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Larchmont Rescued Reduced to 17. Another name was added to the list of victims of the wreck of the Joy liner Larchmont in Block Island Sound last Monday night.

where she is being cared for at the home of George Milliken. She told several of the newspaper men that when she begged either Captain McVey or Purser Young to take her in their boat, they pushed her back and the lifeboat left the Larchmont with only six life.

Samuel L. Lacombe of Manchester, N. H., one of the survivors of the wreck of the steamer Larchmont, died from the effects of exposure following the disaster at the Rhode Island hospital. This reduces the number of survivors to 18.

Neither evidence nor common sense nor reason has the slightest effect upon prejudices.—Goethe.

The Publisher's Claims Sustained

The United States authorities at New London have partially finished their investigations of the accident by taking the testimony of the captain and crew of the schooner Harry Knowlton, which rammed the ill-fated steamer and sent her to destruction.

THE PUBLISHER'S CLAIMS SUSTAINED. The Publishers of Webster's International Dictionary allege that it is in fact, the popular Unabridged thoroughly re-edited in every detail, and vastly enriched in every part.

Those on board the schooner insisted that they held their course straight down the sound from Race Rock light toward Point Judith, and that the steamer tried to cut across the bow of their vessel.

It is perhaps needless to add that we refer to the dictionary in our judicial work as of the highest authority in accuracy of definition; and that in the future as in the past it will be the source of constant reference.

Charges Against Captain McVey. One survivor, Miss Sadie Golub of Boston, still remains on the island.

THE GRAND PRIZE (the highest award) was given to the International at the World's Fair, St. Louis. GET THE LATEST AND BEST. You will be interested in our specimen pages, each free.

SHORTER NEWS ITEMS.

Pithy Paragraphs Chronicling the Week's Doings.

Long Dispatches from Various Parts of the World Shorn of Their Padding and Only Facts Given in as Few Words as Possible for the Benefit of the Huddled Reader.

President Roosevelt indorsed the proposed law to lease public lands to cattle raisers in order to permit fencing.

A Long Island train ran into a funeral coach at a crossing near Blissville and the four occupants of the coach were killed.

The Metropolitan Life Insurance company has bought for \$7,000,000 the industrial business of the Columbian Insurance company of Boston.

Harry Thaw's counsel were again thwarted by Mr. Jerome in their efforts to inundate the case with what the district attorney terms "Tenderloin gossip."

The Joy line steamer Larchmont was sunk in collision with the schooner Harry Knowlton in Block Island sound. Out of a total of 200 passengers and crew only 19 are known to have been saved.

Thursday. It was reported that Superintendent of Insurance Otto Kelsey will defy Governor Hughes' request to resign.

Former quartermaster sergeant of negro company testified at Brownsville inquiry that an attack was made on the garrison.

Representative Hermann was placed on trial in Washington, charged with destroying records while he was commissioner of the general land office.

Reports that infernal machines had been found in the house of Count Witte, former Russian premier, are confirmed, according to a St. Petersburg dispatch.

King Edward opened parliament with imposing ceremonies, the struggle over the Liberal plan to curtail the power of the house of lords being foreshadowed in the initial session.

Friday. Professor Brashear of Pittsburg announced the discovery of an enormous sun spot and predicted electrical disturbances.

Speculations of William F. Walker, treasurer of the New Britain, Conn., Savings bank, amount to \$565,000, supposedly lost in Wall street.

Owing to the death of Mrs. Joseph B. Bolton, wife of one of the jurors, the trial of Harry K. Thaw was postponed until next Monday morning.

Augustine Birrell, now chief secretary for Ireland, announces that he, as well as the Liberal government, is in favor of practical home rule.

Japan will refuse passports to coolies coming to the United States and San Francisco will modify her segregation policy in her public schools, thus settling the Japanese dispute.

Saturday. Senator Knox of Pennsylvania made an earnest argument against unseating Senator Smoot of Utah.

British Liberals purpose to establish an Irish council with a majority of elected members, and to restore evicted tenants to their estates.

Three indictments charging grand larceny were reported by the New York grand jury against Captain Lewis Wendel of the First battery, N. G. N. Y.

Severe electrical storm and darkness visited Pittsburg, fulfilling Professor Brashear's prophecy that there would be such disturbances as the result of a big sun spot.

Monday. Seven men were killed by the explosion of a boiler on the Valdeira of the Hamburg-American line's West India service.

Colonel Francis J. Carmody, son-in-law of Mrs. T. C. Platt, died in Washington from nervous prostration, which resulted from his matrimonial troubles.

Lewisston (Me.) lawyer began search for Miss Viola Atkins, to whom Charles A. Prescott, an inmate of the Matteawan asylum for the criminal insane, has willed \$16,000.

James Farley, the strike breaker, causes the arrest of his discharged office manager, W. H. Cole, alias Thomas Hardy, accusing him of grand larceny and attempted blackmail.

Judge Fitts decided in Albany that Attorney General Jackson should not be restrained from trying to oust Mayor McClellan of New York, and that Mr. Jackson was not in contempt of court.

Tuesday. Colonel George W. Dunn resigned as state railroad commissioner and started on a pleasure trip to Mexico.

The "Two Billion Congress" is at hand, appropriations in the present short session being more than \$1,000,000,000.

In its final report the special committee of the Pennsylvania Railroad company vindicated the company's officers and employes as loyal and efficient.

Nearly all the securities stolen by William F. Walker, the missing banker of New Britain, Conn., have been found, but the names of the holders are withheld.

Theodore P. Shonts' recent speech is regarded in Washington as indicating that corporations are disposed to co-operate with President Roosevelt in his trust policies.

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COUNTY AUDITORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1906.

W. H. HARRISON, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with the Liquor Licenses for the year ending January 7, 1907.

Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include am't carried to State act., C. F. Weaver, G. W. Buhl, Retail Mercantile Tax, Constables Ret's, Peddlers Licenses, State Personal Tax, etc.

W. H. HARRISON, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with the Dog Fund, for the year ending January 7, 1907.

Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include am't of balance from 1906, of tax for 1906, By sheep orders redeemed, By 3 pct. com. on \$147.00, etc.

W. H. HARRISON, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with the Redemption Fund for the year ending January 7, 1907.

Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include To bal. from settlement of 1906, am't rec'd from Jas Armstrong, J. K. Green, L. L. Hunter, Mrs. C. Heiser, S. D. Irelis, N. S. Calhoun, Wm. Knapp, Wm. Knapp, A. C. Brown, D. B. Tobey, T. B. Simpson, T. B. Simpson, T. B. Simpson, T. B. Simpson, Gardner, Hall & Co., C. Y. Detar.

W. H. HARRISON, Treasurer of Forest County for the year ending January 7, 1907.

Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include To bal. from settlement of 1906, To seated tax for 1906, To unseated tax for 1906, To seated returns for 1906, To am't 60 day list, To State tax returned, To rec'd from fines, To am't from land redm'd from Co, To int. on unseated taxes, To 5 pct added to collectors bal., To rec'd from pipe sold, To rec'd from plank sold, To am't of loan from Forest Co. Bank, To Jury fee.

W. H. HARRISON, Treasurer of Forest County in account with the Poor Fund for the year ending January 7, 1907.

Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include To balance from last settlement, To seated land returns for 1906, To 5 pct on land returns for '06, To seated taxes for 1906, To unseated taxes for 1906, To 5 pct added to col. balances, To from land redm'd from Co., To from Erie Co. Poor Directors, To from Clarion Co. Poor Directors, To from Mrs. J. Hinderer, To from Fitzgerald maintenance, To from Black lunatic, To from Sheriff's maintenance, To from B. L. Hallett maintenance, To from P. M. Clark lunatic, To from rent of Hood house, To from school teacher's board at County Home, To from cattle sold, To from hay sold, To from butter sold, To from produce sold, To tax on unseated tax, To from am't ever paid A. M. Neely & Co. error in bill.

J. C. GEIST, Prothonotary, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 7, 1907.

Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include To orders drawn, A. W. STROUP, Sheriff, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 7, 1907, To orders drawn, S. D. IRWIN, District Attorney, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 7, 1907, To orders drawn, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS of Forest County in account with said County for the year ending January 7, 1907.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, FOREST COUNTY, ss. We the undersigned auditors in and for said County, do hereby certify that we met at the Court House in Tionesta, Pa., on the 7th day of January, A. D., 1907, according to law and did audit and adjust the several accounts of the Treasurer, Prothonotary, Sheriff, District Attorney and County Commissioners and find them as set forth in the foregoing account. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 23rd day of January, A. D., 1907.

Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include Justices' fees, Sheriff's fees, Prothonotary's fees, District Attorney, Stenographer, Telephone, Refunding orders, Burial of indigent soldiers, Extinction of forest fires, Road views, Election expenses, Western Penitentiary, Reform school, Boarding prisoners, Allegheny River bridge, Kelleysville bridge, Kelleysville bridge (superstructure), Kelleysville bridge (stone work), Sidewalk on Allegheny River, Paid Jurors, Typewriters and Court Crier, Assessors' pay, Commissioners' Clerk, County Auditors, Janitor, Printing and legal advertising, Commonwealth costs, Stationery and books for Sheriff, It's office, Court Auditor, Night watchman, Express and drayage, Lunacy fees, Traveling expenses, Loan Forest Co. National Bank, Interest on above loan, Watching for offences, Incidental expenses.

W. H. STILES, [SEAL] Auditor. K. L. HAUGH, [SEAL] Auditor. SAM T. CARSON, [SEAL] Auditor.

Attest, James D. Davis, Clerk.

Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include EXPENDITURES of Forest County for the year ending January 7, 1907, Justices' fees, Sheriff's fees, Prothonotary's fees, District Attorney, Stenographer, Telephone, Refunding orders, Burial of indigent soldiers, Extinction of forest fires, Road views, Election expenses, Western Penitentiary, Reform school, Boarding prisoners, Allegheny River bridge, Kelleysville bridge, Kelleysville bridge (superstructure), Kelleysville bridge (stone work), Sidewalk on Allegheny River, Paid Jurors, Typewriters and Court Crier, Assessors' pay, Commissioners' Clerk, County Auditors, Janitor, Printing and legal advertising, Commonwealth costs, Stationery and books for Sheriff, It's office, Court Auditor, Night watchman, Express and drayage, Lunacy fees, Traveling expenses, Loan Forest Co. National Bank, Interest on above loan, Watching for offences, Incidental expenses.

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Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include bridge, Repairs Nebraska bridge, Painting and repairs on various bridges, Fuel, lights and water, Books, stationery and postage, Commissioners' office, Books, stationery and postage, Prothonotary's office, Treasurer's office, Court House and Jail repairs and supplies, Seal and supplies, Jury Commission and Clerk, Grand Jurors.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT. LIABILITIES. Bonds outstanding \$7,000.00, Loan at Forest Co. Nat'l Bank 10,000.00, Seated lands returned 762.63, Liabilities over assets 5,284.70.

EXPENDITURES of Forest County Poor District for year ending Jan. 7, 1907.

Table with columns: DEB, CR. Items include Salaries, wages and medical attendance, Provisions and supplies, Fuel and light, Clothing and shoes, Dry goods and bedding, Medical supplies, Ordinary repairs, Traveling expenses, Farm expenses, Incidental expenses, Telephone, Buildings and improvements, Insure at State Hospital, Outside relief, Feeble minded at Polk, Stock bought, Inventorying property County Home.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT. LIABILITIES. Bonds outstanding \$25,000.00, Amount due from individuals account Warren Asylum 164.00, Amount due for sales from farm interest in property of Sarah J. Hood 500.00, Liabilities over assets 16,728.50.

FOREST COUNTY, ss. We, the undersigned Commissioners of Forest County, and Forest County Poor District, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement of receipts and expenditures and statement of assets and liabilities are correct and true, to the best of our knowledge and belief. LEONARD AGNEW, [SEAL] Commissioner. ANDREW WOLF, [SEAL] Commissioner. PHILIP EMERT, [SEAL] Commissioner. J. T. DALE, Clerk.

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