

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Friday fair, cooler, Friday

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS

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FOUR MILLION MEN MAY BE MOBILIZED

CITY OF ATHENS RAMMED AND SEVENTY-FOUR LIVES ARE LOST

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, May 2.—Seventy-four lives were lost when the steamship City of Athens of the Ocean Steamship company, was rammed at 1:30 o'clock by a French cruiser off the Delaware coast.

New York City, Rev. J. P. Reynolds, New York City; Isaac Dalzell, Paterson, N. J.; Mrs. F. D. Holman, Hyde Park, Mass.; Edward Clug, Savannah, Ga.; Gaw Donk, Brooklyn, N. Y.; R. A. Young, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SHIPBUILDING PLAN WILL BE EXPRADED

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—Expansion of the shipbuilding program to provide for the construction of 200 additional wooden vessels of 4500 or 4700 deadweight tons was announced last night by Chairman Hurley of the shipping board.

Nearing Three Billion Mark

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—The loan subscriptions have reached \$2,641,631,850, indicating the success of the "buy another bond" and "match the president" campaigns.

IRISH HOME RULE BILL IS POSTPONED

(By Associated Press) LONDON, May 2.—Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, declared in common Wednesday that he couldn't say when the Irish home rule bill will be introduced.

SPLENDID BRAVERY OF BRITISH AIR MEN

(By Associated Press) LONDON, May 2.—The Victoria cross has been awarded to Lieutenants Allen, Gerrard, Alan and McLeod of the royal air force.

SECRETARY BAKER EXPRESSES NEED FOR VAST ARMY AT ONCE

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—Secretary Baker will carry to congress today the army increase program mapped out by President Wilson and his advisers and based on the determination to win the war, if it takes the whole man-power of the nation to do it.

able to call out more men without delaying to seek authority. Evidence came yesterday in various ways of the tremendous effort that now is being made to send American armies into the fight in such numbers and in such time as to make victory certain.

BRITISH FREIGHTER TEARS DIVER APART

(By Associated Press) ATLANTIC PORT, May 2.—A new British freighter celebrated its maiden voyage to America by running down and sinking a German submarine off the Irish coast, the crew reported.

KNIGHTS OF LIBERTY HANDLE DISLOYALIST

(By Associated Press) SAN JOSE, Cal., May 2.—George Koertzer is in jail for his own protection following his tarring and feathering last night by the "Knights of Liberty," a member of which notified the police that Koertzer was found guilty of making disloyal utterances.

INCREASED RATES TO BE DEFERRED A YEAR

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—Postoffice department employees and recommendation in the matter of proposed increased postage for second class mail matter were presented to the senate committee on postoffices yesterday by John C. Koons, assistant postmaster general.

WILL RESENTENCE PRISONERS

(By Associated Press) SAN FRANCISCO, May 2.—The court of appeal has granted writs of habeas corpus directing the return of various courts for re-sentencing of forty-one convicts sentenced under the indeterminate law for offenses committed before the law became effective.

PEACE NOTE REPORTS GERMAN PROPOGANDA

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—Wireless dispatches dated The Hague and quoting Cologne newspapers as saying Pope Benedict intends to issue a new peace offer on May 19 were accepted in official circles here yesterday as another "bit of German propoganda."

GERMANS MUSTER IN 1920 CLASS

(By Associated Press) BRITISH ARMY IN FLANDERS, May 2.—Prisoners say that the 1920 class of Germans are being mustered in at Kreis Offenbach and that they have been mustered in at Kreis-nimptsch.

GERMANS ESTABLISH MILITARY REGIME

(By Associated Press) LONDON, May 2.—The Germans have established military rule at Kiev, the Ukrainian capital, and arrested a number of members of the government on the ground that "the government is too weak to maintain law and order," according to a Berlin official statement.

ADDRESSES WILL BE PRINTED HEREAFTER

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—The casualty list today contained the names of eleven killed in action, two died of wounds, three of accident, seven of disease and three of other causes.

AVIATORS KILLED

(By Associated Press) PORT WORTH, May 2.—Lieutenant James Enis, Jr., of New York, and Cadet Paul Herriot of Oakland were killed at Hicks field in a straight nose dive.

STEAMER SUNK

(By Associated Press) NOW AT AN ATLANTIC PORT, May 2.—The Norwegian steamer Fjell was sunk off the Virginia coast at midnight Tuesday night when she collided with the British steamer Livingstonia.

APPEAL TO CITIES

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, May 2.—Secretary McAdoo in a final statement for the third Liberty loan called upon the people of large cities and towns to make their subscriptions equal to those of rural districts.

FRENCH SAILORS PRAISED

(By Associated Press) ATLANTIC PORT, May 2.—Survivors of the City of Athens, which was sunk with a loss of sixty-six lives in a collision off Delaware with a French cruiser, praised the work of the French sailors.

HOUSING BILL NOW READY FOR CONFEREES

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—The housing bill, appropriating \$60,000,000 for the lease, construction or requisition of quarters for war workers, was passed late yesterday by the senate with many modifications in the form it was passed by the house.

INVESTIGATION DEMANDED

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—Investigation of the army aviation situation with a view to criminal prosecution is urged in the senate. Spirited speeches were made today charging gross extravagance and misuse of appropriations. Several senators declared for further investigation.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

Table with 2 columns: Date/Time and Event (Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah; 5 a. m. 53 33; 9 a. m. 60 45; 12 noon 72 50; Maximum May 1 77 61; Minimum May 1 49 38; Relative humidity at noon today, 43 per cent.)

NEWS CASE BEFORE U. S. SUPREME COURT

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—The case of the Associated Press to enjoin the International News service from pirating news dispatches is up for argument in the supreme court, on the latter's appeal from the order of the lower courts granting the injunction.

HOW VESSEL WAR LOST

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—Senator Phelan, speaking before the senate mines committee considering the ore conservation bill, said he believed the missing American naval collier Cyclops was destroyed by an explosion placed in the manganese cargo by Germans while the vessel was loading at Bahia, Brazil.

"BUY ANOTHER BOND" AND "MATCH PRESIDENT" LATEST NATIONAL GAMES

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—The "buy another bond" movement developed by Liberty loan headquarters as a boom feature of the final days of the campaign, grew yesterday into a national "match the president" contest.

BOHEMIANS JOIN ITALIANS

(By Associated Press) LONDON, May 2.—The Daily Mail's correspondent at Italian headquarters says that Bohemian troops are joining the Italian troops against Austria and that the first detachments are already on the Italian fighting line wearing Italian uniforms.

BUTLER THEATRE TO-NIGHT

BEAUTIFUL BILLIE BURKE in "ARMS AND THE GIRL" Love, Laughs, Adventure and Intrigue in thrilling story of life "over there." Story of an American girl in Belgium at the beginning of the war.