

### BURN STORES IN REPRISAL FOR AMBUSH

Irish Town Pays Penalty for Death of Divisional Commander of Police.

### CANNOT STOP THE EXECUTION OF MURPHY

Plea That Court Martial Was Illegal May be Investigated Before Death.

Cork, Jan. 31.—Several stores in Williamstown were burned by the military on Saturday in reprisal, it is declared, for Friday's ambush near Castle Island, County Kerry. It was in this ambush that Divisional Commander Holmes received injuries which brought about his death, and in which five constables were wounded.

### Cannot Stop Execution

Dublin, Jan. 31.—On the appeal of Joseph Murphy, who was found guilty by a court martial of having led an attack in Cork, October 8, against the military and sentenced to death, the court today upheld a decision that it was powerless to stay execution of the sentence but it thought the prisoner should be given time to make further representations before the court martial.

### What is Contended

Murphy had asked the court of appeals to upset the former proceedings on the ground of the refusal of the court martial to permit of a certain cross examination on behalf of the prisoner. It was also contended that the proceedings were held prior to the proclamation of martial law. On this contention the court held that the court martial had been established according to statute and was competent to impose sentence and that therefore interference with it would be unprecedented.

### O'Callaghan Re-Elected

Cork, Jan. 31.—The Cork Corporation today re-elected Donal O'Callaghan Lord Mayor. O'Callaghan is at present in the United States.

### Wire Flashes

Telegraphic News Condensed from Last Minute Messages for Quick Reading.

### Gold Bars Come

New York, Jan. 31.—Gold bars valued at \$4,500,000 arrived yesterday on the steamer Aquitania.

### Died of Sleeping Sickness

Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 31.—John W. Jones of this town died today from sleeping sickness. He was taken ill on Friday, January 21.

### Little Change in Work

Washington, Jan. 31.—Industrial operations in the United States have not increased sufficiently to effect a material reduction in the widespread unemployment prevalent a month ago.

### Two Burgles Sunk

Snowdrift, Mass., Jan. 31.—Two of three empty coal barges which were in trouble in a northern storm at the eastern end of the Cape Cod canal today were at the bottom of the bay tonight. The crews were safe.

### Children Are Killed

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 31.—Two children were killed, several seriously injured and a dozen others slightly injured when a train on the Annapolis Short line ran into a school bus near Shipley, Md.

### Guilty of Murder

Providence, R. I., Jan. 31.—Johf E. Adams, on trial for the slaying of Miss Rose V. McKenna, on Barrington Parkway on the night of September 2, was this afternoon found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury in the Superior Court.

### Lewis Wins Again

Boston, Mass., Jan. 31.—Ed. "Strangler" Lewis, world's champion at catch-as-catch-can wrestling, retained his title tonight when he threw Renato Gardini, Italian heavyweight.

### Expect Conference Feb. 7

Paris, Jan. 31.—For the resumption of the conference of experts on reparations, which is called for February 7 at Brussels, the Allies have formulated a definite and elaborate programme as a basis for the discussion. The German delegates have been notified of the date and asked to attend.

### Dr. Klotz Dead

Ottawa, Jan. 31.—Dr. Max Klotz, eminent surgeon, submarine and sportsman, died at his home here early today of pneumonia after a week's illness.

### Hon. Mr. Fielding For West Peterboro

Hon. Mr. King and Hon. Chas. Murphy Also Expected to Take Part in Contest.

Ottawa, Jan. 31.—The candidature of G. N. Gordon, who is Liberal standard bearer in West Peterboro in the by-election tonight, will receive strong support from the platform throughout the riding during the week. On Wednesday Hon. W. S. Fielding, former Liberal minister of finance, and Hon. Charles Murphy, former secretary of state, will go to Peterboro to address meetings, and on Thursday Hon. Mackenzie King, Liberal leader, will visit the riding, probably spending the balance of the week there with Mr. Murphy, addressing meetings in the city and throughout the constituency.

### TERRIFIC STORM SWEEPS PACIFIC COAST DISTRICT

Two Dead and Several Injured in 150 Mile Per Hour Wind.

### VANCOUVER ISLAND WIRES ALL DOWN

Street Cars Service Cut off and Great Numbers of Trees Blown Down.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 31.—Frank Smith, 23, an employe of a logging company, at Jordan River, was instantly killed Saturday night and the whole of Vancouver Island, was completely isolated from telegraphic communication with the outside world as a result of a storm of hurricane proportion, which struck the lower portion of the island at six o'clock Saturday and which continued until seven o'clock Sunday night. The wind at times attained a velocity of sixty miles an hour.

### Stopped Street Cars

Street car service here had to be discontinued for several hours and the lighting system was also put out of commission for an hour. Rain accompanied the wind at intervals. Smith met the death while returning to his home at Jordan River in an auto with several friends.

Near Cole Creek a huge tree blown down by the wind smashed across the car carrying Smith to death and injuring the other occupants.

### Engineer Is Killed

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 31.—A. A. Brown, engineer, was instantly killed, and Jesse McMillin, his assistant, was badly injured Saturday when a sudden gale blew four smoke stacks from their staves at the plant of the Anderson-Middleton Lumber Company's yards, plunging them through the engine room roof. Telegraph and telephone wires were all prostrated by the storm, one of the most violent in years.

### IRISH LEADER FREE

Dublin, Jan. 31.—Col. Maurice Moore, commander of the Irish National Volunteers, who was arrested in his residence Saturday night by the military, was liberated today.

### FIRE WAS SMALL BUT FOUR DEAD

Mother and Three Children Smothered to Death After Husband Goes to Work.

London, Ont., Jan. 31.—The wife and three children of James H. Glover, 619 Bathurst street, are dead from suffocation as a result of a small blaze in the home about 6.45 o'clock this morning.

The fire started from an overheated stove in the back part of the house, and apparently the eldest of the three children, who was in a second room, was the only one who noticed anything wrong. The flames found her on the floor, she evidently having attempted to reach her mother. The children, 8 years, 5 years and 17 months old respectively.

The father left the house a few minutes before six o'clock every day apparently all right. The damage from fire was \$100.

### EXTRA VOTE OFFER BEST OF CONTEST

Two Hundred Thousand Extra Vote Offer for Cash Subscriptions.

### ATTRACTIVE CHANCE NOT TO BE REPEATED

Special Inducement Given to Candidates for Early Start in Prize Competition.

The wise contestants in The Standard's big \$15,000 prize contest will make every minute count this week, and secure as many of the extra vote ballots as possible during the big Bargain Week EXTRA vote offer.

300,000 EXTRA votes are being given for each and every \$15 worth of subscriptions secured by 8 P. M. Saturday night, Feb. 5th. This extra vote offer is an exceptional offer and will not be given again or extended. It is being given to aid the contestants in getting the early start for the special Starr Photograph Offer.

### The Special Prizes

Two magnificent \$216 Starr Photographs are offered as special prizes to the contestants who turn in the greatest amount of subscription money by midnight, Feb. 5th.

One of the Starr Photographs will be given in each district. The Photographs are EXTRA prizes and all votes secured while working for them will count towards the regular prizes, consisting of the big Standard, the Gray-Dort, the Ford, the Movie Star Car and the other regular prizes.

### Not Too Late

It is not too late to enroll in the big contest. Send in your entry blank at once and get your share of the extra vote ballots. With the announcement of the big extra offer and the special prize offer, the contest started in earnest.

Address all communications to The Automobile & Movie Star Department of The Standard, St. John, N. B. Fourth Floor, Standard Bldg. (Phone M. 1910.)

### AT THE MEMORIAL TODAY

Louis Stone in "The River's End." Anita Stewart in "The Sins of Mothers."

### AT THE QUEEN'S SQUARE TODAY—Olive Thomas in "The Spite Bride."

Two of the prizes to be given away in The Standard's big contest are opportunities to become Movie Stars with The Universal Film Company. Filmmaker's largest and most progressive Moving Picture Company.

### Judge Condemns Boys' Home Leaders

Toronto, Jan. 31.—Complete change of management at Inglebrook Park Boys' Home, at Barrie, and change of methods of treating the boys also is the recommendation of Judge Denton in his report on the recent inquiry into the conditions at this institution. The judge calls for the resignation of both Herbert Smith, superintendent, and Mrs. Watson, matron, as necessary to the reorganization of the home, which he declares has not yet had a fair trial. "The charge of unbecoming conduct in the home has, I think, been proven," states the judge.

### Got Too Much Money Out of Ponzi Fund

Boston, Mass., Jan. 31.—When Mrs. Nina Pedroni, alias Mrs. Theresa Mangano, presented a deposit certificate for \$14 at the office of Charles Ponzi last summer, she received through an error a check for \$1,400. Today she was arrested on a charge of larceny from the man who is serving a term in the Plymouth jail for his "50 per cent. in 45 days" scheme, that defrauded thousands of investors. The complainants are the trustees in bankruptcy of the Ponzi estate.

### BUILDERS DENY CONSPIRACY

New York, Jan. 31.—Forty-four dealers in builders and masons supplies appeared before Supreme Court Judge McRoy here today and pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging them with conspiracy in restraint of trade. They were released in \$1,500 bail, and were given a week in which to change their plea to make any necessary motion.

### FELL DOWN HATCH

Bruce Higgins, one of the crew on the "Canach" steamer, which is docked in the Market Slip, stumbled and fell 35 feet into a hatch hole last night. He was on his way ashore at the time of the accident. Dr. P. H. Nerve was immediately summoned and Higgins was removed to the Public Hospital. It was found that he had suffered a deep laceration of the scalp and dislocated his right shoulder. Up to an early hour this morning he was still unconscious.

### WORLD NEWS TODAY CANADA

Lingley Hall, part of Mt. Allison University, is burned at Sackville, N. B. Fire saves two families from flames at Chatham, N. B.

Five labor and four citizens' elected in Democratic civic contest. Terrific storm sweeps the Pacific coast at rate of 150 miles per hour doing immense damage.

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### UNITED STATES

Gangsters meet hard luck when they attack shoe maker who smashes one with a lead pipe; Toledo collector shoots bandit who assaults him.

Pres. Wilson refuses to pardon Eugene V. Debs to carry Reds from the United States to their own lands across sea.

### THE BRITISH ISLES

Part of Irish town is burned in reprisal for the ambushing of Crown forces. Court decides it cannot prevent the execution of Sinn Fein leader but urges a reconsideration of the case.

### KIDNAP GIRL TO GET REVENGE IN BUSINESS DEAL

Smart Telephone Operator Catches Alleged Criminals When They Call Friend.

### POLICE ALLEGE ONE HAS CONFESSED ALL

Woman Was Lured Away to Auto on Story of Sick Friend Calling Her.

Los Angeles, Jan. 31.—A. J. and Floyd Carr, cousins of Mrs. Gladys Withereil, who were arrested today when Mrs. Withereil disappeared last Tuesday from her home here, were discovered in a small house on sheep ranch about seventy miles from Los Angeles early today, according to the police. Confessions they had given toward the woman's father-in-law, R. J. Withereil, became of a transaction involving a boat, and that they kidnaped Mrs. Withereil, both to obtain revenge and ransom money, of which it was said, they had demanded \$20,000.

Caught by 'Phone Girl. A telephone operator's quick wittedness led to the discovery of Mrs. Withereil and the Carrs' arrest. The operator received a call from a pay station for the residence of O. S. Withereil, and delayed making the connection until the police had been sent to the pay station, where they arrested A. J. Carr, just as he was concluding a delayed conversation which he had promised relatives in a letter sent them Saturday.

### One Alleged Confession

At the police station, Carr, it was said, confessed that he had spent Saturday night outside of Los Angeles, afraid to communicate with the Withereils as he had agreed by letter. Floyd Carr, according to the confession of his cousin, was the leader in the kidnaping. The police said A. J. Carr told them that Floyd Carr went to the Withereil home last Tuesday night and told Mrs. Withereil a friend had been injured in an automobile accident.

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### Lakeside Candidates

Winnipeg, Jan. 31.—Hon. C. D. McPherson, newspaper publisher, and E. H. Muir, farmer, were the candidates nominated officially today to contest Lakeside constituency at the by-election which takes place there February 7. Col. McPherson is a Morris Government supporter, and Mr. Muir an independent farmer candidate.

### CANADA WILL GET PART OF GERMAN CASH

"Heaven Only Knows When" Declares Gov't Official of Date of Payment.

### SHARE WILL COME FROM THE MOTHERLAND

Nothing Expected, However, for a Long Time and Amount Very Uncertain.

Ottawa, Jan. 31.—"Canada expects to get something in the line of a German indemnity in repayment for her war efforts and expense and sacrifices, but heaven knows when," is the way one official put it today.

The question is being taken up by the government, but that any money will be coming Canada's way in the very near future is not looked for. Germany has stopped payments through her clearing houses and seeks payments in long installments.

Great Britain is supposed to get twenty per cent. of the total reparations. Out of that percentage Canada will have a share estimated from five to seven per cent. When she will get it, and how much it will amount to in real cash, are problems in the lap of the Gods. In any event the Dominion Government, while fully expecting something eventually does not regard the German indemnity in the light of a very liquid asset.

### WIFE MURDERS HER HUSBAND

Eternal Triangle Alleged to be Responsible for Camp Dix Shooting Tragedy.

Camp Dix, N. J., Jan. 31.—Corporal Linville, 25 years of age, whose home is in West Virginia, was shot and killed in his barracks here last Saturday night by the local military authorities.

His wife, Mrs. Florence Linville, who is charged with the shooting in the camp hospital, it was stated in a critical condition with a bullet through her body.

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### Shipload of "Reds" Leaves America Today

Great Demonstration in Philadelphia When 17 Radicals Are Started to Ellis Island.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 31.—Waying red flags and singing the "Communist Internationale" seventeen alleged radicals, one of them a woman, were today taken from the Gloucester immigration station to Ellis Island, N. Y., where they join others from Boston who are to be deported tomorrow on the steamer Esthonia. A crowd of more than one hundred of their friends, also waving red flags, saw them off at a railroad station here.

### GANGSTERS GOT HOT RECEPTIONS IN TWO PLACES

Cobbler Hit One Terrific Blow With Lead Pipe and Saved Cash.

### COLLECTOR SHOT HIS ASSAILANT DEAD

Grabbed Wrist of Robber and Killed Him With His Own Weapon.

Boston, Jan. 31.—Moses Greenuppan, stopped peering shoes in his shop on Shawmut Avenue today long enough to reach for a package of cigarettes in response to a request from one of two men who had entered. At the same time he picked up a piece of lead pipe which he kept beside him as a precaution against robbers. Turning around he faced a pistol, as he had expected, but an instant later the pipe landed on the wrist of one of the men and the weapon fell to the floor.

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Flames Consumed Structure Erected in 1860 and Former Convocation Hall.

### GERMAN FOKKER IS BURNED ALSO

Students Formed Bucket Brigade in Vain Attempt to Save Structure.

Special to The Standard. Sackville, Jan. 31.—Lingley Hall, a part of Mount Allison University, was burned to the ground this evening with a loss of about \$35,000. The building was erected in 1860 at a cost of \$10,000 at that time.

A German aeroplane, that had been presented to the university as a trophy of war, was consumed. The arms and equipment of the Officers' Training Corps were saved.

Lingley Hall was used as a gymnasium at present and during the earlier part of this evening the training corps had been drilling there.

Students Fought Flames. When the fire was discovered it had already reached very dangerous proportions. The students formed a bucket brigade and did their best to extinguish the outbreak, but it was impossible to cope with the element. When it was erected it stood on the site of the present Hart Hall, but it was removed a few years ago to make a suitable site for convocation hall of the university. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

### FIREMEN CAUGHT IN FIERY WAVE AND THREE DIE

Working on Front of Providence Building When Flames Shot Into Faces.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 31.—At least three firemen were killed and ten or twelve more seriously injured when a wall of the building at 88 Mathewson street, collapsed during a fire about 3.45 o'clock this morning.

The blaze started in a pool room and bowling alley and spread with great rapidity, necessitating three alarms. The dead are Lieut. Thomas H. Kellher, John Tague and Arthur Cooper.

Trapped on the roof and blinded by smoke, men flames suddenly severed the front wall, a company of firemen were hurled into a fiery pit. Their comrades in the street were showered with falling javelins of blazing beams and debris, but despite the danger, they rushed into the ruins and brought out the living and the dead. The building was of four stories. In the first floor was a restaurant; on the second a billiard parlor, while bowling alleys and dance hall occupied the remainder.

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