



WAR CLAMOR SWEEPS ITALY AS MOBS STORM PARLIAMENT; MARCORA CALLED AS PREMIER

Rome Police Powerless to Suppress Frenzied Demonstrations of Interventionists Clamoring for Nation to Enter Conflict—Troops Turn Back Crowd Advancing on Royal Palace.

Deputy Undertakes Task of Forming Coalition Ministry, But Popular Outcry May Result in Returning Premier Salandra to Power—King Victor Emmanuel May Convoke Parliament Early in Week as Means of Avoiding Civil War.

Italy is today facing one of the most serious crises in the kingdom's history. In Rome, Milan and other cities, mobs, incited at the retirement of the Salandra Cabinet and demanding war against Austria, are threatening civil war.

The opening of Parliament, which was scheduled for next Thursday, will be advanced by the King, according to one report, and the question of war or peace will be submitted to the deputies.

ROME, May 15.—Whole sections of Rome were under mob control today, the military and police apparently unable to suppress the demonstrations.

GERMAN DEPUTY ATTACKED. An angry crowd attacked the motorcar of the German Deputy Erberger, remaining in the windows. The mob pressed in about the limousine shouting "Death to the Germans!"

For the second time within 24 hours a mob of interventionists invaded the Parliament Building, smashing windows and wrecking furniture.

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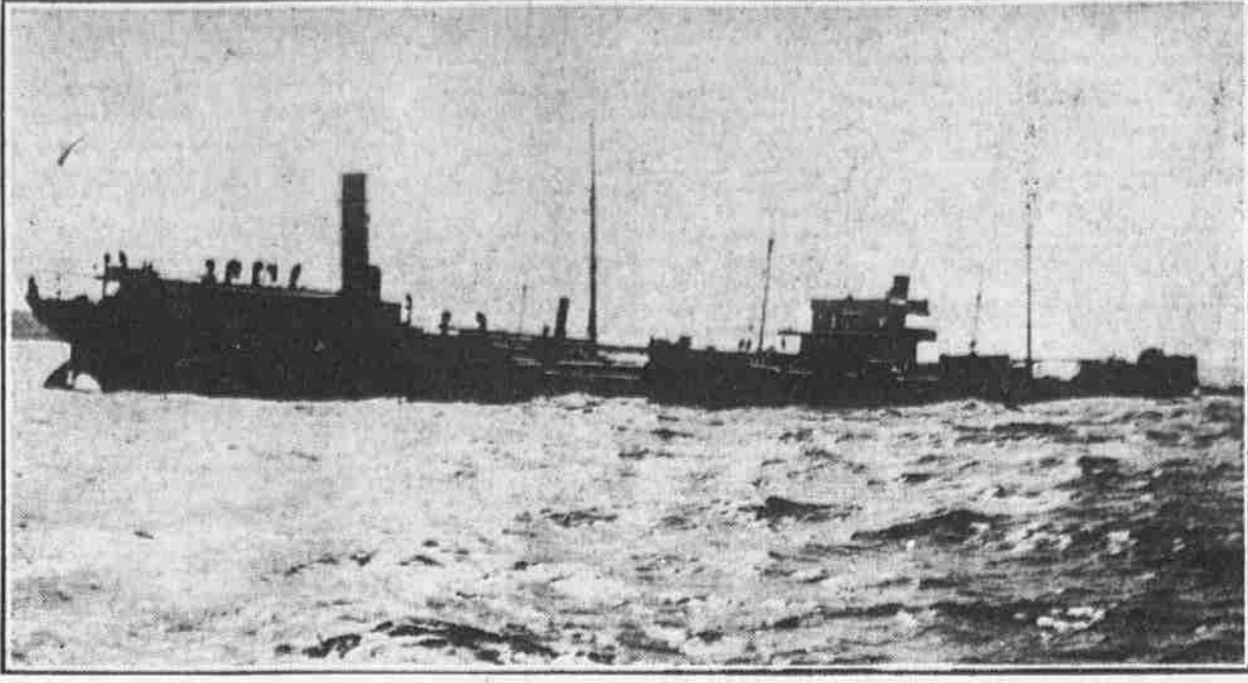
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GULFLIGHT AFTER BEING TORPEDOED BY SUBMARINE



This picture, which has just reached this country, shows the American oil steamer just after she was struck off the Scilly Islands on May 1. She is slowly settling by the head. The crew was permitted to escape in boats. Her captain afterward died of the shock believed to have been caused by the sudden attack. This incident is one of the three, including the sinking of the Lusitania and the aeroplane attack on the Cushing, pointed out in President Wilson's note now in the hands of the German Government.

GUNMAN WHO RECEIVED DEATH PENALTY TOLD OF GANG'S OPERATION OF GANG'S OPERATION

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CABLE DELAY WILL RETARD GERMAN REPLY

Slowness of Transmission From Washington to Berlin Precludes Prompt Answer to U. S. Note.

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RAIL AND STEAMSHIP LINES SEVERED BY COMMISSION'S ORDER

Interstate Board Makes Sweeping Decision Requiring Separation of Business in Compliance With Canal Bill.

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QUICK NEWS

BOY, ANSWERING MOTHER'S CALL, CRUSHED BY CAR. A four-year-old boy, answering his mother's call to come home, darted in front of a trolley car on 9th street, near Tree, this afternoon, and was almost instantly killed.

1500 LONDON GERMANS SURRENDER FOR INTERNMENT. LONDON, May 15.—Fifteen hundred Germans surrendered to the police in the west end of London today for internment.

LONDON POLICE RECOVER RIOTERS' LOOT. LONDON, May 15.—Police today began a search of the homes of East Side rioters who wrecked German shops. Large quantities of loot were recovered and will be restored to the German proprietors.

TEUTONS ATTACKED IN GENEVA. GENOA, May 15.—War riots took place here today. Germans and Austrians who were waiting for ships to leave the country were attacked.

ANTI-JAPANESE RIOTS IN CHINA. SHANGHAI, May 15.—Anti-Japanese riots have been in progress at Hankow for two days. British and Russian volunteers are now establishing order.

PRESIDENT'S YACHT PUTS INTO HAMPTON ROADS. NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 15.—The naval yacht Mayflower, with President Wilson on board, which left Washington for New York last night, unexpectedly put into Hampton Roads and dropped anchor at Old Point Comfort just before noon today.

CHICAGO POLICE WILL STOP BASEBALL POOLS. CHICAGO, May 15.—Mayor Thompson and Police Chief Healy today ordered baseball pools and other forms of gambling on the national pastime in Chicago stopped by the police. Their action followed the publication of an expose of the workings of a gigantic pool, which is said to extend over the entire country and which involves more than \$50,000 a week.

\$100,000 LOSS WHEN 60 AUTOS BURN WITH GARAGE. SANDUSKY, O., May 15.—Fire today destroyed the garage of M. J. Caswell, burning 60 automobiles, with a loss of \$100,000.

TWO KILLED, FOUR HURT, WHEN TRAIN JUMPS RAILS. ZANESVILLE, O., May 15.—Two men were killed and four injured when a Baltimore and Ohio train was derailed near Belmont today.

REVOLUTION RAGING IN PORTUGUESE CITIES. MADRID, May 15.—A revolution has broken out in the Portuguese capital of Lisbon, in Oporto, Coimbra, and several other cities, according to fugitives who reached Badajoz today. There have been numerous clashes between civilians and troops. All telegraphic and telephone communication with Portuguese towns was interrupted today.

MANY HURT, SIX MISSING, IN EXPLOSION AND FIRE. NEW YORK, May 15.—Many persons were hurt in an explosion in an ink factory at 3d avenue and 19th street today. When the fire, resulting from the explosion, had been controlled, firemen said that six persons employed in the building were missing. It was not known whether they had been suffocated or had escaped in the confusion. One man was blown through a window. He and another man as well as a woman were seriously hurt and a score of others were slightly burned or cut by flying glass.

DU PONT POWDER MILL BLOWS UP. WILMINGTON, Del., May 15.—A shotgun powder mill blew up at Carney's Point opposite this city this morning, according to the officers of the company. No one was hurt.

MOTORCYCLISTS IN COLLISION, ONE INJURED. Two motorcyclists, riding to work, collided at 21st and Venango streets today. One of them, Raymond Storke, 25 years old, of 2527 Tulip street, was injured. He is in the Samaritan Hospital with concussion of the brain. James E. Wood, 22 years old, of 811 Brooklyn street, the other cyclist, was held under \$300 bail to await the result of Storke's injuries at a hearing before Magistrate Grelis, at the Ridge and Midvale avenues police station. Storke said he was riding on Venango street and awoke in the hospital. He knew nothing of the accident. Wood declared that Storke's machine struck him.

TRAMWAY STRIKE TIES UP LONDON TRAFFIC. LONDON, May 15.—Employees of the London tramway system went on strike today because of the refusal of a war bonus. Three thousand refused to go to work, completely disorganizing traffic in the city and compelling thousands to walk to work. Bus men are ordered to join the strike, which, it is expected, will become general.

INTERNMENT OF GERMANS BEGINS IN SOUTH AFRICA. PRETORIA, South Africa, May 15.—Following the English Home Government, the Government of Union of South Africa has decided to intern all alien enemies of military age. The arrest of Germans and Austrians, who have never been naturalized, began today. The naturalized Germans and Austrians will receive ample protection by the military authorities. Sporadic outbursts of anti-German rioting continued today.

DOCTORS DEFEAT DEATH BY A MINUTE. Prompt action by the doctors at the St. Annes Hospital early today saved the life of Mrs. Joseph Anninoan, 25 years old, of 1917 East Passayunk avenue, after she had swallowed a fish bone accidentally. The woman was unconscious when she was brought to the hospital, and the delay of a minute or two would have cost her life.

DRUG-HUNGRY MAN ATTEMPTS MURDER. NEW YORK, May 15.—Suffering the pangs of "drug hunger," John H. Manning, of Chicago, a confessed "dope fiend," shot Andrew Mogil, manager of a restaurant, today when he was refused money. It is thought Mogil was fatally wounded.

ACCUSED OF BEATING 80-YEAR-OLD MOTHER. Cornelius Large, accused of beating his 80-year-old mother at her home, 2460 Grant street, when she refused to give him money, was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction today by Magistrate Morris.

THE WEATHER TODAY

FORECAST For Philadelphia and vicinity—Fair and continued cool tonight; Sunday partly cloudy and unsettled; moderate winds, mostly northeast. For details, see page 2.

Table with weather observations and forecasts for Philadelphia, including temperature, wind, and precipitation data for various locations like Port Richmond, Chestnut Street Wharves, and Reed's Island.