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REPORTS DEALT WITH THE WORK OF THE YEAR

Annual Meeting of Local Council of Women Being Held This Afternoon

The Various Societies Affiliated With the Council Have Done Much Valuable Work During the Year—Report of the Secretary Discusses Supervised Playgrounds, the Fight Against the White Plague and Other Matters.

The annual meeting of the local Council of Women is being held this afternoon. Reports are to be submitted by the various officers as well as from the affiliated societies.

The Secretary's Report

The secretary's annual report showed that there had been four executive and five general meetings during the year. It noted with pleasure the election to life membership in the National Council of Miss Grace Leavitt.

Other Reports

Mrs. John S. MacLaren, for the ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphan Asylum, submitted their report, which showed 30 children in the institution, three being 24 girls and 15 boys.

The summer and winter examinations had resulted very creditably. Thanks were extended to all those who kindly donated at Thanksgiving and Christmas.

WILL SUBMIT IT TO HAGUE

British, Canadian and Newfoundland Governments Will Refer the Fisheries Question to Arbitration.

Washington, Jan. 25.—An agreement has been reached between secretary Root and the British, Canadian and New Foundland governments through their respective envoys here, on the Newfoundland fisheries question to be submitted to the Hague Court for arbitration.

FUNERALS

Mrs. Mary E. Hancock was buried at 2:30 p. m. from her late residence, Queen street, at Fernhill. The services were conducted by Rev. W. W. McMaster.

On the arrival of the Fredericton train at St. John this morning, the body of Mrs. Sarah Stephenson was conveyed to Cedar Hill cemetery, Rev. J. M. Parker officiating.

GREAT DETECTIVE STORY

A Mysterious Disappearance By GORDON HOLMES WILL BEGIN IN THE TIMES Tomorrow

THE PERFECT DISCIPLINE SAFE FOR HUNDREDS OF LIVES SATURDAY'S DISASTER

What Might Have Proved Most Horrible Accident in History of Atlantic Coast Was Turned Into an Everlasting Testimonial to Bravery and Intelligence

In a Raging Sea and a High Wind Hundreds of Shivering Passengers Were Transferred From the Steamers Republic and Florida to the Baltic and Brought Safely to New York—Not a Trace of Panic But Six Lives Were Lost—S. S. Republic Sunk in Deep Water, May Be a Total Loss.

New York, Jan. 25.—The White Star liner Baltic, bearing 1,600 passengers from the steamship Republic and Florida which were in collision on Saturday, was anchored off the Ambrose Channel Lightship at the entrance to New York harbor early today, waiting for the fog to lift, to make her way into port.

Perfect Discipline on the S. S. Republic

Mr. Hoover added "There was very little panic aboard the Republic, although many came on deck in their nightdresses. The discipline of the crew was perfect. Three of the compartments of the Republic were flooded. This is not going to keep my wife and me from making our trip. Telegraph to Spokane that we are all right."

First Direct Story of Marine Disaster

Quarantine, N. Y., Jan. 25.—At the White Star liner Baltic, lay at anchor in the darkness, three miles east of the Ambrose Channel lightship this morning, according to the transfer of passengers from the two stricken vessels listed here.

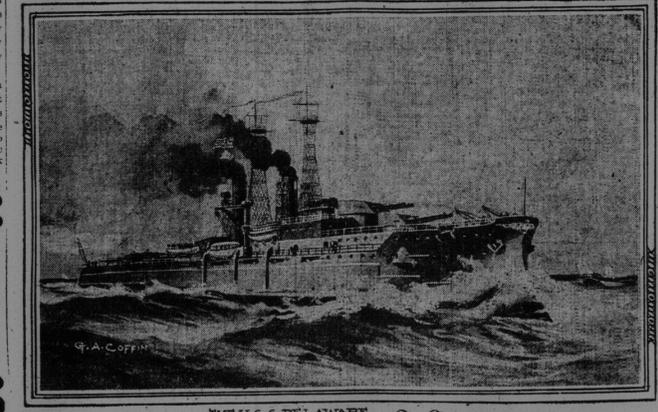
Frightened Passengers Were Safely Taken Off

Mr. Hoover in response to queries through the megaphone gave a graphic account of the safe transfer of the passengers from the Republic and later of the same operation from the Florida.

Republic Lies in Deep Water

Grayhead, Mass., Jan. 25.—The revenue cutter Gresham, which was assisting in towing the steamer Republic, together with the Destroyer Seneca, when the White Star liner made her final plunge beneath the waves of Nantuxet Lightship last evening, arrived at Menemsha Bight at 4 a. m. today, and anchored.

United States Largest Battleship



QUESTIONS THE WISDOM OF EMPLOYING SPOTTERS

Rev. Fr. Carney, of Fredericton, Says He Does Not Believe Temperance Cause is Helped by It

He Says It Tends to Induce Perjury and Cites a Fredericton Scott Act Case Where Witnesses on One Side or the Other Assuredly Perjured Themselves—Fredericton Boy Marries in Brooklyn—General News.

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 25.—(Special)—New York papers on Friday last published announcements of the wedding of Dr. Frank D. Phinney, of Cincinnati, to Miss Florence Voorhes, daughter of the late Rev. W. H. Voorhes, of New York.

A GREAT REVIVAL FIRE IN FACTORY PLANNED FOR BOSTON

An Organized Fight Against Sin Will be Carried Into All the Slums, Saloons, Dives, and Every Place Showing Chance to Do Good.

Boston, Jan. 25.—With a grand song service in which 2,000 choristers took part, one of the largest evangelistic meetings ever held, was opened here today.

MRS. GRAY IS DEAD

Lawrence, Mass., Woman Beaten by Robbers Passed Away This Morning.

MURDER TRIAL OPENED TODAY

Case Against Napoleon Rivet Was Opened at Lowell This Morning.

NO ACTUAL NEWS OF THAT EARTHQUAKE

St. Petersburg, Jan. 25.—No actual news yet has been received here of the earthquake, which was recorded so extensively throughout Europe last Saturday.

LANGFORD AND JOHNSON

San Francisco, Jan. 25.—According to a statement made by Joseph Woodman, manager, Sam Langford expects to leave for London about March 1, to prepare for a match with Jack Johnson, before the London fight promoters have called Woodman that he can draw on them for expenses whenever he is ready.

U. S. GOVERNMENT WORKING TO SAVE NATURAL WEALTH

Washington, Jan. 25.—The personnel of the joint committee to represent the states and the federal government to make plans for further work for the conservation of the resources of the country has been announced by Gifford Pinchot.

CAPT. KING RECOVERING

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Jan. 25.—Capt. Roy King, of Perth Amboy, N. J., who overcame by coal gas in the cabin of the barge Boston, was reported to be recovering today.