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CITY OF FLINT

Ambassador Laurence Steinhardt reported the following Tass despatch published in the Moscow press:

"The steamship City of Flint has left Murmansk.

"Murmansk October 28 Tass. On October 28 in the eveing the steamship City of Flint after the machinery had been repaired, left the port of Murmansk."

The American Chargé d'Affaires at Berlin, Mr. Alexander C. Kirk, reported on October 29 that he had been informed orally by the Foreign Office that it was still without definite information as to the whereabouts of the vessel.

TURKEY

The President yesterday sent the following telegram:

"October 29, 1939

"HIS EXCELLENCY
ISMET INONU
PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TURKEY
ANKARA

"It is with great pleasure that I extend to Your Excellency upon this national anniversary of your country, sincere felicitations and best wishes for the continued peace and prosperity of the Turkish nation.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT."
