

30 HOMES ARE FIRED IN IRISH REPRISALS

Loss at Trim, County Meath, Put at £50,000.

TWO SMALL BOYS SHOT

Residences of Sinn Feiners Are Attacked and Several Casualties Are Reported.

TRIM, County Meath, Ireland, Sept. 27.—Because of the burning of the police barracks here yesterday and the wounding of Chief Constable White, a number of armed men descended on the town last night and burned buildings, attacked the residences of Sinn Feiners and indulged in indiscriminate shooting. Several casualties were reported.

The reprisals were alleged to have been the work of the "black and tan" police. The regular police began taking steps to prevent further damage. Some 30 houses were burned and the fires still were blazing today.

Among the premises destroyed were a mineral water factory, which was a principal industry, and the market house. Practically all houses on both sides of the thoroughfare were set afire. The damage was estimated at £50,000. Two small boys were shot, one being seriously injured.

The police, who were captured in the raid on the barracks, had been warned to resign within a week. The "black and tans" reached Trim about 3 A. M. on three lorries. They mounted machine guns in Market street, commanded petrol from a local shop and set fire to the principal hotel. They ran through the streets firing shots and firing bombs.

The homes of noted Sinn Feiners were visited in an endeavor to ascertain the authors of the attack on and the burning of the barracks. The Sinn Feiners were not found.

SENATORS NAMED FOR PROBE

McNary and Randall to Hear Charges of Atrocities.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Two United States senators, a Protestant clergyman-editor and a mayor, have been added to the membership of the committee of one hundred on Ireland, the committee announced today. They are United States Senators McNary, Oregon, and Randall, Louisiana; Rev. William Austin Smith, editor of the

Churchman, official organ of the Protestant Episcopal church, New York, and Mayor Beck of Toledo, Ohio. The committee was formed to investigate impartially conditions in Ireland, with special reference to reported atrocities. The committee today cabled requesting the acting lord mayor of Cork, the lord mayors of Belfast, Londonderry and Thurles, the chairman of the council of Limerick and George Russell (A. E.), Irish publicist and associate of Sir Horace Plunkett, to come to this country to testify before the committee, which will hold public hearings in Washington.

COUNTESS MARKIEVICZ HELD

Sinn Fein Member of Parliament Caught After Long Search.

DUBLIN, Sept. 27.—Countess Georgina Markievicz, Sinn Fein member of parliament for St. Patrick's division of Dublin, was arrested last night in a suburb of Dublin. The authorities had been seeking her for a long time.

With the countess were a journalist and Sean MacBride, son of Maud Gonne MacBride, the "Irish Joan of Arc" and widow of the executed Sinn Fein leader, Young MacBride, also was arrested.

The countess was passing under the name of Mrs. MacDonnell. She was taken to Bridgewater prison in Dublin.

MACSWINEY IS EXHAUSTED

Condition of Lord Mayor of Cork Is Reported Unchanged.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—The condition of Terence MacSwiney, lord mayor of Cork, was unchanged tonight, according to the bulletin issued by the Irish self-determination league. "He is very much exhausted," said the bulletin, "but still conscious."

After a visit to Brixton prison tonight Mary MacSwiney, sister of the mayor, said that the exhaustion of her brother was pronounced and that he suffered greatly from weakness.

CORK SHAKEN BY EXPLOSION

Department Store Is Shattered by Heavy Blast.

CORK, Ireland, Sept. 27.—A violent explosion shook this city about 2 o'clock this morning. It was followed by the rattle of rifle fire in various parts of the business district.

When citizens ventured forth later, after the curfew had expired, they found the main thoroughfare, Patrick street, littered with glass, and the front of a large department store, which is said to employ a large number of young Sinn Feiners, completely wrecked, as if by bombs.

Four Killed in Belfast.

BELFAST, Sept. 27.—The shooting by snipers and others in the center of Belfast last night caused a panic among crowds promenading on Royal Avenue, the city's main artery, after church hours. Saturday night and early Sunday one policeman was killed

and two others were wounded, followed by the assassination of three civilians in reprisal by parties of masked men. Snipers inside streets of the Sinn Fein quarter fired into North street, which crosses Royal avenue, last night, creating a stampede. The firing rapidly increased in volume. There was a panic about the Castle-street junction, from which all tram-car traffic starts. Women ran about in a frenzy and there was a rush to seek shelter in the cars. A force of military and the police soon arrived and conditions quieted down.

REGISTRATION NEARS END

Clerk's Office Open Nights, for Final Week.

This being the final week for registration before the general election in November, the registration department of the county clerk's office will remain open until 8 o'clock every evening. The hour of eight instead of nine was decided on after a session with Mrs. Millie Trumbull of the Industrial welfare commission, who insisted that the Oregon law limiting the hours of work for women to 10 a day affected the county clerk's office as well as any other.

Saturday night is the last night for registration of persons who have not voted during the past two years or who have moved from their old precincts. Yesterday's registration totaled 325. Registration by parties to date is as follows:

	Male	Female	Total
Republicans	44,227	29,341	73,568
Democrats	14,521	10,215	24,736
Other parties	2,961	2,010	4,971
Grand total	61,715	41,566	103,281

AMUNDSEN IS ICE-BOUND

Explorer's Ship Reported Wedged Tight in Polar Pack.

NOME, Alaska, Sept. 25.—(Delayed.)—Captain Roald Amundsen's Polar expeditionary ship the Maud is reported wedged tight in the Polar ice pack west of Kolyuchin bay, Siberia, and nearly midway between Wrangel island and the Northern Siberian coast, by fur traders who reached Nome today. Because of bad ice conditions, it appears doubtful whether the explorer will be able to reach his last year's winter headquarters at Itusan bay, according to the traders.

Astoria Grand Jury Indicts.

ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—The circuit court grand jury completed its labors this afternoon and presented its final report. Among the indictments returned were one against W. N. Young of Seaside, charging him with contributing to the delinquency of a minor, and one against William Duffy, charging him with having in intoxicating liquor in his possession.

NON-PARTISAN TO QUIT

IDAHO CANDIDATE FOR SENATOR TO WITHDRAW.

H. F. Samuels of Samuels Hopeful for Election of Other on League Ticket.

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 27.—(Special.)—H. F. Samuels of Samuels, Idaho, today was here to file his withdrawal as candidate for United States senator on the non-partisan league ticket. In an interview at the state headquarters of the league Mr. Samuels gave his reasons for withdrawing from the race at this time and also told of the prospects for success for the balance of the non-partisan league ticket.

In answer to a question as to whether he was forced off the ticket Mr. Samuels said: "Emphatically not. Each and every delegate to the state convention will bear out this statement."

"Was there any trade or combination in this?" was asked Mr. Samuels. "Absolutely none," was the answer. "no office to seek and none do I want. This resignation is the spirit of the non-partisan league and every man does his duty to bring the ideals of the league into operation."

In regard to feeling in the northern part of the state, from which he has just returned, Mr. Samuels said: "The league and the labor spirit is splendid and is being encouraged by all progressives. In the north the race is between Fairchild and Davis for governor."

REDS TO GO TO BOSTON

Station to Be Home Until Means of Deportation Are Found.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Two score radicals held at Ellis island for deportation to Russia will be sent to the Boston immigration station until means are found to transport them. They will be housed on Deer island, in Boston harbor.

This announcement was made today after Louis F. Post, assistant secretary of labor, had inspected the Ellis island station, which recently has been so crowded by inflow of immigrants that it had to close its doors to newcomers.

It is understood that a score of radicals from the New York district who are out on bond will be called in and sent to Deer island.

Tentons to Get Texas Cattle.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 27.—The first shipment of cattle from the United States to Germany and Austria to rehabilitate the herds of those two countries will sail from Galveston about October 15, it was announced today by Ernest Rabe, president of the United Society for the Relief of the Distressed of Germany and Austria.

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