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ENGINEER'S HEROIC WORK IN HOT HOLD SAVES MANY LIVES AT SEA

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Sept. 16.—Chief Engineer Martland, hero of the burning of the steamer Congress, who, overcome by smoke and heat, went back to his boilers and kept the ill-fated vessel at "full speed ahead" until she had reached a point of safety and could go no farther, will arrive in Seattle early next week with the charred hull of the big liner.

But for Martland's dogged bravery the Congress might have been the funeral pyre of 423 men, women and children. Martland is in a hospital at North Bend, recovering from the effects of the scorching fumes he inhaled during the race with death.

Captain Flinn's Race
When the first flames were discovered and it was realized they were beyond control, Capt. E. N. Cousins, from the bridge, gave Martland the signal that started the Congress leaping thru the long rollers eight miles out from Coos bay.

Smoke shrouded the ship, and intense heat coming from below, began to crack and warp her decks. One by one men from the boiler room staggered up the companionway, gasping for breath.

As each appeared Capt. Cousins signalled another order for "full speed ahead" and the steady chug-chug of the propellers gave assurance that Martland was still there.

Woman's Feet Hot
Suddenly Mrs. Margaret Reig, a passenger, of New Orleans, who had been standing on the deck with the other frightened guests of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., cried out: "My feet! My feet! They're burning!"

Her soles were blistered. The deck had become a griddle.

Still the engine's pulse was beating. Martland was still at his post. "Madam," shouted Capt. Cousins, "there is no danger. You will all be landed safely."

Another man burst out of the hold-pot below.

"Martland has disappeared!" he cried. "Another man has been overcome!"

Capt. Cousins set his jaws. "Find Martland and keep full speed ahead!" he yelled thru the smoke.

Martland was found, choking and dazed, almost unconscious. Hounding himself, he staggered back to the engines.

At that moment a cry of gladness went up on deck.

"Thank God!" sobbed a woman, clutching her baby tighter in her arms.

The dredge Col. P. S. Michie had been sighted.

She gave four blasts of her whistle.

Capt. Cousins answered, but the third replying blast was little more than a sobbing wheeze. The flames had reached the boilers.

Carry Him Out
Martland fell to the floor of the engine room, where they found him and carried him out.

On the bridge he half recovered. "Can't go much farther," he cried out, staggering back toward the engine room.

"Stay right here, Martland," said Capt. Cousins. "We're safe. Here comes a boat."

The work of the rescue was rapidly dispatched, women and children being sent into the first boats.

Martland was taken to North Bend.

Together with Capt. John F. Blain, assistant manager of the steamship company, he will leave North Bend Sunday with the Congress' hull.

The hull will be drydocked in Seattle and the vessel rebuilt.

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BRITISH SCORE MORE BIG GAINS

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bombs men fought like demons with bayonets and grenades in the shell torn country between the roads leading down upon Baupenne.

German Losses Frightful
When the last dispatches were received, Haig's men were rolling steadily down the slopes leading to Baupenne, but German resistance was growing more stubborn as the British advanced out of the area wrecked by their artillery. At that hour the villages of Courcellette, Martinpuich and Fiers were firmly in British hands.

The German losses are said to have been frightful, especially in the Boislaux wood fighting, where the German resistance was most desperate. In the first advance into the center of the wood Gen. Haig's men found heaps of German bodies.

Smash Third Line Trenches
The British gains of yesterday linked up with the great French advance earlier in the day, completed the task of smashing completely the entire first three lines of German positions on practically the whole Somme front under attack.

Only at Thiepval, where marvellously constructed German works had delayed the British advance, do the Germans still cling to their third lines. Thiepval was outflanked by the British, who captured Courcellette yesterday afternoon, and its capture in the next advance by the British left wing appears certain.

News of the British successes, coupled with the allies' great gains in the Balkans and the resumption of the Italian drive in Trieste, has aroused the London public to a high pitch of enthusiasm.

Armored Cars Play Havoc
How large a part the new armored motor cars are playing in the present British advance is not yet known, but military critics believe this new war terror has wrought havoc among the Germans. Dubbed the "Willies" by the British Tommies, the new cars present a terrifying appearance when going

KAISER'S TOLD OF A VICTORY

BERLIN, via Wireless to Sayville, L. I., Sept. 16.—Emperor William telegraphed the empress last night that the troops of the central powers have inflicted a severe defeat on the Russo-Rumanians.

"Field Marshal Mackenzen has just sent me a communication that the Bulgarian, Turkish and German troops have obtained a decisive victory over the Rumanian and Russian troops," wired the kaiser.

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The sealed message left Plymouth Monday noon, and was sent to test the ability of auto relays.

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WILL OPEN NEW WATER ROUTE

ALBANY, Sept. 16.—Thru navigation via the New York barge canal is being planned for spring by State Engineer Frank Williams from Oswego to Lake Ontario and the Hudson river.

Williams is investigating today to get an idea of the cost. It was expected that the United States government would help in this work, but there is no present indication that it will.

PRESIDENT'S SISTER DIES PEACEFULLY

NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 15.—Mrs. Annie E. Howe, only sister of President Wilson, died here at 6:40 a. m. today.

Joseph Wilson, brother of the president, and Mrs. Howe's sons, Wilson and George; her daughter, Mrs. Cothran, and Miss Margaret Wilson, were at the bedside when the end came. Mrs. Howe died peacefully.

President Wilson was immediately notified. Information here soon after Mrs. Howe's death was that the president will not come to New London. The body will be sent to South Carolina for burial, and the president and Mrs. Wilson will accompany the funeral party.

Since the president was here, early this week, Mrs. Howe has been under the influence of opiates. She had few lucid intervals. Death was due to peritonitis and attendant complications.

During the last few days a Christian Science practitioner was with Mrs. Howe often, but it is understood to have visited her as a friend, and not professionally.

Mrs. Howe was born in Virginia, and, like her brother, was educated there. She has two sons, William Howe, of Princeton, a suburb of Ewarthmore, Pa., connected with the Pennsylvania railroad, and Dr. Geo. Howe, a professor at the University of North Carolina, and a daughter, Mrs. Cothran, of Raleigh, N. C.

LINER CONGRESS IS SKELETON SHIP

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Sept. 16.—Capt. Cousins and his officers today went aboard the shell of the burned liner Congress and found nothing left of the luxurious floating hotel but a blackened steel hulk, filled with twisted debris. Funnels and masts still stood. Boilers and engines are believed ruined.

The tug Oneonta will arrive from Portland today to take the Congress in tow for Seattle.

If the sea is calm the trip may be safely made. At present the skeleton of the liner rides high with a sharp list, caused by steel wreckage sliding to one side.

WILSON CANCELS ST. LOUIS SPEECH

ASHBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 16.—President Wilson today canceled his engagement to address the National Life Insurance Underwriters, at St. Louis, Sept. 20, following receipt of news of the death of his sister, Mrs. Annie E. Howe, at New London.

His engagements for Monday and Tuesday of next week also were canceled. The president asked Secretary of War Baker to speak for him at St. Louis.

CITIZEN SOLDIERS BLAST OWN BRIDGE

Citizen soldiers at Fort Lawton, in their hasty retreat Friday from an imaginary enemy, dynamited a spar bridge, and the roar and shock caused citizens in Ballard and other near-by communities to make inquiries. They believed the powder magazine at the fort had exploded.

The construction of the bridge was part of the day's instruction.

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BULGARS FLEEING

SALONIKA, Sept. 16.—Victorious Serbian troops are driving the defeated Bulgars in disorderly retreat toward the Serbo-Greek frontier, in the direction of the Serbian town of Monastir, said a Serbian official statement here today.

The Bulgarian losses are enormous, one regiment losing 1,500 men.

BANK CALL ISSUED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of national banks at the close of business Sept. 12.

HURL GERMANS BACK

PARIS, Sept. 16.—German attacks both north and south of the Somme were repulsed by the French last night, it was officially announced today.

LELAND R. HENDRICKS, managing editor of the Oregon Statesman, is believed to have lost his life Friday in the Willamette river.

BLAST KILLS 4

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 16.—From four to ten were killed and others were badly injured in an explosion that wrecked the ammonia crystallizing plant of the Actna Chemical company at Oakdale at midnight. Officials early today admitted loss of four lives.

IT COST JOHNSON \$1,440 TO GET PLUM

OLYMPIA, Sept. 16.—Expense accounts for campaign expenditures, which are being received by Secretary of State Howell, show that J. G. Lewis, of Aberdeen, defeated for the nomination of governor, spent \$1,434.28.

Albert Johnson, nominated in the Third district, spent \$1,440.96, while Ethel Barker, Walla Walla, defeated for nomination for the four-year term on the supreme bench, spent \$653.75.

Clark Savidge, unopposed for land commissioner, spent \$30, while H. O. Flashback spent \$100.64 to succeed himself.

BRITISH ATTACKING BULGARIAN FORCES

SALONIKA, Sept. 16.—British troops have crossed the River Struma and are attacking the Bulgarians at Dzumaluk, Komaja and village along the upper and lower Gudell, it was officially announced today. Artillery duels are going on along the Doiran front.

ZAIMIS STEPS DOWN

LONDON, Sept. 16.—Premier Zaimis has finally declined to attempt to reform the Greek cabinet and has suggested to King Constantine that ex-Premier Venizelos, leader of the pro-war party, be invited to head the new ministry, said an Athens dispatch to the Evening Star today.

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PASTOR CLEARED IN PINK LETTER CASE



REV. J. D. DARLING

Investigation into the sources of love letters written on pink paper, it was charged, to Darling by two Cincinnati girls, exonerated the Wharton (Ohio) minister and former secretary of the Ohio Letters School association. The letters had been produced at the West Ohio Methodist Episcopal conference at Lima, Ohio.

WILD FOREIGNER IS FOUND INSANE

George Yakich, the foreigner who ran amuck and "beamed" three men recently at the "Battle of the Marne," at Second and Union, was adjudged insane by a sanity commission in Judge Dykeman's department Friday. He will probably be sent to Stellacom.

M'DONALD MILL HAS SMALL FIRE

Damages amounting to \$550 resulted from a fire that broke out in the dry kiln of the McDonald mill at 14th ave. N. W. and 45th st. W. at 11:30 p. m. Friday night.

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