SMITH SILENT ON WELCOMING PLANS

Independent Body Backs Move for State Greeting for Troops.

HEARST ASSAILED AGAIN

More Refuse to Serve With Editor on Mayor's Reception Board.

Gov. Smith has not yet replied to the request telegraphed on Friday night asking him to appoint a committee representing the whole State to take care of the reception of homecoming troops. However, the anti-Hearst forces who are forming an Independent Citizens Committee continued their campaign yesterday by asking the Legislature to appropriate money for the expenses of the proposed State organization.

Charles Stewart Davison, chairman; the Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, Richard M. Hurd, Rabbi Silverman, Mrs. John Blair, Taylor More and Miss Maude Wetmore attended a meeting of the executive committee of the new citizens' committee yesterday afternoon at 415 Madison avenue, headquarters of the women's national committee of the American Defence Society.

A letter from Charles A. Tipling, chairman of Local Draft Board 183, to Grover Whalen, the Mayor's secretary, refusing appointment to the Mayor's committee of welcome was read. After speaking of the almost 1,000 men he had helped to send into the national service Mr. Tipling said:

"The attitude of William Randolph Hearst, as shown by his acts and as expressed through his newspapers since the Hunnish assault upon the peace of the world, has not been such as to commend itself to a vast majority of our citizens, including thousands of our sailors and soldiers, and they resent his continuance as a member of this Committee of Welcome."

Other recent declinations sent Mr. Whalen are those of Irwin Kurtz, lawyer, of 135 Broadway and chairman of Local Draft Board 170; Robert Forsyth Little, lawyer, of 14 Wall street, and Francis G. Lloyd, president of Brooks Bros.

Mrs. William Jay has accepted membership on the executive committee of the Independent Citizens Committee.

TRUCE HITS SHIPBUILDING.

Shows Patriotism, but 1918 Output Is 2,721,281 Tons.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—American shipyards built 1,882 vessels of 2,721,281 gross tons in 1918. Reports of the Bureau of Navigation of the Commerce Department show this total, of which all but 124,000 tons represented seagoing ships, the seagoing steel tonnage alone aggregating 1,861,321 gross tons. The bureau's figures for 1917 construction show that 1,024,000 gross tons were constructed by American shipyards.

The armistice brought about a decided setback in the yards' output. November was the month of greatest construction in the history of American shipbuilding, 171 vessels of 357,660 gross tons of seagoing ships being produced. In December only 153 ships were completed and the tonnage amounted to 283,359.

STEWART FLAGG IS DEAD FROM WOUNDS

Cousin of War Artist Succumbs After Operation in Paris.

Stewart Flagg, son of the late William H. Flagg of this city and cousin of James Montgomery Flagg, the war artist, is dead in Paris as a result of injuries he received in the July offensive of the American Army, according to an announcement made yesterday. He apparently had recovered from an operation necessitated by his injuries when he was fatally stricken on December 13.

Mr. Flagg, who was living in Paris when the war broke out, volunteered as a hospital attendant. After serving many months in this capacity he joined the Hartjes Section Sanitaire No. 5, and was attached to the Sixty-sixth Chasseurs Division of the French army. When the United States entered the war he enlisted as a private in the American ambulance service. At that time he had been thrice cited for conspicuous bravery and had been decorated with the Croix de Guerre and the Fourragere.

Mr. Flagg was also a veteran of the Spanish war, having served as a gun pointer on the U. S. S. Yankee in the battles of Santiago and in other engagements. He was a graduate of Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., class of 1893.

Lieut. Patrick J. Gilleran, 26, of 1283 third avenue, reported killed in action October 13, served four years as a sergeant in the Seventy-first Regiment, N. Y. N. G., before the United States entered the war. He was commissioned last May and went to France as a member of Company I, Thirtieth Infantry.

The information that he was listed as having been wounded November 11, the last day of the fighting in France, came as a surprise yesterday to Lieut. George Archer, Jr., of 144 Lefferts place, Brooklyn. Lieut. Archer received the news at Atlantic City, where he is recuperating from the effects of being gassed on September 2. He arrived in this country December 13 after spending some weeks in an English hospital.

An even greater surprise in the shape of information from the front has come to Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards of Rockaway Beach, parents of Private Henry G. Edwards. Private Edwards was reported dead some months ago and in the meantime insurance on his life had been paid to his parents.

A gold star had long since replaced the blue one on the service flag in a window of the Edwards home when a postman put into Mrs. Edwards's trembling hands an envelope addressed in the familiar and unmistakable handwriting of her son. She opened it and found a letter from Henry stating that he was recovering from severe wounds sustained in the second battle of the Marne. He wrote that part of his jaw had been shot away and that he had been shot through both legs and had may shrapnel wounds all over his body, but that he had pulled through with his life and expected to be home before long.

His mother, overcome with joy, collapsed upon reading the letter and has since been under the care of a physician.

Mineral Expert Called to Paris.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 4.—Announcement was made at the University of Wisconsin to-day that Prof. Charles K. Leith, head of the department of minerology at the university, had been called to Europe to give advice at the peace table.

WIRELESS TO RELIEVE CABLE.

Burleson Orders Government Messages to Europe Sent by Radio

Special Despatch to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Orders were issued by Postmaster-General Burleson to-day for routing by wireless all Government cable messages addressed to Europe unless specifically stamped "not to be sent by radio." The order does not apply to private cable messages, those sent by individuals or business firms, and does not apply to confidential Government messages.

Routing of Government messages by radio wherever possible was determined upon because of congestion of the cable lines.

Both the War and Navy departments have been asked to cooperate in radio use and to instruct officers in Europe to use radio for official messages wherever possible.

BIG 'DRY' VICTORY IN OHIO DECISION

Federal Judge Hollister Denies Injunction to Prevent Vote on Amendment.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 4.—Prohibition forces gained a signal victory in the United States District Court here to-day when Judge Hollister handed down an opinion dismissing a suit to enjoin Gov. James M. Cox from presenting to the coming meeting of the Ohio Legislature the proposed national prohibition amendment.

Judge Hollister, in a lengthy opinion not only dismissed the injunction suit but stated that it was his opinion that the chief point made by the plaintiff, Albert G. Erkenbrecker, a real estate man, that the proposed amendment should have received the approval of two-thirds of the total membership of both Houses of Congress instead of two-thirds of the members voting, was not good logic.

Two-thirds of Quorum Enough.

In this respect, the court said:

"Since the 'body' is the 'House' and a majority of a quorum transacts the business of the House, in passing a bill, so two-thirds of a quorum passes a resolution proposing an admendment. So it seems to this court.

"If the framers of the Constitution had intended by use of the word 'House' a different meaning from its universal meaning, when applied to the ordinary business of enacting laws, it would seem that they would not have left such an important matter to conjecture and inference and would have said 'two-thirds of the membership of the House' rather than two-thirds of the House."

No Reason for Injunction.

In his opinion, ruling strictly on the injunction suit, Judge Hollister said he could see no reason why this matter could not have been decided after ratification of the proposed amendment as well as before ratification. He saw no reason why an injunction against Gov. Cox should be granted, inasmuch as the plaintiff would not be injured by the act of the Governor in submitting the amendment.

Gov. Cox was made the defendant in the case because it was he who would have to submit the amendment to the Ohio General Assembly. If the contention of the suit had been upheld finally it would have proved a stumbling block to national prohibition. Counsel for Erkenbrecker announced that the case would be taken to a higher court.

$2,500 AND JEWELS VANISH.

Johnstown Man's Father Believes He Was Drugged and Robbed.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan. 4.—Lawrence Brockett, said to be a wealthy lumber dealer of Johnstown, N. Y., who was sought here to-day by relatives, has been committed to the State Insane Hospital at Northampton. Brockett is said to have drawn $2,500 from a bank before coming here to close a business deal, and when arrested in a hotel he had no money nor jewelry valued at $400.

Brockett's father believes he was victimized by men, who may have drugged him, causing insanity, and cites a previous similar experience.

AMERICANS ON CANADIAN LIST.

New Yorker Named as Died of Wounds.

OTTAWA, Jan. 4. — The following names of Americans appear in to-day's overseas casualty list:

DIED OF WOUNDS.

HANNIFORD, J. R., New York.

DIED.

CATTERSON, M. C., Trout Creek, Mich.
GORING, G., Los Angeles.

ILL.

HALLOW, W., Detroit.

PRISONER REPATRIATED.

QUINN, D. P., Millican, Ore.

KILLED IN ACTION.

EDWARDS, E. P., Holloway, Ohio.

Kearny Packing Plant Burned.

Fire destroyed yesterday the fertilizer building at the plant of Swift & Co., meat packers, located in the Kearny, N. J., meadows. The loss is estimated at $200,000.

BAKER TELLS WHAT WASHINGTON MEANT

Says He Did Not Intend That We Should Become a Hermit Nation.

WAR TRIUMPHS RECITED

U. S. Achievements on Field and in Industrial Lines Recited in Buffalo.

Special Despatch to THE SUN.

BUFFALO, Jan. 4.—Strong advocacy of a league of nations, such as appears to be in the President's mind, was made here to-night when Secretary Baker spoke before the Chamber of Commerce. Secretary Baker said he had no intention of speaking for President Wilson, because the President had spoken for himself. He did back the President's ideas absolutely. And then he proceeded to advance arguments, one of the main contentions being that Washington's Farewell Address contains no admonitions against a world pact such as is desired.

The early part of the Secretary's rather long speech was devoted to a review of America's preparation for war and participation in war. He spoke of the national unity that had been developed, of how the true spirit of the country had been aroused and fused in tremendous purpose. He mentioned the magnitude of the industrial problems that had to be solved, and in this connection said:

"There is much talk of the United States having had to rely upon Great Britain and France to supply its armies with heavy artillery; nevertheless, American industry did, in fact, supply to Great Britain and France practically an equivalent to that made available to us from them. American industry was able to meet the demands made upon it, and on the day the armistice was signed our army abroad was thoroughly equipped with American made rifles and machine guns, some heavy artillery had been shipped, and the stream of supplies in all types of artillery, ammunition and equipment was beginning at such a rate as would have supplied our own vast forces entirely within a very few months.

"Some idea of the vastness of these undertakings can be got from the fact that from the beginning of the war the Congress appropriated for the War Department the great sum of twenty-four billion dollars. Of this approximately half was either spent or committed. You business men will realize how strong the country is which can appropriate such a sum and in the space of twenty months perfect the industrial organization necessary to start a steady stream of production which, with rising volume, was at the point of becoming adequate to completely equip and maintain an army of 5,000,000 men."

The Secretary reviewed the military operations briefly.

"I am not assessing the strength of Great Britain or France or Italy. No one is more aware than I of the stout-hearted valor of their soldiers and no one admires more than I the sacrifices their armies and peoples endured; no one more cheerfully concedes that they bore through three long years the almost insupportable burden, and when I speak of America's achievements it is in praise alike of the things we have done and the things they have done. But can we not draw from Gen. Pershing's army a measure of our national strength? We have made a voyage of discovery and found unsuspected capacities in ourselves. Democracy has been tested and proved to be as effective as it is wholesome."

Turning to the proposed league of nations, Secretary Baker said that it was inconceivable that the peoples of the world are willing to face another such situation as that which just preceded the war. Something must be done to delay at least such dreadful explosions. He believed that the enlightenment of this age would make a peace league successful.

"We hear it said," he went on, "that there are very special reasons why the United States cannot safely pledge itself to concerted action with the other nations of the world in international concerns and the reasons most often assigned are those which grow out of past history and certain words of advice impressed upon our young republic by the greatest of the fathers. As to those two reasons, it seems fair to observe that in the first place the United States was immeasurably farther away from its nearest international neighbor in 1800 than it is from its most remote and inaccessable sister in 1919. Our isolation no longer exists. Whether we like it or not, we have the liberties and responsibilities of a great people among the other peoples of the earth and we cannot escape the consequences of this fact by closing our eyes to the change which has taken place in a hundred years.

"Washington's admonition to us was not that we should be a hermit nation, erecting insuperable barriers to intercourse between us and others, living in timid distrust of our own powers and fearful of our own impulses. He did caution our infant republic against entangling alliances, and the language of his farewell address makes it entirely clear that he had in mind alliances with states which had 'primary interests which to us have no very remote relation,' such as would engage them 'in frequent controversies the causes of which are essentially foreign to our concerns.'"

FINDS CROSS SALES BY TAX DODGERS

Assistant Prosecutor Charges Fictitious Dealings in Liberty Bonds.

Market juggling by holders and speculators in Liberty bonds, whose combined transactions amount to more than $250,000,000, in an effort to show losses offsetting profits on the year's business when making income tax reports, was charged yesterday by Edward S. Brogan, Assistant District Attorney, who is investigating the cause of the slump in prices of Liberty bonds on the market.

"Cross orders by big holders of bonds, who sold and bought back large amounts in an effort to dodge the income tax was largely responsible for forcing the market down," he said yesterday.

"I intend holding a conference with William H. Edwards and Mark Eisner, Collectors of Internal Revenue, and if necessary I will cooperate with them to the extent of calling on the board of governors of the New York Stock Exchange for a record of buying and selling orders exceeding $500,000 from all Stock Exchange houses.

He charges that the low prices for which bonds were sold at the end of the income tax year was seized upon by many to manipulate their securities in such a way as to show great losses, which did not exist in fact. Such transactions reached their peak, he says, when $40,000,000 worth of Liberty bonds were traded in on September 30.

An attorney familiar with the market and the income tax law was consulted recently on this proposition by a broker, according to Mr. Brogan. His answer to a question was, "I think the Government will allow a deduction if the sale is a real one, but it would be unfortunate if the bonds repurchased had the same numbers as the ones you had sold."

The exchange by small investors of Liberty bonds for worthless stock in wildcat commercial enterprises also is under investigation by the District Attorney's office.

He said he was going to subpœna a number of such operators to the District Attorney's office for examination.

94 U. S. PRISONERS ARRIVE IN FRANCE

Three Officers and 91 Men Reported Released From Camps in Germany.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Names of three officers and ninety-one enlisted men who have reached France after being released from German prison camps were announced to-day by the War Department. The death of Lieut. Edward T. Comegys of Washington, D. C., while a prisoner in Germany, also was reported. Of the enlisted men twenty-one came from Camp Rastatt, recently reported to have been evacuated.

The officers released were Capt. Henry A. House, Duluth, Minn.; Lieut. Christopher W. Ford, 2064 Eighth avenue, New York city, and Lieut. Herbert R. Kendall, Santa Ana, Cal.

Enlisted men:

AUCHENPAUGH, Elmer, 273 89th st., Brooklyn.
QUINN, Jeff D., Glencoe, Ala.
HATCHETT, James D., Glenwood, Ia.
HOLLAND, David J., Atlantic City, N. J.
MENGER, Charles, 242 Sumpter st., Brooklyn.
ROMFEREIN, Fred R., Roslyn, S. D.
OLSEN, George W., Chicago, Ill.
STEVENS, Albert, Levanna, Ohio.
MILLER, Howard M., Fannettsburg, Pa.
STARZAK, Walter, Detroit.
MOECKEL, Paul F., Wishek, N. D.
MONTGOMERY, Frank V., Bismarck, N. D.
MACHINO, Antonio, Clarksburg, W. Va.
O'DONNELL, James B., 1646 Myrtle av., Brooklyn, N. Y.
PERRY, Albert L., Noti, Ore.
GUIDISE, Edward A., Haverstraw, N. Y.
HANSES, Homer, Willow Lake, S. D.
FILBEY, Edgar J., Balbo, Ind.
MURPHY, Jeff Davis, Wortham, Tex.
KINGSBURY, William F., Minneapolis, Minn.
STONE, Henry C., Mount Oliver, Pa.
SHIELD, Lawrence Charles, Erie, Pa.
DEMKOWRKI, Joseph, Nanticoke, Pa.
SCHWEDER, Raymond, Harrisburg, Pa.
CRILLEY, Edward, Frostburg, Md.
TATAREK, Margin, 544 Jersey av., Jersey City, N. J.
VADLUGA, Paul, Philadelphia, Pa.
MAINES, Charces, Millville, N. J.
PORTIN, Antonio P., Pawtucket, R. I.
RICHBURG, John E., Opp, Ala.
MARTIN, Arthur A., Lawrence, Mass.
STRIPLIN, William G., Heflin, Ala.
EPLER, Clarence Carl, Reading, Pa.
MASTERS, Abarner E., Alum Rock, Pa.
RUSSELL, John M., Camden, N. J.
LOMBARDI, Julius, 12 King st., New York.
DOERR, Harry T., Philadelphia.
HILL, Eugene F., Dunkirk, Miss.
HUCHIRA, Anthony, 130 Dudley st., Jersey City, N. J.
MATHEY, Roy J., Washingtonville, Ohio.
CHRISTAKOS, Lewis D., Detroit.
GRAHAM, Paul H., Monroe, Ind.
COBB, Arthur C., Vernon, Tex.
ROTI, Eddie N., Cottonwood, Minn.
KEMP, Hobart, Somerset, Pa.
HELLINGER, Barton, Wrightsville, Pa.
HILL, Edward F., 497 St. Mark's av., Brooklyn.
ALWRAN, Argus L., Lawndale, N. C.
WEIDMAN, Irwin H., Clay, Pa.
YARKINSKICK, Steve, Amherst, Ohio.
EMANUELLI, Charles, Athol, Mass.
GEDWILL, Mike, Chicago.
SAIRE, Nick, Gasport, Pa.
CERRA, Pasquale, Duquesne, Pa.
SMITH, Herbert E., Cambridge, Mass.
PETRAKIS, George, 132 W. 28th st., New York.
FIORETTI, Antonio, 445 Fordham rd., New York.
CRANE, Rollin E., Grant Meadow, Minn.
STEFIEN, John, Pittsburg.
HAM, Fay M., Tulsa, Okla.
LESPERANCE, Pierre, Woonsocket, R. I.
LAUGHLIN, James W., Harrold, S. D.
BELL, Edgar L., Wilmington, N. C.
KOLETZ, George, Chicago.
RYAN, John D. J., 447 E. 80th st., New York.
CONNOLLY, Timothy A., 136 Hooper st., Brooklyn.
CIANFROGNA, Guy, Newburgh, N. Y.
DAILEY, Ivan, Evansville, Ind.
EARLY, Howard M., Sherman, Pa.
GALLAGHER, John J., Yonkers, N. Y.
LOVINUK, John, Russia.
TENNER, George Valentine, 506 E. 165th st., New York.
KARLSON, Erick, Sweden.
AMUNDSON, Blarne A., Superior, Wis.
PARRAMORE, Abbott W., Eureka, Fla.
SMITH, Mark G., Greenville, N. C.
MAYO, Earl A., Nantucket, Mass.
CARLES, William H., Juniata, Pa.
CARDELLA, Francesco, Cleveland, Ohio.
FUQUA, Lee Roy, Stony, Tex.
PARK, Charles E., Rockwell, N. C.
SAUER, Ferdinand, Perryville, Mo.
SCHROEDER, Hugo C., New Haven, Mo.
AGUIAR, Antone M., Fall River, Mass.
RAFFLE, William J., Philadelphia.
KILLIAN, Thomas F., Pittsfield, Mass.
MERILL, Hugh, Elora, Tenn.
CORNELL, Charles E., Sannock, R. I.
DE FEO, Luigi, Italy.
HUEBLE, Frederick, Lumbridge, N. D.
STACY, Leston W., Walnut, Ia.

Police Department Orders

APPOINTMENTS.

To take effect January 2:

PROBATIONARY PATROLMEN.

To Headquarters Div., training school—Philip Kelly, $1313; Abraham Solomon, 5137; Richard J. O'Hara, 6659; Michael J. A. Mullany, 10041; Charles F. Belinge, 8895; Richard R. Maddeford, 5226; Michael De Luca, 8248.

TRANSFERS AND ASSIGNMENTS.

To take effect 12:01 A. M., January 3:

PATROLMEN.

From Div. of National Defence (special war payroll), to precincts indicated, indefinite leaves of absence are hereby revoked:

John J. Mulligan, 13; Henry V. McCaddin, 93.

To take effect 8 A. M., January 6:

James P. Boyle, 40 Prec., to 22d Prec.

TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENTS.

PATROLMEN.

John J. Keane, 78th Prec., to Headquarters Div., to clerical duty in division of transportation for 12 days from 8 A. M., January 4.

Edward Walsh, 109th Prec., to Headquarters Div., for 12 days from 8 A. M., January 4.

Michael Steinmets, 116th Prec., assigned as acting attendant from 8 A. M., January 1, during absence of attendant on sick report.

William I. D. Waters, marine division, to traffic division, assigned to clerical duty from 8 A. M., January 2, during absence of patrolman on sick report.

From precincts indicated to 3d Insp. Dist., to duty in raided premises for 12 days from 8 A. M., January 4:

Anton Litzenberger, 29; Harry Heron, Bridge.

From precincts indicated to 6th Insp. Dist., to duty in raided premises for 12 days from 8 A. M., January 4:

Thomas F. McCue, 42; Raymond Ames, 43.

From precincts indicated to Headquarters Div., div. of transportation, to duty in automobile repair shop for 12 days from 8 A. M., January 4:

William Walsh, 42; George Wilmarth, 43; Thomas Ward, 88; Henry J. Grippen, 88.

The following leaves of absence are authorized, without pay:

PATROLMEN.

Walter J. Wolff, 33d Prec., for 1 day from 4 P. M. January 3.

Joseph V. McGovern, 42d Prec., for 3 days from 12:01 A. M. January 3.

George C. Moench, 46th Prec., for 3 days from 12:01 A. M. January 3.

Edwin W. Hearn, 49th Prec., for 1 day from 12:01 A. M. January 2.

Relieved from suspension and restored to duty:

PATROLMAN.

Michael T. Malone, No. 6551, 1st Prec., to take effect 9:25 A. M. January 8.

The following resignation is accepted. To take effect 12 P. M. January 3:

PROBATIONARY PATROLMAN.

Daniel J. Falvey, No. 2468, Headquarters Div., Training School.

DEATHS.

PATROLMEN.

Charles H. Russell, No. 7511, 65th Prec., died at 10 A. M. January 2 at his residence, 169 Campbell avenue, West Brighton, Staten Island, from natural causes. Funeral from his late residence 9 A. M. January 6. Interment St. Peter's Cemetery.

Hugh S. Waterson, No. 7219, 77th Prec., died at 9 P. M. January 2 at his residence, 1171 Lincoln place, Brooklyn, from natural causes. Funeral from his late residence 10 A. M. January 6. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

RETIRED PATROLMAN.

John McKenna, formerly attached to the 14th Prec., died January 2 at Central Islip from natural causes. Funeral from his late residence, 182 South Jefferson avenue, Richmond Hill, Long Island, 10 A. M. January 6. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

BANQUET.

Sergeants desiring to attend the annual banquet of the Sergeants Benevolent Association, to be held in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel 7 P. M. January 20, will be excused from duty from 4 P. M. January 20 to 8 A. M. January 21.

Commanding officers of Inspection Districts will regulate the tour of duty of sergeants in precincts within their respective districts for the 24 hours commencing 8 A. M. January 20.

Where enough sergeants are not available, patrolmen who are on the eligible list for sergeant will be assigned as acting sergeants on tours from 4 P. M. January 20 to 8 A. M. January 21, where such patrolmen are not available the senior patrolmen of the platoons shall be so assigned.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

United States Coast and Geodetic Survey—Standard Time.

Sun rises.....7:20 A M Sun sets.....4:43 P M
Moon sets.....8:38 P M

HIGH WATER THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook...8:29 A M Gov. Island...9:36 A M
Hell Gate .....11:34 A M

LOW WATER THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook...3:23 A M Gov. Island...3:44 A M
Hell Gate .....5:36 A M

ARRIVALS—SATURDAY, JAN. 4.

Ss Lake Tahoe, Cardiff, Dec. 16.
Ss Texan, Bordeaux, Dec. 31.
Ss West Lianga, St. Nazaire.
Ss Ampetco, London, Dec. 18.
Ss Virginian, St. Nazaire, Dec. 22.
Ss Olaf, Philadelphia.
Ss Kalfarli, Havre, Dec. 20.
Ss Bellatrix, Nantes, Dec. 16.
Ss Crema, Gibraltar, Dec. 17.
Ss Evanville, Cardiff, Dec. 16.
Ss Siryn, Cardiff, Dec. 17.
Ss Mayaro, Trinidad, Dec. 27.
Ss Esperanza, Havana, Dec. 31.
Ss Gene Crowley, Tampico, Dec. 24.
Ss Western Wave, Norfolk.
Ss W. M. Burton, Norfolk, Jan. 1.
Ss Alamo, Galveston, Dec. 28.
Ss Arapahoe, Jacksonville, Jan. 1.
Ss Princess Anne, Norfolk.

ARRIVED FROM NEW YORK.

Ss La Lorraine, at Bordeaux.
Ss Celtic, at Liverpool.
Ss Tudor Prince, at Genoa.
Ss Almirante, at Galveston.
Ss Edward L. Doheny, at Port Arthur.
Ss Apache, at Jacksonville.
Ss Mohawk, at Charleston.
Ss City of Rome, at Savannah.
Ship Kirkcudbrightshire, at Queenstown.
Ss Appelea, at Bordeaux.
Ss Penang Maru, at Brest.
Ss De Kalb, at Liverpool.
Ss Durango, at Barcelona.
Ss Elisabeth van Belgie, at Rotterdam.
Ss Piaf Kyree, at Buenos Ayres.

SAILED FOR NEW YORK.

Ss Santa Paula, from Gibraltar.
Ss Malanchs, from Avonmouth.
Ss New York, from Rotterdam.
Ss Communipaw, from Rouen.
Ss Guilfland, from Port Arthur.
Ss Polerine, from Port Arthur.
Ss El Paso, from Galveston.
Ss Comanche, from Charleston.
Ss City of Atlanta, from Savannah.
Ss Accomma, from Boston.

OUTGOING STEAMSHIPS.

Still To-morrow.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Oriana, Glasgow	.....	12 00 M

Sail Tuesday.

Espagne, Bordeaux	8 30 A M	12 00 M
Lagarfoss, Reykjavik	12 00 M	3 00 P M
Vulcania, Paramaribo	8 30 A M	12 00 M
Pawnee, Rio	10 00 A M	1 00 P M
George Washington (Nor.) Buenos Ayres	12 00 M	3 00 P M

Sail Wednesday.

Carmania, Liverpool	8 00 A M	12 00 M
Owego, Gibraltar	10 30 A M	1 00 P M
City of Benares, Cape Town	12 00 M	3 00 P M
Iroquois, Turks Island	8 30 A M	1 00 P M
Brighton, Kingston	9 30 A M	1 00 P M
Westerdyk, Santos	9 30 A M	12 00 M
Philadelphia, San Juan	9 30 A M	1 00 P M
Lady of Gaspe, St. Johns	12 00 M	3 00 P M

INCOMING STEAMSHIPS.

Due To-day.

Ss Nieuw Amsterdam, Brest, Dec. 28.
Ss Mar Mediterraneo, Barcelona, Nov. 30.
Ss Owego, Gibraltar, Dec. 9.
Ss Collingham, Havre, Dec. 16.
Ss Pignese, Rouen, Dec. 11.
Ss Scotia, Rotterdam, Dec. 14.
Ss Hollandia, Gothenberg, Dec. 14.
Ss Dania, Barry, Dec. 17.
Ss Western Chief, London, Dec. 16.
Ss Wildrecht, La Rochelle, Dec. 17.
Ss Tapajoz, Bahia, Dec. 17.
Ss Nautic, Hull, Dec. 19.
Ss Ericksholm, Shields, Dec. 20.
Ss Alban, Liverpool, Dec. 21.
Ss Ocland, Barry, Dec. 17.
Ss Hans Maersk, Gibraltar, Dec. 18.
Ss Tsuyama Maru, London, Dec. 21.
Ss Storviken, Barry, Dec. 21.
Ss Gouverneur de Lanessheere, Barry, Dec. 18.
Ss Canoga, Bordeaux, Dec. 20.
Ss Generalconsul Pallisen, Cardiff, Dec. 20
Ss Northwestern, Shields, Dec. 20.
Ss Santa Isabel, Savannah, Dec. 26.
Ss Kraiburgen, Savannah, Dec. 30.
Ss Atalaia, Havre, Dec. 21.
Ss Mertainen, Shields, Dec. 22.
Ss Hestern Cross, Cristobal, Dec. 27.
Ss Agamemnon, Brest, Dec. 28.
Ss Toronto, Hull, Dec. 22.
Ss Catalonia, Gothenberg, Dec. 18.
Ss Randwyk, Havre, Dec. 21.
Ss Dayton, Greenock, Dec. 22.
Ss West Cape, Cristobal, Dec. 23.

Due To-morrow.

Ss Tolosa, Nantes, Dec. 28.
Ss Wells City, Bristol, Dec. 23.
Ss Bris, Gothenburg, Dec. 18.
Ss Fernao Velhao, Gibraltar, Dec. 22.
Ss Ocean, Rotterdam, Dec. 21.
Ss El Valle, Galveston, Dec. 30.
Ss Comanche, Jacksonville, Jan. 3.

Due Tuesday.

Ss Louisville, Southampton, Dec. 28.
Ss Royal Prince, Bordeaux, Dec. 26.
Ss C. Lopez y Lopez, Cadiz, Dec. 26.
Ss Roman Prince, Brest, Dec. 26.
Ss Haidar, Hull, Dec. 23.
Ss Kerry Range, Gibraltar, Dec. 23.
Ss John Blumer, Christiania, Dec. 23.
Ss Ossabaw, Port Eads, Dec. 30.

Due Wednesday.

Ss David Lloyd George, Havre, Dec. 23.
Ss Santa Marta, Brest, Dec. 27.
Ss Santa Teresa, Bordeaux, Dec. 27.
Ss William A. McKenney, La Pallice, Dec. 26.
Ss Strinda, Barry, Dec. 20.

Due Thursday.

Ss Madawaska, St. Nazaire, Dec. 29.
Ss Powhatan, Bordeaux, Dec. 27.
Ss Julia Luckenbach, Gibraltar, Dec. 27.
Ss Cluja, Brest, Dec. 20.

TRANSATLANTIC PARCEL POST MAILS

Great Britain and Ireland—Close at 7 A. M. Jan. 8, Ss. Carmania.

France—Close at 7:30 A. M. Jan. 7, Ss. Espagne, and at 7:30 A. M. Jan. 11, Ss. Niagara.

Italy—Close at 9:30 A. M. Jan. 8, Ss. Owego, and at 9:30 A. M. Jan. 11, Ss. San Giorgio.

Gibraltar—Close at 9:30 A. M. Jan. 8, Ss. Owego, and at 9:30 A. M. Jan. 11, Ss. San Giorgio.

Portugal—Close at 9 A. M. Jan. 7, Ss. London.

Liberia, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Belgium, Netherlands, Greece, Germany, Austria and Hungary—Service suspended.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS.

Connecting mails close at G. P. O. and City Hall station at 6:30 P. M. daily.

Philippine Islands (via San Francisco) Jan. 6, Ss. Colombia.

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Philippine Islands (via San Francisco) Jan. 13, Ss. Macua.

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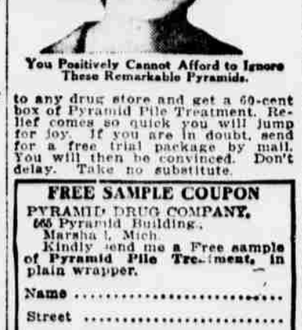

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Capt. Pope Describes Battle for Winning Which King Gives Him Cross.

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—How the British steamer Transport, carrying in her cargo more than thirty-five tons of gunpowder, engaged in a running fight with a German submarine for several hours and finally sank the enemy craft, is related in a letter received here to-day from Alfred T. Pope, commander of the Transport. The submersible fired six or seven shots at the steamship in addition to letting loose several torpedoes, one of which passed within twenty feet of the vessel.

The enemy was first sighted about 4 P. M. September 11 and exchanged shots with the Transport, Commander Pope said, but neither vessel was hit. At dark the Transport sent up several distress signals, thinking to attract patrol vessels, but none responded.

About 9 o'clock that night the wake of a torpedo was seen and the steamer was swung around just in time to avoid being hit. Twenty minutes later she barely escaped another torpedo. About the same time the submarine was sighted on the port bow.

Commander Pope headed his ship for it and ran it down. There was a heavy shock followed by a grinding noise, and soon afterward the submarine was sighted in the darkness with her bow in the air. Several men appeared on her deck, but as they failed to respond to hails from the Transport the gun crew was ordered to open fire again. The second shot hit her fairly and she disappeared from sight.

Commander Pope was decorated with the cross of the Distinguished Service Order by King George after the sinking was reported.

Influenza Wanes in Boston.

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—A reduction of 50 per cent. in the number of deaths from influenza and pneumonia in this city was shown in reports received at the Health Department to-day for the twenty-four hours ending 9 A. M. During that period there were but seventeen deaths, as compared with thirty-four reported for the day previous.

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