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Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 22.—(U. P.)—At least nine persons were killed and about 75 were injured here tonight when a local train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, running about 40 miles an hour, crashed into two locomotives here.

Nine bodies had been taken from the wreckage at midnight and removed to the Allegheny county morgue.

Police and firemen continued the search for additional bodies believed to be in the debris.

The freight locomotives, coupled together, backing up to get the Wheeling Express, ran through an open switch, sideling three passenger coaches attached to a local train.

The crowded coaches were ripped open by the impact and many of the passengers were hurled over a 15-foot embankment.

Panic ensued among the living passengers as they were hurled from their seats by the force of the collision. Lights were extinguished and the survivors struggled furiously to free themselves from the splintered cars. Aid was rushed to the scene at once and ambulances were summoned.

Shrieks and groans of the mangled victims filled the air and a great throng of spectators was drawn to the scene. Police reserves were compelled to fight off the morbidly curious, as well as many relatives and friends of passengers on the wrecked train.

Scores of physicians summoned from every hospital in the city gave first aid treatment to the injured, who were later taken to the hospital. A few residents in or near Pittsburg, were able to go to their homes.

Eighteen unidentified injured are in the Mercy hospital, several of them reported to be in a critical condition.

The dead:
A. YOCKUM, 16, South Side, Pittsburg.

FRANK ZIEGEL, Glaspott, Penn.

HENRY H. MARCUS, McKeesport, Penn.

Unidentified man believed to be J. W. Mater, Pittsburg.

Unidentified woman and four unidentified men.

10th Annual Ball Of Portland Police Is Decided Success

Many people were present at the tenth annual ball of the Portland Police Beneficiary association at the Auditorium Saturday night. Splendid music was furnished and all present enjoyed themselves fully. The ball is an annual affair given by the association to maintain a fund to care for disabled and wounded policemen. Mayor and Mrs. Baker lead the grand march. Chief and Mrs. Johnson, Captain Inskip, Captain Jenkins and Captain Circle were among those who had to do with the arrangements for the affair, most of the work being in charge of Captain Circle.

The last offering by the government of \$600,000,000 certificates of indebtedness was oversubscribed by \$20,758,000.

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DEAD AT 87 DR. MARY WALKER, noted suffragist and eccentric who is dead at Oswego, N. Y.



Dr. Mary Walker of Eccentric Ideas Is Dead in 87th Year

Oswego, N. Y., Feb. 22.—(I. N. S.)—Dr. Mary Walker, noted suffragist, surgeon, died at the home of Frank Dwyer, a neighbor at Blodgett's corner, town of Oswego, last night.

Dr. Walker's death was due to a general breakdown. She had been failing for the last two years, since an accident when she fell on the steps of the capitol at Washington.

Her only near relatives were three nephews and a niece. All live in Oswego.

Dr. Walker was 87 years old. She was born November 26, 1832, at Bunker Hill, where she lived the greater part of her life. Her career had been picturesque and she spent years on the battlefield during the Civil war.

After the war ended her time was spent in a campaign for dress reform and battling for women's rights. She practiced medicine during this time and wrote many articles. She claimed to be the first American woman to attempt to cast a ballot.

Capon Cabanel Is Principal Speaker At S. A. R. Banquet

"God, France and America forever" was the tribute paid George Washington by Judge Wallace McCamant, in speaking on "Washington, the Gentleman," "Virginia, in the generation preceding the revolution, was as fine a field as there was in the world for the evolution of a gentleman."

Lieutenant John C. Burgard of the 91st division, told of the experiences of that famous troop in France.

At a business meeting of the society yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected:

President—Wallace McCamant; vice president, J. F. Ewing; A. Lindsley; registrar, Edwin Caswell; chaplain, Dr. John H. Boyd; board of managers, D. W. Watfield, R. E. Sanford, Winthrop Hammond and Robert Treat Platt.

DANIELS TALKS TO WILSON 600 MILES BY WIRELESS

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communication with the president was about 1700 miles.

Secretary Daniels spoke in a loud tone of voice, as though he were delivering a peroration before a large audience. He repeated "Good-bye" several times.

Aboard the U. S. S. George Washington, Feb. 22.—(U. P.)—The George Washington probably will reach Boston Sunday night. It was anchored today. In that case, the liner would anchor at President Road, and President Wilson would remain aboard until Monday morning.

Continuing to make good headway, the George Washington was just 570 miles from Boston at noon today, in latitude 42 north, and longitude 58.9 west. A Washington's birthday celebration was held aboard ship, in which the president participated. There was a special program of music and speeches and the members of the crew held several athletic contests. At noon the presidential salute of 21 guns was fired in honor of Washington.

The president is keeping in close touch with congressional developments by wireless. It is considered the appropriations bills will be passed.

Kelso Diking Supervisors Elected
Kelso, Wash., Feb. 22.—Pat Baxter and M. V. Edmonds were elected supervisors of the newly organized Diking District No. Six Thursday. With Engineer G. J. Fosky they will make up the board of supervisors. The county will sell \$35,000 worth of 7 per cent bonds of the district Wednesday, March 5. The new supervisors will proceed with construction of the diking project immediately. A dike will be built along the Coville river from Fowlers Lake to the hill north of West Kelso.

MOVE WILL BE MADE TO BREAK PITTOCK WILL, ADMITS SON

Mysterious Individual Arrives
From East and Attorney Will
File Action Soon.

That an effort was already under way to break the will of the late Henry L. Pittock was stated Saturday afternoon by Fred Pittock, only son of the publisher. He stated that he represents his four sisters in the action, and that T. W. E. Thomas had been engaged and is now making ready to file the opening documents in the suit.

While Mr. Pittock said he did not care to discuss at length the grounds upon which the suit would be made, he admitted that the chief stand would be that his father was unduly influenced during the time he was drawing the will. The action, he said, would be commenced very shortly.

A few weeks ago it became known that there was a plan to break the will, but at that time the matter was held up pending the arrival of an individual from the East. This person has now arrived, Mr. Pittock said, but the name will not be given out at present.

Prominent legal opinion was solicited when the first rumor was spread that an attempt would be made to break the will, and was to the effect that the will was so well drawn that it could not possibly be broken. Mr. Pittock, however, after further consultation, said he feels certain that it can and should be broken.

It was provided that the estate should be kept in trust for 20 years, during which time the son and each of the four daughters would receive a stipend of \$500 a month. At the end of the 20 years, the estate would be divided equally among the children. In the event that any of them should die, the will provided that instead of going to the heirs of that one, the share in the estate would revert to the survivors and be apportioned among the survivors at the end of the 20 year period.

BOCHE MAD IN REVOLT
OF SOVIET INCEPTION

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butcher named Potter, was arrested. Doubt shrouds the conflicting report regarding the minister of war, Rosshaup.

IF YOU HAVE ECZEMA THIS WILL INTEREST YOU

"ABOUT two years ago," writes a prominent business man of Portland, Oregon, "an itching sore appeared on my leg, halfway between body and knee. For a time I used home remedies without success. I then went to a prominent skin specialist. He said my trouble was eczema. He treated me for some time but without improvement. A similar sore would occasionally come about the same location on the other leg. I tried many known remedies and then went to another skin specialist. He gave me medicine and treatment with the same result—no improvement. The eczema continued for about a year. Sometimes the sore would be almost entirely well, then in a few days it was like a house afire. Itch something dreadful and excruciating. One evening I noticed on my wife's dresser a bottle of Santiseptic. In reading the directions saw that it mentioned eczema. I tried it and it gave me relief. It was not long until it was entirely healed, but it remained tender. I continued using Santiseptic, and the tenderness finally entirely disappeared. Santiseptic Lotion cured my case of eczema and I write this experience with the hope it may be of benefit to other sufferers.

Santiseptic Lotion does have remarkable healing properties in all ailments of the skin. It is prescribed by physicians for many baffling skin troubles and with success. If you have an obstinate skin irritation or disease try it. Use it faithfully and you will find unphoed-for relief. Santiseptic may be used freely and always with beneficial effect. If you are a sufferer from eczema or have any other minor skin ailment or skin rash, get a bottle of Santiseptic. If your druggist cannot supply it, send fifty cents to the distributors, The Esbencott Laboratories, Portland, Or., for full size bottle postpaid—Adv.

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ter. The latest unconfirmed dispatch from Munich says he was arrested and "killed in prison," which would indicate the soviet is in complete mastery of the situation, having taken over the prisons and other public institutions.

Street fighting is reported in continuous progress in the Bavarian capital. Government troops are said to be hard pressed.

Berne, Feb. 22.—(U. P.)—The German press is partly horrified and partly indifferent toward the assassination of Premier Eisner.

Tragedy Is Lamented
The Frankfurter Zeitung's comment is typical. It laments "the great tragedy," and continues:

"The revolution is now lacking a great leader. Eisner might have been one. Many Germans will not forget his dictatorial position. He ruled with machine guns during the last elections and wrecked his party and himself, as he did not win a seat in the national assembly. Terrorism brought him to the top and terrorism brought him down.

"It was normally assumed that Eisner would live in history as the originator of the German revolution. He did not believe in parliaments, but idolized the soviet. He was a born Berliner, and Berlin's greatest opponent. A Jew, he ruled Catholic Bavaria. A Prussian, he shattered the centuries old Prussian throne. A journalist, he constantly attacked newspapers.

Former Critic Not Pleased
"Formerly a theatrical critic, he was not fully pleased with his own performance on the political stage of the German revolution."

Weimar, Feb. 21 (Delayed).—(U. P.)—Chancellor Scheidemann predicted today that the Spartacists' uprising will be crushed within two weeks. He admitted that the interim probably will be filled with bloody fighting, but is determined to crush the outbreak at any cost.

To Military Governor Noske, who suppressed the Spartacist revolt in Berlin, this best of luck in the task of directing the entire campaign against the radicals. He will attempt to associate the various anti-Bolshevik factions, if possible, and isolate the Spartacists, who, according to government information, expect help from the Russian Bolsheviks.

Hisses Greet Scheidemann
The cabinet is understood to have decided definitely that the situation is primarily a Spartacist uprising rather than a workmen's strike. This decision is explained to have been the motive for the government's determination to crush the revolution. His announcement was greeted with hisses and groans by the radicals, but was loudly cheered by the other delegates.

The Spartacist demonstration in Munich has caused additional apprehension, as some of the government officials fear the Bavarians will seize the opportunity to form some sort of an alliance with the Spartacists in an effort to vent their hate on the Prussians.

Copenhagen, Feb. 22.—(U. P.)—Deputy Sveller shot Minister Auer, Councilor Garres and Deputy Osel and a man dressed in a military uniform shot the other ministers in Friday's affray at Munich, according to advices received here tonight.

Weimar, Feb. 22.—The assassination of Premier Eisner of Bavaria, undoubtedly is connected with the loyalist plot to arrest of Prince Joachim, the ex-kaiser's son, who has been in the "Prussian frontier whereabouts is unknown.

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