

CASEMENT LOSES APPEAL AGAINST DEATH SENTENCE

Court of Criminal Appeal Dismisses Plea of Convicted Irish Baronet Sentenced to Execution for High Treason on Account of Activities in Dublin Revolt and Germany.

LONDON, July 18.—The appeal of Sir Roger Casement against his sentence of execution for high treason for his activities in the Dublin revolt was dismissed today by the court of criminal appeal.

Without hearing the attorneys for the crown, the court of criminal appeal today dismissed Sir Roger Casement's appeal from the verdict of the lower court, which found him guilty of treason, for which Viscount Reading, the lord chief justice, sentenced him to death.

For a day and a half Alexander Sullivan, Sir Roger's counsel, argued before the court, quoting many authorities in favor of his contention that the offense of treason depended upon whether the accused dwelt under the protection of the king, and that the crime could not be committed without the realm. He abandoned his other points in regard to the lord chief justice's definition of the offense.

Appeal Overruled

As soon as Mr. Sullivan had concluded his argument the court retired to consider whether the attorneys for the crown would be called upon to reply. It soon decided to the contrary, which indicated that the appeal had gone against Sir Roger, who was present during the argument, and when judgment was given.

A further appeal to the house of lords is possible only if the attorney general gives a certificate that the decision of the court of criminal appeal involves a point of law so exceptionally important that it is desirable in the public interest that a still higher court should deal with it. This has been done only twice since the court of criminal appeal was established eight years ago.

Attorney Is Thanked

Justice Darling, in delivering the judgment, expressed the indebtedness of the court to Mr. Sullivan for his well-considered and well-delivered arguments, as the justice characterized them, adding that they were worthy of the best traditions of the king's courts, but he declared that they had been answered by the attorneys of the crown at the first trial.

Attorney Michael Francis Doyle of Philadelphia, of counsel for Sir Roger, expressed an opinion today that it was improbable that the attorney-general would certify the case for appeal to the house of lords, as the appeal court did not consider it necessary to hear argument for the government. Powerful influences are working for a reprieve, said the attorney, and there were strong hopes of one being granted.

NO PEACE UNTIL SPRING SAYS AKED

NEW YORK, July 18.—Dr. Aked, the returned Ford peace delegate, said today: "European peace is not possible before spring. The war must simply burn itself out. France cannot make peace; England is too proud; Germany offers only unacceptable terms. The recent allied success is negligible, and the chance of a military decision very remote. Talk of German exhaustion is absurd, for though there is economy of bread, butter and meat, there is no starvation, merely inconvenience. The German spirit is wonderfully calm, courageous and confident."

"An Anglo-German-American alliance is now being hoped for by the intellectuals in Germany, men such as Von Harneck and Del Brueck. For days last winter we feared a separate peace with Russia on the basis of a Russo-German attack on England through Afghanistan."

ALLIES WIN ON ALL FRONTS

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"There is cannonading along the whole front."

The information given out in regard to the situation at Saloniki is not sufficiently explicit to indicate whether the entente allies are preparing an offensive movement. A drive from the Saloniki front has been predicted for some time. It is generally understood the allies have 400,000 or more men available on the front for a campaign.

FARMERS TO FORM SELLING AGENCY AT PICNIC SATURDAY

On Saturday, July 22, there is going to be a farmers' picnic at the Central Point schoolhouse, Central Point, for the purpose of organizing a co-operative selling agency of growers of Jackson county to handle livestock, grain, feed, etc., and to affiliate with the selling agency that has been founded by the federation of the State Grange and the Farmers' Union.

This is a matter of great importance to every farmer in the valley. We strive by all means to produce larger and better crops and farm products without any reference as to how and where we are going to market them and whether or not we are going to obtain a reasonable price for the same. The matter of marketing logically should come first in the production of farm products.

Professor McPherson of the O. A. C. will represent the federal bureau of markets and in all probability will speak on rural credits. Professor McPherson is considered an authority on rural credits and co-operation and was one of the representatives sent to Europe two years ago by the federal government to study the rural credits in Germany, Holland, Denmark and England. Other speakers are Professor Reimer of the experiment station; C. E. Spence, master of the State Grange; C. C. Cate, pathologist, and others to be announced later.

The meeting is called for 10 o'clock sharp and all who possibly can should be present. It is assured that the talks will be instructive, and if some action can be taken it will mean a great deal to the valley. Aside from this, a general good time is in store. Bring plenty to eat.

"BIRTH OF A NATION" MARVELOUS SPECTACLE

In spite of the world's greatest and most far-reaching war, a great American spectacle—and incidentally an argument for peace—has invaded Europe and promises to stay.

"The Birth of a Nation" opened a two years' run at the famous Covent Garden in London on July 5, and commenced at the Grand Opera house in Paris, the world's most magnificent amusement place, also at the La Scala in Milan, Italy, historic among the noted opera houses of the earth.

It is also announced that other celebrated European capitals are soon to be invaded by the big production—Vienna and Berlin among them.

Just what sentiment these countries will show our reconstruction period and its terrors—which may be very like their own soon—the workings of the Ku-Klux Klan, etc., will be interesting to note. They are pretty well read upon the civil war over there, and on Lincoln, Grant and Lee almost as well as we are, but whether the sentiments of the immense story will find the same response there is another question.

Of course "The Birth of a Nation" is purely American, but the lessons are as broad as humanity itself. The wonderful realism of war, however, and the amazement of it all will take the place of local color with them and very likely it will create as much newspaper talk in Europe as it has on this side of the water.

This big attraction occupies the boards at the Page theater beginning Thursday night, July 27, with two performances daily thereafter, 8:15 and 10:15 p. m.

WARNER IN 'THE RAIDERS' AT THE PAGE TONIGHT

In this, his first appearance in motion pictures, the popular Broadway star, more than lives up to the reputation he gained in "Alias Jimmy Valentine" and many other successes.

If you really want to see a motion picture of the "best yet" variety, a picture that has all the necessary qualities of the thrill, adventure and romance, you will be delighted with this latest Triangle play, "The Raiders," which is repeated tonight at the Page.

Fred Rice, Keystone star, is seen in comedy that dramatizes in a novel way the great oil industry of California. Of course the subject is treated in a farcical vein, dealing with the slippery side of the business, a light-hearted emphasis on the interests of the state. An 1112 September.

LITTLE GIRLS, MODERN SIAMESE TWINS, ON TOUR OF WORLD



Left to right: Daisy and Violet Hilton, modern Siamese twins from Brighton, England.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—Daisy and Violet Hilton, little English girls known as the modern Siamese twins because they are linked together by a cartilaginous connection, are enjoying the pleasure of western American cities.

The girls arrived here the other day from Australia and are on a tour of the world. They left their home in Brighton, England four years ago. The youngsters are eight years old and possess surprising ability, being thorough musicians in addition to other intellectual attainments.

During their travels they have been received by the rulers of every country they visited.

BAND CONCERT FRIDAY EVENING

For the convenience of the members the regular weekly band concert at the city park will hereafter be held on Tuesday evening. This week's entertainment will be given as usual on Friday at the customary hour. Bandmaster Rowland states that from time to time members of the band are out of employment, occasionally it is even necessary for a member to migrate to another city in order that a position be secured, merely leaving an empty berth in the musical organization. The bandmaster states that something must be done to overcome this. In most of the good band towns, when there is a vacant position, the businessmen give the bandsman the preference. This is a problem that the majority of cities and bands have to contend with, the solving of which only is the valued co-operation of the businessmen in engaging bandsmen first. Daily in Medford vacant positions are being filled, providing always he is capable, there should be no reason why our band members are not given the first opportunity to fill these situations. At present among the band members there is a qualified stenographer who would like work and two others that would be satisfied with any reasonable steady employment. Mr. Rowland (Phone 179) would be grateful to any one that can offer such employment.

I. W. W. ATTACK ON MITCHELL REPULSED

MITCHELL, S. D., July 18.—A cordon of police with drawn revolvers prevented an "invasion" by alleged I. W. W.'s numbering several hundred here this morning. The men came to town from Sioux City, Iowa, in response, their leader said, to an appeal sent out by five members of the organization who were thrown into jail here yesterday on charges of vagrancy.

A parley was arranged with the men after the show of weapons had checked their rush. They were allowed to get breakfast here, but were to continue on northward, where they promised to go to work in the barvest fields.

CAUSES DEATH OF SIX

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The tragedy ended with the death of six investigators.

The first detail of twelve policemen under Lieutenant Wesley Westbrook, attempted to storm the house with clubs and pistols, but were driven back. Rifles were brought up. The blues poured a fusillade into every window. For a time the negro ceased to fire and it was thought he was dead, but when a policeman tried the door he reopened fire, going from window to window and firing with calm precision.

Building Is Fired

The blues were chary of McIntyre's marksmanship by this time and authority was obtained to fire the building. It was so hazardous an undertaking, however, that only a small blaze was started among the shingles, and this died out of itself.

Policeman Dean was killed as he broke down the rear door of the McIntyre house. Clement and Crabtree were shot when they entered to recover Dean's body. Mrs. Overmeyer was slain when she went in search of her husband, who had gone to investigate the shooting.

Dynamite finally was brought and exploded, wrecking the house. Mrs. McIntyre's head was blown off and her body riddled with bullets. She was found thus, but McIntyre, although wounded, was leaning against a bedroom door leading from the kitchen. Before he could fire a bullet from one of the officers found its mark in his head. He was taken to a hospital, where he died.

TELL US YOUR FOOT TROUBLES

MARINELLO CURES THEM
Marinello Hair Shop
407 Garnet-Corner Bldg.

PRESIDENT POINCARE VISITS BATTLE FRONT

PARIS, July 18, 1:30 p. m.—President Poincare, accompanied by General Pierre Benes, minister of war, has spent the last two days in visits to the Meuse and Sauer fronts, according to the Associated Press.

KLAMATH FALLS TO PLAY MEDFORD FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

The manager of the Klamath Falls baseball team has finally quieted the newspaper clamor regarding the recent game between Medford and Klamath Falls and arrangements have been closed with Manager Brevard of the Medford team, whereby the Klamath Falls team will come to Medford for a return game next Sunday, July 23, accompanied by about 300 Klamath Falls fans, and as many more in cars.

They are prepared to play a good, clean fast game of ball, win or lose. Bigbee, the U. of O. star pitcher will be on the hump for the Falls, and Steberts, who has already made himself known to the Medford fans, will twirl for the home team.

This game should tax the capacity

EXPECT SUBMARINE TO LEAVE SHORTLY

WASHINGTON, July 18.—The allied embassies here expect the German underwater liner Deutschland to start her return voyage at any hour, probably within a day or two. It was clear today that the embassies have made no protest and probably will make no further move until after she has sailed.

RIVER STEAMBOAT STRIKERS RETURN

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—Union bay and river steamboat men who struck for higher wages June 1, returned to work today under their old wage scale and working conditions on the promise of the Bay and River Steamboat Owners' association to negotiate a new wage scale with the men later.

So far as could be learned today, there is no mention of open or closed shop in the agreement under which the men returned to work today. About 600 men were on strike at 6 p. m.

The box, the package or the cigarette

A Box does not make a cigarette and besides—Boxes are extravagant

The Fatima Package is original with Fatima—

It will appeal to you as being inexpensive—neat and in good taste

Fatima is made for men who value a cigarette for the tobacco it contains

If packed in an expensive Box or fancy package, Fatima positively could not be sold at the price

In Fatima the value is where it belongs—in the cigarette

DIAMONDS AND SUCCESS

Wearing diamonds gives an air of prosperity that brings greater success. Everyone knows that diamonds are high, and that no one can wear them, who has not considerable means or first-class credit. If, then, you wear them you are showing positively that you are at least on the road to prosperity, and it is human nature to pay tribute to success by helping it to further success. It is business for a business man to show that he is successful, for it will bring him more and better customers, and there is no better way to show that you are successful than by wearing well-chosen diamonds. All our diamonds are correctly graded by experts, with exact weights, qualities and lowest prices marked in plain figures.

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