

COLE YOUNGER PASSES AWAY

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tured in Minnesota after a raid on a bank at Northfield, Minn., in 1876 in the course of which Cashier Hayward was killed. The Youngers were shot many times in battles with a posse, but finally were taken alive after a battle at Shieldsville, Minn.

Served Long Term
Cole and his brothers pleaded guilty and were sentenced to prison for life. They entered the penitentiary at Stillwater, Minn., and became model prisoners. Bob died in the penitentiary in 1889. Cole and James Younger were paroled in 1901. The next year James shot himself, leaving a note ascribing his action to a refusal of the parole board to permit him to marry the girl he loved.

After Cole was paroled he was forced by Minnesota law to live in that state for three years. Then he returned to Missouri and settled down in a vine-covered cottage which he bought for a niece in Lees Summit, the scene of his boyhood days. For a time he was connected with a show and later went on the lecture platform and became a good citizen.

Became Religious
In August, 1913, Younger was converted to religion at a revival meeting, and became an active church worker.

"I've led an adventurous, turbulent life," he said. "The war brought on hate and strife and killing around here. I have been blamed for a lot of it with which I had nothing to do. They murdered my father and I was launched into a life of shooting and reprisals and rough riding, winding up with 25 years in the penitentiary. I was brought up in a Christian home. Now I'm an old man and I've come by God's mercy back to the place of my childhood to end my days."

MET HIM IN PRISON

Low Price Saw Cole Younger at Minnesota Prison

Low Price, of this city, remembers well the time he went with some friends, visiting at the Minnesota state penitentiary at Stillwater, and met Cole Younger.

He says the outlaw was then postmaster of the prison. He was a man of about 50 years of age, for this was along in the early nineties, a big fellow and good looking. Together they had quite a conversation regarding what was occurring at Independence, Kansas, from whence Mr. Price had come and where younger was well known.

NEW LAW HALTS CREW

Skippers Taxed to Extremes to Get Qualified Sailors Under Seaman's Law—Many Are Fined

It is no laughing matter, this new seaman's law. Skippers on Puget Sound and Grays Harbor will attest to this fact. In the last two weeks they have been hard put to it to secure crews of qualified sailors. Several captains have already been fined because they have obtained men who not yet had passed the examination for sailors.

This week the captain of the American brigantine Geneva loaded the vessel on Grays Harbor and, about to take his leave, could not find any sailors ashore to fill the legal billets. He took a trip to Tacoma and Seattle. It was only after several days of scouting along the waterfront and through sailors' boarding houses that he finally signed up six seamen and then got away to sea.

The Seaman's law went into effect in November. Hundreds of sailors on this coast have taken their examinations since that time. The belief is expressed that the law in some cases works severe hardships, but that in the main it puts in the fore-
front only the men who are qualified seamen and capable of doing the work required of seamen.

WATERFRONT NEWS

After waiting outside an hour and a half because of a very lumpy bar the steam schooner Yellowstone crossed in about noon today from San Francisco. She is loading again at the Swayno & Hoyt mill.

The Speedwell arrived shortly before noon from San Francisco and is loading ties again at the S. P. dock. She was to have made Bandon this trip, but the owners wired her captain not to make the attempt.

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SEND MORE TROOPS

FUNSTON GIVEN MORE FORCES AT BORDER

Americans Said to Be Close to Villa Bandits and Carranza Soldiers Help

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 22.—The latest official advices from the American expedition in Mexico say General Pershing and his men are close to the Villa bandits. All dispatches told of the cooperation of Carranza soldiers in the bandit chase. In response to a request from General Funston, additional troops are being sent to the border. The Fifth cavalry squadron at Fort Meyer, Va., Fort Sheridan, Ill., and Fort Leavenworth, Kas., and the Twenty-fifth Infantry at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., are under order to start south today.

SHIPPING NEWS

VESSEL MOVEMENT

Arrived

Yellowstone, San Francisco, at noon.
Speedwell, San Francisco, this a. m.

Due Here

Adeline, Oakland, uncertain.
Nann Smith, Oakland, Saturday.

Due to Sail

Speedwell, San Pedro, Saturday.

CHARTER RATES ENORMOUS

Pay \$100,000 Per Month to Vessel to Carry Ammunition

When vessels on the Pacific coast began to get off shore charters for \$20 a ton to Australia some time ago, people sort of gasped at the amount. Now this fades into insignificance along side of the new charter just given the steamship Honolulu, of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, at \$100,000 a month. This is \$1,200,000 in actual cash for the one year the ship will be under charter. She will carry munitions from Puget Sound to Vladivostok.

The owners of this vessel own 12 large freighters and they have been offered between \$18,000 and \$20,000 a day for them all. To get ammunition, guns and supplies into Russia is a problem. Because the western ports are blockaded, everything must come via Vladivostok and the Siberian railroad.

SAILED 4,000,000 MILES

Oldest Purser Crosses Atlantic Ocean 1100 Times and Now Will Take His First Rest

Since Thomas Kinsey went to sea in 1853 he has sailed approximately 4,000,000 miles and has crossed the Atlantic ocean a total of 1,100 times. He is now on his last trip to Europe and says that on his return to New York he believes he will take a rest. The miles amount to about 160 times around the middle of the earth, showing conclusively that Kinsey has literally been going some since he first went to sea. He is purser aboard the American liner St. Paul and has been for years with the same company.

TO REAP KHELP FROM SEA

Swift and Company, of San Francisco, Let Contract for Giant Reeper Use off California

Kelp, long stringy kelp that washes up on the shore with the tide, stuff that we have been wont to class as no account, is of actual commercial value. It is to be reaped from the bottom of the ocean. Its uses are two fold. It is to be used in making potash for farm land fertilizers and it is to be used in the making of explosives.

Swift and Company a few days ago in San Francisco let a contract for the building of a giant reeper. The cutting off of the German supply of potash has badly crippled the makers of commercial fertilizers in the United States.

Barges to Reap Kelp

At the Kruse and Banks ship yards in North Bend are being built three large barges for the Hercules Powder Company in San Francisco. These are to be utilized in the reaping of kelp from the bottom of the sea, the kelp in this case to be used in the making of explosives for the powder concern.

SCHOONER TILLAMOOK

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RESENTS STORIES

PRESIDENT OBJECTS TO PUBLICATION OF RUMORS

Report Was That Germany is About to Move for Peace and is Denied

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 22.—President Wilson was represented at the White House today as resenting the publication of stories that Ambassador Gerard reported that Germany was about to move for peace, and a statement was issued denying the rumors. It is known that American Ambassadors in all the belligerent countries have consistently been reporting on confidential conferences for the information of President Wilson and it is understood that their reports have been that there are no more prospects for peace now than there has been at any time for the last six months.

LATE REPORTS SAY PERSHING HEARD FROM

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Mar. 22.—General Funston today received from general Pershing the first report from the front in sixty hours. It came from Casas Grandes and the only reference made to the operations of Villa was that the Villista and Carranza troops had been engaged Monday near Namiquipa. Major Sample reporting from Columbus, said Aviator Willis is safe and Aviator Gorrell is the only flyer now missing.

SEND TROOPS

INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN TO ILLINOIS NATIONAL GUARD

Quartermaster and Commissary Officers to Report to U. S. Army Depot Soon as Possible

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 22.—It was learned here today that quartermasters and commissary officers of the Illinois National Guard have been informed that it would be well for them to report as soon as possible to the United States army depot quartermaster for instructions in the event of the mobilization of the National Guard.

ONE AVIATOR SAID TO HAVE DESCENDED

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Mar. 22.—One of the aviators missing from the squadron that went to join Pershing's column descended somewhere south of Casas Grandes. It was learned at Funston's headquarters today.

DOUBLE NUMBER OF WEST POINT CADETS

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Senate today passed the Chamberlain bill to double the number of cadets in the West Point Military Academy.

ANOTHER TOWN BURNS

North Carolina Manufacturing Center Destroyed

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
GREENSBORO, N. C., March 22.—The town of Spray, north of here, burned this afternoon. Practically all the structure in the business district are destroyed and the flames are spreading. It has one of the largest cotton and woolen mills in the state.

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LAFOLLETTE WINS

RETURNS SHOW HIM AHEAD IN NORTH DAKOTA

Majority Over Henry Estabrook for Presidential Nomination Not Very Big

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
FARGO, N. D., March 22.—Returns from yesterday's primary indicate that Senator LaFollette apparently defeated Henry Estabrook but by a majority greatly less than anticipated by his supporters.

KILLED IN STORM

THREE DEAD AND MANY HURT IN INDIANA

Northern Part of State is Swept by Wind and Extensive Damage Results

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 22.—Three deaths, four seriously injured and more than 50 minor injuries, and extensive property damage resulted from the windstorm in northern Indiana late last night.

CHINESE ABANDON NEW MONARCHY

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
PEKIN, March 22.—A state department mandate issued tonight announced the abandonment of the monarchy and resumption of the republic.

BAR HAS SHOALED SINCE LAST REPORT

Figures on the latest sounding of the Coos Bay bar, taken a few days ago, show a shoaling of about four feet through some 400 feet of channel, west and south of the black buoy. When the Michie stopped work last September the depth of water there at mean low tide was 28 feet and now it is about 24 feet. The rest of the channel shows very little difference over the figures of last fall, though it is noticeable that the south spit seems to be working northward into the channel, especially opposite the point where the Claremont wrecked on the north jetty.

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