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AMERICAN STEAMER CAMPANA IS SUNK; CAPTAIN AND FOUR OF GUN CREW PROBABLY MADE PRISONERS

Standard Oil Tanker Sent Down By Submarine 143 Miles at Sea On August 6.

SURVIVORS ARE LANDED Navy Department Announces Probable Capture of Captain and Four Gunners.

AMERICAN SHIP SUNK Twenty-Five Sent Down Since the Declaration of War.

Washington, August 12.—Sinkings of the American steamer Campana, a Standard Oil tanker, with the probable capture of her captain and four members of the natural guard by the attacking German submarine, was announced today by the Navy Department.

The Standard Oil tanker Campana, American steamer, was sunk by a submarine on the morning of August 6, one hundred and forty-three miles off the coast of England, and was registered at 3,313 tons gross, 2,133 net. She was 325 feet long with a beam of 47 feet.

THE CAMPANA WAS THE 38TH AMERICAN SHIP SENT DOWN New York, August 12.—The Campana was formerly the Steamship Danholm. She was built in 1901 at West Hartlepool, England, and was registered at 3,313 tons gross, 2,133 net. She was 325 feet long with a beam of 47 feet.

The Campana was the thirty-eighth American merchant ship destroyed through the operations of German and Austrian submarines and raiders since the war began. Thirteen of these ships were sunk before the United States entered the war April 6, 1917, and 25 since that time. The total tonnage of the ships lost is about 113,000 tons, including 64,000 tons sunk since April 6.

DECLARATION OF WAR BY CHINA TODAY, IS RUMOR Commission Has Been Meeting Daily and Confering Concerning Plans of Participation.

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Plan For Controlling the Bread Supply Made Public

Government Prepared to Take Over Entire 1917 Wheat Crop If Necessary to Insure Conservation and Just Prices—To License Elevators and Mills and Regulate Middlemen and Exchanges.

Washington, August 12.—The food administration announced tonight its plan for controlling wheat, flour and bread, revealing the government is prepared to take over the whole 1917 wheat harvest if necessary to conserve the supply, obtain just prices for America's fighting forces and their allies and reduce costs to the general public in the United States. Establishing of buying agencies at all the principal terminals, licensing of elevators and mills, fixing of a price to be considered fair, regulation of the middle men and of grain exchanges, with the elimination of trading futures, are the chief features of the plan. The licensing will begin September 1. The minimum price of \$2 for wheat fixed by Congress does not become effective until next year, but the administration proposes to exercise a very thorough control over this year's crop through powers conferred under the food and export control bills.

FLANDERS BATTLE AGAIN HAMPERED

British, However, Gain a German Crater in Face of the Stormy Weather.

MOLDAVIA BATTLE VIOLENT

Mackensen Using Strong Forces Against Russo-Rumanian—Considerable Success is Claimed by Both Sides.

Unfavorable weather again is hampering large scale operations in Flanders, but in Southern Moldavia the desperate fighting between the Russo-Rumanians and the Teutons continues with increasing ferocity. Field Marshal von Mackensen is using strong forces in an endeavor to break through the entente line toward the railroad junction of Teutschiu. The Russians and Rumanians are resisting valiantly the numerically superior enemy, but have been forced to give up, at least temporarily, their positions along the railroad line north of Fokshani.

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MOTHER U-BOAT APPARENTLY SUNK BY BRITISH SHIP

Periscope Is Shot Away, Explosion Follows, and Undersea Craft Goes Under.

HAMMOND'S CREW LANDED

Captain and Seamen Of American Schooner Recently Sunk Arrive at an Atlantic Port.

An Atlantic Port, August 12.—Another German submarine has been sunk by the guns of a merchantman, if the gunners of a British freighter which arrived here today are correct in their assumption that three shots which struck an undersea boat off Brest, France, sent her to the bottom. The Britisher encountered the submarine on her last outward trip from this port. One shot destroyed the periscope. The second and third were followed by an explosion and the submarine disappeared. The gunners were confident that the submarine went down invariably.

CREW OF AMERICAN VESSEL ARRIVE AT ATLANTIC PORT

An Atlantic Port, August 12.—The captain and the six members of the crew of the American schooner John Hays Hammond, victim of a German submarine July 27, while on a voyage from England to Iceland, arrived here today on an American steamship. Cable dispatches telling of the loss of the schooner had said nothing of the fate of the crew.

BICKETT PREDICTS END OF WAR BY AUTUMN, 1918

Says After Victory is Won America Will Rise Higher in Esteem of the World Than Ever Before.

Asheville, N. C., August 12.—In a patriotic address delivered here tonight before 3,000 people, Governor Thomas W. Bickett predicted the close of present war before the close of autumn of 1918. "By the time that the last leaves fall in the autumn of 1918," said the Governor, "and our boys come marching home crowned with victory and success, this nation will rise to a higher position in the esteem of the whole world than it has ever held before, and the world will know that Old Glory has saved its civilization."

BAYONETS AND CLUBS BROUGHT INTO PLAY

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GERMAN BARBARITY IS PROTESTED BY RUSSIA

Central Committee Charges Prisoners Are Ill Treated and Made to Do Superhuman Work.

Petrograd, August 12.—The central committee which is dealing with the affairs of war prisoners issued a statement today "in high protest against the refined barbarity which Germany is displaying" toward Russian prisoners.

It is asserted in the statement that Germany obtains from replying to proposals for the exchange of civilian prisoners and hostages for the alleviation of the lot of war prisoners on the basis of reciprocity, or for the exchange of tuberculous prisoners or the sending of Sisters of Charity to nurse them.

MACKENSEN'S FORCES IN CENTRAL RUMANIA TAKE 6,700 PRISONERS

MANY PERISH WHEN FISHING BOATS ARE SWAMPED BY GALE

Boston, August 12.—Nineteen Portuguese fishermen, of Provincetown, were drowned when the dories in which they were fishing off Cape Cod were swamped by a gale that came up suddenly late Friday afternoon. The men were from the fishing schooners Mary C. Santos and the Natalie J. Nelson, which arrived here tonight. Eight Gloucester fishermen, comprising the crews of the small fishing schooners Daniel and Alice Steton, also are believed to have been lost in the gale. Members of the crew of the fishing schooner Virginia reported that they had seen both the Daniel and the Steton to the storm and later saw wreckage from both craft wash by. Other fishing schooners reported narrow escapes. The storm struck the fishing fleet ninety miles south by southeast of Highland Light, a 65 mile wind sweeping up from the southeast and suddenly veering to the northeast.

TWO FACE CHARGE OF HIGH TREASON

McCoy-Phipp's Trial Begins Today In U. S. District Court at Big Stone Gap, Va.

REBEL BAND WAS FORMED

Indictment Charges McCoy and Phipps With Organizing 300 Mountaineers in Effort to Make War on United States.

BIGSTONE GAP, VA., AUGUST 12.—Trial of William Verdon McCoy and John W. Phipps, mountaineers, on charges of high treason, will begin in the United States district court here tomorrow morning. The defendants are charged specifically with recruiting an army to make war on the United States, fomenting rebellion, resisting the conscription law and conspiring to seize United States property.

PHIPPS AND MCCOY WERE ARRESTED

May 27, 1917, by Virginia guardsmen and Department of Justice agents after it is alleged they had recruited and organized an oath-bound mountain clan of three hundred men for the purpose of overpowering the military guard stationed in Wise county, seize their arms, murder wealthy land owners in the mountain section and divide the property seized among the clansmen. Governor Stuart was selected as one of the victims of the alleged gang.

600 STRIKE BREAKERS DEPORTED BY CAR MEN

Kansas City, Mo., August 12.—Deportation of six hundred strike breakers, accomplished in orderly fashion early today by sympathizers of striking street car employes under the supervision of the police, left the transportation system of the two Kansas Cities still tied up, while conference committees endeavored to find a solution for the situation. Mayor Edwards, of Kansas City, Mo., announced that an amicable settlement was in sight. The men demand recognition of the union and re-instatement of discharged employes.

STRIKERS ACCOMPLISH THEIR ENDS IN ORDERLY FASHION

Mayor of Kansas City, Mo., Says Amicable Settlement is in Sight—Traffic, However, Still Tied Up.

STREET CARS ARE KEPT RUNNING AT SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, August 12.—Striking car men of the United Railroads operating city and interurban lines here, today claimed additions to their ranks, but company officials said all lines were operating on schedule and with full crews. The strikers declared about 400 were out. They want an eight hour day and a wage readjustment. No disorder was reported.

EIGHTEEN CANNON AND 61 MACHINE GUNS FALL INTO HANDS OF TEUTONS, BERLIN REPORTS.

PETROGRAD CLAIM DIFFERS

Reports Repulse of Strong Teutonic Attacks With the Capture of 1,200 Germans.

GERMAN CITY IS BOMBED

French Airmen Make Retaliatory Raid on Frankfurt.

Berlin, via London, August 12.—(British Admiralty, per Wireless Press).—Field Marshal von Mackensen's forces fighting in Central Rumania yesterday took more than 6,700 Russian and Rumanian prisoners and captured eighteen cannon and sixty-one machine guns. The German general staff reports that the Austro-Germans did not lose a foot of ground.

RUSSIAN ATTACKS REPULSED

In Western Moldavia, the Austro-Germans stormed the village of Grozesti and also captured the dominating height positions. Bitter Russo-Rumanian counter attacks were repulsed, says the German statement, which adds that the "fresh enemy forces bled themselves to death."

PETROGRAD REPORT TELLS OF DESPERATE ENGAGEMENTS

Petrograd, August 12.—Desperate engagements are being fought by the Russo-Rumanian forces and Austro-German armies along the Rumanian front. In the center of this battle line, according to today's Russian official statement, the Russians and Rumanians yesterday repulsed strong Teuton attacks along the Fokshani-Maraschi railroad, then counter-attacked and captured 1,200 Germans, only to retire in the evening.

FRENCH AIRMEN DROP BOMBS ON THE CITY OF FRANKFORT

Paris, August 12.—Two French aviators yesterday dropped bombs on Frankfurt-on-the-Main, one of the most important cities of the German empire, having a population of more than 300,000. A French official statement announcing the raid says it was in retaliation for the Molavia aerial bombardment of Nancy and the region north of Paris. Both French machines returned undamaged.

PALESTINE JEWS REACH BERNE ON WAY TO U. S.

About 100 of Them Traveling at American Government's Expense—Much Misery in Palestine.

Berne, Switzerland, August 12.—About 100 Palestine Jews, principally the wives and children of men who emigrated from Palestine, arrived here today from Jerusalem on their way to New York. They are traveling at the expense of the United States government.

COST CONFERENCE OPPOSES COST PLUS PROFIT PLAN

Washington, August 12.—Straight purchase and sale contracts for war material, instead of the cost plus profit plan, are recommended by the inter-departmental cost conference in a report made public today after two months of investigation. The conference says the cost plus system should be used only where production involves difficult and complicated manufacturing effort or conditions which can not be clearly foreseen.