

# LAKE STEAMER IS SUNK NEAR CHICAGO

### Iowa Caught in Ice and Crushed—Hope Crew May Have Escaped

**SEVENTY-FIVE RESCUED**  
CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—From the breakwater, the crew of 70 and one passenger of the lake schooner Iowa reached shore safely. No lives were lost.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—The steamer Iowa of the Goodrich Trans. Co. was caught in the ice about three miles off Chicago harbor and sank today. It is believed that all the passengers and crew took to the ice and made their way to the breakwater near the mouth of the Chicago river. Tugs have started to the rescue.

# FRENCH SAY ALLIES REPULSED GERMANS

### Announce Many Attacks Along Line Defeated and That French Gained Some

PARIS, Feb. 4.—The official statement this afternoon says: "At Notre Dame de Lorette a determined German attack was yesterday driven back by our artillery. In the region of Albert and Duquesnoy-en-Santerre we destroyed several blockhouses. Throughout the entire Aisne valley yesterday there were artillery engagements in which the advantage rested with us. There were three night attacks last night against our trenches near Perthes, Mesnil-le-Hurlus and Massieges. The first two were dispersed. In the third the enemy made headway north of Massieges. Later we recaptured these locations. In the Vosges we made slight progress southeast of Kolschlag and northwest of Hartmann-Wellerkopf."

**OBJECTION BY RUSSIA.**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Russia today informed the United States that the distribution of food, money and clothing to German and Austrian prisoners in Siberia, would be permitted only by Russian military authorities, declining to give foreign relief expeditions that privilege. An American relief expedition had started from Peking.

**FOR SHIP SUBSIDY.**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 4.—Government aid in building up an American merchant marine was recommended in a special report submitted at today's session of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

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# FOUR SLAIN AND 20 HURT IN MUTINY

### Thousand Yaqui Indians Revolt Near Guaymas During Retreat of Villa Force

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 4.—Four persons were killed and 20 wounded, including two officers, when 1000 Yaqui Indians mutinied at Guaymas yesterday, according to wireless advices today to Rear Admiral Howard on board the flagship San Diego, off Ensenada. The mutiny occurred while the Indians were being sent to support the retreating column of Villistas, which had evacuated Navajon, Sonora. No foreigners were injured.

# FEAR STEFANSSON LOST IN FAR NORTH

### No Word Received From Arctic Explorer and Friends Express Apprehension

DAWSON, Feb. 4.—No word concerning Stefansson, the Arctic explorer, was contained in the mail brought from Fort MacPherson yesterday. Archdeacon Whitake, writing from Fort MacPherson to Bishop Stringer, expressed the belief that Stefansson is lost, although Stefansson's friends point out that when he left Herschel Island he said he might not return for two years.

# MORE BATTLES IN ARABIA

### Turks Resume Offensive Against British Near Euphrates River

LONDON, Feb. 4.—Fighting continues between the British and Turkish forces in Arabia, near the head of the Persian gulf, where small forces of Turks have taken the offensive. An attack on Kurna, near the junction of the Euphrates and Tigris rivers, was stopped by fire from British gunboats.

# COTTAGE PRAYER MEETINGS

Thursday, Mrs. L. C. Wilder, Fernside; Chas. Curtis, 713 Planagan; R. E. Irwin, 942 South Fifth.  
Friday—F. L. Sumner, 564 South Sixth; Mrs. M. R. Smith, North Bend.  
Saturday—A. B. Woodworth, Anderson avenue; F. A. Sacchi, 649 South Eighth.

# ELEVEN IN GARDINER ORATORICAL CONTEST

Five boys and six girls have been chosen from the upper grades of the Gardiner school to compete in an oratorical contest which will take place some time in May. There was a tryout last Friday to make a choice of contestants. Charlie Graham, Emmett Smith, Lyle Steward, John Hansen and Warren Spaulding were the boys chosen, and Narcissa Jewett, Hazel Henderson, Gladys Smith, Eva Graham, Nancy Fields and Leona Rush were the girls chosen by the judges, who were Mrs. Henry Sagaber, Mrs. Burdick and Cliff Perkins.—Gardiner Courier.

# LIQUOR NOT SOLD JURY'S VERDICT

### Joe Hauser Freed of Bootlegging Charge When Sealed Verdict Is Opened

After arguing the case of Joe Hauser, accused of selling liquor without a license, from 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon until 9 last evening, when the jury of five men in the police court retired, a sealed verdict was brought in shortly after 11 o'clock. It was opened this morning and declared Joe Hauser not guilty of the charge.

Testimony that the witness gave on Sunday to Chief Carter and later swore to on Monday, was contradicted yesterday. Emil Gidmark, over his signed statement that he had received the beer from Hauser at the Ferndale Laundry on Sunday, yesterday stated in court that he did not get it there.

William Heim, manager of the laundry and the bottling works in the rear of the building, testified that he was in the laundry on Sunday, saw the Bunker Hill men come there and refused their plea for beer. He stated that he saw them leave the building and that they did not have any beer with them at the time.

Ernest Grandell was called to the stand. In answer to the question by Assistant City Attorney John C. Kendall as to why he had gone to the laundry, he said: "I went there for beer." According to his testimony yesterday he did not see Hauser on Sunday. Previous statements were that he had met Hauser in the laundry and there had been scuffling with him. "But you can't always remember what happens when you are drunk," he added.

"Isn't it true that you were very drunk?" queried C. I. Reigard, attorney for the defendant.  
"Well, I could walk," was the reply.

That he had gone to the laundry on Sunday for the purpose of getting beer was the statement of Gus Peterson. "We had ordered it on Saturday," he testified, "and Grandell was to pay for it next payday."

Several tilts between the lawyers marked the contest. "I resent being called a fool," declared Mr. Reigard. "Counsel must show evidence that he isn't," was the reply. The court intervened and peace was restored again.

"For the first time in five years' practice I am going on the stand as my own witness," said John Kendall, and for 15 minutes he sat in the witness chair, asked himself questions, answering each one over objections of the attorney for the defendant.

William Heim testified that he conducts a bottling works under a United States malt liquor license which costs him \$25 a year. "I never sell in quantities of less than one gallon or more than five gallons," he said.

That Hauser is an employee of his was the statement of Heim and he said further it would have been impossible for Hauser to have had any conversation with the parties that came to the laundry regarding the purchase of beer because he was present the whole time and that he knew none of them left the building with any beer in their possession.

Four bottles of beer that had been taken from Emil Gidmark on Sunday by Chief Carter were introduced as evidence. There was some doubt expressed as to whether or not the bottles contained beer. An opener was produced and Chief Carter poured out a glassful, the court room and the jury meanwhile looking on interestedly. It was not until the Chief had taken a long sip that the jury was satisfied.

Chief Carter testified that he had made no threats on Sunday and that Gidmark volunteered his statements at the police station, which were written out at Carter's request by Dan Maloney and then signed by the men.

The first story of Gidmark to the police, that he had gotten the beer from the room of Chris Hanson in the Pioneer Rooming House, was denied when Hanson appeared. Officer Richardson also testified that Gidmark had said he was to pay for the beer on his next pay day.

The jurors in the case were Fred Gettins, John W. Motley, Anson Rogers, A. T. Haines and B. F. Patchett.

# ENORMOUS CLEARING OF SHOES

Last Thursday we started the sale on the \$15,000 CLAUSEN Shoe Stock in the old Clausen Store, and the store has been packed with buyers every hour each day. Even with the thousands of Shoes sold, there are IMMENSE ASSORTMENTS OF

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# MEETING TO WELCOME STRANGERS

### Ladies' Auxiliary Arranges Public Reception at Millicomma Club February 19

The ladies' auxiliary of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with the entertainment committee of that body have arranged for a public reception to be held at the Millicomma Club Rooms between the hours of eight and eleven o'clock Friday evening, the 19th of February.

Its object is to bring together into mutual acquaintanceship people who have newly arrived in the community and those of older residence here. All those who come under the head of new arrivals, in which might be included all those who have taken up their residence here within the past year and a half, are cordially invited to be present. All those who might be classed as older residents are also expected to be present and will be cordially welcome.

It is also expected that all the members of the Chamber of Commerce and their wives will take part in the function and that they will constitute themselves a committee to introduce the guests.

It is to be hoped that this get-together occasion will be well attended and that all those who have not had a chance to meet and become acquainted with their townpeople will avail themselves of this occasion to do so.

Suitable entertainment will be arranged for and a pleasant evening is assured.

# BREAKWATER ARRIVES

### Brings 20 Passengers From Portland After Stormy Trip Down.

With 20 passengers from Portland the Breakwater arrived in at 12:30 this afternoon from the north after a rough trip. She experienced no trouble in crossing the bar.

Those who arrived were: Mrs. Breve, W. C. White, Mary Mills, L. P. Harrelly, R. H. Rosa, Fred M. Melville, Mrs. Fred M. Melville, Mrs. D. L. Stanley, Mrs. H. C. Olcott, H. C. Olcott, J. W. Lemon, Jno. Martin, John Dafee, H. Goldstone, Mrs. Sadie Downer, Mike Gridley, Mrs. John Dafee, J. L. Seaward.

# PAY MONEY OR GO TO JAIL, VERDICT

### Judge Coke Unable to Discover Whereabouts of Dan Stein's \$8000.

Hatred of brother-in-laws evidenced itself in Judge Coke's equity court at Coquille yesterday when Dan Stein was brought before the judge, after a bench warrant had been issued for his appearance and the sheriff had taken a hand in the hunt for the man who refused to appear in a case brought by his brother-in-law. Stein was fined \$25 for contempt of court and severely scolded by Judge Coke, who declared him guilty of perjury and knavery.

Immediately following this, supplemental procedure was begun by H. B. Weigar to discover the property of Stein, against whom a jury gave Weigar an \$880 judgement in 1913. This has never been paid by Stein and he testified that he is now without funds, despite the fact that but a short time ago he sold his timber claim for \$8000.

Cash amounting to \$81 was found and turned over to Weigar and Stein was instructed to pay the balance of the judgment at once or go to jail, the court expressing the belief that the money is being hidden for the purpose of defrauding Weigar. Stein served notice of an appeal.

According to the story brought out yesterday, Weigar has befriended both Stein and his wife. The former he brought here from Spokane some time ago and after securing him a homestead paid his expenses for several months. Later Mrs. Stein, who was then Mrs. Brunt and a sister of Weigar's wife, was brought from the east and secured a homestead alongside of the one belonging to Stein, and again Weigar put up the money.

Stein then married Mrs. Brunt and the two of them are alleged to have refused to pay Weigar the sum of \$880 that he had advanced.

# DIVORCES GRANTED

Three divorces were granted yesterday by Judge Coke. Myrtle M. Barker was freed from John L. Barker, Jr. on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment, was awarded the custody of her five-year-old daughter and \$15 a month for the child's support. The couple were married at Coquille in 1908.

Mrs. Danielson, of Myrtle Point, secured a divorce from her husband on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment and was given \$25 a month for the support of the three minor children. The husband works on a Coquille River boat.

# COOS BAY CRABS ARE NOW DOOMED

### "Ocean is Full of Them," Says Senator—Governor Signs Shipping Bill

Coos Bay crabs are doomed; the support of their friends has been unavailing, according to word J. Tom Hall has just received from I. S. Smith at Salem. House Bill No. 147, allowing the shipment of Coos Bay crabs to any point in the state, has just passed both the House and the Senate and has been signed by Governor Withycombe. The bill also gives permission to T. H. Barry to open his crab cannery at Empire.

"I can see no wrong in this bill," writes Senator Smith, for the ocean is full of crabs." He believes that the few to be shipped from Mr. Barry's cannery "will not make any appreciable difference in the usual bountiful supply."

"I received letters from W. U. Douglas and J. W. Bennett and others urging the passage of the bill," said the Senator.

The main fight against the bill that was introduced by Representative Barrows, was in fear that San Francisco crabbers would send crews here and soon deplete the supply on the Bay. A similar bill was defeated two years ago.

# HAS RELATIVES HERE

Mrs. Bert Swearingen, of Drain, died Sunday. She had been suffering from stomach trouble.

Mrs. Swearingen was 28 years old, and in addition to her husband she leaves two sons, Vernon and Orvan, six and eight years old, respectively. She was a native of Drain, where her parents still survive her. She also has a brother at Curry, Curry County, and a sister in Coos County.—Roseburg Review.

# ROBBERY AT ELKTON

Sheriff George Quine received word today that the home of M. McDonald, near Elkton, was recently burglarized. The thieves took about \$90 in money, as well as jewelry and other articles to the value of \$100. Mr. McDonald claims to have knowledge of the robbers and he has asked the sheriff to lend him what assistance he needs in apprehending the guilty persons. It is understood that the persons suspected of the crime live in the Elkton vicinity.—Roseburg Review.

# NEW GERMAN SOLDIERS AGAINST RUSSIA

### Von Hindenburg Selects Man to Pierce Czar's Lines Near Warsaw

LONDON, Feb. 4.—Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's new drive saw has made only limited progress so far. Neither Berlin nor grad reports indicate that any changes resulted from the fighting, which daily becomes more tense.

A German commander has been chosen to make an assault in front between Sochaczew, west of Warsaw, and a few miles to the south, in the same section which the Germans vainly attempted to take through previously.

Berlin reports that the Germans were forced back near Sochaczew. The captured prisoners were taken 4000 prisoners. The tanks elsewhere were reported according to Berlin.

Russian successes are in the Carpathians. The Russian said to have made marked gains in Dukla Pass, advancing to the crest of the mountains and repulsed an Austrian assault of Uzsowk Pass.

An unimportant infantry engagement near Perthes, the result of which is disputed was the battle arena.

# DOWN GO PRICES OF U. S. FLOUR

Geo. Goodrum Receives That Prices Have Reduced 25 Per Cent  
Cheer up! Don't worry if wheat per bushel and flour to 11 pound. Why care what of auto tires is tumbling shaken by an earthquake? George Goodrum received today that the P. S. Rubber reduced the price of tires 26 per cent. The regular still stands and adjustment immediately.  
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