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November 30th, C. C. C. HALL.**

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MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES COLDS, Etc.

The Riddle of the "Cyclops."

(Pearson's Weekly Mystery Story)

Ecclipsing the other mysteries of the World War and overshadowing all other unsolved riddles of the sea, the unexplained loss of the United States collier Cyclops stand alone, apparently one of the few cases on record where the sea literally opened and swallowed a huge boat, leaving not the slightest trace of the vessel or her crew.

The brief and formal announcement of the Navy Department, by Secretary Daniels, issued at the time that the Cyclops was officially added to the list of missing ships, gives the principal details in the case, few and inadequate as they are.

"It was on March 4th, 1915," reads this announcement, "that the collier Cyclops, 12,000 tons displacement, put into the British West Indies for coal. She was due in her home port on March 13th. Since her departure from that port there has not been a trace of the vessel, and long-continued and vigilant search of the entire region proved utterly futile, not a vestige of wreckage having been discovered.

"No reasonable explanation of her strange disappearance can be given. It is known that one of her two engines was damaged and that she was proceeding at reduced speed, but if the engine had become disabled it would not have had any effect upon her ability to communicate by wireless. Many theories have been advanced, but none that seems to account satisfactorily for the ship's complete disappearance. After months of search and waiting, the Cyclops has been finally given up as lost."

An Important Passenger on Board

But these are only the barest facts in the case, and make no mention of one of the most interesting points connected with the mystery—the fact that the Cyclops carried as a passenger Al-fred Louis Moreau Gottschalk, American Consul-General at Rio Janeiro, and a man who had been instrumental in stirring up sentiment throughout Brazil in favor of the Allied forces.

A number of anonymous letters threatening his life had been received by the Consul-General before his return to the United States, but the most startling fact of all was that two weeks after the Cyclops sailed, and at least a month before she was reported as missing, a notice appeared in a Rio Janeiro newspaper stating that a regular Mass would be celebrated for the American Consul-General "lost at sea in the American collier Cyclops."

A number of Americans in Brazil noticed the announcement at the time and made inquiries about it, but the newspaper in question disclaimed any knowledge of the person who had inserted the notice, and little attention was paid to it until word was received from the States that the collier was long overdue.

American Secret Service agents then tried to trace the clue of the newspaper clipping, but the trail was too cold. The man who had brought it into the office of the newspaper had disappeared as completely as had the Cyclops! Among the theories advanced for the loss of the vessel, sea-worthiness in the extreme and in the best of shape save for a minor accident to one of her engines, was that she had either been sunk by a German submarine operating in West Indian waters, or that she had been captured and taken into Germany in order that the Central Powers might have the benefit of the large cargo of manganese which she was carrying.

No Trace in German Records.

One of the first acts of the American authorities after the signing of the armistice, therefore, was to examine all German records dealing with naval operations during the period of the war, but while references were found to the sinking of every vessel which had been torpedoed, together with the date of the attack and the name of the officer commanding the submarine or raider, no mention whatever was found concerning the Cyclops.

If she fell a victim to a German submarine, it must have been one of those which failed to return to port, otherwise Tynon pride in the success of their campaign of frightfulness, would have led to a permanent record of the exploit.

Inasmuch as no storm or even rough weather was reported in the West Indies at this time, the most tenable theory appears to be that of certain naval officers who maintain that the collier must have foundered through the sudden displacement of her cargo—manganese shifting with the ease and rapidity of a cargo of wheat.

But, until the truth or falsity of this supposition is established by the discovery of some totally unexpected clue, the Cyclops must be numbered with the other vessels which have made the "port of missing ships."

It is significant, however, that the Cyclops is the only vessel equipped with wireless that has ever disappeared without a trace or a whisper of trouble.

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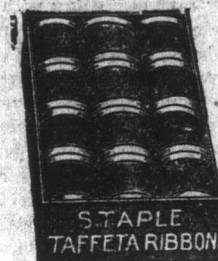
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