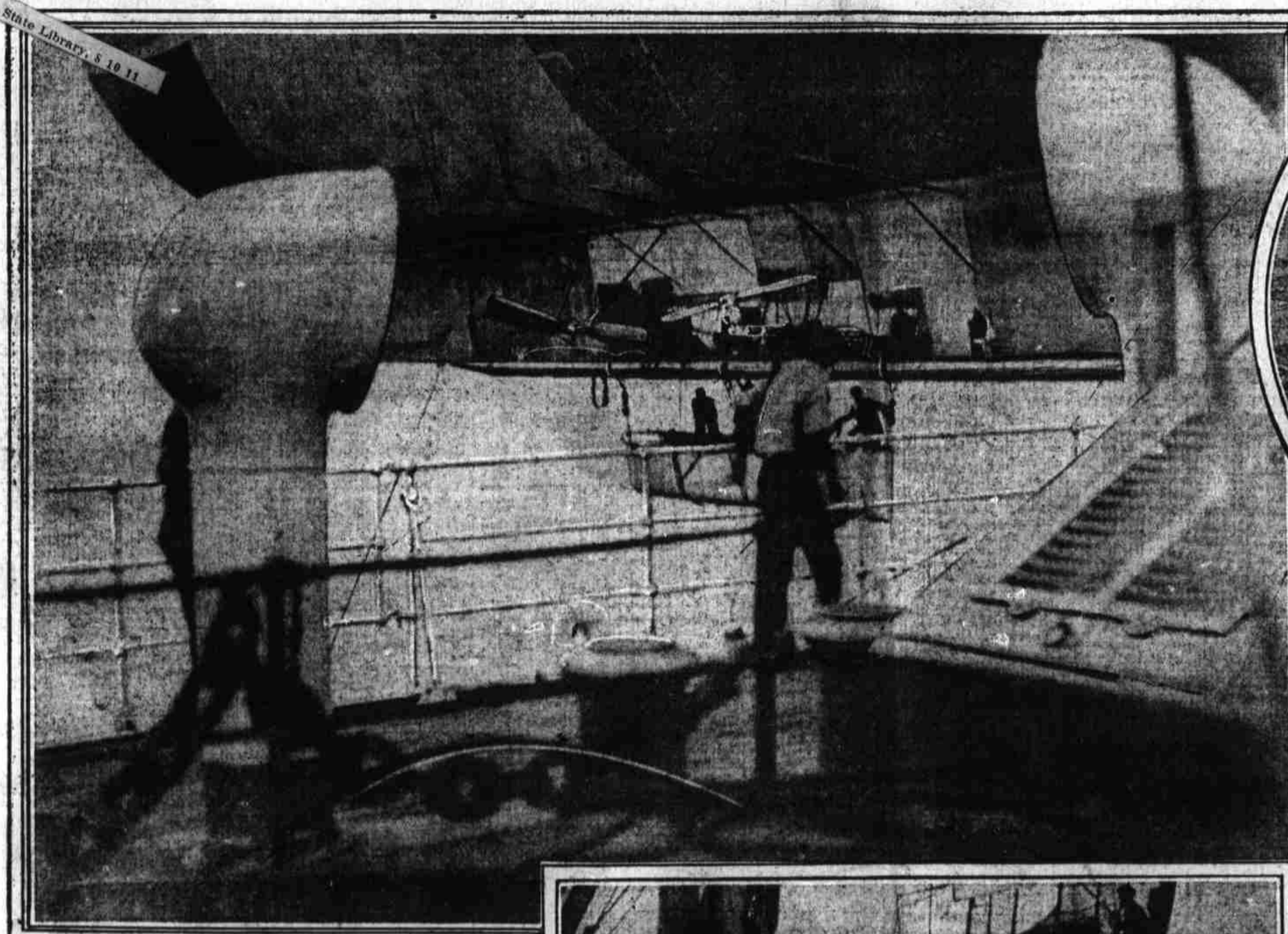
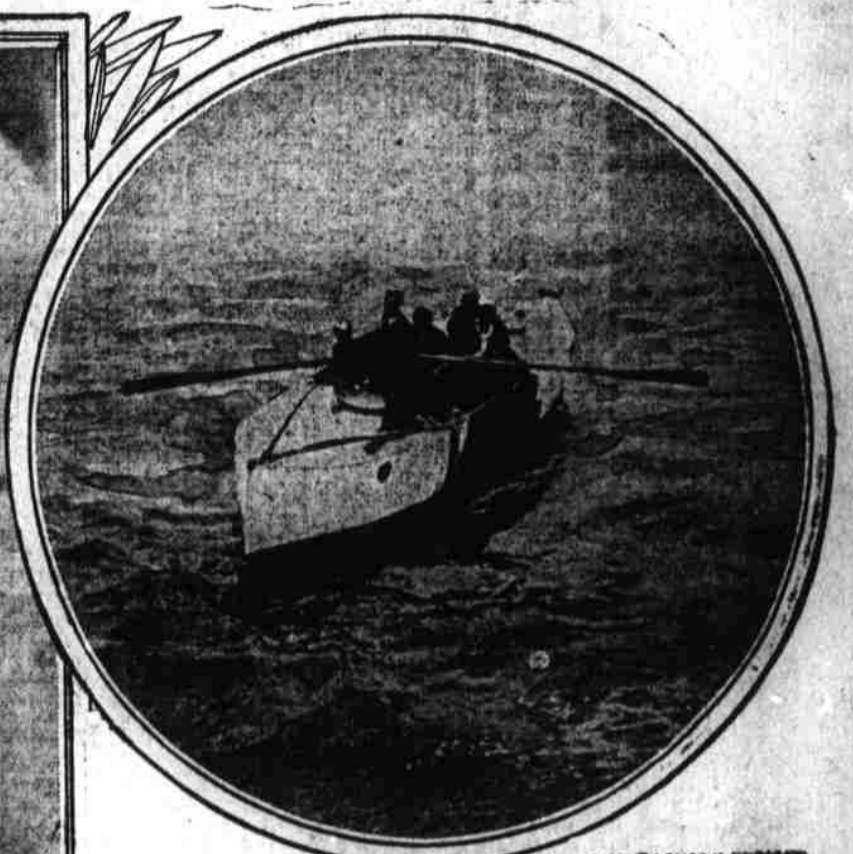


Photographs of the Rescue of the Crew of the Wellman Airship America by the Trent, at Sea



THE AIRSHIP AMERICA HOVERING DANGEROUSLY NEAR THE S. S. TRENT. COPYRIGHT 1910 BY CHAS. H. HUBBARD.



CREW OF THE AMERICA APPROACHING THE S.S. TRENT IN THE AMERICA'S LIFE BOAT. COPYRIGHT 1910 BY CHAS. H. HUBBARD.

CRIPPEN IS GUILTY OF WIFE MURDER

MISSING BALLOONS ARE SEARCHED FOR

News of Landing of Azuria Received—Missing Men Believed to Be in Canada Forest.

New York, Oct. 22.—News of the landing of the Swiss balloon Azuria, a contestant in the international race which started from St. Louis Monday, was received today. She landed in the western part of Ontario province in Canada. The balloons America II, and Dusseldorf II, remain unreported.

Unofficial belief is that the balloon Germania, which landed at La Tuque, Quebec, Wednesday, probably won the race and made a world's record. It is estimated the distance traveled was 1200 miles. It is believed the two unreported balloonists are in Canadian forests, unable to make their way to civilization.

St. Louis, Oct. 22.—The situation in reference to the unreported balloons assumed a serious aspect last night. It is believed that the men have landed somewhere in the wilds of Canada, where they may be the victims of starvation before succor can reach them.

The Aero club called upon General Fred Allen, chief of the United States signal corps, at Washington, to have the revenue cutters patrolling the Great Lakes to look for wreckage in Lake Huron.

Steamship companies which have vessels plying Lake Huron and Georgian bay, have been requested to join in the search.

The Ontario government, through its lieutenant governor, J. M. Gibson, advised the club that its services would be lent in the search for the missing men.

The Hudson Bay company also replied to the requests sent out. It was announced that a representative of the Aero club would be sent to Toronto to organize the relief expeditions.

All of the balloons could have been down and reported by Wednesday night, according to Aero club officers, and the fact that more than a hundred hours had elapsed since the start of the race, and three pilots had not reported, gave rise to grave apprehension for their safety.

The Georgian bay contains more than 20,000 islands of all sizes, where the aeronauts might perish before relief could arrive.

The three missing balloons were of the ten which went up here last Monday in the international race meet.

Still another report came in that a balloon had been seen to fall in Lake Ontario Thursday, but this was doubted, as it was considered extremely unlikely that any of the balloons could have remained in the air so long.

Fired at Balloonists. Cobalt, Ont., Oct. 22.—Colonel Theodore Schaeck and Paul Ambruster, who landed with the balloon Helvetia at Ville Marie, Quebec, arrived here enroute to Montreal satisfied that they have outdistanced all competitors by several hundred miles.

"We were 48 hours out when we landed," said Schaeck. "We could have gone further but it was the only settlement we could see for a long stretch of country and we decided to alight." The aeronauts reported that several persons had fired at the balloon during the trip.

Will Recognize Provisional Government. Paris, Oct. 22.—France, Great Britain and Spain, together propose recognition by the powers of the provisional government of Portugal and of the republic itself as soon as conditions are settled.

London, Oct. 22.—The black flag and the red flag, symbols of the revolution, were hoisted at the residence of the British ambassador in London today.

Paris, Oct. 22.—The French government has decided to send a mission to the United States to study the conditions of the country and to report on the possibility of a French loan to the United States.

Jury Reaches Verdict in 30 Minutes, and Dentist Is Sentenced to Be Hanged in Next Month.

STILL DECLARES INNOCENCE AFTER HEARING SENTENCE

Court Describes Prisoner as "an Extraordinary Man, Guilty or Innocent," in His Charge to Jury.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—Dr. Hawley H. Crippen was today found guilty of having murdered his wife, known on the stage as Belle Elmore. The case was given to the jury shortly after 2 o'clock and that body was out 30 minutes. Crippen was sentenced to death.

Muir declared the crown has proved beyond a reasonable doubt that the body found in the cellar of the Crippen home was that of his doctor's wife; that no other had a chance to murder a woman and bury it as was done.

Alverstone described Dr. Crippen as an extraordinary man, guilty or innocent, it was impossible to fathom his mind, as he was indifferent to the charge of murder and had taken no step to prove his innocence. He charged that the jury must be convinced beyond a reasonable doubt that the human parts found were of Belle Elmore.

There was a great crowd about the New Bailey before the doors opened. After Lord Chief Justice Alverstone had asked Crippen some questions about his wife, the poison with which it is alleged he killed his wife, Richard Muir began his speech of prosecution, which lasted about an hour. Then Alverstone began his summing up.

In charge of the jury the court cautioned the jury to treat the evidence of the defendant's medical experts with some reserve, because under cross-examination they had altered their views.

After pronouncing sentence Lord Alverstone asked Crippen if he had anything to say. "I still protest my innocence," he said. The chief justice then donned the black cap and pronounced the death sentence. Crippen was led from the room by the police.

No date for the hanging is set, but it probably will be within a month. The trial of Ethel Clare Le Neve as accessory after the fact in the murder begins Tuesday.

It is announced that Crippen will be hanged in November.

PROMINENT IMPORTERS ARE GUILTY OF CHEATING

New York, Oct. 22.—William Losh, Jr., customs collector, announces that several hundred thousand dollars is soon to be added to the revenues of government as the result of settlements with prominent importers who have confessed to under-valuation of dutiable merchandise.

It has not been decided yet whether criminal prosecutions will start against them. The penalty is two years in prison, and a fine of \$500 for each offense.

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LIFTING THE AMERICA'S LIFE BOAT ABOARD THE S. S. TRENT.

SMASHED MACHINE IN PRACTICE FLIGHT

Shriver's Dietz Biplane Demolished at Belmont Park, but Driver Only Slightly Injured.

A SENSATIONAL FLIGHT MADE BY CAPT. BALDWIN

In His "Red Devil" He Flits Away from Garden City at Rate of a Mile a Minute, in Preliminary Trip.

BELMONT PARK, N. Y., Oct. 22.—Aviators were early astir, preparing for the opening of the international aviation meet, the first events of which are scheduled for early this afternoon. There was a considerable breeze from the northwest; but one aviator dared a considerable flight, Capt. Thomas S. Baldwin, who made a sensational flight from Garden City aviation field in his "Red Devil," 50 horsepower Curtiss machine. He flew in with the wind at a speed of more than a mile a minute. Later the wind changed to the northeast.

Fred Shriver, in a Dietz biplane, started a short flight, and rose 100 feet. The wind struck the biplane and made it dip and list to the right. The machine crashed to the ground from a height of 50 feet and was demolished, but Shriver was only slightly cut.

The First Event. At 1:30, when the aviation meet started, despite rain and a stiff wind, Claude Grahame-White in his Farman biplane, followed by Anthony J. Drexel in a Bleriot monoplane and John B. Moisant in a Bleriot, started in the hourly distance event. The machines rode the wind steadily, but bucked some. The exhibition seemed a demonstration of the serviceability of the modern aeroplane.

Dies of Injuries. Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 22.—Thad F. Tyler, 54 years old, a well known local contractor and builder, died late last night as the result of internal injuries, received early yesterday afternoon in an automobile accident on one of the automobile driveways near the city. W. S. Bernard and Mr. Tyler had been out to inspect some building operations near the city and returning the machine skidded into a tree by the roadside and Mr. Tyler was thrown violently forward over the front seat of the machine, receiving injuries which resulted in his death. Bernard, owner and driver of the machine, was only slightly injured.

CHANGE'S EFFORT TO BREAK HOODOO

Cubs Trot Out With New Socks—Cold Weather in Chicago for Baseball, but Fair.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—Following in the batting order for today's game:

PHILADELPHIA CHICAGO: Strunk, c. f. Sheekard, l. f. Lord, l. f. Schulte, r. f. Collins, 2b. Hofman, c. f. Baker, 2b. Chance, 1b. Davis, 1b. Zimmerman, 2b. Murphy, r. f. Steinfield, 3b. Barry, ss. Tinker, ss. Thomas, c. Kling, c. Tender, p. Core or Brown, p.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—Few were in line at the ticket window at 10 o'clock when it opened for the fourth game of the world series. The weather is clear and cold.

The utility men of the Chicago team, including Beaumont and Kant and the reserve pitchers were the first players on the field. The regulars straggled in later. When Cole stepped to the plate for batting practice he was cheered. Manager Chance's superstitions showed themselves in the new hostelry which adorned the legs of his "athletics" to break the hoodoo. The weather was becoming more agreeable every moment. The diamond was perfectly dry.

Half an hour before the game all seats were taken. Cole went in to pitch for the Cubs, and Archer to catch. Kling was displaced because of his failure to hit; it was thought Archer might strengthen the hitting.

First Inning. Strunk of Philadelphia went out. Steinfield to Chance. Sheekard made a running catch of Lord's drive. Collins was out. Chance to Cole, who covered first. No runs.

When the Cubs went to bat Sheekard walked. Schulte struck out. Sheekard stole second. Sheekard scored on Hofman's high bound over third. Chance forced Hofman at second, and was himself declared out at first because Hofman interfered with the throw. One run.

The play on Hofman was Baker to Collins. Second Inning. Baker singled. Davis struck out. Schulte took Murphy's fly. Baker went out, stealing. No runs.

Zimmerman hit a high fly to Murphy. Steinfield grounded out. Baker to Davis. Tinker waited for four bad balls, and went out stealing. No runs.

MASSACHUSETTS INVADDED BY COLONEL ROOSEVELT

Speaks in Interest of Party and Says It Would Be Calamity to Defeat Lodge.

Boston, Oct. 21.—Declaring that it would be a calamity to the nation if Senator Lodge should fail of re-election, Theodore Roosevelt spoke here last night in behalf of the republican party of Massachusetts. He said that the senator was a friend of progressive legislation, and that there was no difference of opinion as to the basic principle of protection as the republican party is solid on the tariff commission plan as contained in its last national platform.

The colonel made no reference to the Payne-Aldrich bill, confining his remarks to an endorsement of the tariff plank of the republican state platform and of the tariff board.

Summing up the Massachusetts situation, Colonel Roosevelt assailed Eugene Foss, democratic candidate for governor. "It would be a bad thing for the people of this state to elect a man who tried to dominate one party and having failed now seeks to dominate another party."

Colonel Roosevelt's reception in Boston was an enthusiastic one. He spent the afternoon at the home of Dr. William S. Bigelow, brother-in-law of Senator Lodge. He received one of the most striking demonstrations which has been accorded him since his return from Africa. Colonel Roosevelt spent the night in Boston. He departed for New Hampshire this morning to make campaign speeches in Concord, Manchester and Nashua for Robert P. Bass, republican candidate for governor.

Senator Elkins Somewhat Better. Elkins, Va., Oct. 22.—After a restless night and morning Senator Stephen R. Elkins, who is ill at his home near here, is somewhat improved.

SEVERAL VESSELS ARE YET MISSING

Steamer Bluefields and Cuban Cutter Among Them—More Stories of Disaster at Sea Told.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 22.—The steamer Bluefields, which sailed last Friday from Cerbera, Spanish Honduras, for New Orleans, with 25 people aboard, is still unaccounted for. It is feared she was lost in the recent hurricane.

All Hands Lost But Two. Havana, Oct. 22.—Reports say the Cuban revenue cutter Comodoro was wrecked near Cape San Antonio with the loss of the captain and all hands but two.

The Dallas Safe. Savannah, Oct. 22.—The Texas Oil company's barge, Dallas, with its crew of nine, is safe here. The Dallas broke away during the hurricane off Jacksonville Tuesday.

ALLEGED PICKPOCKET REMAINS IN WAKE JAIL

Believed His Real Name Is Tolliver—Ellington Cannot Serve as Receiver of Bank.

Gazette-News Bureau, Chamber of Commerce Rooms, Raleigh, Oct. 22.

The alleged pickpocket, jailed as W. H. Hamilton, but believed on account of letters in his possession to be William Tolliver, remains in Wake jail unable to give the \$300 bond required by Police Justice Stronach in the case in which Arthur Pittman of Selma swears he saw him take a purse containing \$10 from the pocket of his father, W. M. Pittman, as they were stepping from a Southern train in the Union station here and pass it to a confederate, who escaped. Holding, Burns & Snow are retained as counsel for the prisoner.

J. O. Ellington, vice president of the Fourth National bank of Fayetteville, who was appointed a few days ago at the request of the corporation commissioner as receiver for Bank of Hope Mills, notifies commissioner that he will not be able to serve owing to the fact that he must go at once into a hospital for an operation for appendicitis. The commissioner is, therefore, taking steps to have the courts designate J. H. Hightower, of Fayetteville as the receiver, he being assistant cashier of the Fourth National of Fayetteville, under Mr. Ellington.

MONUMENT TO ZELICOFFER NEAR SCENE OF HIS DEATH

Somerset, Ky., Oct. 22.—Within a few feet of the old oak under which he was killed during the war of the states a monument to General Felix K. Zelloffer of the Confederate army was unveiled at Mills Springs, near here, today, in the presence of several thousand persons, including many veterans.

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THE WEATHER

For Asheville and vicinity: Fair tonight and Sunday; cooler tonight. For North Carolina: Fair tonight and Sunday; cooler tonight.