

Planes Rush to 10 Starving on Lake Isle

9 Men and One Woman, Who Crossed Ice to Lake Michigan Isle to Cut Timber, Caught.

By Associated Press. North Port, Mich., April 19.—Cold, exhausted and half starved, three men who for 48 hours battered their way through slush, ice and open water, reached the mainland here yesterday bearing news that 10 others, nine men and a woman, are slowly starving on Fox Island, 18 miles from here in Lake Michigan.

As a result of their story, two army airplanes are on their way from Selfridge field, Mt. Clemens, today to carry food to the marooned party.

The party went to the island last fall to cut timber, carrying provisions sufficient for several months. Three weeks ago all food supplies, except some frozen potatoes, were gone.

An attempt was made by four men to cross to the mainland. They started on foot, but two miles from the island the ice broke up, and two of the men narrowly escaped death by drowning before the return to the island was accomplished.

A week later the men started again but when two miles out they were caught in a blinding snowstorm.

Last Monday a third start was made. Edward Horn, 23; Carl Cooper, 35, and Ellis Sayres, 21, left the island in a stoutly built skiff. They had no food. Nearly starved; they took turns at the oars. There was open water for about five miles.

Horn, seated in a physician's office here, told the story as Dr. Flood treated his frozen feet.

Woman and Doctor Injured in Car Crash at Kearney

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Kearney, Neb., April 19.—Mrs. D. R. Surgeon of Scottsbluff suffered a wrench to her back and internal injuries in an auto collision. She was removed to the hospital in an unconscious condition. No other members of her party were injured.

Dr. O. D. Johnson of Kearney occupied the other car. He was badly cut about the face and suffered severe body bruises. Both cars were wrecked.

According to eye-witnesses, the out-of-town car driver apparently failed to see the Johnson machine in time to avoid a collision. The crossing where the accident took place, near the Teachers' college, had been widened to over 60 feet because it was considered dangerous.

Broken Bow Man Injured in Automobile Accident

Broken Bow, Neb., April 19.—Harve J. Whitman of this city sustained a crushed hip, six broken ribs and internal injuries when his car turned over into a ditch, crushing him into the bank. A faulty steering gear caused the accident. Mr. Whitman managed to crawl from the wreckage.

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Theodore W. McCullough.

Theodore W. McCullough, editorial writer for The Omaha Bee, yesterday rounded out a half century of newspaper work.

On April 19, 1873, when he was only half-past 11, he heard that the Ottumwa (Ia.) Democrat wanted a strong boy. And, as he had just had a "disagreement" with the principal of his school, he applied for the job and got it.

He left the Democrat in 1877 and pursued a rambling life of a journeyman printer for a year and then was overcome by a boyish desire to run a locomotive. For two years he was a fireman, running out of Burlington, Ia.

Then followed years of work in various capacities on newspapers from coast to coast.

"In those days," he said, "you weren't considered a real printer unless you had worked on the Oil City (Pa.) Derrick and the Virginia City (Nev.) Enterprise. I worked on both."

He came to The Omaha Bee in 1891 as night editor, was made assistant managing editor in 1896, worked on the Denver Times and Denver Post for 15 months, returned to The Omaha Bee in 1900 and was made managing editor in 1904 and associate editor in 1917.

Colonel McCullough is one of the best informed men in the west. His memory is astounding. He is an authority on many subjects ranging from labor unions to Shakespeare. He can repeat verbatim scores of poems and almost entire plays of Shakespeare. He has lectured and made many contributions on economic questions and the drama. Many of the great actors are his friends. He occupies a place in "Who's Who."

He is a thirty-third degree Mason, a Shriner and a Knight of Pythias. He also is proud of the fact that he has been a member of the International Typographical union since 1877.

Capacity for Work. A great capacity for work is characteristic of him. He stayed in The Omaha Bee office 60 consecutive

hours while the life of President McKinley was hanging in the balance. Wednesday he was at work 14 hours and yesterday morning was in his office at 9.

A cheerful and jovial disposition, a keen interest in all questions and a broad sympathy have kept the colonel young.

Asked what would be his advice to those thinking of entering the editorial profession, he said:

"If they are ambitious to be rich, they'd better not come in. But if they want a chance to serve, to come in close touch with the real things of life, to have a part in the stage management of the world's affairs, then 'his profession has a place for them. I honor, respect and venerate it. People on the outside cannot understand or appreciate what is involved in making a paper. They can't know the power and potential influence of a newspaper. They are too apt to go on the theory that the newspaper man is looking for a chance to raise hell. He is not. He is just trying to get the facts after someone else has raised it."

"Great mental capacity and high moral attributes are requisites of the good newspaper man. The dishonest man is soon located and discarded by the profession."

Audience of Half Million Hears Debate on Prohibition Question

New York, April 19.—Prohibition was debated before half a million people last night. The audience was the largest ever assembled for such an event.

When Gen. Ransome H. Gillett, general counsel of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, and Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League of America, stood for two hours before a little electrical instrument in the offices of the American Telephone company, another page in the fast-growing history of the radio was written. It was the first time a subject of nationwide interest had been debated via the radio. And its audience, within a 100-mile radius of New York alone, was figured at 500,000.

In addition, tens of thousands of other listeners in every section of the country, in Canada and in Europe may have "horned in." The powerful

Bruning Man Gets 30 Days for Passing Bad Checks

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Beatrice, Neb., April 19.—George H. Lahners of Bruning, Neb., was brought here on the charge of passing worthless checks amounting to \$100 on a number of business men at Bruning. He pleaded guilty, was sentenced to 30 days in jail and ordered to make good the checks. Lahners told authorities that his father was a representative from Thayer county and that he would come here to reimburse those who lost on the checks.

Wives Present in Fraud Trial

Government Rests Case; Court Roars as Chair Gives Way With "Big Jeff."

Wives of three of the 15 defendants in the Colonial Timber and Coal corporation case were in court Wednesday morning when the government closed its case after four weeks and three days of testimony.

They sat just outside the rail so they could talk to their husbands. They were Mrs. Willard V. Mathews, wife of the former head of a string of banking institutions now defunct; Mrs. Walter L. Stichel, wife of the Kearney lumberman who put a fortune into promoting the Colonial firm; and Mrs. R. E. Sunderland, former West Virginia girl.

The government rested at 11 and then the numerous attorneys began the long job of presenting their motions to have their several clients discharged. The statute of limitations was presented as in support of the motions for W. V. Mathews, Thomas H. Matters, W. L. Stichel and others.

Arguments were presented at length and probably will be today. A boom like the breaking of a log jam on a river echoed through the court room just at 12 noon. A. W. Jeffers, "Big Jeff," a defense attorney, was on the floor, grinning and making no effort to rise.

His 349 pounds, more or less, of avoidpoids had been too much for the chair and it had given up and collapsed under the strain.

Everybody in the court room laughed, including Judge Woodrugh, who added, in a loud voice: "This court is adjourned."

Half a dozen men helped "Jeff" up. Smith, Stevenson, Fred Higgins, botham and Newt Gray surrendered to the sheriff. They said they were ready to make bond and would prepare to fight their cases in court. Capt. J. K. Skipwith, exalted cyclops of the Morehouse Ku Klux Klan, telephoned the sheriff he would surrender.

Republican City Votes Community Hall Bonds

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Republican City, Neb., April 19.—A special election was held here to vote upon the proposition of issuing township bonds in the sum of \$15,000 for the purpose of building a community auditorium in Republican city. Considerable interest was manifested, 350 votes being polled—299 for and 69 against. The board already has several bids for the bonds so the work of construction is expected to begin soon.

Youth Killed When Horses Attached to Disc Run Away

Broken Bow, Neb., April 19.—Charles Pokorney, 19, was instantly killed when four horses attached to a disc ran away, throwing the young man under the disc and cutting him horribly. The accident occurred on the Nekuda farm, three miles northwest of Sargent.

Fire Destroys Business Block

Incendiarism Blamed for Destruction of Eight Buildings at Nickerson.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Fremont, Neb., April 19.—Incendiarism is blamed for a fire which caused damage estimated at \$100,000 in the business section of Nickerson, Neb., at 3 this morning, destroying seven store buildings and one residence.

Investigation of the general merchandise store of Seidel & Anderson, where the fire started, disclosed that the knobs of the safe had been sawed off. Authorities believe the fire was started by yezgmen.

Whistle of a Northwestern locomotive, the engineer of which observed the fire, awakened the town. The fire department responded to a call too late to check the flames.

The First Bank of Nickerson, a brick structure, is the only building standing today on that side of the street where the fire raged.

Thief Takes Pigeons

George Vaha, 5014 South Twenty-third street, reported to South Omaha police the theft of several pigeons from a loft behind his home Wednesday night.

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Announcement

FRIDAY evening, April 20, from 9 to 10:30, a demonstration of broadcasting a musical program will be given in the Italian Renaissance Room, Brandeis Restaurants, Tenth Floor. A special musical program will be given by Arnold Johnson and his Symphonic Orchestra. Mr. Eugene Rouse will act as announcer and will give some interesting facts concerning Radio Operations in general and Station W. O. A. W. in particular. This will give the public an unusual opportunity to observe how radio programs are broadcast.

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