

## SURVIVORS GREAT LAKES WRECKS ARE NEAR TO RESCUE

SAULT STE MARIE, Dec. 19.—The tug Gray and Favorite were expected to reach here today with survivors of the wrecked tug Reliance, which was disabled on the rocky shores of the Lizard Island in northern Lake Superior nearly a week ago.

Four persons lost their lives when the small craft foundered and a fifth was reported near death today from exposure.

The dead were swept from the deck of the Reliance when they were about to lower a life boat.

Nine of the 36 persons aboard the Reliance when she smashed her propeller on the rock last Wednesday were successful in reaching the shore and after a three-day trek over rough country through blinding snow storms and in the severe cold, seven reached a railway station and came to this city.

Two were left behind at a lumber camp. They are Jack Hartens and Mrs. Hartens, cooks on the Reliance. Mrs. Hartens may not survive the shock and exposure, according to word reaching here.

Others aboard the ill fated craft were taken off by the Gray and Favorite after five days of suffering from cold and hunger.

## CREAMERY MEN HELD FOR MAIL FRAUDS

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 19.—Twenty officers and stock salesmen of the Waterloo Creamery company were indicted here late yesterday by a federal grand jury for alleged use of the mails to defraud in connection with the promotion and financing of that company, now in receivership. Bonds were fixed at \$5000 for each of the defendants.

## \$5000 REWARD UP FOR CAPTURE CLARA

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—Rewards offered for the recapture of Mrs. Clara Phillips, hammer murderess who escaped from the Los Angeles county jail December 5, total \$5000.

Of this sum \$250 is offered by Sheriff W. I. Traeger; \$2500 by the county board of supervisors and \$2250 by the city.

When the Mistletoe Hangs High. While the mistletoe hangs high, it is useless to urge the lurking possibilities of the osculation germ.

## Sports

### SIKI'S CHARGES OF FRAME-UP UPHELD BY FILMS, CLAIM

PARIS, Dec. 19.—A close study of the film of the Carpentier-Siki fight shows that Francois Descamps, manager of the French boxer, went to Siki's corner in the fourth round and said something to Hellers, the Senegalese's manager, according to a story printed by L'Auto today. The journal recalls that according to Siki's allegations it was in the fourth round that the negro had arranged to allow himself to be beaten.

Vice President Boubariat of the boxing federation, in an interview with L'Auto, said that for the manager of one boxer to talk to the manager of another while a bout was in progress constituted a very serious fault.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Miller Huggins, manager of the Yankees, is authority for the statement that the much rumored deal which would send Meusel, Ward and Hoyt to the White Sox in exchange for Eddie Collins, Bibb Falk and another Chicago player, is "still on."

Leaving for Cincinnati yesterday to spend the holidays, Huggins said there still was hope that an agreement might be reached between the Yankees and the White Sox which would result in the triple exchange. He also said there were indications that the deal by which Jake May, the young pitcher of the Vernon club of the Pacific coast league would come to the Yankees might be completed before the new year.

### SPORT BRIEFS

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—The Gonzaga university's football team which will meet the University of West Virginia eleven at San Diego Christmas day will stop off at Los Angeles Thursday for a workout at Harvard field. University of Southern California, it was announced.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—The University of Southern California football team which will meet the Penn State eleven at Pasadena New Year's day in the annual east vs. west contest, is rapidly rounding into shape for the fray, according to Coach Elmer C. Henderson.

The men are playing together better than at any time this season and their individual playing has improved since their last contest, Henderson said. Several are improving as kickers and passers.

SEATTLE, Dec. 19.—J. H. Bohler, director of athletics at Washington State college has asked the University of Washington to send a four man boxing team along to a wrestling meet scheduled at Pullman, March 5. Jimmy Arbutnot, boxing instructor at Washington asked State to bring a four man team here for a boxing meet February 16 but Bohler thought fistic too young an intercollegiate sport to stand alone.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 19.—Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion will box six two minute rounds tonight in an exhibition to be held under the auspices of the Milwaukie boxing commission, his opponents being Jim Gordon, a 135 pound boxer and an unnamed giant from Tillamook, Ore. Three regular ten rounds bouts by boxers will be given on the same bill.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Dec. 19.—The Pennsylvania State college football team was scheduled to leave here this afternoon for Chicago on the first lap of its journey to Pasadena, Cal., where the Nittany Lions meet the University of Southern California on New Year's day. About thirty men will make the trip.

JEFFERSON CITY—"Irish" Johnny Curtin, Jersey City bantam won the newspaper decision over Midget Smith.

NEWARK, N. J.—Mickey Walker, welterweight champion, outpointed Phil Krug in 12 rounds.

CHICAGO—It was reported Johnny Evers of the Chicago Americans has decided to accept an offer of a deputy commissionership in the New York State Athletic commission.

Ice Jam Halts Water.

EVERETT, Wash., Dec. 19.—An ice jam in the Sultan river, source of this city's water supply, has completely blocked the intake pipe. Reservoirs at present hold about five days supply and it is expected that with careful use this will last until the line can be re-opened. A crew of men left last night for the Sultan country to endeavor to break the blockade.

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