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ERAPHIC TALE OF A REPRISAL RAID IN IRELAND

About Half Million Dollar Loss of Property

Efforts to Save Important Industry-Woman Tells How Herself and Husband, Their Children and a Priest Escaped Bullets.

(Associated Press.) Tubbercurry, Ireland, Oct. 2-A town half in ruins and its remnant of inhabitants living in dread of a return of the

ants living in dread of a return of the raid of last week, and a handful of seemingly nervous police who had shut themselves inside barracks with the body of a slain district inspector, Brady, were what a correspondent found when he reached this remote place in Ireland late on Saturday.

He was told how Acting County Commissioner Russell tried to prevent the destruction of the town; from the managers of two fire-swept creameries he received their accounts of an heroic struggle in the darkness and a thick fog to save the institutions with which the fortunes of almost the entire community were bound up, and from the wife of one of the managers of the creameries he heard a story of how she and her three children escaped from bullets and also how she, while facing four rifles pointed at her head, contrived a ruse to safeguard her husband.

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refer to a boycott by the townspeople, the shop keepers even refusing to accept their trade. For a fortnight preceding Thursday's raid on the town the people were declared to have been fired upon from the roof of a general store adjoining the baracks. This building later was riddled with bullets and its interior wrecked. This incident intensified the feeling between the people and the police. When the news on Thursday afternoon of the ambushing of a police lorry reached Tubbercurry, two-thirds of its 900 people fled in panic, anticipating a speedy reprisal. About midnight four lorries, filled with men and, it is said, including Commissioner Russell, arrived in Tubbercurry. Two of them came from the direction of Gallymote and two from the direction of Sligo, Accounts of what happened afterwards as given to the correspondent by various townspeople follow:

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The lorries stoped in front of a public house, and when the occupants of them got out Commissioner with an oath, and all the men rushed toward the asloon, which was quickly broken open, og orgy of minking. We will the first brike up into groups and proceeded agreematically with the wark of destruction. With interndury agreed green and the first brike up into groups and proceeded agreematically with the wark of destruction. With interndury agreed green and the first brike up into groups and proceeded agreematically with the wark of destruction. With interndury agreed green and the first brike up into groups and proceeded agreematically with the wark of destruction. With interndury agreed green and the first brike up into groups and proceeded agreematically with the wark of destruction. With interndury agreed green and the stores of the province, the washing store, which was entirely destroyed. Two other stores were burned and fifteen assailer shops and residence were library of a bridge under construction to the St. John river near Hartland and St. John river near

Creamery Burned.

A lorry drew up before the creamery and its occupants, with incendiary bombs, set about thoroughly to destroy it. Four mgn, however, returned to the Murricane residence, the front door of which stood open. What followed was related graphically to the Associated Press correspondent by Mrs. Murricane. "Through a window and the open door," she said, "they fired about twenty shots. My little boy, who was coming down the stairs which faced the door, had a miraculous escap. The men then went around to the rear of the house and fired into the kitchen. I was sitting in a corner with my baby in my lap. The other children were lying on the floor. One bullet grazed my hand which was supporting the baby's head."

Mrs. Murricane showed the correspondant her wounded fingers and pointed out to him a splintered hole in the wall made by a bullet.

"The children, the priest and I," continued Mrs. Murricane, "ran into the set llery and another bullet, crashing through the partition, barely missed the priest's head.

"The men then went around to the front door of the house, shouting, Come out." I went out with the children, the men threatening with their rifles, demanding to know the whereabouts of my husband. This I refused to tell them. The children, meanwhile, were crying and tugging at my skirts.

"Suddenly from a field across the road I heard my husband's voice. He called out to me, 'Keep cool.' The men then wheeled and fired five shots in the direction from which the voice came. I pulled down the arm of one of the men as he was firing, and cried out to my husband.

down the arm of one of the men as he was firing, and cried out to my husband. The men still thought my husband was in the house and three of them entered it to search for him. They seized the priest, but soon realized their mistake."



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Answer for German-American Objector.

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many first, above all things, wasn't it?
What happened to Germany? She attempted to be selfish, she was selfish, she created a great military machine, as a result she developed the hatred of the rest of the world, and what happened to her?"

"Isn't England just at the same point if she is keeping on with her militarism?" asked the man in the audience.

Tion of Germany, the salvation of France, the salvation of humanity itself is to be conserved by the League of Nations. The time has come for civilization to have some common sense and to stop wasting its resources for the purpose of creating the means of humanity itself is to be conserved by the League of Nations. The time has come for civilization. That is what your conscience tells you. What your prejudices tell you I do not know. I leave you with this message, to 'end war'"

OF TWO PROVINCES

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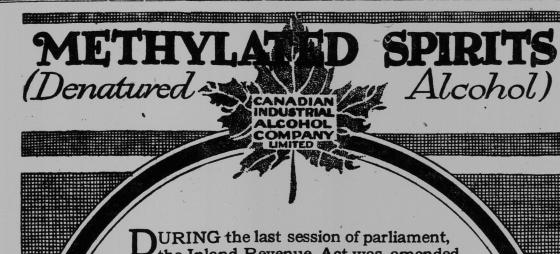
At one place Governor Cox asked if any person in the audience objected to the League of Nations.

"I object to the whole thing," exclaimed one man.

"Why do you object?" the Governor asked.

"America should take care of herself," was the answer.

"What was the song they sang in Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany before the war?" asked Governor Cox. "The probability is that Germany will be a member of the League of Nations before this year is over. What is good for one nation ought to be good for all nations. I agree with you as to that. The salva-A large quantity of strong beer has



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