

964 PERSONS PERISHED WHEN THE EMPRESS OF IRELAND SANK IN ST. LAWRENCE RIVER

VICTIMS BODIES TAKEN TO QUEBEC IDENTIFICATION

Search of St. Lawrence for 600 Missing Victims Continued—Collier Storstad Captain Blames Fog for Disaster—All Those Rescued Were Picked Up by Collier's Boats.

QUEBEC, May 30.—Of the 964 persons who went to their death yesterday with the sinking of the liner Empress of Ireland, the bodies of more than 500 had been recovered today, search was being conducted in the St. Lawrence for others, and the living estimated at 355—were either at or en route to their homes, garbed in garments supplied by the residents of Rimouski.

Early today the bulk of the dead then recovered were placed on the government vessel Lady Grey at Rimouski to be brought to this city, pending identification. Captain Kendall of the Empress of Ireland, still suffering from his injuries, remained at the little village, from the wharves at low tide, he could see the funnels of his stricken ship gleaming above the river's surface.

Million in Silver Lost

With the Empress, it became known today, went down \$1,000,000 in silver bars, shipped from Cobalt to England.

It is the opinion in shipping circles that the Empress will either have to be bodily raised or dynamited from her position for fear that she will cause the formation of a sandbar.

The collier Storstad, that ripped open the liner's side, arrived at Quebec early this morning and proceeded slowly to Montreal, to which port her cargo of coal is consigned. Captain Anderson, while refusing to give out any extended statement, said the collision had been due solely to the suddenness with which the fog shut down on the vessels. He added that after the crash he rescued over more than 300 persons, in fact, most of those saved. Later they were transferred to the Lady Evelyn and the Eureka. The collier had in her bow above the waterline a hole large enough to admit three men erect. Her port anchor was missing, having been dragged away and sunk with the Empress.

Quebec in Mourning

The whole of Quebec mourned today, awaiting the arrival of the dead from Rimouski. Undertakers from far and near have been summoned to the city and the government dock, so called, has been converted into a morgue. High piles of coffins await the dead. They will be ranged in rows together with any scant belongings they possessed, to facilitate their identification. A few were identified at Rimouski today, but it will be long, slow work. Among those whose identification was thought to be correct was a Mrs. Gallagher of Winnipeg. Her son identified the body. There was a Gallagher, sex unstated, mentioned yesterday in the first cabin survivors.

ALFONSO WANTS TO MEET TEDDY

MADRID, May 30.—King Alfonso today received in audience Kermit Roosevelt, together with Col. Jos. E. Willard, American ambassador to Spain. Mrs. Willard and Miss Belle Wyatt Willard.

His majesty conversed for some time with Kermit Roosevelt, questioning him on his recent experiences in Brazil and listening attentively to the narrative of the explorations made by the party.

The king said he desired to meet Colonel Roosevelt when he came to Spain to attend the wedding ceremony.

The church wedding, as well as the civil wedding, is to take place on June 10, instead of June 11, owing to the latter being Corpus Christi day.

MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES HELD AT ARLINGTON

President Wilson Changes Mind and Attends Last Absence Be Misconstrued—Smoet Praises Heroes of Vera Cruz in Memorial Day Address.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—President Wilson changed his plans today and decided to attend the Memorial day exercises at Arlington National cemetery. Secretary Tammity made a statement explaining that the president "was not willing that his absence should be misconstrued."

The national capital paid today its annual tribute of flowers and eulogy to the nation's soldier dead. Official and practically all private business was suspended. Congress had adjourned for the occasion and various executive departments of the government were closed.

The principal exercises were held in Arlington National cemetery under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic.

President's Address

President Wilson was received with loud applause and said he had not come prepared to deliver a formal address, but could not refrain from saying a few words concerning those who fought for the Union.

"They do not need our praise. They do not need our admiration to sustain them," said the president. "We come not for their sake, but for our own. A peculiar privilege came to men who fought for the Union. There has been no other civil war of which I know the stings of which have been removed before the men who fought it were dead.

"I can never speak of praise of war, and I know you would not desire me to do so. There is this peculiar distinction about a soldier. He goes into an engagement out of which he can get nothing. Peace societies will be unnecessary when all public service is done in the same spirit. We admire physical courage and we also admire moral courage. The soldier has both. It requires moral courage."

Day Not Come for Peace

"It requires moral courage to enter into battle and physical courage to remain in the strike. Battles, not of arms, are often just as hard to go into and stay in as those with arms. The flag calls on us daily for service."

The speaker referred to universal peace.

"The day has not yet arrived when swords are beaten into ploughshares or spears into pruning hooks," said he, "and judging from the facts, which cannot be denied, that era of peace is out of sight in the distant future. With every nation in Europe supporting armaments of immense proportions and straining every nerve to augment them, it cannot be truthfully said the world has attained that pacific state foretold in the Gospel of the Prince of Peace."

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PARENTS LOST GIRL ARRESTED FOR CONSPIRACY

Dr. and Mrs. Winters, Father and Stepmother of Missing Catherine Winters, Imprisoned—Search of House Reveals Child's Belongings—Murder Is Suspected.

NEWCASTLE, Ind., May 30.—Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Winters, father and stepmother of Catherine Winters, aged nine, who disappeared from her home here more than a year ago were arrested on their arrival here from Indianapolis. They were charged with conspiracy to commit a felony.

It was stated that the charge of conspiracy to commit a felony had been placed against three persons under arrest merely as a means of holding them and that the charge might be changed later.

Child's Belongings Found

It was said a second search of the home of Dr. W. A. Winters, father of the girl, would be made today. Private detectives and local police officers who searched the home last night ascertained they found, sealed in the basement wall, a red hair ribbon, a red undershirt and red sweater, which had belonged to the missing child.

The red sweater, police officials declared, had holes in it which looked as if they had been burned there and the undershirt was stained as if by blood.

Cooper, a roomer at the Winters home, who was arrested, had left Newcastle the day after the girl disappeared and remained away ten days. He did not seem much surprised when arrested and declared that he could prove an alibi. He also blamed Mayor Watkins for his predicament.

Search Cost Fortune

Dr. and Mrs. Winters were in Terre Haute, where motion pictures are being shown to raise funds to further the search for Catherine.

Large sums of money have been spent in search for the child and she has been reported found in various parts of the country, but each report has proved untrue.

Catherine Winters, the ten-year-old daughter of Dr. W. A. Winters, disappeared April 29, 1913. The child had been canvassing the neighborhood in which she lived, trying to sell needles for a church society. She was last seen late in the afternoon. The police were not notified until the next day.

Catherine is the daughter of Dr. Winters by his first wife, who died several years ago. Catherine inherited \$2000 on her mother's death.

The warrants for the arrest of Dr. and Mrs. Winters and Cooper were issued by Mayor Watkins who has been a leading figure in the investigation of the disappearance of Catherine. Cooper's bond was placed at \$5000 which he was unable to furnish. The Winters' bonds have not been fixed.

W. R. Myers, county prosecutor, said today he would file affidavits

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WIFE OF MEXICAN REBEL GENERAL



Mrs. Francisco Villa, wife of the famous Mexican general, in her home, at Chihuahua City. She is only twenty-six years of age and was born in the little town of San Andres de Chihuahua, in the mountains of Mexico. She married Pancho Villa when he was a bandit and now has two automobiles, a great many diamonds and a fine home near the palace.

AMERICAN WHO KILLED RURALES HELD IN PRISON

ON BOARD U. S. S. CALIFORNIA, Mazatlan, Mex., May 30.—Officers of the cruiser Albany, who landed through the surf at Aristo to investigate the case of the American, T. J. Smith, under arrest at Tonala, found him confined in jail, but being well treated. They reported that his case was in good hands and that his family is at liberty. Smith was arrested for the killing of three rurales May 5. He told the officers of the Albany that he shot in self-defense.

Government officials at Acapulco have apologized to the American naval commander for unfriendly incidents that have occurred there. Among these was the difficulty experienced by the Pacific Mail liner San Juan in getting her clearance.

The Tehuantepec railroad, from Salina Cruz to Santa Lucetia, in the state of Vera Cruz, where it connects with the National railway to Mexico City, is open again, after a period of idleness following the seizure by Huerta. This is the only rail communication between the national capital and the Pacific coast.

EIGHT PERSONS FROM SMALL TOWNS PERISH

HOUSTON, Minn., May 30.—Eight persons from this little village of 200 people were lost on the Empress of Ireland. A telegram from the company's offices at Montreal today says they boarded the steamer and their names are not in the list of saved.

The Houston victims are: Andrew Carlson, Ulf Johnson, John Gustafson, Mrs. Alvin Carlson and four children.

WEST VIRGINIA MINERS CALLED OUT ON STRIKE

CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 30.—An official call for a strike of coal miners along the Kanawha river, Paint and Cabin creeks and Coal Point was signed today, the strike to begin Monday. About 12,000 men are involved.

ROOSEVELT SAILS FOR SPAIN TO SEE KERMIT'S WEDDING

NEW YORK, May 30.—Theodore Roosevelt, accompanied by Philip Roosevelt, a young cousin, and his eldest daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, of Cincinnati, sailed for Spain today on the steamship Olympic to attend the wedding of his son, Kermit, in Madrid on June 10, to Miss Belle Willard, daughter of the American ambassador to Spain.

The colonel said before leaving he had issued an important political statement for publication in tomorrow's papers. He added that most of his time while away will be devoted to writing an account of his South American travels.

On the steamer Colonel Roosevelt had a meeting with George W. Perkins, Alexander P. Moors of Pittsburg, Medill McCormick of Chicago, and several other progressive leaders.

EMPRESS IRELAND DISASTER SCARES OCEAN TOURISTS

LONDON, May 30.—A number of passengers who had booked berths on trans-Atlantic steamers sailing today cancelled their trips at the last moment as the result of the accident to the Empress of Ireland.

The Portland port commission has ordered a new tug and decreed that all dredging shall be thirty feet deep in front of private docks.

GHASTLY AFTERMATH OF DISASTER

QUEBEC, May 30.—Just 964 persons lost their lives when the steamer Empress of Ireland was rammed and sunk in the St. Lawrence river yesterday. Figures made public today by the Canadian Pacific railway, owner of the lost boat, showed that of the 1367 persons on board, 403 were rescued. Of the dead, 753 were passengers, 211 crew. Of the rescued, passengers numbered 291, crew 202.

When the ship sailed she carried 87 first class passengers, 153 second and 715 third, and a crew of 432.

At Rimouski the ghastly aftermath of the disaster was developing rapidly. More than 500 bodies had been landed there at an early hour and so overtaxed were the morgue facilities of the village that the

THOMAS WINNER IN FRENCH CAR AT INDIANAPOLIS

Thirty Cars Enter Race—Early Stages Marked by Serious Accidents—Dawson, Gilhooley and Mechanics Sent to Hospital—Foreign Cars Lead in Contest.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 30.—Rene Thomas, driving a French car won the fourth annual 500 automobile race here today. His time broke the record for the distance, being 6:03:45, an average of 82.47 miles an hour. This is almost four miles an hour better than Dawson's time in 1912.

Dury, also driving a French car, finished second, about three laps behind Thomas. Dury's time was 6:10:24.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 30.—The 450 mile record was broken with speed of 82.43 miles an hour. Thomas led his nearest competitor, Dury, by more than two laps. Guyot was third. Time 5:27:26.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 30.—Thirty cars, their drivers from the United States, Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy and Belgium, contested for cash prizes totalling \$50,000, at the Indianapolis motor speedway, today, in the fourth annual 500 mile automobile race.

The race was started promptly at 10 o'clock. The cars lined up in eight rows and the 30 cars, paced by a machine bearing a speedway official began jockeying for places in the flying start. The first lap did not count in the two hundred necessary to complete the race.

Thomas was leading at the completion of 50 miles by about a quarter of a lap. Christians followed in a Belgian car with Anderson in an American car close behind.

Three foreign cars were leading in the annual 500 mile automobile race today at the 200 mile mark, while the nearest American, Wishart, was in fifth place.

Dawson Injured The early stages of the race today were marked by a number of serious accidents, and Dawson, his mechanic, Gilhooley and his mechanic, were sent to the field hospital.

The crowd was the largest that has ever attended the annual event and was announced as being more than one hundred thousand.

Goux, who won last year, was running in seventh place at noon, due largely to the fact that he had to stop frequently for tires.

At the 200 mile mark the time, 2:15:15, was two minutes faster than for the same distance last year. At 250 miles, the time was 2:00:58.45, seven minutes ahead of the record for that distance.

At 300 Mile Point Thomas was leading Bolloit about a half lap at the end of 300 miles. Wishart was in third place at the time, but had to drop out in the 122 lap due to a break in his gearing. The time for the 300 miles was (Continued on page two.)

WAR AND PEACE HEROES' GRAVES ARE DECORATED

Memorial Day Quietly Spent in Jackson County—Local Exercises Under Direction of G. A. R. at Page Theater, Elks, National Guard and Others Participating in Parade.

The graves of those who died in war and peace were decorated in the cemeteries of Jackson county today by loving hands. Early this morning scores made their way to the cemeteries and placed tributes of flowers and flags upon the last resting places. A day, with just a touch of summer heat, and cloudless skies greeted the valley.

The Memorial day exercises were under the direction of the G. A. R., with Henry Metz and committee in charge of the details. The veterans spent the morning paying the annual respects to their comrades who have gone beyond. Groups of old soldiers in faded parts of uniforms highly prized as relics of bitter struggles, refought bloody battles and rehearsed war recollections wherever they met.

The parade of the veterans was held this afternoon, the stores and business houses closing. Some of the veterans who marched last year were absent, and some of those who marched were feeble from the excitement and strain. The Elks and National Guard and fraternal organizations and citizens made up the line of march.

The exercises at the Page theater were largely attended, the address of the day being delivered by Attorney B. F. Mulkey.

In every city and town of the valley the day was observed with appropriate exercises. The usual baseball games and sport programs were conspicuous by their absence.

MAJESTY CABLES GRIEF OVER DISASTER

LONDON, May 30.—King George today cabled to the Duke of Connaught, governor general of Canada: "I am deeply grieved over the awful disaster to the Empress of Ireland, in which so many Canadians lost their lives. Queen Mary and I both assure you of our heartfelt sympathy with those who mourn for the loss of relatives and friends."

To Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific railway, his majesty cabled: "In the appalling disaster which has befallen your company by the loss of the Empress of Ireland, in which so many perished, I offer you my sincere sympathy."

The king received this morning the following from Raymond Poincare, president of the French republic.

"It is with profound emotion that I learn of the terrible catastrophe in connection with the Empress of Ireland, which will plunge so many families into mourning. From my heart, I tender to your majesty the sincere regrets and keen sympathy of the French people."

DEATH MARCH OF BOYS FOR ROCKEFELLER

CHICAGO, May 30.—"A death march" of boys organized by Upton Sinclair marched on and down past the Standard Oil company's offices here today. The boys were pledged to silence and on the arm of each was crepe in memory of the strikers killed in the Colorado mining struggle.

Sinclair arrived here yesterday, and in announcing the plan, said that "something must be done to keep the Colorado situation before the public." The police ignored the demonstration.