

"I SIMPLY HAD TO CARRY OUT ADMIRALTY'S ORDERS."--Capt. Turner

CAPTAIN OF LUSITANIA DECLARES DISASTER NOT RESULT OF LAXITY ADMIRALTY'S ORDERS FOLLOWED

Boats Were Ordered Lowered at Once When Liner Was Struck and There Was No Panic Whatever—Second Torpedo Passed Clear Thru Lusitania.

KINSALE, Ireland, May 10.—When the inquest over the five victims of the Lusitania had been concluded today the coroner's jury returned a verdict charging the crew of the German submarine, the emperor and government of Germany with wholesale murder.

Coroner Horgan said that the first torpedo fired by the German submarine did serious damage to the Lusitania, but that, not satisfied with this, the Germans had discharged another torpedo. The second torpedo, he said, must have been more deadly, because it went right thru the ship, hastening the work of destruction.

The characteristic courage of the Irish and British people was manifested at the time of this terrible disaster, the coroner continued, and there was no panic. He charged that the responsibility "lay on the German Government and the whole people of Germany who collaborated in the terrible crime."

"I propose to ask the jury," he continued, "to return the only verdict possible for a self-respecting jury, that the men in charge of the German submarine were guilty of wilful murder."

Ship's Bugler Livermore testified that the watertight compartments were closed, but that the explosion and the force of the water must have burst them open. He said that all the officers were at their posts and that earlier arrivals of the rescue craft would not have saved the situation.

Capt. Turner testified briefly. The coroner asked him: "You were aware threats had been made that the ship would be torpedoed?"

"Yes, sir," the captain replied. "Was she armed?" "No, sir."

"What precautions did you take?" "We had all the boats swung when we came within the danger zone, between the passing of Fastnet and the time of the accident."

Capt. Turner said he was on the bridge as the liner approached the Irish coast. The coroner asked him whether he had received a message concerning the sinking of a ship off Kinsale by a submarine. Capt. Turner replied that he had not.

Had Special Instructions. "Did you receive any special instructions as to the voyage?" "Yes, sir."

"Are you at liberty to tell us what they were?" "No, sir."

"Did you carry them out?" "Yes, I carried them out."

"Tell us in your own words what happened after passing Fastnet?" "The weather was clear," Capt. Turner answered. "We were going at a speed of 18 knots. I was on the port side and heard Second Officer Hestford call 'torpedo'."

Kaiser Found Guilty Of Wholesale Murder

Officers of Submarine, Emperor and Government of Germany Charged With Foul Crime Before Whole Civilized World.

"We find that the deceased met death from prolonged immersion and exhaustion in the sea eight miles south-westward of Old Head of Kinsale, Friday, May 7, 1915, owing to the sinking of the Lusitania by torpedoes fired by a German submarine.

"We find that this appalling crime was committed contrary to international law and the conventions of all civilized nations.

"We also charge the officers of said submarine and the emperor and government of Germany, under whose orders they acted, with the crime of wholesale murder before the tribunal of the civilized world.

"We desire to express sincere condolences and sympathy with the relatives of the deceased, the Cunard Co. and the United States, many of whose citizens perished in this murderous attack on an unarmed liner."—Verdict of Coroner's Jury.

slowly down to 15 knots. I was in wireless communication with shore all the way across."

Admiralty's Secret. Capt. Turner was asked whether he had received any messages in regard to the presence of submarines off the Irish coast. He replied in the affirmative. Questioned regarding the nature of the message, he replied:

"I respectfully refer you to the admiralty for an answer."

"I also gave orders to stop the ship," Capt. Turner continued, "but we could not stop, as four of the engines were out of commission. It was not safe to lower boats until the speed was of the vessel. As a matter of fact, there was a perceptible headway on her up to the time she went down."

Afloat 18 Minutes. "When she was struck she listed to starboard. I stood on the bridge when she sank and the Lusitania went down under me. She floated about 18 minutes after the torpedo struck her. My watch stopped at 2.36. I was picked up from among the wreckage and afterwards was brought aboard a trawler.

"No warship was conveying us. I saw no warship, and none was reported to me as having been seen. At the time I was picked up I noticed bodies floating on the surface, but saw no living person."

"Eighteen knots was not the normal speed of the Lusitania, was it?" "At ordinary times," answered Capt. Turner, "she could make 25 knots, but in war times her speed was reduced to 21 knots. My reason for going 18 knots was that I wanted to arrive at Liverpool bar without stopping, and within two or three hours of big water."

Double Lookouts. "Was there lookout kept for submarines, having regard to previous warnings?" "Yes, we had double lookouts."

"Were you going a zigzag course at the moment the torpedoing took place?" "No, it was bright weather and land was clearly visible."

"Was it possible for a submarine to approach without being seen?" "Oh, yes, quite possible."

A Versatile Soldier



Private Frank Gillions of C Company, 25th C.E.F., terms entertainment secretary for the Toronto branch of Overseas Club, actor, author, nomad, raconteur. The first man to ascend in Capt. Turner's man-lifting kite; also below the water in compressed air chambers, in fact one of the most Harlequin-like men in Toronto today.

TORPEDO WOUNDED FEELINGS OF DANES

Copenhagen Newspaper Denounces Sinking of Lusitania by Germans.

OUTSIDE PALE OF LAW

Clear Kaiser's Government is Beyond Dictates of International Rights.

LONDON, May 10.—The Hovedstaden of Copenhagen is quoted by Reuter's correspondent as follows: "It is clear that Germany now holds herself outside of international law. Here is the embodiment of German military will. If the violation of Belgian neutrality; if Louvain, Senlis, Rheims, have not yet taught us Danes that neutrality is only a conception of a state, that it has nothing to do with the hearts of the citizens, then the Lusitania will teach us and all the world. Germany will know that the torpedo that hit the Lusitania also hit us and wounded the human feelings of the whole world."

Excellent Buffet Hotel Teck

The Hotel Teck, 30 West King street, have established what is acknowledged to be the finest buffet in Toronto. The appointments and service are of the highest merit.

SESSIONS CONVENING

A very heavy docket has been prepared for the next sitting of general sessions. Among the many cases is that of Ramsay E. Sinclair, who is to face three charges of conspiracy to defraud and two of theft.

MARTIAL LAW IN VICTORIA

VICTORIA, May 10.—Victoria is under martial law today as a result of renewed attacks upon German establishments by mobs bent on revenge for the sinking of the Lusitania.

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UNIVERSITY HEADS AT NIAGARA CAMP

President Falconer, Principal Hutton and Deans Ellis and Pakenham Present.

STUDENTS PRAISED

Training Has Produced Beneficial Results as Well as Discipline.

By a Staff Reporter. NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE, Ont., May 10.—Monday was visitors' day for the University of Toronto men at the Canadian Officers' Training Corps Camp, with President Falconer, Principal Hutton of the faculty of applied science, and Dean Pakenham of the faculty of education, as the guests of the officers.

After the day's drill had been completed the battalion drew up on the parade ground to listen to the commendation of President Falconer.

"We were all impressed by the good form that was shown by you on the march," Dr. Falconer told the student body. "It has been a very real manifestation of the progress that has been made."

"This training," President Falconer declared, "has benefited not only the Canadian Officers' Training Corps but the entire university. This camp will focus the entire work of the year, and whatever happens in the future there will be a great deal of hard work had been done."

View of Principal Hutton. Principal Hutton's brief speech said that the camp had added an element to the training of the officers, but the entire university. Besides the training of the mind it was necessary to discipline the will. The university college men were asked to remember the motto of the college, "A Light in Darkness," and to be true to that motto wherever they might be called upon to serve.

The drill activities of the day were marked by patrolling, advances, flank and counter-flank movements, following the subject matter taken up in a lecture by Colonel Lang. Outpost duty was practised during the afternoon.

The course of instruction was supplemented by Major Butcher's lecture on "Fire Control," given tonight. The last of the series will be given to-night by Major Blockford on "Field Engineering."

McGill Men on Blockford March. The McGill Battalion, together with Company "D" of the 25th Active Service Battalion went on a route march, which lasted all day. Fully 15 miles was covered. Only six men were in the hospital today, and all of these will be out within two days.

At the ranges today "D" Company of the 25th Battalion, one McGill unit and four Varsity companies did some shooting.

The signal corps of the two universities put in a strenuous day's work, and both telegraph and line. Number of messages were sent from Fort Mississauga to a point far up the river.

Order that the activities of the camp may conclude with the visit of the Duke of Connaught the date of breaking camp has been deferred until Saturday.

Rev. W. A. Cameron of Bloor Street Presbyterian Church, Toronto, is to give an address to the men tonight and also on Wednesday.

Further progress was made in the examinations for Certificate "A." About fifty men were brought before the examining officers. There are about 200 men who are qualified to try, and all must be examined before Thursday.

GOVERNMENT ISSUES BONDS FOR THE YEAR Province Negotiates Successful Sale, Involving Seven Millions.

Within the last few days the Ontario Government has negotiated the sale of \$7,000,000 worth of bonds at good rates. The provincial treasurer spent some time in New York, and succeeded in floating enough loans to last for the year.

JUDGE STRONGLY CENSURES LAWYER

Mr. Justice Middleton Dismissed Appeal of D. S. McMillan.

NERLICH APPEAL CASE

Adjournment Made—Case May Not Be Heard for Some Time.

In a judgment given out at Osgoode Hall by Mr. Justice Middleton, dismissing the appeal of D. S. McMillan, a solicitor of Sarnia, in connection with the appeal of the late Bishop Fallon, the archbishop for removing him from office, his lordship says:

"A solicitor who is so devoid of all apprehension of what is becoming in a professional man, as thus to describe his own conduct and the part he played in the proceedings taken by a client whom he now denounces in the strongest possible language, will probably quite fail to understand any condemnation, but I cannot part with the case without expressing my disapproval of the whole transaction."

"This bill contains some extraordinary items," he continued, "the subject of some of which form the subject of this appeal; for instance, 'special interview with press agent from Toronto,' who came up specially, arranging for support of the press and to terrify the church and create by scandal a feeling of fear. As your special request this is a secret service bill."

Mr. Justice Middleton agrees with the taxing officer that a solicitor is not justified in becoming a party to and arranging for the commission of crime, and that the services rendered as such a solicitor is entitled to undertake.

Mr. McMillan's bill in the Fallon case was originally \$650, which the bishop agreed to pay. When presented it had grown to \$1375. The taxing officer reduced the bill to \$751.51.

Fraudulent Means Adopted. Mr. Justice Lennox gave judgment in the action of J. F. Street, who claimed for \$1000 which he alleged he was induced to give to J. A. Murray, upon the representation that the money would be used to manufacture wagons, to be sold at a large profit. The plaintiff stated that the defendant told him he was going to purchase a factory and engage in the manufacture of wagons.

The defendant denied that he or his agent made any false statement to secure the money from Street, but that it was given to secure the patent rights of a mechanical dump wagon. The cheque was dated May 8, 1912, and his lordship holds that fraudulent means were adopted to secure it, and awards judgment for \$1070.

Chancellor Boyd granted an order, at the request of the liquidator, to destroy the redeemed notes of the Ontario Bank, and directs that a certificate from the Banking Association shall be sufficient evidence that the order has been carried out.

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GERMAN SETTLERS WANT GUNS BACK

Government Deluged With Applications From Western Provinces TO DISREGARD MOST

Ottawa Not Inclined to Enhance Difficulties by Arming Foreigners.

Special to The Toronto World. OTTAWA, May 10.—A number of appeals have been received by the government from German and Austrian settlers in the west, who are not naturalized citizens of Canada, asking that their guns be returned to them. Shortly after the war broke out it was considered advisable to disarm many of these settlers.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the City of Toronto has arranged to place an insurance of \$1000 upon all members of the First Contingent who were bona fide residents of the City of Toronto at the date of enlistment.

The names, ages and addresses of all such members must be forwarded to the undersigned not later than May 30th, 1915.

All reservists who have joined the colors of Britain or her allies, and who were bona fide residents of the City of Toronto at date of summons, may obtain similar insurance by furnishing the above information not later than June 30, 1915.

The friends or relatives of such members are, therefore, requested to forward the names, ages and addresses of all members of this contingent, and of reservists before the said respective dates, as the city cannot hold itself responsible to place insurance upon any members of which it has not notice on or before the said dates.

Dated at Toronto this Fifth Day of May, 1915.

JOHN PATTERSON,
City Treasurer.

J. J. DREW, K.C., GUELPH WAS BURIED YESTERDAY

Professional and Business Life of City Represented at Funeral.

Special to The Toronto World. GUELPH, May 10.—The funeral of the late John J. Drew, K.C., took place this afternoon at the Guelph Cemetery. The city's municipal, social, political and business life was well represented in the crowd which thronged St. James' Anglican Church, where the service was held, and which followed the cortege to the cemetery. A detachment of the 16th Battery, C.E.F., of which Mr. Drew's son, George, is lieutenant, lined the sidewalk as the funeral cortege proceeded to the church. The Rev. C. H. Buckland had charge of the service, which was attended by a surprised choir.

THIRTY-SIXTH PEELE TO SEND REINFORCEMENTS

Will Join the Thirty-Sixth Battalion at Hamilton—More Men Wanted.

A call has been made upon the 36th PEELE Regiment to send another large detachment to reinforce the 36th Battalion, C.E.F., at Hamilton. Recruits are now being received for this purpose, but there are still some vacancies. The recruiting officer and medical officer will be present at the regimental armory, 145 Dundas street, at 9 o'clock this morning to receive applications, to examine those desiring to enlist. Recent German atrocities have given impetus to the recruiting movement and there is no doubt that the city corps will have little difficulty in securing the men required.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MAIL.

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