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**CLEVELAND IS DEAD**

Ex-President Dies Suddenly of Heart Failure.

WAS ONLY LIVING EX-PRESIDENT

Long Illness Becomes Serious Day Before Death—Funeral Private—Great Loss to Princeton.

Princeton, N. J., June 24.—Grover Cleveland, twice president of the United States, died at 8:40 o'clock this morning at his home, Westland, in this quiet college town, where he had lived since his retirement as the nation's chief executive, almost 12 years ago.

When death came, which was sudden, there were in the death chamber on the second floor of the Cleveland residence, Mrs. Cleveland, Dr. Joseph D. Bryant, of New York, Mrs. Cleveland's family physician and personal friend; Dr. George R. Lockwood, also of New York, and Dr. John M. Carnochan, of Princeton.

An official statement, given out and signed by the three physicians, gave heart trouble, superinduced by stomach and kidney ailments of long standing, as the cause of death.

While Mr. Cleveland had been in poor health for the last two years, and had lost 100 pounds in weight, his death came unexpectedly. Some three weeks ago he was brought home from Lakewood, where his condition for a time was such that the hotel at which he was staying was kept open after its regular season because he was too ill to be moved. But when Mr. Cleveland was brought back to Princeton, he showed signs of improvement, and actually gained five pounds in weight.

Although confined to his room continuously after his return to Princeton, it was not until yesterday that Mr. Cleveland's condition aroused uneasiness on the part of Mrs. Cleveland. Undoubtedly affected by the heat, Mr. Cleveland showed signs of failure, and Mrs. Cleveland telephoned to Dr. Bryant, who came over from New York on the train arriving here at 4:24 P. M.

**STEAMER ON ROCKS.**

Nearly 100 Perish in Wreck on Coast of Spain.

Paris, June 25.—A special dispatch received here from Corunna, Spain, says that the Spanish steamer La Roche went on the rocks in a fog near Muros, where the cruiser Cardinal Cisneros was wrecked in 1905.

The La Roche sank rapidly, and a panic followed. There were 97 passengers and 98 of a crew aboard. These took to the boats, but up to the time of the dispatch only 47 had landed. Defective communications made it impossible to obtain complete details, but the latest reports state that 17 women were drowned. It is known that 47 survivors were landed at Muros, but that two of them have since died. Fifteen others landed at Lon.

According to the official reports the La Roche carried 98 crew, including stewards, waiters, etc., and 97 passengers.

The La Roche came from Cadiz, where she had landed some of her passengers. She was on her way to Muros when, on account of the fog, she headed for Corunna. Suddenly she ran upon the rock, but the captain who knew the coast well, got his vessel off. Almost immediately she ran on another rock, which was uncharted.

According to a survivor of the crew the steamer sank within a few minutes. The heavy sea which was running at the time destroyed two of the lifeboats.

**Provision Prices Soaring.**

Chicago, June 25.—Flour now has joined other commodities in a skyrocket course. With ice up to 40 cents a hundred pounds, and meats and vegetables still climbing, flour has jumped from \$6 to \$6.25 a barrel. The increase may be greater within a week, and grocers today looked for the price to advance to \$6.75 and possibly higher. The advance is attributed indirectly to the high prices maintained by meats. This has caused an increased demand for flour, the thrifty housewife seeking thus to circumvent the butcher.

**J. P. Morgan Gets Degree.**

New Haven, Conn., June 25.—Yale University conferred honorary degrees today as follows: Master of arts, William Kent, Yale, 1887, of Chicago, donor of California redwood trees to the United States government; doctor of laws, John Pierpont Morgan, a direct descendant of Rev. James Pierpont, the most prominent of the founders of Yale. The degree is awarded with special reference to Mr. Morgan's public service to the nation in mitigating the panic.

**Tornado Rips Up Farms.**

Mountain Lake, Minn., June 25.—A tornado passed about five miles northwest of here last evening, demolishing at least a dozen farm buildings, killing one child and wounding scores of persons, some of whom may die.

**FIRE SWEEPS MICHIGAN.**

Villages Are Destroyed and Hundreds Made Homeless.

Detroit, June 22.—Fires in Northern Michigan forests, fanned to great proportions by the gales of the last two days, have destroyed at least three villages, rendered hundreds homeless, swept over thousands of acres of timber land and caused damage estimated at about \$200,000.

The heaviest loss has been sustained in Presque Isle and Cheboygan counties, although Lelanau, Charlevoix and Otsego have also suffered.

In many towns today lamps were lighted, as the sun was obscured by the heavy smoke.

The village of Case, in Presque Isle county, was destroyed today. A special train conveyed the homeless villagers to Onoaway, where they were sheltered tonight.

Legende, a little town in Cheboygan county, was also abandoned to the flames tonight. Many women and children were taken in wagons to Indian River.

While a big fire at Wolverine today was being fought, a forest fire threatened another section of the village. While the Wolverine department was engaged, a call for aid was received from Rondeau, three miles north.

The firemen could not leave Wolverine, and Rondeau was at the mercy of the flames. A hotel, several stores and houses and the Michigan Central station were burned.

In Lelanau county a great fire raged near Fouché. All night the glow of the fire could be seen at Traverse City, 12 miles away. Several farm buildings were destroyed, and Fannett's big lumber yard was wiped out. Much valuable timber was burned.

**MONEY FOR PROHIBITION.**

Party Raising Largest Campaign Fund in Its History.

Chicago, June 22.—The largest campaign fund in the history of the Prohibition party is what Charles R. Jones, chairman of the national committee, expects to get, and the contributions so far indicate he is not expecting without hope. Already more than \$35,000 has been donated to "the cause," which is more than twice the largest amount ever received so early in a presidential campaign.

With its unusual campaign fund, Mr. Jones is willing to predict the party will cut a wider swath than it has moved before. Several have been mentioned by the Prohibition leaders as possible nominees for president.

Fred F. Wheeler, a real estate dealer of Los Angeles, Cal., who has contributed liberally to the cause of temperance, was the first suggested. Dr. J. B. Cranfill, a Baptist minister of Dallas, Tex., who was a candidate for vice-president in 1892, has also been mentioned.

Alfred Manierre, an attorney of New York, and Dr. W. B. Peimore, editor of the St. Louis Christian Advocate, are said to be willing to assume the honor.

**SHARP NOTE FOR JAPAN.**

Hayes Conveys Message From President on Coolie Exclusion.

San Francisco, June 22.—In a speech before the Asiatic Exclusion League of San Jose, Congressman E. A. Hayes delivered today what he declared to be a personal message from the president of the United States to the people of the Pacific Coast.

"Two or three days after the adjournment of congress," said Mr. Hayes, "I went to the president and asked him how I should explain the absence of exclusion legislation, which I told him my constituents expected."

"I am still trying diplomacy. I am sending to Japan the sharpest correspondence that any nation has ever received; but tell your constituents that, if I cannot get what I want by diplomacy, I will get it by exclusion legislation."

Mr. Hayes did not state whether the presence of the fleet in the Pacific was in any way connected with the president's note to Japan.

**Great American Crime.**

Indianapolis, Ind., June 22.—One of the most important movements in the history of railroad has been started by the railroad commission of Indiana to stop what William J. Wood, of that body, terms "the great American crime." This crime is the killing and maiming of over 10,000 persons by American railroads at grade crossings. The crossings consist of intersections at grade of steam railroads and highways, and of steam railroads and electric lines. Four state railroad commissions will assist Mr. Wood.

**Prostrated by Heat.**

Ottawa, Kan., June 22.—Frank J. Hanly, governor of Indiana, was prostrated by heat while addressing the Ottawa Chautauqua here this afternoon. Governor Hanly was given medical attention and assisted to his train. He started for home tonight. The governor came here direct from the Chicago convention to address the Chautauqua. He had almost finished his remarks when he was taken ill and forced to stop.

**Menelik Names Successor.**

Addis Abeba, Abyssinia, June 22.—The question of the ascension to the throne of Abyssinia, which has been quiet for over a year, has been revived by an official statement from King Menelik designating his son of his son, Lig Yasu, the 12-year-old son of his daughter, Waizaru Shoa Rogga, and Ras Michael as heir to the throne.

**RACE WAR RAGING**

Nine Negroes Lynched in Sabine County, Texas.

REVENGE FOR DEATH OF WHITES

Two Others Hurried Away for Safety—Both Sides Armed and Expecting More Trouble.

Houston, Tex., June 23.—Nine negroes met death last night at the hands of a mob in the vicinity of Hemphill, in Sabine county. Today both races secured arms and the tension is such tonight that a race clash appears imminent.

The lynchings followed the killing of two white men by negroes. Two weeks ago Hugh Dean and several other white men visited a negro church and schoolhouse, where a dance was in progress, presumably in quest of liquor, it being the custom of some of the negroes to sell whisky during the progress of such affairs. During the evening Dean was killed and six negroes were held for the killing.

At the preliminary examination evidence tending to show that the plot was planned at the dance to kill Dean was produced. Saturday last Aaron Johnson, a prominent farmer, was assassinated while seated at the dining table with his wife and child, the bullet being fired through a window. For this crime Perry Price, a negro, was arrested, and, it is stated, confessed, implicating Robert Wright, a relative of one of the negroes held for Dean's murder. Price declared he was offered \$5 to kill Johnson.

Then followed the forming of a mob last night, the overpowering of the jailer at Hemphill, and the lynching of the six negroes held for the murder of Dean. Five were hanged to the same tree, while another attempted to escape and was shot to death.

Later in the night William McCoy, another negro, was shot and killed while standing at the gate of the Johnson home, and this morning the bodies of two more negroes were found in the creek bottom. Wright, the negro who confessed to the killing of Johnson, and the man implicated were taken to Beaumont for safekeeping under guard of the military company of St. Augustine.

Sabine county is situated in the most remote part of the eastern section of the state, with sparse railroad and telephone facilities.

**DYING FROM HEAT.**

Eight Dead in Chicago in One Day—Police Kill Unmuzzled Dogs.

Chicago, June 23.—The hottest day of the year, with the mercury standing at 94 degrees, brought death and suffering to Chicago. Eight deaths were reported to the coroner's office, and heat prostrations were numerous.

In addition, a mad-dog scare spread through the city, and the chief of police ordered his men to shoot all unmuzzled dogs. A similar order issued at Morton's Park, a suburb, resulted in the killing of 40 dogs in a few hours.

The death list today follows: Frank Cass, 35, overcome while working in his garden at LaGrange, a suburb.

Samuel Douglas, 25, a negro, made dizzy by heat and fell off a yacht into Jackson Park lagoon, drowning before aid could reach him.

John Golden, drowned in Desplaines river while seeking relief from heat.

William Dettling, 55 years old, negro, crazed by the heat and committed suicide by drinking Paris green.

William Hobson, 55 years old, dropped dead of heart failure superinduced by heat.

Baby Gunther, two weeks old, died at county hospital of heat prostration.

Sarah Oskmus, 9 years old, died at Presbyterian hospital, after heat prostration.

**Bartnett Found Guilty.**

San Francisco, June 23.—Walter J. Bartnett, ex-vice-president of the suspended California Safe Deposit & Trust company, and administrator of the estate of Mrs. Ellen M. Colton, this afternoon was found guilty of embezzling securities and bonds owned by the estate to the value of \$31,700. The jury was out less than 50 minutes, and reached a verdict on the first ballot. Bartnett was recommended to the mercy of the court, and Judge Conley fixed 10 A. M. June 30 as the time for pronouncing sentence.

**Spiritualist Faker Sentenced.**

Denver, June 23.—Mrs. Leonora Pearce, convicted of having obtained a valuable diamond ring from Mrs. Harriet Crowe, an aged blind widow, by palming herself off as a spiritualist capable of restoring sight, was sentenced today to serve three to four years in the state penitentiary. Mrs. Pearce's attorney gave notice of an application to the supreme court for a supersedeas. It is charged that, in addition to the ring, Mrs. Pearce secured from Mrs. Crowe \$16,800.

**Taft's Brother Coming to Coast.**

St. Paul, June 23.—Henry W. Taft, brother of William H. Taft, secretary of war and nominee for president, accompanied by Mrs. Taft, Miss Louise Taft and William H. Taft, Jr., left tonight for Yellowstone Park, Portland and Seattle.

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