

ARMY TRANSPORT ANTILLES SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE

No Warning Given of the Presence of the Fnemy Until Torpedo Exploded in Engine Room-Ship Sank in Five Minutes With Loss of Seventy Lives

Washington, Oct. 19.—Seventy American soldiers and sailors lost their lives on Wednesday when a German submarine torpedoed the army transport Antilles

News of this first heavy blow struck against America by Germany reached the Navy Department from Vice Admiral Sims this afternoon.

The Antilles was torpedoed while returning to this country from Frace, She was under convoy at the time, but neither the torpedo which sent her to the bottom nor the destroying submarine was sightel.

The men had no chance for their lives. Struck abreast the engien-room bulkhead, the Antilles sank like a plummet, going down in five minutes.

There were about 237 aboard her, and there was little or no chance to take the boats. O fthse 167 were saved, many being reported to have been fished from the waters by vessels of the convoy. The death list includes three navy officers, four sailors and sixteen soliedsr. The rest of the victims were members of the merchant crew.

Known Lives Lost.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels tonight authorized the following state

"The department is in receipt of a dispatch from Vice Admiral Sims which states that the S. S. Antilles, an army transport, was torpedoed on October 17 while returning to this country from foreign service. This vessel was under convoy of American patrol vessels at the time.

"The torpedo which struck the Antilles was not seen, nor was the submarine which fired it. The torpedo hit abreast of the engine room bulkhead, and the ship sank within five minutes. One hundred and sixtyseven persons out of about two hundred and thirty-seven on board the Antilles were saved. About seventy men are missing. All the naval officers and officers of the army who were on board the ship at the time were saved. as were the officers of the ship, with the exception of the following:

Walker, third engineer officer. Boyles, junior enginerr officer. O'Rourke, junior enginerr officer.

The following enlisted naval personnels were lost:

E. L. Kinzey, seaman, second-class; next of kin Thomas M. Kinzey, father, Water Valley, Miss.

J. W. Hunt, seaman, second-class; next of kin Isaac Hunt, father, Mountain Grove, Mo., R. F. D. No. 2, Box 44 C. L. Muburn, radio electrician: first-class; next of kin, R. Ausburn, camps, and would make a vigorous mother, 2800 Louisiana avenue, New Orleans.

H. F. Watson, radio electrician third-class, next of kin Mrs. W. L. Seger, mother, Rutland. Mass.

"There were about thirty-three of the army enlisted personnel on board of whom seventeen were saved. The names of the missing army enlisted personnel and of the merchant crew of the ship cannot be given until the muster roll in France, of those on board has been consulted. As soon as the department is in receipt of ing these huge appropriations for further details concerning the casualties they will be made public immed. iately."

Shock to Washington

Coming on the heels of Vice Admiral of this money would be spent. Sims' report of the torpedoing of an American destroyer, the sinking of the Antilles, caused a distinct shock to the military and naval establishmenis

The Sims dispatch reached the bureau of communication at the navy department shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon, at a time when the president and his cabinet were in session and discussing, it is stated, the report of Admiral Mayo as to the real situation abroad.

cabinet room, the news was transmit, vide for them again, I don't be-

ted to Secretary Daniels. He and lieve the appropriations of congress TO THE PEOPLE OF Secretary of War Baker immediately left the White House and hurried across the street to the state war and navy building. They went together to Mr. Baker's office and within a few moments a message was sent out to bring the committee on public information's representative at the war department there at once.

Within 10 minutes the "inside wireless" of the state war and navy building had the report spread in every quarter that "somehting had happened."

More hurried conferences took place Secretary Daniels returned to his own office and immediately Lieutenant Commander Belknap, navy censor accompanied by two representatives of the Creel censorship bureau, rushed n Commander Belknap carried in his hand the original of the Sims dis-

room it was announced that "a statement will be ready by the committee duty to do so." in 30 minutes." No hint of what the statement contained could be obtained, although it was said that "it's along the line of disaster."

Awaiting Verification

Secretary Daniels received the newspaper correspondents immediately after Commander Belknap left the room and declared he had no news Asked about the statement which was turning to the man who inquired, made a circle around his right eye with the in imitation of a telescope

in itimation of a telesco, e "There is nothing I can say now, gentlemen," he declared.

MR DOMINICK WORKING FOR AVIATION CAMP

Congressman On a Business and Social Visit to Anderson-Talks Inter-

estingly About Many Matters

Anderson Mail

The Hon. Fred H. Dominick, congressman from the Third district, arrived in the city Friday afternoon, and after calling on a number of business men concerning the mail facilities of Anderson, the location of an aviation camp here, and other public matters, and after paying social calls to other friends, returned to Newberry this morning. Mr. Dominick looks well and seems to have weathered well the long, strenuous session of congress which has just closed.

Asked about Anderson's chances of securing an aviation camp Congressman Dominick said that he stands ready to exert his influence in landing one for Anderson. He stated that as soon as he returned to his office in Newberry he would write to the department in charge of these camps, and request a complete, detailed report of the location of these fight to obtain one for Anderson Just as soon as he received the report as requested he will confer further with the people of Anderson.

Congressman Dominick was asked to express his opinion about the length of the war. He stated that any statement from him as to the duration of the war would be based on guess-work entirely He was told that another South Carolina congressman had been qouted as saying that the members of congress in votthe war knew that all of this money will not be spent; that they (the congressmen) believed that hostilities would cease before any great amount

"I don't agree with that congressman, if he is properly quoted," replied Congressman Dominick. "I believe that every bit of the money resulting from congress' legislation will be spent But. I do believe that this vear's expenditures will be larger than Over a private telephone into the pleted, it will not be necessary to pro-

will ever be as large during the present war as they are this year."

"What do you think of the success of the Second Liberty Loan Bond drive? Will it succeed, in your opinion?" the congressman was asked.

"Most assuredly it will succeed," said Congressman Dominick emphatically, "You must take into consideration that the organization for the drive is just now being perfected, and you can count on results from now on. I have noticed where the treasury has issued about \$1,500,000,000 of treasury certificates. These certificates, in my opinion, will be converted into the bonds If this is done, then we will have already secured one-half of the minimum amount of the bonds-\$3,-000,000,000 I firmly believe that the \$5.000.000.000 of bonds will be subscribed; in fact, I believe they will be largely over-subscribed. I hope the Immedately upon their leaving the people in my district will subscribe liberally to the bonds. It is their

FOR BOY SCOUTS

Columbia, Oct. 17.-President Wilson will present an American Flag, appropriately inscribed to the troop of Poy Scouts in each State securing the largest number of subscriptions to the to whom you may talk about Insyde coming out he smiled rather sadly and, day campaign which the organization less money." Anyone who makes will inaugurate on October 22nd;

> upon to give assistance in the food ordinary reliners. rledge campaign. In practically all the counties the Scouts are now engaged in placing posters in stores and other public places.

the Boy Scouts secured subscriptions amounting to \$23,000,000.

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I am doing my bit in taking the management of an optical department, relieving two good Americans who went "to make the world safe for democracy"-hence it will be impossible for me to be in Newberry this

I thank the good people of Newberry and County for their past patronage. I have the names and prescriptions of the glasses I filled for the last 18 years and if any of yoc don't get the satisfaction of the glasses I fitted, or if the frames are faulty. please send the glasses to me (en closing return postage) and I wil! exchange the lenses, frame, or both, free of charge.

If you break your glasses send them to me, will duplicate at a great saving to you. If you come to Atlanta come to see me. My services in any caracity is at your command.

Respectfully, I. E. CRIMM, 65-67 Whitehall St., Atlanta, Ga

Once in a great while some person second Liberty Loan during the four Tyres may say "I can buy reliners for this statement does not appreciate the The Boy Scouts will also be called difference between Insyde Tyres and

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For sale by Wm. JOHNSON & SON

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. I will make a final settlement of the estate of L. J. Watkins dec'd in the Probate Court for Newberry County, S. C., on Friday the 16th day of November, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and will immediately thereafter ask for my discharge as Administrator of said estate. All persons having claims against said estate will present them on or before that date to the undersigned.

> W. Q. WATKINS, Administrator.

Oct. 17, 1917.

BANKRUPT SALE.

By order of Referee in Bankruptcy, I will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, on Thursday November 1st, 1917 at 11 o'clock A. M., the stock of merchandise and fixtures of Jas. W. Pitts, Bankrupt, at the store house recently occupied by him on South side Main street, near Mower's Garage, in Newberry, South Carolina. \$287.17 and consists of fancy and A cheap reliner is in many cases staple groceries. Furniture and worse than nothing, for as soon as it fixtures were appraised at \$225.75 and rately and by the piece. Terms of

> W. A. McSwain. Trustee

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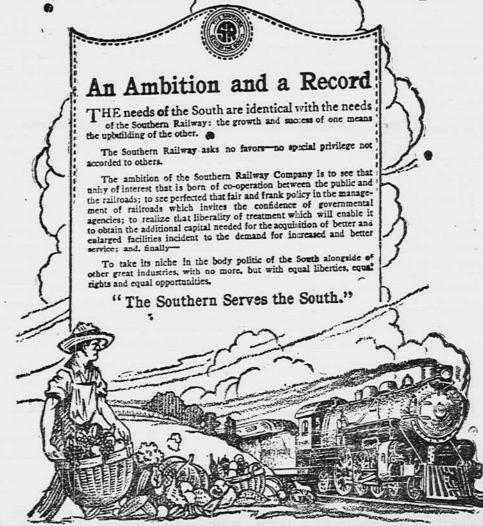
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