

# HUGE ARMED U-LINER IN PORT TODAY

Submarine U-53 Commanded By Lieutenant Commander Rose Arrives at Newport Harbor.

ITS MISSION IS NOT KNOWN

Naval Craft to Spend Night Outside Harbor—Will Not Take on Supplies, Is Report.

Newport, R. I., Oct. 7.—The German submarine U-53, from Wilhelmshafen, arrived at the harbor this afternoon. She crossed the ocean in 17 days.

The U-53 is a man-of-war and flies the flag of the German navy and had a single gun on her deck.

The submarine anchored in the outer harbor two miles down the bay. No one came ashore, but a representative of the Associated Press was allowed to go aboard and learned the vessel's story.

The U-53 will go outside the harbor for anchorage during the night.

The U-53, in command of Lieut. Capt. Hans Rose, appeared spick and span upon her arrival here and looked as if she had been out only for maneuvers. Her commander reports that he had not sighted any hostile craft on his voyage over, adding that the boat was plentifully supplied with provisions and fuel and nothing would be taken aboard here.

Shortly after the submarine came in, Commander Rose paid an official call upon Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, commandant of the Narragansett bay station to whom he stated the vessel intended to leave port tonight. Commander Rose explained that the submarine, which is a regular war vessel, and equipped with wireless had put in here only to deliver official mail for the German ambassador. He declined to say whether he had been ordered to American waters to check for the German mercantile submarine Bremen long overdue on this side.

## MONEY ASKED TO AID CHRISTIAN ARMENIANS

President Names October 22 as Day For Giving—Thousands Are Suffering.

The recent massacres of Armenians which caused President Wilson to proclaim October 22 as a day on which contributions for the victims should be taken in churches, were carried out systematically, according to reports from Armenia.

On a given day the streets of whatever town it might be were occupied by the local gendarmes with whips, bayonets, and the Turkish governor summoned all able bodied men of Armenian race that had been exempted from military draft to present themselves now on pain of death. "Able bodied" received a liberal interpretation, for it included any male between 15 and 70 years of age, and these were all marched out of the town by the gendarmes. They had not far to go, for the brigandage had been reinforced for the purpose from the jails, and the brigands and Kurds at large were waiting in the hills. They were waiting to murder the prisoners. The first secluded valley witnessed their wholesale massacre, and, acquitted of their task, the gendarmes marched back leisurely into town.

Bands of women and children were driven forth from their homes in an agonizing state of apprehension. There was a heroism about their exodus, for there was still a hope of escape, apostasy. And in their case apostasy brought the certainty of life, because it meant their immediate entrance into the harem of a Turk. Life at the price of honor—most of them rejected it; and yet, if they had known all that lay before them, they might have judged it the better part. As it was, they clutched at the desperate chance of immunity, and presented themselves for the march. But the jail bred gendarmes had no intention of conducting the caravan intact to its destination. Many girls were sold into shame before the march began.

## RUINOUS COMPETITION AFTER WAR UNLIKELY

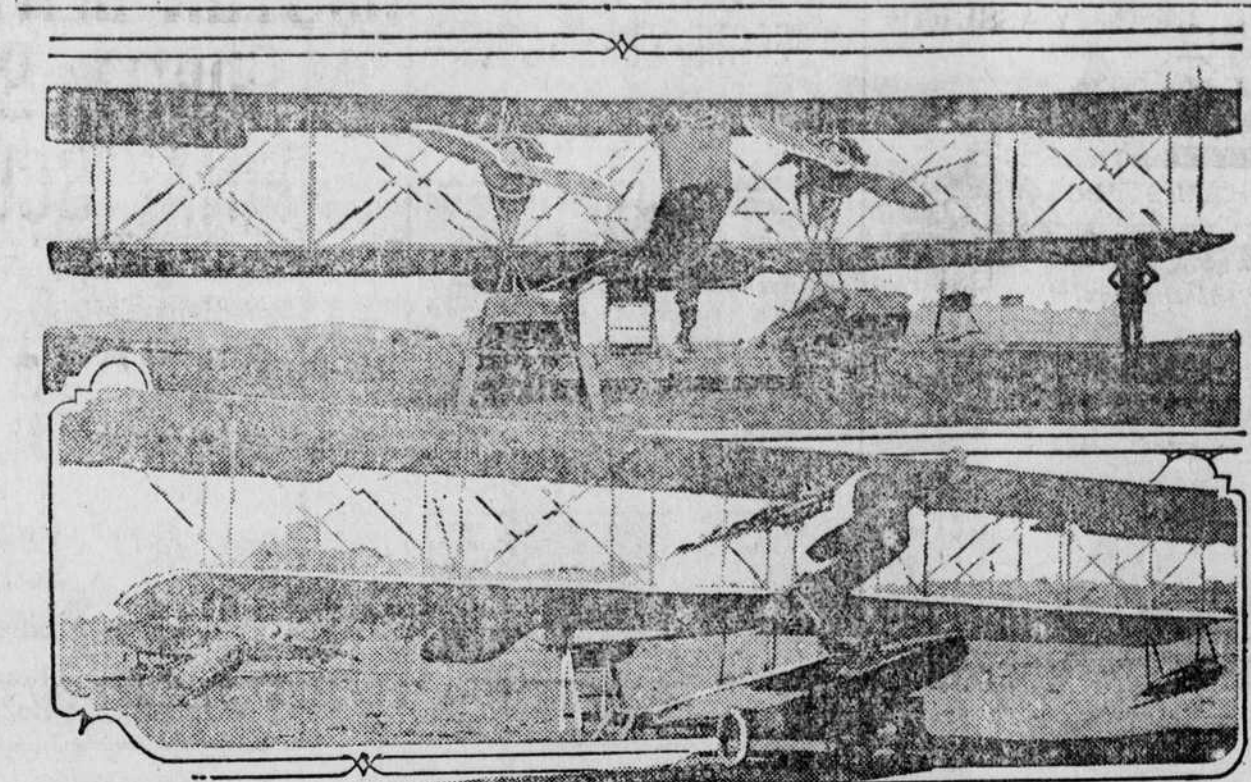
Bordeaux, Oct. 7.—John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American union, who has been discussing Latin-American trade matters with manufacturers and financiers in France and England, said before sailing on the liner Lafayette for New York today that he had found them in both countries planning to make greater efforts to improve commercial and financial relations with all America.

## ASKS LAW AFFECTING NAMELESS CHILDREN

Madison, Wis., Oct. 7.—Allowing the plea of guilty in the case of Helen Griep, of Watertown, that she killed her illegitimate child and threw the baby's body in the park lagoon, Dist. Atty. Harry Sauthoff has announced that he is going to ask the coming legislature for a new law to correct such situations.

"Every girl who becomes a mother is entitled to a husband," said Mr. Sauthoff today. "I think a law should be passed which will consider the mother and father of a child married from the instant the child was born, whether there be any church ceremony or not."

## UNCLE SAM TO STRENGTHEN NAVY WITH POWERFUL NEW AEROS



The aerial tractor J N (top) and the hydroplane N 9.

The naval aeronautical board has accepted the model known as N 9, a 100-horsepower single-pontoon hydroplane, as the first of thirty machines to be built by the Curtiss company near Newport News, Va. Minor modifications will be made in the other twenty-nine machines. The navy has also approved the J N, a Curtiss aerial tractor of the two-pontoon, twin-engine type. It develops 200-horsepower.

## KIDNAPER KILLED; PLOTTERS FOILED

Intended Victim Shoots Captor and Escapes—Four Men Held and Others Are Sought.

Oak Creek, Colo., Oct. 9.—With one dead and four suspects under arrest at Steamboat Springs, Sheriff A. H. Chivington and deputies early today were in pursuit of half a dozen other members of the band which kidnaped R. M. Perry, aged 39, manager of the Moffatt coal mine, Wednesday night, near here, and held him two days for \$15,000 ransom. Perry late yesterday grabbed a revolver from one of his abductors and killed the guard. He then fled to Denver, father of the man kidnaped, arrived from Denver on a special train with the \$15,000 ransom money at the spot designated by the kidnapers in a letter which said his son would be killed unless the money was forthcoming by Saturday night. The detectives planned to secrete themselves and close in on the band.

Perry was able to come to Oak Creek today and take part in directing pursuit of the kidnapers. The authorities believe there were about 12 in the plot. Sheriff Chivington stated today he had several clues, which he believed would result in the capture of the other members today.

The name of the dead kidnaper and the four suspects were unknown. They are said to be foreigners, former miners in the Oak Creek district.

## PRICE WAR CUTS COST OF SPUDS IN DES MOINES

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 7.—Potatoes at 25c a peck, in two-peck lots, were snapped up by a surging mob at the city market today when a merry spud war was launched here. About 600 bushels were sold in three hours.

C. Erickson, of Missouri Valley, started the battle by offering potatoes at \$1.35 to \$1.40 per bushel. This aroused local dealers and resulted in low prices today. Mayor MacVicar has announced he will bring spuds to the market here and sell them at cost.

## DEAD BODY IS FOUND IN OUTHOUSE CELLAR

Pueblo, Colo., Oct. 7.—The dead body of Roy Hearn, aged 25, was found in the cellar of an outbuilding on a ranch east of this city, last night, with his skull crushed and a bullet hole through his chin. He had been dead several days. No motive for the crime is known here.

Forest Steened, with whom Hearn was last seen, is being sought.

## MILK STRIKE RELIEF IS IN SIGHT TODAY

New York, Oct. 7.—Relief from the milk famine, due to a dispute between farmers and distributors, seemed in sight today when 12 companies signed agreements to pay the prices demanded by the producers for the next six months. These companies control about one third of the city supply.

They have promised to pay an advance of about 1 cent a quart to the producers.

## BALLOONISTS EXPECT TO SET NEW WORLD RECORD

Muskogee, Okla., Oct. 7.—Visions of new world records in long distance ballooning were sent today by pilots in the international balloon race before they left the ground. With nothing but favorable weather, it was predicted that previous endurance records in the aerial classic would be exceeded by the bags ascending today. Enthusiasts of the sky sport were here from all parts of the United States for the event.

Warren Razor, representing the Aero club of Dayton, Ohio, will start first, followed at five-minute intervals by William P. Assman in the "St. Louis," Dr. L. E. Custer, representing the Aero club of Wichita, Kan.; Capt. H. E. Honeywell, of St. Louis, in "Uncle Sam," said to be the largest balloon in America; E. S. Cole, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Capt. John Berry, representing the Million Population club of St. Louis.

## CONFESSES TO PART IN DARING ROBBERY

James Medskar Said to Have Admitted Holding Up Train Near Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 9.—James Medskar, also known as James Alexander, who was brought here from St. Louis last night has confessed, police declare, that he was one of three men who held up the New York express on the Michigan Central railroad near Detroit, September 27. The prisoner will be turned over to federal officials.

Medskar, it was said, gave the police the names of two accomplices, who are being sought.

In his confession Medskar declares his accomplices were railroad men and that he recently was employed as a switchman in Detroit. When they stopped the train, Medskar, according to his story, uncoupled the train, while his accomplices took two packages of registered mail. While in the mail car, O'Neill lost his pistol, Medskar declared. The robbers, looting the mail in the woods near by, obtained about \$500. They then returned to Detroit.

## GERM OF PARALYSIS IDENTIFIED, BELIEF

New York, Oct. 7.—A peculiar germ found in small abscesses in the tonsils and adenoids of victims of infantile paralysis has produced an infection similar to infantile paralysis when injected into lower animals, according to Dr. C. J. Rosenow, of the Mayo foundation at Rochester, Minn., who addressed a meeting of the New York Academy of Medicine.

Dr. Rosenow said that experiments had been conducted on rabbits, guinea pigs, monkeys, cats and dogs. He declared marked improvement was shown in cases of infantile paralysis following the removal of the tonsils and adenoids.

When cultures made from the germs found in the abscessed tonsils and adenoids of patients were injected into the lower animals, Dr. Rosenow added, the paralysis developed in from 24 hours to 10 days. The time depended upon the size of the injection.

Dr. Rosenow said he did not advocate the removal of tonsils in persons afflicted with infantile paralysis as a means to recovery. The number of experiments had been too small to prove valuable in this particular connection, he added. But what he considered of importance was the fact that now, for the first time, the disease could be treated pathologically on a much wider plane than has heretofore been possible.

## LADY HAIG WOULD BE CAPABLE NURSE



Lady Haig bandaging private Berthwick's finger.

Lady Haig, wife of the commander in chief of the British army in France, proved her aptitude for Red Cross work at a recent tournament arranged for the benefit of wounded soldiers. In the course of the tournament Private Berthwick, the winner of the event, injured his finger. Lady Haig deftly bandaged the wounded member.

## ALLIES PRESSING BULGARIANS BACK

Anglo-French-Serb Troops Are Closing In on Monastir—Heavy Fighting on Eastern Front.

London, Oct. 9.—A fresh Rumanian expedition is said to have crossed the river anube into Bulgaria, according to a wireless message from Rome. Field Marshal Von Mackensen, the German commander, is said to have sent troops to attack the Rumanian forces, but without success.

Berlin, (via London), Oct. 9.—Teutonic troops have made progress on the entente front in eastern Transylvania, according to an official statement issued today by the German army headquarters. Ground has been gained by the forces of the central powers near Orsova.

London, Oct. 9.—The entente campaign against Monastir in southern Serbia is developing rapidly. While allied forces have pressed to within not much more than a half dozen miles from Monastir on the south, the Serbians have advanced northwest from Kalmakalan, on the western slopes of the Nidje ridge. Here they are reported to have reached a point only about 16 miles east of Monastir.

British forces operating on the east bank of the Struma, on the Macedonian front, have pressed the Bulgarians further back, the war office announced today. Several additional villages have been occupied by the British.

Paris, Oct. 9.—The French troops on the Macedonian front have joined the offensive with the British and Serbians. The war office reports the occupation by the French of the town of German, on Lake Prespa.

The Serbians, continuing their advance north of Kalmakalan heights, have reached the valley of the Bela Voda, a tributary of the Cerna.

The British troops that crossed the Struma and occupied Nevoljen have suffered a violent counter attack of the Bulgarians.

## Grand Duke Nicholas to Take Dobrudja Command

London, Oct. 9.—The Grand Duke Nicholas, former commander in chief of the Russian armies, has been recalled from the scene of his triumphs in the Caucasus to command the Russo-Rumanian drive against Bulgaria, said a Stockholm dispatch received here today. The grand duke will be given supreme command of all the Russian and Rumanian forces operating in Dobrudja and on the Danube. He may act as an adviser of the Rumanian commanders in Transylvania.

The Stockholm report, as yet unconfirmed from Petrograd aroused the greatest interest here because of the renewal of heavy fighting in the Balkans both on the Rumanian frontier and Macedonia.

The arrival of the grand duke on the Rumanian border it is believed will be the signal for the opening of the double-barreled offensive to crush Bulgaria and close the Austro-German road to Constantinople.

## LULL ON SOMME FRONT.

Paris, Oct. 7.—The lull continues on the Somme front. Today's official announcement says the night passed quietly all along the battle line in France.

## RUSSIANS CLAIM GAINS.

Petrograd, Oct. 7.—(via London)—The Russo-Rumanian offensive in Dobrudja is being successfully pressed forward, it was announced today. The capture of two towns on this front and a bridge connecting them is reported.

## GERMANS REPULSED.

London, Oct. 7.—A German attack on British positions near Eaucourt LAubaye on the Somme front, was repulsed last night, the war office announced today.

## ATTACK BULGAR PORT.

Sofia, Oct. 6. (via London), October 7.—An attack on the Bulgarian port of Delezhatch, on the Aegean sea by an allied fleet is reported in today's communication from the war office which says no great damage was done. Bulgarian aeroplanes attacked the fleet causing it to withdraw.

Before the war Iceland was one of the poorest of countries, but during the last two years its exports to England of haddock, fish and salmon have brought in such unheard of riches that the bankers of Reykjavik are at their wits' ends to know what to do with the money.

## Wack Snakes Beneficial.

In Burlington county, New Jersey, the farmers who, in the erroneous belief that they are a pest, have been killing black snakes, are being urged to conserve them as enemies of the rattlers, which have been unpleasantly numerous this year. The damage done by the non-poisonous reptiles is now recognized to be of slight account in comparison with the good they do. Not only will the black snake fight and best the rattler, but he earns more than his keep by keeping down other pests. It has taken man a long time to identify his friends of the lower orders, and even today many persecuted animals do not receive the credit that is due to them.—New York Sun.

His Position. Peckem—My wife referred to me as the head of the house today. Meeks—How did that happen? Peckem—She was talking to a man who called to collect a bill.

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Meudon in Wartime. Meudon, the gay Meudon of trysts and moonlight promenades, has been transformed into a military camp. The station platform is crowded with uniformed soldiers of all branches; men on furlough in their stiffs of faded blue like dirty water, showing with pride holes torn in their coats by rifle balls, convalescents wearing the old red pantaloons, used only by those behind the fighting line, often with one leg folded up; Zouaves, whose baggy trousers, formerly blood-red, have now changed to an earthy color; Belgians in long brown coats, who never smile, and British Tommies spick and span as if they had just stepped from a bandbox.

The women, in passing, glance at the war crosses and smile.—Mme. Bernadini-Sjoestedt in Cartoons Magazine.

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## Diplomatic Intercourse.

Col. E. M. House said at a dinner in Washington:

"I sometimes think that diplomacy would be more successful if it were more truthful and frank. The way some diplomats treat one another, they don't get any nearer to real, helpful intercourse than the two celebrities did."

"Two celebrities, one a stutterer and the other deaf, were introduced at a tea. After the tea the stuttering celebrity was asked how he and the deaf one had got on.

"Oh, we got on fine," he answered. "I couldn't talk and he couldn't hear me."

## Grapes for the King.

It is reported that the king's grapevine at Windsor, in the garden near Cumberland Lodge, is doing well this year and is likely to yield more than 500 bunches. Planted in 1775, it is 210 feet in length and 20 feet in width. The most remarkable vine at Hampton Court, from which this is a cutting. This was planted in 1738 and still yields abundantly.

## What Might Happen.

"What would happen," said a summer boarder who is always trying to entertain the company, "if an irresistible force were to meet with an immovable body?"

"I reckon, maybe," replied Farmer Cornsossel, "there won't be nigh so many of us left to ask fool questions."

## Summer Resort Tithes.

"She gave me a kiss last night." "Well?" "Would it be good to ask for another tonight?" "Unquestionably, my boy. If you don't she may think you didn't like the sample."

## Every table should have its daily ration of

In the near future wireless apparatus will be installed in all important police stations.

## WHITE PINE IS IN PERIL

Blister Rust in the East Has Caused Heavy Ravages in Timber.

The present is a gloomy hour for the forestry enthusiasts, especially in the eastern states, where so much reliance is being placed upon the white pine as the tree par excellence for quickly rehabilitating our shabby woodlands. Last year's discoveries in Massachusetts of the dread blister rust of Europe led other states to investigate within their borders. The active and well organized co-operative effort that is now being made by the federal department of agriculture and the officers of the several states where timber interests are involved indicates the seriousness with which they regard the situation. Since their work for the control of the disease began in the early summer it has become apparent that while Massachusetts' is beyond question dangerously infected in certain sections, other states, whose officers regarded their territory as relatively free, are, in fact, no better off than we. All New England is on the fever map, and even Wisconsin and Minnesota investigators have lately turned up infection.

Hope for the successful control of the fungus is not forlorn, considering the plant pathologists who are conducting the campaign. The greatest need of the present hour, however, is a livelier interest on the part of our woodland owners.

## Putting Him Wise.

"What road leads to success?" asked the very young man. "Any road that is macadamized with grit and san," replied the Shelbyville sage.

## South China has no railways.



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