SHIP SCAFFOLD FALLS; MANY ARE DROWNED

Visitors at Delaware River Launching Are Victims.

LOSS OF LIFE FROM 10 TO 40

150 Persons Plunged Into Swift Waters Just Before Hull of Freighter Leaves Ways.

BRISTOL, Pa., March 31.—From 10 to 40 persons were killed or drowned late today when a temporary scaffolding extending around the stern of a boat on the ways at the Merchant shipyard at Harriman, near here, collapsed, while nearly 150 persons were standing on it to view the launching of the freighter Waukau. At a late hour tonight only three bodies had been recovered. Twenty-two injured persons were taken to the Harriman hospital.

Thousands had assembled to see the launching and witnesses of the accident say that the scaffolding seemed to turn over, precipitating occupants into 20 feet of water. The accident happened four minutes before the launching was scheduled to take place.

Divers from Bristol and the Harriman police and firemen are grappling in the swift waters of the Delaware for the victims, but it is feared that the actual death toll may never be known.

It will be impossible to check up the list of victims for several days.

Instantly after the scaffolding fell the key piece of the Waukau, at which the workmen had been sawing, parted and the big hull slid down the ways, the suction, it is feared, drawing some of the victims down to the bottom of the river.

Some of the victims, practically all of whom were men, managed to grasp the scaffolding and were pulled to safety. A sailor in the crowd of spectators jumped overboard and pulled two drowning men ashore.

ANCIENT DEBT IS SETTLED

West Virginia Disposes of Civil War Time Obligation.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 31.—The house of delegates of the West Virginia legislature today passed the Virginia debt settlement bill, 66 to 17. The measure, which has also passed the senate, provides that West Virginia pay $1,100,000 in cash and $12,400,000 in 3½ per cent bonds, less $1,000,000 in bonds to be held in the West Virginia treasury against certain certificates of indebtedness which have been lost and never have been delivered by Virginia.

The debt arose from the separation of West Virginia from Virginia at the start of the civil war.

SULTAN BREAKS SILENCE

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your exalted president, who was the first to enunciate the great, new ideals of world-wide humanity," he said. The sultan asked me to convey to the world his plea for a league of nations that will see to it that Turkey gets justice. He declared that his faith with regard to the future was firmly fixed on President Wilson's 14 points.

"By tyranny we have been brought to our present plight," he continued. "It is justice that we ask for suffering people; if they are suppressed without trial, without investigation of true conditions, it would be injustice. What will our people think, what will the whole orient think if Europe again calls on us to suffer more? The desperate should not be driven to the last extremity. Indeed, it was better not to leave any earth than to leave our world with the fire of oppression smoldering in it and the spirit of hatred and of war stalking.

Neutral Inquiry Invited.

"That Turkey is predominantly Moslem is a factor not to be overlooked, and in this connection I must say that we all wish to avoid religious antagonism.

"Especially we urge that a commission of neutrals, of unbiased broad-thinking men, be sent to find out the truth about the measures—to investigate the situation thorough.

"These measures were not religious in character, but resulted from politics. They were submitted by those personally profiting. However, the question has became as kinked as wool before it is carded. All Ottoman subjects are my children in the sight of God. As Caliph I am the spiritual father of Moslem and Christian alike.

"There is nothing in Kalem antagonistic to Christianity. For 300 years Christians and Moslems have lived happy together. In our history you will find no precedent for their crimes against the Armenians.

"I cannot say too strongly or too earnestly, that they were political in their origin—that they were not all prompted by religion. Czarism, with its designs upon Turkey and its incitements of our Christian population was really to blame for most of our woes."

Sultan Laments Situation.

The Sultan lamented the existing situation.

"Turkey is in a bad way, in a desperate, critical situation," he declared. "Indeed, she is in the position of an innocent man who is charged with murder. I am able to say conscientiously I disapprove the old government and its methods of tyranny. We have come to the very end of the road. Turkey now can be saved only by justice being given to her. I declare to you, as a father whose heart is broken, that I have lost 4,000,000 of my subjects as a result of the war and atrocities.

"Now we want peace and an opportunity to heal our open wounds, to restore our wrecked homes, to cultivate good will among our people. We never wished this war, we were thrust into it against our will.

"When a commission comes to Turkey to investigate conditions it will find that we have another rule than that the world thinks.

"We have another sultan, we are a different nation than that we were. We are a nation with definite plans for the future.

"And today we ask protection—we ask pity. We have had many maligners. Each one of our faults has been magnified ten times, and ten faults have been held up to the world's gaze where we had one. Any one who will tell the truth about Turkey will earn a father's thanks."

The sultan said that America is not holding any Ottoman soil. "She is, however, in the heart of every Ottoman," he declared.

SLAVS FEAR GREEK RULE

AMERICAN MISSIONARY SAYS PEOPLE WOULD REVOLT.

Plans of Commission on Balkan Affairs Declared to Be Unfavorable to Residents.

BY H. WILSON HARRIS.

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PARIS, March 26.—(Special cable.)—Considerations of some importance with regard to the settlement of Balkan affairs by the peace conference were laid before me today by L. D. Woodruff of the American board of foreign missions, who recently arrived in Paris from Philippopolis, Bulgaria. Mr. Woodruff lived in Bulgaria throughout the war, the Austrians refusing to grant him exit. He is seriously alarmed at the apparent intention of the commission on Balkan affairs of the conference to give Greece rule over large Slav populations which never will reconcile themselves to such subjection.

It is rumored Greece is to have the whole of the Aegean coast line from Kavala, in the Vilayet of Salonica, to beyond Dedeagatch, in Thrace, thus depriving Bulgaria of all access to the Aegean unless, indeed, Kavala were declared a free port—a solution which I have reason to believe has some prospect of being adopted. The American authorities at the conference, with knowledge of the Balkan press, are strongly in favor of a plebescite of the inhabitants of all Macedonia. It is their belief that it would result in a demand for an independent Macedonia.

400 NEGROES GET $500,000

Discharged Soldiers Re-Routed to Evade Gamblers.

NOGALES, Ariz., March 31.—Four hundred discharged negro soldiers of the 25th infantry, carrying in their pockets upwards of $500,000 back pay, left here tonight on a special train over the El Paso & Southwestern railroad for St. Louis and Chicago, where they will return to civilian life.

It had been intended to send the soldiers over another route, according to Colonel A. P. Carnahan, commanding officer, but after announcement to this effect was made, it was reported here that a band of gamblers was waiting at a southern Arizona point to board the train and the soldiers suddenly were switched to the El Paso & Southwestern.

HOSPITAL FORCES TO HELP

Civil Service Men Working for Sick and Wounded Soldiers.

WASHINGTON, March 31. — Commanders of the general hospitals of the army have been instructed to extend every possible aid to representatives of the civil service commission appointed to aid sick and wounded soldiers to obtain civil service positions on their discharge.

Representatives of the civil service commission will be assigned to the three regular general hospitals of the army at Hot Springs, Ark., San Francisco and Washington, D. C., and also to more than 40 other general hospitals scattered throughout the country. The base hospitals at the camps already have representatives of the commission attached.

ESTHONIANS WIN VICTORY

Strategically Important Railroad Captured From Bolsheviki.

LONDON, March 31.—An official communication issued today by the Esthonian army says the Esthonians on Sunday captured the town of Pechory, in the Pskoff sector, and the town of Hainash, on the eastern shore of the Gulf of Riga, about 30 miles south of Pernau.

The victory of the Esthonians has released the strategically important railroad between Hainash and Volmar from the hold of the bolsheviki.

FOE MAY BREAK ARMISTICE

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vism, and foreshadows Germany's certain reaction to every unacceptable concrete peace term.

Foe Watching for Chance.

If the fear that Germany will turn to bolshevism, or other considerations, induce Marshal Foch to back down on the Danzig proposition, it is certain to be hailed as Germany's first great armistice victory with the result that the same tactics will be intensively employed by Germany on every subsequent peace question. There is no doubt that, to her, the crisis of the armistice has been reached. The only question here is academic. Of infinitely greater importance is the question: What will America and the allies do, in the face of Germany's persistent refusal of this or any future question; the feeling here being that Germany has nothing more to lose and everything to gain by .. new diplomatic ultimatum.

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"PRIVATE SPIES NOT WANTED"; UNCLE SAM

Offers of Organizations Courteously Turned Down.

WORTHY MOTIVES ASSUMED

Espionage by Private Indivfduals Held Contrary to American Theory of Government.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Private organizations offering to continue during peace the espionage work undertaken during the war to protect the public safety were informed today by Attorney-General Palmer that the department of justice would not recognize them or have any connection with them, official or semi-official.

"Espionage conducted by private individuals or organizations," Mr. Palmer said in announcing his decision, "is entirely at variance with our theories of government and its operation in any community constitutes a grave menace to that feeling of public confidence which is the chief force making for the maintenance of good order."

Appreciation of the "patriotic and high-minded motives" actuating the offers was expressed by the attorney-general. The traditional policy of the department which caused refusal of the tendered services was explained in the following statement:

Services Are Volunteered.

"During the past two months my department has received communications from a number of private organizations calling attention to the fact that they have been formed for the purpose of systematically detecting violations of law and courteously offering to supply the department of justice with information of this character gathered by them.

"It will be impossible for my department to have any connection, official or semi-official, with these organizations. This department welcomes at all times information which is germane to its work from whatever source it may come. It has been the traditional policy of this department, however, grounded on sound reasons, not to confer its sanction upon private organizations and not to establish with them any relations of an official or semi-official character.

One Exception Is Cited.

"The only exception to this long-established policy, if it can be called an exception, was the formation during the war of the American protective league, which was organized with the approval of the attorney-general and operated under the direct supervision of the bureau of investigation of this department.

"During the war there was need for such an auxiliary to this department and the members of the American protective league rendered service of the greatest value. Nevertheless, my predecessor, Attorney-General Gregory, requested that this organization be disbanded and, in conformance to his wishes, it went out of existence on February 1. It was his view, in which I heartily concur, that no organization, even of this type, should receive official recognition from this department in time of peace.

Private Spying Disapproved.

"Espionage conducted by private individuals or organizations is entirely at variance with our theories of government and its operation in any community constitutes a grave menace to that feeling of public confidence which is the chief force making for the maintenance of good order. Furthermore, on reflection, it must be obvious to everyone that for a government agency to maintain any relations whatever with private bodies engaged in this work would in the end result in impairing the confidence of the public in the disinterestedness and impartiality of government investigations.

"I fully realize the patriotic and high-minded motives with which these organizations have been formed and which have animated them in making proffers of assistance to this department, but I am constrained to say frankly that I fear the work of these private organizations may produce harmful results. I therefore feel compelled to instruct the various officials of this department not to enter into relationship with them."

JAPANESE MENACE IS REAL

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lowed to organize and maintain government on racial lines, so that democracy and freedom shall be, at last, made humanly possible. If this opportunity is lost it may never recur again."

LAND OWNERS EXPLAIN STAND

Declaration Made to State Department Is Adhered To.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 31.—The owners of the California-Mexico Land & Cattle company's property in Lower California still adhere to a declaration made to the state department in 1917 that they will not "under any circumstances make any lease of any kind to Japanese where colonization is probable until we are first authoritatively informed that such an agreement will be entirely agreeable to the government of our own country."

This was announced here today by Harry Chandler, president of the company.

Mr. Chandler's statement was as follows:

"So far as the alleged pending sale of California-Mexico Land & Cattle company's property in Lower California to a Japanese syndicate is concerned, the owners of the land are still adhering to the declaration made by them to the secretary of state in February, 1917, in connection with the proposed lease of a comparatively small section of the company's holdings to Japanese tenants. The following is an extract from a letter written by me as president of the company and concurred in by the stockholders of that company, dated February 23, 1917, to the department of state at Washington:

"While my company is anxious to secure these reliable tenants, amply financed, to help develop our property in Mexico, we are first of all American citizens and do not wish to make any move which could in any way prejudice a question which always appears to be a subject for agitation between the two countries.

"We will not, under the circumstances, consider making any lease of this kind to Japanese, where colonization is probable, until we are first authoritatively informed that such arrangement will be agreeable to the government of our own country. We believe that most of the Japanese labor for this enterprise will come from the Pacific coast states and thus relieve to some extent the pressure of this class of people now in the United States and will be an advantage rather than a disadvantage.

"During these ticklish times we, as large land owners in Mexico, are determined to use scrupulous care in having this matter thoroughly threshed out in advance.'

"The main body of the letter recited all the details of the proposed lease and the portion quoted still expressed the attitude of the owners of the property. I desire to call attention to an error in the statement made by the Mexican assistant secretary of fomento, General Amado Aguierre, as reported in the Associated press dispatches dated March 29, to the effect that the California-Mexico Land & Cattle company's titles came through a concession from the former Mexican government.

"Neither the California-Mexico Land & Cattle company nor its grantors ever asked for or received any concessions for any portion of the lands now held by our company from the government of Mexico. The lands our company owns and controls were acquired by direct purchase for cash at the full price asked from the Mexican government and no concessions of any kind ever were asked for or received in connection with the purchase of our land property.

"After our company took an option on the land and before the purchase was finally consummated, a most exhaustive search of the records of title, as shown by the public records, was made by trained title searchers, and the condition of our title, after this investigation, was shown to be as above stated, to-wit, what we believe to be the most perfect title in Mexico.

"The reference by the Mexican official to special concesssions made in connection with the sale of these lands must refer to lands adjoining ours, which were secured by an American syndicate headed by J. P. Morgan at about the time that our lands were purchased from the Mexican government. Their titles were secured through a concession which sprovide for special colonization efforts on the part of the purchasing syndicate.

"Pastor Rouix, secretary of the Mexican fomento, visited Lower California a year ago and a representative of our company offered a convey to Mexican colonists at any reasonable price which could be mutually agreed upon, such acreage as might be required for Mexican colonization and, so far as we know, a very satisfactory understanding exists between ourselves and the Mexican government's department of fomento (interior).

"It is fair to say that the Japanese, who were negotiating for a lease at that time, took precisely the same stand, as prospective tenants, that the owners of land took, to-wit: That they did not desire to consummate the lease unless it was perfectly agreeable to the officials of our own state department.

"HARRY CHANDLER,
"President California-Mexico Land & Cattle Company."

The property of the California-Mexico Land & Cattle company, known on both sides of the border as the C. M. ranch, now comprises 830,000 acres running from the international boundary to the Gulf of California. It was originally 862,000 acres, but 32,000 acres were sold to John Cudahy about seven years ago. The west line of the property runs almost due south from Calexico, thence east across the head of the gulf to the original bed of the Colorado river, which forms the easterly boundary of the tract. The north line is the international boundary. The whole tract comprises the Mexican portion of the Imperial valley, which valley is practically all under irrigation canals and susceptible of intensive cultivation.

NEWS COMES FROM ARCTIC

CAPTAIN ALLAN FINISHES LONG MUSH TO FAIRBANKS.

Youthful Seattle Explorer Fails in Attempt to Sail Through Northwest Passage.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 31.—(Special.)—Arriving in Fairbanks, Alaska, after a long "mush" out from the Arctic, via the mouth of the Mackenzie river, Captain Alexander Allan, old-time Arctic navigator, sent the following news by wire and cable to Seattle:

"Harold Noice, youthful Seattle explorer, who formerly was a member of the Stefansson expedition, has been defeated in his daring attempt to sail through the Northwest passage from west to east, his schooner, the Challenge, not proving stout enough for the dangerous venture. He has sold the Challenge to the Hudson Bay company and the vessel is wintering in Copper Mine river. Young Noice plans to work his way eastward by dog team until he reaches Hudson bay and the Atlantic. In the meantime, however, he will map the east coast of Victoria land, a work that never has been undertaken before. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Noice, 211 West Garfield street."

The schooner Argo is wintering in Darnley bay. The Anna Olga is at Martin Point and the Elsueno is laid up in Barnard harbor. The Teddy Bear had not been heard from since Captain Allan left the Arctic on his long hike overland to Fairbanks.

In his message Captain Allan reports that two blond Eskimos were arrested by Corporal Conway of the royal northwest mounted police, charged with the murder of a native woman whose body had disappeared. The Eskimos were discharged for lack of evidence.

Captain Allan left the Arctic coast March 4 and made the mush from the Mackenzie river over the Endicott range down the Porcupine and thence to Fairbanks in 26 days, following the same route that he followed more than a year ago when he arrived from Fairbanks unheralded.

HIGHER FARE IS DISCUSSED

SEATTLE FACES PROBLEM WITH MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

Superintendent of City Utilities Confident Profit Can Be Made at Old Five-Cent Rate.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 31.—(Special.)—With the transfer to the city today of the Seattle Railway system, the rate of fare to be charged became one of the live questions. The matter has been informally discussed, and the opinion expressed by some councilmen that the city will have to charge more than 5 cents to break even on the transaction.

One of the circumstances leading to the city's offer to purchase the system was the demand of the Puget Sound Traction, Light & Power Company for authority to increase fares to 7 cents, and a showing was made that efficient service coud not be maintained on a 5-cent fare.

At the request of the city council Thomas F. Murphine, superintendent of the utilities department, investigated the company's earnings and a statement was compiled purporting to show that the system could profit on a 5-cent fare. Superintendent Murphine is still standing by his figures made last July.

Canadians to Leave Siberia.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 31.—Arrangements have been made for the return of the Canadian expeditionary forces in Siberia, it was announced in the house of commons today by Minister of Militia Newburn in reply to a question. The date is being kept secret by request of the British government.

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LOUISE BRYANT WANTS SLAVS TO BE LEFT TO OWN FATE.

Former Portland Resident Says Americans' Intervention in Russia Angers Bolsheviki.

Louise Bryant, who attracted some attention by appearing before the senate inquiry commission and speaking kindly of the bolshevik and the soviet government, wants American troops withdrawn from Russian territory. There are no Oregon boys with the American troops in Russia, she explained at the Multnomah Hotel, but there are many Michigan youths and the people of Michigan are circulating petitions to have them returned.

Miss Bryant, who uses that name more generally than that of Mrs. John Reed, states that she came west to visit her mother in California and intended only remaining in Portland two or three days to visit her mother-in-law, Mrs. C. J. Reed. However, someone wanted her to deliver a public address and she was much annoyed to find that a controversy arose as to whether she should be permitted to speak in this or her former home city.

American reporters are the only kind permitted to attend meetings in Russia, explained Miss Bryant, for the Russian people love the Americans, but they are losing this affection since American troops have been there. America will not receive Russian trade unless the troops are withdrawn, she said. In short, she contended, the Russians should be permitted to work out their own salvation without interference from America. "As to bloodshed, the sword and the bullet—well, look at the time the United States had for four years during the civil war while trying to determine what sort of government this country should have," said Miss Bryant.

She said that Colonel Raymond Robbins, of the American Red Cross, who was chairman of the Progressive national convention in 1916, entertains views similar to her own and that the colonel is anxious for the development of America and wants America to obtain the Russian trade. Ambassador Francis she characterized as loose-mouthed.

ACCIDENT LEADS TO ARREST

Young Boys in Stolen Automobile Captured After Long Chase.

Collision of a bicycle ridden by Adolph Mathelsen, 17, of 648 East Twenty-fourth street, with an alleged stolen automobile which was speeding across the Broadway bridge yesterday resulted in severe injuries to the bicyclist. Patrolmen Gouldstone and Schad arrested Clarence Appleman, 14, and Francis McHenry, 13, and charged them with stealing the automobile, which belongs to Roy C. Slocom, 331 Going street, and had been stolen from Park and Salmon streets.

Police say the lads confessed to stealing seven automobiles in the past two weeks. The boys will have a hearing in the juvenile court. All the autos have been recovered.

Police arrested them after chasing the automobile from the scene of the accident to East Second and East Clay streets, where the occupants of the car deserted it and took to their heels. M. A. Borah, driver of a bakery wagon, joined in the chase, and the posse finally cornered the boys in a vacant lot.

Young Mathelsen was cut about the face. Internes at the emergency hospital attended him.

GERMAN FUGITIVE LOCATED

Disappearance of Dusseldorf Burgomaster Explained.

BERLIN, Sunday, March 30.—(By the Associated Press.) — Details of the hitherto mysterious disappearance of Adalbert Oehler, chief burgomaster of Dusseldorf, who vanished in the last Spartacan uprising here, are reported by the Vossische Zeitung. Oehler fled across the Rhine, the paper says, and has remained there, although his return has been urged strongly by citizens of Dusseldorf who wish the legal status of his case cleared up.

The newspaper claims that the provincial governor, Dr. Krux, also fled across the Rhine but has returned. He was exonerated and reinstated, despite the fact that he had visited General Michaelet, the Belgian commander west of the Rhine, and begged him to occupy Dusseldorf.

Independent Socialist Arrested.

BERLIN, March 31.—(Via Copenhagen.)—Ernest Daumig, president of the executive committee of the soldiers' and workers' council of Greater Berlin, was arrested yesterday. Daumig is an independent socialist.

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