STEAMER TELLUS IS A TOTAL LOSS

Breaks In Two After Going Ashore.

CREW IS REMOVED SAFELY

Ship Is Rapidly Pounding to Pieces on the Sand.

4000 TONS OF COAL LOST

Bound From Nanaimo for Portland She Hits Mysteriously - Heavy Swell and Weight of Cargo Break Her - Is Insured.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Sept. 22 .- (Special.)-The Norwegian steamer Tellus. coal-laden from Nanalmo for Portland, which went ashore on the North Spit, at the entrance to Grays Harbor yesterday forenoon, broke in two at 7 o'clock this morning and with her cargo will be a total loss. The steamer is now fast going to pleces. The stranded vessel rested easily up to midnight, when in a heavy swell, she began pounding terrificly. Shortly afterwards she began leaking, her pumps broke and the engines shifted over a

At 6 o'clock this morning water was pouring into the engine-room and seven feet of water was in the hold. At seven o'clock with a report like a cannon the steel steamer broke in two at number two hatch.

Crew Is Rescued.

Three mates, three engineers and the steward, who remained on the wreck, were taken off by the tug Cudahy, which stood by during the night. Captain Berg, with a force of 30 long shoremen, arrived at the wreck abou nine o'clock this morning, but seeing there was no hope of saving the vessel or any part of her cargo, returned to Hoquiam with his crew.

The tug Traveler, with Second Mate Nelson, of the Tellus, is standing by the wreck. Captain Berg believes the Tellus will go to pieces entirely with The Tellus carried nearly 4000 tons of coal, valued at \$20,000, for the Independent Coal and Ice Company, of Portland.

amer and Cargo In

The cargo and the ship were both The crew will be paid off and sent to their homes tomorrow. Captain Berg will employ a legal representative tomorrow to look after the insurance. She is breaking up rapidly and apparently will not last long.

The Tellus is a vessel of 1612 tons net register, owned by Wilnelm Dil-Hamson, and has been running as a collier between Nansimo and San Francisco. Prior to that time she made several trips to Nome from British Co lumbia. Captain Berg is familiar with the coast and how he came to get on the beach is a matter which puzzles Government on it I believe we can afford local shipping men.

Report has it that a drifting buoy

confused the officers of the ship and she hit before they were aware that they were in danger. All a.ds to navigation which have gone adrift, however, have been accounted for and duly announced in the reports of the Hydrographic of-

The Tellus carried a crew of 23 men, all of whom were saved.

STATEMENT OF CAPTAIN BERG Thinks Boat in Safety Till She

Strikes-Buoy Said to Be Adrift. HOQUIAM, Wash., Sept. 12 .- (Spe-

cial.)-Captain Berg, who came to Hooulam last night, gave the following statement of the wreck:

"The weather was clear and fine, and the sea as calm as a mill-pond. For this reason we skirted the coast. The mate was on the bridge and I went up about 11:30 to find what we were making. We were just abreast of Grays Harbor, and the mate said, pointing over the port bow: 'There's the whistling buoy.' He had hardly said the words when we struck."

Captain Berg is bitterly denunciative when speaking of the wreck. It is said by local mariners that the midchannel buoy off the entrance to the harbor has been adrift for months, and that the Government officials have been notified but have failed to replace it. With the position of the derelict busy it was very easy to mistake this for the whistling buoy, which would mark a safe course for a passing vessel. Had there been the slightest blow or rough weather the breakers would have shown and warned Captain Berg, but as it was he had every reason to believe that he was in safety.

JAIL BREAK IN CHICAGO

Two Men Make Spectacular Getaway in Broad Daylight.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22 - After having locked a jail guard and a "trusty" in a cell, two prisoners climbed through a window of the County Jail here this afternoon and made their escape in plain view of a num-ber of persons who were passing in the tack on Sultan Ab del Aziz at Rabat.

street. A third prisoner, after having started to descend from the window, elimbed back when the slarm was given. Within a few minutes the police were on the trail of the jailbreakers, but their capture has not been reported up to a late hour tonight.

The escape was accomplished by

a late hour tonight.

The escape was accomplished by a ciever ruse. Choosing a moment when all of the prisoners on that ther of cells were in the exercise-room, one of the prisoners asked Guard Michael Bioomberg, to unlock his cell so he might get a pack of playing cards. John Scott, the "trusty," was about to hand Bloomberg a note when both he and the guard were seized, the keys secured, and the two were forced into the cell and locked in. Producing saws, which are supposed to have been saws, which are supposed to have been smuggled to them by some accomplice, they sawed two iron bars from the winlows and descended from the window clinging to the bars in the windows below and dropping into the street. Meanwhile the other prisoners sang and shouted to prevent the guard from giving the slarm.
The guard, however, was wafued by
the trusty to make no outcry, on penalty of death and he remained in the cell for an hour. The men who escaped were Wil-



Sereno E. Payne, of New York, Who Seattle Exposition.

liam Rogers, 25 years old, charged with larceny, and Stanley Weslock, 26 years old, held for burglary.

TELLS OPERATORS ROOSEVELT CAN END STRIKE.

Predicts That All Strikers Will Be at Work Within Ten Days With Victory Theirs.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—"I have positive inside information that the companies are ready to arbitrate, and I predict to you now that you will all be at work within ten days, and that victory

will be yours."
This was the information given out by President S. J. Small, of the striking commercial telegraphers, at the best-attended meeting held since the strike was declared. There were loud cries of "No arbitration" when President Small began speaking, but these grew weaker as he

"I think I have heard that cry before, but I want to say something on the other side. If President Roosevelt should ask the companies to arbitrate, and they con-sented, what position would it place you you refused?"

"I don't know that you will get a chance to arbitrate," he said as the cries continued "If Coloral Clowry has his way about it you won't be given the chance. We have had some bitter experience with arbitration, but if it comes this time with the stamp of the United States

accept it."
Although he did not say so, Presiden Small gave the inference that President Roosevelt was in a fair way to end the strike. He said it had already cost the manies \$12,000,000.

Chairman Wesley Russell said the cot-ton growers of the South are clamoring for better telegraph facilities, and tha nany Southern associations had appealed to President Roosevelt. The situation, he said, looked decidedly hopeful. M. J. Reidy, of Boston, and S. K. Konenkamp, of Pittsburg, members of the National Executive Board, said the strike

LEASED WIRE MEN TO REMAIN

would be over in two weeks.

Resolution Calling Them Out Is Again Tabled.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.-A determine effort to pass a resolution calling out on strike regardless of their contracts, all newspaper wire and broker office operators was made at a meeting of the local Telegraphers' Union today. After a long debate, the resolution, which has before been introduced at meetings of the strikers, was again tabled, but it was said later with the understanding that it would be taken up at a meeting next Wednesday. At loday's meeting some of the speakers declared that the calling out of the 200 leased wire men was necessary to bring the telegraph companies

MOORISH CAMPS BURNED

General Drude Makes a Brilliant Forced March on Tribesmen.

CASA BLANCA, Sept. 22.-Negotiations for the cessation of hostilities naving failed. General Drude today resumed the offensive, and burned the Moorish camps at Sidi Brahim, south of Casa Blanca, and dispersed the tribesmen, who offered but little resistance. These operations were chiefly notable for a brilliant forced march of the French trans who care. march of the French troops, who cov ered forty kilometres inside of twelve

Mulai Hafig Seeking Ally.

TANGIER, Sept. 22.- Latest advices from Morocco City state that Hafig is marching towards Rabat with the object of trying to induce the Chacuis tribesmen to join him in an at-

PLANS TRIP DOWN FATHER OF WATERS

President's Tour to Be Spectacular.

THREE WEEKS IN THE WEST

Will Make Speeches, Greet Populace, Hunt Wild Game.

INTEREST IN WATERWAYS

Executive to Attend Memphis Convention-Keokuk Arranging an Elaborate Reception for the Nation's First Citizen.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22,-While the reparations for President Roosevelt's Western trip have not been completed, the programme has been sufficiently arranged to make it certain that the tour will be one of the most spectacular ever undertaken by him. He will leave here a week from today and will be absent from the seat of government until the 23d or 24th of October. The trip has three distinctive objects: The dedication of the McKinley Mausoleum, at Canton, O., inspection of the Mississippi River with a view of arousing interest in he ship channel from its mouth to Keokuk, Ia., and the Great Lakes, and the securing of a period of recreation for the chief executive before the beginning of

the duties of the Winter. Incidentally there will be some speeches on the return journey which will deal with current issues. The stay at Canton on Monday, the 30th, will be of only little more than sufficient duration to permit the President to pay his tribute to the memory of his immediate predecessor but he there will meet Vice-President Fairbanks and other people of note and will make a long speech.

Keokuk Plans Reception.

He will then proceed direct to Keokuk. where on Tuesday, October I, he will be given a notable public reception, deliver an address and begin his journey by boat down the Father of Waters, said to be, with the exception of a short voyage by President Pierce, the first trip on the river ever made by a President.

At Keokuk the Presidential party will be met by the Governors of 23 states, all deepening of the channel of the Mississippl and the general improvement of inland navigation, and these, on boat than that on which the President will travel, will constitute his guard of honor to Memphis, where the party will arrive on October 4. There will be two important stops on the voyage, at St. Louis on the 2d of October, and at Cairo, Ill., on the 3d, and at both point speeches bearing upon the country

be delivered by the President. Reports at all points at which stops are to be made indicate that the party will be entertained on a lavish scale throughout At Keckuk there will be a water pageant and many citizens will convoy the President down the river in crafts of all sizes for 20 or 30 miles, and a number of them will accompany him all the way to Memphis. At Memphis the President will find the Deep Waterways Convention in session, and he will deliver a speech.

Will Hunt Big Game in Louisiana.

The President will turn his back on rivilization for a period of rest and sport in the wilds in the northern part of Louisiana, This part of the programme has been arranged largely by Civil Service Commissioner McIlhenny, a Louisians sportsman of good record, and who has hunted many times over the ground and has recommended the place in terms of praise as being well stocked with game both large and small, and sufficiently secluded to prevent intrusion. The President will be accompanied to

the border of this game section by a staff from the executive office here, by Assistant Secretary Latta, and also by rep-

EVENTS OF COMING WEEK.

Government's actions against al-leged offenders will be divided this week between the hearing of the Standard Oil Company in New York, Standard Oil Company in New 107s, the decision of Attorney-General Bonaparta and Judge Landis at Chl-cago whether to prosecute the Cht-cago & Alion Railroad for rebating. and the trial of United States Sen-ator William E. Borah, which will open at Bolse, Idaho, Monday, on charges of conspiring to defraud the Govern hant by securing filegar entry

President Roosevelt will return to Washington this week. Secretary Root will start on his trip to Mexico. The American Bankers' Assoand Robert Pulton day will be cele The hearing of the Government's action to dissolve the Standard Off Company of New Jersey is to be resumed before a special examiner in New York on Monday.

resentatives of the press associations, bu will be established at a convenient place fairs of state. The exact location of the guides. The party will be in camp from the 5th to the 21st of October.

Returning, the President will speak at Vicksburg and at Hermitage, near Nash ville. At the latter place he will pay his respects to the memory of Presiden Jackson.

HONOR MEMORY OF M'KINLEY

Imposing Ceremonies Next Week at Dedication of Memorial.

CANTON, Ohio, Sept. 22.-Thousands of will gather in Canton a week from to of the McKinley Memorial Association tinguished men will make addresses.

Among the noted men who will be here are Secretary of Agriculture James Wil-son Secretary Garfield, Admiral Rixey, Senators Burrows and Smith, of Michi

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STEAMER TELLUS

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SENATOR BORAH

Hands of Jury.

REFUSES TO EVADE CHARGE

Land-Fraud Taint.

DEEP INTEREST IN CASE

Prominent Idaho and Wisconsin

People Charged With Stealing

Timber-Ruick's Grand Jury

Work Investigated.

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 22.-United States

Senator William E. Borah, who acted as

one of the principal prosecutors for the

state of Idaho at the recent trial of Wil-

iam D. Haywood, secretary of the Wast

ern Federation of Miners, will be place

on trial tomorrow morning in the United

States Circuit Court here, charged with

conspiring to defraud the Government out

of title to 17,280 acres of Idaho timber

and. Twelve other persons have been in

dicted with Senator Borah, but he will

be the first to face a Federal jury, hav-

ing demanded a trial prior to the time

he shall present his credentials as a Scna-

Others of the defendants have inter-

posed demurrers, pleas in abatement and

other legal technicalities, many of which

are still pending, and have charged that

the United States District Attorney, Nor.

man M. Ruick, used improper and illegal

methods while securing the indictments.

But Senator Borah has simply entered a

tor next December in Washington.

they will not accompany the hunters or their quest. A miniature White House and Mr. Latta will keep his chief informed of important developments in afhunting camp will not be announced until it is established. The camp will be shared by Mr. McIlhenny, by Dr. Rixey and a few other intimate-friends, and they will have the services of local

persons from many parts of the country morrow to again honor the memory of the late President McKinley. On that day the splendid and imposing memorial built by contributions from hundreds of thousands of persons in this and other countries and erected under the direction will be dedicated. The President of the United States will be the principal speaker of the occasion, and other dis-

plea of not guilty, and has forbidden his attorneys to take advantage of any technicalities whatsoever. He has stated as his desire that the case should be tried on (Concluded on Page 2)

Investigating Ruick's Work. The conduct of the District Attorney

before the March grand jury, which re urned the indictment against Borah and is now under investigation by a specially summoned Federal grand jury, while Judge Whitson, who is to preside at the Borah trial, began yesterday a personal inquiry in open court as to Mr. Ruick's course, summoning in attendance

all the witnesses cited to appear before the grand jury.

It has been charged in affidavits of three former grand jurymen that Mr. Ruick made an argument of more than an hour's length before the grand jury and urged that indictments be voted. The District Attorney has admitted that he reviewed for the benefit of the grand tury the salient features of testimony which covered a period of four weeks' deliberation, but denies that his remarks were in the line of an argument. It is also charged that the District Attorney refused to leave the grand jury room on day until the indictments were signed. This charge has been denied in the coun ter-affidavits of rine former grand jurymen, who say that the timber land cases were not being discussed when the District Attorney was requested to depart.

Monster Land Conspiracy Alleged. The indictments against Senator Borah and the 12 others charges that they entered into a conspiracy with 108 residents of Boise, whereby the latter were to take up timber land claims of 160 acres each, paying a minimum price to the Government, and later, when the claims were finally approved, to transfer the land to the Barber Lumber Company, an Idaho corporation, whose principal officers are residents of Wisconsin. James T. Barber and Samuel G. Moon, of Eau Claire, Wis., are among those indicted. It is alleged that the 108 entrymen swore that they were taking out the claims for their own use and benefit, and not for speculation. These statements are alleged to have been false, and the Government attorneys claim the entrymen had all entered

into a contract to turn the lands over to the lumber corporation as soon as their claims were proved. It is further alleged that Senator Borah and the other conspirators provided funds to many of the ON TRIAL TODAY % entrymen to cover the expenses of taking out their claims.

Deep Interest in Trial.

The interest aroused by the trial is inense in this section of the country owing to the prominence of all concerns Seeks Vindication at in the alleged conspiracy. One of the co defendants of Senator Bornh is Frank Martin, Attorney-General of Idaho, under former Governor Frank Steunenberg who was assassinated by Harry Orchard. Another defendant is "John Doe," said to represent Governor Steunenberg him

Among the 108 entrymen named as a part of the conspiracy, but not indicted. are many of the most prominent busines and professional men of Boise. In som instances five members of a family, in cluding wives and daughters, are in-Declares He Is Innocent of Any volved

The Government's interest in the trial of Senator Borah is attested by the



Senator Borah, Who Will Be Placed on Trial at Bolse Today.

presence here of three special prosecu tors, to be assisted and advised by District Attorney Ruick.

Special Prosecutors Busy.

The filing of charges against the latter also influenced the Department of Justice at Washington in sending special men here, who could in nowise, politically or personally, be interested in the prosecution, except as a cause of justice. The Government claims that the group of men who operated in Idaho were one of three groups who operated in the West and whose prosecutions have aroused such widespread interest during the last two years.

While it is not to be denied that the Barber Lumber Company has secured possession of the timber lands involved In the present case, it will be claimed that Senator Borah, acting as counsel for the lumber company, had no part in the conspiracy, if one existed, and that he dealt only with the transfer of the claims

in a legal manner. dence, and is also reported in some quar-ters to have repudiated the confession. The repudiation story is also denied.

TRIALS IN NOVEMBER.

Heney Says He Is Confident of Speedy Conviction of Hall and Hermann!

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 22.-(Special.) the graft cases in which he is to appear as special prosecutor by the third week

in November graft trials in which it is necessary for that we shall be able to finish them be-fore that time. The Federal Government has been pressing me to conclude the cution of the land fraud cases pending against Ex-United States District Atorney Hall and Ex-Congressman Binger Hermann in the United States District Court of Oregon, but I have not been able to get away from San Francisco. I visited Portland a few weeks ago and talked the matter over with United States District Attorney Bristol. It was agreed that he should prosecute all the in the Senate as did the original bill. conspiracy cases which come up at the October term of the United States Court before Judge Hunt. I expect to be able before Judge Fight. The property of the court of the cour

There are obvious reasons for this. feel that it is fitting and proper for me to conduct his prosecution. I anticipate that speedy convictions will be secured. I anticipate for the evidence in these cases is very

nterfere with the graft trials here, which are expected to proceed just the same. District Attorney Langdon has already made arrangements for the prosecution of the various graft cases as they up, and he will appear in some of them personally as the principal prosecutor. necessary.

a conclusion

It is expected that Patrick Calhoun will be the next defendant called for trial in Judge Lawior's court, following the trial of Tirey L. Ford. The Parkside cases against G. H. Umbsen, W. I. Brobeck, John H. Green, and the cases pending against Frank G. Drum will then be called as rapidly as possible to enable Assistant District Attorney Francis J.

GET FAIR MONEY

Congress Grows Tired of Expositions.

JAMESTOWN HURTS SEATTLE

Burkett, of Nebraska, Will Fight Any Appropriation.

PRESIDENT'S AID NEEDED

Speaker Cannon Must Be Won Overs in Lower House-West Alone in Support of Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Enterprise.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU. Washington, Sept. 22.-The miserable failure of the Jamestown Exposition is going to prove a stumbling block in the path of the Washington delegation, when it undertakes to secure an appropriation at the next session of Congress to aid in the Seattle Exposition of 1909. It is no secret that Congress has been growing more and more illdisposed towards expositions as years have gone by, and the appropriation for Jamestown would never have passed had not the entire South joined hands to force through the appropriation. C! course, the South had the co-operation of states which had previously benefited from National appropriations for their own expositions, and this combination was too strong to be over-

But Seattle will have no such con bination to force through its bill. The delegations from the Pacific Northwest will unite; indeed, delegations from the entire Rocky Mountains and Pacific Coast region are expected to be practically unanimous in favor of the Seattle bill, but the Far West is not nearly as strong in Congress, numerically, as is the Southland, and it is not probable that the entire South will come to the aid of Scattle, as it went to the support of Virgina in the last Congress.

Burkett Has Knife Sharpened. Then, too, some of the states that have had expositions in the past will not stand by Washington next Winter. after their purchase had been negotiated Floor Leader Payne in the House will oppose the bill, regardless of the big William Sweet, one of the 12 indicted appropriation made for Buffalo, and it is quite likely that other New Yorkers will stand with him. This was demonstrated last session. There will also be opposition from Illinois, Pennsylvania, and even from some of the Southern states, aside from Virginia,

which have received Government aid

in time past. But a very surprising development the announcement of Senator EXPECTS TO END LAND-FRAUD Burkett, of Nebraska, that he intends to make a vigorous fight against the Scattle Exposition bill. Burkett's state got a large slice of Federal money for its Omaha Exposition, but that is past and forgotten, and now Burkett is loudly clamoring for reform. expositions in general," said Senator Burkett a few days ago, "I think we've had enough. There isn't any need for one out there at Seattle, so far as I Francis J. Hency hopes to be able to can see, and certainly it isn't of suffinish the trials of all the defendants in ficient National importance to warrant the Government in making a big appropriation. World's fairs have been run Heney said today, "that the into the ground of late, and the people are tired of them. Surely the Jamesme to appear will be concluded before the town Exposition has been object-end of the third week in November, and lesson enough. It cost the Govern-at the present rate of progress I think ment a great deal of money and all accounts indicate that it is a flat fallure."

The Seattle bill will go through the Senate all right, nothwithstanding Burkett's opposition, for the Senate passes these bills as a matter of courtesy. It passed the Scattle bill last request, and it will do so next Winter for the same reason, though the new bill may not have as smooth sledding

In the lower branch of Congress

tion is involved. Some man may get a fish hatchery as a personal compli-Hall was indicted for complicity in the Butte Creek cases, and it was I who is asset his removal as United States Att the House wit, just before retiring to torney. Because of these circumstances I private life, But no man ever got an exposition appropriation on that basis, and none eyer will. The House will refer the bill to the committee on expositions; Speaker Cannon and the House The fact that Heney will leave here in leaders will have a heart to heart talk November for Portland to appear in the with the chairman and leading mem-Federal prosecutions there will in no way bers of that committee, and it will be arranged just what shall be done. The amount of the appropriation will be cut down in case the leaders consent to let the bill go through, and each individual item will be shaped up to He will continue to have the assistance of C. W. Cobb and Hiram W. Johnson as the bill which has the O. K. of the meet the demands of Mr. Cannon and Speaker will not carry \$1,000,000 or Everything possible will be done to ex-pedite the graft cases and bring them to Cannon is one of those men who believes the exposition business has been overdone and he stands ready to prevent future appropriations if he can, or to reduce them as far as possible if he finds he cannot block their passage. The probabilities are that Presi-dential co-operation will be necessary to get through the Seattle exposition bill, just as Presidential co-operation

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