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## ICY WAVE SWEEPS DOWN UPON EAST; WEST IS RELIEVED

Blizzard That Rages Along the Atlantic Coast Leaves Devastation and Privation in Its Wake.

## POLICE OF BALTIMORE CALLED TO ASSIST POOR

Mercury in Pennsylvania City Registers 32 Degrees Below Zero.

(By the International News Service.) Chicago, Jan. 13.—Shivering Chicago obtained a short respite of the Arctic weather today, when the icy wave swept on to the eastern states. But by tomorrow night the weather forecaster predicts a new blast from the northwest will strike the city and again cause the mercury to skid to the zero mark.

The blizzard that raged through the eastern states left devastation and privation in its wake. Telegraph and telephone wires were wrecked and from early in the morning Chicago practically was cut off from communication with the east.

**Wire Conditions Bad.** Brokers transacted business with New York under the greatest difficulty and the telegraph companies accepted messages with the understanding that they were to be sent when conditions made communication possible.

The reports granted the destitute of Chicago and the middle west was contrasted in the eastern cities. There the municipal lodging houses and charity organizations were flooded with appeals from the homeless and suffering. Many persons suffering from exposure were taken to the hospital.

**Aid of Police Withheld.** In Baltimore the situation became so acute that the aid of the police department was enlisted in helping get food and provisions to the poor.

After 13 days of zero weather Chicagoans were treated to a temperature which varied from two degrees to 18 degrees above zero. The crest of the cold wave passed the city around midnight Friday, sweeping on to the eastern and southern states and holding them tightly in its grasp.

At Titusville, Pa., the coldest spot reported in the east, the mercury was at 22 degrees below zero. At New York it was four below and Philadelphia felt its first zero weather of eight years. Richmond, Va., covered with a mantle of snow, experienced zero weather for the first time in 11 years. At Atlanta, Ga., four inches of snow fell and at Charleston, S. C., it was three inches.

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## WILLAMETTE HAS BEGUN TO FALL; IS 15 FT. AT EUGENE

McKenzie Is Also Falling and While Lowlands Have Been Flooded, No Damage of Consequence Is Reported.

(Special to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., Jan. 13.—The Willamette river at this point, after attaining a height of 18 feet last night about 11 o'clock, has fallen since then till at 6 o'clock this evening it was 15 feet above low water mark. While quite an extended area of lowlands was inundated, almost steadily for 24 hours. Because of the washing away of some fences, stage traffic out of Eugene was held up today on account of numerous creeks along the McKenzie and Siuslaw being out of their banks, making it unsafe for stages to cross. But Monday they will be running on schedule again. The McKenzie river also is falling and as far as reported there is no damage along that stream.

## GENERAL RAIN FALLS OVER EASTERN OREGON; NO FLOOD SIGNS YET

(Special to The Journal.) La Grande, Or., Jan. 13.—The mountain snow is absorbing more rain than had been believed possible and notwithstanding that it rained intermittently today, there are still no visible signs of flood in this territory, though such condition is anticipated any moment unless the rains cease. Rain is general all over eastern Oregon and even the high divides are now feeling the precipitation, which has now prevailed almost steadily for 24 hours. Because of the great quantity of snow in the hills a sudden thaw aided by rain would do irreparable damage to bridges and would be a menace to residence property in La Grande. Streets are impassable in many places.

## GREAT FRESHET IN COOS IS BRINGING DOWN LOGS FROM HIGH ON BANKS

(Special to The Journal.) Marshfield, Or., Jan. 13.—Thousands of logs, representing millions of feet of lumber, are coming down the rivers of Coos county on account of the freshet. The rains of the past week caused the rivers to rise and for several days there has been a heavy rainfall, which is causing the rivers to rise still higher. Many logs which could not be gotten

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## FIRE BREAKS OUT IN LEPER COLONY; CALL FOR AID BY WIRELESS

Twenty-Year-Old Victim, One of the Thirteen Outcasts on Isolated Island, Informs Outside World of the Conflagration.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Boston, Jan. 13.—Late this afternoon the wireless station at Point Judith, R. I., picked up the following message: "Send help quick to the leper colony on Petkeke Island, Buzzard's Bay, for the buildings are burning."

It was the despairing cry in dots and dashes through space, of 13 miserable human beings, victims of the dread plague, who are confined on the desolate little island. Four are women. The wireless message was telegraphed by Archie Thomas, a 20-year-old boy, who was sent to the island a victim of the loathsome disease, a year ago. The boy was stricken while in high school. His devoted mother, a widow, would not give him up and went with him to the island, where she has since stayed as nurse in the employ of the state.

Archie had experimented with wireless telegraphy at his home and the state purchased for him the transmitting outfit with which he summoned aid this afternoon.

His call sent the revenue cutter *Acushnet* immediately to the scene from this city. The colony was established eight years ago. It is under the control of the state board of health. Dr. Frank E. Parker is superintendent. With his wife he lives 400 yards from the lepers. Three other non-leperous persons live on the island.

The place is practically cut off from the outside world. A steamer stops there occasionally to drop mail and provisions.

An investigation showed that the administration building was burned to the ground, but that most of the houses occupied by the lepers were saved.

## \$289,000 TO BEAUTIFY GOLF CLUB GROUNDS

Voting to spend \$289,000 in beautifying the grounds, liquidating debts of the club and erecting a palatial new building was done by the Waverly Golf club last night held the most momentous meeting in the history of the organization. The indebtedness of the club is a little more than \$190,000. The amount of money to be spent on the building was left to the board of directors, but not less than \$75,000 and perhaps \$100,000 will be spent on the proposed structure.

The name of the club will be changed to "The Waverly Country club" and it is the purpose of the members to make the 116 acre tract adjoining Sellwood the handsomest country club site on the Pacific coast.

The manner of raising the money was also left in the hands of the directors, but the club voted to raise part of it by the sale of 38 acres of the golf links property. After this is sold there will still be left 116 acres. Real estate dealers have placed a conservative appraisal of \$3000 an acre on the land to be sold.

By almost unanimous vote the members decided to lay out a polo field on that part of the grounds immediately abutting on the present clubhouse. The sum of \$5000 was voted for the erection of stables and the making of the polo course.

After the main business of the meeting had been transacted the club elected directors for the ensuing year. They are: William MacMaster, W. L. Brewster, M. L. Holbrook, Gordon Toorhis, T. Kerr, C. H. Lewis, Howard Holland, George Warren and L. L. Webster. The directors will hold a meeting in the near future to choose a president, secretary and other officers from among their number. William MacMaster is the present president. He has acted in that capacity for several years.

Before the club adjourned Mr. MacMaster was tendered a rising vote of thanks.

In expressing his appreciation of the club's action Mr. MacMaster made a brief address during which he recited what the club has done in the past and he hopes it will do in the future. "We have one of the finest country clubs in the United States" said Mr. MacMaster, "and we are just beginning to realize the benefits that accrue to members of the organization and the value of such an institution to a city like Portland. The club has its mission in the civic life of the community, just as the park system, public docks and other municipal projects have. I hope that each and every member will lend his hearty cooperation toward making the Waverly Country club the pride of Portland."

## ANOTHER CABINET FORMED IN FRANCE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Paris, Jan. 13.—Premier Raymond Poincaré tonight announced that he had been successful in forming a cabinet and all France is wondering if the new ministry will be able to withstand the turmoil growing out of the overthrow of the Caillaux regime and the vitriolic charges that are being bandied about as a result of the recent Moroccan negotiations with Germany.

M. Poincaré will look after the foreign affairs, in addition to his duties as premier. The make up of his cabinet is as follows:

Interior—M. Steeg; justice, Ex-Premier Briand; war, M. Millerand; navy, M. Delcasse; finance, M. Klots; colonial, M. Lebrun; public works, M. Bourgeois. Both Delcasse and Bourgeois had declined the membership.

The ministry is looked upon as the strongest in the history of the third republic.

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## STEEL EMPLOYEES ANARCHISTS, SAYS LOUIS D. BRANDEIS

Noted Economist Says Trust's Workers Are Worse Than Slaves, for Master Seeks to Save the Slave.

(By the International News Service.) New York, Jan. 13.—At the end of a spirited discussion on trusts before the Republican club today, Louis D. Brandeis, the Boston attorney and economist, startled his audience by asserting that a poll of the employees of the steel trust showed that nine tenths of them have been in violence and revolution as the only way to right their wrongs.

"These men are in a worse condition than slaves," continued the speaker. "The slave is considerably treated by his owner, if the owner be wise, in order that he will produce the greatest amount of work throughout his life time and not be wrecked in health and become a burden or a total loss."

**At First Afraid to Talk.** "When these laborers were at first approached they said they were afraid to talk. The discovery that they were giving out information would mean summary punishment. At last they admitted they were anarchists and the only way out of their thralldom was to over-

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## WRECK OF ADMIRAL ONE OF QUEEREST IN FREAKS OF SEA

Sixty Miles Out of Her Course, Hurrying Vessel Hits One Spot in Jetty Where No Rock Base Existed.

## GREAT SPEED TAKES HER THROUGH PILING, RAILS

As She Passes Through, However, Ten Persons Aboard Scramble Onto Jetty.

(Special to The Journal.) Astoria, Or., Jan. 13.—Crashing with terrible force through the new Columbia river jetty in a strong southwest gale and in weather so thick it was impossible to see two feet ahead, the American four masted schooner *Admiral* with all sails set, met its fate at the mouth of the Columbia at eight o'clock this morning. The crew of seven sailors and the captain and his wife and child were rescued by Captain Wicklund of the Point Adams Life Saving station.

The *Admiral* was in command of Captain Joseph Bender, and was 42 days out from Valparaiso, Chile, in ballast for lumber loading at Grays Harbor. At the time of the accident Chief Mate Anderson was with Captain Bender on the bridge, a constant double watch having been kept the past two days owing to the inclement weather and heavy seas.

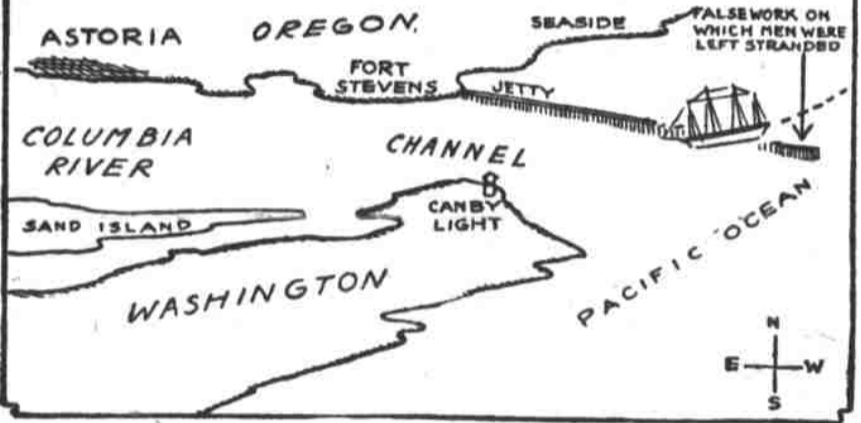
The *Admiral* after tearing asunder 50 yards of the jetty passed on to the northward towards Peacock Spit, and, after a vigorous but futile attempt by the Port of Portland tug *Wallula* to tow the helpless schooner to safety inside the bar, capsized in the giant breakers and was left to her fate. The last seen of her was about 11 a. m. when Captain Bender stated she was making toward the spit in a strong ebb tide.

A few minutes before the *Admiral* capsized three men were sent by Captain Nolan, of the *Wallula*, to board the vessel and secure the lines. When the *Admiral* began turning to her beam ends the three men were still aboard, and with the agility of trick monkeys they walked, as on a treadmill, until finally they stood square on the keel of the ship, which maintained that position until she was lost to sight in a blinding rain and spray. Three other men put out from the *Wallula* in a life boat and took the marooned sailors off, itself a wonderful feat of seamanship. The men who remained on the vessel as she turned turtle were Mate Henry Farrar, Frank Broeck and Antone Pettan.

There is no hope of ever saving the vessel in her present condition, even should she be floating, which is extremely doubtful. The tide has no doubt carried her far out to sea, unless the shallow waters of the spit have made her fast, a menace to navigation. The condition of the weather this

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## South Jetty Where Admiral Was Lost



## RACE OF THREE TUGS TO RESCUE WAS MOST SPECTACULAR; JETTY DAMAGED

(Special to The Journal.) Fort Stevens, Or., Jan. 13.—The schooner *Admiral*, commanded by Captain Benson and owned by a San Francisco corporation, was hurled into the extremity of the jetty this morning at 7 o'clock by a 75 mile gale. The vessel hung long enough to permit the captain, his wife and child and crew of seven to seek refuge on the broken pilings of the jetty.

The captain and family succeeded in making their way to the unbroken portion of the jetty and were rescued by a train crew this morning.

The crew, less fortunate, were forced to cling desperately to the shattered pilings of the broken end of the jetty. The Point Adams lifesaving crew, commanded by Captain Wicklund, was immediately notified. A wagon loaded with wood happened to be going by.

They dumped its contents and pressed driver and conveyance into service. The cannon to throw the life line and the breeches buoy for carrying the rescued over a life line were rushed to the engineers, where a special train carried them to the imperiled sailors, who at the time of their rescue had been in the water some hours.

Only one member of the crew, the cook, is seriously injured. He is now in the Fort Stevens hospital. Members of the engineers' department and soldiers assisted in the work of rescue.

**Tears Filling and Bells Out.** The wrecked boat clung to the jetty only long enough to permit the crew to escape, then drifted off in the direction of Sand Island; it is undoubtedly a total wreck. It demolished in its course through the jetty four rows of three foot pilings and destroyed a double track, tearing and twisting the four steel rails composing the track. The bottom must be badly torn. The boat disappeared in the mist and has not been definitely located.

One of the most spectacular sights of the day was the race of the three tugs to the rescue. With clouds of smoke and belching sparks they raced past Fort Stevens, not 200 yards separating the leader from the last boat.

**Worse Damage Ahead of Jetty.** The damage to the jetty is very heavy; moreover it leaves no means of working on the extremity. It is thought therefore that the entire end left remaining will be carried to sea by the violence of the present storm, which is raging with an ever increasing fury. A huge mass of white capped waves is tearing through the gap over 75 feet wide left by the boat.

Another boat and tug are reported just off the end of the jetty, evidently waiting a favorable opportunity to attempt to pass the bar. The Fort Stevens telephone operator, Private Harris, relayed both telegraphic and wireless news of the disaster by telephone. He states that he passed the most strenuous half day of his life, in 10 different people calling at once, all asking questions it was impossible to answer.

The lifesaving crew sent special patrols to the beach, fearing the possibility of another wreck. A special train is kept fired up for use on the jetty and the soldiers are also holding themselves in readiness to render all possible aid.

## SEEKS PRISON TO REGAIN HIS HEALTH

Canon City, Colo., Jan. 13.—That one of the convicts serving a term in the Colorado state prison here pleaded guilty to the charge against him solely to get the benefit of the prison treatment for consumption, was made known here today through an admission by the prisoner himself.

Albert Blunt, age 23, a victim of tuberculosis, who was utterly despondent and suspected of burglary at Grand Junction, declares he confessed a crime he did not commit in order to enter the penitentiary, where he would have a chance to effect a cure.

He says he was dying of the disease in the jail at Grand Junction, and decided that his only means of regaining his health was to secure his conviction of the crime of which he was suspected and he sent to the penitentiary.

That he did well there is no denying, for since he entered the penitentiary last May he has gained 15 pounds.

"My sentence in the penitentiary is from two to three years," said Blunt, "and I hope at the end of that time I will be able to go out in the world and earn a living."

## KLAMATH WILL BE FIELD FOR GREAT ARMY MANEUVERS

Largest Army Ever Concentrated by Uncle Sam in Time of Peace to Assemble in Summer.

## 27,000 SOLDIERS WILL FIGHT MIMIC BATTLES

Mobilization Probably Ordered for Latter Part of June or First Part of July.

(Special to The Journal.) San Francisco, Jan. 13.—The largest army ever concentrated by this government in time of peace will be assembled on the Pacific coast during the summer months. According to the report given out in army circles today and confirmed by dispatches to this city from Washington, it is planned by the war department to order more than 27,000 soldiers into the field in full fighting equipment. This will include all the regular and militia regiments of the six Pacific coast states—Oregon, Washington, California, Arizona, New Mexico and Utah Cavalry, infantry, artillery, signal corps and hospital corps will be the different branches of the service which will participate.

It is stated that these huge maneuvers will be held the latter part of June or the first part of July. The grounds selected for the mimic battles will be in and around Klamath Falls, Or.

**Reason Is Not Known.** What purpose the government had for the mobilization of such a large body of troops the local army officers state they do not know, but it has been known for some time that the war department has been desirous of making a show of force on the Pacific coast similar to that which was made the last summer along the Mexican border. The militia which will be ordered into the field will comprise all of the state troops of California, Oregon, Washington, Utah, Colorado and Arizona. These will number 19,000 fighting men.

**Regiments to Number 7000.** Besides them all of the regular troops now stationed in the above mentioned states will also be concentrated. The regular organizations will number more than 7000 soldiers and will be composed of four regiments of infantry, three regiments of cavalry, two regiments of field artillery, besides numerous detachments of hospital and signal corps.

The selection of the site of the battle maneuvers was only accomplished

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## MURDER IS SEQUEL TO ELOPEMENT OF BOYCE AND WOMAN

Millionaire Husband Shoots and Kills Father of Youth Who Ran Away With Wife; Feeling Running High.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 13.—A tragic sequel to the sensational elopement of A. G. Boyce Jr., with Mrs. J. B. Sneed, wife of a millionaire Amarillo banker, was enacted here tonight when Sneed shot young Boyce's father five times, inflicting wounds from which he died at 10 p. m.

The shooting occurred in the crowded lobby of the Metropolitan hotel. Boyce was sitting in a chair near the entrance of the hotel talking with a friend when Sneed entered from the street. The two men saw each other. Neither spoke a word. Swiftly Sneed drew a sixshooter from a hip pocket and fired five shots, three bullets piercing the abdomen.

Boyce fell to the floor unconscious and died shortly after. He was taken to hospital.

In the excitement Sneed ran bareheaded up Main street two blocks before being captured. He was charged with murder. Boyce and his wife have been here two weeks fighting to prevent extradition of their son, who was held by the Winnipeg authorities following the arrest there of himself and Mrs. Sneed, when he was charged by indictment here with abduction. Only today was the indictment quashed.

Mrs. Sneed became hysterical tonight when informed of the shooting. Early in November young Boyce came to Fort Worth and after drawing \$100,000 from local banks, ran off with Mrs. Sneed, who had been placed in a sanitarium here by her husband, who sought to break the relations between the pair.

Boyce and his father own the Capital ranch in the Panhandle, the largest in the world. Young Boyce and Mrs. Sneed were traced to St. Louis and New York and later to Winnipeg.

At that time Mrs. Sneed declared she would stick to Boyce, but when her husband arrived at Winnipeg he persuaded her to accompany him to Texas. Then began a fight between the Sneads and Boyce over an attempt to extradite young Boyce for abduction, as it was claimed Mrs. Sneed was of unsound mind. The dispute developed into a feud which has been growing more bitter every day. Both families command millions.

Sneed today expressed astonishment when he learned that the county attorney had the charges against Boyce Sneed.

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