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RUNAWAY TORPEDO TURNS ON GUNNERS

Fired From a Sunboat in Peconic Bay, the Projectile Shoots Back to the Vessel.

SAG HARBOR, L. I., April 29—More than forty lives were imperiled today when a dirigible torpedo fired from the E. W. Bliss, a gunboat, at the experiment station of the Bliss Manufacturing Company, in Peconic Bay, three miles from here, ran wild and turning in its tracks headed back at the vessel toward the craft on which were the men who had fired it. Luckily, a coal barge lay between the projectile and the gunboat and it plunged into this, tearing a big hole in its side and putting it out of commission.

Around the gunboat were Lieutenant Helver, of the ordnance department of the United States navy, who is superintending torpedo tests for the government, Frank W. Leavitt, inventor of the torpedo, Edward Scribner, commanding the boat, and nearly two score men from the works of the Bliss Company, which is under contract to supply dirigible torpedoes for battle ships. The craft itself is little more than a shell of steel, its walls about five-eighths of an inch thick, and as it was anchored fore and aft there would have been little chance of escape had the torpedo penetrated its side.

The tests are made over a range of three thousand yards and the torpedoes are supposed to make thirty-five knots under five feet of water. They are propelled by compressed air at a pressure of 2,200 pounds to the square inch, and have turbine engines and gyroscopic steering gear. Each is valued at \$8,000.

Several torpedoes had been fired successfully before the casualty occurred. When another was tried, it shot forward three hundred feet, stopped suddenly for a second, and whirling around in a semi-circle, darted back with its huge point levelled straight at the gunboat.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. John E. Suggs and child left last evening for New York, to join her husband and reside there.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.
(Paraphrased by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker, St. John, N. B., May 1, P.M. Sat.)

Amalg. Copper	77 1/2	77 1/2
Anacosta	46 1/2	46 1/2
Am. Smelt. and Ref.	90 1/2	90 1/2
Am. Car Foundry	51 1/2	51 1/2
Am. Woolen	34 1/2	34 1/2
Atchafalaya	107 1/2	107 1/2
Atchafalaya	95 1/2	95 1/2
Am. Locomotive	56 1/2	56 1/2
Brook. Rfd. Trans.	78 1/2	78 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	114 1/2	114 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	75 1/2	75 1/2
Canadian Pacific	117 1/2	117 1/2
Colo. F. and Iron	29 1/2	29 1/2
Den. and Rio. G.	51 1/2	51 1/2
Gen. Electric Co.	139 1/2	139 1/2
Gen. Electric	128 1/2	128 1/2
Erie	31 1/2	31 1/2
Erie, First Pfd.	49 1/2	49 1/2
Erie, Second Pfd.	40 1/2	40 1/2
Kansas and Texas	44 1/2	44 1/2
Great Northern	143 1/2	143 1/2
Louis. and Nashville	140 1/2	140 1/2
Missouri Pacific	73 1/2	73 1/2
N. Y. Central	129 1/2	129 1/2
Ont. and Western	49 1/2	49 1/2
Reading	147 1/2	147 1/2
Pennsylvania	136 1/2	136 1/2
Rock Island	29 1/2	29 1/2
St. Paul	149 1/2	149 1/2
Southern Ry.	29 1/2	29 1/2
Southern Ry. Pfd.	70 1/2	70 1/2
Solo. F. and Iron	129 1/2	129 1/2
National Pacific	144 1/2	144 1/2
National Lead	88 1/2	88 1/2
Union Pacific	118 1/2	118 1/2
U. S. Steel	54 1/2	54 1/2
U. S. Steel, Pfd.	115 1/2	115 1/2
Wabash	18 1/2	18 1/2
Wabash, Pfd.	48 1/2	48 1/2
Western Union	72 1/2	72 1/2

Each is valued at \$8,000.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Cit. Op. Noon

May corn	70 1/2	71 1/2
wheat	123 1/2	125 1/2
oats	57 1/2	58 1/2
port	17 1/2	17 1/2
July corn	68 1/2	68 1/2
wheat	111 1/2	112 1/2
Reading	49 1/2	49 1/2
Sept. corn	67 1/2	67 1/2
wheat	103 1/2	104 1/2
St. Paul	42 1/2	42 1/2

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Cit. Op. Noon

Dom. Coal	7 1/2	7 1/2
Dom. I. and S. Pfd.	112 1/2	112 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	60 1/2	60 1/2
C. P. R.	178 1/2	178 1/2
Montreal Power	115 1/2	115 1/2
Ill. Trac.	96 1/2	96 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Cit. Op. Noon

May	10.87	10.70	10.57
July	10.43	10.32	10.24
October	10.27	10.22	10.24
December	10.24	10.22	10.23

NEW YORK, May 1—Wall Street—Very few stocks showed any marked change in the opening dealings from yesterday's last prices. Small fractional gains and losses were mingled and the dealings were not active.

NEW YORK, May 1—The automobile carnival which was to have taken place today, has been postponed until Monday afternoon because of uncertainty as to the conditions. It is expected that 1,000 cars will be in line.

TRUANT'S DAY IN COURT; MONIQUE EXCUSES OFFERED

Fourteen Days Off to Have a Tooth Pulled—Lads Who Have Not Been to School This Year—Beatings Have Little Effect on Some Boys.

There were but two drunks in police court this morning. These were dismissed on the usual terms for a day or an hour was taken up, however, in the session of the juvenile court and the offenders dealt with were all school truants.

Truant Officer Boyd McMann had no less than sixteen youngsters summoned to attend court, and all had had records as truants. Only eight of the sixteen appeared in court. Some were accompanied by their fathers, others by mothers, and some were alone. The magistrate was in a severe lecture to the young fellows a severe lecture that they will never forget and then sent them all down stairs to the basement of the building where they were locked up in the cells. His Honor was even handed in his terms to the parents. He fined one man \$2 on account of his boy, and informed him the boy would be sent to jail for not having his boy attend school regularly.

A mother who allowed her big, healthy-looking boy to stay home from school for a week just because he claimed he felt sick, came in for a severe reprimand that she won't forget in a hurry. His Honor told her she was all to blame, that the boy should be sent to jail for neglect of the child.

The following is a list of the eight boys who appeared in court and their records for playing truant since the first of January:

Thomas Hamey, aged 10 years, Dufferin school; January 13th days, Feb. 20 days; March 10th days; April 5 days; of school.

Earl Penny, aged 12, Victoria school, Jan. 17th days, Feb. 11th, March 20, April 12 days, April 18 days.

Percy Richards, aged 12 years, Victoria school did not attend school one day since January 1st.

Fenwick Carney, aged 11 years, St. Malcha's school, Jan. 11 days, Feb. 12, March 15, April 9 days, April 12 days.

Samuel Lavigne, aged 12 years, St. Malcha's school, Jan. 11th days, Feb. 14, March 14, April 12 days.

Frank Fish, aged 10 years, Aberdeen school, Jan. 8 days, Feb. 7, March 7, April 12 days.

Harry Noakes, aged 11, Winter St. school, Jan. 24, Feb. 14th, March 29th, and April 12 days.

Walter McCann, aged 10, St. Malcha's school, Jan. 12, Feb. 5, March 29, April 12 days.

The following boys who did not appear in court will be arrested. Their records are as follows:

Wm. Tutts, aged 10, Victoria school, 17th, 11th, March 20, April 11th.

Harold Lawson, aged 11 years, St. Malcha's school, Jan. 2 Feb. 15, March 20, April 12th days.

Thomas Mills, aged 11, St. Malcha's school, Jan. 12, Feb. 12, March 12, April 12 days.

Leo Ryan, aged 12, St. Malcha's, no attendance.

Michael Krondeon, aged 10, no attendance.

Percy Moore, 11 years, St. Malcha's, no attendance.

Wm. Jackson, aged 13 years, Winter street school, no attendance.

John Collins, aged 10, St. Malcha's, no attendance.

Among the visitors to the court this morning were Messrs. McLean, Towne, Cornier and McDermid, court principals.

The accused given to the magistrate by parents and boys were in most cases ridiculous. One father, Mr. Noakes, said he had beaten and talked to his boy without any result because his wife was so easy with the lad that she allowed him to stay at home and give written excuses for his absence. The man said he had finally to ask the teacher not to accept excuses unless signed by himself.

Another father, Mr. Penny, said he had beaten his boy unmercifully and talked with him but without avail. He had even taken him to school and shoved him in the door, and as soon as he left the building the boy would leave school again.

Inspector McMann informed the court that he was told he would be detained until his father came and paid a fine.

Young Canney was told he should have to go to jail till his mother said a fine. He was asked if he said his prayers at night. The boy said he did, and the magistrate told him he did all that and then led during the time being.

To young Fish the magistrate said he would be excused, but he told the boy's mother that she ought to be sent into jail for neglect.

Young Hamey said his mamma kept him home because he was sick and he helped her in the work. His Honor told the boy that if he was ill enough to lose so many days he should have been sent to the hospital, and his mother would have to come to court and give an explanation.

Young McMann started to laugh and was caught at it by the magistrate who said: "McMann, you think this is a joke. You will be the first in the cells, and I will have to put it such a joke. Sergeant, take him down stairs and lock him up."

Inspector McMann said there were two McMann boys who play truant and when they see him they run in the

house and hide under their mother's bed. He had to pull them out by the hair.

Young Lavigne said his parents were not in court. He gave as the reason for being absent 13 days in January that he had a sore head and side. The reason he was absent 14 days in February was because he was getting a tooth pulled. This was enough for the magistrate and Lavigne was placed among those condemned to the cells. The boys were all taken down stairs to the cells, and tears flowed freely.

The magistrate then called on the parents present to give attention. He said that the fall of boys who left the police court to do time in the reformatory or penitentiary was to be traced back to the fact that their fathers and mothers took no interest in them and they played truant from school. One hard-working woman in Carleton kept her boy home from school to mind the house while she washed clothes, but as soon as the school hours were over the boy left home, was shortly after caught robbing a till in a Rodney street store and landed in the Reformatory.

Another boy who could not go to school because he had no shoes and was allowed to roam the streets, was caught stealing and sent to prison.

Inspector McMann said he attended 18 schools and there were 7,000 scholars to look after.

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BETTER THAN LAST YEAR BY NEARLY \$750,000

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PERSONAL

Wm. Gemm of the Halifax Herald reached the city at noon today from Boston where he has spent the last couple of months. He leaves again for Halifax this evening.

Mr. Mathers passed through the city at noon today.

Dr. G. G. Corbett returned from Montreal today where he has spent the past week.

Bert Ford came in on the Atlantic express at noon today.

Rev. W. R. Robinson returned today from Fredericton and will occupy his pulpit tomorrow.

John Collins, the big T. C. R. policeman, today completed his 29th year of service on the railway.

Dr. C. R. Flinders left at noon for Charlottetown, where on Sunday he will speak on education. Centenary pulpit will be occupied by Rev. H. B. Thomas, of Charlottetown.

OLD SOAKERS

Get Saturated With Caffeine.

When a person has used coffee for a number of years and gradually declined in health, it is time the coffee should be left off in order to see whether or not that has been the cause of the trouble.

A lady in Hunsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years was troubled with stomach trouble.

"I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed to perfect a cure. I was prostrated for some time, and came near dying. When I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured on my stomach."

"I finally concluded coffee was the cause of my troubles and stopped using it. I tried tea and then milk in its place, but neither agreed with me. Then I commenced using Postum. I had it properly made and it was very pleasing to the taste.

"I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia."

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FORGED AT COMMAND OF RICH MEN HE SAYS

Chicago Convict Gives New Details About \$1,000,000 Looting

FEARED EXPOSURE

CHICAGO, April 30.—Peter Van Vilsingen, the former real estate man, brought back from prison to testify in the bankruptcy court, and who caused a sensation yesterday by stating that his forgeries were known to two of his victims four years before his public confession last winter, gave additional details of his story in court today.

The men to whom he alleges he privately imparted a confession, and who are Maurice Rosenfeld and Bernhard Rosenberg, both men of wealth and social position, and who are alleged to have forced Van Vilsingen to attempt to make good \$400,000 worth of forged mortgages which had come into their hands. To do this Van Vilsingen declares he committed still further forgeries.

"I arranged to pay \$4,000 a week," continued Van Vilsingen, "but Rosenfeld pressed me so that it became difficult for me to sell any more of my spurious paper. I told him he would drive me to exposure. I gave him the names of a number of clients who had already taken my forged mortgages."

"Rosenberg also pressed me, and I made the loan size of it was in so deep that I never expected to get out again, but I thought I would fight it to the last. I thought, possibly some piece of good luck might come my way, but it never did."

FORCED TO WED AT GUN-POINT, HE SAYS

Weapon Pointed at His Back During Ceremony, Declares Husband

BALTIMORE, April 30.—While the Rev. E. L. S. Tressel was performing the marriage ceremony of Miss Lulu Hoffman and Harry Galloway, Hoffman stood behind a door with a shotgun pointing through a crack at the bridegroom's back.

He had compelled Galloway to go to the wedding, threatening to kill him if he made the least sign of resistance. The minister did not know about the man who held the gun.

This is the account of his wedding that Galloway gave to Justice Loden at the western police station today. He was being tried on the charge of non-support, which was brought by his wife.

Mrs. Galloway, who carried her three months old baby in her arms, declared that she knew nothing about the shotgun during the ceremony. Galloway consented to support the wife and child pending divorce proceedings.

INCURABLY ILL, SAYS ALIENIST

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 30.—After an alienist had declared that Chester S. Jordan, on trial for the murder of his wife, was incurably ill and could not survive three years, the defense attempted today to have introduced a record-breaking hypothetical question of 31,000 words, but only succeeded in getting about a thirtieth part of it before the jury. Then the judges decided that the question was a review of the evidence in the case and ordered its discontinuance in that form. The lawyers on both sides will attempt to agree on one much shorter in length and dealing entirely with assumptions. If it is not over a few thousand words, the government's rebuttal and the sur-rebuttal will probably be completed by tomorrow night.

The long wrangle over the big hypothetical question which exceeds in length any similar question ever presented in court, occupied the greater portion of the day. The government objected occasionally, but the court finally allowed it.

Then the three alienists called by the defense settled themselves comfortably in chairs near the jury and prepared for a three hours of consideration. The court stopped the question at the end of half an hour and the case went over until tomorrow.

It was Dr. George F. Jolly, a well known alienist of Boston, who declared that Jordan was suffering from an incurable disease of the brain, which he said would bring death in three years.

During a hitch in the case of the defense, the government called two witnesses, who stated that they knew Jordan when a boy and that he was fully as bright as his companions, in contradistinction to the testimony of the accused man's relatives, who claimed he was mentally deficient.

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Sch. Cora May, 64, Finnegan, Browing Head, 4.

Sch. Trilby, 21, Haycock, fishing cruise.

Sch. Hazelwood, 23, Stevens, fishing cruise.

Sch. Emerson Faye, 47, Perry, fishing cruise.

Sch. Swan, 56, Thurber, fishing cruise.

Sch. Augusta Evelyn, 31, Thurber, fishing cruise.

Sch. Lake Erie, 456, Clark, Liverpool.

Sch. Bantu, 281, Millson, Cape Town, S. A.

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