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FIVE MEN DROWN IN COLLISION OF TUG AND DEUTSCHLAND

German Undersea Craft was on Her Way Out When Strikes Convoying Tug

ONE OF CREW SAVED WHEN TUG IS SUNK

The German Trader Returns to Her Dock In New London, Conn. Said to Have Suffered But Small Injuries in the Collision.

New London, Conn., Nov. 17.—Five members of the crew of the tug T. A. Scott, Jr., which accompanied the German submarine Deutschland from New London early today were drowned this morning when the submersible and the tug collided, twelve miles from this port. The only person on the tug saved was Captain Paul Nimsch of the interned German liner Cassie. The tug which belonged to the T. A. Scott Wrecking Company went to the bottom.

The Deutschland returned to her dock here at 9:45 a. m. Officials declined to discuss the accident or the extent of the damage to the submarine trader.

CRASH OCCURRED SMOOTH SEA

New London, Nov. 17.—The tug and the submarine came together in a relatively smooth sea. When it was apparent that the tug was fatally rammed the men jumped overboard and Captain Hinsch swam to a life preserver thrown out by the Deutschland's crew.

The Deutschland drew out of the pier here escorted by the tug T. A. Scott, Jr., and the Cassie was preparing for her homeward dash. She carried on her homeward dash a cargo valued at $3,000,000 made up in part of nickels, rubber and silver bars.

The Deutschland and her convoy were last seen by a newspaper launch, where the submersible was plowing through a smooth sea at the rate of 12 knots an hour. The newspaper launch returned to port here.

REPAIRS TO BE MADE BY CREW

New London, Nov. 17.—Five lives were lost when the German submarine Deutschland, which left port early today for Bremen, rammed and sent to the bottom the tug T. A. Scott, Jr., one of the two tugs which was convoying the German ship down the harbor.

The Deutschland returned to port.

The collision occurred about a mile outside the race and according to a member of the crew "it came all in a minute."

The tug, all of a sudden appeared to swing in front of the path of the Deutschland. Her nose struck the tug near the rear and having her almost out of the water sent her Rice under and immediately afterwards the tug's boiler exploded and she sank.

Captain Hinsch of the imperial German steamer Necker, who was on the tug grasped a rope and was drawn down with the tug. When he rose he caught a life preserver which had been thrown out by the crew of the Deutschland.

The Deutschland was not seriously damaged, it was stated today and the fact the repairs will be made by the crew.

CAPT. KOENIG VISIBLY WORRIED

New London, Nov. 17.—Captain Koenig of the Deutschland, appeared pale and shaken as he stepped ashore from his craft after it plunged to the State pier here today. He refused to talk about the collision and immediately sent word to Vice President Hilken, of the Eastern Forwarding Co., who, a short time later arrived at his office and went into conference with him. Captain Hinsch returned to port on board the Deutschland.

NO TRUTH IN HOSTILE CRAFT REPORT

New London, Nov. 17.—The night was clear and there was no boats other than the Deutschland and her convoy, said Captain Baker, who gave no credence to the report that a hostile motor boat was sighted when the collision occurred.

He saw Captain Hinsch in the water and took him aboard the Cassie. Earlier reports cited that Hinsch was picked up by the Deutschland.

ACCIDENT EXPLAINED BY AN EDDY

New London, Nov. 17.—An eddy caused the accident, according to Captain Baker, of the Cassie, the other convoy tug. The commander added, the Cassie was traveling about a half mile astern while the Scott was along side the submarine.

The sea was calm, Captain Baker said and conditions were normal. The Scott carried her usual bow and stern light and the Deutschland a bow light. The tide was running almost full and when about seven miles west of Race Rock they struck an eddy which twisted them out of control. He heard the crash and quickly steamed to the scene.

CABINET MEETS AFTER LONG REST

President Wilson and Cabinet Have Session After a Rest of Two Weeks

Washington, Nov. 17.—President Wilson held a meeting of the Cabinet this morning after a rest of more than two months. Secretary Lansing said he had no new information on submarine warfare.

All members except Secretary Lane attended. The meeting was largely devoted to an exchange of experiences by the various cabinet members in the recent campaign. It was said afterwards that no new advice had been received on submarine warfare.

Secretary Lansing said no reply had been received from Berlin in answer to the protest on the sinking of the Marina, which resulted in the loss of several American lives.

BUSINESS MEN DISCUSS LAWS

Committees From United States Chamber of Commerce Meeting Today

Washington, Nov. 17.—The National Counsel of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States met here today to discuss the Adamson eight-hour law from the standpoint of the nation's business interests. A joint congressional committee begins its inquiry into the far-reaching effect of the law next week and the hearing now is to give those affiliated with it an opportunity to express their view before them. Other questions to be discussed include strike prevention and wage fixing for common carriers by the Inter State Commerce Commission. It was expected that the question of concurrent State jurisdiction and the Interstate Commerce commission would be discussed and plans outlined for a single controlling commission.

NO DECISION MADE IN THE TENTH YET

There is a Mandamus Served on Committe for Republican Candidate

Asheville, Nov. 17.—The Buncombe county canvassing board today took no action this morning owing to the controversy over the result of the election in the Tenth Congressional district in which J. J. Britt, the Republican Congressional claimed to have won the election and Zebulon Weaver, by 12 votes. Following the serving of a writ of mandamus in behalf of Mr. Britt it was said today that no new developments had come to light.

Remaining in parliamentary session the members of the board were allowed to go out for lunch but admonished to be back at 3 o'clock.

MORE EQUIPMENT ARMY IN MEXICO

El Paso, Nov. 17.—Army officers arriving from Columbus report the shipment of artillery and shells to the punitive expedition in Mexico. The ordnance department has also sent more than two million rounds of small arms to the punitive expedition, the army officers say.

SOUTH EDUCATORS ON PREPAREDNESS

Educators of the Southern States Consider Military Training in Schools

Durham, Nov. 17.—An address on military training in public and private secondary schools by H. A. Gass, head master of Sewanee Military Academy, was expected to feature today's session of the twenty-second annual program of college and secondary schools of the Southern States, which are meeting at Trinity College today. Among other persons of prominence on today's program is H. A. Hollister, of the University of Illinois and W. P. Few, president of Trinity College of this city. The election of officers was expected to take place at a business meeting today.

NO CHANGE MADE IN CALIFORNIA VOTE

Official Recount Disclose But Fed Discrepencies in the First Counts

WILSON SAFE AHEAD

The Official Recount Will Hardly Be Completed Before Next Week As Large Precincts Are Counting Slowly.

San Francisco, Nov. 17.—Two of the principal California counties had completed their count today as had several of the smaller counties, but no official changes of the results were encountered. In San Diego county the official canvass and recount gives Hughes a gain of 88 votes, giving him a lead of 163 in the county. Sacramento also has officially reported and here President Wilson gained 50 votes while in San Domingo county a recount in the vote resulted in the loss of 9 of 12 votes it was declared Wilson had gained.

In San Francisco and Los Angeles the county was being continued and it was not believed that the complete State record could be completed before next week. Representatives of both the Democratic and Republican State organization are watching the recount but neither will predict a notable upset would be forthcoming.

WILMINGTON BOY BURNED TO DEATH

Five-Year Old Child Mrs. E. L. Nelson Burned to Death Today.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 17.—The five year old son of Mrs. Emma L. Nelson, who resides about six miles from Wilmington, died today as the result of burns received yesterday when he fell into an open fire place.

The mother had left the house for a few minutes and returned to find the child's clothing in flames. She extinguished the fire but the boy had been too badly burned to survive.

HOUR'S SESSION OF CITY COURT TODAY

Five defendants in three cases made up the morning session of the city court today which was presided over by Recorder Fountain, while Attorney Will Dunn prosecuted the docket.

Charles Williams was tried for an assault but lifted sets were not proven, and he was released. Charles did not fare so well as he was held on a second count, with Martha Bosemun, and the two were adjudged guilty of assault, each upon the other, and each was fined $5.

Will Brown, Arthur Bross and Durham Campbell were held to the charge of vagrancy. The gacts were not proven against them, however, and the Recorder ordered that a nol pros be taken.

BISHOP KILGO AT WESTERN MEETING

Gastonia, N. C., Nov. 17.—It has been announced that Bishop John C. Kilgo, will preside at the Western North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church south, which will be held here the last of this month. The first session of the conference will be held on November 23.

PERMANENT DEMOC. HEADQUARTERS NOW

Washington, Nov. 17.—Vance C. McCormick, chairman of the Democratic committee and Homer Cummings, assistant chairman, conferred with President Wilson and arranged to establish permanent Democratic headquarters.

They will discuss with local Democratic leaders plans for Mr. Wilson's inauguration. W. S. Hollister, secretary of the committee will be in charge of the committee.

COL. ROOSEVELT TO GO TO THE FIJI ISLANDS

New York, Nov. 17 Colonel Roosevelt will make a trip to the Fiji, Samoan and Hawaii islands in February, it was announced today. Mrs. Roosevelt will accompany him.

POLICEMEN GET A DESERVED RAISE

Session of Aldermen Last Night Model of Brevity and Dispatch

PRESSING CLUB AGAIN

The Aldermen Plan Now To Legislate Against Keeping of Liquor in the Pressing Clubs In the City—Much Business Disposed Of.

The board of aldermen met in regular session last night. Mayor Fillery presided with the following members in attendance: Messrs. Braswell, James, Parrish, Gay, Battle and Joyner.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Saunders, who operates a store on Sunset avenue sold several quarters of beef in ignorance of the law and filed for license or dismissal from the court. On motion and second the slate was cleared.

Property owners on west side of Arlington street on 500 and 600 block requested that this street be not paved on account of requirements from the city as to sewerage connections. It was pointed out that this would be a tax for them to pay for and they requested that the order be suspended. On motion by Dr. Braswell seconded by Mr. James, the order was suspended for an indefinite period.

The resolution which was passed and seconded at thep revious meeting and brought over until this meeting regarding an increase of $5 per month in the salary of all of the members of the police force not including the officers of the staff. The motion prevailed.

The completion of the concrete street paving was reported by Dr. Braswell. It was stated that all the paving laid out for the street committee had been completed.

On motion and second the relaying of the paving on the north side of Hammond street between Pearl and Grace streets. It was pointed that this was put down by private property owners and was contrary to the grade line.

There was a suggestion that pressing clubs be added to the establishments into which it would be a misdemeanor to carry liquors and the fine would be $25. Following the usual custom this change was tabled until the next meeting.

The meeting then adjourned.

SHRINERS PLAN FOR PILGRIMAGE

Rocky Mount to Make Active Bid for Spring Ceremonial of Sudan

With the organization of Shriner Club in Rocky Mount recently with the avowed purpose of securing, if possible, the ceremonial of Sudan Temple, local Shriners are actively at work on plans for their pilgrimage to New Bern on next Wednesday. The organization perfected at the meeting included the naming of Mr. John Benton president, and Mr. J. L. Horne, Jr., secretary. At this meeting plans were worked out for an active bid for the spring ceremonial of Sudan Temple and upwards of two score or more Shriners are expected to make the trip to New Bern on Wednesday next when this matter comes up for final disposal.

Mr. T. M. Simmons is in charge of the committee that will make the bid for the spring ceremonial while there are other committees named that have important duties in the connection. Rocky Mount's appeal for the ceremonial will be well presented.

Nearly two score Shriners have already engaged pullman reservations in the two cars which will be provided for this city. The party will leave Rocky Mount on next Tuesday night and will arrive at New Bern near midnight and will spend the night in the cars and will then make headquarters during their stay in New Bern. After the ceremonial the local Shriners will reoccupy the cars at any time during the day or night. Returning they will leave New Bern at an early hour and will return to Rocky Mount Thursday morning at 8:30 Upwards of a half dozen candidates have already been secured for this trip. In addition, a number of Nobles will take their wives with them on this occasion which is being looked forward to as one of the most prominent events in Masonry to occur in the state this year.

HUGHES LEAD IS GREATLY CUT

St. Paul Minn., Nov. 17.—Hughes lead in Minnesota was reduced to 94 by the addition of returns from 19 counties and official returns from Hennepin county.

FIRST MEETING SUNDAY WORKERS

State Session of Sunday School Convention Starts At Burlington Today

MANY ARE ATTENDING

The Convention Will Be Addressed By Many Persons of International Reputation and Prominence in Sunday School Work.

Burlington, N. C., Nov. 17.—Sunday school workers representing every section of North Carolina were here for the initial session tonight of the State Sunday school convention. Those who arranged for the meeting did not expect a large attendance but planned the conference with a view to strengthening certain features of the work which now are being carried on successfully and to launch new ones. Indications were, however, that the attendance would be greater than anticipated.

Among the subjects to be discussed are:

The Church, the Sunday school, Social Service, Country Sunday schools, Organizing the Rural Young People for Religious Educational and Community Service, the different plans followed by various county organizations in the State in conducting their Sunday schools, Types of Training for High Schools, Denominational Teacher Training Courses, Community and City Training Schools and a Basis of Credit Plan.

Educational conferences and conferences on elementary and secondary division work will be conducted and provisions for conferences on county and township plans of work have been made.

NEW FIRE TRUCK REACHES THE CITY

New Triple Unit Fire Fighting Machine to Be Put Into Commission Soon

The new triple unit combination pumper chemical engine and hose wogan purchased by this city four months ago from the American LaFrance Fire Engine Company, was received at the local freight office today. Though officials of the fire department were promptly notified, the machine will not be taken from the freight office until the arrival of a representative of the delivering company. This new motor equipment cost the city in excess of $9,000 and is as handsome piece of fire fighting machinery as there is in commission in the State.

Mr. Wernat is expected in this city within the next few days to unload the machine preparatory to its being accepted by the city. This machine will be demonstrated on Thursday next by the fire chiefs of the State when they gather here and it is understood that several additional members of the American LaFrance organization will be here for this event.

SHAVES QUARTER MILLION TIMES

(By the United Press.)

Lorain, O., Nov. 17.—When Theodore Curtis rested from his labors today, the twenty-fifth anniversary of his entrance into the barber's trade—he looked down the vista of a quarter of a century and saw a quarter of a million sets of whiskers that had fallen beneath his trusty blade. Not exactly a quarter either, 234,690, to be exact. Curtis tabulations show that he has shaved men that many times.

Some distinguished men amongst them, too. "Well, how does the old knife work, today?" is a question he has put to Presidents McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft, Senators Mark Hanna, Matt Quay, Albert Beveridge, and Ben Tillman, and the untitled Doc Cock, Buffalo Bill, Joss Willard, Ted Slogan and Harry Shaw.

DON'T LIKE THE COMMISSION IDEA

Baltimore, Nov. 17.—The American Federation of Labor, by a unanimous vote today declared against that provision of President Wilson's legislative program, "Making illegal or any railroad strike or lockout prior to the investigation of the merits of the case by a government board."

PROCLAMATION FOR THANKSGIVING TODAY

Washington, Nov. 17.—President Wilson formally by proclamation designated Thursday, November 30, as Thanksgiving Day.

SOMEBODY'S CAR GOES AT AUCTION

Left on Streets Six Months Ago Police Find Its Keep Burdensome

Having held the automobile for more than six months, Chief of Police Hedgepeth finds that storage on the Stoddard Dayton automobile comes high and he has decided today that the machine shall be sold at public auction on Thursday, December 14. The touring car has been in the possession of the police here since last March, when it was surreptitiously abandoned by someone on the streets of this city. Though efforts have been made to find the owner all have failed and the rental expenses continue to pile up, he has decided to sell the machine at public auction and all the proceeds shall go to the expenses of keeping the machine and the rest, if there are any, into the treasury of the city awaiting the claimant. It is thought that the owner will not be found because of the fact that the finding of the machine has been widely advertised and no claimant has ever satisfied the court that the machine belonged to him. It was thought by many that the ownership of the machine would be cleared up after a few months but this has failed and even the company who made the machine have no record of it. It is a 1914 Stoddard Dayton machine and will be sold at auction on the date enumerated.

FUNSTON IS MAD OVER RESOL

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San Antonio, Nov. 17.—General Funston expressed resentment today at the action of the Baptist General Association of Virginia which adopted a resolution at Norfolk yesterday protesting against the officers interfering with evangelists who tell soldiers they are lost.

"Baptists who are distorting the statement of my position regarding the kind of church work in border camps had better put their property in the names of their wives," said General Funston.

PLAN REORGANIZE MARYLAND WESTERN

(By the United Press.)

New York, Nov. 17.—Directors of the Western Maryland Railroad will today submit to the stockholders a plan of reorganization of the property necessitated by a topheavy funded debt coupled with a period of unsatisfactory earnings.

It is planned to organize a new company to take over the present to eliminate $18,000,000 of the funded debt and to segregate the company's coal properties. The shareholders will be asked to authorize a new first and refunding mortgage for $150,000,000 first preferred seven per cent stock to the amount of $18,000,000 second preferred non-cumulative four per cent stock amounting to $10,000,000 and $50,000,000 in common stock.

LIVELY AIR FIGHT IN ARMENIA

Paris, Nov. 17.—Fifty-four aerial engagements were fought by French aviators in the Armenian area. In the course of this fighting Lieutenant Guyenemer, one of the competent, brought down his 21st hostile machine, the War Office announced today.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL STARTS A SUIT

Louisville, Nov. 17.—Suit was filed in the court here today by the Illinois Central Railroad to test the validity of the Adamson eight-hour law.

PRESBYTERIAN OUT TO RAISE ONE MILLION

New York, Nov. 17.—The Presbyterian board of foreign missions announced today that plans for a series of campaigns to raise one million dollars in ten or more leading cities. The campaign was authorized by the General Assembly of the church at its meeting in Atlantic City last summer. The fund is for missionary expansion in certain fields and for the development of higher educational institutions.

ROUMANIANS NOW GET THE FURY OF TEUTONIC FORCES

Germans Get in Telling Blow Against Roumanians and Hit Second Line

MUCH FIGHTING ON THE WESTERN FRONT

The Germans Make Great Stand in the West Against the Allied Efforts of the French and the British to Advance.

The Roumanians have suffered further reversals at the hands of General Faulhenheyn's troops, the Berlin war office statement declares. Taking more than 2,100 prisoners and a dozen machine guns. The Teutonic forces in yesterday's fighting carried a mountain peak on the Moldavian front of Roumanian, the statement adds and penetrated a Roumanian position in the Predeal region and scored [illegible] south of Rothenthen pass, it asserts.

[illegible] halted.

Berlin reports repulses of renewed attacks in the Cerna river region and on the Monastir plain.

NEW BANK FOR WILSON CHARTERED

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 17.—Application for charter for the Planters Bank of Wilson with $125,000 capital stock of which $50,000 has been subscribed was filed with the Secretary of State today.

TROOPS SENT FOR THE HUNTSVILLE TRIAL

Huntsville, Ala., Nov. 17.—The Southern Express and the freight office here have been requested not to deliver liquor during the trial of David D. Overton, former clerk of the Madison county court charged with the murder of Judge Lawler, County Solicitor Drake announced today. The trial of Overton, who was arraigned before Judge B. M. Miller has been set for Tuesday. A company of militia will be sent here for the trial. Judge Miller is known to have expressed himself as opposed to the presence of the militia.

COTTON MARKET

New York, Nov. 17.—Cotton futures opened barely steady. December 20.60; January 20.62; March 20.73; May 20.84.

NEW RECORDS FOR THE YEAR.

New York, Nov. 17.—The cotton market showed renewed activity this morning with all months touching higher levels for the season and May touched a 21 cent level during the early trading. First prices were 7 to 21 points higher and active months sold 23 to 28 above last night closing shortly after the call. This advance carried January to 20.64 and March 20.84.

THE COTTON MARKET CLOSED TODAY

New York, Nov. 17.—The cotton market closed December 20.26; January, 20.36; March, 20.49; May, 20;65; July, 20.65.

New York, Nov. 17.—Yesterday's bullish enthusiasm in specialties was resumed with increased vigor on the opening of the stock market this morning. Numerous active issues making gains of 2 to 5 points on heavy trading. Central Leather and Independent Steel were the strongest issues, together with Coppers, Air Brake and United States Rubber. Shipping shares, sugars, petroleum and the more prominent equipments rose 1 to 2 points. Rails were inactive with Norfolk and Western and some of the Pacific [illegible] were [illegible]