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300 AUTO RACE FANS INJURED WHEN GRANDSTAND COLLAPSES

OFFICERS USE CLUBS TO RESTORE ORDER

Panic Stricken Crowd Reflates and Impedes Work of Rescue

Elgin, Ill., Aug. 26.—As the first car in the National Trophy automobile race flashed past the grandstand at the race course in this city today on the first lap, a long section at the western end of the structure suddenly and without warning collapsed, carrying down more than five hundred people, more than three hundred of whom were injured, many of them seriously.

MANY FOREST FIRES IN STATE REPORTED.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 26.—Dry weather is responsible for many forest fires which have broken out in various parts of the state within the last few hours, according to District Forester Cecil, who today issued an appeal for state and private organizations and individuals to aid in keeping the destruction down to the minimum.

BEATTIE JOKES JURY MEMBERS

Carelessly Hurls Salties as They View Blood Stained Automobile

Chesterfield Court House, Va., Aug. 26.—Joking the members of the jury which will decide his fate, in the trial for murdering his young wife, Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., today carelessly looked on as the blood stained automobile in which his wife met her death was exhibited to the jury.

UNCONQUERABLE OUTLAWS FOR ROUND-UP

Bucklers in numbers noted "outlaws" of the plains "sanitizers" whose reputations extend over a large area, Mustang to whom bucklers after bucklers have bowed in submission will be here for the Round-Up. Such is the declaration of the men who are giving their time and attention to making Pendleton's big wild west show a success and they have the data to substantiate their statements.

STEAMER ALICE WRECKED

Kingston, Jamaica, Aug. 26.—The British steamer Alice, which sailed from here a week ago for Bluefields with the principal officer of the Atlantic Fruit company on board, is reported to be a total wreck on Viva Nueva reef off the coast of Nicaragua and it is feared some have been drowned.

\$67 A DAY IS NECESSARY TO LIFE

Washington, Aug. 26.—Mrs. Rose Keeling Hutchins today fixed \$67 a day as the lowest figure on which a millionaire's wife could live properly. The figure was arrived at when Mrs. Hutchins petitioned the Equity court for consent to utilize her \$1,000 a month allowance for "pin money."

LEE CONFESSES TO SLAYING FAMILY

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 26.—A full confession to murdering his father, mother and brother for their money in their home at Booneville, Wednesday night was this afternoon made by William Lee, following a day of solitary confinement, according to an announcement by the county authorities here this afternoon.

HANDKERCHIEF OF HARVESTER NEARLY CAUSES FATALITY

Worn About Neck, Catches in Machinery, Making a Garrote

A handkerchief knotted about his neck for protection from the dust was nearly the cause of death to James Best, separator tender on the W. W. Harrah combine yesterday. While engaged in his duties of keeping the machinery in running order, he was reaching over a wheel when the set screw on the shaft caught in the handkerchief and immediately a deadly garrote was formed. The man had just time to shout "Whoa!" to the string of horses, when the tightening cloth rendered him insensible.

LEHIGH VALLEY DEATH LIST MAY MOUNT TO FORTY

Sixteen Undertakers Work all Night--Many Victims Unidentified

Manchester, N. Y., Aug. 26.—With twenty-five persons, many of them unidentified, dead and fifty injured in the hospitals here and at Rochester, it is believed that the Lehigh Valley railroad wreck of yesterday, will result in fifteen more deaths, before all the injured will have passed the danger mark.

RAILROADS PREPARING FOR GENERAL WESTERN STRIKE

KRUTTSCHMITT RECEDES AND WILL MEET UNIONS

Matter of Gigantic Industrial Struggles Hinges on Conference of Nation's Two Controlling Elements in San Francisco Next Week.

New York, Aug. 26.—Preparing for a general strike of railroad shopmen, involving not only the Harriman system, but practically every big western railroad system, officials of railroad maintaining offices in this city are reported to be formulating a plan to crush the "System of Federation" of railroad employes, before it extends to the operating forces of the various railroads.

HANG JUDGE IN EFFIGY

Five Thousand Angry Citizens Denounce Federal Jurist as Tool of Corporation

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 26.—Denounced at a mass meeting that was attended by more than five thousand citizens, and later hanged in effigy, an arch enemy of the common people and a tool of corporations, Federal Judge Hanford today is the center of a civic storm and object of a demonstration of hostility that is almost without parallel in the history of the state of the Pacific northwest.

BOHEMIAN WITH GUN MAKES GIRL HIS SLAVE

Tillamook, Ore.—Quite a sensation was caused in this city when it became known that Frank Gartner, a Bohemian, went to the home of Wilber Stillwell, north of town, and at the point of a revolver made Emma Kodak go with him to a rooming house in this city. Several shots were fired at the house when the young woman attempted to take the revolver from the man. Mrs. Stillwell hid herself when she heard the shots, but on the return of Mr. Stillwell from a fishing trip this morning, he came to town and with Night Watchman, Duxson discovered the couple in the rooming house. The girl was taken back to her home and Gartner was locked up in the county jail and a charge of attacking the girl, filed against him.

PHYSICIAN FORGER IS AN OLD OFFENDER

That Dr. W. T. Patton of Portland who was arrested here during the fore part of the week for passing bad checks, has been up here for one bad check which he managed to settle and is now out on "his good behavior" under a suspended sentence of six months—Charge largely by Bailie—warrant sworn to by myself.

BAN PLACED ON TEA FROM CHINA

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 26.—As the result of the United States authorities placing a ban on tea from China and Egypt, on the grounds that it has been found to contain coloring matter in violation of the United States pure food laws, prices on that commodity took a decided slump in the market here today.

RETURNS FROM DESERT

Yuma, Ariz., Aug. 26.—Trained to a high point by his two weeks' hunting trip into the Sonora desert, Kermit Roosevelt left for the east last night with four Mexican mountain sheep as trophies.

TANDAL IS MURDERED

Shelbyville, Ind., Aug. 26.—Charles H. Tindal, chairman of the board of directors of the supreme court of honor, which has headquarters at Springfield, Ill., was shot and killed yesterday by Charles E. Van Pelt, Van Pelt, who was arrested, said that Tindal had gassed him beyond endurance, because charges had been brought by Van Pelt's wife and formerly was recorder of the local court of honor.

MOVING PICTURE MIMIC

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 26.—Moving pictures of a mimic reproduction of the arrest and alleged kidnapping to Los Angeles of John J. McNamara are to be exhibited throughout the country and a company of "picture players" will be brought to this city next week from Chicago to pose for the drama. This was the announcement made here today by James A. Short of Washington, president of the Building Trades department of the American Federation of Labor. Mr. Short said exhibition of the pictures was expected to add \$100,000 to the fund for the defense of John J. and James B. McNamara.

HAINES GETS DIVORCE

New York, Aug. 26.—Captain Peter C. Haines, Jr., now serving a term of eight years in Sing Sing for killing William E. Ames, was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from his wife, Claudia L. Haines in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn yesterday. The suit was uncontested, Ames being named as co-respondent. The custody of the three children was awarded to General Peter C. Haines, Sr., of Washington, D. C., father of Captain Haines.

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MINT EMPLOYEES REDUCED

San Francisco, Aug. 26.—Orders received at the government mint here to retrench will result in the discharge of a large number of employes, most of whom will be women.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams today announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence Adams to Mr. John Cullis Sullivan, the wedding to occur on Sept. 17. Miss Adams is a well known and popular young lady of the city and secured a wide-spread reputation for horsemanship last year by her performance at the Round-Up. The announcement was made too late for appearance in the regular society columns of this paper.

Edward E. Koontz and wife of Athens, Ore visitors in the city today.

25 Are Injured. Pittsburg, Aug. 26.—Twenty-five persons were injured, none fatally, last night when a shifting engine hit an excursion train in Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad at South Thirty-fourth street, this city.

Alleged Pauper a Millionaire. New York, Aug. 26.—Dr. Charles Meyers, a recluse who died some time ago in apparent poverty, was worth over half a million dollars, and that amount will be distributed to members of his family this afternoon.