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FIFTY INJURED IN STREET CAR WRECK AT SEATTLE TODAY

Motorman Loses Control of Car Crowded With Exposition Passengers.

CRASHES THROUGH SMALL RESTAURANT

One Dead and Several Thought Fatally Hurt In Accident.

(By Associated Press.)

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 24. — A crowded Wallingford avenue car bound for the Exposition grounds, jumped the track at Fourteenth avenue and East 40th street, a block from the fair grounds entrance, and crashed into a building about noon. Forty were injured, one probably fatally. The seriously hurt were taken to the Emergency hospital at the Fair grounds.

Two others are probably fatally hurt.

The car had attained a speed of thirty miles an hour after getting beyond control of the motorman and left track crashing into a one-story building demolishing the flimsy structure splitting and wrecking the car and hurlnig the passengers forward with a frightful force.

Motorman E. W. Melendy, a gray-haired veteran with a reputation for carefulness, opened the door behind him as soon as he found the car was out of his control, and shouted to the passengers "brace yourselves, I can't help you." A few seconds later the car plunged into the St. Louis Cafe, a small restaurant built for exposition trade.

Edward Winslow, proprietor of the restaurant, was struck down, his skull crushed. The car was shattered and the passengers thrown about in indescribable confusion, nearly every passenger being more or less injured. The worst cases were hurried to the hospital on the exposition grounds. Residents of houses nearby took care of some of the sufferers. The wonderful rapidity with which aid was rendered was evidenced by the fact that in six minutes the last of the injured had been removed from the debris.

The following is a list of the killed or injured:

Dead—

Frank Hull, Tacoma.

Injured—

Edward Winslow, believed fatally, skull crushed.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. McClung of Okeene, Okla., slight head injuries.

J. W. McClung, same place and father of P. B. McClung, head cut by glass.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farnsworth of Denver, Iowa, cut by glass on head and hands.

L. J. Conant, Auburn, Wash., cut by glass.

Anna M. Brown, Kelso, Wn., cut by glass.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Scofield of Council Bluffs, cut by glass on head.

Charles Castle, Napavine, Wn., cut on wrists and over eyes.

Ernest J. Heinrich of Leavenworth, Wn., severe scalp wound.

Charles A. Johnson, Portland, Or., head, back, foot and shoulder hurt.

Mrs. Theodore S. Choler, Medical Lake, Wash., internally hurt, seriously.

Mrs. J. A. Housman, Shelton, Wn., leg bruised and teeth loosened.

Don Housman, Shelton, Wn., aged 11, back hurt and cut by glass.

Michael Mayer, Uniontown, Wn., severe gash in the neck from glass.

Mrs. C. J. Scholl, Oakland, Cal., both legs sprained.

Thornhill Walker, Dighton, Kan., cut about arms and head.

Mrs. Thornhill Walker, cut on head and under eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hornaday, Los Angeles, scalp wounds and bruises (physicians say they cannot survive).

W. J. Honer, Berkeley, Cal., slight scalp wounds.

P. J. Cardwell, Youngstown, Ohio, severely bruised.

Helen Coldwell, Portland, Ore., ribs broken and injured internally.

J. W. Durnbach, Portland, Ore., bruised.

R. Donnelly, Dayton, Wn., bruised.

OLD OFFICERS REELECTED

Annual Meeting of Marshfield Chamber of Commerce Honors Officials of Body.

At the annual meeting of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce last evening, Dr. J. T. McCormac was unanimously reelected president for the third year, Dr. C. W. Tower was reelected vice-president, J. H. Flanagan, treasurer, and Miss Violet Henderson, secretary. The election of directors resulted in a few changes from last year, the following being the new board: A. H. Powers, J. S. Coke, I. S. Smith, W. S. McFarland, Henry Sengstacken, I. S. Kaufman, G. W. Carleton, F. S. Dow and J. W. Bennett.

There was a comparatively small attendance at the meeting, many of the members being represented by proxy. The election of officers for the ensuing year was the only business to come up.

I. S. Smith presented the name of Dr. McCormac for reelection saying that it had been his pleasure to nominate Dr. McCormac for the first time two years ago and that the work the Chamber of Commerce had accomplished under Dr. McCormac's direction was most gratifying to every citizen of Marshfield. He said that it was seldom that it was possible to obtain a man who was satisfactory to all but he believed it was the sentiment of all the members of the organization that Dr. McCormac should serve again. I. S. Kaufman seconded the nomination and on being put to a vote by Wm. Grimes, the election was made unanimous.

For vice-president, Dr. E. Mingus, I. S. Smith and Wm. Grimes were suggested but they could not serve. On motion of W. S. McFarland, Dr. C. W. Tower was unanimously reelected.

But one ballot was taken for the nomination and election of directors, the vote resulting as follows:

A. H. Powers, 32; J. S. Coke, 30; I. S. Smith, 29; W. S. McFarland, 29; I. S. Kaufman, 29; G. W. Carleton, 28; F. S. Dow, 21; J. W. Bennett, 24; J. Albert Matson, 1; Claude Nasburg, 2; J. T. McCormac, 10; Wm. Grimes, 4; E. D. McArthur, 2; Dr. Tower, 10; H. H. McPherson, 2; C. C. Going, 2; J. H. Flanagan, 3; R. O. Graves 2; Dr. Toye, 1; H. S. Tower, 1; Alva Doll, 2; Dr. Mingus, 4; Dr. Leslie, 1.

Wm. Grimes, one of last year's directors, requested that Judge J. S. Coke be elected in his place as a representative of the First Trust and Savings Bank on the board. The Coos Bay, Boise and Idaho Railway project and other matters are demanding so much of his time that he wished to be relieved of the other.

THE WEATHER MARKET.

Today.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 24. — The wheat market closed as follows: September, $1.01 3-4; December, 98½c; May, $1.01 3-4.

Yesterday.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Wheat closed as follows: September, $1.03 5-8; December, 99c; May $1.02 3-8.

(By Associated Press.)

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 23. — Choice milling Bluestem, 98½c; Club and Red Fife, 89c; Red Russian, 87c.

GULF STORM DEATH LIST GROWS

Over 100 Names of Victims of Hurricane and Tidal Wave That Swept Southern Coast Monday.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 23.—Belated reports today of death and destruction in Monday's hurricane between Louisiana and Mississippi show further loss of life and property. The list of dead contains more than hundred names.

MILLENIUM FAILS EXPECTANT ONES

THREE HUNDRED PEOPLE GATHER IN MASSACHUSETTS TOWN TODAY TO AWAIT END OF WORLD WHICH FAILED TO COME.

(By Associated Press.)

WEST DUXBURY, Mass., Sept. 24—Inspired with the conviction that today would bring the end of the world, three hundred or more members of the Latter Reign of the Apostolic church or Triune Immersionists, as they prefer be called, gathered today in their little chapel here awaiting the millenium, which they promised would come today. Singing hymns and repeating prayers, the enthusiastic worshippers watched for "signs" but they saw only an occasional gathering of clouds which followed the rain last night. There was no phenomena to indicate the coming of the purification of the world ere the passed day. There was little comment when the hour designated for the finale of earthy things passed.

BANDON DRAWS LARGE CROWD

Coos and Curry Well Represented at Carnival and Lodge Meeting.

(Special to The Times.)

BANDON, Ore., Sept. 24. — The Bandon carnival today is being attended by the greatest crowds that ever gathered in the city. All sections of Coos and Curry counties are represented. Besides the carnival, the district convention of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, which is in progress today, drew many visitors from the various towns of the county.

Dr. L. C. Sorenson formally opened the carnival yesterday afternoon at 3:30. The first event on the program was the Bandon-Port Orford Railway parade and celebration and this was followed by the scheduled diversions.

With favorable weather tomorrow, today's big crowd will be eclipsed.

NO TRACE OF MRS. CAMPBELL

Mystery Surrounding Disappearance of Gardiner Woman Unsolved.

There have been no developments in the mystery surrounding the disappearance of Mrs. Zina Campbell at North Bend a few weeks ago. Today Marshal Carter said that he had heard rumors of her departure but that he had been unable to substantiate them. Marshal Caffrey of North Bend, said he had been unable to find out anything definite but that a North Bend man who said he formerly knew her at Gardiner, was positive he had seen her on the streets in North Bend a short time ago.

One of the rumors that have been started in connection with the matter is that Mrs. Campbell missed the Gasco on the morning she was to leave for Gardiner and that some fishermen had promised to catch the stage for her with their fishing boat. Instead of catching the stage, the rumor has it they went elsewhere and are now holding her captive. But little credence is given this story, though.

Both Marshal Carter and Marshal Caffrey are making a careful search for her and there will likely be some developments in a day or two.

RIOTING IS DENIED.

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Sept. 23.—The reports of fatal anti-Jewish rioting at Kiev, Russia, not only lack confirmation but bring forth absolute denial from several reliable persons on the spot.

BUYS STOCK OF MARSDEN

A. J. Mendel Purchases Robert Marsden's Interest In Firm.

A. J. Mendel has just closed a deal whereby he secures the stock of Robert Marsden in the Coos Bay Liquor Company, the latter retiring from active business. The change is effective at once.

Mr. Mendel has been associated with Mr. Marsden for sometime past and the deal will not mean any particular change in the business. The deal will not in any way affect the Hub Clothing and Shoe Company, which Mr. Mendel owns, and which he conducts stores in Marshfield and Coquille.

Mr. Marsden will devote his time to his extensive property interests here and next year may make a trip to his old home in England.

COUNTRY MAID NOT SO SIMPLE

Kansas Man Finds "Unsophisticated Lass" Had Five Husbands Before Him

(By Associated Press.)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 24. — Mrs. Frederick Chapman has been arrested on charges of bigamy preferred by her husband. He thought he had married an unsophisticated country girl, but found four marriage certificates in her trunk. Mrs. Chapman is alleged to have confessed to have married five men besides Chapman and to have deserted them.

DON'T AFFECT THEM.

(By Associated Press.)

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 23.—Insurance Commissioner Schively has informed the Bankers' Life Association of Des Moines, Iowa, that the recent opinion of the state attorney general ousting certain companies from this state in no manner affects that association.

BIG JEWELRY SALE.

Carleton Jewelry Company's Attract Crowds.

The special sale of jewelry by the Carleton Jewelry Company this week is attracting unusual crowds of buyers. In order to make room for a large stock that the company has coming, the prices of nearly everything have been greatly reduced and Coos Bay people are picking up the bargains in good shape. Their sales this week have been the largest in the history of the firm.

BUTTE MINES CLOSED BY CLASH OF LABOR UNIONS

Eighty Per Cent of Shafts In That District Not Working Today.

WESTERN FEDERATION OF MINERS ORDERS

Hoisting Engineers Start the Trouble By Withdrawing From Body.

(By Associated Press.)

BUTTE, Mont., Sept. 24.—As a result of jurisdictional fight between the Western Federation of Miners and the Hoisting Engineers, eighty per cent of the mines in the Butte district closed down today. A majority of the Engineers' Union, No. 83, having seceded from the Western Federation of Miners and organized a new union, the Butte Miners' Union ordered its members not to work in mines employing members of the new engineers' union. No other matters are involved in the difficulty.

SPAIN FACES ANOTHER WAR

Sultan of Morocco Likely to Lock Horns With King Alfonso.

(By Associated Press.)

MADRID, Spain, Sept. 24.—It is generally believed here that the complications which have arisen between Spain and Mulai Hafid, the Sultan of Morocco, will likely result in a Spanish-Moroccan war, that is a war distinct from the fighting of today which is in progress on the Riffe coast with the Moors. Spain has more than sixty thousand troops in Northern Africa with eleven thousand more mobilized.

Trouble at Barcelona.

MADRID, Sept. 24.—The situation in Barcelona is causing renewed anxiety. Bomb explosions in the streets are almost a daily occurrence. Newspapers that print even rumors of such occurrences are being seized by the authorities.

TO MEET HERE THIS EVENING

Coos Bay, Boise and Idaho Railway Project Will Be Discussed.

There is considerable interest manifested in the railroad meeting called for tonight at the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce when final plans for carrying out the Coos Bay, Boise and Idaho Railway project will be discussed after a detailed report of the company's transactions today are made. There promises to be a large attendance of subscribers to the fund.

SAYS HE WILL FURNISH BOND

F. D. Kuettner Talks to Meeting at Roseburg About Electric Line.

ROSEBURG, Ore., Sept. 24.—An extra morning edition of the Umpqua Valley News says: "A large crowd assembled at the Roseburg Commercial Club room last evening for the purpose of considering the promotion of an electric railway between this city and the coast. Aside from Roseburg's representative delegation, there were several Coos county boosters present, among whom were Peter Loggie of North Bend, J. W. Snover, W. P. Murphy, Ira Chapman, J. E. Shilling and C. A. Sehlbrede of Marshfield, Senator W. C. Chase of Coquille City, D. R. Lewis and J. L. Laird of Myrtle Point. Messrs. Kuettner and J. H. Somers were also present, giving the inquisitive crowd such information as they desired.

"The Marshfield delegation arrived shortly after 7 o'clock last evening by auto having made the trip in 9 hours. Banners adorning each side of the auto were lettered as follows, "It will be built."

"Frederick D. Kuettner of the firm of Kuettner and Haas, the railroad builders, agreed to deposit a bond in the sum of $100,000 such amount to be forfeited by said contractors in event they failed to construct an electric railway between Roseburg and Marshfield via Myrtle Point and Coquille within twenty-four months from the time the necessary rights of way are obtained and the survey completed. Mr. Kuettner leaves for Portland this morning at which place he will prepare the bond as dictated by the general committee with whom he met in secret session last evening. The instrument will be of the surety variety thus making it absolutely reliable."

"Mr. Kuettner, who is associated with Jacob Haas in the construction of the railroad, stated that he stood ready to construct an electric railway between Roseburg and Marshfield via Myrtle Point and Coquille City should the citizens furnish him the necessary right of ways and survey. Further he said that all matter pertaining to the preliminary work should be left wholly in the hands of the general committee comprised of one responsible person from each of the towns interested until such time as the road was in readiness for operation. At that time, of course, the committee will be obliged to turn over the deeds of the rights of way which will thereafter become the property of the company. To show that he really meant business, Mr. Kuettner said that he was willing to furnish a satisfactory bond that the road would be constructed as agreed, such document to be approved by the general committee. 'We ask for these concessions,' said Mr. Kuettner, 'more for protection than anything else. You need the railroad in as much as it will aid materially in developing the terminals to say nothing of the interior of the country through which it passes.'

"Another company which you have, no doubt, heard mentioned of late desires you to furnish money to complete their survey, while they make you no promises whatever. On the contrary, our company agrees to build and equip the line within twenty-four months from the time the rights of way are turned over or forfeit a bond of considerable value.'

"The members of the Coos Bay contingent leave for home this afternoon expecting to commence the work of soliciting funds without delay. It is said that the Smith and Simpson lumber companies have agreed to furnish a right of way across their holdings free of charge as have the farmers residing in that locality. The only difficulty in securing the right of way is anticipated with the Oregon and California Railway Company. 'Should any difficulty arise, however,' Mr. Kuettner says, 'condemnation proceedings will be launched, thus allowing the completion of the road without delay.'"

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