

WINTER GALES STIR UP SEA

LONDON, Jan. 28—(U.P.)—Winter gales in the North Sea have churned up mines laid in deep water during the war, breaking their rusted anchor chains and bringing them to the surface, until the message has become a source of unusual anxiety to the shipping world.

Several were reported during November, and one or two in December. One actually blew up a trawler near the mouth of the Thames, hurling the men into the water.

During the war, the American forces alone laid 80,000 mines between Bergen and the Orkney Islands. Our course, according to the Nautical Magazine, only 10,000 were swept up and destroyed, leaving 20,000 "unaccounted for".

Many of them are believed by this time to be "dubs" but all shipping is warned to keep a sharp watch for them. If the nuisance spreads, the admiralty will resume its mine patrols.

Mussolini Issues Order That Girls Must Give Dowry

ROME, Jan. 28—Girls who aspire to become the wives of Italian army officers of the rank of major or lower, must be provided with dowries to insure their future husbands against poverty.

If an officer of these ranks marries a girl without a dowry, he will be dismissed under an order issued by Premier Mussolini.

The dowry system was abolished in the army about 12 years ago when the salaries of the officers reached a level at which they could conveniently support wives.

As reinstated, it sets the dowries at higher amounts for each grade than previously, although they are lower in proportion to the cost of living. The amounts vary according to rank, major's being entitled to the lowest and second lieutenants the highest.



After thirty years the International Canary Breeders' Association has developed a white canary. It is shown getting a taste of sugar from Miss June Haffner, who will send it to Mrs. Coolidge.



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