

PASSENGER STEAMER LOST

HUNDRED DROWN IN SINKING SHIP

PARIS, Feb. 11.—Fournier's news agency this afternoon issued a statement declaring that 100 persons were lost in the wreck of the steamer General Chanzy off the coast of Majorca island.

PALMA, Majorca, Feb. 11.—The French transatlantic liner General Chanzy, which sailed from Marseilles last Wednesday with a heavy cargo and a large number of passengers, is a total wreck off the northeast coast of this island and it is feared that many lives have been lost.

MEYER'S OBJECTIONS KNOCKS OUT PEARY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The motion of Peary to the rank of rear admiral would be an injustice to the line officers of the navy.

MONEY FOR PACIFIC HARBORS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—It was expected today that the rivers and harbors bill would be reported to the house for action late this afternoon.

HER TRUNKS HELD FOR \$1200 DUTY

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11.—After paying a fine of \$1200 to the local customs house, Mrs. Price, wife of a Chicago millionaire, is preparing to leave for Chicago today.

DEATH FOLLOWS SUDDEN FORTUNE

PASADENA, Cal., Feb. 11.—Mrs. Julia A. Fletcher Bernard, who two months ago fell heir to \$3,000,000 bequeathed her by her father, died of heart failure today.

NAVAL OFFICERS ARE GUILTY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Paymaster George P. Auld and Past Assistant Surgeon Robnett, two central figures in the Boston navy yard scandal, were found guilty of conduct unbecoming officers in their assault on Dr. Cowles in the recent court-martial, according to an official statement made public this afternoon.

STATE OPENS IN FLYNN TRIAL

MARTIN BURNS, CHIEF OF DETECTIVES, FIRST WITNESS FOR THE STATE.

TRY TO INVOLVE MOORE

COLORADO JUROR SITS ON CASE OF WHITE WOMAN DEFENDANT.

With the examination of Chief of Detectives Martin J. Burns, the introduction of a circular letter issued by the national organization of the socialists in an effort to involve Fred Moore, attorney for the defendants, in the case and the reading of numerous articles from the Industrial Worker of the World, the first day's hearing of testimony in the effort to convict the girl leader of the I. W. W. of conspiracy in connection with the street speaking fight in Spokane was begun this morning.

Prosecuting Attorney Fred C. Pugh in his opening statement said that the state would show by telegrams, admissions of members of the I. W. W. and matter published in their official paper, suppressed by the police during the recent struggle, that the defendants, Miss Flynn and C. L. Filigno, being jointly tried with her, conspired to break the ordinances of the city of Spokane.

BALLINGER HEARING AGAIN MONDAY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The congressional committee investigating the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy, met here today in a brief executive session, and then adjourned until next Monday.

ANOTHER MATCH FOR LANGFORD

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11.—En route to Cheyenne, where he will clash with Nat Dewey on Washington's "Bone Crusher" Sam Langford arrived here from Los Angeles today.

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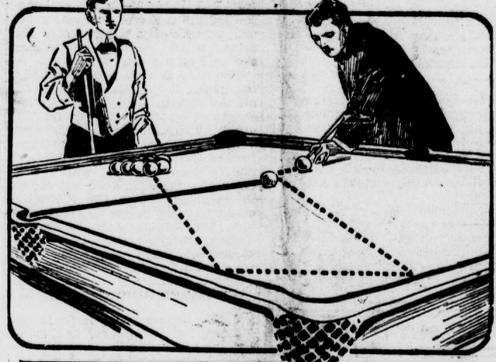
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The balk line revolutionized billiards and the new "open break" is apt to work great improvements in continuous pool. The "open break" is the child of Tom Hueston, the youthful pool champion.

LOAN SHARKS HUNT VICTIMS AMONG THE UNFORTUNATE

Who are the prey of the loan shark? Where does he seek his recruits for his army of debtors? Always among the homes where a dollar has the value of its whole hundred cents.

NIGHT BULLETINS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The senate today confirmed the nomination of R. A. Kellar to be postmaster at Kettle Falls, Wash.

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A DAYLIGHT BANK HOLDUP

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WHEAT STRONGER

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HARDSHIPS OF SPOKANE LAUNDRY GIRL WORKERS TOLD BY WOMAN WRITER OF THE PRESS

Long Hours at Incessant Hard Toil and Low Wages the Lot of These Young Women—Para Dalton Glad When Her Morning's Labor Was Over.

BY PARA DALTON. "If you want to really know something about laundry work, call at the Crystal Laundry, 6701 Howard street, and see girls, 16 and 18

years old, working from 7 in the morning until late at night with 1 1/2 pay for overtime. The hours are supposed to be from 7 a. m. to 12 noon and from 12:30 to 5:30 in the summer and 5 in the winter, but whether or not a girl feels able to continue her work she must stay over hours at 1 1/2 price if a certain amount of work is required at the close of the day.

A morning or two later another letter came in my mail from a club woman. She was indignant. She had visited the home of a young girl who was dying with consumption. This young girl had worked long hours in a laundry, at a minimum wage, and necessity had kept her at it even after the dread white plague seized her. The club woman begged me to visit the laundries and see for myself the hardships the laundry girls endure.

While slightly under the influence of grape juice last night, C. H. Edleman engaged in a scuffle in front of the Dreamland moving picture theater, and fell through a pane of glass. A hurly call was sent in to police headquarters by the theater management, and Edleman was taken to jail. He offered to pay for the broken glass, but the police thought he needed a little treatment of Chief Sullivan's Kelsey cure, so they locked him up.

who looked as if the blast of hot steam laden air would blow her away. "They said we would get off early tonight," said the woman at my table. "It's about time. All last week we worked until late, and Saturday until 10:30 at night."

afterward, their work was again begun. Think of these women working at the mangles for \$1.35 a day. The ironers are paid a percentage of 25 cents on the dollar, and most girls in this position can't make good because it requires a great deal of strength and long hours to earn a reasonable salary.

The wage paid is probably fairly proportioned to the quality of the work, but bears no relation whatever to the quantity. The work was incessant and ab weary at the very highest possible pressure.

The fingers fairly leaped to their unpeeling task, while the outraged muscles ached and throbbled in unrequited protest. When the steam and heat seemed about to suffocate the entire room.

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