

VOLTURNO CAPTAIN EMBARRASSED BY PRAISE ACCORDED

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Captain Francis Inch of the lost steamship Volturno seemed rather embarrassed than gratified today by the praise showered on him for his conduct during the burning of his vessel.

Questioned concerning the disaster, all he could be persuaded to do was to hug his dog, Jack, and answer with the baldest and most unvarnished narrative. His eyes, which suffered severely from the heat and the glare of the fire, are still troubling him, but his physicians said they were confident his sight would not be impaired permanently.

The captain was preparing his report today to the Uranium steamship company, which operated the Volturno. It will embody a compactly written account of the ship's loss, with a tribute to the courage of the crew, a word for the excellent behavior of the passengers and an expression of the highest gratitude to the distressed company's rescuers.

Captain Inch denied absolutely the stories that there was cowardice displayed by any of his sailors; that the captains of the rescuing ships spared any risk or effort to save those on the Volturno, or that burned craft's lifesaving equipment was in any way defective.

Among the Volturno's survivors who, with Captain Inch, arrived here on the Kronland, were three nameless, orphaned babies, who will be adopted by rich New York families unless relatives claim them.

WILSON REQUESTS SPEED ON CURRENCY MEASURE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—President Wilson took a hand today in the situation in the senate banking committee, practically inquiring of Senators Hitchcock, Reed and O'Gorman, the only three democratic senators whose attitude has been a matter of debate to the administration, just what were the prospects for the currency legislation at the present session.

Later the president reiterated his confidence that the measure would pass the senate before the December session. He is determined, however, that his constant presence in Washington was required and cancelled the plan to witness tomorrow the target practice of the Atlantic fleet.

The three senators assured the president they favored as early a report as consistent with the careful study and amendment of the house bill. Senator Hitchcock said he saw no prospect for action at the present session though he believed the report from the committee could be obtained the first week of November.

The president is reported to have told the senators as long as the fundamentals of the house bill were retained he would not object to the changes in the bill. According to Senator Hitchcock the president does not desire the currency bill be made a partisan measure and would welcome republican support.

SHORTER ROAD BETWEEN MEDFORD AND ROSEBURG

ROSEBURG, Oct. 17.—Planning the shortening of the wagon road between Roseburg and Medford from 25 to 40 miles, Supervisor S. C. Bartrum is suggesting to the bureau at Washington a route up the South Umpqua and Elk creek to the Trail Creek divide. He asks that a survey of the route be made. A large part of the road would be in the national forest. Petitions from south Douglas county will probably be circulated this winter. This cut-off will be of greatest importance to automobilists, as miles of bad road will be cut out between here and Grants Pass, and only one divided will have to be crossed instead of two, as at present.

PRINCETON FOOTBALL SQUAD IN FINE FETTER

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 17.—The Princeton football squad was sent out this morning for light practice in preparation for tomorrow's game with Syracuse. All the regulars appeared to be in tiptop form. Hobey Baker dropkicked three goals in eight attempts from the fifty-yard line.

Died

ARMSTRONG—Died, at the Sacred Heart hospital, Thursday night, October 16, William C. Armstrong, aged 11 years and four months, son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Armstrong of 1120 East Eleventh street, following an operation performed a week ago for appendicitis. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon, October 18, at 2 o'clock from Weeks & McGowan chapel, Rev. Eldridge officiating. Interment I. O. O. F. cemetery.

SOCIETY MAN HELD IN MYSTERIOUS CASE



HERMANN OELRICHS

Miss Lucille Singleton, who was found in a wrecked automobile near Broadway, New York city, cut by glass from the broken windshield, it was supposed, stated to police detectives that she had not been cut by broken glass but that she had been stabbed.

She said that she had been riding with a man she knew as "Billy" Creighton, and the police declared that the wrecked automobile belonged to Hermann Oelrichs, well known in society.

Within a few hours after the young woman made this statement Mr. Oelrichs had been formally arrested on a charge of felonious assault. There is considerable mystery surrounding the entire case.

WOMAN FRAMED IN RITUAL MURDER CASE IN RUSSIA

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 17.—That Vera Cherbeyak "framed" the case against Mendel Bellis, on trial at Kiev, charged with murdering twelve year old Andrei Maschinsky in connection with an alleged Jewish religious ceremony, was the opinion expressed today by Julius Chorney, a Russian Jew who recently made his home here.

Chorney was the man who found the Maschinsky lad's body and was arrested with Bellis, spent six days in jail and was then released for lack of evidence against him.

Vera Cherbeyak did not like Bellis Chorney said, and, realizing that she could at the same time gratify her own malice and ingratiate herself with an official class which is bitterly anti-Jewish, he believed she manufactured all the evidence the government has been able to bring against the accused.

The woman was of bad character, was herself mentioned by several detectives who investigated the case as the head of a criminal gang which the detectives said they suspected of killing the boy, and was a witness for the prosecution at Bellis' trial.

That she was concerned in the killing, however, Chorney said he did not think likely. His view was that the boy was slain by some of his own relatives.

COUNCIL PERMITS USE OF T RAILS MEDFORD STREETS

Following a conference with S. S. Bullis, holder of the electric line franchise, the city council announced its approval of the T rail and decided upon cement paving, the same as on Geneva avenue, as the material to be used between the rails. The council took no vote on the rail question. Mr. Bullis made a long talk and submitted a report of the American railway engineers' society, in which the T rails were upheld, after which the city fathers agreed with him.

The Bullis' will begin at once the laying of rails, but are handicapped somewhat by the delay in the transportation of four cars of ties from Cottage Grove. Agent Rosenbaum of the S. P. has appealed to Portland traffic officials of the line to rush the cars.

Cars for the line will be shipped from the east November 15 and will reach Medford about the middle of December. The line will be in operation and the first car run over the line New Year's day, according to the present plans.

SULZER REMOVED AS GOVERNOR

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mansion just before 2 p. m., some time after Glynn had been sworn into office.

Forty-three to Twelve

The votes on the articles on which Sulzer was acquitted were unanimous. This cleared the way for the final vote on the question of removal. Justice Cullen had previously ruled that this issue must be balloted on ahead of the question of disqualification from future office-holding.

Except for Clerk McCabe's voice as he read name after name and for those of the members of the court as they responded, the chamber was profoundly silent while the vote was being taken. The result was a majority of 43 to 12 in favor of removal.

It was then decided not to deprive the ousted executive of his citizenship, and a sine-die adjournment was taken.

Retail clerks in Cincinnati, Ohio, are planning to make a determined fight for shorter hours, especially on Saturday, and a minimum wage.

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