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Situation More Tense In Ireland Today

General Strike Causes Increased Fear as to Developments - Constable in Dublin Shot - London Papers on the Hunger Strike.

Dublin, April 14.—The general strike declared yesterday in protests against the treatment of the Irish hunger strikers in Mount Joy prison continued today with added tension and increased fears of serious developments.

The day was marked early by a fatality. Constable Harry Kelly being shot dead while on plain clothes duty in Camden street in an unidentified young man. He fired two shots from his revolver and ran away.

Thousands of people are parading the streets and collisions between the police and the military are frequent. There have been rapid developments in connection with the strike.

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LOCAL NEWS

Ladies, if it's a sailor hat, price and styles right at the Storey Millinery, 165 Union street.

NOTICE. Get your tickets at once and avoid disappointment. Gravel Concert, April 19.

WANTED. At once, a woman with best references and experience in whitewash, etc. Apply F. W. Daniel & Co., white-wear department, 3rd floor.

COPIED FROM NEW YORK SUN. Gravelure the King of Barmotes. Imperial Theatre, April 19.

NOTICE. NOTICE. NOTICE. This time the Gravelure Concert, Imperial Theatre, April 19.

PROVINCIAL MEMORIAL HOME. WRIGHT STREET. The treasurer, R. Usher Miller, P. O. Box 198, city, acknowledges the following generous amounts:

ROYAL ARMS CHAPTER, I. O. O. F., \$50.00. Mrs. H. A. McKewen (monthly), 2.00. Three South End Friends, 7.00. Two North End Friends, 5.00. Mrs. D. J. McLaughlin, 2.00. N. B. ... 2.60. H. USHER MILLER, Treas.

SPECIAL OFFERING OF SPRING TOPCOATS. AT OAK HALL. It is recognized fact now that when Oak Hall announces a special offering it is worthy of one's most serious consideration, because it is genuine in every sense of the word, and means really savings to those who take advantage of them.

News Notes About Prominent Baptists. (Maritime Baptist.) We regret to hear of the serious illness of Rev. R. B. Kinley. He has spent the winter with his son, Rev. S. Kinley, at the latter's home.

CUMBERLAND, N. S. COUNCIL ELECTS GIRL; CUTS PAY. Halifax, N. S., April 14.—A special Amherst despatch to the Halifax Herald.

PERSONALS. Mrs. Elmer R. Ingraham (see Robinson) will receive for her first time this morning for her first time this morning.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Miss Ellen Gertrude Carey took place this afternoon at St. Peter's church, where burial service was conducted by Rev. Edward Scully, C. S. R.

CARD OF THANKS. The sons of the late Mrs. Ellen Foote wish to express their deep sense of thanks for sympathy, floral offerings and spiritual bouquets on the sad occasion of their mother's death.

THE SONS' WEDDING. Moncton Transcript—Rev. W. H. Barron and Mrs. Barron left this afternoon for Toronto to attend the wedding of their son, Dr. W. Barron, which takes place on Wednesday.

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EIGHT NEW COMPANIES

(Special to Alma.) Fredericton, N. B., April 14.—Notices of incorporation of eight new companies are contained in the Royal Gazette issued today and may be taken as an indication of continued commercial and industrial activity in this province.

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RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS HERE AND CLASSIFICATION

A meeting of N. B. & P. E. I. Railway Mail Clerks Association was held last evening in their rooms Market Building. President A. K. Melick occupied the chair. A large number of members were present and great satisfaction was expressed over the introduction of an amendment to the civil service act making classification retroactive to April 1919.

Passenger Service Cut in Half by Switchmen's Strike - New England Is Hard Hit.

New York, April 14.—Following is a summary of strike conditions throughout the United States: New York: Freight traffic virtually at a standstill. Passenger service cut to fifty per cent or less on all lines except the New York Central and West Shore. Thousands of commuters roomed. Volunteer crews run locals. Strike breakers attacked at Staten Island.

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ST. JOHN MAN IS REPORTED TO BE MISSING

(Canadian Press.) Fredericton, April 14.—Cornelius Hefferman, a cattle buyer, aged thirty-five years of St. John, disappeared mysteriously a few weeks ago and Chief of Police Finley this morning said that the Fredericton police department had been asked to assist in locating him.

Pay of Vocational Teachers One of Matters Gone Into. Fredericton, N. B., April 14.—The provincial vocational board at their meeting here have decided to ask legislation empowering them to pay fifty per cent of the salaries of vocational teachers in cities having a population of more than 6,000 people; sixty-six and two-thirds per cent of the salaries in towns of a population between 2,000 and 6,000 people; and seventy-five per cent in towns having a population of less than 2,000.

Government Wins in This By-Election. London, April 14.—In the Basingstoke constituency Sir Arthur Holbrook, Coalition-Unionist, was elected to the House of Commons to succeed Sir Auckland Geddes, now ambassador to the United States. The Liberal and Labor candidates were second and third respectively, with a difference of only forty-one votes between them.

INDIAN TOWN FERRY. The gasoline ferry which it is planned to put in service between St. John and Milford has been measured by members of the marine department and found to be just within the five ton limit. This makes the boat acceptable for the Lanesville and Godwin routes, which it will likely be placed on the route in a few days. The boat is now owned by Wellington and Godwin respectively, was formerly in the possession of Tapley Bros. She will seat twenty-three or twenty-five persons in her cabin.

ACCEPTANCES FOR BALANCE EXCEEDED 800. Fredericton, N. B., April 14.—Upwards of 800 acceptances have been received up to noon today for a bill to be given to the parliament buildings this evening by the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Pugsley.

FEARFUL LOSS OF LIFE IN EXPLOSION. Brussels, April 14.—Two hundred persons are believed to have been killed as the result of an explosion in a chemical factory at Stolberg, near Aachen-Chapelle, Rhineland Prussia.

General Langton Resigns. Ottawa, April 14.—The militia department announces that owing to the condition of his health, Brigadier-General G. Langton has resigned his position as finance member of the militia council.

HALIFAX LABOR IS DIVIDED ON THE DAYLIGHT SAVING. Halifax, N. S., April 14.—By a vote of practically two to one, the carpenters of the city have gone on record against daylight saving plan here. The bricklayers have voted in favor of it and the fish workers are on the fence. The final attitude of labor will be decided by the Trades and Labor Council Friday night.

MILLIONS OF POUNDS OF MEAT FOR NEW YORK. New York, April 14.—Arrangements for distribution of 12,000,000 pounds of beef under government direction to consumers here to break the upward trend of prices resulting from the railroad strike, was announced by federal agents today. It was also said additional supplies, held by the army in reserve, will be released, if the strike continues.

BOY OF FOURTEEN ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE. Montreal, April 14.—Charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Camille Godin, Paul Heck, a fourteen-year-old boy, appeared before Judge Choquette yesterday. The charge was that having caused the death of Godin on Dec. 27 last by shooting him through the head with a 22-caliber revolver.

NOT AFTER THE NOBIE. Halifax, April 14.—Asterik regarding the report that his firm was negotiating for the purchase of H. M. C. S. - Nobie, George Brister, of Brister and Son, said this morning there was "nothing in it."

THE DILIGENT AFOAT. Halifax, April 14.—The United States shipping board tug Diligent, Captain Monteth, which was ashore at Cape Bald all last winter, arrived here early this morning from Point Du Chene, N. B. She was the first vessel in and out of Cape Bald and Point Du Chene this season.

Guarding the Roads. Sackville Post: Several joy riders who were out on the country roads on Sunday were reported by the Sackville police yesterday. They will probably have a session with Magistrate Cass.

Daylight Saving. A despatch from Charlottetown says that the city council has adopted daylight saving.

THE BANK RATE UP TOMORROW? London, April 14.—Announcement by the Bank of England today that the rate of interest on treasury bills had been raised one per cent to six and one-half per cent, foreshadows the announcement tomorrow of a seven per cent bank rate.

THE LATE MRS. POOLE. The Yarmouth correspondent of the Halifax Chronicle writes: "Mrs. Stephen Poole of Sand Beach, Yarmouth county, died at her home there Sunday evening after a very protracted illness with which for the past two years she has been confined to her room. The deceased was a native of Cape Breton, but after her marriage to Mr. Poole, who pre-deceased her several months ago, she removed to Sand Beach, where they made their home. Mrs. Poole was a member of the Temple U. B. Church, Yarmouth, South. In her death the denomination suffers a distinct loss. Mrs. Fred L. Phillips, Yarmouth South, Mrs. Augustus Hilton, Rockville, Yarmouth county, and Mrs. H. L. Crosby, Cambridge, Mass. Five sons, Rev. Sheldon S. pastor of the German street U. B. church, St. John; George, in Mexico; Kenneth, Vermont; Charles Warren and Harry at home; also two sisters, Mrs. Mary E. Harvey at Georges River, C. B., and Mrs. John F. Rankine, Port Morien, C. B."