

Armed Assaults:-

At Limerick City, British troops and police invaded the streets after midnight and fired many volleys into residences and business premises of prominent Republicans.

At Kilcommon, Co. Tipperary, British troops and police attacked the residences of prominent Republicans, surrounding the houses and firing, in one case, fifty rounds into them. Women and children in the houses narrowly escaped death.

At Ballynauty, British troops and police "shot-up" the village.

At Katesbridge, Co. Down, a party of young men who were returning from a Sports Meeting which had been postponed, were held up by a British military patrol who searched them, during which search a machine-gun was trained on them.

Dr. Magnier and Rev. Fr. Moore, C.C. were motoring in Cork, when they were held up at the point of the bayonet and searched by a British military patrol near Fermoy.

After the British military raid on the house of Mr. G. Power, Republican Member of the Fermoy District Council, the military pickets fired through the windows when driving past the house.

During the British military raid on the premises of Mr. E. J. Rice, Strawhall House, Fermoy, the raiders thrust out of the house Mrs. Power, her mother, seven children and two maids - all barefooted, and in their night attire. The men of the household were told to line up to be shot. The military then placed straw in all the rooms, saturated it with petrol and set it on fire. Hand grenades were placed in one room and boxes of gun cotton were placed about. The interior of the house was completely destroyed by fire. Next day the troops again raided the house, and took away with them all traces of explosives used by the military party of the night before.

During the British military riots in Fermoy, Co. Cork, the troops flung arsenic powder and other poisonous substances on the foods in confectioners' shops.

The house of Mr. Hallinan, Clondulane, Co. Cork, was entered by armed British military and police. The occupants were taken from their beds and made stand on the roadside. The soldiers and police then set fire to the beds. Mr. Hallinan's mother, an old woman too feeble to be moved, was nearly burned to death.

Pedestrians at Tubbercurry, Co. Sligo, were held up at the point of the bayonet and searched by British military.

Militarism:-

British military seized Shillelagh Fever Hospital, Co. Wicklow. The hospital authorities are thereby prevented from nursing fever cases.

Mounted troops now patrol the Dublin mountains almost every night.

The S.S. Snowden arrived at the North Wall, Dublin, yesterday with 300 to 400 of the Duke of Wellington's W. R. Regt., who marched to Gormanstown.

A detachment of 25 marines landed at Puncheon Harbour, Keel, Achill, and occupied the local coastguard station.

A detachment of the East Lancashire Regiment have seized and occupied Kenmare Workhouse Fever Hospital, Co. Kerry.

A military officer, accompanied by a police sergeant, has informed Mr. M. Higgins, R.D.C., Killeagh, Youghal, that the "competent military authority" has ordered Mr. Higgins to leave his residence.

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