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## BIG CUNARD LINER WAS SENT TO BOTTOM

### AUSTRIA REFUSES DEMANDS OF ITALY -- PROGRESS MADE AT DARDANELLES

#### AUSTRIA REFUSES DEMANDS-- ITALY LIKELY TO DECLARE WAR

GERMANS ARE LEAVING ROME--GOVT. OF ITALY TAKES OVER  
TELEPHONES AND TELEGRAPHS--AUSTRIA RUSH-  
ING ARTILLERY TO TRIESTE.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Rome, May 7.—Austria has formally rejected the terms put forward by Italy in return for her neutrality. As a result the Germans are leaving the city. The government has taken over all the telephones and telegraphs. Austria has suspended her rail service between Graz and Laybach in order to enable the military trains to convey artillery and munition to Trieste. It is now expected here that a declaration of war is certain.

#### ONSLAUGHT CEASED.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Paris, May 7.—The German onslaughts at Ypres have slackened but their artillery fire is still very active. They have been completely held in check.

#### BASEBALL.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
The following are the results of the baseball games played yesterday in the Northwestern League:

Spokane, 4; Vancouver, 3.  
Victoria, 14; Tacoma, 11.  
Seattle, 3; Aberdeen, 0.

#### THE WEATHER.

By F. W. Dowling, Observer.  
(5 a. m., May 7, 1915.)  
Barometer ..... 29.913  
Max. temp. .... 59.0  
Min. temp. .... 42.0  
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#### AUSTRALIANS AND NEW ZEALANDERS IN FIGHT

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Lemnos, May 7.—The Allied troops have driven the Turks from Seddil Bahr and have spanned the peninsula with a ten-mile line of trenches. They have also forced their way eight miles inland, attacking the Turkish fortresses. Hill after hill was taken by the bayonet, the Australians and New Zealanders, who have been taken across from Egypt, especially distinguishing themselves.

#### TORNADO DAMAGE.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
New Orleans, May 7.—A tornado on the Mississippi and windstorms throughout the Southern States has caused the death of sixty-two people. The damage to property was over \$2,000,000.

Mr. Stillwell, of the Westholme Orchestra, went south on a trip this morning.

#### CHINA CONCEDES THE DEMANDS OF JAPAN

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Peking, May 7.—War between China and Japan will likely be averted. China is prepared to concede the Japanese demands, realizing that her position is hopeless.

#### Jap Fleet Ready.

Tokyo, May 7.—Forty warships, including the battle cruiser Kongo, are at Sasebo ready for action. A second squadron under Admiral Nawa is taking a quantity of supplies on board.

#### SAYS FALSE ARREST.

Mrs. Paulson, whose husband was arrested in connection with the City Market, announces that she will sue the city for false arrest. She says that Mr. Paulson went to Seattle on private business and that the money for the Bella Cöola potatoes is on hand and will be paid in due order.

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#### MICKY HOWELL BECOMES HERO--- SAVES WOMAN FROM SURE DEATH

FACES DEATH IN A LANDSLIDE AND RESCUES WIFE OF COM-  
PANION—HOWELL RECEIVES BAD CUTS AND  
IS SEVERELY BRUISED.

The following letter, which was received today by The News is well worth publication. It speaks for itself:

U. S. Geological Survey,  
Prince of Wales Island,  
Hadley, Alaska.  
Editor, The Daily News, Prince  
Rupert, B. C.:

Sir,—I have the pleasure to write you regarding a most courageous and reckless piece of heroism, enacted by my friend and colleague, Allan G. Howell, formerly a resident of Prince Rupert, and a member of your last year's baseball club.

"Mickey," as Mr. Howell is better known in the North, was performing his duties as transit man on the north end of Prince of Wales Isle, on Mt. Nickle, when without warning a rockslide

started at a height of about 200 feet above him, and Mr. Howell, hearing the roar of the slide, started to run clear of its path, when he noticed Mrs. F. E. Brooks, my wife, coming up the hill, about 150 feet below the position of his transit. He turned back in face of almost certain death, but was late to help my wife clear of the slide. In an instant he saw their plight, and threw my wife to the ground, behind a fallen tree, and then threw himself over her to protect her body from rushing rocks and earth which were tearing down the hill slope.

The rest of the party, including myself, had little hope of ever finding my wife or Mr. Howell alive, but Fate is a strange god. After searching and digging for a few minutes we found them both, my wife without a scratch and Mr. Howell, his head badly cut and his body horribly bruised, but still wearing a smile and a "Thanks, fellows, for digging us out," started for camp as though his heroic action was an everyday affair.

I believe such deeds of heroism should be given all the publicity possible and I have taken steps to have this act of heroism put before the board of directors of the Carnegie Hero Fund.

Mr. Howell is a Detroit, Mich., boy, and in the years that I have known him, has always been a reckless daredevil.

Hoping you will publish account of Mr. Howell's action, so as his many Prince Rupert friends will hear of his bravery, I thank you for your valued attention, and beg to remain,

Yours respectfully,  
F. E. BROOKS, C. E.,  
Engineer in Charge.  
Hadley, Alaska, April 24, 1915.

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lington Coal. Phone 116. 67tf.

#### RUSSIANS DROP BOMBS ON CONSTANTINOPLE

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, May 7.—The first attack on Constantinople has been made. Three Russian aviators dropped bombs on the city, causing extensive damage. Shells from the fleet have fallen within ten miles of the city.

#### THE CRADLE.

HOPE—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hope, 1144 Second Avenue, a son, at the General Hospital this morning.

#### THIS IS HOTPOINT WEEK.

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## LUSITANIA WAS SUNK BY SUBMARINE--- ALL THE PASSENGERS WERE SAVED

### SUNK OFF COAST OF IRELAND AT 2 O'CLOCK TODAY --- MANY PROMINENT AMERICANS ABOARD, WHO WERE WARNED OF THE DISASTER

#### GOVT. WILL OPERATE EASTERN END G. T. P.

Ottawa, May 7.—The Department of Railways announces that as the Grand Trunk Pacific has declined to take over, on a lease the government will take over the operation of the eastern division of the G. T. P. between Superior Junction and Fort William, including the terminals at the latter place. The jurisdiction of the general officers of the Canadian government railway will extend over their new lines. The G. T. P. employees on the line between Fort William and Winnipeg will be absorbed into the government railway staff, which has, under an arrangement with the railway department, been operating about 300 miles east and west of Cochrane for the contractors.

For the past year the I. C. R. has been operating the line between Moncton and Levis. A quantity of rolling stock, including fifteen locomotives, has left Moncton, and will be taken across the river at Quebec by the N. T. R. ferry "Leonard." The officials who will inaugurate the service also have left Moncton for points along the N. T. R. line.

Mr. Merchant, have you got that financial statement or balance sheet drawn up yet? If not, Phone 98. 102-107

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, May 7.—The Cunard liner Lusitania, which sailed from New York on May 1, was torpedoed at 2 o'clock this afternoon ten miles off Old Head of Kinsale, Ireland.

One thousand two hundred and fifty-three passengers, and a crew of about 700, are believed all saved. All the lifeboats were over the side before the vessel sank.

The Admiralty at Queenstown despatched all possible assistance. Twenty vessels of all classes are engaged in the work of rescue.

The Lusitania was built at Glasgow in 1906 and had a gross tonnage of 32,500. Her captain was W. T. Turner. Before leaving New York an advertisement appeared in the papers warning the passengers of the danger of the trip. Forty prominent Americans had received anonymous warnings.

The Lusitania was flying the American flag when she was torpedoed for the protection of her American passengers.

The Lusitania was a British ship, owned by the Cunard Line. Her tonnage was 32,500 and her

horsepower 70,000. Her extreme length was 790 feet and her beam 88 feet. Her speed was about 32 miles per hour. She was a sister ship to the Mauretania and held the Atlantic record in 1907.

Before sailing scores of passengers received telegrams telling them not to sail, as the German submarines were waiting for her. One of the Vanderbilts received a wire as he was walking up the gangplank and as soon as he read it he tore it up. Notices were posted on the ship to the effect that her great speed put her beyond the reach of the submarines.

Earlier reports that she was beached have proven entirely unfounded.

#### Earlier Reports.

London, May 7.—The Lusitania was sunk at 2:33 this afternoon off Old Kinsale Head, south coast of Ireland.

New York, May 7.—The Cunard Steamship Company announced today that it had received from its agents in England unconfirmed reports that the steamship Lusitania had been torpedoed off the coast of Ireland. Assistance has been sent and all passengers are believed safe.

**CASH SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY**  
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