SEARS IS ACCUSED OF MANSLAUGHTER

Captain of Wrecked Steamer Iroquois Denounced by Passengers.

THEY ARE LEFT TO DROWN

Provincial Government Acts With Severity—Moss Says Sears Hurried Ashore in Lifeboat, While Others Drowned.

VICTORIA, April 15.—Captain A. A. Sears, master of the steamer Iroquois, which foundered off Sidney last Monday with a loss of 21 lives, was arrested tonight on a charge of manslaughter.

He was admitted to bail of $30,000. The charge will be heard in the Police Court here next Thursday morning.

The arrest of Captain Sears was at the instance of the provincial government, which ever since the wreck of the Iroquois has had detectives employed collecting evidence.

Following evidence submitted at the preliminary inquiry here today, in which Moss and Hartnall, two passengers on the wrecked steamer, accused Captain Sears of not having sufficiently looked after the safety of his passengers, the government considered that it had collected sufficient evidence to warrant the arrest.

H. S. Moss swore today that Captain Sears hurried away to shore in a lifeboat while people were clinging to wreckage. Moss said Sears could have saved Steward Hartnell, who was drowned.

Captain Kirkendale, a former mate, testified that the steamer had often been dangerously overloaded with cargo.

WAPPY WITNESS KIDNAPED

Charles Shomo, Wanted in Seattle Police Investigation, Found.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., April 15.—Charles W. Shomo, wanted in Seattle, Wash., as a witness against the deposed Chief of Police Wappenstein, on a charge of permitting gambling, it is said, has been kidnaped by representatives of a detective agency.

Chief Roberts, of Seattle, was given the custody of Shomo several days ago, but pending a decision of the Supreme Court on Shomo's appeal resisting extradition was instructed not to take the prisoner from the state.

Roberts asserts Shomo escaped from him on the street. Shomo's friends say he is being taken to Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 15.—Ex-Chief of Police Wappenstein was arraigned today on the third indictment against him, which charges that he received a bribe for permitting a disorderly house to operate. He pleaded not guilty. Date of trial was not set. The grand jury will reassemble next Monday.

COUNTY PAY TOO SMALL

Clackamas Deputy District Attorney Quits $41.66 Office.

OREGON CITY, Or., April 15.—(Special.)—Refusing to serve the public any longer in an important capacity at a salary of $41.66 a month, Livy Stipp, for several years Deputy District Attorney for Clackamas County, has tendered his resignation, to take effect so soon as his successor is named.

At the last session of the Legislature a bill was passed to increase the salary of Mr. Stipp to $75 a month, but Governor West vetoed the bill.

So far as known George L. Story, at present City Attorney, is the only candidate for the vacancy made by Mr. Stipp's resignation. Mr. Story was indorsed by many members of the Clackamas County bar.

COBB MAY BE APPOINTED

Heney's Law Partner Mentioned for Interior Department Berth.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, April 15.—Francis J. Heney's law partner, Mr. Cobb, of San Francisco, is being considered for appointment as Assistant Attorney-General for the Interior Department, along with F. B. Lane, of San Francisco.

In view of the strong opposition to the appointment of George W. Woodruff, Pinchot's old legal adviser, he is believed to be out of the running. Lane is indorsed by regular Republicans of California and Cobb has insurgent backing. The report that Francis J. Heney was an applicant for this appointment is declared to be erroneous.

WITNESS ACCUSES LAWYER

Attorney in Henry Case Offered Cash to Leave Town, Alleged.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—Testifying in the Henry children kidnaping case today before Judge Mogan, Peter Deane, an important witness for the prosecution, declared that Attorney James W. Cochrane had offered him money to leave the city.

He was sharply cross-examined, but persisted in this statement, adding that the attorney had said that this money would be in addition to that he was to receive for providing the house to which the children were taken by the divorced wife of A. J. Henry, of Seattle, to prevent their being found by her former husband, to whom they had been awarded by the court in granting him a decree of divorce.

No new facts regarding the kidnaping, which led to contempt of court proceedings, were developed at the hearing.

SPRING JUBILEE PLANNED

East Side Business Men Contract for Week's Carnival.

The East Side Business Men's Club has planned to stir up a little extra enthusiasm on its side of the Willamette by holding a big Spring carnival and jubilee the week of April 24, and has contracted with the Northwest Amusement Company to furnish paid and free attractions, riding devices, and all of the accessories that go with an event of this kind.

The celebration will be held on the vacant block at East Ninth street and Hawthorne avenue, which is a central location and accessible to people of both sides of the river. The club feels confident that West Side residents will be as willing to aid them in their merry-making, as they have always fallen in heartily with plans for West Side amusements.

The Northwest Amusement Company, which is entirely a tented organization and the biggest thing of its kind ever in Portland, carries a dozen first-class shows, featuring the Athletic Circus, a large musical Comedy Company, an electrical illusion show, and a large Jungle Exhibit of curious monkeys and birds of many descriptions. As a special drawing feature, arrangements have been made for three or four free acts of merit to be given in front of the Athletic Circus twice each day of the week's engagement, and the merry-go-round is expected to keep the block crowded with little folks.

PULP REPORT SOON DUE

TARIFF BOARD TO GIVE IT IN TWO WEEKS, SAYS EMERY.

Chairman Tells Cincinnati Commercial Club Investigations Will Conclude Before December.

CINCINNATI, April 15.—That the final report of the Federal Tariff Board on pulp and news print paper will be laid before the President for transmission to Congress in two weeks and that the board will be ready to report comprehensively to the next Congress on the cotton and wool schedules of the tariff law, was the announcement made here tonight by Henry C. Emery, chairman of the board.

Mr. Emery spoke before the Commercial Club of Cincinnati at its annual dinner. The other speakers were William Howard, of Georgia, a member of the board, and Nicholas Longworth, Representative of the first Ohio district in Congress. Mr. Howard discussed extemporaneously "The Business Uses of a Tariff Board," and Mr. Longworth defended the proposed reciprocity treaty with Canada.

Mr. Emery outlined the scope of the tariff board's investigations and reviewed the work accomplished thus far. He said in part:

"We laid out our work this year with the expectation that tariff legislation would not be introduced in Congress until next December. What has been accomplished to date is briefly as follows:

"We have had prepared by experts here and in Europe, reports on separate schedules analyzing the different items in each schedule, the relation of the various tariffs to each other, the system of classification with critical comments on the operation of the different clauses. These cover chemicals, earthenware and pottery, iron and steel, cottons, wool and woolens, silk, leather and other products.

"We have made, further, a searching examination into the cost of production of the pulp, news print and some other forms of paper into this country and Canada. These figures have been taken directly from the books of the companies. A similar investigation has been undertaken into the cost of wool-growing, and is practically complete for the Eastern section of the country, covering reports from about 700 wool growers.

"On cotton and woolen goods we are collecting samples of foreign and domestic products with relative prices here and abroad.

"I am heartily for reciprocity and wholly and absolutely opposed to free trade," said Mr. Longworth.

In closing Mr. Longworth upheld the calling of the extra session as "a most courageous act" by President Taft, and asserted that it showed that he "is made of sterner stuff" than most of his critics have been willing to admit.

MAN, 66, TO BE BENEDICT

St. Louisan Will Wed Oakland Woman 20 Years His Junior.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 15.—(Special.)—George L. Hassett, of 2445 Westminster Place, a retired millionaire lumberman, 66 years old, known as the "most traveled man in St. Louis," will be married May 6, at Oakland, Cal., to Mrs. E. L. Marie Gruenhagan, 20 years his junior. The engagement is the result of a chance meeting of Mr. Hassett and Mrs. Gruenhagan while touring the Island of Ceylon 12 years ago. Mr. Hassett will bring his bride to St. Louis May 20, and immediately thereafter they will depart for a trip around the world.

Mr. Hassett possesses a diary which he has kept faithfully since he was a young man. In it he has a record of every day's events in his life, including his travels around the globe. There are now nearly 40 volumes, an index of which he always carries with him.

"There is not any romance," he said. "We just met in Ceylon about 12 years ago; again in St. Louis during the World's Fair, and since in California. I have said there was but one woman in the world I would marry if ever I married again. But why shouldn't I marry? I have no children and I want somebody to travel with me who appreciates travel. Mrs. Gruenhagan loves the life I enjoy and we will be congenial companions."

SHIP SEARCHED FOR OPIUM

Customs Officers Ransack Great Northern Liner Minnesota.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 15. — One hundred men today began searching the Great Northern liner Minnesota for opium. Since the steamship arrived in port last Thursday she has been under constant surveillance. The revenue cutter Arcata and the revenue launch Scout have kept their searchlights playing on her all night to prevent opium being thrown overboard.

The men who began the search today are 20 customs inspectors, all the immigration inspection men that can be spared, and, the crews of the revenue cutters Tahoma and Arcata, the life-saving boat Snohomish and the launch Scout. Only two five-tael tins of opium have been found thus far.

Oregon Pioneer Woman Dies.

Mrs. Laura B. Parker, an early settler in Oregon, died at Walla Walla, Wash., Wednesday night from paralysis, with which she had suffered the past five years. She was a native of Ohio and was 64 years old. Besides her husband the deceased is survived by an only son, Orrin Parker. The husband, Hollon Parker, is in poor health and is now at a sanitarium in Portland. The funeral will be held today at Walla Walla.

Hark! Edlefsen has dry slab with bark.

FIREMEN FALL FAR

Over Score Precipitated Three Stories to Ground.

MANY SERIOUSLY HURT

When Flooring Gives Way Total of 23 Firefighters Are Thrown in St. Paul Blaze, Loss by Which Totals $75,000.

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 16.—Twenty-two firemen were precipitated three stories to the ground when the third story of the Greve Block, a three-story building on East Fourth street, gave way early this morning.

Assistant Chief Miles McNalley and Pipeman Nicholas Remakel were seriously injured and taken to a hospital. Most of the other firemen were seriously injured, though none of them fatally.

Assistant Chief McNalley received several leg and body bruises and his condition is said to be serious.

Pipeman Remakel was severely crushed and it is feared has been injured internally.

The fire started on the second floor of the building, which was occupied by the E. A. Young Mercantile Company. Two engine companies were working on the third floor of the building, and members of the Salvage Corps were on the second floor when the roof gave way.

Those on the third floor crashed down through the second floor, which in turn gave way, carrying the Salvage Corps men with them. The injured were taken to their homes and to hospitals in ambulances and automobiles. The loss to the building is estimated at $75,000.

PASSENGERS LAUD OFFICER

Policeman Offers Fare for Small Boy but Conductor Is Stubborn.

Patrolman R. H. Field last night made himself solid with a streetcar load of passengers and four small boys, by taking the part of a little fellow who, the conductor insisted, should pay his fare after his three comrades had each deposited a nickel. The incident occurred on Washington street on a Twenty-third street car.

Four small boys boarded the car and three of them paid their fares. The fourth, they said, was not 5 years old. The officer says in his report that he did not look it by at least a year, but the conductor thought he looked several years older and wanted another fare.

When the conductor started to put the little fellow off, Patrolman Field offered to pay the boy's fare, but the proffer was declined. Every time the conductor tried to eject the boy the patrolman tendered a nickel, the passengers applauded, and the car sped on until the boys reached their destination.

However, the officer says, the conductor kept the little fellow off a seat, while there were vacant seats in the car, and took the patrolman's number for his report of the incident. Fields retaliated by taking the number of the conductor, which is 450, for his report to Captain Bailey.

FAITHFUL DOGS KEEP LENT

Trio of Vancouver Canines Give $5.75 as Easter Church Offering.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 15.—(Special.)—Three intelligent dogs, Frank, a collie; Bob, a shepherd, and Buster, a fox terrier, will tomorrow give as their Easter offering the sum of $5.75, which they have earned during Lent by doing chores, carrying wood, driving chickens out of the garden, and digging for moles. This trio belongs to Mrs. Harry Smith, wife of a Deputy Sheriff, who lives in Fruit Valley. The money, which has been saved in their mite box, will be part of the collection of Easter offerings taken at St. Luke's Episcopal Church.

The manner in which these dogs saved this amount of money is rather unique. During Lent Mrs. Smith arranged with them that for each time they were told to do something which would in any way assist her, she would put a small offering in their mite box, and at the end of Lent the box and contents should be turned into the general collection, bearing the inscription, "From Frank, Bob and Buster."

MOTHER SEES BABE DROWN

She Struggles in Vain to Save Infant Drawn Into Surf.

LONG BEACH, Cal., April 15.—The infant son of Mrs. John Norman, a baby boy 22 months old, toddling along beside her this evening on the beach, twice was swept from her grasp by enormous waves and carried back into the surf. Effecting its rescue at the risk of her life, Mrs. Norman reached the high beach only to find the child already strangled by the salt water.

After the first wave, rolling far beyond the usual high mark on the sand, had carried the child into the surf, the mother rushed after and succeeded in grasping the child. Hampered by her wet clothes, she was slow in struggling up the beach and before she could reach a point of safety, was knocked down by another wave. Before she could again rescue the child it had drowned.

FARMERS' UNION TO MEET

Members in Eastern Oregon Counties Will Gather in June.

LA GRANDE, April 15.—(Special.)—J. W. McAllister, state president of the Farmers' Union, has completed many of the arrangements for the gathering of Farmers' Union members of Baker, Union, Umatilla and Wallowa Counties at the head of Joseph Lake, June 6, 7 and 8.

It is announced today that the tri-state terminal warehouse at Portland will be ready by July 1. The Columbia Dock No. 2, having 500 feet water front, will be used for this purpose.

The union locals are growing in numbers rapidly. Mr. McAllister announces the formation of 13 locals in Baker County, seven in Union, four in Wallowa and 17 in Umatilla County.

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OLD RITUAL LIVES

King George to Be Crowned in Gorgeous Ceremony.

CORONATION OATH IS NEW

Customs Coming Down From Ancient Teutons to Be Observed. King to Sit on Stone of Destiny and Wear Famous Crown.

LONDON, April 15.—The details connected with the coronation of King George and Queen Mary at Westminster on June 22 have been practically settled. The actual crowning will be performed by the Archbishop of Canterbury, while the Archbishop of York will preach the coronation sermon. In every feature the ceremony will at least equal in brilliancy any previously held.

King George, with his consort, on entering the abbey, will proceed at once to the chairs of state on the south side of the altar. The presentation of the King to the people for recognition, a survival of the ancient Teutonic usage of popular election, will be performed by the Archbishop of Canterbury. Then his majesty will proceed to the other corners of the altar, receiving the acclamations of the congregation.

Anathema on Rome Omitted.

Next comes the Litany sung by two bishops, after which the Archbishop begins the communion service, followed by the sermon. Upon its conclusion the King, already having made the declaration, from which has been eliminated the clause anathematizing the Roman Catholic belief, takes the oath, kneeling at the altar, and signs it.

Then follows anointing, as the King sits in the chair of King Edward I, containing the "stone of destiny" brought from Scone by that monarch, which, legend tells, was "Jacob's pillow." After the anointing the King is solemnly blessed.

The investiture follows. The colobium sindonis, a surplice of fine white linen or silk, is put on first, then comes the pall of cloth of gold, with a girdle of the same material. The King's heels are touched with the great golden spurs and he is girt with the sword, which he afterwards offers upon the altar, whence it is redeemed for the sum of 100 shillings—an assertion of the independence of the secular arm.

Cheers Complete Ceremony.

After the armilla, or stole, has been placed on the King's shoulder with prayer, His Majesty is invested with the royal robe and to him are handed the orb, the scepter with the cross and the scepter with the dove, "the rod of equity and mercy."

The placing the crown, received with cries of "God save the King" within the abbey and the sounding of trumpets and firing of guns without, completes the coronation.

The anointing and crowning of the Qpeen is a short and simple ceremony. Queen Mary will be anointed on the head only. She is then invested with the ring, the crown is placed upon her head and she is given the scepter and the ivory rod with the dove.

At the conclusion the King changes his robes, puts on the lighter imperial crown in place of that of St. Edward, and the service is at an end.

KAISER IS FRIEND OF HILL

Ex-Ambassador Cements German-American Amity.

BERLIN, April 15.—The retirement from the German capital of Dr. David Jayne Hill, whose resignation as Ambassador of the United States to Germany, it was announced yesterday, would become effective July 1, is regretted at the Foreign Office here, where the relations between the government officials and Dr. Hill have been of the best. It is felt here that Dr. Hill's tenure of the Embassy has done much to further German-American friendship.

The Ambassador's resignation apparently did not come wholly as a surprise, though no official expression of his intention to abandon the diplomatic service had been received at the Foreign Office before he left Berlin on March 10 for America. Particular attention is called in official circles to the fact that the relations between Emperor William and the American Ambassador are most cordial.

American rumors that Count Heinrich von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador at Washington, was simultaneously resigning, which rumors, it was thought, might give political significance to Dr. Hill's retirement, were promptly and emphatically denied at the Foreign Office.

The date on which Ambassador Hill's resignation becomes effective will enable him to participate in the reception which is being planned for the visiting American warships during Kiel week, and which promises to be one of the most important demonstrations of the German-American good relations in recent years.

According to the itinerary of the proposed cruise of the second division of the American Atlantic fleet to the Baltic, the American ships will be at Kiel from June 22 until June 30. The Wilhelmshaven squadron of the German fleet, comprising the most modern battleships of the German navy, will be at Kiel from June 18 until June 25, but it is possible that it will be retained at Kiel until June 30, in order fittingly to welcome the visiting Americans.

The working out of a definite programme for the reception of the American naval officers and sailors has been delayed by the Emperor's absence.

The Embassy here has not yet received a reply to a communication sent to His Majesty with regard to the proposed visit of the American naval division.

The German newspapers are mystified by the sudden resignation of the American Ambassador and print an assortment of rumors as to what caused his retirement, including one that Dr. Hill had clashed with Secretary of State Knox over the potash question.

The Mittag Zeitung pays a high tribute to Dr. Hill as a writer, scholar, and diplomat, and says it is an open secret that the American Ambassador never felt at ease in his Berlin post because of the incidents which occurred at the time of his appointment.

The Ambassador, the paper continues, regarded his stay at the German capital as temporary, and accepted his post under these circumstances only as an egress from a disagreeable situation between Germany and America.

AMERICA DAY IS NIGH

CITY OF ST. DIE, FRANCE, TO HONOR NAME IT GAVE.

Big Celebration Planned by Municipality Which Claims Honor of Christening Continent.

PARIS, April 15.—Commemorative of the suggestion published April 25, 1507, at the little city of St. Die, France, that the new world discovered to the west of Europe should be called America, by which appellation the Western Hemisphere has since been known, a Franco-American celebration will be held at St. Die, June 3, 4 and 5.

President Fallieres, Robert Bacon, the American Ambassador; Frank H. Mason, the American Consul-General at Paris, and accredited representatives of 21 American republics, have accepted invitations to participate. The principal address will be delivered by Gene Cruppi, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs.

The programme provided for the celebration includes a historical pageant; military display by French troops; the laying of a cornerstone of a high obelisk called "America's Tower" on the summit of Mount Ormont, overlooking St. Die; the placing of a tablet on the house where the name America first was suggested, and a grand illumination of the town of St. Die in the evening, with the Star of America as the chief feature. Many Americans are expected to visit St. Die during the celebration.

Youths Rob Late Pedestrian.

A. R. Gobell was held up at the muzzle of a revolver and robbed of $18 at First and Mill streets at 11:30 o'clock last night. The highwaymen were described as youths about 18 years old. They were both roughly dressed and neither wore a mask. While one held the revolver at Gobell's head the other searched his pockets and took his money. They then told Gobell to go on and disappeared down First street.

CULVER FEELS GROWTH

ENTRANCE OF RAILWAY MARKS NEW ERA IN COMMUNITY.

Passengers and Freight to and Out of Interior Now Pass Through Oregon Trunk Terminus.

CULVER JUNCTION, Or., April 15.—(Special.)—Regular passenger and freight service over the Oregon Trunk Railway has just been extended to this place and great activity is the immediate result. Passengers going into the interior of the state to Redmond, Bend or Prineville are learning that they can save much distance by purchasing tickets as far as Culver Junction, as this is the nearest railroad point to all these interior towns.

This will be the terminus for several months, as the steel for the immense Crooked River bridge is not yet out from the factory and it will take from two to three months to build the bridge after the material is on the ground. These interior towns are also getting freight from Culver Junction, as they save at least a day's time in having the freight come here. The warehouse people here are handling the freight in a careful and business-like manner. New buildings are being erected, among which is a new Christian Church. A college building will be begun in a short time and it is expected to get the college work started this fall.

I. W. Gray, a Wyoming merchant and capitalist, has purchased six lots and will at once begin the erection of a two-story modern business building 50 by 80 feet in size, the lower floor to be occupied by the bank and by Mr. Gray's large mercantile business. The banking rooms will have a fireproof vault and the upper floor will be used and finished for an up-to-date opera-house.

Street grading is now under way and the townsite company has let the contract for a city water system which will cost approximately $50,000. Work upon this will begin at once.

A large force of men is now engaged in building the dam and canal of the Cove Power Company plant on Crooked River just west of town. This plant will be completed within a few months and will supply light and power not only to Culver Junction but to some of the other surrounding towns.

The visitors all speak in the highest praise of Culver Junction, its beautiful level country tributary, its mountain scenery and its hotel accommodations together with the progressive spirit of its people.

The Deschutes railroad will have its service extended here within a few weeks, when a monster trout barbecue and old settlers' reunion will be held in honor of the day.

LARGE ANGLERS LICENSED

Five Male Members of Family at The Dalles Weigh Half-Ton.

THE DALLES, Or., April 15.—(Special.)—Recorder Angle has issued five fishing licenses to the five male members of the John Wakefield family at Wamic, the aggregate avoirdupois of the father and sons amounting to 1090 pounds, or over half a ton.

The heavyweight of the family tipped the scales at 260 pounds, the next weighed 250 pounds, the next 220 and the two lightweights 180 each.

It is reported that the daughters of the family are as hearty specimens of Wasco County young womanhood as the sons are of young manhood.

Cotton Mills to Curtail Production.

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 15.—Some of the Fall River cotton mills will shut down next Tuesday until April 24 further to curtail production. Four mills have already announced a stop of four days. A majority of 40 corporations will be closed at least two days next week.

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