WAVE OF DEATH CRUSHED GREAT SPECIAL SALE SHIP'S CABIN LIKE VISE GREAT SPECIAL SALE



Interior of Cabin of the Norwegian Steamer Admiral Borreson After Demolished by a Tidal Wave.

The death of a dog aboard ship is an omen of iii. This is told in a graphically descriptive letter from the wife of Captain Elvind Winsness, master of the Norwegian steamer Admiral Borreson. And, really, if seems so, too. From that day it was only storms and heavy weather, but still worse on the night of November I. The steward was first to reach me. If captain Elvind Winsness, master of the Norwegian steamer Admiral Borreson. The leter is addressed to Mrs. F. C.

Will see now the good luck is past for Admiral Borreson. And, really, if seems so, too. From that day it was only storms and heavy weather, but still worse on the night of November I. The steward was first to reach me. If he came running from his cabin. My husband that work in the north Pacific.

The yessel was bound from Portland to Taku with a cargo of lumber, and had to struggle into Honolulu for refully dangerous, and was not afraid at all, having become accustomed to the knew better, and said we must ask god to keep his guarding hand over us, for a moment by the terrific wave. We may to the messroom, my life forget it. All thought it our last moment. I was down in the cabin my husband came to see me for the last time, because he was sure something serious would happen.

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The leter is addressed to Mrs. F. C. Hagemann of this city, whose guest Mrs. Winsness was while here. Referring to the sensational voyage, it says:

"We had fine weather until two days out from the coast. The last fine day our dog died. It was a great sorrow to us, and my husband said to me: 'You in a specific property of the sensation of this guarding hand over us, for one of the big waves could quite destroy us.

"He had hardly spoken before I heard an awful crash, and a second later a tremendou: volume of water came pouring in an affire day of the wave. The versel lost her entire deckload of lumber and was damaged to the extent of \$15,000. She resumed her voyage this such moments we feel quite calm, no fileshed before me, and I thought of so many things it would be quite impostic to reach Taku before ice blockades the harbor.

Moneyed Man in Shadow.

Mr. Rankii. demanded to be allowed to deal with this mysterious personage personally, but Ross and Burkhart did not produce him. Because of this refusal negotiations were broken off and the loan was not made. It is not to level by the loan was not made. It is not to level by those investigating the workings of the defunct institution that Ross and Burkhart intended to use \$300,000 of the \$337,000 educational funds on deposit with the bank.

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Phenomenal Sales Follow a Two-Page

Think Reduction Only Bight.

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In view of this reduction of 75 per cent in the tax imposed on the draymen Kellaher believes there should be some corresponding reduction in the rates charged the people by draymen. The teamsters on the other hand are not willing to reduce their rates and assert that they are now taxed beyond the rate imposed in other coast cities and that the reduction is due them by the city without further consideration. The councilman has prepared a scale which he thinks the traffic can safely bear without ruining the business and is open in his accusations of an unlawful combination entered into by the draymen. No amendments were made yesterday afternoon that change the ordinance materially. It is practically the same as when it was reated," said Mr. Story, manager of talking machines at Eliers' Piano House, yesterday. "To what extent this industry has now been developed is evidenced by the entire carloads of talking machines that are now being shipped by many dealers. Last Saturday in our establishment the sales of talking machines and records exceeded in dollars and cents the sales in the piano and pianola departments. Saturday proved itself the greatest day in talking machine sales the firm has ever known.

"We have fine, new, sound-proof individual rooms now for the selection of machines and records, and people like them. Almost all the great voices known in the opera world have been recorded and are now obtainable," he continued. "It may be interesting to know that among the Christmas presents received by a prominent society lady here in the city, the most delightful and acceptable of all proved to be two records made by her son, who is now studying voice culture in Europe, and which were sent by "arcel post in time to be played for Christmas eve. It would surprise you the number of costly talking machine apparatus that people buy, many sales amounting to \$250, \$300, yes, some \$550 to a single buyer."

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buyer."

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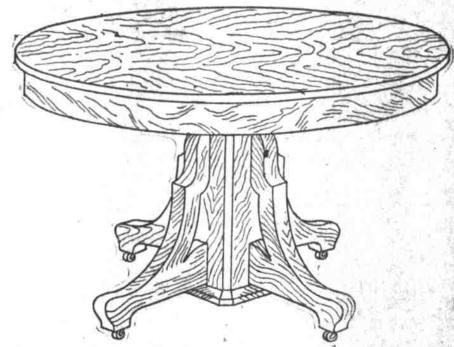
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Fitle Guarantee Charged

\$10,000 for Effecting Loan of \$42,500, Using One of Its Subsidiary Companies as the Medium.

disclosed that Mr. Ladd knew nothing whatever of the negotiations. At this time Mr. Rankin was also negotiating with eastern financial houses for the money and had been assured that the loan could be financed within 60 days. Just at this time the eastern stringency settled down over the money market and the deal fell through.

Cut off from eastern help, Mr. Rankin went again to the Title Guarantee of the negotiations with Ross and Burkhart, and was told by them that they had a "party"

Usurious bonuses charged to clients in making loans and use of state educational or other funds in speculations by the officials of the Title Guarantee & Trust company is said to be shown by the experience of M. B. Rankin with J. Thorburn Ross and T. T. Burkhart of the Title Guarantee & Trust bank when Rankin desired to raise money for use in timber deals.

Investigation into this deal and the conditions surrounding it is said to bring to light the fact that Burkhart and Ross attempted to force Rankin to allow them \$149,150 as a bonus or rake-off for securing him a loan of \$200,000. It also makes probable the assumption that the two bankers expected to use state funds in financing the loan of the \$300,000. Story of Queer Transaction.

The story of the transaction is about follows: December 24, 1996; Rankin sold to the Texas & Oregon Timber company some 9,000 acres of timber land situated east of Silverton, for which he received

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spread as to interfere with affairs: Cabinet meeting broken up because

Social functions, especially at bridge and dinner parties the hostess is at her wit's end to find substitutes.

The stage, the longed-for opportunity of the understudy is frequent in the times of sick stars.

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\$295,000 in cash and a mortgage on the property secured by four long-time notes for an aggregate sum of \$449,150. These notes were to bear interest payable semi-annually, which interest has been paid regularly by the company. Wishing to borrow money for financ-ing his timber deals in Benton and Linn counties, Mr. Rankin left the notes and mortgage with Ross and Burkhart as security,

Not long before the holidays Mr. Ran-kin wished to borrow a large sum of money, and went to Ross and Burkhart for negotiations. At that time the bankers tentatively offered to advance \$400,000 on the \$449,150 worth of se-curities, inferring that the Ladd estate was to finance the loan.

of the \$337,000 educational funds on de-posit with the bank,
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as an aftermath, Ross and Burkhart borrowed \$100,000 of the First National and \$50,000 of the Ladd & Tilton bank,
giving as security for the loan the \$449,000 notes and mortgage belonging to Rankin. These were later assigned as secondary security to State Treas-urer Steel to cover the deposits of state funds in the bank.

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As a further example of large bonuses charged for loans, the bank officials charged Mr. Rankin \$19,000 for making him a loan of \$42,500, that being the example of high finance engineered by the Hawkeye Investment company, a holding company of the Ross bank.

Walter Thomas Mills to Speak on Cause and Cure of Labor Trouble.

Walter Thomas Mills, a noted teacher of political economy, will speak before the Bortland Ministerial association and others interested at a specially called the secretary of the treasury and the meeting at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium secretary of the interior are abed with tomorrow evening. His subject will be the present displacement of labor, its causes and cure. Mr. Mills will dwell especially on a plan which he has inaugurated for the employment of the unemployed. The movement which he has founded is an international one, and is attracting widespread attention. In a

been adopted splendid results have been attained.

Mr. Mills is the author of "The Struggle for Existence," a volume of 640 pages, which has been adopted as a textbook in a number of colleges and universities. He formerly conducted the International School of Social Economy in Chicago, which had over 4,000 students on its enrollment. For a number of years he was actively identified with the temperance movement, and was at one time editor of the New York Voice, one of the leading organs of the temperance cause. It was he who first presented to the world's fair management at Chicago the idea of the world's congresses. He was made secretary of the preliminary commissioner to Great Britain, where jointly with Cardinal Manning was successfully conducted the arrangements for the world's congress of religions.

Mr. Mills will also speak at the First Christian church tonight.

sserts Before Council Committee That Draymen Are in Illegal Combine and Proposes to Fix Rates for Hauling Goods.

ferred back to the committee so it is not likely that it will be adopted by the council.

There is furthermore the additional consideration that a change in the means of raising revenue is undesirable at this time when the tax levy must be determined. There is considerable difference of opinion whether the new vehicle license will increase or decrease the income from this source. As the revenue from the dray license is a matter of about \$30,000 it is generally thought that to meddle with it would be dangerous. Asserts Before Council Com-

to restrain competition. Kellaher believes his proposed ordinance will be accepted finally, though he anticipates strong opposition.

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