

**EXPLOSION AVERTS AQUITANIA RECORD**

Accident Killing Engineer  
Mars First Trip of Liner  
as Oil Burner.

**GOLF PLAYERS ARE BACK**

Liner Baltic Also Makes Port.  
Bringing 1,737 Passengers  
From England.

The liner Aquitania, greatest of the Cunard fleet, thoroughly reconditioned and equipped as an oil burner, poked her nose up Ambrose Channel yesterday morning for the first time in many months, after a fast trip from Liverpool. She left the British port last Saturday. A death marred the big ship's first voyage as an oil burner, although the death itself could not be attributed to the change from coal to oil. On July 18, while the Aquitania was steaming along with a good chance of making a record run, Scott Seymour Barkway, seven's assistant engineer, was instantly killed by scalding steam when a high pressure valve burst. Barkway and James Curran, a fireman, were passing the scalding stop valve No. 4 boiler when it gave way. Curran also was badly scalded. Barkway was buried at sea next morning. Services were read by the commander, Capt. Sir J. T. W. Clark, and the ship stopped for thirty minutes.

The big ship started from England with 4,500 tons of oil and burned about 60 tons a day, as compared with 900 tons of coal. While her trip will take on 7,000 tons of oil, enough for a round trip, direct from a big oil tanker, which will come alongside here at the pier and pump the oil directly into her tanks. This will take only about six hours, as compared to four days necessary to put coal in her. Other advantages are cleanliness and the cutting down of the fire-room force from 250 men to 100.

Walter Hagen, open golf champion of America, returned on the vessel after falling to win the British open championship on a seaside course in Kent. "I was off my guard and had to learn the course," he said, "and instead of playing firmly as I usually do I had to play short. I began to feel myself losing touch. By forcing myself to play short I played very coolly, and when I found I had lost my touch there was absolutely no hope."

He said he felt more at home in the play for the French open championship, back after the English title again next spring and meantime will go to New London and Greenwich, Conn., for matches.

"Tommy" E. Armour, 24, of Edinburgh, the Scottish amateur and open champion, returned with Mr. Hagen. He has recently won four big championships, two in Scotland, the amateur championship in France, and the amateur four-championship in England. He will play in amateur and open matches here.

Others on board were Tokichi Shimada, 72, a Japanese architect, and his son Fuji; Clarence W. Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Desnoes, Maxwell H. Maxwell, Mrs. Egerton L. Winthrop, Jr., J. H. White, designer of the ship's fuel oil burning system, and John Austin, supervising engineer of the Cunard company. The ship carried 2,441 passengers.

**BROKER GIVES CLUE IN ELWELL CASE**

Tells of Seeing Turfman on Morning of Tragedy.

If information received by the District Attorney's office proves correct the movements of Joseph B. Elwell have been traced to about 3 o'clock on the morning of June 11. At 8:30 o'clock Elwell was found in the sitting room of his home in West Seventieth street with a bullet through his head.

Assistant District Attorney John T. Doelling said yesterday he had been informed that a broker prominent in social circles saw Elwell enter a restaurant at Fifth street and Broadway at 2:30 o'clock in company with a woman who was not at the party on the New Amsterdam roof. Elwell and his companion are said to have dined and danced in the restaurant for some time. Mr. Doelling tried to get in touch with the broker, but learned he had gone to Newport for the week end. The broker will be questioned as soon as he returns to the city.

Reports that arrests in the case were impending were denied by Mr. Doelling. He said every one questioned by him so far had answered freely.

The mysterious "woman in gray" who is supposed to have been driven from Elwell's home about a week before the murder, and with whom Elwell was seen on at least one occasion, is known by the District Attorney's office, Mr. Doelling said. So there is no longer much mystery connected with her. Other than saying he knew who the woman was, Mr. Doelling did not care to discuss her and what importance she may bear in the case.

**ENCYCLOPAEDIA UP TO DATE.**

Twelfth Edition of Britannica to Be Ready Next Year.

The twelfth edition of the Encyclopaedia Britannica is announced, will be ready for publication next year. Hugh Chisholm, who has been editor of the great reference work since 1904, has a large staff at work in London and New York.

The three volumes which will supplement the last edition, Mr. Chisholm estimates that almost 70 per cent. of the new material is devoted to questions connected with the war, although every subject needing fresh treatment is being brought up to date.

Aviation, automobile pictures and other subjects of industrial, social and economic advances that have been made are receiving special attention.

Like the last edition, published in 1911, the twelfth will be printed in two distinct forms, the "Cambridge University Issue," with large type and broad margins, and the "Handy Volume Issue," with a smaller page, smaller type and narrower margins. The Encyclopaedia Britannica was first published in 1768. It gave very little space to geography, history or biography. France got thirteen lines and Japan two.

Urges Kenlon for U. S. Chief.  
Fifty firemen, headed by Dr. Harry St. Archer, honorary Deputy Chief, leave today for the forty-eighth convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers at Toronto to urge the re-election of John Kenlon, Fire Chief, as president of the association. John F. Healy of Denver is reported to be a candidate against Chief Kenlon. The convention is to last five days. Chief Kenlon left yesterday with several other fire officials of this city.

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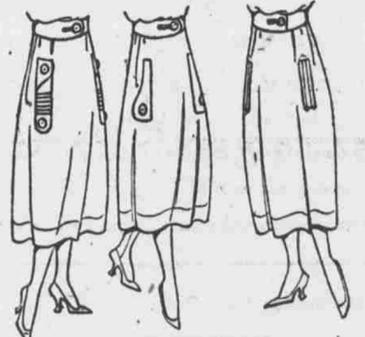
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