

# Eight Killed, 40 Hurt, As Train Wrecks Coach

### Engineer of Scranton Flyer Said to Have Had Unobstructed View of Central Railroad Coach, Crash Comes Near Station

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Sept. 27.—(AP)—Eight persons were killed and 40 injured when the Scranton Flyer of the Central Railroad of New Jersey plowed into a steel coach of a Lehigh Valley limited here today, shoved it 50 feet and rammed it against the steel girders of the Bethlehem Union station.

The engineer of the Scranton Flyer had an unobstructed view of the other train, according to eye witnesses.

A coroner's jury was impaneled at once and taken to the scene of the wreck, where it began an investigation.

It was said Lehigh Valley trains had the right of way at the cross-over and that the signal board there was set against the Jersey Central train at the time of the accident.

The revised list of dead as given out tonight by the Lehigh Valley railroad follows:

Hugh McGee, baggage man, Allentown, Pa.

George McGovern, Mauchunk, Pa.

H. J. Ott, Allentown, Pa.

D. J. Shovelin, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Harold W. Rigel, Lehighton, Pa.

David Daum, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Charles D. Gates, New York.

Unidentified man.

People standing on the platform said they were amazed to witness the two trains, both running at moderate speed and apparently with unobstructed view of each other, crash together within 100 feet of the station.

The Jersey Central engine struck between the second and third coaches, overturning the former which carried about three score passengers. All those killed and injured were in this one coach, which was of all steel construction.

The heavy plush seats were torn in many instances and thrown upon the passengers who had jammed the aisle at the instant of impact.

The engineer of the limited was Henry Conlin, who has driven the Lehigh's train 19 years without an accident. He declared his train had the right of way at the junction.

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## SMASHED RECORDS NOW HE'S A STAR

### Ken Maynard in "Senior Daredevil" at Oregon Last Times Today

If you're really bent on getting into the movies or on the stage—or anywhere else—you'll take the first step that leads in the general direction of your goal without first inquiring how soon you will get a "lift."

For example, Ken Maynard star of "Senior Daredevil," the Charles R. Rogers production, which is being shown last times today at the Oregon took as his first job in the motion picture industry the winding of the phonograph, which scratched and blared in the lobby of the leading motion picture theatre of Mission, Texas. He lost this job by care-

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lessly falling down and smashing all of the wax cylinder records—probably while gazing at some "two-run" man of the screen instead of watching his step.

For Ken's ambition was to be the best horseman and roper in pictures, and those who have seen "Senior Daredevil" are agreed that he is very close to that goal. After losing his strong-arm job at the picture palace Ken was sent to military school, where, of course, he joined the cavalry unit, and spent his summer vacations on a Texas ranch, continuing his practice of "stunts" of horsemanship that soon brought him back to the "show business," this time as "chief cowboy" and featured rider with such pictures as "Howe's," "Kobinson's," "Sells-Floto and Ringling's."

Then motion pictures called him as it does the "stars" in all lines of related endeavor. He played Paul Revere in "Janice Meredith," which introduced him in his really sensational feats of horsemanship.

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## NEW YORK COMEDY HERE AT ELSINORE

### Streett's Players Offer Snappy Production "Love, Em and Leave 'Em"

"Love 'Em and Leave 'Em," which is the play in American that the Streett players are presenting tonight only at the Elsinore, is the best of the series of realistic sections of contemporary American life that they have presented in the course of their engagement here.

"Kempy" and "The Family Upstairs" belong to the same type. Theatregoers who saw them with the Streett players will remember them with pleasure.

But neither of those two plays had as a collaborator in its writing the greatest living master of colloquial American. "Love 'Em and Leave 'Em" has this in John V. A. Weaver, who aside from being the most important American poet who has emerged in the past 10 years, has the surest knowledge and most effective use of "Americanese" that can be found among contemporary writers.

"Love 'Em and Leave 'Em" takes its title from one of Weaver's best dialect American poems, but the story is taken from other of the themes on which Weaver writes, and is woven by George Abbott, with Weaver's assistance as linguist and authority on folkways of the American lower middle class into a comedy of life that is more than a comedy.

Under the surface ripple of comedy is a pathos as cruel as the pathos in "The Song of the Shirt," and tragedy as consummate as one can hope to find anywhere—except in actuality in any modern, large "pep man" infested commercial corporation in any American city today.

Mary Daniel, Tom Chatterton and—it resolves itself into a catalogue of the entire company this week when a reviewer begins to pin the ephemeral bouquets of praise—the whole company then, has stepped into the snugly fitting vocabulary of colloquial American that the playwright has afforded and has made a very real narrative of what would be in high life tragedy and what is in the comic strip section of American society—in which three-fourths of our people must draw out their existence—broad and bitter comedy.

Mame Walsh, the elder sister, played by Mary Daniel, portrays a character that has some genuine magnificence of soul, thrown against the background of current cowardices and evasions and compromises which make up the average daily life of those who are compelled to spend their lives in punching time clocks.

## POLITICAL POT STIRS IN EASTERN STATES

DETROIT, Sept. 27.—(AP)—With 250 Detroit policemen ordered to be in readiness for whatever may happen, and the possibility of their reinforcement by a detachment of state police, the

marital background was laid tonight for what may be a tempestuous republican state convention here tomorrow.

The seat of war shifted here tonight from Lansing where a circuit court order was issued today which, in effect, told the convention what delegates it should seat from Wayne county (Detroit).

This order would bar those delegates supporting Fred W. Green, nominee for governor, and would seat delegates favorable to Governor Groesbeck, who was beaten for renomination as governor by Green at the September 14 primary election.

Judge Lehard W. Carr at Lansing held that the legally chosen delegates was that named by the "regular" Wayne county convention after Green supporters had bolted and had set up an opposition meeting.

The republican state central committee called a meeting tonight to determine what course to pursue tomorrow. It was said there is a strong possibility that neither delegation will be recognized, leaving Wayne county without a vote in the convention which then would be virtually an all-Green affair. Such procedure is not without precedent in Michigan political history.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 27.—(AP)—The New York democratic state convention held its opening session today and perfected temporary organization with Franklin D. Roosevelt, former assistant secretary of the navy, as chairman.

The resolution committee worked until late tonight in drafting the party platform, which is to be presented to the convention for adoption tomorrow. Believing that a world court plank ought to be inserted in the document, it was decided that the platform would endorse any plan that would result in making war impossible in the future. Another plank will declare for an all-American waterway from the Great Lakes to the Hudson river.

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## CARMEL STORY UNDER ATTACK—SIX APPEAR

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 27.—(AP)—Aimee Semple McPherson, pious evangelist, smiled, laughed, and at times bowed her head as if in sorrow as witnesses testified in municipal court today that she was the woman who sojournd at Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, for ten days with Kenneth G. Ormiston, her former radio operator at Angelus temple, just after she disappeared from the beach here.

She listened, for the most part, unmoved as the story she has told and re-told from her pulpit that she was not at Carmel was branded as false by the state's witnesses.

The evangelist came into Judge Samuel R. Blake's court for preliminary hearing a half hour before court was opened at 10 a. m. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, and W. I. Gilbert, chief of her array of counsel.

Mrs. McPherson, who with her mother and five others are charged with criminal conspiracy to obstruct justice and preparing false evidence, had not been arraigned on account of illness at the time the warrant for her arrest was issued, and the first business of the court was to acquaint her with the charges against her.

Mrs. Lorraine Wiseman-Sielaff whose confession that she was hired to produce false evidence to support the evangelist's kidnapping story, and also a defendant, likewise had not been arraigned.

Mrs. McPherson and Mrs. Sielaff waived reading of the blanket complaint and Judge Blake ordered the preliminary examination to begin.

The Angelus temple pastor was pale and apparently extremely nervous when she entered the courtroom which had been converted into a huge pressroom.

The tiny legal arena was packed with newspaper men, only a few privileged guests with special invitations from the court being allowed within the room. A barrier had been erected in the corridor and a dozen or more officers guarded the gate.

After the first formalities were over Mrs. McPherson gained back her courage and sunny smile, and engaged in animated conversation with her mother and attorneys. Frequently throughout the five hours that the court was in session the evangelist laughed heartily when her attorney ended some tilt with the prosecution with a fun-making remark.

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mother ridiculed each of the witnesses and their testimony.

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## "COCA COLA KING" IS ILL

### ASA G. CANDLER IN HOSPITAL FOR TWO MONTHS

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 27.—(AP)—Asa G. Candler, financier and known as the originator of Coca Cola, is "dangerously ill" in the Wesley Memorial hospital which he founded, his family let it be known tonight.

A stroke of paralysis suffered yesterday affected the right side of Mr. Candler's body and his physicians said tonight that his condition was "exceedingly grave." He has been at the hospital about two months but until yesterday his condition was not regarded as serious.

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dealer; Mrs. Jeanette Parkes, who lived next door to the Carmel cottage rented by "McIntyre"; Percy Parkes, her husband; Ralph Swanson, a grocery clerk of Carmel, and Ernest Henkert, Carmel fuel dealer.

Frequent clashes between counsel marked the day's session. District Attorney Asa Keyes took personal charge of the state's case, assisted by E. J. Dennison, Forrest Murray and Harold L. Davis, deputy district attorneys.

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# Series of Accidents Take Lives and Injure Others

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by D. C. Wagers; when another auto driven by C. J. Ikernan, came along and hit Hofstetter's car, catching his leg between the two. An unidentified car crowd- Ikernan into it, according to reports.

A little girl named Ross was slightly bruised when struck by a car driven by D. G. Alkire, was not taken to a hospital.

Iruth Burnside, aged 17, was injured early Sunday morning about a mile north of the fair grounds on the Silverton Highway, was still suffering from shock at the Salem hospital yesterday. She was riding on the running board of a bug driven by Virgil Holloy, when the car was struck by a heavier machine driven by E. R. Drolf of Mt. Angel. Both of the girl's legs were fractured and she sustained injuries to her back. Conflicting stories of the accident were told in reports made at the police station. Physicians attending the girl intimated that her legs would be set today.

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