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## AN AWFUL DISASTER

Santa Fe Collision the Worst on that Line in Years.

TEN EMPLOYEES WERE KILLED

Removal of the Dead and Wounded Accomplished With Difficulty--W. J. Bryan Tells of His Experience.

EMPORIA, Kan., Sept. 9.—Last night's head-on collision on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe proves to have been the worst disaster that has occurred on that system in many years. Twelve employees were killed outright or died of their injuries, and fifteen others were more or less injured.

Trains over the Santa Fe will be run by way of Ottawa for a few days. The cost of the wreck to the railway is estimated at \$100,000.

As the passengers and trainmen recovered from the shock of the explosion, they looked for the injured and dead. Far down in the heaps of the debris sounded wailing voices of men pleading for aid. While the rescuers were working to get at the unfortunates, fire broke out in the wreckage of the forward coaches, and a cry for water went up. Water tanks were torn from their fastenings in the coaches that could be entered and blood-besmeared men carried them over broken timbers to quench the fast-spreading flames. The dead and mangled bodies of four victims were dragged to the grass beside the track. After herculean efforts the flames were finally subdued, and the work of rescue made more easy.

Engineer Brannan was found under his engine, dead. Engineer Nate Hollister was thrown thirty feet from his engine and was picked up dead. Engineer Frisbey was picked up some distance from the track, fatally injured. Benjamin Walter, his fireman was terribly mangled. Shurley and Gonzalla, firemen on No. 1, were badly injured, and died after being removed from the wreck.

The four postal clerks on No. 1 were all found. They were R. O. McGee, W. F. Jones, M. J. McGlade and Claude Holiday, all of Kansas City. Holiday's legs are broken and he is injured internally. M. J. McGlade was crushed and bruised about the head and body and he died shortly before midnight. Jones' legs are mangled and his head is badly cut. McGee's legs are crushed.

The postal clerks on the fast mail were A. Dorn and J. F. Sauer. The express messenger was killed and C. W. Van Cleve, a brakeman, is fatally injured. After a time a relief train arrived and the injured were taken to Topeka.

William J. Bryan was interviewed as to his experience in the collision. He said: "I have traveled thousands of miles on railroads and I was never in a wreck before. I did not feel the shock very severely where I was, but from the way things looked, I cannot see why we were not all killed. The scene here presented is the most terrible I have ever seen. It has made an impression on me that cannot leave me in my lifetime."

"Is it true you were the first man to reach the scene from your car and go to the rescue?" he was asked. "Please don't say anything about that," Bryan replied with a deprecating gesture. From passengers present it was learned that Bryan was the first person to push forward to the assistance of the victims; that he assisted to carry the first body recovered, and that so long as there was any necessity he was foremost in the work of rescue. Mr. Bryan and David Leahy, a Topeka news-

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paper man, were in the smoking-coach of the west-bound train. The two men jumped out of the same window without their hats or baggage, which was afterwards burned, and escaped practically without a scratch. Bryan reached Emporia about midnight and remained at the hotel until morning when he resumed his journey.

Claude Hollister, of Topeka, had both legs broken and shattered in half a dozen places. When the rescuers laid him on the grass beside the track he turned to one of the group and asked him if he would pull through. When assured that he would live, if he was brave, he said: "Am I not brave? Look at my legs dangling, and then ask me to be brave. I suppose they will have to be amputated, but I will bear the operation and live through it."

William Frisbey, engineer of the fast mail, whose residence is in Topeka, was conscious until he died. He said:

"I did not see the other train until I came upon it. I turned on the air and jumped. I presume I cannot recover, but I will die as bravely as I can. I want you men to leave me and help the victims that are more unfortunate than I am."

A. B. Adams, who is among the injured, was on his way to Mexico from New Jersey with registered bonds amounting to \$800,000 and a great deal of other valuables. They were all burned in the fire that followed.

It is supposed that a handful of charred bones taken from the wreck during the day is all that is left of Messenger Sauer. Route Agent L. F. Lytle, of Wells-Fargo Express, was at the scene when the bones were found, and near them picked up a watch, which he identified as Sauer's.

Behind the west-bound train that was wrecked was a freight train. Its engineer stopped at Lang for orders. He says today that a red light, the danger signal, hung out by the operator there to warn the west-bound passenger to stop, was burning so dimly and the glass was smoked so badly he could not see it till he had left his cab and gone close up to it.

Indigestion is often taken for consumption. The word consumption means wasting away, and dyspeptics often waste away as badly as consumptives.

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## FLEDGED TO SUPPORT SPAIN.

Alleged Compact Entered Into by England and France.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 9.—Comte Henry de Penalo, who has been visiting friends in St. Louis for a few days, said that the rumor of an understanding between Spain and other European countries, looking to a check upon American interference with Cuba, was confirmed by information which came to him from high authority. De Penalo has been introduced in St. Louis as a member of an old Spanish family whose sympathies are with the Carlist party, but whose connection with high politics in Spain keeps him posted on most of the important diplomatic movements. He said:

"Some time last September when the Cuban question was so much agitated in the United States, even to the point of furnishing planks to the declarations of presidential conventions, Senor Canovas del Castillo, then premier of Spain, received assurances from the English and French governments through their representatives in Madrid that they would not permit any action on the part of the United States other than a very perfunctory recognition of belligerency of the insurgents."

On August 5th before leaving Paris, I learned from trustworthy sources that this assurance has been renewed. General Azcarragua, the new premier, has received the French and English ambassadors, who have once more assured Spain of the sympathy of their governments and of their willingness to give "diplomatic help."

## Cuba's New Tariff.

MADRID, Sept. 9.—The Official Gazette today published the new customs tariff of Cuba. Nearly all American goods are subjected to lower duties.

## The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by the use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottle free at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug store. (2)

## A CLASH IS IMMINENT.

Deputies Again Attempted to Evict the Strikers.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 9.—At 8 o'clock this morning deputies evicted a family from the company's houses at Plum creek. Little resistance was offered at the time, but as soon as the house had been emptied and the furniture put in the middle of the street, women gathered in front of the house, and the deputies had gone, miners forced an entrance to the house and carried the furniture back. Desperate resistance will be offered in case a second attempt is made to evict the family.

Three hours later, sixteen deputies arrived at Clarksville, and evicted John Puke and his family. They are Polish people, but have many friends at Clarksville. Their furniture was carried into the house again, and Puke, his family and several friends installed themselves there, prepared to make trouble for the deputies if they again attempted to evict them.

The deputies have sent for Supt. DeArmitt, and he is expected here at any moment. The news of his coming spread like wild fire, and the women of Clarksville have gathered for resistance. They are all armed, and are sufficiently aroused to attack the deputies as soon as they return.

"My boy came home from school one day with his hand badly lacerated and bleeding, and suffering great pain," says Mr. E. J. Schall, with Meyer Bros' Drug Co., St. Louis, Mo. "I dressed the wound, and applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely. All pain ceased, and in a remarkably short time it healed without leaving a scar. For wounds, sprains, swellings and rheumatism I know of no other medicine or prescription equal to it. I consider it a household necessity." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Blakeley & Houghton.



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## SPECIAL SCHOOL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 12, of Wasco county, state of Oregon, that a special school meeting for said district will be held at the brick school house on Court street, on the 25th day of September, 1897, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the following objects: To further consider the question of erecting a new school building and providing funds for the same.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1897.

O. D. DOANE,  
Chair, Board of Directors.

GEO. P. MORGAN, Clerk. e9-td

## STOCK-HOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stock-holders of the Wasco Warehouse Company will be held at the office of French & Co., The Dalles, Or., on Tuesday, September 28, 1897, at 8:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before it.

The Dalles, Or., Sept. 4, 1897.

H. M. BEALL,  
Secy. Wasco Warehouse Co.

## NOTICE.

TO HOLDERS OF SCHOOL WARRANTS: All outstanding warrants of this school district (No. 12, city) will be paid on presentation at the bank of French & Co., The Dalles, Oregon, on Thursday Sept. 9, 1897. Interest on outstanding warrants ceases after Sept. 8, 1897. By order of the board.

GEO. P. MORGAN,  
District Clerk.

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## For Sale.

Lots A, B, K and L, block 30; A, B, block 72; A, B, C, D, E and F, block 82, and A, B, C, D and E, block 25. Apply to WM. SHACKELFORD.

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