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## BLIZZARD ON LAKES CASTS UP ITS DEAD

### Shipping Damaged to Enormous Extent.

## FREIGHTER TOSSES, KEEL UP

### Unidentified Vessel Believed to Carry Cargo of Flax.

## MANY VESSELS ARE LOST

### Cleveland Hardest Hit of Any of Points on Land—Five Are Killed There and Property Loss Will Reach \$2,000,000.

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—The shores of Lake Superior, Huron and Erie were strewn tonight with the wreckage of a three-day gale and snow storm, which cost the lives of probably three-score persons, turned bottom up in midlake a 300-foot steel vessel with its crew, wrecked or grounded numerous other craft and caused a property loss as yet unestimated, but which will run into the millions.

## CLEVELAND HARDEST HIT

On land the storm hit hardest at Cleveland, where five persons were killed and 19 others lost and where \$2,000,000 damage was caused to property. The death toll, with many ports unreported, is told thus: Twenty-five or 40 men probably drowned in the overturning of a freighter found floating in Lake Huron. Five bodies washed ashore at St. Joseph, on the Canadian side of Lake Huron (four had belts marked "Wexford" and one wore a belt marked "London").

## Lightship Crew Drowned

Six members of a lightship drowned in Lake Erie, near Buffalo, N. Y. Seven bodies washed ashore at Kettle Point, Lake Huron, and seven other bodies rolling on the decks of a ship wrecked there.

The escapes from death were numerous. After the storm, about Friday midnight, had blown away the forward part of the ship, Captain J. W. Buddle, of the steamer L. C. Waldo, navigating by a small, inaccurate compass, ran his vessel on a reef. The crew suffered intense cold and hunger until their rescue today.

## Property Loss Is Heavy

It was impossible to estimate the total loss to vessels totally wrecked or damaged by grounding. Shippers in Detroit estimated the loss in Lake Huron and the Detroit and St. Clair Rivers alone to be several hundred thousand dollars. Three of the wrecked steamers increase the loss by \$500,000, while the scores of smaller craft driven ashore in Lake Superior and Lake Erie will send the total much higher.

## BANK ROBBERS FLEE WITH \$10,000 LOOT

### MASKED MEN SHOOT CASHIER AND ESCAPE TO WOODS.

## Canadian Cracksmen Engage in Running Fight With Citizens When Surprised at Their Work.

SEATTLE, Nov. 11.—A special to the Post-Intelligencer from Hazelton, B. C., says five masked men tonight robbed the safe of the Union Bank of New Hazelton, four miles east of Hazelton, obtaining \$10,000, shot the cashier, and escaped after a running rifle battle with citizens.

## COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP UP

Chehalis Club Wants Commissioners to Establish Fund.

## STEAMER ASHORE IN FOG

### "City of Shelton" Is Badly Damaged Off Libby's Point.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—In a heavy fog the steamer City of Shelton, Captain Gustafsson, on the Olympia-Shelton run, went ashore at Libby's Point, a few miles from its destination, last night. Fifty passengers were aboard, but their momentary fright was allayed by the arrival, within a few minutes, of the tug Mizpah, which had gone to Shelton after log rafts. Two trips took all passengers safely to Shelton.

## MIXED TICKET VICTORIOUS

### San Francisco Names Supervisors, Tax Collector and Police Judge.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11.—San Francisco's municipal election today resulted in victory for a mixed ticket.

## WIFE OUT; NEIGHBOR IN

### Husband Marries When Spouse Leaves Home to Visit.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 11.—Arthur B. Carter, son-in-law of Frank M. Nye, ex-Congressman, is in jail here charged with bigamy.

## GATES ESTATE IS DIVIDED

### Wife and Mother to Share in Mil- lions Left Behind.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The estate of Charles G. Gates will be divided between his widow, Mrs. Charles G. Gates, and his mother, Mrs. John W. Gates, who will get equal shares in the residuary estate, about \$2,000,000 each, after bequests amounting to about \$600,000 are paid to relatives and friends.

## STARING AT "COP" CRIME

### German Judge Sends Business Man to Jail for "Insulting" by Gaze.

BRESLAU, Germany, Nov. 11.—Sentence of a fortnight in prison for staring at a policeman was imposed on a business man of this city today.

## CLEVELAND IN NEW PERIL

### Drinking Water Turned by Storm to Color of Coffee.

## GRAFT WITNESS ADMITS PERJURY

### Syracuse Man in Col- lapse on Stand.

## HENNESSY'S STORY BORNE OUT

### Scale Turned by Typewriter Expert's Evidence.

## TAMMANY GUILTY EXPOSED

### Buffalo Contractor Mentioned as Contributor Admits Facts and Corroborates Other Charges Made by Investigator.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—George H. McGuire, of Syracuse, who denied under oath last Thursday that he had sent a telegram to John A. Hennessy, who was Governor Sulzer's graft investigator, relative to political contributions, admitted today he was the author of the telegram.

A threat of indictment for perjury was hanging over him when the admission fell from his lips, and he left the witness stand almost in a state of collapse. A physician was called to attend him.

## PAYMASTER TO BE FREE

### Navy Department Orders Release of Arthur Pippin, Embeczzler.

VALEJO, Cal., Nov. 11.—An order from the Navy Department, remitting the remainder of the seven-year San Quentin sentence of Arthur Pippin, ex-Paymaster of the Navy, attached to the receiving ship at Mare Island, convicted two years ago of embezzling Government funds amounting to \$3000, was received today.

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Pacific Northwest. Three disputes likely at labor convention in Seattle. Page 8. Summit Valley Railroad and employes reach agreement. Page 7. Pendleton murder case goes to jury today. Page 6. Portland girl made white slave in charge against Chinese arrested in Seattle. Page 7. New Hood River judge takes up road issue with O.-W. L. & N. Page 6.

Oregonian News Bureau. Washington, Nov. 11.—Four million dollars will be expended by the Government during the next few years in constructing the West Umatilla irrigation project in Eastern Oregon.

Secretary Detects Discrimination. Secretary Lane discovered that Oregon had been grossly discriminated against in the past in the distribution of reclamation funds, and found that, while the state had been the heaviest contributor to the reclamation fund, it had been one of the least of its beneficiaries.

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### Ultimate Umatilla Proj- ect Huge One.

## EXTENSION BELIEVED CERTAIN

### Building of Gravity Unit to Be Begun by Christmas.

## RESERVOIR TO FOLLOW

### Negotiations With Private Owners to Be Resumed and Outlook for Early Settlement Is Held to Be Hopeful.

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## GUNS OFFERED MILITANTS

### German Dealer Hears "Stronger Or- ganization" Is Contemplated.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—(Special.)—According to the Daily Mail's Berlin correspondent a German dealer in arms and munitions of war, understanding that the English suffragettes are contemplating a "stronger organization," has offered to sell to the militants an unlimited quantity of repeating rifles at 4½ marks (\$1.18) a piece.

## GOLDEN GATE GIRLS FIND ONE DEFENDER

### BEAUTY AT ISSUE WITH ANNA HELD'S BEAUTY OPINION.

## Observations of Actress in San Fran- cisco Limited to Society Matrons, Declares One Shop Woman.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11.—(Special.)—"The reason that Anna Held says San Francisco women are fat and coarse is that she sees only the women who sit in the stage boxes. These women get fat and coarse because they have nothing to do but ride in automobiles and go to dinner parties."

"When you come right down to it, you don't find any stunning women in society. The women with the beautiful faces and the beautiful figures are in the middle and the working class."

"All Anna Held needed to do was to walk around the shopping district or drop into a smart cafe to see one pretty face after another."

Thus does Miss Marie Louise Ready dispose of the statement made in Los Angeles by Anna Held that San Francisco women are less beautiful than the world believes. Miss Ready ought to know, as she is a model here in a big dressmaking shop, and has splendid opportunity to get a close look at the women of the city.

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The arrests resulted from the complaint of a young woman, who wrote to Police Commissioner Waldo that when on a shopping tour recently, she had been insulted. The detectives were assisted today by several salesgirls, who were assigned to places in the waiting-rooms frequented daily by young men.

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United States Senator Wesley L. Jones yesterday telegraphed his acceptance of an invitation to be president of the Olympia Terminal Company, which obtained the local right of way and other property for the Harriman system, is expected to make the official announcement.

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## POLICE PROTECTION FOR CROOKS HINTED

### Revelations in Depart- ment Surprising.

## CAPTAIN SLOVER IS INVOLVED

### Evidence Is Officers Sent to Live With Lewd Women.

## PLOTTER DOUBLE CROSSED

### Perjury by Sergeant Is Proved by Companions' Confession After Frameup—Riley Loses \$100 in Night; Salary \$175 Month.

## STATUS OF SCANDAL IN POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Evidence in hands of Civil Service Commission, growing out of gambling investigation, points to sensational revelations of wrong doing in police department; dealings to protect criminals hinted.

Investigation brings out testimony accusing ex-acting Chief of Police Slover with having sent men of department to live with disorderly women and of furnishing money to buy liquor and drugs for such women.

Details of draw poker games among policemen for large pots, involving one captain and six sergeants, are learned.

Officers implicated in gambling cases skurry to confess to their part in these and other scandals and to implicate others.

Out of an investigation of the game of draw poker as played in the Portland Police Department has grown a scandal likely to smut the record of more than one police officer, high and low, with charges harder to answer than that of gambling.

Hints here and there indicate that the Civil Service Commission, which began investigating the gambling situation in the department only about three weeks ago, has uncovered vastly more than it ever dreamed of to begin with.

For instance, there is a story, which will not be confirmed by members of the Commission, who do not deny it either, that evidence in their hands incriminates certain men in the department of having been parties to deals to protect criminals.

It is certain, however, that the scope of the investigation has now gone considerably beyond the original intention. It undoubtedly will go a good deal further.

Some exceedingly interesting developments are certain at the public hearing of the police cases, which has been set by the commissioners to begin at 9:30 o'clock Thursday, November 20. The Commissioners expect to devote a whole day to taking testimony and hearing accused members of the force.

Big Losses Alleged. As the original gambling scandal, which ostensibly is the subject to be covered at this hearing, now stands, about 12 or 15 men on the force are involved in the "big" private poker games at which large sums of money changed hands.

