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A PORT COLUMN

News and Gossip of the Water front—Movements of Craft, Reported Locally And By Telegraph.

VESSELS IN PORT Steamers Hybert (American), 5,600 tons, United States Shipping Board, New York; American, 5,600 tons, United States Shipping Board, New York; Salina (Norwegian), 1,715 tons, Heide & Co., New York; Lake El Rio (American), Clyde Line, Major Wheeler (American), Heide & Co., New York; Matowoc (American), in distress, C. D. Maffitt & Co., New York.

JACKSONVILLE, Jan. 5.—Arrived: Cable steamer Robert C. Clowery, Miami.

Sailed: Van, Miami; Howard, Baltimore; bark Australia, Fleetwood; schooner St. Clair Theriault, Havana.

SAVANNAH, Jan. 5.—Arrived: Felix Tausig, Antofagasta via Jacksonville; Sailed: Agorsund, Fredericks; Nantucket, Philadelphia; bark Gull, Fleetwood.

TAMPA, Jan. 5.—Sailed: Argalla, Savannah.

PORT TAMPA, Jan. 5.—Arrived: Mascote, Havana via Key West; Mottico, Cardiff; Tancerville, Tampico; Sailed: Baytown, Tampico; Crawley, Key West.

CHARLESTON, Jan. 5.—Arrived: Chrysler, Tampa; Sailed: Brindilla, New York; Lake Elmore, Jacksonville; Altamaha, New York.

NORFOLK, Jan. 5.—Arrived: Philip, Philadelphia; Cabalero, Philadelphia; Ancon, New Orleans; Rexmore, Baltimore; Sacarapha, New Orleans; African Mendi, New Orleans; Tatjana, Philadelphia; Bay View, Providence; Gustavholm, Tampa; St. Patrick, New York; Irish Monarch, unknown; Cuba, Cristobal.

Sailed: Rampton, Gibraltar; F. O., Marie, Gibraltar; F. O., Caterino, a port in Argentina; Fairmont, Gibraltar; F. O., Oronoko, Buenos Aires; Elise, Helmsburg; Pallada, Gulfport; Inland, New England; Erling, Ystad; Ruth, Rotterdam; Devolente, Port Lobos; Pieta, Del Rio, Havana via Jacksonville; Guaratuba, Antwerp.

SHIPPING BOARD FOOD TO BE DELIVERED HERE

Wilmington One of 19 Ports Where Delivery Is Required

(Special to The Star) WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Sealed bids will be received until January 19, 1921, 2 p. m., and will then be opened publicly in the office of L. Van Middlesworth, managing purchasing department, division of supply and sales, 1317 F street, N. W., Washington, D. C., for furnishing such quantities of meat products, lard, butter, cheese and eggs as may be required for period of two or three months from February 1, 1921, for use of all ships in its ownership and control, the United States shipping board announces.

Wilmington, N. C., is one of the 19 ports at which deliveries are required. Sealed bids should be sent to the purchasing manager, indorsed, "sealed bids for products—do not open."

The national league of women voters, through their chairman, Maud Wood Park, have expressed their gratitude to Senator Simmons for the lead he rendered in the passage of the Sheppard-Towner bill. Particular appreciation is expressed for the senator's attitude on the King amendment, "because," as expressed by the chairman, "we believe that the administration under the measure should remain with the child-welfare bureau, where, happily, the senate has left it."

THREE AMERICANS ESCAPE

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Four of seven American relief workers, stationed in the besieged city of Uffa, Cilicia, since August 19, have escaped and arrived safely at Aleppo, a cable dispatch to the near east relief headquarters here announced today. The three others, whose safety was reported December 28, are believed to be awaiting an opportunity to leave. Dr. Joseph S. Stewart, son of Professor J. S. Stewart of the University of Georgia, who is in charge of work at Dizekhir, was among those who escaped.

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ARMY GAS MASKS NOT DESIGNED FOR MINERS

They Afford No Protection in Mine and Factory Fires

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Implicit faith in an instrument that saved the lives of thousands of American soldiers in France is daily endangering the lives of scores of men in industrial life in the United States, Dr. F. G. Cottrell, director of the bureau of mines, said today, in another warning against the use of army gas masks in mine explosion and mine fires. Despite repeated warning from the department, miners and persons engaged in mine rescue work persist in using army gas masks, Dr. Cottrell said, although the devices are of practically no use in the average mine disaster.

Reviewing a number of cases recently where men attempting mine rescue work with army type gas masks had been overcome and had died, Dr. Cottrell said: "These fatalities illustrate the fallacy of the belief quite prevalent throughout the country that this army type of gas mask will protect the wearer against any type of gases under all conditions. The fact is that the army gas mask was a very excellent device for the purpose intended, that of protecting our soldiers from the diabolical gases used in warfare. The mask gave the men such absolute protection that when they returned from France they were so enthusiastic over its performance they were willing to indorse the gas mask for all purposes of protection against poisonous gases. These men, it would seem, do not realize that out in the open air of the battlefield the percentage of gas in the air would not be nearly so large as in the confined spaces of mine or factory fire."

The army mask affords absolutely no protection against carbon monoxide gas, which is most prevalent in mine fires and factory disasters, Dr. Cottrell said, adding that the masks are actually a menace because of the false feeling of security they give the wearer. The bureau of mines indorses the use of self-contained oxygen mine rescue breathing apparatus and is prepared to furnish information regarding its use.

COMMERCIAL SECRETARIES IN A CONFERENCE AT DURHAM

(Special to The Star) DURHAM, Jan. 5.—Seventeen members of the North Carolina Commercial Secretaries association met here yesterday for the purpose of discussing legislative matters of state-wide importance. John Sprunt Hill discussed the proposed state highway bill and Charlie Weil told of the movement for appropriations for state institutions.

M. R. Clark, physical director for the Durham Y. M. C. A., advocated compulsory physical education for the public schools of North Carolina.

Other matters such as advertising the state's resources were discussed by the secretaries. J. B. Foster of Tarboro was elected secretary to succeed W. C. Denmark of Goldsboro, resigned.

The secretaries took no action on any of the matters before them, but announced that the more important matters will be subjects for referendum votes of their memberships.

FUNERAL OF CARLYLE SWINSON

(Special to The Star) WARSAW, Jan. 5.—Funeral services over the remains of Carlyle Swinson, who was killed in an automobile accident at Wilson, last Saturday, were held here Monday, Rev. Dr. Mercer conducting them, and interment was made in the family burial plot near Friendship in the presence of a large number of sympathizing friends and relatives. Those from a distance including his mother, Mrs. Catherine Swinson of Wilson, and the following brothers and sisters: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Swinson, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mallard, Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bradwell, Sumter, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson, Mt. Olive; James Swinson, Wilson, and Willie Swinson.

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