

IRREGULAR CHIEFS CAPTURED IN RAIDS

Sean Fitzpatrick and Four of His Officers Arrested.

DE VALERA NOT TAKEN

A Large Number of Mines, Bombs and Arms Seized by Free State Troops in Dublin.

Dublin.—More than twenty irregulars were captured in raids in Dublin. Additional raids are in progress.

The irregulars were taken in a raid at Dunmanway. The most important of these prisoners is Sean Fitzpatrick. He is said to be commanding officer of the Dublin brigade of irregulars.

The arrests were made by criminal investigation department officers of the Free State government. It was disclosed a meeting of the free Dublin irregulars of irregulars was proceeding at the time.

A rumor was in circulation Economy de Valera had been arrested, but there was no confirmation.

An explosives factory was seized in a country home in a well-to-do residential quarter.

A large number of mines, bombs and arms were found.

A man in the house was arrested. A large band of men armed with rifles raided the post office at Black Rock, a seaside resort near Dunlaoghaire Village was similarly visited.

The residence of Michael Doyle, member of the Dail Executive for West Cork, was burned to the ground at Tagout.

Nicholas Williams, a member of the Dublin defense forces, was shot dead at Brumcontra. It is believed the shooting was accidental.

De Valera Not Captured.

London.—A despatch from Dublin said the secretary of William Cosgrave, head of the Free State government, denied De Valera had been captured.

Irregulars Were Captured.

Belfast.—A Dublin despatch describing the capture of Sean Fitzpatrick says the men taken with him were his adjutant and three officers.

The criminal investigation department men, the account says, suddenly appeared at the end of the road in Newry, Co. Down, road where the five men were seated at a table which was strewed with papers. The official raiders presented revolvers and shouted: "Hands up."

The five men immediately surrendered.

The Free State authorities, adds the message, deny reports De Valera was captured.

General O'Daly, commanding the Free State forces in County Kerry, reports the surrender of the irregulars leader, Pierce, and his column of seventeen men. To facilitate this the amnesty in Northern Kerry was extended forty-eight hours.

After signing an undertaking providing for their good behavior, the irregulars were allowed to go.

25 Cents Short, Kills Himself.

Chicago.—A shortage of twenty-five cents so worried John Fairbanks, postmaster of West Chicago, he took his life it is believed. His body was found with a bullet wound in his head. Two weeks ago Fairbanks telegraphed Inspector Germer he was working overtime to make his books balance. An auditor discovered a difference of twenty-five cents.

Woman, 82, Burns to Death.

Johnstown, Pa.—Mrs. Elizabeth Snyder, 82 years old, was fatally burned when her clothing ignited while attending to the fire in the heating stove of her room. She was rushed to the Memorial Hospital, where she died a few hours after being admitted.

Junior Police For Johnstown.

Johnstown, Pa.—A "Junior police force," drawn from the older school boys, to police the city playgrounds, is being considered by Johnstown officials. It is believed many accidents commonly occurring on the recreation grounds can be averted by this method.

Crochet Needle Wound Costs Her Arm.

Bridgeton, N. J.—When her hand became infected from a crochet needle wound, Mrs. W. H. Willis suffered amputation of an arm at the elbow. The operation was performed at the Bridgeton Hospital.

Has First Case of Smallpox.

Grove City, Pa.—The first case of smallpox in the history of Grove City was reported to the health department. It is the only case. Health authorities said there was no danger of the disease spreading.

To Save War Insurance.

Washington.—The Sweet Bill, which would permit the reinstatement of lapsed war risk insurance of many disabled world war veterans, was reported by the house commerce committee.

GERTRUDE AERTHON

PENNSYLVANIA NEWS IN BRIEF

Interesting Items From All Sections of State



Recent studio portrait of Gertrude Atherton, the famous novelist.

Made Deadly Trade.

Clarksville, W. Va.—An incident charging a man with the death of another who was kicked and killed by a horse was re-enacted in the Giles county grand jury, sitting in Glendale. The indictment of the man's daughter and son against Margaret James, a former county farmer, for the death of William Myers, another farmer, who was almost instantly killed when kicked by a horse which he acquired in a trade with James. It is the contention of the state that James failed to warn Myers that the animal was dangerous.

No One to Bury Dead.

Bethel, Ind.—With all the members of the Fulton County Medical Society refusing the services of county health officer, Fulton county faced the problem of burying the dead with no one in authority to sign burial permits.

The county commissioners met in special session to consider the emergency. It was said only one physician in the county is not a member of the medical society, and he may be appointed health officer. The office here pays \$250 a year.

Snakes Dancing Girls' Pets.

London.—Four constrictors caught on the shores of the Amazon, are the latest fashionable pets for women. A horrifying business has been done here in London, matador, setting them up as professional dancing girls in Ecuador and the continent. The snakes kept in perforated zinc boxes fitted with tanks, include every variety of Brazilian boa constrictor. American bull snakes are also popular.

Against White House No. 2.

Washington.—The senate public buildings and grounds committee reported adversely on the proposed acceptance of Mrs. John B. Thawson of a residence in a fashionable section of Washington to be used as a home for the vice president. The committee was divided; it was said, as to the possibility of obtaining funds for maintenance.

Finds "Husband" a Woman.

Trenton, N. J.—The man to whom she was married nearly three years ago was a woman, Miss Blanche M. Hughes, East Orange, has appealed to the court of chancery for annulment of the wedding ceremony on the grounds set forth. The person she thought was a man used the name of William J. Houston.

Pondexter Ambassador to Peru.

Washington.—The nomination of Senator Miles Pondexter, of Washington, to be ambassador to Peru, which was sent to the senate by President Harding, was promptly confirmed.

Measles Shuts Lancaster School.

Lancaster, Pa.—Fifty-eight rooms in the Lancaster schools are now closed because of measles, which has been increasing for the past ten days.

GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA—FLOUR—Quiet

Winter straight, \$6@640. Spring

WHEAT—Steady; No. 2 red, \$1.33@

1.25.

CORN—Steady; No. 2 yellow, 85@

86@.

GATS—Quiet; No. 2 white, 54@@

55@.

POULTRY—Live: flocks, 29@

30@; old roosters, 12@18@. Dressed

flock: choice fowls, 32@; old roosters,

21@.

BUTTER—Quiet; fancy creamery,

52@.

Eggs—Steady; selected, 43@44@;

nearby, 39@; western, 38@.

Live Stock Quotations.

CHICAGO—HOGS—10 to 25c low

25 to 30c high; market, 200@ to

280@; round butchers, \$7.50@7.80

to 225@; pound butchers, \$7.50@7.80

packing sows, mostly, \$6.75@7.75; pigs

\$7.75@7.75; heavy weight hogs, \$7.6@

8.1@; medium, \$7.75@8.1@; lighter, \$8.0@

CATTLE—Slow, uneven; top maturing, \$12.50@13.50; market, 200@ to

225@; round butchers, \$7.50@7.80

to 225@; pound butchers, \$7.50@7.80

packing sows, mostly, \$6.75@7.75; pigs

\$7.75@7.75; heavy weight hogs, \$7.6@

8.1@; medium, \$7.75@8.1@; lighter, \$8.0@

SHEEP—weak to 25c lower; top

21@; clipped lambs, generally \$12.30@

GRAND THEATRE

William "Stand-em-up" Hart
Sets a New Cinema Record



In "Three Word Brand," a Paramount picture, the pictures show different characters, a few never before seen.

"Three Word Brand"
Is Here Tonight

Saturday Night



Tuesday Night

The dare-devil of the screen in
the best he has made....
Tom Mix

DO OR DARE

Wednesday Night



After the Show
Paramount Special

Thursday Night



Richard Barthemess in

SONNY

Heart interest drama
filled with self sacrifice
and pathos, from the
play by Geo. V. Hobart
One of the best shows
Ever Screened

Monday Night

The Altar Stairs

Frank Mayo and a
good cast.