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SURVIVORS ON THE CARPATHIA ARE IGNORANT OF THE FATE OF THE TITANIC

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TRAGEDY OF SEA STILL UNFOLDED

Carpathia Has Not Yet Given Story of Sinking of Titanic.

A CENSORSHIP ON VESSEL

Only Meager News Is Flashed from Wireless Station on Ship.
John Jacob Astor Not Aboard.

Associated Press Special.

New York, April 18.—A wireless communication from the Cunarder Carpathia says that John Jacob Astor is not aboard that ship. All hope of their possible rescue has also been abandoned for Isidor Strauss, Benjamin Guggenheim, Major Archibald Butt, Henry B. Harris, Charles M. Hays, William T. Stead, George D. Widener, and many other notables.

It is beginning to appear that, in spite of the calls for information as to details of the sinking of the Titanic, a strict censorship as to news sent out is being exercised on the Carpathia. Up to this forenoon not one inkling of the secret of what transpired in the Titanic's sinking has been sent by the Carpathia's operator, although for hours the ship has been impounded by wireless for such information, and to enable the giving of the story to an anxious world every possible arrangement has been made by the several wireless stations in the range to handle such a report as preferred matter.

It is now announced that the Carpathia carries thirteen life boats that belonged to the Titanic and in which those of her passengers to escape a watery grave were saved. It has heretofore been supposed that the liner carried twenty boats.

Through the Cunarder Franconia, which late yesterday established wireless communication with the rescue ship, came a message which included this statement: "She has a total of 705 survivors aboard."

Previous statements from the Carpathia have been that she carried 848 survivors. It may be that the report received through the Franconia included a count of rescued passengers only, disregarding the 100 or more members of the crew of the sunken liner who must have been in the boats which the Carpathia picked up.

The roll of saved from the Titanic disaster now seems complete. Practically every attending circumstance in the transmission of news from the rescue ship goes to show that only 328 of the 610 cabin passengers who sailed on the Titanic are safe on the Carpathia. The 282 cabin passengers whose names have not appeared in the lists sent ashore by wireless must probably be conceded as among the 1,312 lives which the collision of the mammoth new steamer with an iceberg off the New Foundland banks Sunday night is believed to have taken.

The fact that one new name came through late yesterday in a private message from the Carpathia was the basis of what was a desire, more than a hope, that there were slips enough in her wireless lists to account for a few, at least, of those still unaccounted for. At the best, however, it appeared that it could be only an occasional one whose safety had not been reported thru some error of compilation on the liner or in wireless transmission.

The Carpathia is expected to dock here some time tonight, when the true story of the terrible disaster will be known and the list of those saved will be learned in full.

As the morning progressed the Carpathia continued to studiously avoid answering all queries for particulars as to the sinking of the Titanic, even President Taft's request for information being ignored.

The story of the sinking of the Titanic will, so it now seems, remain unknown until the Carpathia docks about one o'clock Friday morning. Private messages suggest that the survivors of the sunken ocean queen who are aboard the Carpathia are ignorant of the fate of the Titanic, many of the wives

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believing that their husbands were picked up by other vessels.

WORD PICTURES ASSURED.

World Will Know How Titanic Sank From Pen of Futrelle.

If the dispatch from London, including Jacques Futrelle, the novelist, among the Titanic survivors is true, the world may expect to receive an adequate story of the scene of the disaster, for Futrelle is a highly skilled newspaper man.

He is best known to readers of the Saturday Evening Post and other magazines as the author of interesting fiction, including "The Chase of the Golden Plate," "The Simple Case of Susan," "The Thinking Machine," and "The High Hand," which were published as serials and later in book form. Before becoming famous as a story writer he was a reporter and editor on metropolitan newspapers, including the New York Herald and the Hearst papers, and his ability to paint a word picture has been often tested on stories of world importance. Hence, if he is among the survivors and has not been injured or overcome by the horror of the catastrophe, it is to be expected that he will tell a story well worth reading.

Futrelle is a native of Georgia and makes his winter home in Atlanta and his summer home at Scituate, Mass., where he is a member of the literary colony that includes Will and Wallace Twiss, Rufus and Louis Haynes Gilmore and Celeste Burgess. Of late years he has made trips abroad each winter and he and Mrs. Futrelle were returning on the Titanic from an auto tour of Italy.

Mrs. Futrelle, whose name appeared in the first list of survivors, is also a writer of note. Her book, "Secretary of Frivolous Affairs," was one of the "best sellers" last year.

SENATE COMMITTEE TO MAKE INVESTIGATION.

J. Bruce Ismay Will Be One of the First Witnesses Summoned.

Associated Press Special.
Washington, April 18.—J. Bruce Ismay, president of the International Mercantile Marine company which controlled the Titanic, and who is among the rescued on the Carpathia, will be among the first witnesses summoned in the senate investigation of the disaster.

Senator Smith, of Michigan, was today appointed by the senate to take six senators to New York to procure witnesses.



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RESUME TRIAL OF REV. NORRIS

Taking of Testimony in Behalf of Defendant Is Continued.

NEW LINE OF ARGUMENT

A Number of Witnesses Testified that Separate Sheets Could Be Torn So Edges Would Fit.

Associated Press Special.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 18.—The taking of testimony in the Norris case was resumed when court convened this morning. The defense introduced several witnesses who declared that separate sheets of paper could be so torn that their edges would fit exactly.

The apparent purpose of this testimony is the intent of the defense to attack the state's evidence that the other half of one of the Norris anonymous letters, according to paper and fit of torn edges, was found in the pastor's coat pocket.

George Rozelle, a member of Norris' church, was placed on the witness stand by the defense. He told of seeing suspicious persons near the Norris home.

Rozelle was not allowed to testify as to whether Norris asked him to secure bloodhounds to track the personage incendiary.

REPLY NOT REGARDED AS BEING RESENTFUL

United States Takes Liberal View of Note Received from Mexican Government.

Associated Press Special.
Washington, April 18.—Mexico's reply to the United States' note of admonition demanding protection for Americans in Mexico, and which was received here last night, is not taken as being resentful, but rather as being intended to relieve the Mexican government of financial liability for damages done foreigners by the rebels.

The Mexican reply is not considered necessary as a further incentive to intervention.

SOUTH TEXAS NEGROES IN STATE OF TERROR

Labor Is Being Interfered with by Fears of the Mysterious and Deadly "Axeman."

Associated Press Special.

Houston, Texas, April 18.—South Texas negroes are terrorized by fears of the deadly and mysterious "axeman" to such an extent that labor is being interfered with. Several have been injured by terror stricken companions.

GUARANTY STATE BANK AT FAIRFIELD ROBBED

Yeggmen Blow the Safe and Escape With About \$4,000.—Bank Recently Organized.

Associated Press Special.

Fairfield, Texas, April 18.—The Guaranty State Bank of this place was blown and robbed last night. Officials say that from three to four thousand dollars was stolen. The bank was organized just a few days ago.

"Sinkiller's" Case with Jury.

The court's charge in the case of the state against "Sinkiller" Griffin, charged with forgery, was delivered to the jury at 1:30 this afternoon. The testimony was concluded last night and all the forenoon today was devoted to argument.

At 3:15 a verdict had not been agreed upon.

Read the Daily Light Want ads

BIG TELEPHONE DEAL IS CLOSED AT WACO.

Kansas City Man Buys Interest in Brazos Valley Company.

Associated Press Special.
Waco, Texas, April 18.—The sale of a controlling interest in the Brazos Valley Telephone company to a wealthy Kansas City lumberman has been confirmed. Several central Texas cities are affected in this change of ownership.

CONDUCTOR REPORTS PASSING THRU SNOW.

Says White Mantle Two Inches Deep Between Albany and Sedwick.

Associated Press Special.

Waco, Texas, April 18.—Conductor Holt, coming in off of his regular run on the Texas Central railroad, reports passing through snow two inches deep between Albany and Sedwick.

ANOTHER LEEVE BREAKS FLOODED AREA LARGER

TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND PERSONS HAVE BEEN ADDED TO LIST OF SUFFERERS.

The Territory Now Inundated Is Larger Than Combined Area of the New England States.

Associated Press Special.

New Orleans, La., April 18.—The levee on the east bank of the Mississippi river at Angola broke this morning. This break, together with the break in the main line levee near Beulah, Mississippi, yesterday, and one on the Arkansas river, later has added more than twenty-five thousand persons to the list of flood sufferers in Southern Arkansas, Northeast Louisiana and North-western Mississippi. The territory now inundated by this fearful flood is almost as large as that covered by the New England states.

TURKISH AND ITALIAN SHIPS IN ENGAGEMENT

One of the Italian Warships Is Reported to Have Been Sunk in Dardanelles Straits.

Associated Press Special.

Constantinople, Turkey, April 18.—A fleet of Italian battleships is reported at Dardanelles Straits, and one Italian warship is reported to have been sunk in fighting.

The Italians Repulsed.

Associated Press Special.

Washington, April 18.—According to reports received here in the naval fight at the Dardanelles between the Italian fleet and the Turkish warships, the Italians were repulsed by the Turks.

Death of Mrs. Alsop.

Mrs. J. N. Alsop died late Wednesday afternoon near Boyce. The interment took place at the city cemetery Thursday morning.

Chairman on Rules.

R. H. Buck, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of Texas, has appointed C. E. Schuster of Waxahachie chairman on the committee on rules for the Grand Lodge.

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GOLD MINERS KILLED IN A FIGHT WITH SOLDIERS

In an Encounter With Russian Soldiers One Hundred and Seventy Miners Were Slain.

Associated Press Special.

Irkutsk, Siberia, April 18.—One hundred and seventy gold miners were killed and eight wounded in a fight between the miners and Russian soldiers near here. The cause of the trouble is not known.

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As a matter of course this sounds like an opinion of ours, but it is based on the testimony of some of the best men in Ellis county who have worn the

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