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CORPSES OF 21 ARE WASHED ASHORE AND REVEAL SHIP'S FATE

John McGean, Finest Freighter on Great Lakes, lost in Sunday's Storm, It Is Learned-- Crew of 28 and Possibly 12 Passengers Victims of Disaster--Three Score Bodies So Far Been Found on Great Lakes and Every Hour Adds to Long List of Fatalities in Blizzard.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Detroit, Mich., Nov. 13.—That the big steamship John McGean, the finest freighter on the Great Lakes, was lost with all on board Sunday or Monday, seemed certain today when the corpses of 21 of her crew were washed up near Port Huron, Mich., and along the Canada shore.

foot in the beam. It was built in 1908, was well equipped and in every respect a most seaworthy craft. Captain C. R. Nye of Cleveland was in command and Calvin Smith, a well known lake man, was chief engineer.

GOVERNMENT RECOGNIZES DOCKYARD MEN'S UNION

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] London, Nov. 13.—The labor organizations of England today are jubilant over the success of their long campaign to secure government recognition of the dockyard men's union, and they are now planning to obtain similar concessions in other trades.

The ship passed Port Huron at 2:10 Sunday morning and has not been heard from since.

SHARP DECLINE IN STOCKS MARKS OPENING TODAY

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] New York, Nov. 13.—A sharp decline in stocks marked the opening of the market today. Under a heavy pressure, steel dropped nearly a point on the opening sale of 3000 shares.

MURDERER SPENCER IS BLUFFED BY GIRL WHEN HE INTERRUPTS

Shakes Her Finger in His Face and Tells Him to Keep Mouth Shut.

HE OBEYS HER ORDERS

Has Nothing to Say During Rest of Time Pretty Young Woman Gives Her Evidence.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Wheaton, Ill., Nov. 13.—Miss Nina Anderson, five feet tall and pretty, was the principal witness today at the trial of Henry Spencer for the murder of Mrs. Mildred Allison-Broxton. Spencer attempted to abuse Miss Anderson in the same way that he has shouted at Judge Slusser and his own counsel, but met his match.

ATTORNEYS FOR HANSEL APPEAR AND GIVE THEIR DEFENSE

Attorney Mullins and Norblad, of Astoria, who defended Hansel in his trial for the murder of Judge Taylor at Astoria last September, were in the city this morning and were closeted with the governor for some time, presenting their side of the matter of a mortgage and deed said to have been made to them by Hansel and the execution of which he denied.

WILL NOT MOLEST ANY OTHER BUSINESS NOW CARRIED ON IN SALEM

Secretary Anti-Saloon League Denies Rumors as to Program.

AFTER SALOONS ONLY

Billiard Halls, Theatres, Clubs and Other Lines Will Not Be Bothered by Dry Forces.

W. H. Trindle, secretary of the anti-saloon league in this city, stated today that there has been rumors spread about in Salem to the effect that the anti-saloon people will take action toward closing the billiard halls and moving picture shows in the city.

CLUBS NOT MOLESTED

"These rumors to the effect the dry people of Salem are going to shut down everything are false. I believe they are originating from the wets. We do not intend to in any manner interfere with the different clubs in the city, and insofar as other business is concerned, we have no interest in them other than to see them progress and thrive hereafter the same as they have been doing heretofore.

CURRENCY BILL IS SOON TO REACH VOTE POMERENE DECLARES

Senator Tells President Wilson Committee Will Report Saturday.

ONE DEMOCRAT BALKS

Hitchcock Is Only Party Member of Committee Who Will Not Endorse Wilson's Measure.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Washington, Nov. 13.—The senate banking and currency committee resumed consideration of the currency bill today. It was expected that the measure would reach the senate some time next week.

'CONS' PLAY OLDTIMERS

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 13.—A baseball game between a team made up of Ohio State penitentiary convicts and the old time players of baseball was the feature of today's program at the annual meeting of the National association of professional baseball leagues in session here since Tuesday.

HUERTA IS NEARING END

President's Envoy Returns to Vera Cruz and Sends Long Message to Washington--Carranza's Conference With Hale Made Subject of Long Report to Bryan, But He Refuses to Divulge Contents--Refugees Are Taken on Board Battleship Louisiana From Tuxpam--Hopeful Huerta Will Quit.

BY JOHN EDWIN NEVIN.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Washington, Nov. 13.—The administration did not believe a Mexican crisis imminent today.

including the American consul's daughter, had been taken on board the battleship Louisiana at Tuxpam, but that there had as yet been no general attack on the town by the rebels.

POLICY REPORT NOT CONFIRMED

Washington, Nov. 13.—The administration did not confirm the outline of President Wilson's Mexican policy called to the London Times by its Washington correspondent and then cabled back to this country last night.

The Times did not say specifically that its correspondent secured his news from an administration source, but only that "our Washington correspondent is able to announce what that policy is."

WILD RUMORS CURRENT

Mexico City, Nov. 13.—Following the departure of John Lind, President Wilson's representative, for Vera Cruz, the wildest rumors were current here today.

One story was that the American charge d'affaires sent the embassy staff would follow Lind, all relations between the Mexican and the United States being broken off.

POWERS APPROVE

The administration was keeping the powers informed concerning all Mexican developments. It was said at the state department that all of them unqualifiedly approve of America's course.

WELL INFORMED OBSERVES SAID THE SITUATION

dozen or more members, and demanded an early hearing.

United States Far Behind in Its Laws For Those Who Toil

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Seattle, Wash., Nov. 13.—After listening to an address on the workmen's compensation act by John H. Wallace, of the Washington state insurance commission, treating of an invitation to hold the 1915 convention in San Francisco and routine business, the American Federation of Labor convention adjourned today until tomorrow.

The keynote of the exposition will be social service, Caldwell said. There will be exhibits on the regulation of factories and mines; on women and child labor; on organized labor; on organized employers; statistics will be shown covering wages and the cost of living, industrial disputes, accidents, workmen's compensation, welfare welfare work, co-operative institutions, recreation, and public institutions.

HAS HOFER AN AX TO GRIND?

In a speech at the Commercial club meeting last night, E. Hofer went on record as favoring a million dollar issuance of city bonds. Why does Mr. Hofer want the city plunged deeper into debt, in addition to the already big indebtedness? Has Mr. Hofer an ax to grind? Is it possible that he wants

to bring water into Salem from the Santiam? Is the report true that Mr. Hofer already has an option on a water site on the Santiam, and is generous-hearted enough to be willing to supply the city of Salem with water? The Capital Journal doesn't know, but will endeavor to find out and inform its readers.

Calls Wilson's Big Roast at Seattle Political Buncombe

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Calumet, Mich., Nov. 13.—Of Secretary Wilson's Seattle speech before the American Federation of Labor condemning the policy of the copper mining companies of Michigan in the copper strike, general Manager James McNaughton, of the Calumet and Hecla Mining Company, said in part:

A man of Mr. Wilson's position should be above it.

SAYS JAPAN IS FERTILE FIELD FOR MISSIONARIES

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Boston, Nov. 13.—In an address before the missionary conference of the American Unitarian association here today Emeritus President Eliot, of Harvard, recommended Japan as a fertile field for the mission work of the denomination, which already has some missionaries there.

"The people of Japan," said he, "are giving serious consideration to a religion which means righteousness in the conduct of life. It is for us to go to them in answer to their questions as to what religion supplies the right motive for everyday living."

The Weather

The Dickey Bird says: Oregon: Fair tonight and Friday; northerly winds.

MODERN METHODS NEEDED

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Benton Harbor, Michigan, Nov. 13.—Make the Sunday school more attractive was the plea made today by speakers at the annual convention of the Michigan State Sunday School association which opened yesterday.

Buy now, before the stock is broken--you are also sure of better attention--only 34 shopping days until Christmas.