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TOLL OF DEATH AT CLEVELAND NEARING 150

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dead reported noon were residents of this city, a score being from cities outside Ohio and a dozen or more from other cities in the state.

Investigations by Governor Myers, J. Cooper, Deane A. J. Pearson and City Manager William R. Hopkins were put under way early in an effort to solve the tragedy in the white brick, four-story clinic building.

Although the cause of the fire in the X-ray films remained a mystery, authorities advanced three theories. Some one, it was thought, might have been burning rubbish in the furnace, ten feet from the vault containing the highly inflammable films and a spark might have been blown through the furnace door.

The second theory is that a steam-fitter was working in the basement, which might have accounted for the door of the vault being open. Had the workmen been using a torch the films would easily have caught fire. It was said the steamfitter was carried out among the dead.

The most frequently advanced idea is that crossed wires on the X-ray apparatus provided the damaging spark.

One Man Holds Secret
The man who perhaps holds the secret to the whole affair was in a critical condition today and may take the solution to the grave with him. Dr. Jack H. Swafford, X-ray room physician, was said to have leaped from a window of the X-ray room and was found sitting on an automobile running board in a dazed condition after the blast. He was not permitted to see visitors today. At the time of the explosion a moving van was taking his belongings from his residence to another part of the city and his family could not be located.

Ghastly Death Agency
CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 16.—A ghastly yellow smudge snuffed out the lives of the victims of the Cleveland clinic hospital disaster. On blank white sheets lay on doctors' tables, the windows—everywhere in the interior of the building—was the yellowish blot left by the deadly gas which enveloped its victims and left them choking, screaming and fighting for air.

Many persons were sitting by the dental room near the elevator waiting for their appointments, probably occupied with thoughts of their troubles when the yellow clouds of poison came billowing toward them. It was, perhaps, wrong, and then before they knew it they were choking from the deadly fumes.

They clutched their throats and gasped for air, but there was only the suffocating odor. Fighting, screaming, they reeled and pounded on the elevator door, but there was no one to answer their call.

Bodies Found in Heap
Their bodies were found piled against the elevator door. As it mad, they had beaten and kicked at the door. The glass of the slide guarding the shaft had been partly broken, seemingly in the vain hope that there might be air in the shaft. Firemen who carried their bodies out discovered them pitched toward the elevator door, many of them having died in convulsions, helpless to escape from the yellow gas which shrouded them.

Others—sixteen of them—got as far as the landing on the third floor before they met the wall of fumes which seeped into every corner of the building. Firemen found them, too, sprawled in grotesque positions, and carried them out, some of them over the roof.

The stairs were littered with women's hats and shoes. There was a glass, too, and a coat which someone had wrapped around his head in an effort to escape. The heel marks of a woman's shoe were on the elevator door.

Firemen and policemen, every available man, hurried out to the scene. They carried the victims out over the roof, through windows and down ladders, in any way they could. They shot streams of water inside to quench the flames and the water turned a dirty yellowish brown as it settled and sloshed on the floors.

Victims Turn Green
Many of the gassed, who physicians said experienced similar conditions to gas attacks in the World war, were carried out alive, only to die when the pure air of outdoors or oxygen artificially administered at hospitals failed to rid their lungs of the poison fumes.

"Believe it or not," said Frank Kilrain, one of the scores of taxicab drivers who worked incessantly carrying victims throughout the afternoon, "as soon as they hit the air they turned green."

Agonized relatives, too, gathered outside and sought information from patrolmen, from firemen, from newspapermen, from anyone who could get inside the police lines. The curious added to the throng and traffic was soon a jumble which police worked desperately to clear for the clanging ambulances.

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Pathos at the Morgue
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DELLA MAY DAVIS DIES AT EUGENE

Mrs. Della May Davis wife of W. E. Davis, a recent resident of Eugene, died at the Pacific Christian hospital in Eugene Wednesday night and was removed to the Douglas Funeral Home. Mr. Davis arrived here to make his home last January. Mrs. Davis followed later and has been a resident for about three months. She was born in Kentucky on August 29, 1873, and was married to Mr. Davis in October, 1888, in Brownsville, Kans. She is survived by her husband and the following children, Mrs. Rose Bedard, Mule

Creek, Wyo., Mrs. Ruby Holderby, Branson, Mo., R. W. Davis, Green River Wyo., R. E. and H. A. Davis, Melrose, also a sister, Mrs. Lino Lakey, Long Beach, Calif., W. A. and O. A. Thompson, brothers of Las Vegas, N. M. Mrs. Davis was a member of Pontia lodge of Rebekahs in Grand Junction, Colo., and services will be held in the Melrose Community church next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. Rev. F. B. Matthews, officiating. Services at the grave will be in charge of the Rebekah order of this city and interment will take place in the Melrose cemetery. H. C. Stearns is in charge of funeral arrangements.

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EX-LEGISLATOR DIES

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Realization of stark tragedy came to many as a sheet was raised, revealing the face of a relative, graven with the horror of his death. The struggle with the gas which killed most of the victims, left their faces distorted with terror and in several cases closest relatives could identify the dead only by their clothing and jewelry.

Beneath the sheets doctors lay beside the patients they had been treating; men beside the wives they had accompanied here for treatment. Included among the dead were all classes—clerical, day laborers, Catholics, Protestants and Jews.

Three priests moved between the rows of sheeted bodies, anointing those believed to be Catholics.

A deathlike hush which hung over the bare-walled morgue was broken now and then by a woman's shriek as she came to the end of her quest.

6 Doctors Among Dead
CLEVELAND, May 16.—The toll of lives in the Cleveland Clinic explosion was felt deeply today in the loss of six staff physicians at the institution, all of them leaders in their fields.

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Dr. C. E. Locke, brain specialist, led fourteen patients and a nurse to the top floor of the building and fought off the noxious fumes. Firemen rescued him through a hole in the roof and he was revived, but the deadly gas later had his way.

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