



Unsettled Tuesday, Wednesday fair and cooler; moderate southerly winds. Becoming variable.

Average temperature yesterday 54
Average temperature for corresponding date last year 52
Average temperature for corresponding date last thirty-three years 48

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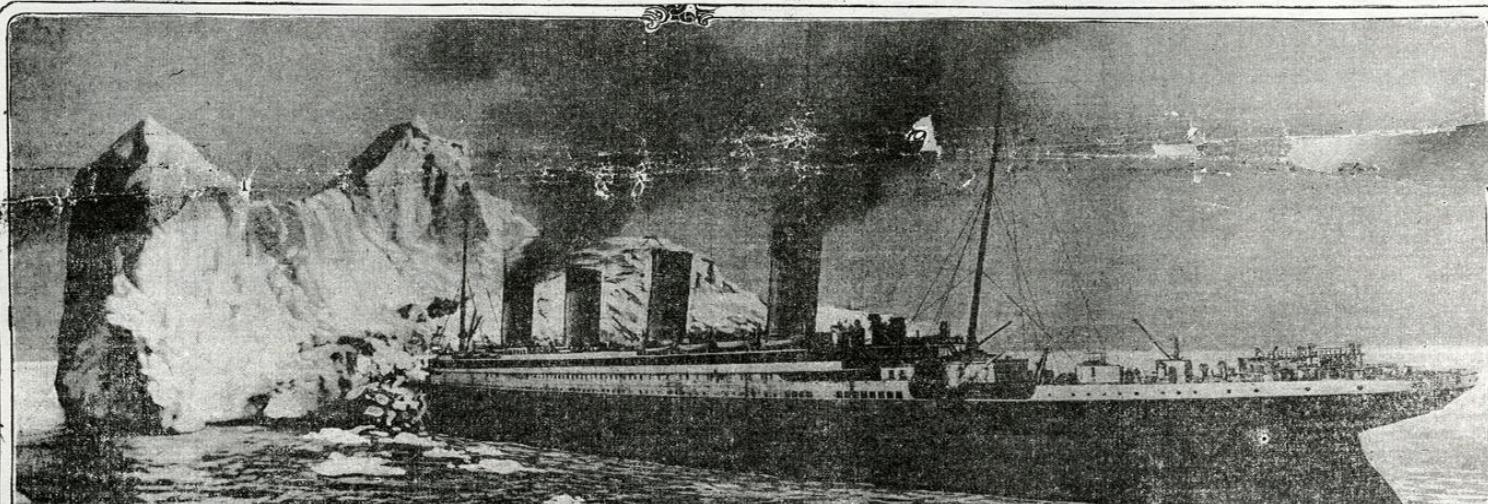
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J. J. ASTOR LOST ON TITANIC 1,500 TO 1,800 DEAD

John Jacob Astor was among the passengers who went down with the ship, according to a wireless dispatch received by Bradstreets last night from the liner Olympic. Mrs. Astor was saved and is being brought to shore by the Carpathia.

The Wireless Operator at Cape Race, Newfoundland, Flashes: "Eighteen Hundred Lives Have Been Lost in the Wreck of the Titanic."



"All the News That's Fit to Print."

The New York Times.

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NEW YORK, TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1912.—TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

THE WEATHER.
General Weather—Wednesday
and Thursday—Cloudy with
rain, becoming clearer
afternoon, temperature
about 50°. Wind from the
SW. Force 3 or 4.

ONE CENT ADVERTISING

TITANIC SINKS FOUR HOURS AFTER HITTING ICEBERG; 866 RESCUED BY CARPATHIA, PROBABLY 1250 PERISH; ISMAY SAFE, MRS. ASTOR MAYBE, NOTED NAMES MISSING

Col. Astor and Bride,
Imperial Strauss and Wife,
and Maj. Butt Aboard.

"POLE OF SEA" FOLLOWED

Wife and Children Put Safe
in Lifeboat and Are Suspected
to be Safe in Carpathia.

PICKED UP AFTER 8 HOURS

Vincent Astor Safe at White Star
Office for News of His Father
and George Weyling.

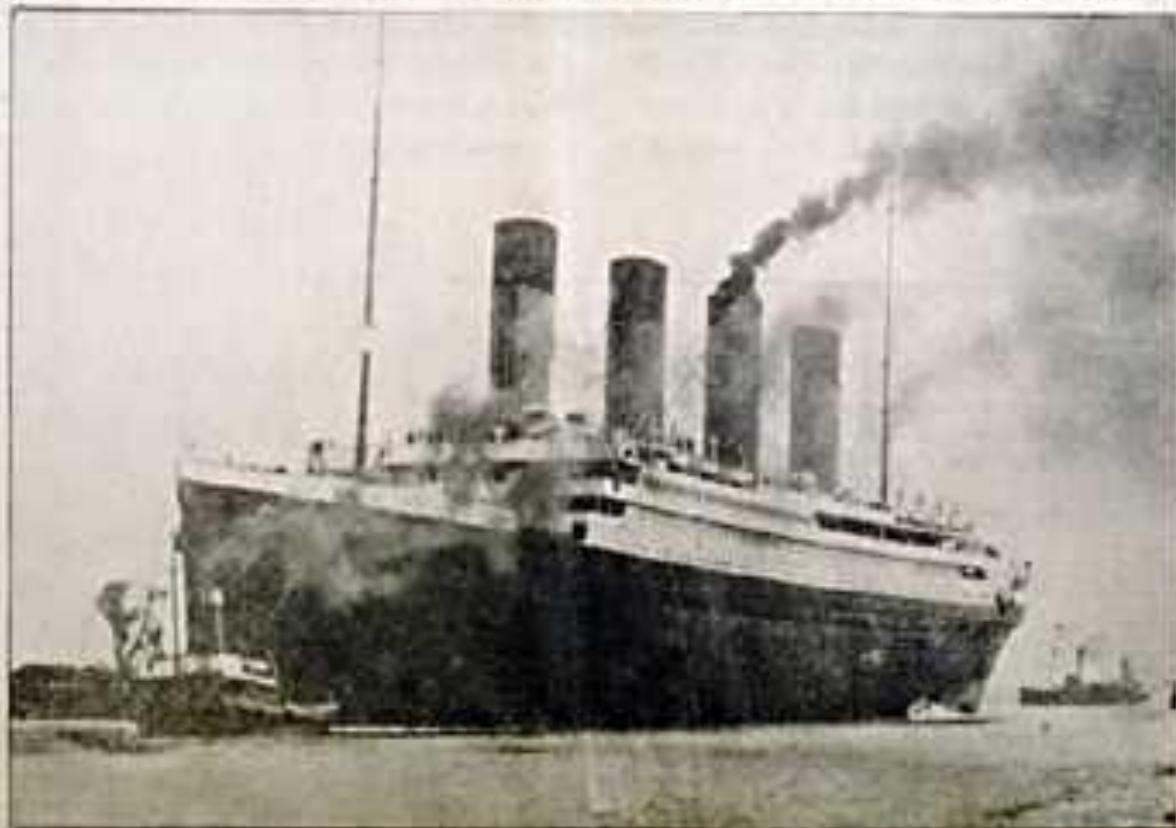
FRANKLIN HOPEFUL ALL DAY

Memory of the Late President
Taft Was Kept Fresh Even
After the Mud Came Down.

HEAD OF THE LINE AGAIN

A British liner sailing from Southampton
to New York Tuesday night was
reported to have all steerage.

The statement that the "White Star
Line" had "lost its grip" on the market, just
now goes to an amazing and last effort
on the part of the Atlantic liner company
putting more than 1,000 of its vessels



Gigantic Liner Plunges
to the Bottom
at 2:20 A.M.

RESCUEES THERE TOO LATE

Carpathia Puts Up the Few Hours
While the Two in the
Liferafts.

WOMEN AND CHILDREN FIRST

Carpathia Steaming Home to
New York with the
Survivors.

SEX SEARCH FOR SURVIVORS

The Gallstone Shows by the
Chance of Picking Up These
Wreck of Victims.

CLIFFORD DENIES THE NEWS

Carpathia to New York With
Cargo to Share After the
Disaster.

LAWYER REPORTS ASTOR SAFE
BOSTON, APR. 16.—John D. Morgan,
attorney for the Astors, said
Tuesday evening that the
Colonel and his wife were safe.

THE MARKETS.

Canadian markets generally firm. New York bull market continues. London active and firm. Consols closed 1-8 higher at 78 1-16. Chicago May wheat closed at \$1.11.

The Globe.

THE WEATHER.

Probabilities:—Fair and cooler.
The sun rises at 5:32 a.m. and sets at 7:03 p.m.
A British mail, per Carmania, via New York, closes to-day at 11 a.m. Next mail, per George Washington, via New York, will close to-morrow at 7 and 11 a.m.

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THE GREATEST MARINE DISASTER IN HISTORY

WORLD'S LARGEST VESSEL FOUNDERS ON HER MAIDEN VOYAGE

*LOSS OF LIFE IS ESTIMATED AT
EIGHTEEN HUNDRED.*

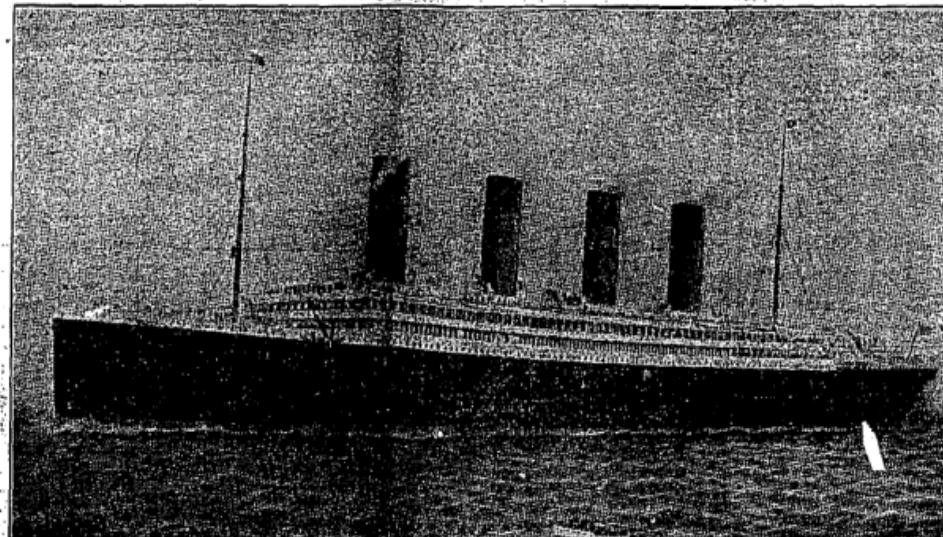
Titanic Goes Down in the Early Morning Before
Vessels Summoned to Her Rescue by Wire-
less Arrive on the Scene---Women and Chil-
dren Constitute Majority of Those Saved---
First Cabin Passengers Probably Rescued.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

NEW YORK, April 15.—A message from the steamer Olympic reporting the sinking of the *Titanic* and the rescue of 675 survivors, which reached here late to-night, expressed the opinion that 1,800 lives were lost.

"Loss likely to total 1,800 souls," the despatch read in its concluding sentence.

It is hoped and believed here that this is an error, unless the *Titanic*



THE TITANIC—NOW AT THE BOTTOM OF THE ATLANTIC.

The *Titanic*, with a length of 882 feet six inches and a width of 92 feet six inches, was the largest steamship ever built. She was launched at Belfast last May, and this was her maiden trip. The Hamburg-American Company have in course of construction at Hamburg, Germany, the new "Imperator," which will be 900 feet in length.

The *Titanic* had a displacement of 66,000 tons and 45,000 tons register. Some idea of the immensity of this great liner can be gained when it is considered that if it stood on end she would tower three times higher than the City Hall tower, which is 297 feet.

Her rudder alone weighed 109 tons. Each crank-shaft weighs 118 tons,

each engine bed-plate, 195 tons; each engine column, 21 tons, and the heaviest cylinder, 50 tons. The casting of her turbine cylinder weighed 167 tons. One of her solid bronze propellers weighed 22 tons and a single anchor, fifteen tons.

To build the vessel cost nearly \$10,000,000. She was a four-funnel, triple-screw steamer; had eleven

decks; was provided with fifteen watertight bulkheads, and had accommodations for 3,000 passengers—600 saloon, 500 second-class, and 1,900 steerage. She carried a crew of 850. In height she was 175 feet from the top of the funnels to keel. The height from the bottom of the keel to the top of the captain's house was 105 feet seven inches.

MANY CANADIANS ON FATED STEAMER

Major A. G. Peuchen of Toron-
to in the List.

CHAS. M. HAYS ON BOARD

Railway Man's Daughter and
Son-in-law With Him

Noted People From America and the
Old Country on First Trip of the
Giant Vessel Which Sank in the
Atlantic.

There were a number of Canadian passengers listed on the steamer *Titanic*, which met with disaster yesterday. Among them were:

Major Arthur G. Peuchen, General Manager of the Standard Chemical Company, Toronto.

J. J. Borchuk, well known in real estate circles in Toronto and in Winnipeg, and

Mrs. John C. Hogeboom, Toronto. Other Canadians in the first-class cabin list included:

Chas. M. Hays, wife and daughter, Montreal.

Thornton Davidson and wife (son-in-law of C. M. Hays), Montreal.

J. Hugo Ross (formerly of Toronto), Winnipeg.

Thompson Beutle, Winnipeg, formerly of Fergus, Ont.

Mr. Geo. E. Graham, buyer for Eaton's chintzware department, Win-

nipeg.

Dr. Alfred Pain, Hamilton, son of

Captain Albert Pain, a well-known

MONTRÉAL STIRRED BY THE CALAMITY

A Dozen Prominent Citizens on
Board Ill-fated Liner

The Muster Roll

First-class passengers	318
Second	262
Third	730
Crew	860
Total	2,170

A PARTIAL LIST OF THE RESCUED

Wireless Message From Cape
Race Gives it

EIGHT HOURS IN THE OPEN BOATS

The Survivors of the *Titanic*
Suffered Hardships

