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Norwegian Steamer Goes Ashore On Briar Island Ledge

500, 230 WOUNDED IN GERMANY

TUG RUSHES TO AID OF FREIGHTER

Big Vessel Frees Self and is on the Way to St. John.

DETAILS LACKING

The Margaret A. Hackett is Sent Out to Give Assistance.

The Norwegian steamer M. H. Kongshavn, bound here from Philadelphia in ballast, ran ashore on the southwest ledge of Briar Island this morning, and was later refloated and is now on her way to St. John, according to advices received by various interests here. She is expected to arrive in port about 6 o'clock tonight. The causes of her grounding and details of any possible damage sustained by the steamer are as yet unknown. The first word of the accident was received about 9.30 o'clock by J. C. Chesley, local agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, in a telegram from Westport, N. S., advising that an unknown steamer had grounded on the southwest ledge. Mr. Chesley immediately ordered the C. G. S. Acadia, which was at Westport, to hasten to the scene and render any assistance possible.

Tug Is Despatched

At the same time the news was communicated to the St. John Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Co., and the big ocean-going tug, Margaret A. Hackett, was despatched to the assistance of the steamer.

About 11.30 o'clock word was received at the office of Nagle & Wigmore to the effect that the steamer was the M. H. Kongshavn and that she had succeeded in freeing herself from the ledge and was then proceeding to St. John. An effort was made to stop the tug Margaret A. Hackett, but she had already steamed past Partridge Island and attempts to signal her were unsuccessful.

Steamer Is Freed

The wireless operator at Red Head made several unsuccessful attempts to get in touch with the Norwegian. She was evidently not equipped with wireless or else was without the services of an operator. Later, however, messages were received at the Red Head indicating that the vessel was freed and was proceeding under her own steam to St. John. It is anticipated the tug Margaret A. Hackett will stand by and return to port with the steamer.

The M. H. Kongshavn was coming from Philadelphia in ballast to load potatoes and general cargo for Havana. She is consigned to Nagle & Wigmore.

SMUGGLING ALIENS

Charge Against Two Men at Niagara Falls—Big Operations Alleged.

Niagara, Falls, Oct. 25.—Samuel Koplas and Bogis Granich were charged for the Federal jury yesterday on charges of smuggling five aliens from Canada into the U. S., natives of Jugoslavia until recently residents of Ireland, Ont.

Racing Schooners Nearing Halifax

Halifax, Oct. 25.—With news from Lunenburg and Gloucester this morning advising that both the Bluenose and Columbia are now on the high seas bound for Halifax, the international series to decide the next holder of the international fishing schooner race trophy takes definite form. The race will be sailed, conditions being favorable, next Monday morning off Halifax harbor.

Uncle to Prison For Horsewhipping Girl

Belmont, N. Y., Oct. 25.—John K. Meineka, a wealthy hardware merchant of Belfast, was sentenced to serve a year in the Monroe County Penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$500 for horsewhipping Lillian Wood, his 19-year-old niece and ward, who is a school teacher.

LINER RESCUES 13 FROM BURNING SHIP

Lifeboat From President Wilson Saves Schooner's Crew Off Azores.

New York, Oct. 25.—The steamship President Wilson of the Consolch Line, which left New York for Naples on Oct. 11, rescued the Captain and twelve members of the crew of the Portuguese schooner Portuense, which was on a fire off the Azores, according to a radio message received here by agents of the line. The schooner was shortly after dark last Saturday the lookout man on the President Wilson reported flames and smoke on the horizon off the starboard bow, and Captain Roberto Starupich, the master of the ship, immediately gave orders to the officer of the watch to alter the course toward the burning vessel. When the steamer was within less than half a mile of the Portuense she stopped, and a lifeboat, in command of the first officer, was rowed over to the schooner. Her crew were huddled in the aft part of the vessel as a mass of flames, and the heat was so great that the men had to drop down into the lifeboat over the catheads instead of in the waist of the ship.

BOMB KILLS SIX

Notorious Leader Is Among Killed By Blast in British India.

Lahore, B. I., Oct. 25.—Six persons, including Dhanna Singh, the notorious leader of the Babar, Akalis, Sikh Zealots, were killed today by the explosion of a bomb near Hoshiarpur. While Superintendent of Police Horton, with his assistant, Jenky, was arresting Dhanna Singh, a bomb which the latter had no intention of abandoning exploded, blowing Dhanna and five policemen to pieces and injuring Superintendent Horton, his assistant and another policeman.

Wire Briefs

Moncton, Oct. 25.—Bank clearings here this week were \$890,610.

New England—Partly cloudy and somewhat cooler tonight and Friday; moderate to fresh southwest winds, shifting to west and northwest.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 25.—With pouring rain and on a field of mud, Dalhousie and St. Francis Xavier rugby teams played to a scoreless tie here yesterday in the eastern section of the Int-collegiate Rugby League.

Buenos Aires, Oct. 25.—The Anglo Persian Oil Company has decided to give up its business in Argentina after spending more than one million pounds sterling in prospecting work, according to the Herald.

Sofia, Oct. 25.—Bulgaria's military air force was wiped out by an accident on an aviation field near this city when the sole military plane left to Bulgaria by the treaty of Neuilly was wrecked. Two officers were killed.

Amherst, N. S., Oct. 25.—M. R. Anderson, secretary, and Harry Slater, treasurer of the Springhill Mine, will represent that body at the M. P. A. U. in Moncton today. They seem to be favorable to the six months residence clause.

RUMBOAT WRECKED, THEN BURNS

Nova Scotia Captain Tells of Battle With Seas.

SURRENDER ARMS

Drop Torch in the Hold as a Rescue Ship Arrives.

(Canadian Press.)

New York, Oct. 25.—Furies of the deep stirred by the northeast gale that blew from Monday night until noon yesterday, took toll in ships on the high seas and swept a destructive hand along the Atlantic shore. The William S. MacDonald, an adventurous alcohol carrying schooner from La Have, N. S., battered by the gale through the night, was set adrift and abandoned by her crew of seven, 18 miles off Sandy Hook. The crew were rescued by the tanker San Manuel.

Into Port Battered.

Numerous trans-Atlantic steamers buffeted and damaged by the seas, reported they would be delayed many hours in reaching port. The Lacombe, from Southampton, the San Juan, from Porto Rico, the Maracabo from Venezuela, and the Frederick VIII from Christiania, the day's arrivals, were battered and damaged to some extent. The Maracabo had lost part of her ralling.

HOLD REVENUE MEN AS BOOTLEGGERS

Pennsylvania State Constables Take Eight in Distillers' Warehouse.

Doylstown, Pa., Oct. 25.—Eight United States Internal Revenue agents detailed to regulate the \$2,000,000 stock of liquor stored in the warehouses of the Philadelphia Pure Rye Whisky Distilling Company at Edlington, Bucks county, were arrested this afternoon by three of the Pennsylvania State constabulary.

Mountain Passes Closed By Snow

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Snow overpreads the states on the eastern slope and in the foothill region of the Rocky Mountains; rain, snow and colder weather are reported from various sections of the northwest, and lower temperatures are forecast to penetrate to the lower Ohio Valley and Tennessee by tomorrow.

Fireman Called to Own Home; Father Dies

New York, Oct. 25.—Leo Hennigan, lieutenant of a Brooklyn engine company, led his men in fighting fire that threatened destruction of the apartment building in which his own home was located.

Man Killed in Cave-in Near Yarmouth, N. S.

Yarmouth, N. S., Oct. 25.—Nehemiah Crowell was instantly killed by a cave-in of earth and stone at a pit at Wood Brook on Tuesday. Harvey Stoddard of Bear Point was seriously injured and William Goodwin and M. Loye of Wood Brook were slightly injured. The pit was used to supply material for highway work.

Theatre Sentence And Judge's Tickets

Chicago, Oct. 25.—My husband never failed to show up for Mrs. Henry Gallagher in the court of domestic relations.

RECALLS VISION OF ANDREW CARNEGIE

Lloyd George Praises Iron Master and Repeats Urge to United States.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 25.—Andrew Carnegie's vision of peace among nations is an opportune one to recall, said Lloyd George in an address here last night. He described the late steel magnate as a man who combined with great business ability, great strength of character and great vision.

MERGES TWO LARGE PAPERS OF LONDON

Beaverbrook Joins Pall Mall Gazette and Evening Standard on Monday.

London, Oct. 25.—(Canadian Press.)—London's historic evening paper, the Pall Mall Gazette, will merge with the Evening Standard on Monday.

Mine Commission Meets in Springhill

Amherst, N. S., Oct. 25.—A commission is meeting at Springhill today to investigate ways and means of preventing bumps in the coal mines, such as one that occurred a few weeks ago when two of the Springhill miners were killed.

Mussolini Given Shock at Horse Show

Rome, Oct. 25.—According to a Turin dispatch to Messaggero, six grenades exploded at a military horse show in Turin in the presence of Premier Mussolini.

Priest Puts Ban on Confetti at Weddings

Lawrence, Oct. 25.—The Rev. James T. O'Reilly, pastor of St. Mary's Church has just placed a ban on the throwing of rice and confetti at marriages at that church and its missions.

CIRZON IS ATTACKED BY LEITER

British Minister and Rich Chicago Relatives at Odds.

CHARGE IN COURT

International Marriage is Bringing About Tangle Over Finances.

(Canadian Press.)

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Charles Cirzon, brother-in-law of Lord Curzon, Great Britain's Minister of Foreign Affairs, is trying to oust him as trustee of the estate of his father, the late L. Z. Leiter, because he refused to permit Lord Curzon to have his own way, have been made by Joseph Leiter, prominent Chicago grain operator. He said Lord Curzon had used money belonging to his daughter.

DOG ATTACKS FOUR IN LYNN OUTSKIRTS

Police and Citizens Scour Woods in Vicinity for Savage Hound.

Boston, Oct. 25.—A squad of Lynn police, aided by a corps of citizens, have been scouring the Lynn Woods towards the north end of the city, and a hound which bit at least four persons. The dog is still at large.

ATTACKS 3 GROUPS IN KLAN ADDRESS

Imperial Wizard Defines Attitude to Negroes, Jews and Catholics.

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 25.—Klan Day at the Texas State Fair attracted more than 300,000 persons, Secretary Stratton estimated last night. It was estimated that of this number upwards of 20,000 were Klansmen.

FEAR TWO DROWNED

Father and Son Missing Near Shawing Falls Since October 13.

Montreal, Oct. 25.—Missing since October 13, it is now feared that L. A. Watson, 24, former McGill student, employed with a firm of Montreal accountants, and his father have been drowned in the Cascades near La Gabelle.

Upper Silesia Strike Proclaimed

London, Oct. 25.—A despatch to the Daily Graphic from Oppeln, says a general strike was proclaimed throughout Upper Silesia Wednesday.

Underwood Gets After Nomination

Nocona, Texas, Oct. 25.—Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama opened his campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination here yesterday.

Makes Mars Mad!



Following destruction of all of Germany's big guns under terms of the reparations treaty, allied forces are now putting 'finishing touches' on what was once the Krupp proving grounds at Essen. Photo shows some neat work on Big Bertha turrets, lying amid their shelled and dynamited ruins.

May Open Path To Million For Nine Year Old Boy In Boston

Boston, Oct. 25.—Through the resignation of Bruce Evans, Jr., as guardian of an estate of more than a million dollars, left by his maternal grandfather, Wm. H. A. Fraser, of Ottawa.

Run Running In U. S. Discussed

London, Oct. 25.—Run-running in U. S. territorial waters and the treaty-making rights of the British Dominions came before the expert committee of the Imperial Conference today.

Jury Disagree In Case of Thomas M. Hayes in Halifax

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 25.—Failing to agree upon a verdict after deliberating for five hours and forty-five minutes, the jury in the case of Thomas M. Hayes, former secretary of the Halifax Housing Commission, charged with embezzlement of funds in the vicinity of \$3,700, returned to court yesterday afternoon and was discharged by Mr. Justice Ritchie.

Weather Report

Toronto, Oct. 25.—The disturbances which were centred in Pennsylvania yesterday now covers the Ottawa Valley and pressure is highest over the northwest states. Rain has fallen from Lake Huron to the Maritime Provinces, heavily in most localities and night snow has occurred in the vicinity of Winnipeg.

Occasional Rain.

Maritime—Fresh south and southwest winds, unsettled, with occasional rain today and Friday. Gulf and North Shore—Strong east to south winds, occasional showers today and on Friday.

Highest during 8 a. m. yesterday night

Table with 2 columns: Location and Temperature. Locations include Victoria, Winnipeg, Montreal, St. John, Halifax, and New York.

12 POLICE ARE KILLED IN RIOTS

Communists and Officers Battle for Two Days in Hamburg

WOMEN WOUNDED

Two Republican Newspaper Plants are Destroyed at Rathaus.

(By Canadian Press.)

FOUR MEN KILLED

Cologne, Oct. 25.—Four men were killed and seventeen men and women wounded here late yesterday in the course of food rioting in the district inhabited by the workmen. The police resorted to arms when women demonstrators disregarded an order to disband.

PLAN COMMISSION

Trier, Oct. 25.—The separatists, having occupied the Rathaus, now propose the appointment of a commission to control food prices. The plants of two newspapers opposed to the republicans have been demolished.

Republic Proclaimed

Coblenz, Oct. 25.—The Rhineland republic was proclaimed today at Andernach, ten miles northwest of Coblenz. It was proclaimed also at Alzweiler, near Coblenz, as well as at Soden, Birel and Gaiselstein, small towns situated respectively in the districts of Wiesbaden, Bonn and Rudesheim.

Marching on Berlin

London, Oct. 25.—A central News despatch received from Berlin shortly after three a. m. says large bands of Communists are marching on the German capital and that the Reichstag has been ransacked to intercept them.

Police Attack Palace

Aix La Chapelle, Oct. 25.—The police today attacked the Regierung Palace in the hands of the separatists. Five policemen and two separatists were killed during the fusillade.

Claim Area Control

Duren, Oct. 25.—The separatists in Duren say they have complete control of this area of the North Rhineland. More than 600 of their men they assert are stationed in the Rathaus and other public buildings here, which are being administered by ex-army men.

Only officers are permitted to have arms, the explanation being that they are responsible for the public safety.

The police have been disarmed and red armbands went about Duren today unadorned.

Burgomaster Averhus refused to surrender when the Republicans arrived and was taken from his home. He is now a prisoner in the hands of the separatists.

Election Results Please Premier

London, Oct. 25.—Premier Mackenzie King is greatly pleased with the result of the North Winnipeg election yesterday when Hon. E. J. McMurray, solicitor general, was returned in the by-election associated by Mr. McMurray's recent elevation to the solicitor generalship.

Premier King on learning today of Mr. McMurray's election, said he was pleased not only with the splendid majority by which the new solicitor general had been returned to Ottawa, but because now for the first time in the history of Canada, the nine provinces of the Dominion were represented in her cabinet council.

George Kinnon, one of the best known livestock breeders in Saskatchewan, is dead at Rochester, Minn. He was born in Guelph, Ont., in 1868.