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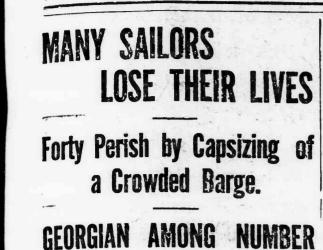
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Large Barge Filled With Jackies Returning to the Battleship New Hampshire From Shore Leave Capsized in New York Harbor.

There was given out from the battleship New Hampshire Sunday a list of twenty-nine men who were supposed to have perished by the swamping cf a barge or whaleboat which was being towed to the vessel at anchor in the Hudson river Saturday night. Appended to the list are the names of eleven men who are still absent, but who were not recognized as having been in the swamped boat.

The generally accepted version of the cause of the catastrophe was that the barge, heavily loaded with sailors and marines, returning from shore leave, was towed into the heavy swells of a passing steamboat. Rising for a moment, like a cork, the barge then plunged into the trough between two waves, one of which broke over the side and swamped it.

Instantly the choppy water became suitcases and personal belongings friends. that the men were taking back to the

ly across the 200 yards that separated the distressed craft and the shore. Many of the sailors and marines were pu'led aboard these boats; others held tightly to the swamped barge. Still others, unequal to the battle with the heavy waves and tide, l'oated up stream and disappeared.

A STRANGE FATALITY.

Man Laid Trap for Thieves and is Himself the Victim.

J. B. Beasley, a prominent merchant and postmaster of Rockport, near Georgetown, Miss., met death in a peculiar manner. Several weeks ago burglars robbed

Beasley's store and the postoffice. In expectation of another visit from the burglars, Beasley had set a loaded shotgun so that when the door was opened the gun would be discharged. Fergetting the trap he had laid. Beasley attempted to enter the store and the gun was discharged, killing him almost instantly.

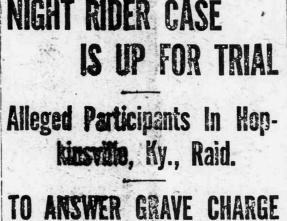
GIRL BURIED IN GULF.

Miss Miller, Who Lost Life at Tallulah Falls, Buried at Sea.

In conformity with a perents' promise that in event of her death she should be buried at sea, a casket containing the body of Miss Marjorie Miller was conveyed down the Mississippi river, and, heavily weighted, was consigned to the waters of the gulf. says a New Orleans dispatch.

She was drowned August 29 in the ties, except Glass, whose home is in dotted with struggling, shouting men, Tallulah river, near Tallulah Falls, intermingled with floating packages, Ga, while bathing with a party of

Announcement of her funeral was ship. The whistle of the little steam made by her family, who said that the Pardee, in the federal circuit court at ed to the emperor of Germany. The launch that was towing the barge rent burial at sea had been attended only



Much Interest Manifested in Trial of Those Who Are Alleged to Have Figured in Memorable Raid Occurring in Kentucky Town in 1907.

The fall term of the Christian circuit court, which convened at Hopkinsville, Ky., with Judge Hanberry presiding, will be notable for the so-called "night rider" case on the deckel. Dr. David A. Amos, Newton Nichols, Guy Duning, J. B. Malone, Irving Glass and John Robinson are under indictment on three separate counts, alleging complicity and participation in the memorable raid on Hopkinsville December 7, 1907, when a band of three hundred burned three large warchouses and other property, shou

up the town, wounded two men and whipped a tobacco buyer.

Dr. Amos is accused of being the 'general" and organizer of the secret clan that terrorized that section for many months. He is a physician of Cobb, Ky. The other defendants reside in Lyon, Trigg and Caldwell coun-Sikestown, Mo.

A hard legal battle is expected.

CARNIVAL OF CEATH.

Suicide and Accident Snuff Out Number of Lives at Pittsburg. This rather exceptional record of a day's tragedles was compiled by the

police of Pittsburg, Pa. Mrs. Sarah Welsh, aged 32, was found fatally burned in her apartments at 19 Plum street, north side. The door of the flat was battered and scarred, the furniture in her place nearly all removed, and there were evidences of things having been hurled about the room. She died after saying that her burns were received in the explosion of a gas range, but the range was found intact. The police scented mystery in the case and are investigating.

George Stewart, aged 30, was found dead on the steps of the Herron Hill Methodist Episcopal church. He had taken carbolic acid. Relatives unknown.

George E. Ogden fell from the window of a Carson street hotel and was instantly killed.

W. S. Hertberger, aged 21, was killed by electricity while repairing lights at the Pressed Steel Company's plant in McKee's Rocks.

John Ross, aged 19, of Homestead, fatally shot himself through the lungs and will die. The police declare it suicide.

Myrtle King, aged 21, attempted suicide by drinking poison at a Second avenue rooming house. She is expected to recover.

The dedication of the statue of Baron Von Steuben, of American revolutionary fame, in Washington, will take place December 21 next. Congress appropriated \$30,000 for the statue and Under an order of Judge Don A. provided that a duplicate be present-

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derson. Physician-Dr. Goode Cheatham. Attorney-R. L. Gash.

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