GERMANY APOLOGIZES TO NETHERLANDS

SUSPICIOUS VESSEL HELD UP ON PACIFIC

American yacht with name painted over and American name substituted for that of German commander.

Bogoto, Columbia, Oct. 18.—An American yacht bound from San Francisco with the name Academy painted over the name Ethel, and carrying an unusually large crew, is being detained by government near Buoneventura, a Colombian port on the Pacific, under suspicious circumstances.

According to the Colombian officials the vessel's papers are irregular. The German name of the master of the ship, it is asserted, has been erased from the papers and an American name substituted for it.

The yacht was searched but nothing was found to indicate the mission of the crew. The vessel will be detained until her legal status has been established.

Known in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Oct. 18.—The American schooner Academy, reported detained near Buenaventura, Colombia, sailed from here June 21 in ballast with a crew of mine men for Callao, Peru. Her master was Captain L. J. Behn. The Academy was a white painted schooner of 87 tons, 80 feet long, with a beam of 25 feet and a depth of five feet. Normally she carried a crew of about six men. Shipping records show she was purchased in 1913 by Captain William Peters of San Francisco, who was not well known in shipping circles here.

The vessel has been running to the South Sea Islands and Mexican ports.

Washington, Oct. 18.—British agents in this country recently reported they believed some yachts were being outfitted in California waters and on the Atlantic coast, to be manned by German crews to attack tank ships carrying fuel oil from the Mexican fields for the British navy. Their report was soon followed by the disappearance of the German sailors from the cruiser Kron Prinz Wilhelm in a yacht from the Norfolk Navy Yards. A small yacht which outfitted at Pensacola, Florida, also was the subject of investigation. Another, they reported, was being prepared for sea in the Gulf of California.

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WRECK BLOWN UP.

Sch Mary Curtis, lost in one of the recent gales, with all on board, has been destroyed by the coastguard cutter Acushnet, which blew up the obstruction with gun-cotton and tri-nitro mines.

SERBIANS HOLDING BACK THE INVADERS DESPITE ADVANTAGE BULGARIANS HAVE IN NUMBERS

Bulgarian Army at Vlassina Reported Scattered—Serbian Capital in Gala Attire in Honor of Expected Arrival of British and French Reinforcements.

Paris, Oct. 18.—The entire Serbian line on the Bulgarian front is being held against the invaders, notwithstanding the superiority of the Bulgarian forces, according to a despatch to the Temps from Nish under date of October 16. It is declared that the Bulgarian army at Vlassina has been scattered.

"The battle continues along the whole front," says the despatch.

"Detachments of Serbians at Obrenovatz, on the Save river, withdrew towards the southeast in the direction of Lazarevatz to escape the fire of the enemy's heavy artillery.

"The Serbians continue to hold positions outside of Belgrade dominating the city and valley of Yeseva.

"The Serbians evacuated Pozarevac so as to avoid a turning movement of their adversaries."

A correspondent of the Temps telegraphs from Nish that he has just arrived by railway from Saloniki, finding all along the line crowds at the stations in Serbia awaiting the arrival of allied reinforcements for the Serbians.

"Nish, the provinsional capital of Serbia, is today, despite its intense anxiety, and its mourning for the fallen among the Serbian troops, decorated with the national colors of the Entente Allies in preparation for the arrival of French and British troops," the correspondent says. "They have been awaited for several days, and some disappointment is felt at the delay in their coming. The news of the heroic resistance the Serbians are offering to the Teutonic invasion sustains the people, who remain admirably calm and determined.

"Saloniki, from which the correspondent has just arrived presents an amazing spectacle of the naval power. Besides the numerous ships of war there, a vast fleet of transports, flying the French and British flags, is in the harbor. The streets of the city are crowded with troops in foreign uniforms, the khaki and the French service blue predominating."

BERLN APOLOGIZES FOR VIOLATION OF DUTCH NEUTRALITY

Zeppelin passed over Dutch territory — Four persons in Switzerlond injured by aviator's bomb

Berlin, Oct. 18 (By wireless to Tuckerton, N. J.)—The German government has apologized to the Netherlands government for the passage of Zeppelins over Dutch territory, according to a despatch from Rotterdam given out by the Overseas News Agency today.

Bomb Dropped by Aviator Injures Three Persons in Switzerland.

Berne, Switzerland, Oct. 18, via London.—Three grown persons and one child were gravely injured according to government reports of the bomb throwing by a foreign aviator flying over the Swiss town of Chaux Des Fonds. The government has ordered an inquiry and will renew protests to the belligerent countries.

Paris, Oct. 18.—A despatch from Basel, Switzerland, says it is learned that a German lieutenant, detached from duty while convalescing, has received orders to rejoin his regiment, the Sixteenth Bavarian, at Dedeagatch, Bulgaria, between November 16 and December 3. After this time, the order is declared to state, the corps will be stationed at Constantinople.

HAD WORD "MURDERED" TAKEN FROM MEMORIAL TO LUSITANIA VICTIM

London, Oct. 18—"The wall of a church is not an appropriate place to perpetuate hatred," was the reason given by Sir Philip Wilbraham, chancellor of the diocese of Chester, when refusing to permit a memorial tablet to a victim of the Lusitania in a Hoylake church to bear the inscription, "Who was murdered on the Lusitania by the Germans."

The word "murdered," Sir Philip said, would have to be taken out of the tablet. The chancellor then suggested that the inscription should read, "Who lost his life when the Lusitania was torpedoed by the Germans." This was agreed to.

TRAIN DERAILED BY COLLISION WITH BULL

Ottawa, Oct. 18.—An incoming passenger train on the Pontiac branch of the C. P. R., was derailed this morning when the engine struck a bull that had wandered on the line near Connaught Park, a few miles west of Hull. The engine turned turtle into the ditch and three cars left the rails but did not turn over. Engineer Murphy of Ottawa, was painfully scalded about the neck and bruised, but his injuries are not serious.

None of the passengers were injured.

STRENGTHENS BELIEF THAT THE KRONPRINZ OLAF WENT TO BOTTOM

Finding of sailor's body in Gaspe Harbor taken as proof that coal boat sank with all aboard.

Quebec, Oct. 18.—The discovery in Gaspe harbor of the body of an unidentified sailor leads to the beleif that the first substantial proof of the loss of the Kronprinz Olav is at last found after the vessel has been missing three full weeks today.

The body was found last Friday floating at the entrance of the harbor and Coroner Joncas, of Gaspe Basin, established that the body must have been in the water three weeks at least which would co-ordinate with the loss of the ship, she being now exactly three weeks overdue. Nothing was found on the remains to aid in identification. The clothes, however, are those of a seaman and the man appears to be a Nova Scotian or a Swede being fair haired. Another fact that tends to show the body was washed from the wreck of the last steamer is the point at which it was found. It is supposed the Kronprinz Olav was lost some time a day or two after she left Sydney which would have left her stranded somewhere close to the southeast point of Anticosti, between the coast of Gaspe and that island. The general opinion of local mariners is that the Kronprinz Olav simply broke in two and sunk with all on board.

A NORWEGIAN STEAMER SUNK

London, Oct. 16.—Lloyds announces that the Norwegian steamer Salerno has been sunk, and that 19 men, 2 women and children have been landed from her.

The Norwegian steamer Salerno, of 1,398 tons net, arrived at Gothenburg, Sweden, from Buenos Ayres on Sept. 20. Her subsequent movements are not covered by available shipping records.

A despatch from London on October 15 reported the sinking of the British steamer Salerno. The records list this vessel has a Wilson Line steamer of 2,071 tons gross.

Had Good Luck.

John Durbin of the lunch wagon, returned to the city yesterday from Belleisle where he had a successful shooting trip. He secured two deer and a moose.

WANTS GREATER SECURITY FOR AMERICANS

Note to Berlin points out that U. S. Gov't does not consider "opportunity to escape in lifeboats" sufficient.

Washington, Oct. 18.—Publication tonight of the text of the latest note sent by the United States to Germany in the case of the American ship Wm. P. Frye, reveals that the United States does not regard "an opportunity to escape in lifeboats" as sufficient safety for passengers and crew of any American vessel destroyed when carrying contraband.

In the note, which is dated October 12, Secretary of State Lansing expresses satisfaction that Germany agreed to the American proposal for a joint commission of experts to fix damages for the loss of the Frye, sunk by the commerce raider Prinz Eitel Friederich, and concurs in the suggestion from Berlin that it is not necessary to appoint an umpire in advance.

In agreeing to submit to arbitration differences which have arisen over the interpretation of the Russian-American treaty of 1828, the United States places on record its understanding that no rights are waived in the interval. Germany already has given assurances that, pending arbitration, American ships carrying conditional contraband will not be molested, but since practically every commodity of importance has been made absolute contraband, the value of the assurances is regarded by officials as comparatively small. The American government holds that the treaty of 1828 does not permit the destruction, under any circumstances, of American vessels carrying contraband of any character and in its note insists that while the arbitration proceedings are in progress more security than is afforded in lifeboats should be given to passengers and crews on American vessel, which the German commanders may deem it necessary to destroy for carriage of absolute contraband. Concluding, the note says:

"The government of the United States concurs in the desire of the imperial German government that the negotiations relative to the signing of the compromise, referring to this question of treaty interpretation to arbitration, under the provisions of Article 52 of the Hague Arbitration Convention, should be conducted between the German foreign office and the American embassy in Berlin, and the government of the United States will be glad to receive the draft compromise, which you inform me the foreign office is prepared to submit to the American ambassador in Berlin. Anticipating that it may be convenient for the imperial government to know in advance of these negotiations, the preference of the government of the United States as to the form of arbitration to be arranged for in the compromise, my government desires me to say that it would prefer, if agreeable to the imperial German government, that the arbitration should be by summary procedure, based on the precision of Articles 86 to 90 inclusive, of The Hague Arbitration Convention, rather than the longer form of arbitration before the permanent court at The Hague."

ORGANIZE ARMENIANS IN BALKANS TO FIGHT WITH ALLIES AGAINST TURKS

London, Oct. 18—A despatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Petrograd says:

"Capt. Torcom is planning to raise volunteer corps from the Armenians now residing in the Balkans, Egypt, Italy, France, Great Britain and the United States to fight in the ranks of the Allies against Turkey.

"In an appeal with this end in view Captain Torcom said the Armenians have been unable to prevent the massacre of Armenians in Asia Minor by the Turks but that those living in other countries can help fight Turkey, and that the allied powers will not refuse them the right and honor of joining in the war against their oppressors.

"Captain Torcom's plan provides for the formation of a maximum of thirty battalions and a minimum of ten battalions. Captain Torcom was wounded during the recent fighting in Galicia, but is now able to leave the hospital and is about to start for London to get his plan in operation."

ENGLAND OFFERS GOOD MARKET FOR CANADIAN BUTTER

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Oct. 18.—Reports to the Trade and Commerce Department from England state that the diminishing supplies of butter from continental sources is causing much concern to importers in the United Kingdom. The price of foreign butter is reaching abnormal figures and there appears to be no prospect of the market being relieved until shipments arrive from Australia and New Zealand during the forthcoming season which opens in November.

The wholesale price of Danish butter on Sept. 25 was quoted from $46.23 to $46.96 per cwt., a record price. Receipts from Denmark have fallen off and dependence has thus to be placed in French, Irish and Siberian supplies. Slightly larger shipments of Canadian butter have reached the United Kingdom this year but more is wanted. During the first eight months of the present year 7,674 cwts. was sent, value approximately $215,000.

The Trade and Commerce Department directs the special attention of traders to the trading with the enemy. The proclamation of February last which extends the provisions of the first proclamation to include territory in the effective military occupation of an enemy. Express permission to trade with Belgian firms must be obtained from the government before doing so.

It is well known that German firms have been sending their goods abroad through Belgium under the guise of Belgian products.

TREATY BETWEEN MONGOLIA AND RUSSIA SIGNED

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Oct. 18.—An important treaty has been concluded between Mongolia, China and Russia according to despatches received by the Canadian government from Shanghai. It delimits the rights and privileges of each of the interested parties in Outer Mongolia and settles the outstanding differences between China and Japan.

The three principal issues finally settled are: China's Suzerainty over Mongolia is acknowledged by Mongolia and Russia; Mongolian autonomy is recognized by Russia and China; and Russia's desire for A. Buffer state is fully satisfied. Railway agreements and mining privileges which Russia has formerly acquired are confirmed. Russia obtains the right to establish an agent at Urga, with 50 guards and each Russian consul will be supplied with a similar guard.

The post office in Mongolia is to be under the Chinese postal service.

FOUR MORE CASUALTIES IN NFLD. REGIMENT

St. Johns, Nfld., Oct. 18—The casualties in the Newfoundland regiment today are:

Private Samuel Lodge, Catalina; Private David Carew, St. Johns, both dead of wounds. Lance Corporal David Hackett, St. Johns; Private Allan Lynch, Avondale, both wounded.

EASTERN STEAMSHIP CO.

The present schedule of three trips per week on the International division of the Eastern Steamship Corporation will probably be maintained for the balance of this month, after which the one round trip weekly schedule will go into effect as far as Portland is concerned. When that comes around the steamer Calvin Austin will come off the route and haul out at Boston for an overhauling, the steamer North Star coming off the New York route to take her place on the St. John run as she did last winter. One of the Metropolitan Line freight boats, probably the steamer J. S. Whitney, will come on the Portland-New York route in place of the North Star.

PATRIOTIC FUND CAMPAIGN.

The campaign for increased contributions for the Patriotic Fund began yesterday morning and is being vigorously prosecuted in almost all the wards of the city as well as throughout the country.

In Sydney Ward, a citizens' committee, composed of R. G. Haley, chairman; Messrs. H. O. Peters, G. N. Hatfield, R. N. Gilmour, F. T. Lewis, Richard Ingleton, W. W. Leonard, is making a canvass of the ward.

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CHARGED WITH BIGAMY AND SUSPECTED OF BEING GERMAN SPY

New York, Oct. 18.—Max Lyner, also known as Count Max Lyner Loudon, was arraigned today on a charge of bigamy and recommitted to the tombs in default of $10,000.

Lyner's attorneys made an effort to have the bail reduced, but Assistant District Attorney Bostwick, in opposing a reduction, intimated that the department of justice had filed certain important information concerning Lyner with the district attorney's office and stated it was imperative that Lyner be present when his trial is called.

Lyner's attorney told the court his client was suspected by the government of being a German spy. Lyner laughed openly at this and his attorney then declared there was no foundation for the charge.

U. S. ASKED TO INQUIRE INTO MURDER OF BRITISH NURSE BY GERMANS

London, Oct. 18.—The foreign secretary, Sir Edward Grey, has requested the United States governor to investigate the circumstances which attended the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, a British nurse, in Brussels. Miss Cavell, who had been at the head of a training school in Brussels, was put to death on an order of the German authorities on the charge of having harbored British and French soldiers and Belgians of military age, and assisting them to escape from Belgium to join their colors.

WANT STEAMERS FOR GRAIN.

Grain shippers are scouring the Seven Seas in search of steamers, the rate offered being ahead of anything before quoted in the export trade, the fortunate owners of the tramp boats being in a fair way to reap a harvest during the next six months.

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Interesting Contests For Boys and Girls

A COMPOSITION CONTEST

As many of the boys and girls who read the Children's Corner each week are continually asking for a contest in which they may be allowed to write an essay, or story, I have decided to let you have same.

Write an essay or story about any subject you wish, such as "A trip in a submarine," "How I spent my holidays," or any other subject you think of.

Use only one side of the paper, and enclose with your attempt ONE coupon only. All essays must reach this office by Wednesday, October 20th.

To the boy or girl who sends me in what I think is the best written essay. I shall award a BEAUTIFUL WATCH, or any other prize of a similar nature you may prefer. I shall also publish the winner's story.

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A DRAWING CONTEST

Make a drawing in pen and ink on a piece of white paper, of any subject you may choose either original or copied. The sketches must not be colored, and one coupon must be enclosed with each attempt. All drawings to be sent in to me not later than Wednesday, October 27th. Competitors must not be more than Fifteen years of age last birthday. To the boy or girl who sends me in the best drawing I shall award either a beautiful watch or some useful article of similar value.

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THE STANDARD,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

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