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VICTIMS OF MID-OCEAN COLLISION

At their Cape Town hotel some of the passengers who were aboard the "Ceramic" when she collided with the freighter Kethbank during the blackout. All the 270 passengers and the crew were picked up by a rescue ship in the South Atlantic and of these 90 were children who were travelling to Australia with their mothers or relatives. They all got away from the liner without any panic and this little girl refused to leave without her doll. It wasn't very pleasant for them to have to climb into lifeboats in the middle of the night, but they have got the real British spirit. They don't get down-hearted whatever happens. If you think the collision was just a gentle shove in the side, take a look at the Kethbank's nose.