

SCHOONERS LOST IN STORM IN ARCTIC

Wreckage of New Jersey From Nome Is Found—Four of Whaler's Crew Perish.

SURVIVORS TAKEN OFF ISLE

Polar Bear Arrives at Alaska With Japanese Off Diaki Maru—Of Six Men in Small Boat, Two Swim to Shore Safely.

NOME, Alaska, June 10.—The gasoline schooner Polar Bear, Captain Louis Lane, which sailed from Seattle on March 23, 1915, arrived from the Siberian coast last night with tales of storm shipwreck and death. Captain Lane reported that the steam whaler Belvedere, commanded by Captain A. P. Johansson, was nearly wrecked in a terrible storm in Kamchatka bay, on the Siberian coast, and four of the crew perished.

Heavy seas continually washed the decks of the Belvedere, flooding the engine-room and other passages and almost causing the ship to founder. Two days after anchoring, six men put out for shore in a rowboat which was capsized.

George Shester, Antonio Roderick, John Domingo and a Russian whose name is unknown, were drowned. Olaf Swenson, second officer of the ship, swam ashore, as also did Chief Engineer J. T. Clayton.

New Jersey Wreckage Found.

Captain N. M. Wedding, of the small trading schooner New Jersey, which wintered at the mouth of the Kolima River in Siberia, suffered the loss of one hand and all the fingers and thumb of the other, by freezing. He is in a serious condition.

The gasoline schooner New Jersey, which left Nome last Fall, with Orin Rank in command and a crew of Eskimos, is believed to have been lost in the Arctic.

Wreckage of the schooner has come ashore at Cape Thompson, south of Point Hope. The New Jersey was 36 feet long, and was built at Seattle for the Methodist mission at Sitka. Captain Rank was a brother of Ira Rank, the wealthy trader of Nome.

Polar Bear Barely Escapes.

The Polar Bear itself was all but wrecked in a storm off Cape Havarine, Siberia, sustaining damage that caused her to return to Unalaska for repairs. Second Officer Harry Slade died of apoplexy and was buried at sea.

On the way to Unalaska, Captain Lane touched at Nuniyak Island and took off the survivors of the crew of the wrecked Japanese schooner Diaki Maru, whose loss already had been reported. All the Japanese were suffering from frost bites, and Captain Lane amputated the fingers and toes of several of the castaways, using as surgical instruments a jack knife and a hacksaw. He then transported the Japanese to Unalaska, where the United States marine hospital cared for them.

The Polar Bear will sail for the Arctic Ocean in a few days, accompanied by two companions, who were last seen on the Arctic ice north of Martin Point, moving north, on April 7, 1914.

GAY CROWDS TURN OUT

MUSICAL PROGRAMMES ATTRACT THIRONGS AT MANY PLACES.

Sprinkles of Rain Freshen Floral Decorations but Fall to Dampen Spirit of Many Merry-makers.

Sprinkles of rain could not dampen the spirits of the Festival crowds last night. They thronged the streets, enjoyed the music and the illuminations of the gala week, danced to their hearts' content on the streets, and went home late, tired, but happy.

For outdoor floral decorations the sprinkles were ideal, and kept many a cut flower from drooping and made the Festival Center blocks brighter and better.

"I'm On My Way to Dear Old Dublin Bay," blared the band at the Festival Center, and the dance on the pavements at Columbia and West Park streets was on.

Up and down Broadway, Washington, Sixth and the other main thoroughfares and through the Festival Center there were continuous processions of gay crowds.

Musical features attracted large audiences. At the Festival Center the community sing, under the direction of the Monday Musical Club, was an entire success.

At 7:30 o'clock the Willamette University Glee Club, of 75 voices, gave a select choral concert.

At Broadway and Yamhill the Annual Glee Club, of 25 voices, and the Albany College Girls' Glee Club gave programmes.

At 8 o'clock J. W. Belcher's women's chorus was heard in a concert at the Festival Center, and from 6 to 8 an orchestra on the Portland Hotel veranda provided instrumental numbers.

Bands were everywhere. They played at Broadway and Yamhill, at the Festival Center, at Sixth and Oak streets, at East Sixth and East Alder streets and at Peninsula Park.

Blackfoot Indians from the Glacier National Park held tribal ceremonies at their camp on the Park Blocks.

CATHEDRALS NOT ARMED

Rome Government Denies Report From Germany.

ROME, via Paris, June 10.—An official note issued today categorically denounces a statement attributed to the Berlin Vossische Zeitung, that wireless plants had been erected at all the European cathedrals, and that the cathedrals were being used as observation posts for the launching of aerial attacks.

The announcement seems to have been made to prepare public opinion for attacks similar to those at Rheims and Lourain, but such attacks will be absolutely unjustifiable and alike contrary to the laws of war concerning bombardments and the most elementary principles of civilization.

CROP PRICES ARE LOWER

Decline of 1.8 Per Cent During May Reported by Government.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The level of prices paid American producers for

the principal crops decreased about 1.8 per cent during May, Department of Agriculture announced today. Heretofore the level had increased about 3.3 per cent during May. On June 1 the index figure of prices was about 6.1 per cent higher than a year ago, 21.5 per cent higher than two years ago, and 6 per cent higher than the average of the past seven years on June 1.

The prices of most animals, hogs, cattle, sheep and chickens, to producers increased 3.2 per cent from April 15 to May 15, in the past five years. Prices decreased in the like period 2.6 per cent.

On May 15 the index figure of prices for these meat animals was about 6.3 per cent lower than a year ago, 2.3 per cent lower than two years ago, but 1.6 per cent higher than the average of the past five years on May 15.

RUSSIANS SCORE GAINS

GERMANS RETREAT IN GALICIA AND BALTIC PROVINCES.

Tentons Push Enemy Back in Bukovina; Czar Throws Heavy Reinforcements Into Engagements.

LONDON, June 10.—Temporary successes, at least, have been gained by the Russians in Central Galicia over the forces of Generals von Mackensen and Linington, and also in the Baltic provinces. In both campaigns the Germans have retreated, Germany admitting a reverse in the north, while the Vienna official report says the attack on General Linington was repulsed by "a part of his army."

Strong Russian reinforcements have been thrown into the engagements, both north and south, according to the Berlin official communication, and they have taken the offensive.

In East Galicia and Bukovina, however, the Russians are retreating. It is presumed here by military observers that the Russians are converging their lines on the Dniester River for a determined stand. Inasmuch as this line is strongly fortified, it is thought the Russians are in no immediate danger of losing Limberg.

According to one report from Vienna, via Geneva, a force of 20,000 Bavarians was defeated by the Russians and retreated from their positions 60 miles north of Przemysl.

It is said 1,000,000 Austro-Germans are operating against Limberg and 300,000 against the Dniester, while more than four army corps are engaged in the Baltic provinces.

WILLIE RITCHIE IS HERE

Lightweight Gets Telegram Bout With Welsh Is Being Arranged.

America's premier lightweight boxer, Willie Ritchie, is a Portland visitor. He arrived in town last night and is at his sister's, Mrs. C. S. Grafe, of the Trinity Place apartments. Before coming West, Willie spent some time in Chicago. Previous to that, he was acting in the movies in New York State.

Soon after his arrival last night, he received a telegram from New York, saying that arrangements were being made to have him meet Freddie Welsh, present world's lightweight champion, at the open-air race track at Brighton Beach, Coney Island, July 3. Welsh took the title from the San Francisco at London last year, but their last meeting was in the United States last March in a 10-round decision which, if fair, should the deal be completed, Willie will leave immediately for the East; otherwise, he will remain in Portland for about a week.

CAR CHARGES HIGHWAYMAN

E. R. Sells Drives Machine at Two Who Open Fire of Shots.

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TO REACH FESTIVAL CENTER.

Follow decorations south on Broadway to Main street, turning west on Main one block to entrance to Festival Center and Park blocks set aside for amusement purposes.

aid, Marlon Conroy, turned on full speed in his 80-horsepower machine and charged directly at two men who tried to rob him as he passed the St. Agnes Baby Home at Parkplace, on his way home from the Festival in Portland early this morning.

Both men dodged the car as he drove it at them and disappeared into the woods. Conroy immediately reported to Sheriff Wilson, who gathered Deputy Sheriff Frost and Patrolman Woodard and began a search for the men. Mr. Sells was alone in his car.

France to Increase Supply.

PARIS, June 10.—The French government took action today for the purpose of increasing the country's output of war munitions. The plan decided on is designed primarily to facilitate production by the private manufacturing concerns.

Those Pierce County Roads!

THE CITY OF SEATTLE. DEPARTMENT OF STREETS AND SEWERS.

Charles R. Case, Superintendent.

Comparison of Bitulithic, Asphalt and Concrete Roads Leading to Tacoma.

Mr. C. N. Reltze, Portland, Or.

Dear Sir:

It will interest you to know that I recently made a long-promised trip over the bitulithic and concrete roadways between Portland, Or. and Tacoma and beyond Tacoma on the road leading to Mount Rainier.

The day was ideal for ascertaining that which I most desired to know—a comparison of the slipperiness of these different types of pavement—the trip being made during a drizzling rain which had followed a dry spell. I consider that when compared to sandstone or concrete pavement was far safer than the bitulithic or asphalt under these trying conditions.

I was particularly impressed with the pavement on the Mount Rainier road, which is one of the best jobs of concrete that I have ever seen put down. This road, nearly 13 miles in length, is without any imperfections that we could see, there being few cracks so far as we could discover along its entire length—undoubtedly due to care in placing expansion joints and a careful curing of the concrete.

In Seattle, as you know, we are using the roughened concrete on grades of from 10 to 15 per cent in residence districts, and have as yet to receive the first complaint that would not have applied to sandstone or other block pavement. It is, of course, blocked off in squares about the size of stone blocks, with grooves a half-inch deep to provide a foothold for teams. I consider that when compared from a standpoint with other possible pavements there is a greater relative value in a good concrete pavement than in any other pavement, except sheet asphalt. The latter is not suitable on country roads, however, because of its being too slippery for fast motor traffic. Very truly yours,

(Signed) CHAS. R. CASE, Supt. of Streets and Sewers.

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MINE MAY REOPEN

Suits Against Highland in Baker District Decided.

CLAIMS TOTAL \$124,877

Sale of Property Set for July 19 and Includes Ten Claims With Equipment, Production of Which Reaches \$500,000.

BAKER, Or., June 10.—(Special)—That the Highland mine, one of the biggest and best producers, is expected to resume within two months was the announcement of James H. Nichols following the decision handed down by Judge Anderson this morning, ending the long-drawn-out suits for payment of 72 labor and supply liens amounting to \$124,877, and a suit for foreclosure of a \$50,000 mortgage, brought by Daniel Grabbil.

Labor and supply claims were held against the corporation by the Haines Commercial Company, D. B. Rhodes and the Eastern Oregon Light & Power Company. James H. Nichols represented the first two, while labor liens, while John L. Rand and A. A. Smith were for the power company. The decision grants Mr. Nichols a fee of \$500 and Mr. Rand and Mr. Smith a joint fee of \$750.

The entire claims involved amount to \$124,877, and of this the claims of D. B. Rhodes, the Haines Commercial Company and their assigns and the Eastern Oregon Light & Power Company, including attorney's fees, are by the terms of the decree to be satisfied and paid out of the proceeds of the sale of the property, the balance to be applied to the payment of the Grabbil mortgage.

The decision held that the labor and supply liens are superior in right to the mortgage. Mr. Nichols declared this morning that notwithstanding the possibility of an appeal being taken, the sale of the mines would take place in Baker on Monday, July 19. The mine has been closed since April, 1914, pending the litigation. It comprises 10 claims and full equipment, and produced more than \$600,000 during its operation.

HOLIDAY BILLS ARE ON

FILM MANUFACTURING IS SHOWN AT ORPHEUM THEATER.

Sunset Has Variety of Short Plays.

"Jim, the Penman," holds audiences at Peoples.

Mary Fuller is featured at the Orpheum Theater the rest of the week in "A Daughter of the Nile," a film especially prepared for her. Miss Fuller, of Dallas, Or., who is being detained by the Canadian authorities, Husser says he is a naturalized American and not subject to detention by the Canadian government.

A. E. Dalrymple, of Portland, who is employed here by the O-W. R. & N. Company, was informed by a miner named G. G. Goodwin that he had seen and communicated with Charles S. Dalrymple in Victoria, Mex., February 12, this year.

C. S. Dalrymple, who is 25 years old, left Portland in 1911 to prospect in Mexico. He has not written since 1912. He has another brother employed by the O-W. R. & N. Company and one sister living in Portland, while three sisters live at The Dalles.

GAS FRANCHISE GRANTED

Milwaukee Passes Ordinance Giving Rights to Begin Main-Laying.

MILWAUKEE, Or., June 10.—(Special)—The Milwaukee Council Tuesday passed the ordinance granting the

SUNSET HAS SHORT DRAMAS

Well-Blended Bill Attracts Large Patronage.

The Sunset Theater entertained big crowds yesterday with one of the best blended programmes it has ever shown. The bill is composed entirely of snappy two and one-act features, with no tiresome long dramas, and every number is a good one.

Heading the programme is "The Day of Reckoning," a tremendously interesting two-act society drama. With Vivian Rich, David Lythgoe and Jack Richardson in the cast, it isn't necessary to add that the acting is beyond comparison.

Florence LaFarge has a role just suited to her in "The Six-Cent Loan," a wonderful pro-act story of the life of a 1-cent rise in bread. Two little children are star actors in the play.

Mabel Normand and "Big Ambrose" are at their best in the Keystone Comedy. Rounding out the bill is "The Mollie Coddle," an amusing comedy

"WHITE TERROR" IS BILLED

Columbia to Show Tuberculosis Picture for Society's Welfare.

For the edification of clubwomen and physicians of a city who are interested, the Columbia Theater will give a complimentary exhibition of the great tuberculosis play, "The White Terror," tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The film has received the endorsement of many physicians throughout the country and was produced under the special direction of Dr. Jacobs, secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis in New York.

"JIM THE PENMAN" FEATURE

Noted Play Dealing With Life of Crook Screened at People's.

"Jim the Penman," a photoplay version of Sir Charles D. Young's celebrated drama, is a Famous Players film at the Peoples' tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The film has received the endorsement of many physicians throughout the country and was produced under the special direction of Dr. Jacobs, secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis in New York.

Many Portland clubwomen have expressed their interest in the picture. It will be shown at the convention of physicians in Seattle next week.

The popular star, Harold Lockwood, plays the part of the successful suitor of the girl with whom Ralston is in love. After she (Marguerite Leslie) has accepted Percival, Ralston forges letters to them which cause their estrangement. Later Ralston marries Nina and becomes a notorious crook in England.

The meeting of Nina and Percival, long afterwards, when Agnes, the daughter of Nina and Ralston, is a young woman, is brought about with unusual delicacy. When his daughter's wedding is taking place heart disease ends the career of the famous "Jim."

DALRYMPLE HUNT FAILS

NO TRACE OF PORTLAND MAN IS FOUND IN MEXICO.

State Department Says Search Will Be Discontinued; Brother Here Is Not Satisfied With Result.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 10.—The State Department today notified Senator Chamberlain's office that it has been unable, through our Consulate at Matamoros, to get any information regarding Charles S. Dalrymple of Portland, who was reported to be held a political prisoner at Victoria, British Columbia, some time ago. The State Department to make inquiry, at the solicitation of Dalrymple's brother, who is a conductor on the O-W. R. & N. line. The Consul at Matamoros reports no such person is at Victoria. Unless further information can be supplied, the department advises the Senator it will discontinue the search.

On request of Senator Chamberlain the State Department instructed the American Consul at Kingston, Canada, to demand the release of Louis Husser, Jr., of Dallas, Or., who is being detained by the Canadian authorities. Husser says he is a naturalized American and not subject to detention by the Canadian government.

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Basing his belief on the report of Goodwin, A. E. Dalrymple does not believe the search made by the United States Government has been thorough. He believes the facts have been in possession of the officials too short a time to make a complete investigation.

MASONS HOLD ELECTION

Aberdeen Man Chosen Grand Master for Washington.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., June 10.—R. L. Sebastian, of Aberdeen, was elected yesterday grand master by the Masonic grand lodge of the State of Washington, in annual session here.

George R. Malcolm, of Walla Walla, who declined to be a candidate for grand master on account of ill health, was elected deputy grand master.

Other officers elected were: Senior grand warden, George Lawler, Tacoma; junior grand warden, Alonzo Emerson,

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Boys' Suits—Children's Suits

New Spring suits now offered at decisive reductions in prices. Clever fabrics—correct tailoring—courteous service.

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Boys' \$10.00 Suits now....\$7.85

Boys' \$ 8.50 Suits now....\$6.35

Boys' \$ 6.50 Suits now....\$4.95

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\$1.50 Wash Suits now only....\$1.15

\$2.00 Wash Suits now only....\$1.50

\$2.50 Wash Suits now only....\$1.95

\$3.00 Wash Suits now only....\$2.25

\$3.50 Wash Suits now only....\$2.65

\$4.00 Wash Suits now only....\$2.95

\$5.00 Wash Suits now only....\$3.95

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MORRISON AT FOURTH



TAFT SPEAKS ON UNIONS

Organization Both Commended and Criticised by ex-President.

BOSTON, June 10.—Ex-President Taft, in an address at the commencement exercises of the Wentworth Institute here today, both commended and criticized labor unions. He said the unions had maintained wages and had procured legislation advantageous to the employes.

He contended, on the other hand, that initiative was destroyed and ambition taken away by the closed shop system, which he characterized as a narrow policy and one that did not encourage great skill, attention or speed.

TILLICUM LIKES FESTIVAL

A. Cheshire Mitchell, Seattle Hotel Man, Says Parades Best Ever.

A. Cheshire Mitchell, manager of the Hotel Butler, is a member of the visiting Tillicum who is enthusiastic over this year's Festival.

"I have attended the Rose Festival

for five years and today's parade is the best I have seen," he declared last night. "Some way the Festival management each year has a habit of outdoing previous efforts after you think that the best possible showing has been made."

ROY, 14, ARRESTS MAN

Roy Koppel Holds Ed Kopschka, Who Is Accused by Woman.

Roy Koppel, 14 years old, seized Ed Kopschka, a tennister, by the coat-tails and held the man until Motorcycle Patrolmen Goodstone and Crane arrived and arrested Kopschka following an alleged attack at Sixth and Mill streets late last night on Mrs. H. Carlson, 370 Sixth street. Mrs. Carlson screamed and residents of the neighborhood called the police. As the officers showed down their motorcycles, the police say, Koppel ran up to them and shouted: "I'll show him to you!"

The lad ran down the street, officers reported, and seized Kopschka, who, they said, struggled to escape, but could not get away without injuring the lad. Kopschka was taken to the police station, where Detective Leonard asserted that the prisoner had been arrested several years ago on a charge of holding up a milk wagon.

Mrs. Carlson is said to have identified Kopschka as her assailant.

Your Wife's Vacation

is not a vacation if she has to cook meals in a "Summer home." A kitchen is a kitchen whether in the mountains, on the sea-shore, or in the city. Our kitchen is your kitchen when you know

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We do the baking for you in our two-million dollar kitchen—and its real whole wheat bread—all the rich, body-building, muscle-making elements in the whole wheat grain, steam-cooked, shredded and baked in crisp, brown tasty little loaves. There is Summer strength and satisfaction in every shred. Eat them for breakfast with milk or cream. Eat them for lunch with berries or other fruits.

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