

BELFAST CIVILIANS ENGAGE IN FIRING

Several Persons Badly Wounded—Firing Followed Terrific Bomb Explosion in Which Newsboy Was Injured.

Belfast, Feb. 17.—There was heavy firing by civilians in the short Strand district at eight o'clock this evening. Several persons were badly wounded. The firing followed a terrific bomb explosion at five o'clock this afternoon at the corner of Vulcan and St. Andrew's streets.

Streets and Newmarket Road, when Tom Mallan, a fourteen year old newsboy, was seriously wounded in the leg and head. There also was shooting in which the debate in the House of Commons on Sunday night. The barracks had not yet been evacuated. After the raid on the republican army men held the barracks. It is declared that elaborate preparations had been made for the raid.

POLICE BARRACKS AT CLONNIEL RAIDED

Motor Car, Rifles, Machine Guns and Ammunition Seized by Members of Irish Republican Army.

London, Feb. 17.—Armed men raided the police barracks at Clonniel, County Tipperary, says a Central News despatch tonight, and seized seven motor cars, about 300 rifles, three machine guns, 300,000 rounds of ammunition for small arms and 100 revolvers.

The Press Association says the raid was made by the members of the Irish Republican Army on Sunday night. The barracks had not yet been evacuated. After the raid on the republican army men held the barracks. It is declared that elaborate preparations had been made for the raid.

BANDITS MAKE HAUL FROM STANDARD OIL

In Spectacular Daylight Robbery Secure \$70,000 in Cash and Cheques.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 17.—An amount, estimated as high as \$70,000 in cash and checks, was obtained by bandits in a spectacular daylight robbery of three employees of the Standard Oil Company here today, according to the police.

Suffrage Fight Rocks Seat of Gov't At Tokio

Many Injured and Arrested During Riots—6,000 Policemen to Maintain Order.

Tokio, Feb. 17.—Following an unexpected adjournment last evening of the Diet on the Diet on the Universal Suffrage bill, riot broke out in Tokio last night. Many persons were injured and many arrests have been made. Throughout the day the crowds had been orderly, being cowed by six thousand policemen, the largest police interference, it is said, in the history of constitutional government in Japan. Before noon thousands of suffragists had gathered near the Diet building, covering the roofs and filling the streets. At the headquarters of the Kenseikai party, supporting the suffrage bill now before the Diet, there was the largest throng of all day. When riotous leaders hurled the mob from the roof of the building, asking that there be no bloodshed, but a constitutional fight.

TO RETAIN GOOD HEALTH FOLLOW THIS ADVICE

Most important of all is proper attention to the bowels. Avoid constipation—it's the health-killer of today. Harsh gripping medicine is ruinous—be wary of it. Best results, follow a remedy like Dr. Hamilton's Pills which relieve constipation promptly and tone the bowels so that constipation becomes a thing of the past. No distress or inconvenience attends the use of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are famous for their mildness and efficiency. For headache, biliousness, indigestion and liver complaint, Dr. Hamilton's Pills are just what you need. Thousands maintain their health by regulating frequently with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. 25c. all dealers or The Catarthosone Co., Montreal.

MARRIED FIVE YEARS HAVE 12 CHILDREN

Brownville, Kp., Feb. 17.—Four new babies all born at the same time, increased the family of Willie Portet, of Boesing, Edmundson County, to twelve children. Portet has been married five years. Their first eight children were four pairs of twins. All the children are reported to be doing well.

CUTICURA HEALS SCALES ON HEAD Also Eruptions on Face. Very Disfiguring.

"My trouble began with small patches of scales upon my scalp which spread and covered the top of my head. My hair became dry and brittle and fell out soon. The trouble expressed in circles on my face. The eruptions on my face were very disfiguring. A friend advised Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I sent for a free sample which helped me, so I bought more, and after using one box of Ointment, together with the Soap, I was healed." (Signed) George Ross, Jr., Fullerton, Wash.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER AFTER 48 YEARS

Tuscaloosa, Ala., Feb. 17.—Thirty-eight years after the killing of Peter Mooney at Rome, Ga., George Nichols, was arrested today in connection with the crime.

PURSE OF GOLD

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 17.—Rev. S. B. G. Wright, who is returning to Ontario, was tonight presented with a purse of gold by the congregation of All Saints' Cathedral.

WAS TROUBLED WITH HER LIVER FOR OVER 4 MONTHS

"When the liver becomes slow, sluggish and torpid it is not working properly and does not supply sufficient bile to thoroughly act on the bowels and carry off the waste products of the system. The bowels become clogged up, the bile gets into the blood, constipation sets in and liver troubles follow among which are, sick or bilious headache, heartburn, water brash, jaundice, floating specks before the eyes, pain under the right shoulder, coated tongue, bad breath, yellow eyes, etc.

MILBURN'S LAXA-LIVER PILLS

quickly remove the secretions, drive away the effects and waste matter by acting directly on the liver, and making the bile pass through the bowels instead of allowing it to get into the blood. Mrs. Alice McNeill, Nipawun, Ont., writes:—"I was very badly run down for over four months. I tried several remedies, but got no relief. One day my husband brought me home a box of Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills, and before I had used half of it I was much better. I only need two boxes and I am a different person today. I can safely recommend Laxa-Liver Pills to any one troubled with liver trouble. Price, 50c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The E. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Prices: 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50. MATINEE 50c and 75c.

Imperial, March 6 & 7 Matinee Tues. March 7th. The Famous Canadian Comedy of the Lens Sector. CAPT. FRÉD. B. FISHER PRESENTS "MADEMOISELLE OF ARMENTIERES" A Tale of the Lens Sector in 1918. Scenes laid at Bully Grenay, Lens, and Hill 70. The Attraction That Has Been Smashing All Records from Coast to Coast—Don't Fail to See It. Evenings at 8.15. Tues Mat at 2.30

Uric Acid in Meat Clogs The Kidneys

Take a Glass of Salts If Your Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers.

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat furnishes uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, distaste, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush out the body's urinous waste, get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will not set fast. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink.

Returns From Ottawa Convention

Mrs. E. Atherton Smith Speaks of Business Conducted by National Council of Women Executive.

Mrs. E. Atherton Smith arrived home yesterday from Ottawa, where she attended the executive meeting of the National Council of Women, held on February 22-23. This meeting was largely attended and many interesting matters were brought up and dealt with. A delegation from the executive of the Lower St. Lawrence, N. B., M. McKenna and stood before them some amendments which they desired to have made to the constitution and received the assurance of the ministers that the consideration would be given to their requests. Mrs. W. E. Sanford, national president, was in the chair. Regrets were expressed that Mrs. H. Parsons, national corresponding secretary and Mrs. Adam Shortt, were unable to attend on account of illness.

Devon To Promote Legislation of Some Local Importance

To Take An Unusual Method to Encourage Building of Residences.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 17.—Legislation of considerable importance in this section is to be promoted at the coming session of the Legislature. Notice of legislation has been given by the Fredericton School Board, City of Fredericton and Town of Devon. All the matters concerned are of importance.

The Town of Devon is taking an unusual method to encourage building of residences. Legislation to permit exemption from taxation for a period of five years for new dwellings, is advertised; school taxes are not to be exempt but it is believed by the town council that exemption will encourage the erection of residences and aid in the solution of the housing problem.

Devon also is introducing legislation to permit the imposition of a license fee upon every person, not a resident or rate payer of the town, who shall engage in business or carry on a calling within its limits.

For some years past there has been a controversy concerning the assessment of residents of Devon, who work in Fredericton, and vice versa. There is likely to be some discussion over this proposed legislation with opposition from some quarters.

The Fredericton School Board will promote legislation to increase the maximum for school assessment from sixty thousand dollars to eighty thousand dollars. It had been reported that the maximum was to be one hundred thousand dollars, but public opinion was strongly against such an increase. As it is, the proposed increase is twenty thousand dollars over that in force at present.

For Colds, Grip or Influenza and as a Preventive, take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets. The genuine bears the signature of E. W. Grove (Be sure you get BROMO.) 30c. Made in Canada.

BOMBS THROWN UNDER PALACE AT FIUME

Rome, Feb. 17.—Two bombs, both of which failed to explode, were thrown under the government palace at Fiume last night, in an attempt to blow up the guards of the night service, says a despatch received here today. Those responsible for throwing the bombs fled.

U. S. Senators Are Wondering How Kaiser Did It

Washington, Feb. 17.—During the discussion of the bonus question today Senator Hottel (Ais.) pumiled the Senators and those in the galleries by declaring: "There stood the Kaiser on the battle plains of France, with his army, gazing into the distance through his field glasses." Senator Hottel did not stop to explain how the Kaiser performed that remarkable feat and the dignified Senators put their heads together trying to figure it out. One suggested that the Crown Prince was holding the field glasses for the Kaiser; another suggested Landendorff. But these were mere guesses. The riddle has not been solved and Senator Hottel did not offer an explanation.

Sulphur Clears Up Rough Or Red Skin

Face, Neck and Arms Easily Made Smooth, Says Specialist

Any breaking out of the skin, even bery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Montho Sulphur, declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation begins its work to soothe irritated skin and heal eruptions such as rash, pimples and ring worm.

It seldom fails to remove the torment and disfigurement and you do not have to wait for relief from eczema. Improvement quickly shows. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Montho Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

GIVE UP IDEA TO UNSEAT MOTHERWELL

Regina, Sask., Feb. 17.—No action will be taken to unseat Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Regina's representative in the Federal Parliament, and Minister of Agriculture, today, by a Progressive high up in the Council of the party here, who stipulated that he must not be quoted. "In my

ECZEMA

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GERMANY'S SHIPPING SHOWS GREAT

Merchant Fleet Which Fell Shipping Has Risen to Approximation Made Before

Berlin, Feb. 17.—The revival of German shipping trade continues steadily. At the outbreak of the world war Germany possessed the second largest merchant fleet in the world, but through the compulsory surrender, as stipulated in the Versailles Treaty, of all ships of more than 1,000 tons, she sank to fourteenth place.

The process of reconstruction now being carried on with such striking success was, of course, only rendered possible in the first instance through the shipping trade agreement made between the government and the owners, according to the terms of which the former contributed 12,000,000,000 marks for that purpose. That sum, considerable though it is, would not have been sufficient to enable the contemplated reconstruction to be effected, and so additional ways of reaching that end had to be sought for.

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