

NOBLE'S ITALIA LANDS ON NORTH FINNISH COAST

Drigible En Route to Polar Regions Reaches Tip of Scandinavian Peninsula for Final Stop

By Associated Press. VADSÅ, Norway, Friday, May 4.—General Noble's dirigible Italia, somewhat delayed in her flight from Stolp, Germany, arrived here at 9:10 a. m. today and made a landing which was marked only by a slight accident. The ship sustained a small rent in the covering which is described as unimportant. She will probably remain here overnight, perhaps for two days. The weather reports from the northern districts are not entirely satisfactory, and it is General Noble's desire to proceed under as favorable conditions as possible. A snowstorm began shortly after the landing of the Italia, and stormy conditions prevailed across the Arctic.

Government Aids Landing.
During her flight from Germany the Italia was favored by fine weather except across Finland, where snow and high winds were encountered. The flight was begun at Stolp at 8:20 a. m., yesterday. The crew of a government steamer and troops were called out at Vadså to assist in bringing the dirigible to earth. The weather was good with a light breeze. The Italia was first seen above the Norwegian coast, flying rapidly toward Vadså. The giant dirigible circled twice over the town, flying so low as to appear about to land.

Goes to Moorings Mast.
It rose again, however, and made for the tall mooring mast on the outskirts. Shortly after 9 o'clock part of the gas in the bag was discharged and the mooring to the mast completed without a hitch. Weather conditions this morning showed clouds with a little wind, which it was believed, however, would clear the skies gradually. This little city—with a bare 2,000 population—one of the two or three northernmost towns in the world, was greeted in flags and huzzas in honor of the visiting airman.

STORM DAMAGES HANGAR AT KINGS BAY PORT.
OSLO, Norway, Friday, May 4.—(AP)—Advisers from Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, today said that the shed in which it was intended to shelter the dirigible Italia, now at Vadså, has been damaged by a storm recently. Many persons were working to repair it in preparation for the Italia's coming. The prevailing weather at Kings Bay has been unsettled.

PULLMAN OFFICIAL SHOT BY ASSOCIATE.
Offender Asserts Wounded Man Broke Up His Home; Placed Under Arrest.

By Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, Friday, May 4.—A wealthy young real estate broker, who told police he believed his home had been broken up by a middle-aged business associate, was held without charge here today while his erstwhile friend lay near death from three bullet wounds. Hurrying through the crowded Union Station here yesterday, Harry J. Wheeler made his way to the private office of C. A. Miller, district Pullman Company superintendent, and without warning fired three times at the railroad official. All the bullets struck Miller.

Wheeler hurriedly left the office. Employees in other offices, attracted by the shooting, pointed him out to police and he submitted to arrest with the remark he was on his way to the police station anyway.

"He broke up my home," Wheeler told Chief of Detectives L. A. Toomey. "I tried to kill him. He caused me plenty of worry and I'm glad I did it."

Asked to describe events leading up to the shooting, Wheeler told Toomey he did not care to reveal the details pending his arraignment. Described as Jealous.

Wheeler, who, at 37, has developed an extensive real estate business, was described as extremely jealous in a divorce complaint filed by his wife April 10, last. Mrs. Wheeler charged her husband had refused to provide ample funds for herself and 10-year-old daughter.

Miller, who is about 45 years old and married, was said by physicians to have a chance of recovery.

Slayer of Constable Is Killed by Officer.
PETERBORO, Ont., Friday, May 4.—Five minutes after he had shot and killed Provincial Constable Normal F. Mather, David Montgomery, 63 years old, part owner of the Montgomery Hotel, was killed by a police bullet.

Constable Leonard Matthews, who shot the slayer, saved his own life by a second shot. Montgomery had a heavy-caliber rifle trained on him, but the officer was quicker on the draw.

German Scientist Finds Sitka Church And Rare Treasures Are Crumbling Into Decay

THERE'S a little church in Sitka, Alaska—the old Russian Mission, with paintings more than three hundred years old, and silver and golden vessels handworked by artisans and beams—that will compare favorably with the most famous cathedrals of the Continent, and yet it is falling into decay for lack of funds, so Dr. Karl H. Panhorst, German scientist, said yesterday.



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LOW-PRICED OPERA PROMISED SEATTLE

New Auditorium Will Be Means of Bringing it Within Reach of All, Is Belief.

Opera for all who care to hear it and at moderate prices will be possible in Seattle after the completion of the new municipal auditorium, according to C. A. Shaw, manager of the Chicago Grand Opera Company, heard here during the past day conferring with George T. Hood, local manager of the organization, and guarantors.

During his stay Mr. Shaw hopes to complete arrangements for the return of the company next season. Whether this is done, he points out, is dependent upon the committee of the guarantors, but the availability of the auditorium, in his view, should make the proposal more attractive than ever.

The new auditorium, Mr. Shaw pointed out, will have satisfactory acoustic properties and also will provide the important advantage of large capacity. During the last appearance of the company, he declared, there were hundreds here who were anxious to obtain cheaper seats, which were not available.

HUGE FANCY LIQUOR CARGOES INTO SEWER.
Judge Neterer Orders 1,146 Quarts of Famous Varieties Dumped.

Eleven hundred forty-six quarts of assorted liquors, including scores of varieties from "Three Star Hennessy" to costly Italian vermouth, will be poured into the sewer at the order of Federal Judge Jeremiah Neterer. The liquor, the list of which reads like the manifest of a liquor ship, was confiscated and is proceeding to court by the United States attorney's office yesterday. It consisted of the cargo of the Baby Bottlesman and the Victoria, 2nd., speed boats captured recently by Coast Guard and customs officers.

The Baby Bottlesman's cargo, captured at Port Angeles, of 531 quarts and 29 pints, was available as having cost, foreign prices, \$2,824.50. This is about half its value in the United States at prevailing bootleg prices. It was valued at \$3,000.

The cargo of the Miss Victoria, 2nd., taken at Sunset Beach, was valued at \$2,872.50, and consisted of 501 quarts and 10 pints of liquor.

Two quarts of each kind of liquor were held out by prohibition officials to be used as evidence if occasion arises.

Alien Laws Bar Woman Who Wed Japanese Here

By Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, Friday, May 4.—Although a member of a family that since early days of California has been prominent in the financial and social life of the state, Mrs. Lucy Esanaka, who is a member of the United States immigration office for an alien's permit to reenter the United States.

The action was necessary because Mrs. Esanaka's fourth marriage, which took place last January in Seattle, was to a Japanese, Setazuo Ota, and thereby she lost her American citizenship. At the Ota home it was announced that the permit to reenter is preliminary to a belated voyage to Europe which the couple will take next month.

Mrs. Ota is a daughter of the late Gen. Phineas Banning.

For the West, Dr. Panhorst says, is older than the East for all its pilgrimages and Sir Walter Raleigh's Spaniards left their names, their swords and their religion along the West Coast centuries ago. The histories of most of the South American countries, and of many of the southern and western states of the United States, are more complete in the archives of European nations than in our own historical files, he said, particularly in Spain.

Dr. Panhorst last night spoke before the German-Americans of Seattle. He writes fluently in several languages. He is on his way to South America for further research and writing.

EARLY HOT WAVE SETS UP RECORD IN MIDDLE WEST

Chicago Crowds Rush to Beaches for Relief, While Point in Kansas Reports Snow and Rain Storm

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, Friday, May 4.—It blew hot and cold over the Middle West yesterday and today, but mostly hot. When temperatures reached 90 degrees in Chicago and other Middle West cities yesterday afternoon, they shattered all previous Weather Bureau records for May 8.

There was much discomfort from the sudden baking, but no fatalities. Many hundreds sought relief at the beaches, splashing in waters only recently freed of ice. Meets With Disfavor.

The broiling sun met with disfavor in many farming centers, where rain is needed, but the Weather Bureau sent a word of cheer by promising showers before tonight.

Eastern Kansas had its hottest May 8 of thirty years, while one point in Western Kansas reported snow accompanied by rain.

The warming winds sang of summer's approach as far north as Lake Superior, where heavy rains and a southeast breeze helped to drive the ice out of the lake off Whitefish Point.

With a break in the ice at Whitefish, which had been frozen solid, the steamers Queen and King, downbound from Duluth, were able to get through.

When winter-locked boats at Sault Ste. Marie learned that the Duluth boats had effected a passage through Whitefish Bay several immediately cleared for the head of the lakes. With Superior open, traffic on the Great Lakes is expected to go forward swiftly.

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'Here, Kitty, Kitty'; Police Are Hot on Trail of Tiger



Beast Is Roaming Streets of Big City, or Some; Body Has Been Imbibing That Which Made Milwaukee Famous.

By Associated Press. MILWAUKEE, Friday, May 4.—Either a tiger was roaming the byways of Milwaukee today or half a dozen residents have been seeing things. Eight automobile loads of policemen started the big game hunt across the pavements when four reports were made in rapid succession that a tiger was at large. The first stop was the zoo, where it was determined that all tigers, lions and bears were safely in their cages.

A man and his wife made the first report, saying they had seen an animal which was undoubtedly a tiger. The creature slunk along behind them as they walked to their home and when, in alarm, they sprinted for their house, the beast mounted the steps at their heels. Safely inside, they said they could hear him sniffling at the closed door.

From the same neighborhood came word that a woman had seen the animal from her front porch. Half an hour later a police call from a resident a mile north reported a tiger wandering about. There is no circus in town and none in the vicinity.

Club to Discuss Improvements.
Matters of district welfare will be discussed this evening at a meeting of the Whittier Heights Improvement Club at 8 o'clock in the gymnasium of the Whittier School, 14th Avenue Northwest and West 75th Street. Louis Winthrop, attorney, will speak.

Louis Winthrop to Speak.
Louis Winthrop will address the Whittier Heights Improvement Club

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Mexico City.—(AP)—News dispatches from Vera Cruz say that a Catholic priest, Pedro Larranda, and three Catholic sisters, and some other nuns, all Spanish subjects, have been deported on the Spanish steamship Alfonso XIII.

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Athletic Union Suits of cross-bar nainsook, 88 cent. All standard quality, with elastic insertions; full cut; all sizes; 75c value. Special Sale

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High-Grade Aluminumware

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4-qt. Paneled Tea Kettle
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4-qt. Convex Kettle
Duplex Roasters
8-qt. Dish Pan
8-qt. Water Pail
6-qt. Preserving Kettle

Shadow-Proof Rayon Slips

Close-gauge knit Rayon Slips with deep shadow-proof hem or fancy flounce bottom. Very fine quality garment. Come in pastel shades and wanted sizes; \$1.95 value. Price.

Rayon Gowns

New shipment just arrived of lovely Rayon Gowns, trimmed with fine lace. Come in all pastel shades, all wanted sizes.

Rayon Chemises, French Panties

Beautiful Rayon Chemises, well-tailored, lace-trimmed, carefully finished. French Panties with fancy ruffles. Come in all pastel shades and wanted sizes.

Ladies' New Spring Hats

Latest style in Ladies' Spring Hats. Made of rayon, straw or corded shade; all effectively trimmed. Excellent stock to choose from. Super-Value

Men's Khaki Shirts

Made of heavy quality khaki, good cut and full sizes, with two front pockets. Colors of blue and white. Made to sell at much more

Ladies' Smocks

Made of broadcloth; good cut and finished gracefully. Come in all lovely shades of orange, blue, pink, white, salmon and orchid, etc. Single- or double-breasted buttons. Truly a \$2.00 value. Special.

Waitress Uniform White Aprons

Made of extra heavy white suttin, slip-over style. Square or V neck. Straight line, with belt and two pockets. Sizes 36 to 42. Hoover style.

Pure Silk Hosiery

Pointex heel, silk all way to top, chiffon weight; new Spring shades, including mauve, avonoglow, white, jade, misty moon, pearl blush, white, honey, beige, gun-metal. Sizes 5 1/2 to 10. Pair

Children's Rayon Undies

Made of lustrous rayon. Knit Bloomers. Vest neatly finished, some with lace trimming. All sizes.

Men's Leather Slippers

Made of real leather, both tops and soles. Tan, black or cordovan. Some Indian Head style. All sizes. Worth \$2.00 value. Big Special.

Men's Overall

Blue denim Bib Overall with high backs; cut good and full; reinforced with triple stitches. All sizes.

Children's Leather Sandals

Of real leather, smooth finish top with the cut-in effect; very substantial soles in Cordovan color; sizes 6 to 7; truly worth \$2.00. Super-Value

Girls' Silk Skirts

Beautiful Sport Satin Skirts in box pleats. Colors of red, blue, white and combination checks. All with white waist attached. Sizes up to 12. Value \$2.50. Special.

Girls' Panty Dresses

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Good-looking Girls' Dresses, made of English prints. New styles and effectively trimmed. Latest patterns. All sizes.

Ladies' Sleeveless Dresses

New styles of Sleeveless Dresses, made of novelty gingham and English prints of the latest patterns. Effectively trimmed with organdy; good assortment of colors; all sizes; \$2.95 value. Special.

Ladies' Crepe Bloomers

Fancy Crepe Bloomers, made of firmly pressed crepe that won't wash out. Colors of white, pink and orchid. Bloomers that give wonderful service. All sizes.

New Hand Bags

Latest styles in Ladies' Hand Bags, both pouch and under-arm styles, in assorted two-tone color patterns; \$2.00 values. See them to appreciate their value.

4-Piece Curtain Set

Two pieces of crossbar curtains in the regular window size, and two tie-backs to match, with ruffled colored borders of rose, blue, gold, orchid, jade, green.

Boys' School Shirts and Blouses

Made of good shirting material. Come in plain, fancy striped. Wide assortment of sizes up to 14. See values.

Men's Spring Shirts

Low arrivals, both in neckband and collar-necked styles. In good pattern broadcloth with rayon stripes, percale and novelty shirting patterns. All standard Shirts; \$1.

Extra Size Slips

Of lustrous Secco silk or splendid muslin; well tailored and nicely finished. Colors of pink, blue, orange, green and white. Sizes up to 18.

New Triangle Scarfs

For Spring buy a beautiful Scarf; made of Crepe de Chine or Sport Satin. Very latest color combination. Wide assortment of designs. Truly \$2.00 value. Big Special. Come early.

Boys' School Sweaters

Lumberjack, slip-on and coat styles, with rayon stripes and novelty patterns. All new colors and sizes up to 34. Super-Value.

Ladies' Sleeveless Dresses

New styles of Sleeveless Dresses, made of novelty gingham and English prints of the latest patterns. Effectively trimmed with organdy; good assortment of colors; all sizes; \$2.95 value. Special.

4-Piece Curtain Set

Two pieces of crossbar curtains in the regular window size, and two tie-backs to match, with ruffled colored borders of rose, blue, gold, orchid, jade, green.