

# KILLED IN THE SUBWAY

### Signal Man Run Over by Express Meets Instant Death—Body Stopped the Train.

### AUTOMATIC BRAKES PERFECT

### Peculiar Accident Makes Short Circuit and Envelopes Cars in Blue Flame. Passengers Were Badly Frightened.

New York, Nov. 22.—A peculiar accident in the subway which resulted in the instant death of William H. McMillan, a signal man, has caused great excitement among the passengers aboard an express train who for a few minutes believed that the train was on fire and tried to escape.

McMillan had been adjusting a signal when the train rushed upon him. The third rail arm on the first car threw him down and he was instantly killed. His clothing caught the emergency trigger, threw off the current and set the airbrakes on the whole train which stopped very suddenly. The cars jammed together by the sudden impact and an iron gate fell to the third rail causing a short circuit. Blue flames shot up around the cars and frightened the passengers almost out of their wits but the guards remained cool at their posts, refusing to open the doors and in a few minutes the scare died out.

### LAW MUST BE OBEYED.

### Imported Foods Must Be Labeled Correctly or go Back.

New York, Nov. 22.—Collector of Customs Stranahan at the port of New York has assumed the aggressive for the government in its attitude towards the enforcement of the pure food law with especial reference to the labeling of all imported products with the formula noting the use of coloring or preserving substances of whatever kind, such as sulphate of copper, boric acid, glucose, etc. That the authorities have decided to show no more leniency toward importers and foreign manufacturers failing to comply with the law is evidenced by the fact that a large quantity of "egg white," a pasty preparation used extensively by bakers and confectioners found to contain a dangerous amount of boric acid was ordered trans-shipped to France.

At the same time importers generally were notified that hereafter the policy of the government would be to force the trans-shipment to the oriental point of shipment of all goods brought here without proper labels. This was the first intimation the importers had received that radical measures were to be resorted to at once to enforce the law. They quickly sought cover by cabling the manufacturers in Europe to hold up further shipments indefinitely.

### INDIANS DESTROY SALMON.

### Chief Fisheries Inspector of British Columbia Finds Many Traps.

Vancouver, B. C. Nov. 22.—John Williams, chief fisheries inspector of British Columbia, has just forwarded to Ottawa a report regarding the

### ANOTHER WONDER OF SCIENCE.

### Biology has Proved that Dandruff is Caused by a Germ.

Science is doing wonders these days in medicine as well as in mechanics. Since Adam lived, the human race has been troubled with dandruff, for which no hair preparation has heretofore proved a successful cure until Newbro's Herpicide was put on the market. It is a scientific preparation that kills the germ that makes dandruff or scurf by digging into the scalp to get at the root of the hair, where it saps the vitality; causing itching scalp, falling hair, and finally baldness. Without dandruff hair must grow luxuriantly. It is the only destroyer of dandruff. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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wholesale destruction of salmon by Indians on the Skeena and other Northern rivers.

The inspectors recently made a tour of inland rivers and destroyed no less than six barricades which the Indians had thrown across the rivers. In one of these the officials found thirteen traps with false bottoms, which could be raised when full of fish. From each of these traps 500 fish were taken the day the officials arrived. This practice had been going on for years, and the wonder is that the salmon had not been killed out altogether.

Most of the 2,000,000 fish destroyed this year were females full of spawn. The fish were dried to be eaten by the Indians during the winter or sold to trappers.

### RAINING AT TACOMA, TOO.

### City of Destiny Gets One-Seventh Average Precipitation in Two Days.

Tacoma, Nov. 22.—One of the most torrential downpours of rain this city has ever experienced has been falling here for days. In the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m. today Weather Observer Culver checked off a precipitation of 3.40 inches. In the twenty-four ending at 5 p. m. last night there was a fall of 3.15 inches. At 6 o'clock this evening the rain is pouring down at the rate of 1-100 inch in every two minutes' time.

"You can better imagine what kind of a rain this is," said Mr. Culver, "when I tell you that the average rainfall in Tacoma and the section surrounding it is forty-five inches in a year. We have got a bout one-seventh of our rain in two days."

So far as can be learned, there has been no damage done, further than a general cessation of all street improving and other outside work that is not absolutely necessary. Northern Pacific officials report heavy snowfalls in the Cascade mountains in the past two days. In the twenty-four hours ending at midnight last night eleven inches of snow had fallen at the Cascade tunnel.

## Unprecedented Fame

### Vinol, the New Form of Cod Liver Oil.

### CAUSES A SENSATION IN MEDICAL CIRCLES.

### Not only in America, But in Europe.

"Good news goes fast," said Mr. Rogers yesterday, talking to a reporter about that wonderful Vinol, concerning which so much is heard nowadays. "Why, you know that besides being talked about in New England, many of the prominent papers in America are devoting more or less space to this wonderful discovery. See here, what do you think of this?" Whereupon Mr. Rogers produced an article from the Lancet of London, England.

The Lancet is the greatest medical publication in the world, and anything appearing in its columns is considered as indisputable evidence. "Let me read this to you," said Mr. Rogers. "I won't dother you with much of it, but here is enough to show you what the great men of the old world think of Vinol," whereupon he read the following:

"Recent investigation has led to the isolation of several distinct bodies in cod liver oil, notably amongst which are the alkaloids. These principles have been tested faithfully, and the results form the subject of an exclusive report by Galutier and Mourgues in the Journal de Pharmacie, who concluded that the combined active principles of cod liver oil act as powerful stimulants of nutrition and assimilation, and show definitely the nature of the principles to which the oil owes its valuable medicinal properties.

"And the best part of all this," continued Mr. Rogers, "it is not only the physicians that are enthusiastic, but the people who are taking the remedy. After all, I do not blame them much either. It does not take but a minute for any one who is obliged to take cod liver oil to find out that Vinol is tasteless. Then the patient soon realizes its advantage. It does good so much more quickly, and accomplishes the desired end in a much more marked manner than cod liver oil in its crude form was ever able to do. Oh, yes, of course I consider the success of Vinol as assured. How can it be otherwise,—a discovery that has revolutionized the form and made it practical to prescribe the greatest known medicine for all wasting diseases.

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"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad. of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility." This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C. writes. Only 50c. at Chas. Rogers Druggist.

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At Astoria in the state of Oregon, at the close of business, November 10th, 1904.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$309,830 91
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,237 87
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
Bonds, securities, etc.	43,300 00
Other real estate owned	6,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	14,004 26
Due from state banks and bankers	106,563 89
Due from approved reserve agents	184,050 06
Checks and other cash items	358 52
Notes of other national banks	690 00
Nickels and cents	306 10
Lawful Money Reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$120,200 00
Legal-tender notes	90 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer 5 per cent circulation	120,290 00
Total	\$822,756 31
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	30,050 20
National bank notes outstanding	12,500 00
Due to state banks and bankers	158 34
Individual deposits subject to check	\$511,097 24
Demand certificates of deposits	168,750 53
Certified checks	200 00
Total	\$822,756 31

I, S. S. Gordon, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. S. GORDON, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of November, 1904.  
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