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Washington's Attitude Towards Germany

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Official information upon which President Wilson will decide whether the sinking of the steamship Englishman and the damaging by an explosion of the Channel steamer Sussex were the results of acts in violation of international law is being gathered from every available source by consular representatives of the United States in England and France.

Despatches already received indicate that several Americans were injured or killed in the Sussex disaster. Four American citizens who were aboard the Englishman, and who were said in despatches yesterday not to be among the rescued, still are unaccounted for.

Only one despatch of importance concerning the explosion which damaged the Sussex was received by the State Department during the day. This contained an affidavit made in London at the American Embassy by two American survivors, Edward S. Huxley and Francis E. Drake, of New York. Both swore that the explosion occurred "without the slightest warning," and they credited the commander of the Sussex as saying that he saw the wake of a torpedo before it struck the vessel.

Another statement in the affidavit officials seemed to consider significant had to do with a strange sailing vessel which hovered near the Sussex after the explosion, and which, in response to signals for assistance from the Channel steamer, sailed away and disappeared.

The position of the United States will be decided upon official reports from its own officers. Should either the Sussex or the Englishman have been torpedoed, the United States would consider the act to be a most flagrant violation of the rights of humanity, the principles of international law and the broad assurances regarding the conduct of submarine warfare which have been given by the German Government. There is no evidence, or even a suggestion, that either of the ships was armed so no defence could be offered on that score.

BOY ORATOR IN FORUM.

NEW YORK, March 26.—Converse Tyler, an 11-year-old boy, whom nobody knew, who came to the meeting alone, and whose address could not be ascertained, starting the Public Forum of the church of the Ascension tonight by getting up in front of the assembly room and telling the gathering that he was heartily opposed to the pacific doctrine that had been put forward by the chief speakers of the evening.

"The topic of the evening was 'The Quaker View of Peace and Preparedness,' and the principal speakers had advanced various anti-preparedness arguments in the auditorium of the church. Dr. Percy Steinkney Grant, pastor of the church, asked any of those who wished to participate in the discussion to send up their names on cards.

"Converse Tyler" was the first name that Dr. Grant read. The audience was considerably impressed when a small boy in knickerbockers rose and sturdily marched forward to the place just below the platform. They were still more surprised when he sat himself at once to confute the arguments of the pacifists. There were other speakers in the forum both for and against preparedness, but nobody got the third out of the audience that was aroused by the boy who got up and said his say, and then quietly dodged back to the rear seat and slipped out as soon as the discussion was over.

How Thin People Can Put On Flesh

Thin men and women—that big, hearty, filling dinner you eat last night. What became of all that fat-producing nourishment, it contained? You haven't gained in weight one ounce. That food passed from your body like unburned coal through an open grate. The material was there, but your food doesn't work and stick, and the plain truth is you hardly get enough nourishment from your meals to pay for the cost of cooking. This is true of thin folks the world over. Your nutritive organs, your functions of assimilation, are probably sadly out of gear and need reconstruction. Cut out the foolish foods and funny eating habits. Cut out everything but the meals you are eating and eat with every one of those single Sargol tablets. In two weeks note the difference. Let the scales be the judge. Five to eight good solid pounds of healthy "staythere" fat may be the net result. Sargol aims to change to fresh new red blood corpuscles—to give the blood the carrying power to deliver every ounce of fat-making material in your food to every part of your body. Sargol too, mixes with your food, to prepare it for the blood in an easily assimilated form. Thin people tell how they have gained all the way from 10 to 25 pounds a month while taking Sargol and say that the new flesh stays put. Sargol tablets are a careful combination of six of the best assimilative elements known to chemistry. They come in 40-tablet packages, are pleasant, harmless and inexpensive, and all other good druggists in this vicinity sell them subject to an absolute guarantee of weight increase or money back as found in every package.

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CHIEF OF PROVINCIAL POLICE GIVES EVIDENCE IN SASKATCHEWAN CASE

DECLARED HE DREW UP PAPERS OF COMPLAINT HIMSELF, BECAUSE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE WERE UNABLE TO DO SO PROPERLY—HON. A. P. MACNAB GIVES EVIDENCE ON HIS OWN BEHALF.

REGINA, March 21.—When the Royal Commission chief of provincial police, was the first witness, the charge taken up being that against Hon. A. P. MacNab of stifling the prosecution against William Robertson, an Alaska hotel man. Mahoney produced a set of informations which Provincial Constable Collison had laid against Robertson and a later set of the same informations laid after the first were quashed. Mahoney said he had been disappointed when these informations were thrown out and instructed his officers to lay a fresh complaint, without the attorney-general's department.

Mahoney produced from the files a conviction form in regard to the second set of complaints. In regard to this he said justices of peace were frequently unable to draw up papers properly, so in this case, as in others, he had drawn them up. Asked what led to the withdrawal of the charges against Robertson he said he had no recollection and could give no evidence other than telegrams on this case. These were addressed to the Royal Northwestern Police Officer at Alaska and a justice of the peace there and both said the charges had been withdrawn by order of the Attorney-General. Asked if he had any conversation with MacNab regarding withdrawing the charges, he said he had no recollection. The Attorney-General was the only one from whom he would receive instructions. The instructions must have been verbal, he said, as there was no record of them on file.

This closed the evidence for the prosecution in the case and the defence called Attorney-General Turgeon. Mr. Turgeon said he met Robertson

in 1912, the latter being introduced to him by Hon. W. R. Motherwell. He had said nothing to lead Robertson to see Mr. MacNab.

Robertson said he was in trouble, charges having been laid. "I don't know I did not take any interest in prosecutions as we had police to do that," said Turgeon. "Did you at any time order the charges withdrawn?" "I don't think I did."

"Would you remember?" "I think I would in that case."

Mr. MacNab was then called. He saw Robertson during the session of 1912-13, he said.

DID NOT KNOW OF CHARGES.

"Robertson started to tell me his troubles. I did not know anything about even first charges. He said they were pursuing him. I never called him any name and did not say any of the things he said in his evidence yesterday. He always seemed in trouble and I had known him for ten years. I called up Mahoney or his department and asked about the case. They told me they understood the cases were to be dropped."

"Did you tell or ask them to drop the charges?" "No. I never did."

"Did you say he was a qualified fool?"

MacNab then took the witness stand over Robertson's evidence, statement by statement and MacNab denied it categorically. In regard to prosecutions against liquor license holders he said, he had once been told it was not his business to look after such matters. Asked by whom he said the Attorney-General MacNab denied he had ever said the hotel men had to support the government. He did not think they were ever interfered with in any way.

POVERTY SOCIAL AT HEARTZ MEMORIAL

The "Poverty Social" given last evening in the Heartz Memorial Hall was largely attended and was in every way a decided success. The threat of a fine for luxurious dress and extravagant ornamentation, while it resulted in a few picturesque dresses of a bygone age, had no terrors for the majority of those present and they were cheerfully paid, by the ladies for the privilege of wearing jewellery, dresses other than "washable," and "frills" of any kind. The judges contented with defining what was or was not legitimate wear and apparel for the evening were Messrs G. D. Wright and H. Black, and while their rulings were severe and relentless the fines they imposed were smilingly paid. Mrs. Hoaney and Mrs. R. C. Goff were given jurisdiction over the style of dress suitable for poverty-stricken men, whom they found in plenty, and they had the timidity to wear many articles of jewellery, boiled shirts and other extravagances unsuited to men in their position. For these extravagances they were promptly fined and the fines were exacted with ruthless severity. An impromptu program added much to the enjoyableness of the evening and the cash proceeds, it is understood, were quite satisfactory.

Enjoyable Musicales By Notre Dame Pupils

One of the most enjoyable musical recitals given in Charlottetown for a long time was that in Notre Dame Academy last evening by the convent pupils. The large hall was filled and the audience were His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor Macdonald, His Lordship Bishop O'Leary, His Worship Mayor Brown and other prominent ladies and gentlemen. The program was made up largely of harp and piano music and the manner in which the different numbers were executed reflected great credit on the performers, many of whom were of very tender age, as well as on the institution. The programme was as follows:—

Chorus—Greeting, N.D. Choir. Solo: Miss Helen McMillan. Piano—"The Egyptians," Misses H. Gallant, H. Maloney, E. Longworth and M. Connolly. Piano—"Dainty Butterfly," Misses W. McCarey, D. Hogan, J. Patterson and C. Hornby. Piano solo—"The Butterfly," Miss Mary Johnston. Vocal solo—"Mother," Miss Bertha Maloney. Piano—"Spring Song," Misses M. McIntyre, B. Huetts, M. Connolly and K. Fitzgerald. Concerting piano—Piano A: Misses M. Whear, C. Whear, M. Johnston and H. Jenkins. Piano B: Misses E. Lantz, E. Haestis, K. Fitzgerald and W. McCarey. Vocal duet—"Your Voice," Misses Hazel and Ethel Moran. Piano solo—Miss Mary Blanchard. Recitation—"One of God's Little Heroes," Miss Stella McKenna. Harp solo—Miss M. Blanchard. Piano—Misses H. Jenkins, C. Whear, E. Lantz, M. McQuaid and M. Johnston. Vocal solo—"When You Come Home," Miss Rose Ryan. Piano—Misses E. Lantz and C. Whear. Concerting piano—Piano A: Misses M. Blanchard and M. Johnston; Piano B: Misses M. Riley and M. McQuaid. Vocal solo—"Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Miss Hazel Moran. Piano—Miss Marion Whear. Recitation—"Music," Miss Hilda Jenkins. Piano—Misses M. Walsh, M. Riley, H. Towan and M. Blanchard. Vocal—"The Gypsies," Misses A. Dolron, B. Ryan, H. Moran, E. Moran, B. Maloney, Z. Atwood, C. McDonald and M. Blanchard. Concerting piano—Misses C. and M. Whear. Chorus—"A Song of Canada," Solo, Miss Ethel Moran.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT ALLIES CONFERENCE

PARIS, March 29.—The conference of the Entente Allies, which ended yesterday, adopted the following resolutions, just prior to adjournment:—

"The representatives of the Allied Governments, in conference at Paris, March 27 and 28, 1916, affirm the complete elimination of Jews and solidarity of the Allies. They confirm all the measures taken to realize unity of action on unity of front.

"They understand by that, at the same time, unity of military action, assured by the Entente, concluded between the General Staffs; unity of economic action; the organization of which the present conference has regulated, and unity of diplomatic action, which is guaranteed by their unshaken will to continue the struggle to victory for the common cause.

"The Allied Governments decide to put into practice in the economic and financial spheres their solidarity of views and interests. They charge the economic conference, which is to be held shortly in Paris, to propose for them appropriate measures for the realization of this solidarity.

"With a view to strengthen, coordinate and unify the diplomatic action to be exercised to prevent the revictualing of the enemy, the conference has decided to establish at Paris a permanent committee, in which all the Allies will be represented.

"The conference has decided: First, to continue the organization, already begun, at London, of an international central bureau of freights; second, to proceed in common and with the briefest delay, to seek practical means to appoint equitably between the Allied nations the charges for maritime transportation and check the rise in freight rates."

TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store pour a little into your hand and rub well into the scalp with the finger tips. By morning most if, not all, of this awful scurf will have disappeared. Two or three applications will destroy every bit of dandruff; stop scalp itching and falling hair.

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Every item exactly as advertised

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Made of solid hardwood golden finish, double rungs—a real good solid chair—will be sold Friday only at 50c

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Arch top Mirrors—heavy golden oak frame size of glass 9x12 inches worth 60c. Friday 35c

Arch top Mirrors, as above glass measures 12x20 inches worth 1.40. Friday 89c

\$6. Couches \$4.50

Everybody in need of a nice Couch should take advantage of this offer. 12 only will be offered at \$4.50

Buffet, China Closet, Extension Table and Set of 6 Diners

Here's a bargain for somebody—this dining room set. Its well made, nicely finished, well designed—probably just what you are looking for. See it in our window Thursday—Worth 60.00 Friday yours at \$39.00

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Every item is a genuine bargain not on sale before Friday at 9 a. m.

While we have pretty large quantities in all its items mentioned, we advertise an early call in or to avoid disappointment. If you can't come in person—write or phone and the goods will be reserved for you.

30c Pillow Cotton 22c 75c Table Linen 59c

Fine circular bleached pillow cotton—44 inch—free of dressing. Worth 30c yd. (Not more than 9 yds to a customer. Friday's price..... 22c

25c Bath Towels 18c 35c Bath Towels 24c

Large size 24x45 striped Bath Towels good quality, fast color. Worth 25c Friday each..... 18c

Pure white Bath Towels—large size 24x 45 inch—Nice quality. Worth 24c Friday..... 24c

Pure linen, all white crash toweling, 17 inch, good weight and smoothly woven. Worth 14c yd. Friday 5 yds for 53c

27c Sheetting 19c

Good strong bleached sheeting—full 2 yards wide—Regular 27c yard Friday..... 19c

10 yds 9c Cotton for 69c

500 yds only of this fine make, yard wide unbleached cotton—smooth even weave, 10 yds. only to each customer. Worth 9c yd. Friday, 10 yds for 69c

60c Ready Made Cushions 39c

These cushions are all ready for use—are covered with fancy satens well frilled. Value 60c. Friday..... 39c

15c Glass Toweling 11c

250 yds. of this 24 inch glass toweling will be sold Friday. Worth 15c yd.