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28 DIE ON AIRSHIP

ENTIRE GERMAN ADMIRALTY TRIAL BOARD AMONG THOSE SLAIN BY BLAST.

THREE OTHERS DIE IN FALLS

Baron Von Bleu, the Only Survivor, With Both Eyes Burned Out, Begs to Be Shot by Rescuers—Thousands Witness Disaster.

Berlin, Oct. 20.—The newest of the Zeppelin war airships, the L-2, was destroyed in midair by an explosion on Friday. All but one of the twenty-eight military men were killed.

The twenty-eight represented the entire personnel of the admiralty board which was conducting the final trial of the dirigible, looking to its acceptance by the government as a new unit of the German aerial navy, the pilot and crew and invited guests.

Every person that went aloft in the big airship is dead.

Twenty-seven were killed almost instantly by the explosion of the gas in the balloons or burned to death as the flaming wreck fell to the ground from a height of 900 feet.

One man, Lieutenant Baron von Bleu of the Queen Augusta Grenadier Guards, a guest of the admiralty board, was extricated alive from the twisted wreckage. His eyes were burned out and he suffered other terrible hurts. Begging his rescuers to kill him and end his sufferings, he was taken to a hospital, where he died at night.

The official report of the accident says the explosion was due to the ignition of gas in or above the forward gondola, but not within the body of the airship.

The navy was not the only sufferer of the day through aviation accidents. Three army officers were killed in aeroplane flights.

Emperor William, in a telegram to the minister of marine, voiced public sentiment concerning the accident by saying:

"The sorrow over what has happened, I am convinced, will only be a spur to renewed exertions to develop so important an aerial weapon into a trustworthy implement of war."

The newspapers reflect the emperor's belief that there should be no relaxation in the efforts to supply Germany with an adequate aerial fleet.

The total dead: Lieutenant Bernisch, commander and head of admiralty trial board conducting the final trial of the L-2 at a speed of forty miles an hour.

Captain Glund, one of Zeppelin's veteran dirigible pilots.

Lieutenant Freyer, commander of the airship's crew and favorite of the emperor.

Lieutenant Baron Von Bleu, guest on airship; rescued alive, but died in hospital.

Lieutenant Trenk, second in command.

Neumann and Pletzier, naval constructors.

Hansman, chief engineer.

Busch, naval engineer, former navigator of the imperial yacht Hohenzollern.

Nineteen members of the admiralty board and the L-2's crew.

Captain Haessler, member of the army navigation corps; killed when aeroplane landed in tree top near Breslau.

Lieutenant Koch, killed in fall of aeroplane near Wursburg.

Sergeant Mante, fell with Lieutenant Koch.

The airship disaster occurred above the main street of the city of Johannisthal, while the big dirigible was making a trial trip preliminary to its acceptance as flagship of the new German aerial navy. The shattered bulk of the airship, a mass of blazing canvas and crumpled aluminum, dropped 500 feet into the public highway.

Hundreds of people who had been watching the flight from parks and house-tops rushed to the scene. There was nothing to be done except to take the bodies of the victims out of the mass of twisted wreckage.

HUERTA QUILTS AS PRESIDENT

Cuban Government Gets Message That Mexican Executive Has Resigned in Favor of Blanquet.

Havana, Oct. 20.—The Cuban government on Friday received a wireless dispatch saying that President Huerta has resigned in favor of General Blanquet. Gen. Aureliano Blanquet, who was General Huerta's right-hand man in the coup d'etat by which Madero was overthrown, has held the portfolio of war in the recently organized Mexican cabinet.

\$150,000 Fire in Reno, Nev.
Reno, Nev., Oct. 20.—Fire early destroyed the Nevada Hardware and Supply Company building here. The loss was \$150,000. The cause was unknown. The fire was the most spectacular and the largest here in years.

Woodruff Fortune \$1,000,000.
New York, Oct. 20.—Timothy L. Woodruff, according to an estimate by his son, John E. Woodruff, left an estate estimated at about \$1,000,000. The bulk of the fortune, it is said, is left to Mr. Woodruff's second wife.

Carnegie Returns to United States.
New York, Oct. 20.—Andrew Carnegie returned to the United States on the Cunard liner Mauretania from Scotland. He said he was delighted at the recent victory of Francis Oulast, the brilliant young golfer.

WHEN IRELAND GETS HOME RULE



When home rule is established in Ireland it is likely that the building now occupied by the Bank of Ireland, in College Green, Dublin, will again become the Irish parliament house, as it was long ago. Below the picture of the bank are Jim Larkin (left) and Joseph Devlin (right), who will be rivals for the leadership of the Labor party in the Irish parliament.

LEAVE PUERTA PLATA

U. S. WARSHIPS PREVENT GERMAN SHIP ENTERING HARBOR.

Complications Expected to Arise by Action of Commander—No Report at Washington.

Cape Haitien, Oct. 18.—American warships blockading the port of Puerta Plata refused to permit the German steamship Syria, from Sanches, to enter the harbor Thursday.

The situation at Puerta Plata is considered critical. The city is threatened with attack by land and sea. Foreigners are taking refuge on board vessels in the harbor.

The revolutionists have been advised by the American commander to stop hostilities. Otherwise, he says, troops will be landed. The American consul at Puerta Plata is urging all American citizens to leave this city.

War operations were resumed when the rebels refused to accept the terms of a treaty of peace that was brought about by James M. Sullivan, the American minister.

Washington, Oct. 18.—No report has been received at the state department on the reported action of American warships refusing to permit the German steamship Syria to enter Puerta Plata. If this has been done complications with the German government over the situation there probably will arise.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES

Highland Light, Mass., Oct. 18.—Four men are believed to have lost their lives when the coal laden barge Sumner B. Meade was driven ashore near the Cahoons Hollow life saving station, eight miles south of here.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 18.—Bruce Mounts, son of former State Senator W. L. Mounts, was killed and A. Crawford, Jr., son of A. W. Crawford of the state board of equalization, was seriously injured by Mount's automobile.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 18.—Julian Hawthorne, the writer, completed his term in prison here at midnight Tuesday. He left for New York in the morning. He is the picture of health, having gained more than thirty pounds in the prison. "I have nothing to say of my plans," said the writer.

Champaign, Ill., Oct. 17.—O. P. Sullivan, Urbana merchant, was arrested charged with the murder of W. Larry. The arrest followed the alleged discovery that Sullivan owned the revolver found beneath the body.

MRS. MACKAY DENIES CHARGE
Asserts Mrs. C. K. Blake is Jealous and of an Ungovernable Temper, in Reply to Suit.

New York, Oct. 17.—Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay, suffrage leader and wife of the head of the Postal Telegraph-Cable company, broke her silence regarding the \$1,000,000 suit filed against her by Catherine K. Blake for alleged alienation of the affections of her husband, Dr. Joseph A. Blake.

Through her personal counsel, Arthur C. Train, Mrs. Mackay denies all of Mrs. Blake's allegations in a formal answer filed in the supreme court and characterized Mrs. Blake as one who has a "jealous disposition, an ungovernable temper" and "no affection or love for her husband."

Attempted Robbery Is Foiled.
Joliet, Ill., Oct. 18.—An attempt to rob the Frankfort bank was probably frustrated when a sheriff's posse from Joliet captured an automobile load of bandits near New Lenox and found in the automobile nitroglycerin.

Would Take "V" Out of Five Spots.
Washington, Oct. 18.—Treasurer McAdoo ordered that the numeral 5 be used henceforth instead of the V. It is not decided as yet whether this will mean that the numeral 5 will supply the V. on \$5 bills.

Fined Under Antigonip Act.
Appletown, Wis., Oct. 18.—Mrs. Rosa Lehn was the first person to be fined here under the antigonip act. She paid a fine of \$21.80 after having pleaded guilty to the gonip charge preferred by a Mrs. McDonald.

Two More Americans Slain.
Washington, Oct. 18.—Two more Americans have been added to the list of those killed in Mexico, says a dispatch. The victims were reported killed at the mines in the state of Guadalupe.

Crowned at Naval Maneuvers.
Washington, Oct. 18.—Harry A. Garrity of Chicago was lost overboard from the torpedo boat destroyer Paulding during the maneuvers east of Block Island. Garrity was a gunner's mate.

KIEV TRIAL ASSAILED

EPISCOPALIANS HIT CHARGE OF "RITUAL MURDER."

National Council Meeting in New York Asserts Allegation is Unfounded and Unjust.

New York, Oct. 17.—The ritual murder trial at Kiev, Russia, was condemned in a resolution adopted on Wednesday by the house of deputies, the joint clerical and lay body of the Protestant Episcopal church at the triennial general convention.

The Episcopalians also took steps to amend their prayer book by eliminating the passage in the Good Friday collect where Jews are classed with "infidels, Turks and heretics."

In presenting the resolutions regarding the Kiev trial Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity church, New York, said:

"Jews in this city are deeply moved by this matter, Jewish brethren have asked me to bring before this convention a protest, voicing the sentiments contained in a petition signed in England by the archbishop of Canterbury and by many bishops, clergy and laymen of the church."

The resolution said:

"We call upon the archbishops, bishops and other members of the Holy Orthodox Eastern church of Russia to make formal pronouncement that charges of so-called 'ritual murders' are without foundation or justification in the teachings and practice of the religion of Israel."

"We remind them that in the early days of Christianity similar charges were made by ignorance and superstition against our own most holy religion."

SULZER IS REMOVED
OUSTED GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK DENIES ALL CHARGES—GLYNN SWORN IN.

SAYS "BOSS" WROTE VERDICT
Court of Impeachment by Vote of 43 to 12 Removes Chief From Office—Refuse to Bar Him From Further Positions.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 18.—William Sulzer ceased to be governor of the state of New York Friday. He was removed from office by the high court of impeachment by a vote of 43 to 12, two members not voting.

Martin H. Glynn, lieutenant governor, was sworn in as his successor, the first in the history of the state to step into its high office in this manner.

Robert F. Wagner, Democratic leader of the senate, became lieutenant governor. The verdict of the court was that Sulzer was guilty of falsification, perjury and an attempt to suppress evidence against him. Of all other charges he was acquitted, the court unanimously voting him not guilty of the four remaining articles of impeachment.

By a virtually unanimous vote the impeachment tribunal also decided that Sulzer should not be punished by disqualification to hold office of honor and trust in this state in the future. This would have been the extreme penalty under the law.

The ousted executive was served with a copy of the verdict of the court at the executive mansion—christened by himself "the people's home"—at night.

"Good. I thank you," he said to the sergeant-at-arms of the senate, who delivered the document.

The outgoing executive issued a statement in which he denounced the tribunal which had removed him as "Murphy's high court of infamy."

"Murphy controlled the assembly and ordered the impeachment," Sulzer said. "He controlled most of the members of the court and dictated procedure and wrote the judgment. He was the judge and jury; the prosecutor and the bailiff."

He entered a general denial of all the charges in the impeachment articles, denied he had ever assisted Allan A. Ryan to obtain the influence of Murphy or Republican State Chairman Barnes to stop the trial; said the testimony of Henry Morgenthau could be explained; asserted that every dollar that had been given him during his campaign had been properly accounted for; that he was \$76,000 in debt; and that he had been "faithful to his trust," and that he "handed back to the people the commission they gave me un tarnished and unscathed."

MARSHALL CLASSIFIES SELF
Vice-President Declares He Doesn't Know Whether "He is Fish or Fowl, or Just Plain Hash."

Washington, Oct. 18.—"Nobody since our government was formed has been able to tell whether a vice-president is fish or fowl, or just plain hash." Thus Vice-President Marshall classified himself in a speech before Washington Masons on class distinction. He said: "We speak of not finding in America what we call our classes. But we do build unconsciously classes in America, some dependent on wealth, some on distinction and place."

FOOD PRICES SOON TO SOAR
United States Expects Scarcity of Crops and Big Meat Famine.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Experts of the department of agriculture announce that food crops and meats are scarce. As a result the "high cost of living" will continue to soar.

The prices of meats September 1 was far in excess of the figures for the last two years and the estimates of the crops that provide food supplies for the American tables proved discouraging.

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BIG BACK TAX LIST

WILL STOCK 2,800 ACRE RANCH WITH CATTLE.

NEWS FROM OVER THE STATE

What is Going on Here and There that is of Interest to the Readers Throughout Nebraska and Vicinity.

COMING EVENTS.
Knights of Pythias district convention at Clay Center October 29.

National Coursing Meet at Wymore, October 21 to 25.

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State Christian Endeavor convention at Beatrice, October 23.

Nebraska Master Bakers' convention at Omaha, October 21 to 23.

Richardson County Teachers' association at Humboldt, October 25 and 26.

Woman's suffrage convention at Lincoln November 5, 6, 7.

Mid-state poultry show at Scottsbluff, December 10, 11, 12.

County chicken show at Fremont, in December.

Hastings.—That high taxes, one of the numerous causes of the high cost of living, are the result of neglect on the part of former county officials, is learned by County Treasurer McIntosh, who declares there was more than \$250,000 in old personal taxes due Adams county from the past twenty-eight years less than 2 per cent of which is now collectable. Under the new law now effective the county treasurer and his bondsmen are personally responsible for the collection of all personal taxes unless the treasurer has in his possession the proper papers from the sheriff showing distress warrants have been issued and that there is no property on which levy can be made.

Poured Kerosene on Fire.
Beatrice.—Beulah, the seven-year-old daughter of Mrs. I. M. Koons, was burned to death when she poured kerosene on a fire in a coal stove, and her two-year-old sister Leitha was badly burned about the face and hands. The children had been left for a few minutes by their mother and Beulah endeavored to get the fire started pouring oil on the coal. An explosion followed and she ran down stairs from their apartments enveloped in mass of flames.

Will Stock Big Ranch.
Neligh.—Brinkerhoff & Johnson have purchased for \$76,000 the ranch property known as the Ham and Collier ranch, owned by John Burke, in the northern part of Wheeler county. The ranch embraces 2,800 acres, and the owners expect to stock it with cattle from Kansas and the southern part of this state. They have already brought into north Nebraska 1,200 head, and expect to bring in 400 more at once.

Odd Fellows Dedicate New Hall.
Inman.—The handsome new hall and opera house just finished by Inman lodge No. 397, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, was dedicated Thursday. Grand Master T. W. Bass, assisted by Grand Warden J. C. Harsh of O'Neill and Mr. McFarland of Lynch as grand marshal and five of the Inman members, put on the work of the dedication ceremonies. There were about 1,000 Odd Fellows and visitors present.

Decapitation of Fowl Disastrous.
Tecumseh.—An attempt to decapitate a chicken resulted painfully for Mae VanHorn of Pawnee county. The girl was holding the chicken with her brother Morris handling the axe. As the weapon fell the chicken fluttered and the girl's hand was brought under the axe. The services of a surgeon were required to close an ugly gash extending from the wrist to the finger tips.

The Nebraska Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows was in session at Lincoln, October 14-15.

Refuse Contaminates River Water.
Beatrice.—Farmers living near Holmesville have complained to County Attorney Cobhey that when their cows drink river water, which has been contaminated by refuse from the gas plant, the milk and butter has an unpleasant taste and a gassy odor. They also claim that the fish in the blue river are injured by the gas in the water.

The Albion Commercial club has taken steps toward securing a farm demonstrator for Boone county.

Narrow Escape from Flames.
Hastings.—Although literally given a bath of flame when a gasoline stove she was lighting exploded and threw cinders fluid all about her, Mrs. Katharine Burkhardt escaped without serious injuries. Although the whole kitchen was in a blaze a moment, Mrs. Burkhardt emerged without having her clothing caught.

Kearney Y. M. C. A. has purchased a lot and is making preparations for the erection of a home for its members.

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Wm. Lorenz, Jr., Proprietor

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W. Lorenz, Jr. Dakota City, Neb.

WINTER EXCURSIONS

Effective October 18th—Winter Tourist rates to Florida and Gulf resorts,—Jacksonville, Palm Beach, Tampa, Key West, Mobile, New Orleans; slightly higher rates to Florida, one way via Washington, D. C. Also to Florida, one way via New Orleans.

Effective November 1st: Winter Tourist rates to Texas, New Mexico, Cuba, Galveston, Houston, Ft. Worth, San Antonio. Southern Landseakers' Excursions: First and Third Tuesday.

To California: The usual Winter Tourist rates, nine months' limit. Through standard and tourist sleepers.

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Winter Publications—"Low Rates South," "California Excursions," "Pacific Coast Tours," "One Way Colonist Rates."

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