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ITALIAN FLANK IN PERIL; MAY GIVE UP VENICE

"Possible Necessity" of Abandoning Present Line Admitted

TEUTONS ADVANCE FURTHER IN NORTH

Defenders' Counter-Offensive Gains Grounds in Melette Region

POPE'S APPEAL HEADED

BERLIN, Nov. 20. Terrific fighting is taking place in northern Italy, the War Office reported today.

WILL DETAIN DESERTERS AT FRANKFORD ARSENAL

Government Plant Designated as Military Camp by Department of Justice

OFFICERS' TRAINING CAMP SITES TO BE ABANDONED

Will End With Present Encampments, Except Bliss, Sam Houston and Chickamauga

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Direct Statement by Interallied Council Urged

MOVE TO HASTEN KAISERISM'S FALL

Definition of War Objectives Would Refute Teuton Falsehoods

FINANCIERS MAY OPPOSE

LONDON, Nov. 20. Official announcement was made in the House of Commons this afternoon that Colonel E. M. House and General Tasker H. Bliss, by direction of President Wilson, would participate in the forthcoming supreme interallied war council in Paris.

ROUND UP I. W. W. IN KANSAS

Federal Dragnet Traps Dozen Undesirable Citizens in Oil Fields

GERMAN ATTACK WINS GROUND FROM FRENCH

Counter-Attack Regains Near All Lost Position North of Caurieres Wood

WOMAN DIES IN TROLLEY CAR

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GREEN GRASS SPARKLES IN SPRINT AT BOWIE

Stirling Rides Winner in Second Race, Machines Paying \$7.50—Colonel Cluff Takes Opener

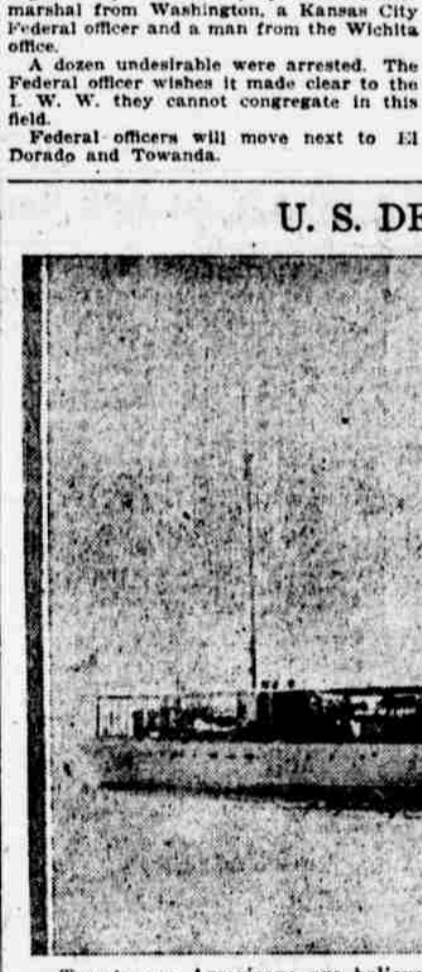
21 MEN PERISH AS CRASH SINKS U. S. DESTROYER

Seventy of Chauncey's Crew Saved After Collision in Foreign Waters

CRAFT ON PATROL DUTY

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QUICK NEWS

U. S. NOT TO REQUIRE PASSPORTS FROM MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 20.—Reports that all persons entering the United States from Mexico would require passports and other official documents establishing their identification were denied today.

GIRL CROPS HAIR, DONS MAN'S CLOTHES, VANISHES

Catharine Carroll, fifteen years old, 1509 North Twenty-sixth street, cut off her wealth of long hair, donned a suit of her uncle's clothes and disappeared from her home.

CLEMENCEAU URGES SUPREME ENERGY FOR VICTORY

PARIS, Nov. 20.—Unremitting, redoubled and supreme energy in war is the platform which Premier Clemenceau, of France, announced as that of the new French Ministry today.

W. S. ROSE, PHILADELPHIAN, KILLED IN FRANCE

William S. Rose, a Philadelphian, enlisted in a Canadian regiment, has been killed in action in France, according to advices received today in this city.

ROCKEFELLER PROTESTS \$5,000,000 OHIO ASSESSMENT

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 20.—John D. Rockefeller today wired County Auditor Zangert from New York protesting against being placed on the tax list for \$5,000,000.

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ESTATE NOT ABOVE \$5,000,000

The estate of the late Senator will not exceed \$5,000,000, according to a high authority, who said that Mrs. M'Nichol devoted the remainder of her life to charitable work and to carrying out the many charitable plans in which her husband was interested.

ONE-THIRD FOR WIDOW

Mrs. M'Nichol, under the laws of Pennsylvania covering the death of men testate, will receive one-third of the personal property of her late husband as her absolute property and one-third of the real estate for life.

THE WEATHER

FORECAST For Philadelphia and vicinity: Cloudy and unsettled tonight and tomorrow; Wednesday; not much change in temperature; gentle variable winds.

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TO DIVIDE FORTUNE AMONG HIS FAMILY

Widow to Administer Estate and to Continue Charities

12 CHILDREN TO SHARE

McNichol's Family Will Divide His Wealth

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Under Pennsylvania laws covering death intestate, property is divided as follows: Real Estate—One-third to widow for life; remaining two-thirds in equal portions to twelve surviving children.

Personal Estate—One-third to widow absolutely, remaining two-thirds in equal portions to twelve children.

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No will having been written by the Republican political leader and contractor, the laws of Pennsylvania direct that his personal estate, consisting of money, bonds and other investments, as well as personal belongings, be divided among his widow and twelve surviving children.

Each of the late Senator's twelve children will receive not quite \$280,000, or one-twelfth of the two-thirds remaining after the widow's third is deducted from the estate.

The frequent assertion of the Senator that he would like to live long enough to amass a million dollars for each child was not materialized in the case of the estate, according to those in a position to know.

It will take several months to complete an inventory of the estate. The Senator made numerous investments and the papers were kept sometimes in his desk, sometimes in the safe and other times they were left in the keeping of friends.

The bond of \$200,000 to be filed by Mrs. McNichol has been prepared. Mrs. McNichol visited the office of former Sheriff Gilliland in the West End Trust Building, shortly after the letters of administration were applied for.

Mr. Gilliland issued the following statement after his interview with Mrs. McNichol: "The late James P. McNichol left no will. His estate will be distributed in accordance with the intestate laws of Pennsylvania."

Mrs. McNichol has been appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband, which she connected with the estate will endeavor to carry out his wishes.

In the letters of administration the amount of the estate is placed at \$100,000 and upward.

The personal property after the widow's third has been deducted, will be divided in equal portions among the twelve surviving children, those not of age having been appointed to look after their interests.

The children of Senator McNichol, who died November 14, are William J. Jones, P. Harry A. Frank, J. Edward J. Jones, J. James J. Jr., John F. Heinen and Agnes children of his first marriage, and Helen and Dunstan, children of the second marriage.

Edward, Joseph and Harry are privates in the United States army, in training at Camp Meade, Md.

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