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NINE LINERS CRIPPLED IN OCEAN STORM

Winds Blew 100 Miles an Hour; Buffeted Ships Like Toys

HUNDREDS ARE HURT

Storm on Atlantic Reaps Huge Toll in Money and Life; Many in Hospitals

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Nine more trans-Atlantic liners, tossed by winds that blew 100 miles an hour and buffeted by waves eighty feet high which swept the decks, are expected to dock today with the same tales of horror, and with lists of injured aboard similar to the five badly smashed liners that made port yesterday.

HALIFAX, Aug. 28.—A heavy toll of human life is believed to have been taken in the two-day gale which is yet sweeping the Atlantic. Captain Miller and a crew of five men are believed to have lost their lives when their schooner, the Prince Edward Island, crashed on the rocks 20 miles west of this port.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The schooner Arab was met at the dock here last night by eight ambulances which carried the many wounded to hospitals. The ship ran into a hurricane at 9:00 o'clock last night, and was buffeted and tossed around like a chip on the waves. Most of her passengers were immigrants, but there were many home-bound Americans on board.

NORFOLK, Va., Aug. 28.—Comparatively light damage along the North Carolina and Virginia coast from the storm which extended from Monday night was reported here today. Sinking of the tug McNealley in Pamlico Sound was the most serious loss. The crew of the tug was saved, but one man, Peter Kozlowsky, was electrocuted today and was taken to Corvallis and Eugene, Ore., by Lieutenant H. C. Miller in an airplane.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 28.—The bark Wanderer, which left here yesterday on a whaling trip was driven ashore on Cuttyhunk Island and began to break up yesterday. The crew took to boats, and was picked up today.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 28.—Over 80 men are in danger aboard the stranded government dredge Corozal in a mountainous sea one-half mile off shore. The dredge was swept from its moorings last night. A tug has gone to her aid.

TO USE HUMAN SKULL IN CHURCH

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 28.—Falling in his attempt to illustrate his sermon last Sunday with a live monkey, because the animal chattered so much that he could not be heard, the Rev. Z. Colon O'Farrell, of the First Baptist Church, will next Sunday illustrate his sermon with something a little more quiet—a human skull.

WOMAN ATTEMPTS DEATH IN JAIL

KLAMATH FALLS, Aug. 28.—A. E. Ekwall, Klamath box factory foreman, and his wife were arrested yesterday for driving while intoxicated, following a head on collision with a car loaded with tourists, in which four persons were slightly injured.

GIBSON COMPANY ON NEW LOCATION

PENDLETON, Aug. 28.—The Hoot Gibson company of motion picture players, which has been filming scenes near Hilgard for the "Ridin' Kid From Powder River," has completed a part of the picture and moved to the ranch owned by Charlie Weeks, about 18 miles east of Pendleton on the Old Oregon Trail.

THREE DROWNED IN COLUMBIA RIVER

THE DALLES, Ore., Aug. 28.—In a vain effort to save the life of Mrs. E. Greiner, from Drowning, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Buncel, also of this city, lost their lives in the Columbia River during a bathing party which was held near here last night. All three lost their lives in a deep hole which they fell into. Mrs. Buncel and Mrs. Greiner were sisters.

WANT LOCAL GIRLS TO ENTER CONTEST

Popularity Race to Determine Queen of County Fair; Car Given to Winner

"Bring on your Ashland candidates," This was the challenge issued this morning by T. W. Dyer, of Medford, who is in charge of the campaign to elect a Queen of the Jackson county fair. Many comely Medford misses have entered the contest, according to Mr. Dyer, and an exciting contest is promised.

Candidate will be selected, backed by the various organizations, and the Queen and her maids will be chosen by popular vote. Beside ruling the three-day celebration, the Queen will be awarded an automobile. An organization which wishes to back a candidate is asked to submit her name to Mr. Probach, secretary of the fair association.

Before the Fourth of July, Ashland staged a breath-taking contest to elect the Queen of the Lithians, which Mr. Dyer regards as proof that the city has an excellent chance to place an Ashland girl as ruler of the fair.

PRIEST FLIES TO VISIT PARENTS

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 28.—Father John Sullivan of New York City, who is touring the Pacific coast visiting the families of the soldiers whom he buried in France, was in Vancouver today and was taken to Corvallis and Eugene, Ore., by Lieutenant H. C. Miller in an airplane.

PRISONER CAUGHT WHILE INEBRIATED

KLAMATH FALLS, Aug. 28.—J. C. Burris, who escaped from the Klamath Falls city jail following conviction for forgery and 18 months' penitentiary sentence last April, was arrested again Sunday night on a charge of drunkenness and later recognized as the escaped prisoner.

PORTLAND MAN IS FINED FOR BOOZE

SALEM, Aug. 28.—Thomas A. Miller of Portland was fined \$50 here today for having liquor in his automobile which turned completely over while traveling on the Pacific Highway about six miles south of Salem.

LOCAL HOTEL IS SOLD FOR HIGH PRICE

E. T. Allen, Los Angeles Business Man, Buys Big Hostelry

IS SOLD FOR \$72,500

Deal Completed Yesterday by Ed Staples Agency; Took Immediate Possession

An Ashland realty transfer involving \$75,000, and which will mean better hotel accommodations to the city was consummated yesterday when the Ed Staples realty agency sold the Hotel Ashland to E. T. Allen, of Los Angeles.

Mr. Allen bought the hotel yesterday from C. L. Jeffries, former proprietor, and took immediate possession, last night's receipts going to him. The new owner left last night for Los Angeles, driving down with his wife. In the California city, he will close some transactions, and will return to Ashland on Saturday.

Former Merchant

Mr. Allen was formerly located in Jacksonville, Florida, where he was in the mercantile business. Later, he moved to Los Angeles. He sold out his Jacksonville business a few years ago, and retired with a good sized fortune, but growing tired of being idle, he wandered through most of the United States seeking a location.

He found Ashland the most inviting location, and decided to go into business here.

Owned Apartments

In Los Angeles, Mr. Allen had two large apartment buildings, and he is described as being an experienced hotel man. He expects to thoroughly renovate the hotel both on the inside and the exterior, in addition to increasing its capacity.

When Mr. Allen returns from Los Angeles, Mr. Jeffries will leave by car with his wife for New York, where he will go into business.

Brought Bear Back—

Roy Parr, deputy game warden was in Ashland last night after a trip north. He shot a bear while on the trip.

COUNTY OFFICIALS SAY ROAD IS GOOD

Judge Gardner, Two Commissioners and Engineer Inspect Dead Indian Project

County Judge G. Gardner, Commissioners Vic Bursell and George Alford and Engineer Paul Rynning were in Ashland Wednesday afternoon. They were on their way home from an inspection trip of the Dead Indian road work.

They stated that the county had finished the mile of road above the Applegate ranch, which they have been working on for some time and a 15 to 20 per cent grade had been eliminated. The Hartman Syndicate crew, which has been handling the Frog Creek Hill road have almost completed their work. This will cut down a 15 to 20 per cent grade to a maximum of 8 per cent. Within a few days a rock crusher will be started in that neighborhood and about three miles of this road will be macadamized. Although about seven miles of this Dead Indian road has been reduced to an easy grade, according to a statement made by the county judge. The officials reported the road work to be progressing satisfactorily.

The improvement of this road is quite a step in this county, and it is used continually now, both by people on their way to Shale City and by people on the way to the Lake of the Woods, popular summer resort which is reached by that road.

UP-TO-THE-MINUTE BULLETINS

WORLD FLIGHT IS DELAYED

ABOARD THE CRUISER RICHMOND, August 28—Continued bad weather is likely to cause a postponement for a few days of the hop-off of Lieutenants Smith and Nelson, American round the world fliers, from Iqvtut, Greenland to Labrador.

JUDGE CRAIL DENIES MOTION

LOS ANGELES, August 28—Judge Crail today denied the motion of the attorneys for "Kid" McCoy to quash the indictment charging the former ring idol with the murder of Mrs. Teresa Mors, but granted further postponement of McCoy's plea until Tuesday.

PURSE THIEF IS CAPTURED

PORTLAND, August 28—Out of work and needing money, Edward Anderson today succumbed to the temptation to snatch a purse from the hand of a girl he was passing on the street today. The girl, Miss A. Sherman, screamed, and after a chase of two blocks, Anderson was caught and taken to jail.

WARSHIPS DEFEND SETTLEMENTS

SHANGHAI, August 28—American and British warships today rushed from Chefoo to Weihaiwei to defend the foreign settlement in the event of expected hostilities in China's latest civil war. Thousands of refugees continued to flock to Shanghai. Martial law is being maintained about Shanghai and no one will be allowed to enter or leave the city during the night. Many rumors have been heard reporting actual fighting between the warring Chinese factions.

WALLA WALLA TO LEAD KIWANISANS

James P. Neal Elected to District Governorship of International Club

WALLA WALLA, Aug. 28.—James P. Neal of Walla Walla was elected district governor of the Pacific Northwest Kiwanis clubs and Vancouver, B. C., was chosen as the convention city for 1925 at the closing business sessions of the convention here Tuesday afternoon.

ANTI-RICHARDSON VICTORY CLAIMED

Opponents of California Governor Say He Was Defeated in Primary Election

SAN FRANCISCO, August 28.—Forces opposed to the administration of Governor Friend William Richardson claimed victory in yesterday's primary election, as results of the contests for seats in the legislature became known today.

SAY THAT DEER ARE MANY IN KLAMATH

KLAMATH FALLS, Aug. 28.—That deer, particularly the black tail species, are increasing in number in the Klamath forests is the subject to reports circulated among the Klamath sportsmen.

PROPOSED BRIDGE MAY NOT BE BUILT

LONGVIEW, Wash., Aug. 28.—The proposed bridges over the Cowlitz river where the Olegun ferry now operates probably will not be built for some time, it was announced by Howard Huntington, county commissioner. Estimated cost of the structure would be approximately \$45,000, said Mr. Huntington, according to figures given him by an engineer recently. This expense was too great for the county to bear at this time, the commissioner thought.

THE WEATHER

A slight decrease in temperature was noted yesterday when the thermometer dropped to 98. The Minimum was recorded as 56 and the set maximum as 88. The weather is still cooler today with some signs of storm.

CITY PAYS TRIBUTE TO MR. LOOMIS

Hundreds of Grief-Stricken Residents Crowd Chapel to Hear Sermon

SERVICE IMPRESSIVE

Lithian Trio Sings at Funeral; Many Floral Offerings Sent By Friends

Hundreds of grief-stricken residents of Ashland, friends of Mayor Charles L. Loomis, gathered at the Dodge funeral chapel today to pay a last tribute to his memory.

The funeral chapel, with a seating capacity of over 150, was crowded and all available standing room was taken, while many stood in the doorway and outside while the simple and impressive ceremonies were in progress. Although the chapel is the second largest in Oregon, it could not begin to hold the throngs which gathered to honor the memory of the mayor.

Funeral services were in charge of the Rev. P. K. Hammond, vicar of the Ashland Episcopal church. The Rev. Mr. Hammond's funeral sermon paid tribute to the fallen chief, and was marked by its simple sympathy.

Music by Lithians

Music for the ceremony was furnished by the Lithian organization, a trio composed of William M. Briggs, Andrew McGee and Dr. R. L. Burdick, singing.

CHARIOTEERS WILL STOP IN ASHLAND

The Salvation Army Charioteers, an organization of six men, who travel in a large enclosed car, will be here on Sunday, August 31, it was announced today by Lieutenant Charles Bennett.

POSSES SEARCH FOR ALLEGED MURDERER

Four Groups of Men After Fred Yardlow, Wanted for Killing Harney County Sheriff

VALE, Ore., Aug. 28.—Four posses are making their way south through Malheur and Harney counties in a search for Fred Yardlow, of Elko, Nevada, alleged slayer of Sheriff Austin Goodman, of Harney county.

TWO IN RACE FOR SEASTA HONORS

REDDING, Cal., Aug. 28.—Almost complete returns indicate that the race in November for supervisor in the first or Redding district will be between H. L. Moods, incumbent and D. F. Adams. There were six candidates at the primary.

RANDIT SUSPECT IS FREED IN OAKLAND

OAKLAND, Cal., Aug. 28.—The suspect giving the name of Jack Crooks, thought to be Roy D'Autremont, who was placed under arrest here yesterday, was released last night after Southern Pacific agents had seen him.

SAYS WITNER PAID FOR FIRING HOUSE

Elma Rancher Accuses Man of Hiring Hobo to Burn Home; Man Died in Flames

MONTESSANO, Wash., Aug. 28.—The testimony of Mart Washington, Elma rancher, and Mrs. Mart Washington took up most of the second day of the trial of C. A. Witner and Ruby Witner, his wife, for first degree arson. Washington's testimony was that the Witners borrow considerable furniture from him for the stated purpose of "making a showing before the insurance" and later returned it, prior to the fire.

On the night of the fire, Washington said, McCulloch telephoned him to call for him in Elma and asked him to drive him to Witner's house, which he did. He waited in his car but hearing an explosion ran to the house which he saw to be aflame.

ATLANTA ROWS OVER WOMEN'S KNICKERS

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 28.—The war against women's knickers has reached Atlanta.

It all was precipitated by two wives who filed petitions for divorce because of this much-discussed piece of raiment. One wanted her freedom because her hubby became rather rough after she donned knickers, the other because her husband used violence when she refused to wear them and hike around the world with him.

OREGON CITY TO BUILD CITY HALL

OREGON CITY, Aug. 28.—A solution of a problem of long standing, that of the construction of a new city hall for Oregon City, has been obtained by the city commission and two buildings will be erected within a short time to provide for the council chambers, the city offices and the fire department.

PROMINENT GRANTS PASS MAN IS DEAD

GRANTS PASS, Aug. 28.—Edward Thomas McKinstrey, prominent citizen of Grants Pass, died at his home Tuesday evening at 11:30. He had been ill for more than a year, but became worse about a week ago. The family was with him at the end.

Mr. McKinstrey has lived here for nineteen years and has done real estate business here. He was at one time mayor of Grants Pass.

SLAYERS TO HEAR FATE SEPT. TEN

Most Sensational Case in Modern Times Ends in Chicago Court

CROWE GETS REBUKE

Judge Says "Friendly Judge" Reference Made to Intimidate Court

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Armed guards will be thrown about the Cook county court building on September 10, when the sentence of Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb is pronounced, Judge Caverly said late this afternoon. Owing to threats that the courthouse would be blown up in an effort to kill the two boys, guards, armed with rifles and revolvers, will surround the entire block on which the courthouse stands from the night of September 9 until the time the killers are sentenced.

CHICAGO, August 28.—Nathan Leopold Jr. and Richard Loeb, intellectual collegians who confessed that they slew Bobby Franks for a "thrill" will be informed on September 10 whether they will pay for their crime with their lives on the gallows, or with a lifetime in prison.

Judge Caverly fixed the date at the conclusion of the famous case, which occupied a time of nearly six weeks, and attracted more attention than any other crime in modern times.

Few To Hear

No one but the defendants, their attorneys and relatives of the two boys will be admitted when the sentence is pronounced, the Judge stated.

Judge Caverly gave State's Attorney Crowe a stinging rebuke when the latter closed his great argument. Crowe referred to the testimony of Detective Sergeant Gotland, in which the officer quoted Leopold as saying they could "plead guilty before a friendly judge and get life instead of the gallows."

Crowe stated that "anyone, by observing the defendants, their relatives and their attorneys in court knows that they are before a friendly judge."

Judge Caverly ordered Crowe's remarks stricken from the record, saying, "It is a plain attempt to intimidate the court, and is used for the purpose of inciting a mob." Crowe attempted to deny that he had made the statement for this purpose, but the Judge waved him down.

Both slayers were in good humor when court adjourned at the end of the sensational case, and both enjoyed Crowe's discomfort when the Judge rebuked him.

Lynching Hinted

A hint of lynching for the young slayers was thrown into the day's proceedings by the State's Attorney.

"Clarence Darrow speaks about not heeding 'the voice of the mob,'" said Crowe. "Well, they haven't heard the cry of the mob yet because they have been well protected. But if they don't get what they deserve in this trial, I'm not so sure they won't hear the voice of the mob, demanding justice."

Yesterday, Crowe hinted that the two murderers were guilty of other crime, and called attention to the murder of the "ragged stranger," one of Chicago's unsolved crimes.

POET DODGES JAIL IN FEVERED LEAP

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—Being a poet has its compensations. It won't keep one out of the poorhouse. But it keeps one out of the police court—sometimes.

George Sterling is California's best known poet. His brow was fevered with inspiration—or something. He sought moonlight environment for a great poem, Stow Lake, Golden Gate Park, tempted. He leaped in.

So, at about the same time, did a lovely Russian lady, unknown to Sterling or to a couple of police officers who happened along. Both bathers were gathered in by the Bastlers.

John McLaren, big boss of Golden Gate Park, when he saw the male culprit, identified him as George Sterling, and said that explained everything.