

LUSITANIA SAFE IN PORT; DID NOT FLY U. S. FLAG

Rough Weather Prevailed During Entire Voyage Across From Liverpool.

RYNE PASSENGER ON SHIP

Private Secretary to Ambassador Gerard at Berlin Confirms Report of Incident When Americans Were Criticized for Speaking English.

NEW YORK, February 20.—The British liner Lusitania reached New York today from Liverpool, having made the trip, her officers said, without finding it necessary to hoist the United States flag. On the outward voyage the liner sailed under the Stars and Stripes until in the Irish Sea.

Fear of German submarines kept the big vessel at anchor in the Mersey for nearly five hours after she left her dock until an hour or more after midnight, according to passengers. The ship's officers said they were waiting for favorable tide. The wait lasted from 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon till 7:30 o'clock in the evening. Then the Lusitania proceeded at full speed down the channel in the darkness.

Rough weather prevailed during the entire voyage across, and the vessel averaged only a little over twenty knots.

Once clear of the Mersey, the Lusitania did not stop till she reached New York. Her Liverpool pilot was carried aboard and landed here. Captain Dow said rough weather prevented the pilot from leaving the ship.

Mr. R. B. Pyne, private secretary to Ambassador Gerard, at Berlin, said that inasmuch as Germany was at war with England, the English language was out of place in a German theatre. He was expressing his objections loudly when a German sitting nearby rose to his feet and stopped him, saying, "Sit down, don't you see those gentlemen are Americans?"

"Several men from other parts of the audience approached, and the disturbance was quiet. Immediate apologies were offered by the theatre attendants and German residents in the audience, and afterwards an official apology came from Berlin city authorities."

Asked about reported shortage of food supplies in Germany, Mr. Pyne said:

"So far as I could see when I left Berlin, there was no serious shortage. Foodstuffs prices had not materially advanced, although there was little white bread to be had. Theatres were running, restaurants were well patronized, and the Germans were confident their armies would be successful." Mr. Pyne expects to return to Berlin in a few weeks.

W. C. T. U. TO ENTERTAIN

Elaborate Program Arranged for Celebration in Woodland Heights.

A Colonial entertainment will be given to-morrow evening from 8 to 11 o'clock in the home of Dr. D. G. Wilson, 506 West Thirtieth Street, Woodland Heights. The affair will be under the auspices of the Woodland Heights branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and elaborate preparations have been made for the evening.

Receiving—The Misses Irene Baber, Rose Dew, Lillie Hinnant, Eva Dillard, Myrtle Barrette, Mary Baber.

Entertainment—Mrs. D. G. Wilson, Mrs. J. W. Wilkenson, Mrs. T. W. Duke, Arrangements—Mrs. Nunnally, J. W. Wilkenson, Frank Baber.

Refreshments—Mrs. C. C. Osterling, Mrs. A. J. Thornton, Mrs. J. W. Wilkenson.

Candy Booth—Misses Irene Baber, Louise Williams, Thelma Williams, Flossie Minter.

Grab-Bag—J. W. Wilkenson.

The following is the program, in charge of Dr. D. G. Wilson: Northside orchestra, solo by Mrs. Shifflet, reading by Mrs. Walker, Woodland Heights quartet, duet by Misses Louise Reynolds and Rosa Robertson, recitation by Miss Adelle Critchfield, solo by Miss Louise Wilkenson.

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NEGROES DRIVEN AWAY BY NIGHT-RIDER THREATS

Warned That They Will Be Severely Dealt With Unless Order Is Obeyed.

GOVERNOR IS APPEALED TO

Civil Authorities in New Madrid County, Mo., Say Situation Is Beyond Their Control—Prosperous Whites Condemn the Raid.

NEW MADRID, MO., February 20.—As the result of warnings of "night riders" that they must leave the district before Tuesday morning, nearly 200 negroes left New Madrid County last night and this morning. Possibly as many more are preparing to depart before the time-limit expires. Thus far there has been no violence.

The negroes, most of whom are employed on farms in this county, will be severely dealt with unless they obey the order announces. It is expected trouble will result. Sheriff Conran has asked Governor Moberly to send militia to help him restore order. Adjutant-General O'Meara, who left Jefferson City last night for New Madrid, will make an investigation of the situation, which the civil authorities say has gone beyond their control.

Negroes working on the government levee at Lenda and Dorena, in Mississippi County, also have been notified to stop work and leave the county. A foreman in charge of the laborers has been notified to stop employing the blacks. The first warning note was tied to a bundle of switches, and the second contained a crude drawing of a shotgun.

Authorities said the order for the negroes to leave apparently was not based on any specific objectionable act, but on the feeling because some white workmen thought they should have the trouble between the whites and the negroes seems to have its origin in the land rental system. Last December the white renters demanded a reduction from \$6 to \$5 an acre. The negroes were content to continue paying \$5, and when new rent contracts were drawn up in January more negroes than ever were given places on the farms.

Discontent among the whites then developed, and personal threats were followed by the posting of notices for the negroes to leave. The more prosperous whites have condemned the raid, and are trying to prevent the exodus of negroes from becoming general.

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NEW BRIEF IN FRANK CASE FILED IN SUPREME COURT

Appeal on Refusal of Georgia Tribunal to Release Him in Habeas Corpus Proceedings.

WILL BE ARGUED THIS WEEK

For First Time Attorneys Declare Prisoner Does Not Contend He Cannot Be Held for New Trial if Present Sentence Is Set Aside.

WASHINGTON, February 20.—Attorneys for Leo M. Frank, sentenced to death for the murder of Mary Phagan, the Atlanta factory girl, filed in the Supreme Court to-day briefs in Frank's appeal from the Georgia Federal Court's refusal to release him in a habeas corpus proceeding. The appeal will be argued next week.

They contend the trial court lost jurisdiction by abdicate its functions from fear of mob violence, and by arranging for Frank to remain out of court when the verdict was announced. For the first time, the attorneys declare Frank does not contend he cannot be held for a new trial if the present death sentence is set aside.

The brief declares Frank's counsel at the trial could not waive his right to be present when the verdict was rendered. It is argued if he could be absent then, he could be absent during the entire trial.

JURORS SUBJECTED TO SPECIES OF DURESS

"When the jurors returned into the courtroom," the brief continues, "and found the prisoner absent, with none to look into their faces but the excited multitude, and when, after the first juror had been polled, the tumult of applause and the cheers that were belted were so resounding as to prevent the responses of the jurors as they were polled from being heard from their seats, it is possible to believe that those jurors acted as free moral agents, or that they were not subjected to a species of duress that swept from their minds every thought save that of personal jeopardy?"

"A trial amid such concomitants is a mere travesty. It is not a legal proceeding."

Being out of court, Frank was unable to raise the question as to the denial of his rights under the Federal Constitution, the brief contends. Once he had been denied a right, unavailing efforts to obtain a new trial could not act to make the judgment legal, it added.

The brief concludes: "In the present case, the Superior

Court of Georgia has jurisdiction over the appeal after its indictment and down to the later stages of his trial. The verdict and all subsequent proceedings being nullities, he is entitled to his discharge from the void judgment, and to be relieved from the void sentence of death. He does not, however, contend that he cannot be held for further trial under the indictment."

CREW GIVEN TEN MINUTES TO LEAVE FRENCH STEAMER

CHESTERBOURG (VIA PARIS), February 20.—The story of the sinking on Tuesday of the French steamer Ville de Lille by a German submarine off the Harleur lighthouse, east of Cherbourg, has been brought here by the vessel's boatman.

The submarine, he said, was the U-14. It pursued the Ville de Lille some distance, and maneuvered in such a way as to prevent her escape. When the submarine came alongside her the captain said: "I will give you ten minutes to leave the ship."

The crew took to the boats and pulled for Harleur. Two men from the submarine boarded the steamer and placed a bomb in the captain's room and another in the fore-castle. Ten minutes later there were two explosions, and the ship began to sink.

When it was seen what desperate efforts the Ville de Lille's sailors were making to row to the coast, the submarine came up and took them in tow. The steamer was in sight. The captain of the steamer, injured his chin in clambering into the boat, and the German commander took him aboard the submarine and gave him first-aid treatment. The German also supplied the master of the steamer with a fine pair of sea boots, as he had been compelled to leave his own behind.

MANY MASTERS WILL ATTEND MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

ALEXANDRIA, VA., February 20.—Grand masters or their representatives from many of the States in the Union will attend the fifth annual meeting of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, which will be held here on Monday and Tuesday. General Thomas J. Stuyvesant, grand master of Maryland, will preside. Many of the delegates will arrive to-morrow, and at night will be tendered an informal reception in the Masonic Temple. This convention will be one of the most largely attended ever held, according to responses received by Charles H. Callahan, local secretary of the association.

On Monday afternoon the delegates will go to Mount Vernon and place a wreath on Washington's tomb, and at

night they will attend the annual banquet of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, of which lodge George Washington was the first master. Sessions on Tuesday will be devoted exclusively to business.

The object of the association is the erection of a permanent temple to "Washington the Mason." Virginia will be represented by James V. Wood, grand master; William B. McCaskey, past grand master; W. L. Andrews, past grand master; R. T. W. Duke, past grand master; John F. Mayer, sovereign grand inspector-general; James H. Price, representing the grand high priest; and Sol Catchings, past grand high priest; James E. Alexander, past commander.

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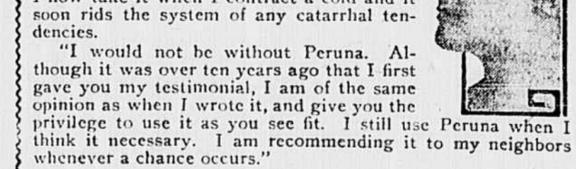
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