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## TOLL OF LIVES IN LAKE HURON STORM HUNDRED AND FIFTY

**Bodies of Sailors of Five or Possibly Six Vessels Found Upon Shore.**  
**DAMAGE SEVERAL MILLIONS.**  
**No Trace of Two Craft with Crews of More Than Forty Men.**  
**ARGUS AND HYDRUS ARE MISSING**  
**Freighter Overturned Has Not Yet Been Identified.**  
**MANY THINK IT IS THE REGINA**  
**Fog and Heavy Sea Prevent Marine Men from Making Fourth Attempt to Learn Name of Derelict.**

PORT HURON, Mich., Nov. 13.—News received today continued to add to the toll of disaster on Lake Huron in last Sunday's storm and the full toll taken by the gale is not yet known. Bodies of sailors of five and perhaps six vessels were found on the shore of the lake. Wreckage from two other boats still missing, was cast up by the waves and no trace had been secured of two other vessels or their crews, which number more than forty men. Never has Lake Huron been the scene of such a succession of catastrophes.

Conservative estimates of the loss of life fix the total at 150 at least. The damage to vessels and cargo will be several millions of dollars.  
**Stak with All on Board.**  
Lying in various morgues along the Canadian shore are bodies of sailors who had shipped on the steamers James Caruthers, Regina, John A. McLean, Wexford and Charles S. Price. It is practically certain those vessels went down with all on board. There were also a number of bodies which have not been identified. It is possible these unidentified men were sailors on the freighter which has been seen on Lake Huron, thirteen miles north of here, the name of which still is unknown. Many still think it is the Regina, others still cling to the theory that it collided with the Regina and the latter sank.

Wreckage of the steamers Argus and Hydrus has been located. Neither of these boats has been heard from since the storm swept the lakes. The freighters A. M. Scott and Midland Queen are also missing. Marine men said today that there was a possibility that one or both of these vessels were safe. No wreckage from them has been found and no bodies of their sailors have been washed ashore.  
**Sights Wreck of Steamer.**  
Word was received this afternoon from Captain Ely of the tug Maria City that he had sighted the wreck of an unidentified steamer while his tug was passing Port Austin. She is believed to be a total loss. She may be one of the boats already reported missing.

Fog and a heavy sea today prevented marine men from making a fourth attempt to learn the name of the overturned freighter, which tossing helplessly in a rough sea has become a serious menace to navigation. A tug with a diver aboard will go out to her tomorrow morning. If the weather permits.  
Greatest among today's tragedies was the confirmation of the loss of the steamer John A. McLean, a 32-foot freighter. Twenty-eight bodies of her crew have been washed ashore. All are in morgues. Several have not been positively identified.

## VOLINE TO BE POSTMASTER AT TOWN OF SOUTH AUBURN

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—President Wilson sent to the senate today the following nominations for postmaster:  
Nebraska—J. C. Volin, South Auburn.  
Iowa—Jay Sullivan, Fontanelle; N. V. Butler, West Branch.  
North Dakota—William F. Kempshall, Taylor.

## The Weather

Forecast till 7 p. m. Friday.  
Fair, slightly cooler.  
Temperature at Omaha Yesterday:

Hours	Temp.
5 a. m.	38
6 a. m.	39
7 a. m.	40
8 a. m.	41
9 a. m.	42
10 a. m.	43
11 a. m.	44
12 m.	45
1 p. m.	46
2 p. m.	47
3 p. m.	48
4 p. m.	49
5 p. m.	50
6 p. m.	51

Comparative Local Record:  
1913, 1912, 1911, 1910, 1909, 1908, 1907, 1906, 1905, 1904, 1903, 1902, 1901, 1900, 1899, 1898, 1897, 1896, 1895, 1894, 1893, 1892, 1891, 1890, 1889, 1888, 1887, 1886, 1885, 1884, 1883, 1882, 1881, 1880, 1879, 1878, 1877, 1876, 1875, 1874, 1873, 1872, 1871, 1870, 1869, 1868, 1867, 1866, 1865, 1864, 1863, 1862, 1861, 1860, 1859, 1858, 1857, 1856, 1855, 1854, 1853, 1852, 1851, 1850, 1849, 1848, 1847, 1846, 1845, 1844, 1843, 1842, 1841, 1840, 1839, 1838, 1837, 1836, 1835, 1834, 1833, 1832, 1831, 1830, 1829, 1828, 1827, 1826, 1825, 1824, 1823, 1822, 1821, 1820, 1819, 1818, 1817, 1816, 1815, 1814, 1813, 1812, 1811, 1810, 1809, 1808, 1807, 1806, 1805, 1804, 1803, 1802, 1801, 1800, 1799, 1798, 1797, 1796, 1795, 1794, 1793, 1792, 1791, 1790, 1789, 1788, 1787, 1786, 1785, 1784, 1783, 1782, 1781, 1780, 1779, 1778, 1777, 1776, 1775, 1774, 1773, 1772, 1771, 1770, 1769, 1768, 1767, 1766, 1765, 1764, 1763, 1762, 1761, 1760, 1759, 1758, 1757, 1756, 1755, 1754, 1753, 1752, 1751, 1750, 1749, 1748, 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