

STEAMER HITS REEF, AGROUND

Eleven Passengers, Crew Safe in Cordova, Alaska

CORDOVA, Alaska, Dec. 12. (U.P.)—Eleven passengers and the crew of the steamer Starr had landed safely tonight while three large fishing vessels and a steamer were proceeding at full speed to aid the ship, which went aground early today.

The Starr sent out its first SOS call at 8 a. m. today and continued to call for help all day long. Evidently its operator could not hear other stations which were trying to tell him the fishing boats and the steamer Alameda were proceeding to its assistance.

Heavy gales yesterday and today carried away the main mast and wrecked the radio room of the Starr and forced it aground on the southern part of Dark Island near Kodiak. The vessel was covered with ice. Its propeller was disabled striking against a reef.

Hoover Party Views Scenes

ABOARD HOOVER SPECIAL TRAIN, Dec. 12. (U.P.)—President-elect Hoover, his wife and their son Allan crossed the snow-capped Andes mountains today, on their way to Buenos Aires, and stood in amazement at the scenes of beauty they saw as their luxurious coach was drawn between the majestic peaks.

Beautiful Lake Inca, Mt. Agnangay, the loftiest peak in the western hemisphere, and, in the distance, the crest of the Cordillera range, could be seen.

Soldiers Guard Hoover's Train

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archists. They planned to prevent a recurrence of anti-American demonstrations that followed the executions in the United States of the radicals Sacco and Vanzetti.

Manuel Scarzo, alleged radical arrested in connection with the plot against Hoover, confessed to police. It was learned tonight that he had planned to place a bomb along the route of Hoover's train as it approached Buenos Aires.

The bomb, police said, was to have been placed today.

Scarzo was quoted by police as saying:

"Though I am arrested, there will be others who will carry out my plans."

Map, Bombs, Guns

Descending upon a rooming house in the suburbs of Belgrano, the secret police went to the room of Manuel Scarzo, identified as a radical. They found a railway map of Argentina with a pencilled line along the route Hoover was to follow from Mendoza, on the eastern slope of the Andes, across the wide Argentine pampas.

In corners of the room, scattered, they found several bombs, pistols, a supply of ammunition and counterfeit notes.

To Arrive Tonight

As the police searched, two young women, both under 18, entered the room. One was Scarzo's sister, the other his fiancée. They protested amazement at Scarzo's activities, but in their handbags, police said, were supplies of anarchist literature. All three were arrested.

Hoover is due here Thursday evening. By that time, it is assured, every known radical in the city will be under arrest or under close surveillance.

Two Operations on King Successful

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tors and members of this closely-knit royal family, that upon the second operation might hinge the king's life.

King George came through it with great fortitude. His strength encouraged everyone, and at the moment there is the strongest tone of optimism in all statements, official and unofficial, emanating from the palace.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. (U.P.)—Prince George of Windsor, the youngest son of King George of England, sped towards New York tonight aboard H. S. S. Durban, from Bermuda, enroute to the bedside of his father.

He is expected here about noon Friday and will leave Friday night for England aboard the White Star liner Berengaria.

ANTS WORRY BANK

ELMER, Mo., Dec. 12.—White ants are undermining the Exchange Bank Building here. Wooden portions of the floor and foundation are being devoured by them. So far, efforts to dislodge them have been futile.



THE LAST DAY OF MASCALL. Sicilian town that was destroyed completely as historic Pampel, was taken. Sweeping down from the crater of Mount Etna, the boiling torrent is overwhelming the city, crushing buildings and covering the debris in its advance. In the background is the Mascall church; in the foreground at the right is the Fascist headquarters, soon to fall before the lava flood.

Open House for Members Friday

With W. E. Lamm of the Lamm Lumber company presiding as chairman, the second open house of the Reames Golf and Country club will be held Friday evening, when a novel entertainment will be held.

Clever stunts by various members besides several hours of dancing are among the program features for the evening. This "open house" gathering is held the second Friday of each month. Last month G. A. Krause presided as host.

JULIAN MAN NAMED

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12. (U.P.)—Jacob Herman, one of the central figures in the Julius Petroleum corporation collapse, was named in a federal income tax return again today.



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PEOPLE WARNED TO SHUN FLU

Public Health Officials Report 40,860 Cases in United States

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12. (U.P.)—The influenza epidemic which is sweeping eastward across the country should place everyone on guard against contact with persons having the germ, a public health official warned today.

Public health reports which officials estimated accounted for perhaps only a fifth of the actual number of cases showed 40,860 new cases through the country during the week of December 8. Influenza was most prevalent in the states reporting new cases as follows: California, 10,296; South Carolina, 5,145; Colorado, 1,976; Georgia, 890; Nebraska, 261; Virginia, 350.

Huge Wolf Again Ranges in Sycan

Showing contempt for all man-made devices to catch or poison him, a successor to the famous white wolf of the Sycan, which surely tried the patience of trappers before it was caught last winter, has appeared in the Sycan valley in northern Klamath county, and once more the chase after a lone mammoth wolf has commenced.

Unlike his predecessor, the beast is not white, but of a light gray, according to Harlan H. Gubser, trapper for the biological survey, who told yesterday of the wolf's appearance, saying he has displayed all the cunning of his race.

From the size of its tracks and the length of its step, it is believed the animal is a Cascade timber wolf which weighs between 90 and 110 pounds. So far it has not preyed on any livestock, but ranchers are fearful when food becomes scarce this winter it will commence its ravages among the cattle.

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Trees Provided For Poor Homes

At least the poor families of the city need not spend a Christmas without the added cheer of the customary tree, for the Veterans of Foreign Wars have brought in a large supply from the forest, and will give one free to anyone unable to purchase a tree.

Trees may be procured by calling W. J. Macleas of Shaw-Mac-Rea at phone 602, or Gus Dunn's jewelry store, phone 1303-W. Merchants or citizens may purchase trees from the vets at all prices. Money secured from the tree sale will be added to the fund for establishing a vets' drum corps in 1929.

Police, Firemen Plan City's Tree

Every kiddie in the city will get a treat on Christmas eve at the community Christmas tree which the policemen and firemen will erect in front of the city hall the first of next week.

The magnificent evergreen will be lighted by Copco, free of charge. They will arrange colored lights and decorate the tree. A ton of Christmas candy, three-quarters of a ton of nuts, and 4,000 popcorn balls have been purchased to fill the Christmas stockings which will be given the kiddies.

Friday night at the Winter Garden the firemen and policemen will be sponsors of a dance to raise funds to help defray the expenses connected with the tree for the kiddies. Jack Bowring and his orchestra will play. Tickets may be purchased from a policeman, a fireman, or at the door.

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Officers Elected By Eastern Star, Carnival Friday

Elections Tuesday evening revealed that Mrs. F. Hill Hunter will be worthy matron of Aloha chapter of Eastern Star for 1929. Other officers to serve with Mrs. Hunter will be:

Frank Ira White, worthy patron; Mrs. E. H. Halper, association matron; Mrs. Dolle Virgil, secretary; Mrs. Mollie Helling, treasurer; Mrs. George T. Casper, conductress; Mrs. J. I. Board, associate conductress; Mrs. L. F. Willits, Mrs. Frank Ward, Mrs. Marion Hanks, trustees. Installation will take place at a meeting January 3.

Another social evening which will be enjoyed by members of the Masons, Eastern Star, their families and friends will be held Friday when a carnival will be sponsored by the Eastern Star Social club. Besides fortune telling, wild animals and other novel

stunts, there will be dancing. Mrs. Oscar Perston is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

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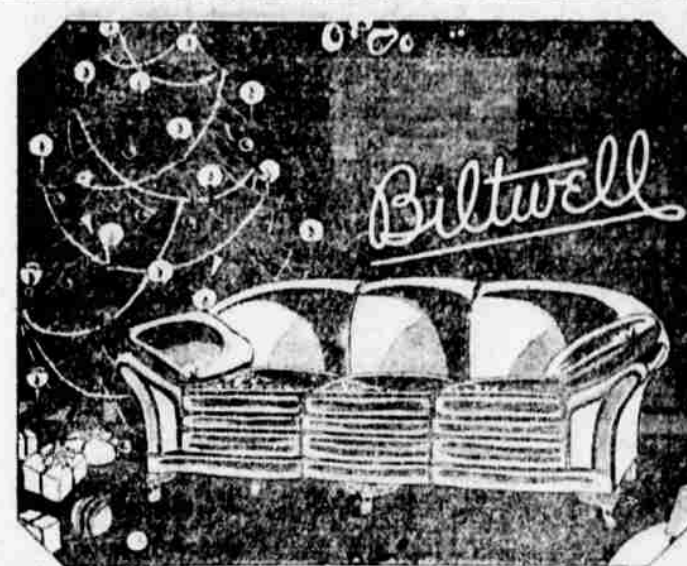
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