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Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport (ANC) and its users are bracing for disruption that could shut down the airport. Seismic activity and gas emissions have been building up at Mount Spurr, the tallest volcano in the Aleutian Range, which prompted the Alaska Volcano Observatory (AVO) to warn that an eruption is likely within the next two weeks or months.

The last time Mount Spurr erupted was in 1992. That eruption closed ANC for 20 hours, said Sean Nolan, CEO of NorthLink Aviation.

Read more in an [article from The Loadstar](#).

Ocean Updates

Genco CEO Says Trump's China Ship Fees Will Hammer Farmers, Not China

The largest U.S.-based dry bulk shipper said it is prepared to pass on costs to U.S. exporters or position its ships elsewhere if proposed U.S. fees on Chinese ships go into place.

Genco Shipping & Trading Ltd. has no ships built in the U.S. and does have "a lot of Chinese-built ships," said CEO John Wobensmith.

"What we are doing is we will either position our ships elsewhere, there's plenty of global trade," Wobensmith said. He noted that 10% of revenue comes from the U.S., while 90% is from the rest of the world. "The other way to handle this is passing through to the end user."

Wobensmith said that suitable U.S.-built ships for dry bulk goods "do not really exist." While Genco is "very much in favour of building and revitalizing" U.S. shipbuilding, reviving shipyards and finding the workforce could take decades, he said.

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