

KILLED GIRL BECAUSE SHE REFUSED LOVE

Sensational Evidence Given at Trial of Newman Clark for Murder at Grand Falls.

"SEE WHAT I HAVE DONE" PRISONER SAID

"Why Did I Kill My Darling" He Wailed When Doctor Came to His Side.

Special to The Standard. Andover, N. B., Nov. 30.—Presenting a picture of indifference to his surroundings crouched in a chair, his eyes closed and apparently oblivious to all that was going on Newman Clark sat in the prisoner's dock today and listened to an array of evidence connecting him up with the murder of Phoebe Bell at Grand Falls on the afternoon of March 25th. The grand jury returned a true bill against Clark this morning, and at the afternoon session a jury was empanelled and the case taken up.

Eye Witnesses There.

The Crown case is a strong one and witnesses were produced who were practically eye observers of the shooting and the subsequent attempt of Clark to commit suicide. The story as revealed today finds Clark, Phoebe Bell, the victim, Claude Murphy and Mrs. Ida Carney, whose name was Miss Ida Pelletier at the time of the murder, celebrating a birthday party at the latter's home on the evening of March 24th. Clark was an invited guest and proceeded to the party where he was not strictly harmonious.

The following afternoon, March 25th, the day of the tragedy, the same four met at the home of Mrs. Herbert Woods, in Grand Falls.

The Fatal Quarrel.

From the story told on the stand today by Mrs. Carney, the jury learned that the party played baseball for a short time in the yard adjoining the Wood home. About three o'clock they entered the house, went into the setting room when they had music song and dance. After a short time Phoebe Bell went into a bedroom to dress. Clark followed and some words talking took place. Clark was heard to ask Miss Bell to become his wife. She said: "I will not." Previous to this the two had entered into a little quarrel because Miss Bell thought Clark was making fun of her and laughing at her she was heard to say "This is the last time you will laugh at me."

Admits the Shooting.

After her refusal to marry him the witness, who was in the adjoining room heard three shots in succession. She and one Claude Murphy jumped to their feet, near the door peered in the room and saw Phoebe Bell lying on the bed with a bullet hole in her head. Clark stood then with revolver in his hand. He came toward the two and said "Don't be afraid. See what I have done. I killed the girl because I could not have her as my wife. Now if you want to see me go, look at me," with that he rolled back his shirt and showed the gun to his breast. Witness said she then ran out, but heard shots two in all.

A Second Witness.

The story of Mrs. Carney was corroborated by the testimony of Murphy who revealed that after firing one shot at himself in the bedroom the accused ran out of the house and fired two more. Provincial Constable McLaughlin told of being called to the scene and described the position the body was in and also said that Clark was lying in a pool of blood on the kitchen floor. The officer also told of finding the revolver with two empty cartridges and one loaded. The previous witness had told of three empty cartridges having been picked up on the bedroom floor before the officer arrived.

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ANGUS SHOPS LAY OFF OVER 1,100 WORKERS

Labor Leaders of Montreal Say Steel Workers of the City Have Little Work.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—Reports made to headquarters of the labor unions here yesterday stated that 1,100 workers had been laid off temporarily at the Angus shops. These reports were confirmed by J. T. Foster, president of the Trades and Labor Council who added that the same conditions obtained, not only at the Angus shops, but also in practically all the metal industry shops in Montreal and district. Grant Hall, vice president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, asked in regard to the laying off of men, declared today that a certain number were being laid off, but that this number certainly did not amount to seventy per cent of the staff. He could not say how many had been laid off nor for how long a period.

Wilson To Mediate In Armenian Case By Moral Powers

President of U. S. Accepts Offer Made Last Week by League President.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—President Wilson has accepted the invitation of the League of Nations to act as mediator in the Armenian situation. Mr. Wilson's acceptance is conditioned upon the use of moral influence. He explains that he is without authority to employ force without the consent of congress. The invitation to mediate between the factions in Armenia was extended to Mr. Wilson last week through Paul Hymans, president of the League Assembly. Mr. Wilson already has consented to fix the boundary lines of Armenia and he now has before him special reports on that subject. There has been no indication, however, when he will complete this work.

JAPS COMPLAIN OF WAY LEAGUE TREATING RACE

Equality Before Law Should be Given All Irrespective of Color.

DELEGATES INSIST UPON FAIR TREATMENT

Japs Say They Wish to Train Their Young Men to Take Part in World Events.

Geneva, Nov. 30.—Addressing the Assembly of the League of Nations today Viscount Ishii, head of the Japanese delegation, referred to the position taken by the Japanese delegation at the peace conference. "It was to the poignant regret of the Japanese Government and people," he said, "that the framers of the covenant were unable to accept the Japanese proposal that equality before the law should be assured to all men irrespective of their nationality, race or religion."

The Japanese View

The Japanese delegates declared they would continue their insistence for the adoption of their just demand by the League. In view, however, of present circumstances Japan is strongly persuaded that the League is as yet in a stage when the consolidation of its organization should be accorded greater attention than questions that might involve revision of the covenant. Viscount Ishii referred to the great size of the Japanese delegation and said that this should be taken as evidence of the real interest of his country in the League. The Japanese, he said, desired not only to have all the needed expert advice, at hand but wanted to educate their young men for participation in the world's task.

A. J. Balfour, of the British delegation, pointed out an increase in the number of official languages, and he praised the course of the League in withdrawing as had been announced, its demand that the Spanish be put on the same footing as English and French in the League's proceedings. Narciso Soler, of Panama, followed with an explanation of the demand of the Spanish-speaking countries for the recognition of their language, which the Latin-American republics he said, regarded as granted as an inheritance from the mother country.

SECOND VICTIM OF ASSASSIN DYING

Montreal, Nov. 30.—Oscar Clement who was badly wounded while defending his mother from an assassin at St. Veronique in Turgoon, last week, is reported to be in a critical condition and Chief of Provincial Police Lorrain said today that, as a consequence the inquest into the murder of his mother will have to be postponed.

GIFT WARSHIPS TO SAIL ON WEDNESDAY

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—Hon. C. C. Ballentyne, Minister of Naval Affairs has been officially advised that the vessels presented to Canada by the British Admiralty and which will constitute the Canadian fleet for the present will sail for Halifax tomorrow. They will come by way of the Azores and Bermuda and are expected to arrive at Halifax about December 11th.

CANADA PUTS BARS AGAINST THE WORKLESS

Newcomers Must Have at Least \$250 to Enter the Dominion Now.

EFFECTIVE AT BORDER AFTER DECEMBER 15

Ocean Trade Will Not be Concerned With New Rule Until January 1.

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—Action by the Government to restrict immigration of certain classes in order to alleviate the condition of unemployment now prevailing in various parts of the Dominion was taken by the passage of an order-in-council today raising the money test of immigrants to mechanic, artisan or laborer classes from \$50 to \$250. The new order provides for the suspension of paragraphs 2 of the former order-in-council applicable to these classes of immigration and the substitution of four other paragraphs. The first one provides that:

The New Order. "No immigrant of the mechanic, artisan or laborer classes, whether skilled or unskilled, shall be allowed to land in Canada unless he possesses, in his own right, money to the amount of \$250, and, in addition, transportation to his destination in Canada."

The second paragraph provides that if an immigrant belonging to the classes named is accompanied by his family he must possess, in addition to transportation for the members of the family to their destination, a further sum of money equivalent to \$125 for every member aged 18 years or upward, and \$50 for each child of five years and under 18 years. (Continued on page 2.)

TWO DETAINED FOR DEATH OF INDIAN POLICE

Knife Wound That Killed Indian Officer Was Over Six Inches Deep.

Special to The Standard. Chatham, N. B., Nov. 30.—The inquest in connection with the death of John Dedam, Indian police officer who was stabbed to death Sunday night at the Burnt Church Reservation, about twenty miles from Chatham on the north side of the river, was held at Burnt Church last evening and as a result two brothers, Peter and Frank Mitchell were this morning taken to Newcastle and lodged in the county jail to await preliminary examination.

From the evidence submitted at the inquest there had been a quarrel between the victim of the stabbing, John Dedam, and the two Mitchell brothers. The two Mitchell brothers had been struck later on the four Indians walked across Burnt Church bridge and when nearing the end John Dedam staggered and fell having been stabbed in the left side with a knife or some similar sharp instrument. The wound was about six inches deep. The man expired shortly after.

HILLSBORO BABE BURNS TO DEATH

Eight Months Old Child of Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace Victim of Terrible Accident

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., Nov. 30.—The eight months old baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace was burned to death this morning at the parents' home in Hillsboro, Albert county. The child was lying in the crib upstairs while the mother was below getting her little boy ready for school. When Mrs. Wallace returned upstairs, she was horrified to find the crib in flames. The child was so badly burned that it died within an hour. There was a gas heater in the room and it is supposed the crib was set on fire by the little one kicking the clothes into the gas flame.

ALONZO BEACH DEAD

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., Nov. 30.—The death of Alonzo Beach, a well known employee of the C. N. R. stores department occurred at his home here this afternoon after a week's illness of pneumonia. Mr. Beach was a prominent Orangeman and was well known in Moncton and vicinity. He was born at Humphrey's Mills and was 52 years of age. He is survived by his wife and three children, Mrs. George F. Myers of Calgary is a sister, and W. L. Beach, Lewisville, is a brother.

ROYALTY ON VISIT.

London, Nov. 30.—King Christian and Queen Alexandra, of Denmark, arrived in London today on a private visit to King George and Queen Mary.

WORLD NEWS TODAY

CANADA

Sensational evidence offered at the trial of Newman Clark, at Andover, N. B., for the death of Phoebe Bell.

Eight months baby girl burned to death in crib at Hillsboro, N. B.

Canada raises the amount of money laborers clearing the land must have from \$50 to \$250. Girl who was cured at Montreal by faith healer is at the point of death again.

New Brunswick Farmers and Labor party adopt platform of many planks.

THE BRITISH ISLES

Main street of Cork is in ruins in revenge for murder of three British officers. Property loss is estimated at \$1,500,000.

Bodies of cadets killed by Sinn Fein were laid out in London on a destroyer.

Sinn Fein headquarters in London raided and Sinn Fein literature captured by Scotland Yard.

EUROPE

The condition of the Emperor of Germany is regarded as hopeless.

Andrew Bonar Law tells the Commons that Britain does not fear any plot of the Crown Prince of Germany to regain the throne.

CROWN PRINCE'S PLOT TO REGAIN THRONE IS WEAK

Andrew Bonar Law Says Irish Do Not Have Any Fear of Its Success.

DUTCH ARE KEEPING A CAREFUL WATCH

British Will Not Even Take up the Question With the Dutch Powers.

London, Nov. 30.—Andrew Bonar Law, the Government leader, answering a question in the House of Commons today, said that not much interest was attached to recent rumors that the Crown Prince of Prussia was organizing with the leaders of the monarchist party in Brussels, with the object of overthrowing the present German Government and restoring the Hohenzollerns. He thought the Netherlands Government would interpose its responsibilities regarding Frederick William very actively. The British Government, added Mr. Bonar Law, would not take up the matter with the Government of the Netherlands.

WIRE FLASHES

Telegraphic News Condensed from Last Minute Messages for Quick Reading.

Want to See Hanna

Toronto, Nov. 30.—Representatives of the various branches of the employees of the Canadian National Railway decided tonight to ask Mr. Hanna for a conference before taking definite action.

Scots in New York

New York, Nov. 30.—With all the traditional ceremonies, St. Andrew's Society of New York tonight celebrated its 164th anniversary at a banquet at which Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador, was the principal guest.

Beard Cheaper in Halifax. Halifax, N. S., Nov. 30.—Halifax barbers tomorrow reduce the price of beard one cent per foot, to 13 cents.

Canon Simpson Dead. Halifax, N. S., Nov. 30.—A despatch announces the death of Canon James Simpson, of St. Peter's Cathedral, Charlottetown, P. E. I. He was born in 1853, and is survived by his widow, two sons and one daughter.

Trouble at Fiume

London, Nov. 30.—Fiume is surrounded by three battalions of Carabiniers and shots have been exchanged between the regular and Gabriele D'Annunzio's legionaries, says a despatch to the London Times from Milan.

Sell Big Five Packers

Washington, Nov. 30.—The United States Government today petitioned the District of Columbia Supreme Court to appoint a trustee to take possession of and sell the stock yard properties of the Big Five packers. The petition declared that the packers had failed to present a suitable plan to the court although nine months had elapsed since they undertook it.

Steeble Wins Again. Kansas City, Nov. 30.—Joe Steeber, world's champion heavyweight wrestler, successfully defended his title here tonight by winning from Salvatore Gherrardi, a Frenchman in straight falls.

In a catch-as-catch-can bout "Strangler" Lewis defeated Raymond Cazaux of Canada in straight falls.

FARMERS AND LABOR HAVE MANY WANTS

United Farmers and Labor M. P.P.'s at Moncton Draft Long Legislative Programme.

SUPPORT BONE DRY RULE FOR PROVINCE

Better School, Hydro-Electric System and Women's Vote Part of Platform.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., Nov. 30.—A meeting of United Farmers and Labor M. P.P.s elect along with Farmer officials and independent Labor party representatives was held in the United Farmers' office here today with morning and afternoon sessions. Chas. Parsons, the Farmer leader, presided, and among those present was the Miramichi Labor leader, John S. Martin.

Three sets of resolutions were considered. The first was tentative Farmers' programme, submitted by Messrs. Fawcett and G. G. Archibald, appointed committee for that purpose at the meeting held on Nov. 17. The second was from the Sons of Temperance Grand and District Divisions, submitted by H. H. Stuart, of Sunny Brae, N. B., and the third was a series of proposed plans for a Farmer-Labor coalition, prepared by the Westmorland County Independent Labor party and submitted by H. H. Stuart, secretary-treasurer of that body.

The Temperance Resolutions

The temperance resolutions asked for cordial support of the provincial chief inspectors' work for the enforcement of the prohibition of the traffic in alcohol and alcoholic compounds as per legislation passed last year, but not yet brought into effect, and for the earliest possible taking of vote on prohibiting importation of intoxicants for beverage purposes, or any other purposes through any but government channels.

What Farmers Want

The Farmers' committee's report was, after thorough discussion by both Farmer and Labor men and slight amendments, here and there unanimously approved. It declares for first preference a uniform ballot for all elections provided at public expense, abolition of patronage, for good roads, both trunk and lateral, and the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors at New Brunswick, to be entirely abolished, subject to provision being made for plebiscite to be held preferably at the time of any provincial election; telephone system to be made available to all on equal terms for the same kind of service; provincial system of crop and agricultural statistics; Maritime Provinces abattoir to develop live stock industry; a better school system with special attention to vocational and agricultural instruction; thorough conservation of forests with up-to-date stampage regulations; a forward hydro-electric policy; a system of cooperative credits to assist the farmer. (Continued on page 3.)

Interned Irish Will Be Treated As War Prisoners

Sir Hamar Greenwood Tells Commons Leaders of Republican Army Go to Camp

London, Nov. 30.—Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, who asked in the House of Commons tonight if it was the plan of the government to intern members of the "Irish Republican Army," said it was intended to intern those in whose cases there was reason to believe that they were connected with the Republican forces.

The Chief Secretary added that interned prisoners would be given similar treatment to that accorded to prisoners of war, but that this would not involve the recognition of persons interned as prisoners of war nor grant them that status.

SEFS END OF SYDNEY FIGHT

Conference at Montreal Today is Likely to Result in a Settlement.

Sydney, N. S., Nov. 30.—D. H. McDougall, president of the Scottish seafarers' union, said tonight in a conference at Montreal Wednesday morning, according to a telegram received by local brotherhood leaders late tonight, prospects for an early settlement of the Scotia end of the strike are now regarded as bright. The situation on the Sidney side of the harbor remains unchanged.

Coal for World Market

London, Nov. 30.—British export of coal will again enter the world market unrestricted as to price, quantity or direction of export as an outcome of conferences between the British and French coal controllers.

Girl Cured By Faith Healer Is At Death's Door

Consumptive Supposed to Have Had Great Healing in Sinking Rapidly.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—Eather James, 22, of 504 Bourgeois Street, Point St. Charles, a consumptive who was carried into St. Andrew's Church last Thursday evening and who subsequently, after the ministrations of Sister McPherson, the Ontario missionary, walked out of the church and had her stretcher sent to her home, is today sinking fast and her doctor has abandoned hope. Joseph James, her father, stated that the "cure" had been effective but two days, and on the following Sunday night she became much weaker.

SINN FEINERS SLASHED CADETS WITH HATCHETS

Bodies of Murdered Policemen Terribly Mutilated and Six Bullets in Each.

SCOTLAND YARD RAIDS IN LONDON

Six Suspects Are Arrested When "Aquitania" Reaches England from New York.

London, Nov. 30.—Men from Scotland Yard today raided a number of Sinn Fein houses in London and also a number of suburban houses supposed to be occupied by Sinn Fein sympathisers. No arrests were made but it is said that at the offices of the Irish Self-Determination League and the Gaelic League a quantity of documents were seized.

Suspects From New York

Southampton, Nov. 30.—The police placed under detention six men who arrived on the steamer Aquitania from New York today. According to the police they are Sinn Fein gunmen.

Dublin, Nov. 30.—It is officially stated that the bodies of the fifteen English cadets who were killed and killed by Michael, County Cork, Sunday evening will be taken to Cork Thursday for transportation to England on board a torpedo boat destroyer.

An examination of the bodies is said to have revealed that every one of them had at least six bullets in it, and that they also were mutilated, as if they had been cut with hatchets. The sixteenth cadet, who has been missing since the attack has not yet been found.

Release Prof. McNeill

James F. Young, a clerk and a citizen of the United States, was arrested together with Martin Ryan, manager of, and James Burke, a contributor to the Sinn Fein newspaper Young Ireland, during the course of a raid on the office of the newspaper today. Professor John MacNeill, Sinn Fein member of parliament from Londonderry City and the National University of Ireland, who was arrested with Arthur Griffith, founder of the Sinn Fein organization was released today unconditionally after refusing to accept release on stipulated terms. The Dublin city coroner has been forbidden by the authorities to hold any inquests for the present.

BROKE THROUGH ICE AND DROWNED

Rexton, N. B., Nov. 30.—The residence of Edward Babineau at Mous River was destroyed by fire on Friday evening. As there was no insurance the loss is a heavy one.

James Shea, a well known carpenter of Mous River, was drowned while attempting to cross the river on the ice at Upper Main River on Sunday. He was a native of Prince Edward Island but has resided in Main River for many years. His wife pre-deceased him and he leaves no family. The body has not yet been recovered.

ASSETS ONLY \$167,755 BUT THE LIABILITIES ARE ABOUT \$24,000,000

Toronto, Nov. 30.—Liabilities of \$24,000,000, with assets of only \$167,755, were reported today to a meeting of creditors of N. Brenner and Company, Toronto, metal dealers, in the office of Oles Wade, assignee. The creditors are chiefly American and European firms, with one Canadian firm interested to the amount of \$40,000. The liabilities are five millions in steel futures, and nineteen millions of foreign exchange, purchased as a speculation. The market broke, and there is now a deficit of three or four millions on this account.

Mr. Wade was authorized to proceed in the usual way to wind up the estate.

NORWEGIAN SHIP DISABLED.

St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 30.—The Norwegian steamer Solberg, 32 days out from Tromsø for Hampton Roads, is ballast, but in here yesterday with her engines disabled. It is believed that repairs will occupy ten days.

CORK PAYING FOR MURDER OF OFFICERS

Main Street of City Has Been Swept by Fire With Loss of Million and a Half.

START OUTBREAKS WITH PETROL BOMBS

Biazes Are in Revenge for Kidnapping and Slaughter of British Officers.

Cork, Nov. 30.—The odor of charred or smouldering wood pervades Cork and Patrick streets, the principal thoroughfares of the city, in unity with the bulging debris of fire-wrecked houses.

Since Friday the sky nightly has been lighted by the glare of incendiary fires, which have destroyed a dozen large business buildings, causing losses estimated at about \$1,500,000.

Early today a second unsuccessful attempt was made to burn the city hall, which recently was badly damaged by a bomb explosion and fire. No less than five Sinn Fein clubs have been destroyed.

Fires and Reprials

The present series of conflagrations followed warnings that reprisals would take place until three army officers kidnapped recently from a train at Waterfall were returned unharmed. A report which has not been confirmed, is to the effect that the bodies of all three of the officers were found in a field near Waterfall. The fire brigade, when responding to an alarm Sunday night, was fired upon by parties of masked uniformed men. Consequently the firemen felt to venture forth, and when a Sinn Fein club was set on fire today, they refused to leave their quarters until the protection of two lorries loaded with soldiers was afforded them.

Start With Bombs

The fires usually have been started with incendiary bombs and petrol in buildings, the owners or occupants of which are believed to be Sinn Fein. Not infrequently the fires have spread to adjoining property.

Explosions and fusillades from rifles and revolvers almost invariably precede a terrifying outbreak and accompany the conflagration.

As a result of these fearful nightly outbreaks, Cork has become a city of nerves. Business is almost at a standstill, and many persons are afraid to travel abroad, even in daylight. Large numbers of the townfolk have left Cork for less troubled districts. (Continued on page 2.)

SUGGESTS SMALL SHIPPED OUT OF TORONTO IN BOX

Strange Story Nearly a Year Old May Explain Disappearance of Millionaire.

POLICE WORKING ON NEW THEORY

Carters Took Trunk from Which Came Sickening Odors to the Union Station

Toronto, Nov. 30.—A trunk mystery was woven into a story published in an evening paper of this city today in connection with the disappearance of Ambrose J. Small, missing theatre owner on December 2, 1919.

According to the story, a heavy trunk was removed from a house in Toronto to the Union Station on the night of December 2 last, by carters who had been called in for the purpose and if the trunk could be located the mystery of Small's twelve months' absence might be solved. The paper states that it is not known what became of the trunk from which emanated a sickening odor, and which was left in the station baggage room.

FREDERICTON DOES NOT WANT CRAWFORD TO GIVE ADDRESS

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 30.—Lindsay Crawford, N. B., was not wanted in this place by part of the people anyway. At a meeting held here tonight a resolution was adopted opposing his prospective visit and a committee was appointed to interview the mayor tomorrow to ask that steps be taken to prevent his appearance.

MONCTON COUPLE IS MARRIED IN SOUTH

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., Nov. 30.—News was received by friends here of the marriage in New Orleans of Miss Edith Sears, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sears, Moncton and J. Albert LeBlanc, son of Contractor P. N. LeBlanc of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Cavanaugh.