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Likely Many Lives Lost in Collision in the Irish Channel Steamships Connemara and Retriever Crash Together At Night

Only One Survivor Left To Tell The Tale, Says Report--Both Vessels Sunk--Bodies Washed Ashore on Coast at County Down

London, Nov. 4.—The London and Northwestern Railway steamer Connemara bound from Greenore to Holyhead with passengers, collided with another vessel last night, and it is feared that the death toll is about 300.

The Connemara, 1,106 tons gross, and 272 feet long, was built in Dumbarton in 1896. The Retriever was 190 feet long of 674 tons gross and was built in Goole, England, in 1909.

French Liner Beats Off An Attack by Submarine

Toulon, Nov. 4.—The French liner Doukkala reports an attack upon her by a submarine which she beat off after a fight lasting three quarters of an hour conducted at a range of 6,000 yards.

HOME FROM FRONT TO JOIN BAND OF 236TH

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 4.—Richard Gregory, wounded while with a western battalion, arrived here today to become sergeant drummer of the 280th brass band.

LAST SPEECHES OF CAMPAIGN IN STATES TODAY

Hughes Finishes in New York; Wilson at Shadow Lawn

Enemy Retreat in Jiu Valley Continues

Petrograd, Nov. 4.—The continued retreat of the Austro-German forces in the Jiu Valley on the southern Transylvanian front, was announced today by the war office.

TUNNEL UNDER DOCK STREET TO PREVENT BREAKING PAVEMENT

A new method of repairing a water main was used by the water and sewerage department yesterday when a leak was discovered in Dock street.

NO WORD YET OF JAS. H. MABEE, "MISSING"

A cable from the record office in London was received on Thursday by George Hampton, who is in charge of the Canadian government police at West St. John, informing him that there still is no news of his son-in-law, Private James Mabee, who has been reported missing since September 17.

THE LATEST BETTING

New York, Nov. 4.—Candidates for the United States presidential election and prominent campaign orators in general will make their last spoken appeals for votes today.

POLICE COURT

A part of this morning's session of the police court was characterized by a denial by the police magistrate in reference to a statement in an evening paper attributed by a reporter to him relative to some remarks concerning the number of young girls and boys in the streets at night.

THINK 222ND WILL BE QUARTERED IN CARLETON

No further word was received in the city this morning regarding the 222nd Battalion, which is expected here on Monday.

VILLA'S MEN IN RAID

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 4.—Death to Americans was the cry of the Villa bandits who charged down from the foothills of Aguna upon a Mexican Central passenger train on Monday night.

ANTI-CONSCRIPT MAJORITY REDUCED

Melbourne, Australia, Nov. 4.—While returns from the conscription referendum are still incomplete, the majority in opposition to the proposition is being reduced daily.

SIXTY MEN ARE LOCKED IN MINE BY EXPLOSION

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 4.—Sixty or more men are entrapped in the Bessemer mines of the Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron Company, twenty miles west of Birmingham, as the result of an explosion.

NINE MORE ST. JOHN LADS READY TO BE JACK TARS

Nine applications were received this morning at naval recruiting office—six are St. John boys—Albert Lasky, Ed. Harrison, George R. Oran, Francis Gerald Lowrie, Arthur Cyril Kennedy, Thomas Burke, Edmund Wallace, Willie Harris and Henderson Mason.

CRANKING AUTO: HIS ARM BROKEN

William Triffo, son of Fred H. Triffo, manager of the Gem Theatre, met with a painful accident yesterday. While he was cranking a car, the crank-handle flew back and broke his arm at the wrist in two places.

WAR NOTES

A census of the German empire is to be taken on December 1 in the interests of the war feeding department and the army administration.

NEWS OF MARITIME

Ward Paterson, famous football star during his career at the University of New Brunswick, and who achieved success as a school teacher in the province and later as a lawyer in the west, passed through Moncton this week en route overseas with the Universities' Battalion.

CANADIAN COLORS AT HIS ABBEY



After marching through London, the colors of the 146th Ontario Infantry Abbey.

THE MARKET

That "Turkey is still scarce in the local market" is the report today. With an advance in the price of eggs as an exception, last week's prices are prevailing.

MILK CAN CASES

In the police court yesterday the milk can case of Frank Garson was dismissed. U. J. Sweeney represented the defendant. The defendant was Frank Garson of 50 Hagan street.

ROYAL ALLY BEREAVED

Youngest Son of King of Rumania Succumbs to Typhoid

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Sturges, part director of meteorological service. Synopsis—The weather has been fair over the Dominion since yesterday except that local rains have occurred in the maritime provinces and British Columbia; also near Lake Superior.

NEW COMMANDER OF FORCES IN IRELAND

London, Nov. 4.—According to the Yorkshire Herald, the government has decided to recall Major-General Sir John Maxwell from Ireland, where he is in command of the British forces, and to be succeeded by Lieutenant-General Bryan Mahone, lately in command on the western frontier of Egypt.

VICTORY OVERWHELMING AND INDISPUTABLE

London Times' Answer to "Inopportune Suggestion" by Two M. P's

TODAY IN WALL STREET (J. M. Robinson & Sons, Private Wire New York, Nov. 4.—Syndicate headed by National City Company completes negotiations for loan of \$50,000,000 to Russia. Dun's reports failures in the United States this week at \$75 against 296 last week and 850 last year. Bradstreet's says over-production is still out of the question as the country's plants are undermanned and at the same time consumption is of enormous volume. Twenty industrial up 28; twenty non-industrial up 19.