

FIFTY PERSONS KILLED IN HURRICANE SWEEPING NEW YORK HARBOR

New York, June 11.—Wind of hurricane velocity, the outrider of a torrential rainstorm that swept from the eastern edge of New Jersey across this city and over Westchester county late this afternoon, was responsible for at least fifty deaths, hundreds of minor accidents, large destruction of property, and riots and panic at traffic terminals and pleasure resorts.

The most numerous fatalities were drownings off City Island of men and women in rowboats. Eight bodies had been recovered at 10 o'clock to-night, and 30 persons were not accounted for.

The dead calm of the late afternoon following a day of scorching heat, had driven millions to seek relief anywhere it promised to be cool. The number of those in rowboats off the Westchester shore, at City Island and thereabouts, was estimated at 15,000. The gale came out of an almost clear sky, and reaching shore before it struck was hopeless for most of those in the boats.

A Ferris wheel at Clason's Point Park, in the Bronx, was blown into Long Island Sound, causing deaths to five and serious injury to 35 persons.

A tree was blown over on the brick chimney of Red Lion Inn, on the Boston Post road, and the chimney fell through the roof of the main restaurant, killing two persons.

Drivers of motor cars were caught under falling trees, one woman dying in such an accident near Hackensack.

Broken glass, blown from big windows in this city, injured several persons.

New York, June 12.—The New York World this morning estimates yesterday's hurricane toll at 50 killed in New York City and immediate vicinity. The World says: "Thirty-eight persons are known to have been drowned in Pelham Bay, off City Island, when their rowboats overturned. Eight bodies had been recovered at midnight, and thirty persons were not accounted for."

BRITISH TROOPS TAKE ULSTER TOWN

Republicans Vacate After a Brief Skirmish at Border Point.

A despatch from Belleek, Ulster, says:—British troops were in action here on Thursday supported by howitzers firing 4.5 high explosive shells. The fighting lasted for nearly an hour, at the end of which the village was in undisputed possession of the attacking force. This consisted of detachments of the South Staffordshires and the Lincolns, who advanced from Pettigoe by road, skirting Lough Erne on the northwest, while the Manchesters, with the Hampshires in reserve, a field company of the Royal Engineers, and two howitzers, followed the road which runs along the southern shore. Altogether about 300 officers and men were engaged in the operation.

The following official report was issued in Enniskillen on Thursday night:

"Orders were received to discover whether forces from the Free State were still in occupation of the Belleek district. Orders were issued that Free State territory was not to be entered unless fire was opened on the troops while in Ulster territory. Means of water transport were arranged, as 150 yards of the road entering Belleek from the south were in Free State territory. The infantry were divided into two columns, one on each side of Lough Erne. Armored cars were sent on ahead of these columns to reconnoitre. These were fired on from Free State territory while they were still in Ulster territory. The infantry then advanced from the North. Artillery shelled a ridge to the North, from which fire was being brought to bear on the northern column, and Cliffe, which was the headquarters of the forces occupying Belleek. The fire was very accurate and the enemy retired.

"At 2 p.m. the columns entered Belleek. Our casualties were one man of the Lincoln Regiment, who was slightly wounded. Those of the enemy are unknown, as no wounded were recovered."

A later despatch from Belfast says:—With the British occupation of Belleek, peace ruled along the Fermanagh border on Friday afternoon. The main body of the troops engaged in the operation passed through Enniskillen and returned to headquarters on Friday. Refugees also were returning to Belleek.

Promises may get friends, but performance keeps them.

The Earl of Balfour is discharging the duties of British Foreign Secretary, owing to the protracted illness of the Marquis of Curzon.

KING ALEXANDER AND PRINCESS MARIE MARRIED IN ROYAL SPLENDOR

A despatch from Belgrade, Jugo-Slavia, says:—King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia and Princess Marie of Roumania were married on Thursday amid pomp and enthusiasm such as Belgrade has not seen since the establishment of the new kingdom. No untoward incident marred the occasion. Every step of the way to and from the Cathedral was marked by endless ovations.

Artillery salutes at ten o'clock in the morning announced that the ceremony had begun, and at its conclusion, as the royal party left the Cathedral, the Queen of Roumania, smiling through her tears, was seen to bend towards her favorite daughter and caress her—a little human touch which

caught the imagination and deeply affected the simple people.

Inside the Cathedral was a scene of magnificence. Representatives of all the states of Europe, in gala uniforms, mingled with ladies in brilliant toilettes, relieved here and there by plain dress suits and khaki.

The scenes outside were no less gorgeous, and the streets were a feast of color. Three thousand persons from all parts of the Kingdom of Croats, Serbs and Slovenes, came to witness the marriage. Never has there been such a display of costumes, some of them worth a king's ransom, or such wonderful horses, not to be seen in any other part of Europe.

Notwithstanding this enormous gathering there were no disorders, and no attempts at bomb-throwing.



Princess Marie

Second daughter of the King and Queen of Roumania, whose marriage to King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia at Belgrade was marked by elaborate ceremonies.

BOLSHEVISTS ROB MONARCHS' TOMBS

Continue Work of Ferreting Out Church Treasures for Confiscation.

A despatch from Paris says:—The Russian Bolsheviks, leaving no stone unturned in their work of ferreting out Church treasures for confiscation, have violated the tombs of the Czars and Czarinas in St. Peter and St. Paul's Cathedral, Petrograd, says Le Journal, quoting private advices from a reliable source.

The tomb of the Czarina Anna Ivanovna, which is made of silver, was removed bodily, and the coffin of Catherine the Great was broken open and a necklace and rings of great value were taken. The Bolsheviks are declared to have even pried the lid from Peter the Great's coffin, but finding the body marvellously preserved, were abashed, and dared not strip it of its jewels.

The despatch adds that news of the sacking of the tombs spread rapidly among the Russian people, who are extremely indignant at the desecrations.

Prince of Wales Receives Highest Egyptian Honor

Cairo, June 11.—King Fuad has conferred the Order of Mohammed Ali on the Prince of Wales. This is the highest Egyptian honor, and the Prince of Wales is the first recipient of it. The Prince leaves for Port Said to-night, and will depart on board the Renown to-morrow morning.



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CAIRO WELCOMES PRINCE OF WALES

H.R.H. Tendered Tremendous Reception in Egyptian Capital.

A despatch from London says:—The Prince of Wales has arrived at Cairo, where he was given a tremendous reception. He was received by the Premier, the High Commissioner of Egypt and Crown representatives.

The last stop of the Prince on the homeward leg of his long journey, which took him to India, the Far East and the Philippines, will be at Gibraltar, where he is expected to arrive on the 17th. After a few hours' stay he will depart for Plymouth.

Oldest Wedded Couple in Britain Pass Away

Prince Rupert, B.C., June 11.—The death of Thomas Minty and his wife, aged 99 and 98, respectively, at Aberdeen, Scotland, is reported in a message received by A. C. Minty, a son, here. They were said to have been the oldest living wedded couple in the United Kingdom, having been married 72 years. Nine children survive, all in Canada.

COLLINS AND DE VALERA HAVE REACHED STATUS OF UNIFICATION

Dublin, June 11.—It is stated upon the highest authority that a status of absolute unification has been reached between Eamonn De Valera and Michael Collins.

Following several informal conferences with the Free State leader, De Valera made a speech at Mallow today, in which he declared:

"It is not wise to change horses while crossing a stream. It is advisable to return once more to a show of confidence in those whom you returned unanimously on the last occasion."

This reference to the elections of next week is taken as final assurance that a complete accord has been reached between the real leaders of the Republican and the Free State factions.

Michael Collins is going to Cork tomorrow, where he will also declare for "a campaign of unity."

It is stated that Cathal Brugha will remain in the open opposition to the acceptance of the treaty, in spite of the attitude of Collins and De Valera, but it is said that his influence will not be a serious factor.

Hints for Campers in the Forest.

Be sure your match is out. Pinch it before you throw it away.

Build a small camp-fire. Build it in the open, not against a tree or log or near brush. Scrape away the trash from all around it.

Never leave a camp-fire, even for a short time, without quenching it with water and then covering it with earth.

If you find a fire, try to put it out. If you cannot extinguish it, send word of it to the nearest Forest Ranger.

Throw pipe ashes and cigar or cigarette stumps in the dust of the road and stamp or pinch out the fire before leaving them. Don't throw pipe ashes and cigar or cigarette stumps into brush, leaves, or pine needles.

The Soviet Premier Lenin is reported dying of cerebral paralysis at Moscow.