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SUBMARINE SUNK TWO MORE VESSELS

Tokomaru and Icaria Both Torpedoed by Under-Water Emden.

Paris, Jan. 31.—Two British vessels were torpedoed by a German submarine in addition to the Ben Cruachen and the Lina Blanche, whose sinking was reported last night. This was made known in the following official statement given out here today by the ministry of marine: "The British steamer Tokomaru has been sunk by a torpedo from a German submarine. The English vessel Icaria also was torpedoed in the same locality. In the Irish sea the English steamer Lina Blanche and Ben Cruachen were torpedoed."

Hitherto the Germans, before attacking a merchant vessel, always allowed the crews sufficient time to embark on the ship's boats. That custom has now been abandoned, as is shown by the bombardment of the Admiral Ganteaume, which was filled with Belgian women and children refugees. The German marine has decided to violate systematically international law.

The crew of the Tokomaru was rescued by the trawler Semper. No details are available concerning the Icaria.

The Tokomaru was a vessel of 6,912 tons. She sailed from Newcastle, New South Wales, on October 29. Shipping records make no mention of the Icaria.

The French steamer Admiral Ganteaume was sunk October 26 while on her way from Calais to Havre with Belgian refugees, of whom forty lost their lives.

Ministers Wage War on Pool Rooms.

Newton, Jan. 28.—The ministers of Newton are waging a war on the pool-room. A petition was circulated yesterday asking the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Newton to have the painted windows removed from the pool room and to require all pool rooms operating in Newton to have windows in said pool rooms of plain glass and to use no screens or any other device of any kind whatsoever that will in any way obscure the view of the public. The above was passed at the regular meeting of the Ministerial association of Newton held yesterday.

DOUBLY PROVEN

Hickory Readers Can No Longer Doubt the Evidence.

This Hickory citizen testified long ago.

Told of quick relief—of undoubted benefit.

The facts are now confirmed.

Such testimony is complete—the evidence conclusive.

It forms convincing proof of merit.

Mrs. J. W. Neil, 423 Tenth Ave., Hickory, says: "My back ached and I had pains through my joints. My kidneys didn't act right and I felt miserable. Doan's Kidney Pills at Lutz's Drug Store, restored my strength and made me well." [Statement made March 6th, 1912.]

OVER TWO YEARS LATER, Mrs. Neil added: "Whenever I feel back-ache or feel any symptoms of kidney trouble, I use Doan's Kidney Pills and they quickly remove the ailment. I gladly confirm all I have previously said about this medicine."

Price 50c; at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Neil had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

She (passing confectioner's window)—Doesn't that candy look good?

He—Uh-huh. Let's stand here and look at it awhile.—P. n. sylvania Punch Bowl.

Constitution.

When constive or troubled with constipation take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. For sale by Menzies Drug Co., and Lutz's Drug Store.

The Wheat Crop.

The present prices for wheat may be legitimate, and they may not. The public has a right to know whether they are determined by inexorable laws of supply and demand or by artificial manipulation of the market. The public is naturally suspicious, for it has seen many "corners," and paid tribute to them, though seldom for long; "corners" have a way of vanishing suddenly leaving a few big speculators wealthy and many little ones impoverished—or vice versa. Nobody has yet succeeded in getting hold of a whole crop of wheat or anything else, and making the public pay tribute on all of it. Such an event would be a crime demanding government action, and getting it.

As matters stand, the federal government is at least justified in looking into the wheat situation. When wheat and flour cost more than they have for a generation, and the price of bread is going up and the size of the loaf is going down, the facts must be got and the truth told. Then if the high prices appear inevitable, we shall pay them willingly if not, we want the guilty men punished and barred from exploiting us further.

To the man in the street, those prices appear almost wholly a natural response to the shortage in Europe and the heavy buying of the nations at war. Our wheat crop gave us an export surplus of nearly 300,000,000 bushels. About 180,000,000 bu. of that has already been exported. Foreign and domestic buyers—some of them speculators, no doubt—are bidding for the rest. If another 100,000,000 bu. goes abroad, we shall have left barely enough for bread and spring sowing. It is of interest to find out just how much wheat we have left, where it is, who holds it, and whether it is going to be enough for our own needs.

If it comes to the worst, the government can step in and forbid further exportation. Other nations are doing that very thing, and every other important nation in the world is now exercising some degree of control over its food supply. It is not necessary for Uncle Sam to lose his head; but it is time for him to get into the game and make sure that his people are going to have enough to eat from now on until the new harvest begins next summer. After that, there ought to be plenty of wheat and lower prices.—Asheville Gazette-News.

Villa Shot.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 30.—General Francisco Villa was slightly wounded several days ago at Aguascalientes in a shooting affair, details of which have been kept secret, according to a report brought here today directly from Villa's headquarters.

It had been rumored here that Villa had been seriously wounded by Col. Rodolfo Fierro, his personal bodyguard. Those who came from Aguascalientes said they had been unable to learn who shot Villa. The shooting occurred at his car in the railroad yards at about the time American Consul Silliman at Mexico City telegraphed Washington officials that he had received a report of Villa having been seriously injured. For two days no definite word has been received of conditions in the interior south of Aguascalientes nor of any important military movements.

President Vetoes Immigration Bill.

Washington, Jan. 28.—President Wilson vetoed the immigration bill today because of the literacy test for admission of aliens. His message was referred to the House Immigration Committee, whose chairman, Representative Burnett, will move next Thursday that the measure be passed over the veto. Much informal discussion among members of the House followed receipt of the veto, and there were many who believed the two-thirds majority required to pass the bill could not be procured. Immigration bills containing literacy tests were vetoed by President Cleveland and by President Taft, but both times failed of re-passage. Senate leaders insist there would be no trouble in re-passing the bill in the upper House. That was done in the Taft administration but the lower House failed to muster a two-thirds majority.

He may wear a easy hat and the seat of his pants may be shiny, but if a man's children have their noses flattened against the window pane a half hour before he is due home to supper, you can trust him with anything you have. He is alright.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

COMMENT.

THE PROHIBITION BILL.

No more shipments of spirituous, vinous, fermented or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters, except wines intended for sacramental purposes and grain alcohol for medical purposes, will be made into the State of North Carolina after April 1, if the bill prepared by the Committee appointed by the North Carolina Anti-Saloon convention is enacted into law by the present General Assembly. The bill was introduced in the Legislature last week. The provision of the act "shall not apply to wines intended for sacramental purposes, when received by any minister or other duly authorized person of such church; and the person, firm or corporation so delivering the same shall have in his or its possession, before he or it receives for transportation or transports such wine, authority in writing from the church to such minister or other agent to receive or procure such wine for sacramental purposes, and shall retain such written authority in his or its possession. The bill will make it unlawful for anybody to receive wine except for sacramental purposes. The provisions of the act do not apply to grain alcohol received by duly licensed physicians, druggists and manufacturers of medicines, when intended to be used in compounding, mixing or preserving medicines, or medical preparations. But to receive the alcohol the physicians, druggists, or manufacturers of medicines must apply to the clerk of the Superior Court in their county for a permit, which must be attached to the package to authorize its transportation. A duplicate copy of the permit must be kept in the office of the clerk for inspection. A violation of the law is a misdemeanor.

The above is in substance the text of the new prohibition law and its introduction into the house last week was accompanied by numerous petitions from all parts of the State urging the passing of the measure, which is intended by the framers to put a final elimination on the use of intoxicants in the State.

The bill, as introduced will effectively stop the shipment of liquor into the state for beverage purposes but will not put a stop to its use.

We admit, however that it will greatly reduce the amount consumed in the State and will serve to make it very much drier. In fact it will make it hard for many persons to get their morning dram which will be good and right as it has been proven over and over that whisky does not render any benefit to any one by its use but the only way to put an effective stop to its use is to make it a misdemeanor for a person to take a drink and to attach a penalty to it that will make a man think twice before he imbibes. This, in our opinion would have been the thing for the Anti-Saloon league to do.—THE PROHIBITION OF THE USE OF LIQUOR, and not the prohibition of its shipment into the state. If such a law could be passed and upheld by the courts it would be the means of inaugurating a prohibition law that would absolutely prohibit. MAKE IT A MISDEMEANOR TO USE LIQUOR AND THE MOONSHINE STILLERS WILL HAVE TO GO BUSINESS. Otherwise, we will have them to contend with despite our making it illegal to traffic in whisky.

While we do not think that such a law could be passed and upheld by the Supreme court this is only suggested by us as the only means to put a stop to the use of liquor.

REVENUE OFFICERS MAKE NOISE.

A good story is told on some revenue officers. On being asked why, in capturing so many stills, they always fail to make an arrest, the information was brought out that they always made it a point to fall over some brush heap or some other object that would make a noise, this giving the moonshiners notice of their presence in time for them to slip up on their get away. Why not slip up on them easy, officers?

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly falling to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

DOWN WITH THE WAR SLAVS ARE SCOUTING

Austria's Order for Mobilization of Last Line of Reserves Brings Serious Disorder.

Geneva, Jan. 28.—The Austro-Hungarian government's order for mobilization of the last line of reserves has brought about a serious rising among southern Slavs, according to unconfirmed despatches from Austrian sources. The clergy, the advices say, headed the resistance, which began Sunday at Laibach, 35 miles northeast of Trieste. After the sermon by a Slavonian priest the crowd was reported to have left the cathedral shouting "down with the war." "Down with the Germans." The rioters attacked the gendarmes and after shots were fired charged the crowd. During the disturbance, the prefect's palace was burned.

At Agram, capital of Croatia and Slavonia, students tore down the mobilization notices, and it was reported that a Hungarian official, a student and a child were killed in rioting. There was rioting also at Karistadt, in Croatia.

At Susak, near Elume, the armory of the Hungarian landwehr was said to have been plundered. An enormous crowd, the advices from Austrian sources also say, concentrated at Opicina, then descended on Trieste and joined manifest there. All the boards on which mobilization notices were posted were destroyed and in the fight which followed with marines two of the rioters were reported to have been killed.

Late despatches say rioting continues and that general apprehension is felt.

Serious trouble is reported also in Transylvania, where Governor Coant Bethlen, it is stated, has ordered that all persons refusing to submit to the authorities' decree shall be shot.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Gertrude Hall, of Lenoir, was a visitor here Sunday.

Mr. B. A. Klutz has moved into the Holbrook house on twelfth street.

Mr. E. Bryan Jones, one of our popular traveling salesmen, spent the week-end at home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Applegate last Saturday a fine son, both mother and child doing fine.

Mrs. J. J. Willard returned home last Saturday after an extended visit to Baltimore and other cities.

Never since the oldest people of Hickory can remember have we had as much rain as we have had since November 1.

Mr. A. C. Kelly spent Sunday in Gaston county with Mrs. Kelly who is spending some time with her mother. We are glad to inform her many friends that she is much better and we hope to see her home soon.

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Do You Find Fault With Everybody?

An irritable, fault-finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. A man with good digestion is nearly always good natured. A great many have been permanently benefited by Chamberlain's Tablets after years of suffering. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. For sale by Menzies Drug Co., and Lutz Drug Co.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of R. W. GROVE, 25c.

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In Hickory Society

Happenings of the Week Among the Social Clubs.

January 28 the Traveller's Club held its meeting with Mrs. W. L. Abernethy, "Saxons" was the subject for quotations. Mrs. Chadwick read Mrs. Riddle's paper on Shakespeare's "Henry VI," showing careful study in the analysis of the drama and the appreciation of character. The great difference between the weak Henry VI and his illustrious father, Henry V was forcibly brought out. Mrs. J. L. Cillely gave great pleasure by playing Schubert's "Minuetto." Mrs. J. A. Martin read the account of "Jack Cade" from Dickens' "Child's History of England. With current events and delightful refreshments adjournment was in order.

January 27 the Hickory Book Club met with Mrs. J. A. Martin. After quotations from and opinions of books read, the hostess made her book of special interest. This book "The Child of the Orient" is written by Vake, a Greek, about her childhood in Greece and Constantinople. A letter was received from the author whose home is now in the state of New York. Current events preceded adjournment to the dining-room, where the place cards were Greek flags painted by Miss Frank Martin. Hospitality was enjoyed and as Cicero says "those pleasures of club banquets were enhanced by meeting of friends and conversations." The next meeting February 10 will be with Miss Wheeler.

January 28, Mrs. T. F. Stevenson was hostess to the Embroidery Club with 13 members and a number of guests present. While others were busy with various kinds of fancy work Little Miss Mary Esther Stevenson pleased with a recitation and Miss Lillie Rowe delighted the club with an amusing reading. At the conclusion of this pleasant meeting dainty refreshments, in courses, were served and the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Bourbonnias February 11.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Mauney delightfully entertained the Luther League at their home in East Hickory Thursday evening from 8 to 10. A number of games were enjoyed by all, after which ice cream cake and candy were served.

Startown High School. Startown, Feb. 1.—The school-work at Startown is progressing very nicely this year. New students have been entering all along, so that the enrollment in the high school department now numbers 81. Our seating capacity was too limited and the board was compelled to purchase desks. Two new teachers were added to the faculty, one in the high school and one in the grades, making a total of four teachers in the high school and three in the grades. This does not include our music teacher. The life in the school is manifesting itself in the life of the community.

With our growth and development have also come added expenses, and in order to meet these expenses entertainments and suppers must be resorted to. The school will hold an entertainment and supper on the night of February 5. The supper will be given by the girls taking domestic science and will be served between 6 and 7 o'clock. Price 25 cents. This will not only give an opportunity to the friends of the school to see what we are doing in the line of preparing good things to eat, but they also have a chance to taste them. Beginning at 8 o'clock, a play will be given, entitled "Hazel Adams." This play is under the direction of Anna Baker, a graduate from the Curry Institute in expression, Boston, Admission 25 and 15 cents. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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The Yankee Soldiers at the Old House in the Spring of 1865.

In the spring of 1865 the army of General Stoneman came to Caldwell county and went to Salisbury by way of Wilkesboro. One or two regiments left the army at Lenoir and came to Hickory and then to Newton. They remained at Newton a few weeks and then left.

While the regiments were at Newton about thirty of the soldiers came to my father's house which was six miles west of Newton. They were riding good horses and said they took the horses from southern people and made them fat on southern corn. I suppose they came for dinner as they reached the house about noon.

They dismounted and came in the house and soon ate all that was prepared for the family. There were some colored women about the house and the yankees gave them orders to do some more cooking which was done in great haste. After they were well fed they called for some liquor. Isaac Shuford the leading colored man on the farm, conducted them into the cellar which was under the house. There was in the cellar a large barrel of sorghum mollasses. Isaac Shuford filled the canteen of each soldier with sorghum mollasses. They all said it was very good and seemed to be well satisfied with this new kind of liquor.

After receiving a good dinner and some good liquor they left for the forge which was on Jacob's Fork river in the community of Simon Deel Solomon and Jacob Weaver. The yankee soldiers did not call to see us again. They soon left the county. I suppose they returned to the army of General Stoneman. I was the owner of a saddle and a gun which they took with them. We had a dog by the name of Pen who left with the yankees. I never saw him after that time. We bought Pen from a man who was in favor of the Union. I suppose Pen learned to love the Union from his first master who went to Tennessee during the war and became a soldier in Kirk's army. He returned after the war and died in Catawba county.

Loud and Tole were good dogs. They remained with us till the war was over. They had a great love for old master and for old Mrs. Katie and for young master and young Miss.

J. H. SHUFORD.

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LOSING SIDE OF THE MAIL ORDER TRADE

Showing How Community May Be Hurt By Long Distance Buying.

Hans Garbus, a German farmer of Iowa, has discovered that the benefits which appear on the surface as attaching