

# Pictures of World Events for News Readers

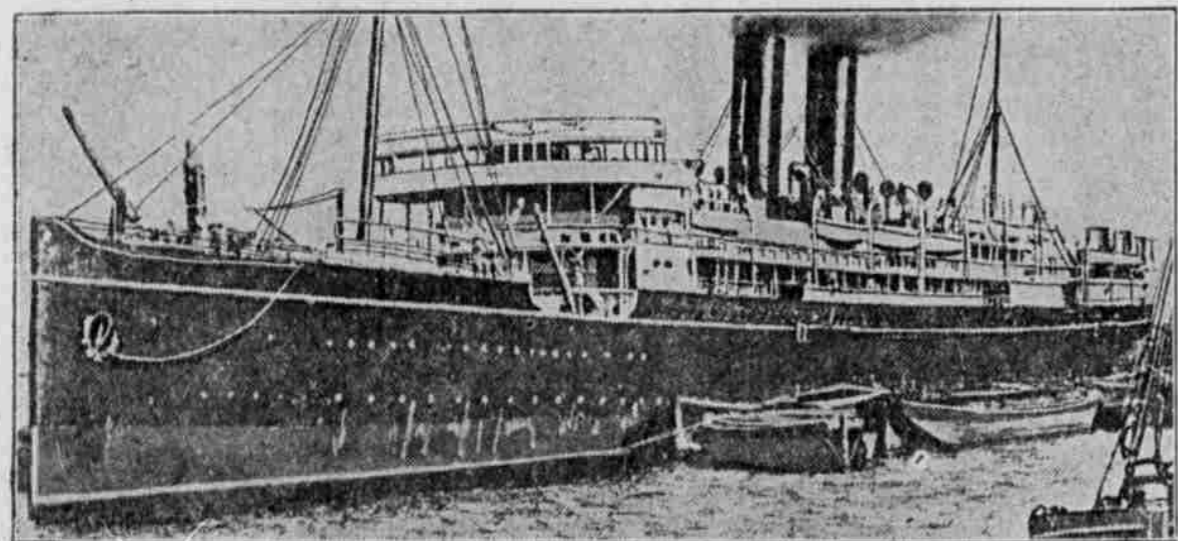
In This Department Our Readers in Fulton County and Elsewhere May Journey Around the World With the Camera on the Trail of History Making Happenings.

## DISASTROUS WRECK ON THE NEW HAVEN



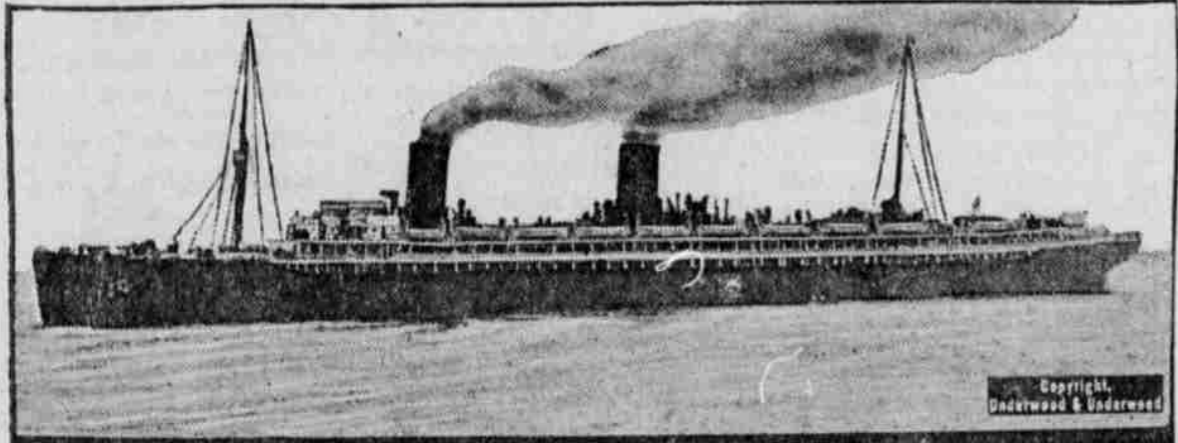
After a rear-end collision on the New Haven railroad at Milford, Conn., in which ten persons were killed and many injured, the boiler of a locomotive exploded, blowing across the tracks a passenger coach and a freight car, as shown in this photograph.

## BIG BRITISH LINER SUNK BY A MINE



The Peninsular and Oriental line steamer Maloja that was sunk by a mine in the Straits of Dover, with a loss of more than 150 lives.

## FRENCH AUXILIARY CRUISER PROVENCE SUNK



This is the French auxiliary cruiser Provence which was sunk in the Mediterranean, presumably by striking a floating mine. The vessel was engaged in transporting troops to Saloniki and many lives were lost when it went down, though about 700 were saved.

## GOVERNMENT BOOSTS BABY WEEK



The United States is growing more and more to see the importance of protecting its babies, and elaborate plans were laid by the government for the nation's first "Baby week," March 6 to 11. For some years through the federal children's bureau of the department of labor, Uncle Sam has been making a special study of the needs—both physical and social—of the babies. Here is a picture of the women who have been his principal assistants in this and who did most of the preliminary work on "Baby week." Left to right: (seated) Mrs. Etta R. Goodwin, who is co-operating with the Woman's Federation of Clubs and other organizations; Miss Julia Lathrop, chief of the children's bureau; (standing) Dr. Grace L. Mesigs, in charge of children's hygiene, and Mrs. Max West, editor of "The Care of Children," a pamphlet issued by the bureau.

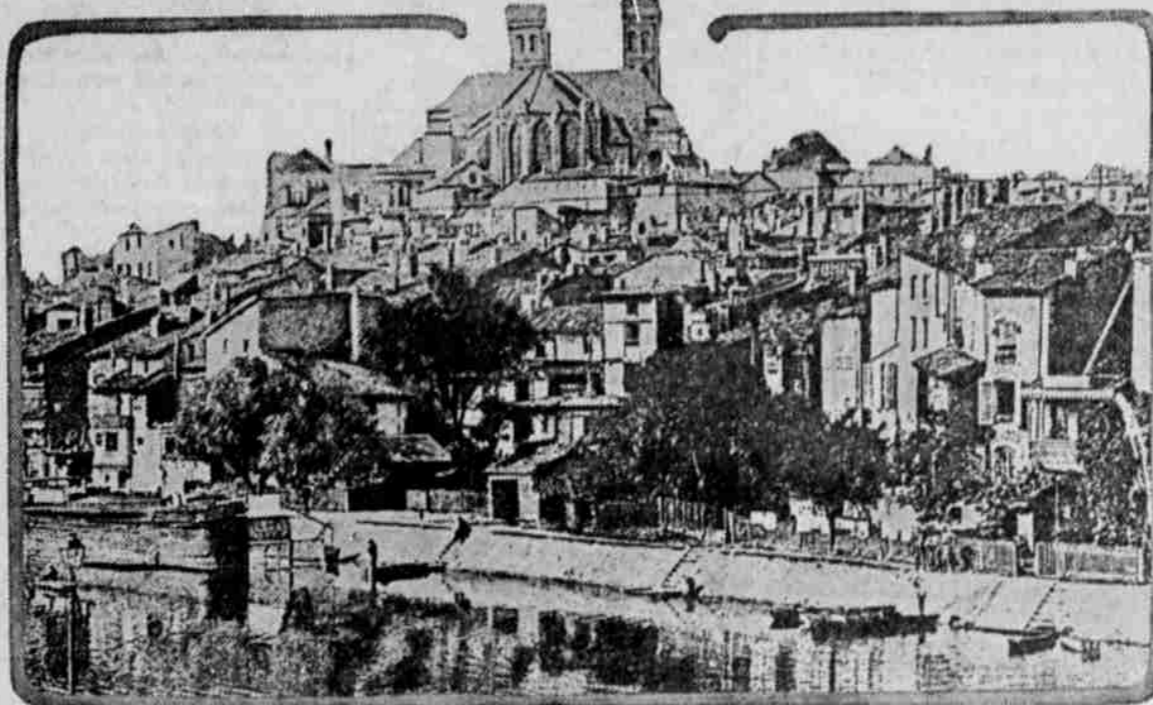
## "UNCLE SAM"



They call him "Uncle Sam" out at the Washington zoo, where he is housed after a week-end visit to the president of the United States. "Uncle Sam" was sent to the president by Judge G. F. Patrick of Ouray, Colo., as an emblem of Colorado's independence of the president's preparedness program. His size and irascible temper made him an unwelcome guest and he was sent to the zoo.

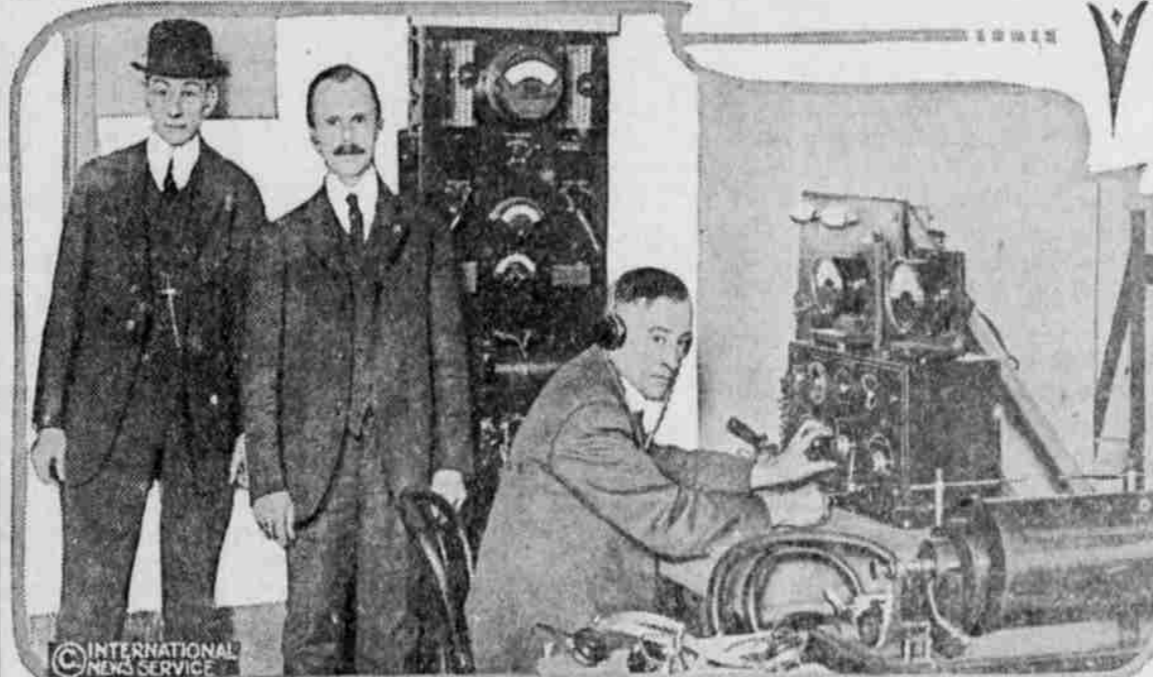
**The Bohemian Life.**  
"Asphodelia Twobble wants an outlet for her soul."  
"What does she propose to do?"  
"She thinks of going in for art."  
"Can she paint?"  
"Only her face, but she says she would dearly like to smoke cigarettes and drink tea in an atelier."

## VERDUN, ABOUT WHICH GREAT BATTLE RAGES



View of the city of Verdun, on the Meuse river in France, which is the immediate objective of the tremendous attack the Germans are making. It has a great citadel and is surrounded with forts, but the French assert these are no longer relied on by them for much defense, most of their armament already having been removed.

## NATIONAL SAFETY-FIRST EXPOSITION



Under the auspices of twenty-five federal government bureaus, the American Red Cross and the Metropolitan police department, a big safety-first exposition was opened recently in the National Museum in Washington. The illustration shows a scene in the radio department.

## WOMAN DISTRICT ATTORNEY



Miss Lita Belle Hibben of Los Angeles, Cal., is the first district attorney of her sex. She is twenty-nine years old, a graduate of the Southern California Law school and is considered one of the brightest of woman lawyers. She was born in Illinois.

## SADDLE HORSES FOR JAPANESE EMPEROR



These two blooded saddle horses, Dom Pedro and Montgomery Rex, were purchased as presents to the emperor of Japan by the Japanese Association of California, the money being raised by popular subscription.

## GETTING NEWS AT THE WHITE HOUSE



Engr Washington correspondents clustered about a leading congressman who has just emerged from a conference with President Wilson concerning the submarine controversy with Germany.

## TEMPERANCE NOTES

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

### HINT FOR SALOONKEEPERS.

"You see that building," said a saloonkeeper in Montana. "That is all I have in the world. I worked hard to build and equip it. There I earn the food and clothing for my wife and babies. You women say you are going to put me out of business. That will ruin my property. How am I to support my family?" I thought of the many families that his business was making hungry and unhappy, but I said nothing of this, for there was to me a pathos in his plea and to him it was a very real problem. In the seven states that recently went dry there are thousands that meet the same conditions. They are cast adrift upon a wholly uncharted sea and they see nothing beyond.

I answered: "My friend, when Montana goes dry, and as sure as you and I live Montana is going dry, that lot will remain just where it is. Unless there is a fire, and against that you can continue to protect your property by insurance as you are doing now, your building will remain where it is. Just lower your bar and make a counter of it. Put in some more windows, at a slight expense, and sell tea, coffee, sugar, flour, shoes—any commodity—to the very same people who patronize you now and receive in exchange the same kind of dollars. Perhaps, my friend, you do not think that Mr. Brown over there who now comes to your place nightly and spends his money, may come in and buy a pair of shoes for his little Mary, who sadly needs them. This purchase on his part will not unfit him to earn another day's wage tomorrow to buy something needed for his small son, Jimmie. And then perhaps he will come in the next night and buy a sack of flour, taking it home to his wife to use in making bread. As for Mr. Brown himself, he will go to bed and get a good night's sleep and the next day he will be able to earn enough more funds to buy a sack of potatoes. Do you not see that you may sell from the same building to the same people who now patronize you and get even more money? I am sure, too, that your wife will be happier and your children will no longer be shunned. We are not fighting your kind of business. Why not try to get into something honorable before the storm comes and be ready for the new trade?"

He answered earnestly: "Perhaps I'd better. Anyhow, I'll consider it. I see you women are not just abusing us. You are not the kind I thought you were."—Adah Wallace Unruh, National W. C. T. U. Organizer.

### NEW TEMPERANCE GOSPEL.

"Temperance work today is very practical as compared with the sentimental exhortations of yesterday," pertinently remarks an exchange. "In these days, when 'efficiency' is so general a watchword in the world of business and labor, we are finding not so directly that a man is a knave who drinks to excess, or even as all as that he is a fool. A runner who ties a weight about his leg is no greater dunce than the workman or the merchant who puts a dram of liquor into his digestion or his brain. It is capable of proof by figures and diagrams that the drinker of even an occasional glass of wine or beer or whisky injures the work of both his hands and his mind, while the habitual drinker sews up his mental and manual machinery permanently. This is the gospel of the new temperance movement."

### NO BACKWARD STEPS.

Judge Tully Scott of Colorado's supreme court, speaking to the toast "Democracy's Opportunity" at a Democratic banquet, made this statement: "In my opinion constitutional prohibition will never be repealed in Colorado. I believe it to be as firmly established as the provision for equal suffrage, and I believe we all agree that any effort to repeal the grant of equal suffrage in this state would prove as futile as an attempt to repeal the natural law of gravitation."

### COWARDLY PLEA.

In every country state finance has been the rock behind which the poisoners took shelter. "Without the liquor tax what a deficit there will be!" War gave swift answer to that cowardly plea. What was the tax gain from liquor when dropped into the war deficit of a billion a month? War gave the sudden lesson that you cannot measure a nation's needs in terms of money—Vance Thompson in "Drink and Be Sober."

### TEMPERANCE EXHIBITS.

Such keen interest was manifested by the public in the World's and National W. C. T. U. exhibit at the Panama-Pacific exposition that arrangements were made for showing it in a number of the larger cities throughout the country. The plan is part of a comprehensive traveling exhibit which is carrying to the people the valuable exhibits of various churches and social service organizations. Accompanied by a corps of trained workers, it started on its nation-wide tour from Seattle in January.

### DOES PROHIBITION PROHIBIT?

The thoughtful element in our trade must by this time realize that the fight, that is being waged against alcoholic beverages, is gigantic in its conception, comprehensive in its scope, intensely aggressive in its nature and destructive in its results.—Bonfort's Wine and Spirit Circular, New York.

### HEALTH AND MORALS.

No legislature can bargain away the public health or the public morals—U. S. Supreme Court.

### INTERESTING FACTS

The word admiral is derived from the Arabic, emiral-bahr, meaning "lord of the sea."  
More than 1,418,000 Canadians are liable for military service. Of these, it is asserted, at least 75 per cent are physically fit.  
Baron Charles Beresford, famous British naval leader, who led in parliament the fight for a monster British navy, is seventy years old.

The world's product of lead pencils probably amounts to nearly 2,900,000,000 a year, half of which are made from American grown cedar.  
The report of the United States commissioner of internal revenue shows that 1,743 illicit distilleries were seized in 1909 and 3,832 in 1915.  
Sponges valued at \$264,054 were invoiced at the American consulate at Nassau, Bahamas, for shipment to the United States during 1915, compared with \$224,954 worth for 1914.