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Commerce Raider in Gulf of Mexico

By Courier Leased Wire.
Galveston, Tex., April 13.—Information that a German commerce raider, in the guise of a sailing ship, has entered the Gulf of Mexico, was reported today in Galveston. This news was received from an unnamed British steamer in a radio message to a ship anchored here. The vessel is said to be equipped with auxiliary power. It also has been reported that a German submarine is operating in the eastern Gulf.

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NEWS OF NORFOLK

North Ward Residents in Simcoe Want "Delta" Beautified

EXCITING RUNAWAY
Took Place Last Evening in Simcoe

OTHER SEMCOE NEWS
Changing Weather Injures the Crops

Simcoe, April 13.—From Our Own Correspondent.—North Ward residents are at present in a good humor to have the vacant "Delta" at the gore turned into a beauty spot. They want a drinking trough for horses, at the northern point—just a plain cement one that will not be put out of order every other day by the kiddies as those down town are. They are ready too to contribute liberally to the initial cost and have the standing offer of Mr. Campbell, of Gladiola and Peony fame, to look after the detail of a flower plot. The matter was brought to the chairman of the Parks committee and probably an estimate will be obtained and placed before the council for endorsement. The total expenditure should not be much over one hundred and fifty dollars.

Almost three thousand dollars of the good cash of residents of the county has been turned into the provincial treasury already for auto licenses and the issue is only nicely under way and still the County fathers refuse to consider seriously the necessity, to say nothing of the economy of permanent main thoroughfares.

Mayor Williamson returned Wednesday evening from his tour



SERGEANT ARTHUR CROSS, Simcoe, veteran of the second contingent, wounded while at the front.

Hamilton and Toronto and to-day returned to Hamilton to attend the meeting of heads of municipalities called to make further protest against carrying the trunk provincial roadway by the northern route.

Chief Canning informed us today that up to the present only four owners of canines had paid the dog tax. For the information of our Simcoe readers we will give from week to week a list of names registered so that our citizens may know after May 1st whether that dog across the way has a license to bark all night and scratch flower borders out of all day, and incidentally relieve the Chief of the charge that all the taxes are not collected. The question arises however, how will a tag on the collar stop the barking and the scratching and all the other ungentlemanly conduct of the canines. Some citizens here are beginning to raise a hue and cry against a cat nuisance as they term it, which is not generally prevalent here. It is pointed out that cats as well as boys destroy birds. It may be said that the canine does so when hungry and that those of our citizens who are in the habit of attempting to grow a few garden peas, or sweet peas for that matter would be pleased if the cats would stay on the job. Leaving the rat and mouse consideration out of the question it might be suggested that possibly a new creation with only horses, cows, sheep and swine as quadrupeds would be an improvement on the present order of things.

Hoodlums frequenting Lynwood Park, have been amusing themselves by wrecking the permanent seats and rolling some of the movable ones down the hillsides.

Smashing Runaway.
Runaways in Simcoe, are of more or less frequent occurrence. There was a good one for excitement lovers about six o'clock last evening, when a team belonging to Mr. Finkle, a junk dealer, attached to a load of scrap and left standing untied in front of Max Ruhm's dry-goods store, made a dash east along Robinson street, past the intersection of Kent, safely, and on to Norfolk. Going too rapidly to make the turn they crashed into the electric light pillar at the corner of the H. S. Fall's block, smashing off the pillar and landing, sprawling, high on the elevated sidewalk there. So great was their speed that but for the height of the curb, they would doubtless have gone into the store by the plate glass route. Strange to say, neither animal was badly hurt. One of them, known by many of the crowd that gathered, is said to be the same animal that kicked and killed John Olds about two years ago. The owner will appear in Court presently on a charge of leaving his horses untied on the street.

Mr. Oliver Uptegrove, of Brantford, was in town yesterday to see his brother, who has already added more than a week to what the doctors consider the time he could possibly hold out.

Sebring's store front has been given a new dress of paint. Jno. McNally has completely filled the ravine at the south end and historic residence in the north ward. The town water wagon was out today for the first time this season.

Successful alternation of night frost and bright sunshine by day, is working havoc in the fall wheat, most of which, though sown late, wintered well, and gave good promise till a few days ago. Some oats and peas have been sown not far from town.

Mr. C. A. Shaver, formerly of the Owen Sound Collegiate Institute, has been engaged as classical master of the High School for the remainder of the academic year. Mr. Shaver has just completed a post-graduate course at Queen's University.

Pte. Patterson, formerly of Stanley street, was yesterday reported as wounded.

Pte. Stanley Wakeford, reported ill, is severely wounded, and now convalescent in an English hospital. His father, who also is in service, writes to say that his son was severely injured by a rifle bullet.

Pte. Bradley is home from the hospital at Toronto, awaiting discharge. One hand is still badly crippled, but the thigh wound has healed up.

Mr. Uptegrove passed a quiet vigil last night and there is no change in his condition today.

Mrs. W. J. Sutton is still very low but somewhat better than on Saturday when her condition was considered critical.

The owner of yesterday's runaway team will pay some \$30 or \$35 to replace the Hydro pillar broken down by his horses.

Miss Goodland and Miss Brown of the H. S. staff, and Chairman A. M. Monroe, of the board of education, reached home last night from attendance at the O. E. A. convention.

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White Cotton Nightgowns

Ladies' White Cotton Nightgowns, slip over high neck styles, lace and embro. trimmed, worth \$1.00, special at..... 79c

Children's Black Sateen Drapers, sizes 2 to 8 years, special at..... 35c

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Silk Specials for Saturday

\$2.50 Black Duchess Satin, 36 inches wide, special..... \$2.00

300 yards Chiffon Taffeta Silk, 36 inches wide, in black, navy, rose, residia, saxe, brown, nigger, Russian green, worth to-day \$2.00, Special for..... \$1.50

36 in. wide Paillette Silk, in black, navy, alicie, grey, topue, nigger, alicie, saxe, worth \$1.75, Special at..... \$1.25

Shantung Silks, 42c
Natural Color Shantung Silk, 37 inches wide, nice even thread, worth 65c., special at..... 42c

Crepe de Chine Waists, \$3.98
Silk Crepe de Chine Waists in white, flesh maize, rose, worth \$5.00, special at..... \$3.98

Habitai Silk Bargains

Habitai Silk, 75c
White Habitai Silk, 36 in. wide, suitable for Underwear, Middies and Waists, special at 59c

Habitai Silk, 75c
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A Bargain in Hemmed Pillow Cases, 35c Pair

10 dozen Hemmed Pillow Cases in 40 and 42 in. sizes, good quality of Cotton, special on Saturday 35c at, per pair..... 35c

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Checked Tea-Towelings, in red and blue check, 20 inches wide, special at yd..... 12 1-2c

Curtain Voiles, 29c yard
Lace Voile and Spot Voiles, 36 and 40 in. wide, suitable for bedroom curtains, sale in the staple Dept., at yard..... 29c

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54 in. wide All Wool Navy Serge, old dye, for Suits, Coats or Odd Skirts and worth \$2.25, Special at..... \$1.75

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40 inches wide All Wool Serge in black, green, brown, topue, worth 90c., special at..... 60c

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White Sheetting, 29c yd.

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W. W. CORY, Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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Furniture Auction Sale

At 227 Drummond street, opposite Recreation Park, on Monday, April 16, commencing at 1:30 p.m. there will be sold by public auction, the following goods: Brussels Rugs 9x12; jardiniere stand, 6-piece walnut parlor suite, 16 yards linoleum, Radiant Home coal heater, wicker oven, velour couch, marble table, solid mahogany plate rack oak sideboard, six oak diners, extension table, four extra heavy couch, 8-day clock, cupboard, Pitt National oak range, drop-leaf table, chairs, linoleum, a choice lot of plants, 2 dressers, iron and brooms, beds, springs, mattresses, covered toilet sets, lace curtains and blue portieres, 2 arm chairs, 1 oak rockers, pictures, all glassware, dishes, tinware, kitchen utensils, screen doors, garden tools, trivets, quantity of lumber and such, many other articles.

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