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AMERICAN WARSHIPS ON THE HUNT FOR U-BOATS

Fleet of Enemy Underwater Craft Operating on the Atlantic Seaboard --- New York Steamer Torpedoed and Fate of Crew and Passengers is Unknown --- So Far There Has Been No Attack Made on Transports

New York, June 3—Scores of United States warships were scouring the waters of the North Atlantic coast tonight, in search of the German submarines which made their long expected attack on shipping in home waters late yesterday afternoon. Out of the reports which swept through the maritime district after the Associated Press first flashed the news that two cruiser submarines were operating 75 miles southeast of the Highland of New Jersey these facts stood out—the steamship Carolina, of the New York and Porto Rico Steamship Company has been sunk. Nothing is known of the fate of the 220 passengers and crew of 130 who took to the boats when the underwater craft began shelling the liner.

The schooner Edward H. Cole, of Boston, has been sunk by bombs and Captain H. J. Newcomb, of Boston, with his crew of ten have been landed here after being rescued from the boat in which they were given an opportunity to escape. The schooners Jacob M. Haskell, of Boston, Isabel B. Wiley, of Bath, Maine, Hattie Dunn of Thomaston, Maine, and Samuel W. Hatheway have been sunk, but nothing is known of the fate of the crews except that of the Haskell which was rescued. The Savannah City schooner of Columbus, is reported to have been sunk but no definite news of her fate has been received.

Survivors Brought to Port

Fifteen survivors of U-boat attacks were brought to an Atlantic port tonight on a steamship which picked them up from small boats. Their dispositions were taken by government officials and they were held in communication on the steamship which remained at anchor all night. There were reports that they had been aboard a steamship and two schooners but the names of these vessels were not obtainable. It was said also that some of them had been kept prisoner eleven days aboard the submarine and then turned adrift in a small boat. All of them were picked up by a coast liner.

The Atlantic Refiner tanker Herbert L. Pratt was sunk four miles off Cape Henlopen (Del.) by a submarine. The crew was landed at Lewes (Del.)

No Attacks on Transports

It was learned authoritatively that no attacks have been made on American transports off the American coast.

All ships were held in ports along the coast, however, as a precaution. There were reports that fifteen vessels had fallen prey to the raiders but there was no confirmation of them. Some fear was felt for the safety of the 350 persons aboard the Carolina, a vessel of 8,000 tons, running between Porto Rico and an Atlantic port. An S.O.S. call sent by the steamship at 7 o'clock last night said she was being shelled by a German submarine and that passengers and crew had taken to the boats. Officers of the company assume she was sunk but have no definite information to that effect. They place her position at the time she was attacked from 125 to 150 miles south-east of Sandy Hook.

They have every hope that the boats full of passengers will be able to reach shore even if they are not picked up by some passing ship which is considered highly likely. The passenger list of the Carolina was not available here but it was known that among them were several American graduates of the officers training school conducted on the island. The Savannah Line officials said they were without confirmation of reports that the City of Columbus, a vessel of 5,433 gross tons, had been attacked. She left Savannah Friday under command of Captain Diehl and was due in Boston this morning. She was a sister ship of the City of Athens, sunk off the Delaware coast last month in collision with a French warship, with heavy loss of life.

Submarine Chasers Busy

While the details of naval operations were withheld it is known that a fleet of submarine chasers are busy on the coast. In their flights today the aircraft were not armed but in short time they will be equipped with bomb dropping machines.

The main point of discussion on the Maritime exchange tonight was concerning how many of the submersibles are operating on this side of the Atlantic. The general opinion was that a fleet of them have been sent over in the forlorn hope that by terrorizing American shipping they will be able to cripple the Allied flow of troops to France. It was unofficially declared tonight there was no danger of such a result and pointed to the fact that no attacks have been made on transports.

SOCIETY NEWS.

Mrs. J. H. MacDonald of St. John is visiting friends in the city. Miss Constance FitzRandolph entertained at a small dance last evening.

MARYSVILLE HAPPENINGS

(Continued from page 4.)

Pte. Albert Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris of Fredericton and formerly of this place. The deceased young man was a general favorite of the community when residing at this place and the heartfelt sympathy of a large circle of friends is extended to the members of the bereaved family.

Miss Edith Inch of New York is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Inch.

A number of Fredericton people held an enjoyable picnic at the Mill Brook grounds yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Bird has returned from a visit to Chatham.

Mr. Harold Manzer was visiting friends at Durham yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burns are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a young son at their home recently.

Mr. Thomas McDowell and Dr. Kierstead of Fredericton had a successful fishing trip on the Nashwaak yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Titus and family have removed to Devon.

Mrs. John Fletcher and son George have returned from a visit to Minto.

Gunner Arthur Stephenson of St. John paid a visit to relatives here for the week-end.

Miss Dorothy Cowan of St. John is visiting relatives here.

Miss Bessie Robinson of Forest Hill is visiting her sister Mrs. P. G. Long.

Miss Ella Johnston and Mrs. Robert Johnston who have been visiting relatives here have returned to Boston.

Woodstock Motorists.

A motoring party composed of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones, Mrs. C. J. Jones, Mrs. H. H. Ritchie and R. K. Jones, arrived from Woodstock last night. They are at the Queen.

Fire This Morning

The Fire Department was called out this morning by an alarm from box 17 for a fire at the residence of Mrs. N. J. Smith, King Street. The fire originated from a chimney and damaged a considerable area of the roof. One stream was used on the blaze.

Cyclone Last Night

A gale which was almost cyclonic in its fury passed over this section between eight and nine o'clock last night. The storm followed a period of very high temperature. Trees were blown down in various parts of the city and old shingled roofs suffered severely. Up the Nashwaak Valley there was a heavy rainfall.

Aberdeen Street Extension

Aberdeen Street Extension from Church Street to the C. G. R. tracks is again before the City Council, this time because a fence on the street front of one of the residents is claimed by his neighbors to be on city land. Ald. McKay, chairman of the Street Committee has given the City Council the opinion that there is no ground for the claim that the fence is on the street. The matter of purchasing land from the U. N. B. to make the street a full width still is in abeyance. It is said that one resident makes a practice of obstructing the street to force action by the city.

Will Not Press.

As announced in the Mail some weeks ago, the Canadian Patriotic Fund will not press for payment of the 1916 deficit of the fund as far as Fredericton is concerned. Similar action has been taken with regard to York and Sunbury counties.



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