

Ship Sunk in Fatal Collision of Ships

SEATTLE, Dec. 21.—(AP)—One ship was drowned, an army tug sank and an army freighter damaged yesterday when the two vessels collided near the entrance to Lake Washington ship canal.

The victim was Frank Banazak, listed as from Pittsburgh, Pa. Other members of the tug's crew were Master Carl E. Anderson, coxswain; Joe Schiltz, Alexander, S. C., and cook Irvin Scharf, were rescued.

Col. John A. Barthrop, superintendent of the water division of Seattle port of embarkation, said preliminary investigation indicated trouble with the tug's steering apparatus was responsible for the collision.

The freighter was secured to shore after it developed a bad

Miami Paper Printed In Nine Columns

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 21.—(AP)—The Miami Daily News, afternoon newspaper, appeared today in a new format of nine columns instead of the traditional eight, an innovation which the news editors said would save newspaper and lower eye fatigue of its readers.

The size of the paper remains the same, the additional column being made possible by a reduction of the width of each column.

New North Pacific Commander Named

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—(AP)—Appointment of Vice-Admiral Frank Jack Fletcher as commander of the north Pacific area was announced today by Secretary of the Navy Knox. Fletcher succeeds Vice-Admiral Thomas C. Kincaid, who recently was sent to the southwest Pacific.

Rear Admiral Sherwood A. Taffinder succeeds Fletcher as commandant of the 13th naval district.

NO Shortage on Christmas plants at Tommy Williams Flower Shop at 2086 East 15th.

MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE



PVT. DONALD N. FOSTER, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster, 1442 Lincoln, is taking an engineering course at the University of Pennsylvania, where he enrolled July 1. He took his basic work at Fort Belvoir, Va., and prior to enlistment he attended the University of Oregon. His brother, PFC Edward A. Foster, 32, is with the medical corps at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

SPEND FURLOUGH
Cpl. Keith M. Edison and wife, from Camp San Luis Obispo, Cal., recently spent his furlough at the home of Mrs. Edison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Breedon, of Crow Stage route. Corporal Edison entered the service in June, 1942, training at Camp Rucker, Ala., before being transferred to California.

MISS STRODA VISITS
Barbara Stroda, petty officer 3-C, has returned to the east coast, to Charleston, S. C., after a leave spent at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Stroda, Monroe, Ore. She enlisted in the SPAR in June and has since been in training at Palm Beach, Fla., where she was graduated recently from storekeeper's school.

VISIT SONS
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Roadman left last week for a visit with their son, who is stationed at Monterey in the navy. They will be at Carmel with Wilfred Roadman until after the holidays.

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FDR's Christmas Will Accent War

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The accent will be on war at President Roosevelt's Hyde Park home this Christmas.

But war will keep three of the president's four sons—all of whom are in the armed services—away from the family hearth this season. And war, as Mrs. Roosevelt said recently, will keep the occasion from being a particularly "merry" one anywhere.

On Christmas eve the president's mind will be preoccupied with war as he broadcasts to nation and the armed forces everywhere an address dealing in large part with what happened at his recent military conferences with Prime Minister Churchill, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, and Premier Stalin.

Roosevelt will deliver his address at 3 p. m. EWT and it will be broadcast at 10 p. m. EWT, to enable servicemen and others in all time zones to hear it at convenient times.

Five grandchildren are expected to be at the Roosevelt Hyde Park estate for the holiday. Before going to Hyde Park Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt will preside at the annual Christmas tree ceremony here for the White House staff.

Washington Papers Resume Publication

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—(AP)—Washington's four daily newspapers resumed publication today as union typographers called off a walkout that left the capital without local newspapers for 24 hours.

After being denounced by the WLB for violating labor's no-strike pledge, members of the Columbia typographical union last night voted 158 to 85 to return to work and continue efforts for settlement of the contract dispute with the Washington Publishers association.

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Gabardine Shirt
Three-button cuff, button-up collar, "gambler" shirt. In brown, tan, maroon, teal, OD colors.
3.50

Scarf
100% woolen mufflers, good and big. In plaids khaki and navy.
1.25

Sweaters
All-wool, sleeveless slip-over. Coat style and slippers, long sleeves.
3.49 to 5.95
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Glass bottles, separate \$1.68



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Jewels, clear plastic; brush, comb, and mirror sets, in traveling cases or plain.

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