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BIG STEAMERS ARE DESTROYED

Three Large Vessels Torpedoed by German Submarines and the Crews Saved

SCHOONER IS SUNK

One Boat Carried a Cargo of Sugar from Jamaica Bound for England

COMMANDER IS DELIGHTED

Officer on Submarine Pleased at His Success in Sinking Vessel—Someone Had Written Warning on Vessel After Sailing

TOTAL BOATS SUNK

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] LONDON, July 2.—During the month of June 28 British ships, aggregating slightly more than 29,000 tons, were sunk by submarines or mines with the loss of 111 lives.

SAME SUBMARINE

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] LONDON, July 2.—The Inglemoor and the Caucasian were sunk by the U-29, the same submarine that sank the Lusitania.

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LONDON, July 2.—Three British steamers, the Inglemoor, the Caucasian and the Woburn, were torpedoed and sunk today by German submarines. The crews of the Inglemoor and the Caucasian landed at Falmouth. The crew of the Woburn is safe.

The Caucasian was a tank steamer of 4656 tons gross and was bound from London for Jacksonville, Fla. The Inglemoor was of 4331 gross tons and the Woburn 3591 tons gross and was bound for England from Kingston, Jamaica.

The commander of the submarine was markedly pleased on learning that the Woburn carried a cargo of sugar. After the ship left Jamaica it was discovered some one had painted inside the vessel's fore-hold: "You have a cargo of sugar for England, but you will never get there."

Schooner Sunk.

The British schooner L. C. Tower, from Parrsboro, N. S., was sunk off Fastnet today by a submarine. The undersea then sank a bark six miles away. The schooner's crew landed at Queenstown.

Disguises Submarine

The skipper of the C. L. Tower reports that the submarine, after sinking two other sailing vessels, disguised herself with rigging and two dummy canvas funnels, two masts and false bow and stern. These contrivances gave her the appearance of a deeply laden steamer with smoke issuing from the funnels.

HOLD CEREMONIES

ANNIVERSARY OF KILLING OF CROWN PRINCE OBSERVED

Throughout Austro-Hungary Reverently Take Part and Heir Apparent Visits the Scene

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 2.—Ceremonies in Austria-Hungary, marking the first anniversary of the assassination of Arch Duke Ferdinand, the Austrian Crown Prince, is described in Foreign Office dispatches from Vienna. Throughout the empire the anniversary is reverently observed. Arch Duke Charles Francis, heir apparent and consort, visited the scene of the assassination.

"K...S"—"BROWNS"—"T...WL."

OWNERS TO BLAME

ADMIRAL WATT TESTIFIES AS EXPERT WITNESS

Says Titanic Was Inadequate in Construction and Faults With the Owners

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

NEW YORK, July 2.—Rear Admiral Richard M. Watt, former chief constructor of the United States Navy, testified today as an expert in the suit of the Ocean Steam Navigation Company, the White Star Line, to limit its liabilities for the loss of property and lives in the Titanic disaster. Watt gave as his opinion that if anyone was to blame for what he termed the Titanic's inadequate construction, it was her owners who, he said, were responsible for the limited safeguards.

WITNESS IS ON BAIL

MAN SAYS HE SAW GUNS ON LUSITANIA

Gave Bond in Sum of \$2000 For Appearance Before the Federal Grand Jury.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

NEW YORK, July 2.—Heinz Hardenberg, who was taken in charge by the government agents for the second time in Cincinnati several days ago, was held today in \$2000 bail as a witness before the Federal grand jury investigating the affidavit of Gustave Stahl, a German reservist, that he saw guns mounted on the Lusitania before she sailed on her last voyage.

BANKER A SUICIDE

ANNAPOLIS MAN SHOTS HIMSELF IN HIS ROOM

Directors of Trust Company Waited in Session to Hear Him Explain His Accounts

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

ANNAPOLIS, Md., July 2.—J. Marshall Caughey, treasurer of the Annapolis Banking and Trust Company, committed suicide by shooting himself in his room at a club last night. At the same hour the directors of the trust company were in session awaiting for Caughey to appear and explain his accounts.

SALMON PLENTIFUL

ROGUE RIVER NOW BUSY PLACE WITH CANNERIES OPEN

Big Run Started Two Days Ago Say Members of Gjoa Crew That Arrived Here This Morning

Salmon have commenced their run in the Rogue River and the canneries are in full swing, according to the crew of the gasoline schooner Gjoa, which arrived in from there this morning. Today they are loading supplies and will leave in the morning again for the Rogue River.

For weeks the canneries have been waiting for the run to commence. Very few fish had shown up and some of the fishermen were becoming discouraged. It is said there are now more than 75 fishermen engaged on the river.

Two nights ago one man caught 43 fish, it was said this morning. Figuring this at the rate of 75 cents each that is being paid for Chinooks, the catch amounts to money considerably more than wages.

The Gjoa is under charter to the Seaborg Cannery, operating there for the first time this year. It is said that the Wedderburn Trading Company is also putting up many cases of fish daily now that the run has started.

LOCAL OVERFLOW

Mrs. Robert Hressin and daughters Mildred, Genevieve and Doris, left Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Ten Mile and Haynes Inlet.

Frank Lowe is building a new pleasure launch for A. H. Derbyshire, of North Bend, and it promises to be one of the classiest on the Bay.

WE DO DEVELOPING AND PRINTING. "THE OWL."

PORFIRIO DIAZ

DIES IN PARIS

Passes Away Today While Surrounded by Wife and Members of Family

WAS 85 YEARS OLD

For Thirty-Five Years He Was President and Absolute Master of Mexico

WAS A MILITARY STUDENT

Came of Old Spanish Stock with an Infusion of Indian Blood—Resignation in 1911 Was Result of Madero Revolution

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

PARIS, July 2.—General Porfirio Diaz, former President of Mexico, died at 7 o'clock this morning. His wife, Rubio Diaz, and their son, Porfirio Diaz, Jr., and the latter's wife, were at the bedside when the end came.

The revolution led by General Francisco I. Madero, Jr., brought about Diaz's pledge to resign in a bargain for peace. When he did not resign on the day he promised, his palace was stormed. He resigned the next day, in May, 1911. Leon de la Barra was chosen to succeed him. Diaz was 35 years master of Mexico.

Of Spanish Stock General Diaz was born in 1830. His family were of old Spanish stock with an infusion of Indian blood. Left fatherless at the age of 3, he was educated at the expense of the Bishop of Caxaca with the intention of becoming a priest, but he eventually turned to law and then at the outbreak of the war with the United States turned to a military career. He served throughout that struggle in a militia company which he helped organize, and after peace was declared he made a special study of military science.

Opposed Santa Anna He and one other were the only two in the country who dared openly oppose the continuation of Santa Anna's dictatorship. His execution was ordered, but he escaped and joined Herrera's revolt. He speedily made a reputation as a soldier, and as a brigadier-general he was the chief thorn in the side of the French forces, when, taking advantage of the Civil war in the United States, they attempted to place Archduke Maximilian of Austria on the throne of the Mexican empire.

First President Diaz harassed the enemy constantly, and in June, 1867, captured Mexico City with his forces. On the reestablishment of the republic he was unsuccessful as a candidate for president, but in 1877 he was elected to fill the unexpired term of the fugitive president, Lerdo. His last and eighth election was in July, 1910.

To Diaz was given the credit for the advance of Mexico to the status of a stable, progressive and prosperous government, although the autocratic methods he employed were widely criticized.

MILLIONS AFFECTED

ESTATE OF DAVID ECCLES IS AT STAKE

Sensational Evidence Given Today by Secretary of the President of Mormon Church

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

OGDEN, Utah, July 2.—Geo. F. Gibbs, secretary to the President of the Mormon church since 1868, on the witness stand today in a legal battle over the millions of the late David Eccles, asserted that in the spring of 1909 Eccles admitted to him that Mrs. Margaret Geddes was his plural wife and that he was the father of her son Albert, now claiming heirship to the vast estate.

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TELLS ABOUT THAW

POLICEMAN IS WITNESS AT INSANITY TRIAL

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw Will be Present To Testify in Case Next Week.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

NEW YORK, July 2.—The jury heard as the first witness in the insanity trial of Harry K. Thaw today, Policeman James M. Barrett, assigned to the tenderloin police station the night Thaw was taken there after killing White. He gave testimony entered by the state to prove that Thaw, while in his cell, was under the delusion that he heard voices of little girls screaming.

Satisfied that Evelyn Nesbit Thaw will testify next week in response to a subpoena, the state's attorneys have abandoned preparations to obtain an attachment to compel her presence.

INDIANS SUBDUED

ADMIRAL HOWARD SAYS QUIET PREVAILS IN YAQUI VALLEY

Mexican Troops Evidently Checked Indians Who Endangered American Settlers in that Locality

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 2.—Admiral Howard today reported that quiet prevails in the Yaqui Valley where the Indian outbreaks occurred against Americans and other foreign settlers. Apparently the steps taken by Governor Maytorena completely checked the Indians.

RED CROSS IS SAFE

RELIEF EXPEDITION GETS PAST CARRANZA LINES

Moving Toward Mexico City With Food and Supplies for Those in Suffering

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 2.—The American Red Cross relief expedition for Mexico City safely passed Pachuca within the Carranza lines and has gone toward Mexico City. Whether it has continued on through the Zapata defenses and into the capital does not appear in today's reports from Consul Silliman. Mexico City is practically without hospital supplies and the Red Cross delegation is taking in necessities. Twelve carloads of corn also left Vera Cruz yesterday in charge of W. P. Gavin, American citizen.

ENGLISH CENSOR'S WORK.

Prevents Publication of German Air Raid Details, to Prevent Panic

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

LONDON, July 2.—Since the censorship has shut down on the publication of the details of the visits of German aircraft, London is full of daily rumors that spread all over town. There has been no general criticism of withholding the locality of the raids as it may be helpful to the Germans to hear where their bombs dropped. But suppression of details has had its customary effect and every day there are stories of raids that never happened and of destruction that never took place. In fairness to the censors it should be admitted that while their facts when published are meagre, they are regarded as true though the delay in issuing them is hopelessly needless from a newspaper point of view. In the case of the worst raid, happening around midnight as usual, the facts were not published in time for the regular issues of the afternoon papers of the following day. Meanwhile rumors had piled on rumors and the man in the street was prepared to hear that hundreds had been killed.

WILL SEND A NOTE

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Specific Cases Will be Cited Great Britain in Communication to Go Soon

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

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By Order of the W. M. NORIS JENSEN, Sec'y.

MUST BE KEPT OUT OF MEXICO

Various Members of Cabinet Figure on What to Do With General Huerta

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COULD DEPORT HIM

EVIDENCE BEING GATHERED

United States Government Determined That Former President Shall Not Get Back Into Mexico and Further Complicate Situation

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 2.—The United States government determined today that General Huerta shall not get back into Mexico and further complicate the situation. Evidence is being gathered to support this determination. The government is determined that Huerta shall not be permitted to enter Mexico from the United States at a time when his presence would be a further menace to the plans of the government to restore peace, if the Federal government can prevent it. Determination to keep Huerta from crossing the border and thus complicate the present Mexican situation with a new revolution reached a point today where four different ways of detaining Huerta were under consideration by various departments of the United States government.

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Could Turn Him Over

Secretary of State Lansing, in referring to the receipt of a formal request for the extradition of Huerta from the military authorities of Chihuahua, intimated that the Federal government could, if it chose, withdraw its present charges of violation of American neutrality, and surrender Huerta to the Villa forces.

Might Deport Him

Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Labor, has under consideration a plan for deporting Huerta to Spain under the immigration laws covering undesirable aliens. General Funston has orders to use military forces to prevent Huerta crossing the border, as have also the agents of the Department of Justice, which is gathering evidence for prosecution.

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MAKES HER ESCAPE

YOUNG LADY LEAVES HURRIEDLY WHEN THREATENED

Wolfram Schmedding Causes Miss Elizabeth Kroninga to Flee From Horsfall Residence

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

Some excitement was created yesterday by the sudden escape of a young lady who was threatened by a young man to whom she was formerly engaged. The young lady was Miss Elizabeth Kroninga and the young man, Wolfram Schmedding, the flutist, who is well known in musical circles on Coos Bay.

According to the mother of the young lady the latter was at one time engaged to be married to Schmedding after she became 18 years old—she is only 17 years of age now. She had written him a letter stating that she thought it would be best to cancel the engagement, but Schmedding who left here some time ago, came back on the Nann Smith, and said he never received the letter.

The young lady was employed at the home of Dr. William Horsfall. Yesterday Schmedding went there and talked with her and it is said that when she told him that she would not wed him, he lost his temper and threatened her. The young lady escaped from the house and jumped into an auto which was standing at the house. One of the Horsfall boys was in the machine. He was told the circumstances and the young lady was hurried from the scene and escaped any execution of the threats.

SMITH LOSES CASE

APPEAL FROM AWARD OF COMMISSION UNSUCCESSFUL

Suit Thrown Out of Court Because Not Filed Within the Specified Time.

[Special to The Times.]

COQUILLE, Or., July 2.—R. Smith of Bandon, who appealed from the award of damages of the Oregon State Industrial Commission for injuries sustained some time ago, lost his case. Attorney General Brown, Harvey Beckwith and Dr. Thompson were here to represent the state, but Brown succeeded in having the case thrown out on the grounds that Smith did not file his appeal within the time prescribed by law. The Commission still offers to pay the expenses of an operation for Smith for the relief of ailments suffered before the accident.

MANY SEE RACES

GOOD SIZED CROWD ATTENDS THE TRACK TESTS

Autos Take People From Coos Bay to Myrtle Point—More Events Tomorrow

[Special to The Times.]

MYRTLE POINT, Or., July 2.—The first day of the horse races here today brought out a good attendance. Many came from the Coos Bay cities in autos and there were crowds from Powers and from the surrounding country. The weather was ideal and the track in good condition.

There will be more races again tomorrow when a still larger attendance is expected. VESSEL MOVEMENTS ...

A BIG REALTY GIFT

WM. WALDORF ASTOR TRANSFERS \$7,230,000 IN PROPERTY

Goes to Capt. Astor and is Largest Real Estate Gift Ever Recorded in New York.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

NEW YORK, July 2.—Deeds recording the transfer of \$7,230,000 worth of real estate from William Waldorf Astor, of England, to his youngest son, Captain John Jacob Astor, on file here, were declared today to constitute the largest gift of real estate, other than by bequest, ever recorded in New York. Captain Astor joined the English army several years ago and is now at the front.

GET YOUR KODAKS AND SUPPLIES AT "THE OWL."

GERMAN FORCES AIM AT WARSAW

Intend to Capture That Capital Before Moving Troops From East to West

RUSSIANS RETREAT

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

Petrograd Admits There is no Halt in Onward March of the Teutons

STILL FIGHT THE FRENCH

Evidently Hope to Break Through Lines to Verdun—Paris Claims German Attacks Have Been Repulsed—Italians Gain Slowly

LONDON, July 2.—According to messages received Berlin today announced that the German forces reached the Russian positions at Krasnik, in the southern district of Russian Poland. The Russian forces west of Zamosz have been driven back. Even the Petrograd official statement indicates that there is no halt in the victorious sweep of the Teutons northward and eastward from Lemberg.

Dispatches from London indicate the belief that the Teutonic Allies desire first, a decisive victory over the Russians, culminating in the capture of Warsaw, before sending troops from the east to west front.

However, the Germans are hammering away at the French lines in the Argonne, in an apparent hope of breaking through and reaching Verdun. Paris reports that the Germans are on the offensive at many points, but asserts that the attacks were repulsed. Berlin announces minor gains.

Rome contents itself with claim ground "snatched inch by inch from the Austrians."

CLAIM PROGRESS

GERMANS SAY THEY ADVANCED AGAINST THE FRENCH

Statement That 1710 Men and Large Amount of Munitions of War Were Taken

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

BERLIN, July 2.—The official statement says "In the western theater of war, in the western portion of Argonne, part of the army under the Crown Prince stormed the point of support. Northwest of Le-four de Paris, we advanced by storm over a front three miles long and from 300 to 450 yards wide. Twenty-five officers and 1710 men, 18 machine guns, forty mine throwers and one revolver cannon were captured. In the Vosges region we took the enemy's works. Attempts made by the enemy to recapture it were repulsed. A night attack on our positions west of Souchez was beaten off."

CONDITION FAVORABLE

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 2.—The condition of Franklin D. Roosevelt, assistant Secretary of the Navy, who was operated on for appendicitis, continued to be favorable today.

NOTICE TO OWLS

All members of Marshfield No. 1896, North Bend No. 1048, will meet at Owls' Hall, Marshfield at 8:30 Monday morning. Ladies' Auxiliary included. (Signed) Committee, CHAS. HILL, L. ROSS, J. HANNS, H. WINKLER, F. W. SMITH.

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