POPULATION SHOWS GREATEST GROWTH IN CITIES

Indications Are That Total for Continental Nation Will Be 105,768,100.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Cities in the United States are increasing in population seven and a half times as fast as the rural districts, so the census bureau discloses in figures covering approximately eighty-five per cent of the new census. The figures indicated that the completed census would show the majority of the population to be city dwellers.

For the last ten years rural growth was but one-third as great as it was in the previous decade, but the cities almost maintained their rate of growth, getting five new inhabitants from 1910 to 1920 for each six added during the preceding ten years. All population centers, even the small country hamlets and towns, showed a greater proportionate increase than the purely rural districts. The greatest increases, however, were by cities of 10,000 or more inhabitants.

Although showing a check in the rate of population growth for the country as a whole, the bureau's figures indicated that the complete census would place the total number of inhabitants of the continental United States at approximately 105,768,100, a gain of 18,758,840, or 15 per cent.

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