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TUESDAY MORNING JANUARY 4 1921 41ST YEAR—ISSUE NO. 14,664 TWO CENTS

Dublin Council Rebuked by High Sheriff for Ignoring de Valera
Labor Presents Strong Demand for Adequate Tariff Protection

JOHN DOUGHTY IS COMMITTED ON A KIDNAPPING CHARGE

Newsboy's Evidence Carries No Weight—Bail Is Refused.

EXTRAORDINARY CASE

John Doughty, former secretary to Ambrose J. Small, missing theatrical millionaire, was committed for trial on the second charge, that of conspiring to kidnap his former employer. Col. Denison in yesterday's police court, in sending the case to a jury, said that, altho the evidence at hand was not very strong and might not serve to convict, he considered that it should be completely investigated and threshed out before a judge and jury.

It was the most extraordinary case he had ever heard and the most confusing, he said.

Doughty will not receive bail unless sanctioned by the attorney-general. When Col. Denison rendered his decision, I. F. Hellmuth, counsel for the accused, pleaded for bail, but it was refused. "I will not fix bail without the consent of the crown," said the colonel. "I think the attorney-general should take the responsibility."

Mr. Hellmuth—"Look how long he has been in jail."

Col. Denison—"Yes, but look how long he was away in the States."

Newsboys Take Stand.

Nathan Savein and his son Raphael who together run a newstand at the corner of Adelaide and Yonge streets, and whose evidence, it was thought, would have considerable bearing on the case, was taken and virtually discounted. The two news vendors had made a statement to the police that the missing millionaire had stopped to buy a paper from them on Tuesday night, Dec. 2, 1919 (the night on

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MESSAGE BY LABOR ON UNEMPLOYMENT

Sends Call Thruout Canada Urging Returning of Workers by Hour Reduction.

SOME FEDERAL CRITICISM

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—(Can. Press.)—The viewpoint of the executive of Dominion Trades and Labor Council on the unemployment situation, which has been formulated since the meeting of the employment service council for Canada last week, is set forth in a report which was sent out to labor organizations thruout the country tonight.

Regret is expressed in the report that it has been necessary for the government to define conditions under which temporary relief may be granted. "There is nothing more repellant to workers," says the report, "than the acceptance of charity, but we cannot ignore the fact that emergency cases must be met, and no one should be allowed to want for food and shelter."

Reference is made to the official announcement that the volume of unemployment is no greater than in 1914 and preceding years, but it is observed this is only an estimate, and it is certain that the distress caused by unemployment is much more serious than in other times.

The labor executive urges upon labor organizations: (1) That they should impress upon all employers the absolute necessity of retaining as many workers as possible in their employ by a reduction of hours, and make public the actions of employers who use this period of depression to lengthen the hours of work and decrease the wages accordingly.

WEDLAKE IS NEW BRANTFORD MAYOR

MacBride Is Defeated by Over Six Hundred Votes—He Will Protest Election.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 3.—Rolling up a majority of about 100 over all three opponents and a plurality of 653, with one poll to hear from, George Wedlake, late Hydro commissioner, scored a victory at the polls today. He totaled 3,268 votes to 2,585 polled by Mayor MacBride, running for his fourth term, with but 451 for Ald. J. J. Kelly and 141 for Harry J. Symons, nominee of the Independent Labor Party and president of the Trades and Labor Council. As predicted, the fight was between Wedlake and MacBride thruout and there was every indication that there was a last minute switch on the part of backers of Kelly and MacBride to get their votes on the candidates conceded to being alone in the running.

Mayor MacBride announced after the election that he would protest the election on the grounds that sufficient ballot boxes were not provided, and that when the boxes got full, the ballots were placed in empty paper baskets.

CANADIAN ARTISANS AGAINST FREE TRADE DECLARES TOM MOORE

Appearing at Ottawa Sitting of Federal Commission Makes Statement Giving Fiscal Views of Two Hundred Thousand Workers—No Free Trade Until Rest of World Adopts Same System, Is Their Stand.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—(Special.)—"The development of Canada and the establishment of an ever-improving standard of living is the immediate concern of every citizen, and we are convinced that this would be impossible of accomplishment under a system of free trade, unless, and until, the whole world adopted free trade and an equal standard of living, which is as yet outside the realm of practicable affairs," was the fiscal declaration before the tariff commission today of President Tom Moore, of the Trades and Labor Council, representing 200,000 artisans in its 2,000 local councils. In expressing his belief in a fiscal policy or protection for Canada, he said that the memorandum presented did "truly incorporate the views of the overwhelming majority of our affiliated membership, and possibly of a very large number who are not members of our affiliated unions."

Take a Decided Position.

Organized labor today took a decided position in the maintenance of our present fiscal policy. This conclusion was not reached without thought and research. During the past year the issue has been before nearly all of the 2,000 local councils of organized labor, and in nearly every instance the demand was made that protection to Canadian industry, agriculture and labor be continued. The Trades and Labor Council, with its affiliated local councils, does not participate in political contests. The Labor party that is now seeking political success is not of organized labor and contains many who are not or never were artisans. It was the effect that free trade would have on its members that led

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LENINE SCORES VICTORY AT SOVIET'S CONGRESS

Riga, Jan. 3.—Moscow reports a complete victory for the supporters of the Russian Bolshevik premier, Nikolai Lenine, at the all-Russian congress of Soviets. This is regarded in Moscow as significant, being taken as an indication that the policy of granting concessions to foreigners, which is favored by Leninites, will be adopted.

It is frankly stated in a report submitted to the congress that Soviet Russia is unable to make use of her raw materials unless foreigners furnish her with machinery and instruct Russian workers in its use and best methods of production.

Russia's interest, the reports says, is not to export raw materials, but to build up works and factories and to import machinery which "we cannot create ourselves."

MANY LIVES LOST ON SPANISH VESSEL

Believed That Only Fifth of Passengers and Crew Were Saved.

Madrid, Jan. 3.—From the wreck of the Spanish steamer Santa Isabel there are only 45 survivors sao far as is known at present, and it is believed that the remainder of the passengers and crew of the vessel, which went ashore Saturday night on the coast at Villagarcia, numbering about 200, have perished.

Telephonic and telegraphic messages from Corunna and Vigo lack details, but leave little hope of the rescue of more than one-fifth the number of those aboard the vessel.

The Santa Isabel grounded, while the captain and passengers were at dinner. The stormy weather kept most of the people below. Apparently the vessel was dashed upon a rocky tongue of the coast with such force that probably most of the victims lost their lives within a few minutes. The catastrophe had culminated before the rescuing boats started for the scene. Those rescued know nothing of the fate of the others. The authorities regard it as unlikely that any more were saved, as the little island, which the Santa Isabel struck, is only a short distance from the mainland, and in the event of other rescues they believe reports would have been received before now.

Th transatlantic offices at Madrid are without additional information, and are preparing messages of condolence for the families of those aboard.

The Santa Isabel was engaged in coastwise service between Cadiz and Corunna. It is officially stated that all passengers on board were to transship at Cadiz for Buenos Aires.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP PAYS WELL IN RENFREW

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 3—(Special).—The municipal power and lighting plant of Renfrew shows a surplus of $1,500 for the year, notwithstanding heavy expenditure for repairs. The price of light has been cut from $64 to $30 since 1918, and the receipts this year amounted to $19,000 as against $17,000 in 1918.

The price of power is $20, and extra power can be obtained from the Calabogie Light and Powr Co., which has a sub-station there. The total revenue from light and power consumers was $46,000.

PATIENT'S DEATH AT ASYLUM DUE TO EXHAUSTION

Night Supervisor Admitted at Inquest He Struck Him in Stomach.

VICTIM WAS UNRULY

The jury investigating the death of John Jodnell, aged 22, of 483 Gerrard street, who died following a struggle in Queen Street Asylum on Dec. 27, found that death was caused by exhaustion due to the toxic condition of the blood. They were of the opinion that the attention of the crown should be drawn to the improper attention given Jodnell by John Morgan, night supervisor, who admitted he struck Jodnell twice in the stomach, and they believed that a reception hospital should be instituted for the care of such cases.

Jodnell was a driver for a departmental store and complained of a

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SLIGHT INCREASE IN OCEAN RATES

Regrouping of Passenger Liners by Five Companies—New Charges Now in Effect.

APPLIES TO CERTAIN SHIPS

Montreal, Ont., Jan. 3.—A regrouping of passenger liners which has just been completed by a committee specially appointed for the purpose by the North Atlantic passenger conference, composed of representatives from all the steamship companies engaged in passenger traffic across the Atlantic, has resulted in a slight increase in passenger rates on many vessels which have been placed in a higher category. These charges came into effect Jan. 1, and all steamship tickets are now being issued at the higher rate.

The increase is, however, only light, thus first-class fares on the Megantic are changed from $199.25 to $205, second-class from $119 to $120, and third-class from $84 to $85. Vessels affected belong to the White Star-Dominion, Anchor - Donaldson, Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, and Cunard Lines.

RENEWED ACTIVITY IN TEXTILE MILLS

Expected to Be Beginning of a Gradual Upward Movement.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 3.—The textile industry in this state took on new activity today with a reopening of many mills that had been closed for a few days or for weeks. Manufacturers said the increased activity was due to no real improvement in the situation at present, but might prove to be the beginning of a gradual upward movement leading to full time operation. Wages had been reduced in most cases 22½ per cent in the effort to reduce production costs, and this scale down was reflected in lower quotations for goods as a bid for business.

Have Resumed Work.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 3.—More than 1,300 employes of industrial concerns here that have been closed recently resumed work today when the factories re-opened. Most of the firms affected have been closed for inventory, which has been prolonged owing to prevailing conditions. The Boston and Albany Railroad car repair shops in West Springfield reopened after a week's shut-down, re-employing 80 per cent. of the 100 former workers. No pay reductions have been announced.

SENATE OVERRIDES PRESIDENT'S VETO; HOUSE WILL FOLLOW

Bill to Revive War Finance Corporation Is Certain to Become Law.

WHY WILSON OBJECTS

Washington, Jan. 3.—Veto by President Wilson today of the farmers' relief bill to revive the War Finance Corporation was followed almost immediately by a vote of fifty-three to five in the senate to make the bill law despite executive disapproval. The house will take up the measure tomorrow and predictions were general that it would duplicate the senate's action and thus place the bill on the statute books.

President Wilson in a lengthy veto message declared he withheld his approval of the bill because the war finance corporation was a war credit agency, not desirable or needed in peace times. He said that "it would exert no beneficial influence on the situation, would raise false hopes among the very people who would expect most, and would be hurtful to the natural and orderly processes of business and finance."

The legislation, the president also said, would result in additional credit burdens and the government, he contended, should not be "called upon further to finance private business at public expense." Referring to widespread demand for abolishment of war agencies and removal of governmental influence from business, the president said he had "sympathy" with this view, and added that "the nation should resume its usual business methods."

Upon reading of the veto message in the senate, Senator Underwood of Alabama, Democratic leader, urged its immediate consideration, for which unanimous consent was secured by Chairman Gronna of the agricultural committee, which reported the bill. Senator Underwood followed with the only address made, declaring that financial distress now was greater than during the war, and that he felt confident of wise administration of the proposed law that would cause "no undue drain on the treasury."

On the senate roll-call, twenty-nine Democrats were joined by twenty-four Republicans in overriding the veto.

The president's message also was read in the house. Rep. Mondell of Wyoming, Republican leader, announced later that it would be taken up tomorrow at the opening of the house, but without any definite arrangements for a vote. Advocates of the bill, however, expressed confidence that the house also would vote to enact the bill despite the veto. The house passed the bill by a vote of 212 to 61, or much more than the necessary two-thirds majority. Many of the negative votes were cast by Republicans.

REOPEN SHOPS AT MONCTON.

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 3.—The C.N.R. shops at Moncton, which were closed on Dec. 24, were reopened today. C.N.R. shopmen here will be given every Saturday off until April 1st.

COMPENSATION ACT PAY NEARLY DOUBLES THRUOUT PROVINCE

One Accident Every Three Minutes of Working Day in Ontario.

PENSIONS INCREASED

A total of 54,851 accidents were reported to the Ontario Workmen's Compensation Board during 1920. This was 10,591 more than in 1919. The fatal accidents reported during 1920 were 452, as against 429 in 1919, being an increase of 23.

The daily average was 183 accidents, or one accident every three minutes of the working day.

The amount awarded for compensation during the year was $7,076,439.59, and the amount for medical aid $703,705.66, making a total of $7,780,145.25, as against a total of $4,192,859.93 during 1919, and $3,888,994.84 during 1918. The increase is largely by reason of the increased benefits provided for under the amendments to the act, including the increase in death pensions for accidents happening in previous years.

The total number of cheques issued by the board during the year averaged 494 per day, and the benefits awarded $26,000 a day.

About half a million workmen are now under the protection of the act, and, including the pensioners from former years and the families of workmen and pensioners, it is estimated that over 100,000 people every year are receiving some part of their maintenance from the benefits provided for by the act.

The total yearly wage roll of industries covered by the act is estimated at $450,000,000.

LOCAL MACHINISTS FORM NEW UNION

Disaffected Faction Will Compete With International Association of Machinists.

CONSIDERED WIDE BREAK

The formation of a provincial executive of an association to compete locally with the International Union of Machinists was announced yesterday to The World, as a consequence of dissatisfaction which has been fostered by recent developments in the Toronto labor situation. The new organization, which is to be known as "The Amalgamated Metal Mechanics' Union," and which is sponsored largely by Thomas Mullen, its temporary recording secretary, has announced for this evening in Occident Hall, a meeting for the discussion of matters of policy and the arrangement of details of administration. The new project

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WITNESSES IN DOUGHTY CASE

The newspaper vendors in the picture are (left), Raphael Sabine; (right), Nathan Sabine, the father of Raphael. In the police court yesterday the boy testified that he had been mistaken in saying previously that he had seen the missing A. J. Small in the early evening of December 2, 1919, and was convinced that he had last seen Small on Dec. 1, 1919. His father, however, clung to the belief that he had sold Mr. Small a paper at the corner of Yonge and Adelaide streets on the evening of the millionaire's disappearance.

DUBLIN CORPORATION ABSOLUTELY DECLINES TO DISCUSS A TRUCE

Military Raids Convent of Carmelite Nuns—Catholic Curate Sentenced to Two Years' Hard Labor for Having Seditious Literature — Two Men Shot Trying to Escape—Documents of the Sinn Fein Plot Wtih Germany to Be Published.

Dublin, Jan. 3.—By 22 votes to 15 the Dublin corporation at a meeting today declined to discuss proposals for an Irish truce. The negative vote came in spite of a strong appeal from High Sheriff McWalter, who declared it was a "poor honor to de Valera, who is alleged to be in the country in the interests of peace, for persons professing to be his followers to object to such discussion."

The military raided the convent of Carmelite nuns at Ranelagh, a suburb of Dublin, today. They forced the doors and made an exhaustive investigation into all the rooms in their search for letters and documents.

A search was also made of the cemetery attached to the convent. The clay was removed from the top of a newly-made grave, but the coffin was not uncovered.

It is stated that troops acted courteously, asking the nuns to pray for them. An elderly sister shook hands

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Irish Army Officer To Face Murder Charge

London, Jan. 3.—An officer described as an army captain has been arrested at Kilmalloch, Ireland, in connection with the shooting at Ballybrood on Thursday of Richard Leonard, school attendance officer to the Limerick district council, according to a Limerick despatch to the Central News. He will be charged with murder.

Other reports said that three officers were placed under arrest, but that two of them were later released.

PEOPLE OF IRELAND WILL HAVE CONTROL OF THEIR DESTINY

Sir Hamar Greenwood Explains Significance of New Home Rule Act.

NO ULSTER QUESTION

New York, Jan. 3.—Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, has made a statement on the Irish question, the full text of which has been received by cable thru the British Library of Information. Referring to current rumors as to informal "explorations" of the Irish situation, Sir Hamar said:

"I can make no statement except that so far as we are concerned we are out for peace, but there can be no compromise with murder."

Asked whether the passing of the government of Ireland act had had any effect on the situation, Sir Hamar said:

"The act which now has received the royal assent is more just in its conception and more generous in its provisions than any of the previous home rule bills. Under its provisions, the Irish people will have control of agriculture, education, licensing, local government, mines and factories, pensions, insurance, labor exchanges, and, in short, of everything that touches every-day life. Some matters are reserved for a shorter period than was contemplated by the act of 1914. Ireland now has been granted a measure of self-government which, when it is developed to the full extent contemplated in the act, will place her in effective control of her own national life. Yet this measure has been described as worse than useless, and neither in Ireland nor in Great Britain has it been recognized as a tremendous step forward in the history of the Irish question.

No Ulster Question Now.

"The Ulster question has ceased to exist. Unity within Ireland is left to Irishmen themselves to achieve thru their own elected representatives in their own parliaments. The act is the pledge of Britain's good will to Ireland and it is the best answer to those who consciously or unconsciously are playing into the hands of terrorists in Ireland by suggesting that the nation is not behind the government in this matter.

"Whatever may be the developments of the future, I believe that the political historian will point to this act as the beginning of the end of the Irish question. At any rate, it hands over to Irish men and women the government of their own great country."

PETITION IGNORED BY FORD COMPANY

Distribution of Handbills Caused Rumors of Forcible Occupation.

Detroit, Jan. 3.—Officials of the Ford Motor Company have taken no formal notice tonight of a hand bill circulated Sunday by a number of the concern's employes asking that the company permit the workers to use the Ford plant, now closed for inventory, to be used by them temporarily for making cars for their own use. No official request had been made to the company for such action, it was announced.

Distribution of the hand bills gave rise to a number of false rumors in Detroit today. The police ridiculed one rumor that the Ford employes had declared soviet control and had assumed operation of the plant. When 50,000 workers appeared at the Highland Park plant this morning to receive their pay checks the report was spread that they were storming the plant. But one policeman was on duty in the vicinity of the factory and there was no disorder, the police announced. Rumors that the governor was to be asked to send federal troops from Fort Wayne were called "absurd" by the police and company officials.

WAS SECOND EFFORT TO KILL DETECTIVES

Learn in Kingston of Attempt to Poison Duncan and Darling—Probing Penitentiary.

ROGERS IS NOT INSANE

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 3.—(Special). it was learned today that the assault made on Detective Duncan by Convict Leo. Rogers, of North Bay, last Thursday at the Portsmouth Penitentiary was the second attempt that has been made on government detectives who have been working here for several months investigating conditions at the pen. It is believed that there has been an organized plan to prevent the detectives from carrying out their investigations.

The attack on Detective Duncan is regarded by Staff-Sergt. Darling of the R.N.W.M.P. as a part of a pre-conceived plot to put an end to their operations at the penitentiary.

In a Kingston Hotel.

When asked where the attempt was made, he said that it took place in the city. Upon inquiry to ascertain what happened to these detectives, it is learned that on Nov. 29 Mr. Duncan and Mr. Darling were taken ill after partaking of a meal at a local hotel, where they had been stopping for two months. They complained that poison had been administered to them thru their food, and while medical attention was called and their stomachs emptied, no analysis appears to have been made of the food or the presence of specific poison. The detectives, however, really believed that they were being deliberately poisoned by some one and moved to another hotel.

Say Rogers Not Insane.

It was reported today that Leo Rogers was insane, and when interviewed by the prison surgeon he is reported to have declared he was insane. When interviewed on this point Detectives Darling and Knox declared that Rogers was not mentally defective, but showed exceptional cunning in planning to make his escape.

CONTROLLER PLANT MAYOR OF OTTAWA

Won by Majority of Six, Narrowest in History of the City.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—Controller F. H. Plant was today elected mayor of Ottawa by the narrowest majority ever given in this city in a mayoralty contest. With a total of 15,654 votes cast, only six separated the two candidates, Controller Plant having 7,830 and Controller Joseph Kent 7,824. In fact, when the final poll was received the two adding machines disagreed, one giving Kent a majority of two. This necessitated a re-checking, which confirmed Plant's majority. However, the result will not be definitely known until the city clerk goes over the return slips from each poll. Controller Kent announced tonight that he would not apply for a recount.

SIR ADAM BECK IS RETURNING HOME

Sir Adam Beck will arrive in Toronto on Friday the 21st inst., following his trip to England and the south of France.

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EWSBOY'S STORY WILL BE HEARD

When John Doughty's Trial on Conspiracy Charge Is Resumed Today.

When John Doughty appears in po-e court this morning on a charge conspiring to kidnap his former nployer, Ambrose J. Small, a newsy with a stand at the corner of elaide and Yonge streets, and his ther will give evidence. The boy d his father were brought to police adquarters recently and given mmonses to appear this morning. cording to the newsboy, on the ght of December 2, the night on ich Mr. Small is presumed to have appeared, the missing millionaire d stopped to buy a paper from n. As the time at which Small is pposed to have bought the paper s at a considerably later hour than en last seen around the Grand era House, it is thought that the y's evidence might be of value. Col. R. H. Greer, who is conduct- the prosecution and who recent- made an investigation into all ases of the Small mystery, appear- to be a trifle skeptical as to the ight of the boy's evidence. "I did investigate the statements made the boy because I do not think t after such a long period of time elapsed from the time he saw all until the time he made his tement to the police that he could nember the exact hour exactly, or n the day.

he boy and his father, however, give evidence this morning, and , in all likelihood, be the only witses to appear.

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