

CAPTURE 75 MEXICAN BANDITS, SAVE AMERICANS

Sir Roger Casement is Held to High Court For Treason

HELD FOR TRIAL AFTER HEARING BY MAGISTRATE

Counsel For Defendants Calls No Witnesses But Reserves Big Fight For Upper Court.

BAILEY IS UNPERTURBED BY EVIDENCE PRODUCED

Companion of Irish Nobleman Less Agitated by Proceedings—Russian Rifles as Exhibits.

International News Service: LONDON, May 17. — Sir Roger Casement and Daniel Julian Bailey, who were arrested in connection with an attempt to land arms and ammunition in Ireland for use by the rebels, were today held for trial in the high court of justice on the charge of high treason. The commitment was made by Magistrate Sir John Dickinson.

Just before the preliminary hearing at Bow st. police court came to a close testimony was given to the effect that Bailey claimed to have come from America. Later, it was declared, he offered to turn state's evidence if guaranteed his freedom.

There were three more witnesses to be called for the prosecution when the hearing was resumed today in Bow st. police court.

When Casement arrived in court this morning his hair was rumpled and altogether he looked as he had secured very little rest during the night. As he took his seat Casement nodded to friends and relatives among the spectators.

Among the exhibits on the counsel table were rifles of the pattern used by the Russian army which had been secured in the wreck of the sunken filibuster *Aude* by a diver. These were evidently some weapons captured from the Russians by the German army of Field Marshal von Hindenburg.

Constable Carter, who was recalled to the stand, testified that he heard Bailey exclaim, when arrested: "I have some information which will give you fellows something to do."

Jitneys Move to Coonley Corner, Put on Probation

The jitneys have moved. Following Judge Walter A. Punk's decision in circuit court Tuesday that the auto bus owners must move from their stand in front of the Washington av. entrance to the American Trust Co., the drivers established themselves just across the street, at the side of the Coonley Drug store.

As long as the jitney drivers act like gentlemen and do not interfere with the drug store's business, Charles Coonley, proprietor of the store, will allow them to remain there. Mr. Coonley's auto delivery truck must be given room to get in and out.

"If the drivers will not be noisy and will not park their cars so that my customers cannot get in and out of my store, I will allow them to remain in front of the store," said Mr. Coonley. "If they cause any trouble, however, I will have to take action against them."

Interest in the outcome of the jitney bus suit has been manifested all over the state. Many letters from other cities in Indiana, asking for information about the case, have been sent to Atty. Gen. Parker, counsel for the "drivers."

It is proposed to make a test case of the temporary injunction proceedings.

RESTRAIN MAYOR FROM CLOSING CLEM SALOON

Judge George Ford has issued a temporary restraining order against Mayor Fred W. Keller, mayor, Millard E. Kerr, chief of police, Ulysses G. Manning, comptroller, enjoining them from closing the David P. Clem saloon, 441 E. LaSalle av.

Mayor Keller revoked the license of the saloon man last week on the grounds that he violated the liquor laws in allowing minors in his place. It was also charged that he was not the proper owner.

The petition for injunction alleges that the mayor is without proper jurisdiction in revoking the license of Clem.

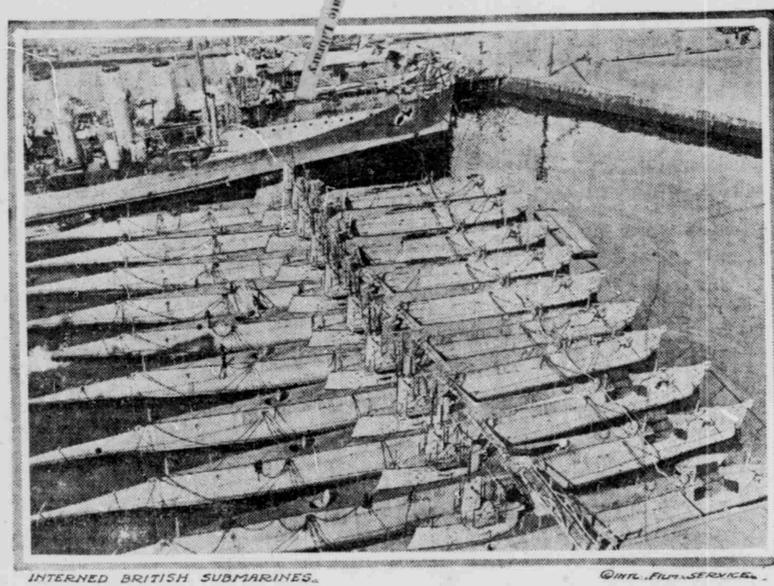
A similar case was tried out in the local courts recently. Judge Ford ruling in favor of the liquor men. The case went to Judge Punk on a change of venue and he found for the mayor. Judge Ford's restraining order was granted during vacation time.

DISCHARGES WAITER Proprietor of Oriental Inn Says Employee Caused Trouble.

In an effort to prevent further disturbances at the cafe, Charley Lam, proprietor of the Oriental Inn on N. Main st., has discharged Mooka Lam, a waiter accused of short changing a patron at the restaurant Monday night.

The proprietor states that the waiter is not his cousin, although he had cared for the young man for several years. Charley Lam says that on several occasions Lam has been in some ways the cause of several disturbances which have taken place at the Oriental Inn.

British Submarines Interned at Charleston



INTERNED BRITISH SUBMARINES. Here are 10 submarines, which have just been completed by American manufacturers for the British government, but which are tied up in the Charleston navy yard, Massachusetts, because of the neutrality laws of this country.

Call Grey's Omission of Demand Germany be Crushed, Significant

International News Service: BERLIN (via Sayville wireless), May 17.—German newspapers in commenting upon recent utterances of Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, relative to the origin and cause of the war, declare that they are "hardly apt to foster the cause of peace, although the British statesman does not use such high sounding and hollow phrases as 'Germany ought to be crushed,' which, up until the present, was usually given as England's object in the war."

It is agreed by the press that Sir Edward repeats what the German chancellor has already refuted in his speech of Aug. 19, 1915, when he discussed the declarations of Premier Asquith upon a similar subject.

Premier Asquith then asserted that Germany had made an impossible understanding with England by asking England's absolute neutrality "in the event of Germany's being engaged in war."

The chancellor has already stated, it is pointed out, that Germany had asked England's neutrality "should war be forced upon Germany," which is quite a different thing since it excludes the possibility of aggressive intentions on Germany's part.

As to the way in which English diplomacy had worked for years in order to isolate Germany and expose her to an attack by the coalition.

In this connection the newspapers recall that Germany of course repudiated to Germany on Dec. 8, 1914, reported that "the entente cordiale" was not founded upon the positive base of defense of common instincts, but upon the negative base of hatred toward Germany.

Furthermore the press reports the Belgian ambassador to Germany on Feb. 9, 1907, to the effect that "it is impossible to doubt the sincerity of the German emperor's pacifistic intentions since he has furnished proof of them for 18 years."

A protest is raised by the press against a discussion of the Belgian problem by Sir Edward Grey. The chancellor stated, the newspapers recall, that Germany of course cannot admit of the reconstruction of Belgium as she was before the war, that is to say of Belgium as a bulwark directed against Germany.

GERMANS RENEW VERDUN ATTACK

Deliver Strong Assault on Dead Man's Hill—Austrians Press Forward.

International News Service: PARIS, May 17.—German forces have renewed their offensive on the Verdun front.

To the west of the Meuse the Germans delivered a strong attack against the French position on Le Mort Homme (Dead Man's hill), using hand grenades, but it was repulsed, the war office stated today.

Another German attack with grenades was launched east of the Meuse against the French trenches in the region of Thiaumont farm, but the communiqué reported it too was repulsed.

Artillery on both sides showed violent activity throughout the night at Haudremont wood and at Vaux pond.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE 37,000 OF TURKS

Vast Quantities of Munitions Are Also Taken on Ottoman Front.

PETROGRAD, May 17. — More than 37,000 Turkish troops have been captured by the advancing forces of Grand Duke Nicholas in Asia Minor during the last three weeks. The Russians have also captured vast quantities of munitions which had been sent from German factories and conveyed to the Ottoman front by prodigious effort.

BEGIN BALLOTING ON METHODIST BISHOPS

First Voting Fails to Result in Election—Expect to Take Week.

International News Service: SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 17.—Shortly after the Methodist Episcopal general conference went into session today official announcement was made that the first ballot taken yesterday for the seven new bishops had failed to result in an election.

PREPAREDNESS PARADE IS PLAN OF ROTARY CLUB

Demonstration and Coliseum Building Are Taken Up at Weekly Luncheon.

South Bend may have a preparedness parade similar to the one held in New York last Saturday and the one that is to march through the streets of Chicago on June 12. The question was taken up at the weekly luncheon and meeting of the Rotary club at the Oliver hotel Wednesday noon.

Mr. McKeand said that South Bend's transportation facilities made a coliseum an advisable proposition. He said that a building of this kind could be used for local meetings, entertainments, various kinds of shows, conventions and that a market could be held in the building.

The speaker gave Wheeling's coliseum as an example of a market place in connection with the convention hall.

Mr. McKeand said that the revenues from the building permitted the city to pay an organist \$5,000 a year to give Sunday afternoon concerts and secure the best speakers and singers in the country to give lectures and concerts free of charge to the people.

Members of the board of directors were instructed to attend the meeting of all organizations in the county at the high school on May 23 to discuss the St. Joseph county bazaar.

U.S. Cruiser Goes Aground But is Soon Re-floated

International News Service: BOSTON, May 17.—News reached the Charleston navy yard with wireless at 10:45 o'clock that the United States cruiser *San Francisco*, which grounded on Nantucket shoals at 5 o'clock, had been floated.

Commander Belknap of *San Francisco*, sent this wireless to the Charleston navy yard: "San Francisco floated at 9 a. m. He made no mention of any loss of men and it is believed, at the navy yard that there was no loss of life."

LATEST in the News World

PLANT BLOWS UP. ATLANTA, Ga., May 17. — A terrific explosion this morning destroyed the plant of the Georgia Fibre Co., here. The plant was engaged in bleaching cotton linters for the DuPont Powder Co. for manufacture into gun cotton.

TO VOTE WEDNESDAY. WASHINGTON, May 17.—The senate judiciary committee today decided to vote next Wednesday on its report on the president's appointment of Louis D. Brandeis to be an associate justice of the supreme court.

PROGRESS of the War

INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE: LONDON, May 17.—A naval engagement took place off the coast of Belgium on Tuesday.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Three Americans were members of the crew of the Canadian steamer *Eritrea*, sunk off the French coast Friday, according to a report received by the state department today from the Consul Patton at La Rochelle, France.

BARTER OVER POLAND

Germany and Austria Reported Negotiating Over Land.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE: GENEVA, May 17.—The Geneva Journal states that Germany and Austria are now negotiating to settle issues that have arisen over the future of Poland.

DUTCH STEAMER IS BLOWN UP, 4 DEAD

Vessel Bound From London to Rotterdam With General Cargo Hits Mine.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE: LONDON, May 17.—An American citizen named Luigi Mancini was killed when the Dutch steamer *Batavier V* was blown up on Tuesday, it was announced today by the American embassy.

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CAPTIVES ARE SAVED WITHOUT FIRING A SHOT

Maj. Langhorne and Body of Troopers Come Upon U. S. Citizens in Mexican House Near El Pino.

GLEN SPRINGS BANDIT GANG IS CAPTURED

Six Are Killed Trying to Escape While 75 Others Lay Down Arms and Give Up.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE: SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 17.—Official confirmation was received here today that Jesse Deemer and Monroe Payne, the two Americans carried off by the Mexican bandits who raided Big Bend, have been rescued.

The rescue was made at El Pino by United States troopers under Maj. Langhorne on Tuesday morning.

Maj. Langhorne in making his report to Maj. Gen. Funston stated that he expected to be in contact with the bandit gang today in the region of El Pino.

TO HOLD MEMORIAL

INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE: KILKENNY, Ireland, May 17.—The "Friends of Irish Freedom," who will hold a memorial meeting Sunday for the men who died during the Sinn Fein uprising in Ireland, are building a huge Celtic cross, on which will be displayed the names of the 16 revolutionists who were executed by British authorities.

Six of the Mexicans were shot as they tried to escape. The others, numbering about 75, laid down their arms and surrendered without a move, according to best reports of the affair.

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TALKS ON PREPAREDNESS. INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE: INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 17.—T. J. Nixon talked on "preparedness" to members of the Indiana Funeral directors' association—preparedness to properly dispose of all fit subjects for a funeral director's art.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Cubal Gen. Rodgers at Mexico City today (CONTINUED ON PAGE FOUR.)