

100 SAID TO BE KILLED

Two Hundred Others Injured in a Wreck in Spain.

HORRIFYING SCENES AT THE WRECK.

A Train Falls From a Bridge Fifty Feet into a River Below—Bodies Caught in the Wreckage Were Crushed Until the Stream Was Red With Blood—Railway Guard Caught Robbing the Dead.

Madrid (By Cable).—Fourteen bodies and fifty injured persons have been extricated from the wreck of the Bilbao train which overturned at Nejerilla river.

According to the latest information 90 persons were killed and 100 seriously injured. Many of the latter will die. Of the 300 passengers on the train it is stated that only six escaped unhurt.

The train, which was composed of two engines and sixteen coaches, was crossing the bridge when the couplings between the engines broke. The second engine left the track and fell, followed by the entire train, into the bed of the river. Fortunately the water was low.

The nearest medical attendance was a mile and a half distant, and those passengers who were least injured aided the others and did all possible until the arrival of relief trains bringing nurses, doctors and soldiers from Bilbao.

The train fell fifty feet from the bridge to the river bed, the coaches piling up in a mass of splintered wood and ironwork. The scene is described as horrifying. Many corpses were carried down the stream which was actually reddened with blood. It was found impossible to extricate numbers of the injured who were pinned under the wreckage. A railway guard was arrested in the act of robbing the dead and narrowly escaped lynching.

LIASSOES GUARD AND ESCAPES.

Harvey Logan, the Montana Train Robber, Breaks Jail.

Knoxville, Tenn. (Special).—Harvey Logan, the alleged Montana train robber, under sentence of 20 years, escaped from the Knox county jail. While his guard's back was turned, Logan threw a wire over his head and lassoed him, tying him tight to the bars of his cage.

Having one entire floor of the jail to himself, Logan next secured two pistols placed in the corridor of the jail for use by officers if needed.

When Jailor Bell appeared in answer to a knock from Logan, the prisoner passed out a bottle, saying he wanted some medicine. As the jailer put out his hand Logan covered him with a pistol, forced him to unlock the door and take him to the basement of the jail.

He then forced Bell to take him to the sheriff's stable and saddle the sheriff's horse. This done Logan mounted and rode away in the direction of the mountains.

A posse started in pursuit of the desperado within one hour.

COUPLE DRUGGED AND ROBBED.

An American and His Wife Lose Their Valuables in San Juan.

San Juan, Porto Rico (Special).—Leslie Lumsden, an assistant surgeon in the Marine Hospital Service, who is temporarily acting as quarantine officer here, and Mrs. Lumsden, were drugged and robbed at the Hotel Inglaterra with chloral, which had been placed in lemonade. While they were under the influence of the drug, all their money and jewelry was taken from a bureau in the room. A porter who took the lemonade to the Lumsdens has been arrested on suspicion. The Lumsdens have recovered from the effect of the chloral. These incidents have caused a great sensation here, as the Hotel Inglaterra is the leading hostelry of San Juan. Lumsden came here recently from New Orleans. He was formerly on duty in Washington.

Went One Hundred Million.

Montgomery, Ala.—At the session of the National Colored Immigration and Commercial Association the committee on resolutions adopted a resolution recommending the chartering of vessels during the year 1904 for carrying colonists to the republic of Liberia, Africa. A petition to President Roosevelt and the National Congress, citing the wrongs from which the colored race is said to suffer, was adopted. An appropriation of \$100,000,000 was asked from Congress to be used for securing the transportation of members of the race who desire to settle in Liberia.

A Family Shooting Affair.

Knoxville, Tenn. (Special).—At the home of Alexander Beattie, a negro shoemaker, four members of his family were shot, three fatally. Samuel and Warren, two sons, aged about 20 years, quarreled, and each pulled a pistol and fired at the other. Both were fatally wounded, each receiving a bullet in the abdomen. The mother of the boys ran into the house and was accidentally shot in the left side. She will die. A daughter, hearing her mother's screams, also ran in, and was shot in the arm.

Alabama Miners and Operators.

Birmingham, Ala. (Special).—At a joint convention of the Alabama miners and mine operators the miners declined the proposition of the operators for an advance of two and one-half cents a ton in the wages of miners with iron at \$12 per ton as a minimum instead of \$11, the scale to be a sliding one, based on iron prices. It is thought by many that a compromise agreement will be reached, since both sides have already receded somewhat from their first proposition.

THE LATEST NEWS IN SHORT ORDER.

Domestic.

The Supreme Court of Tennessee upholds as constitutional a law providing for the submission of the question of the sale of liquor to popular vote in towns having a population of 5000.

Conciliation and arbitration are to be used by the building contractors and their organized employes in Chicago to adjust differences.

The Associated Manufacturers of steel bars, in session in Pittsburgh, reaffirmed the present price of bars.

One man was killed and two are injured by the bursting of an emery wheel in Harrisburg.

Floods on the Rio Grande have driven hundreds of families from their homes.

Mayor Low, of New York, will be a candidate for re-election.

Over 100 freight handlers are on a strike at St. Joseph, Mo.

J. Francis Brown & Co., stockbrokers, of Boston, failed.

In the Municipal Court, in Wilmington, Del., Leander Moore and Joseph Shockley, the two negroes who were arrested for shooting Police Sergeant McDermott and Officer Green, were adjudged guilty. Moore was given a year in jail and Shockley was fined \$50.

In Wilmington, Del., after a hearing before Magistrate Hollis, Arthur Cornell, arrested on a charge of murder in connection with the White lynching, was dismissed, there being no evidence against him.

Cars were run on most of the city lines in Richmond and for a part of the day on the Suburban line to Barton Heights, all under military protection. There was no disturbance of importance.

At Sherman, Conn., P. H. Worden killed Edith Roscoe because of her refusal to marry him. He also tried to kill the girl's mother and himself.

The building trades war has been renewed in New York. Serious trouble is threatened in a general tieup if there is not a settlement.

William Baer is under arrest in Chicago on the charge of planning a big diamond robbery at Los Angeles, Cal.

Capt. V. E. McBee has retired as fourth vice president of the Seaboard Air Line. No successor was elected.

Mrs. Mary Patterson was arrested at New Iberia, La., upon the charge of burning her stepchild to death.

At Jamestown, N. Y., Esté Buchler, aged 24 years, killed herself by jumping in front of a train.

Three negroes who were accused of the murder of a white man were lynched at Newton, Ga.

Gray Haddock, an important witness in the feud cases at Jackson, Ky., is missing.

Almost the entire plant of the Cincinnati Abattoir Company was burned. The City of Nashville, Tenn., instituted suit against railroads to restrain them from using soft coal in their locomotives and causing a smoke nuisance in the center of that city.

The federal grand jury in Brooklyn presented two indictments against George F. Miller, general agent of the Brandt Automatic Cashier Company, in connection with the postoffice scandal.

The Cramp Shipbuilding Company decided to increase the capital stock from \$5,000,000 to \$6,250,000 and the mortgage indebtedness from \$1,800,000 to \$7,500,000.

The World's Fair Company has expended in actual cash \$8,500,000 up to the first of the present month, as shown by the report of the auditing committee.

Ferrelia.

Emperor William and Prince Henry took breakfast on board the Kearsarge in the harbor of Kiel. The American officers were the Emperor's guests at the laughing of the German armored cruiser Roon.

The police of Paris raided the apartments of Parmeggiani, the anarchist, and found art treasures there estimated to be worth \$200,000. They are believed to have been stolen.

Three students belonging to the gymnasium of Airolo, Canton of Ticino, Switzerland, were overwhelmed by an avalanche near Mount St. Gothard and killed.

The former premier, Waldeck-Rousseau, opposed Premier Combes's project to require communes to build schools to replace those of the religious congregations.

Emperor Francis Joseph has confirmed the Hungarian Cabinet formed by Count Hedervary.

The deceased wife's sister Bill was talked to death in the British House of Commons.

The ship America, with the Ziegler expedition aboard, sailed from Tromsø, Norway.

M. Theotakis has formed a new cabinet in Greece, with himself as premier.

The Constitutional Club, in London, entertained Colonial Secretary Chamberlain in London and presented him with an address. The presentation speech was made by Premier Balfour.

DISTURBERS GO TO JAIL.

Heavy Sentences Imposed for Disorder in Richmond.

STRIKERS' PLACES ARE NOW FILLED.

Applications for Positions Are Pouring in Upon the Company From All Over the State and From Other Cities Outside the State—Only the Best and Most Available Men Are Being Employed.

Richmond, Va. (Special).—A more vigorous policy was adopted in the Richmond Police Court in the infliction of punishment on persons who have attempted to interfere with the operation of the cars during the strike. In place of the small fines and bond which have hitherto been imposed several persons were sentenced to 60 days in jail.

The contest is now getting to be one of endurance and it is merely a question of how long it will be necessary to keep the troops here to maintain order. The effect of the strike on business is to practically paralyze it and some merchants have been compelled to reduce their forces. Broad street in the shopping district was deserted. All over the city and in every line of business the deadening effects of the strike are being felt.

Officials of the company are still firm in their determination not to reemploy any members of the union except as individuals and no compromise will be entertained. Now, as at first, they are determined to fight to the finish at whatever cost.

There has been no further step taken by the merchants who were contemplating holding a mass meeting to organize to prevent a boycott. Strike pickets are still taking the names of those who ride on the cars and their lists grow every day, for more people are riding. Anonymous letters have been sent to some persons, threatening a boycott should they not discontinue riding on the cars during the strike.

Not the least disorder attended the operation of street cars in Richmond and to prevent disorder Mayor Taylor, through Chief of Police Howard, issued an order that all saloons close at 6 o'clock. The order was strictly enforced. This order given on the advice of Colonel Anderson, who is commanding the two regiments on duty here. He thought it would minimize the chances of trouble when so many people are usually on the streets.

Petersburg, Va.—There were no changes in the strike situation here. The Virginia Passenger and Power Company had 10 of its 13 cars in operation, but travel was light. The union tallyhos are still being operated.

STEPS IN FRONT OF A TRAIN.

Woman Covers Her Face With Handkerchief and Meets Swift Death.

New York (Special).—A woman in black stepped deliberately in front of a train a mile south of the White Plains Station. It threw her 30 feet into the air and 20 feet west of the tracks. She fell into the Bronx river, and the trainmen waded in and drew her body on shore. Both arms, both legs and her back were broken, and there were three cuts on her face.

The body was viewed by many people in an undertaker's shop, but none could identify it.

Engineer Cavanaugh says he saw the woman walking toward him on the south track, and that when he was within 50 feet of her she stepped over to the northbound track, placed a white handkerchief over her face and stood still, with both hands over her face.

The engineer shut off the steam and blew the whistle, but she turned her head and it was all over.

The woman wore a black silk waist and skirt, black stockings and black high-heeled shoes. She was about 45, of dark complexion, and had black hair. Her height was 5 feet 7 inches, weight about 170 and she wore a sapphire.

A gold watch, on one side of which was the monogram "M. A. H." and on the other side a crescent of six diamonds, was found inside her waist attacked to a gold chain around her neck. There was no mark on her clothes by which she could be identified.

Kansas City to Repeal Labor Law.

Kansas City (Special).—The Employers' Association, with a membership of nearly 8000, including most of the business men in Kansas City, has started a movement to repeal all city laws that discriminate between union and independent labor. Several of these laws favor the product of union labor exclusively, the most obnoxious to the Employers' Association being that which forbids the letting by the city of printing contracts to any but unionized shops. It also will oppose the eight-hour law enforced by the city administration, as well as the ordinance requiring an applicant for engineer's license to be examined by a board composed entirely of union men.

Judge is Threatened.

Louisville, Ky. (Special).—A special to the Evening Post from Jackson, Ky., says: "Judge Cardwell, who presides over the City Court here and who fined the two men brought before him on the charge of firing Captain Ewens' hotel, has received notice of a threat of assassination, and has taken up his residence in his store. He will be guarded by the militia."

Desolating Floods in New Mexico.

El Paso, Texas (Special).—The high waters of the Rio Grande north of here, in New Mexico, have driven hundreds of families from their homes, and these have taken refuge in the foothills. Mrs. William McDonald, of Berino, N. M., who has come to El Paso, says: "The high water has practically rendered homeless every resident from Mesquite and Earlham south to White Spur, N. M. All along the road in the sand hills families can be seen camping with no shelter."

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS.

Disappointed With Canal Treaty.

The officials at the State Department expressed their disappointment at the President's message to the Colombian Congress in regard to the ratification of the Panama Canal Treaty. It is hardly as vigorous as was expected, but it has not discouraged the friends of the treaty by any means.

At the last Cabinet meeting Secretary Hay stated that he considered the prospects for ratification increasing daily, and the President went to Oyster Bay feeling that before long Colombia would act favorably on the agreement.

Chargé d'Affaires Kerron, of the Colombian Legation, feels confident that, despite the election of Senator Velez as president of the Colombian Senate, who is represented as antipathetic to the treaty, he believes that Senator Velez has been misrepresented as to his opposition to the treaty and that he favors the construction of the canal by the United States, but is not satisfied with every feature of the treaty.

It has also been learned in Washington that opposition to the canal and its ownership by the United States have greatly misrepresented the terms of the treaty, leading the credulous Colombia public to believe that Colombia was ceding territory to the United States and giving away its life for a mere bagatelle. Now that the actual terms of the treaty are becoming known, a decided change is coming over the people, and a favorable sentiment is spreading among the people, which will undoubtedly have a good effect on the Colombian Congress.

The officials here know full well that the South American people act slowly, and are contenting themselves by believing that a change is in progress in Colombia, and that in due time the treaty will be ratified.

President Will Send Petition.

The President has decided to transmit the Russian government the petition presented to him by the executive council of the B'nai B'rith regarding the treatment of Jews in Russia.

This action was taken after mature consideration. At first it was decided that the petition should not be presented, because it might be resented by the government of Russia and lead to a response that would cause a break in the relations of the two countries. However, the first conclusion has been reconsidered, and by direction of the President the petition will now go forward. What the result will be is problematical.

As indicated in the following note from Secretary Hay to Simon Wolf, the presentation will probably be made to the Russian government through the United States charge at St. Petersburg. The note reads:

"Dear Sir:—The President has concluded to transmit to the Russian government the petition of which you presented him a draft on the 13th of this month. The matter which he had to consider most seriously was whether or not such a proceeding would be to the advantage of your persecuted and outraged coreligionists in Russia. On this point he has decided to accept your opinion and that of the numerous and intelligent groups of American citizens of the Jewish faith whom you represent. He requests that you will send him the petition in due form at your earliest convenience. Of course, you will understand that the President cannot tell you what reception your petition will meet with at the hands of the Russian government."

Not Ready to Open Ports.

The negotiations with China for a trade treaty have reached a critical phase growing out of the demand of the United States and Japan for the opening of additional ports in Manchuria.

The Russian Government has professed to entertain no opposition to this demand, but the Chinese commissioners now take the ground that the ports mentioned in the demands—Moukden, Taku-San, and Harbin—will be opened to foreign trade now, but in the future, when trade necessities seem to require it. Therefore they propose to hold the matter in abeyance and conclude the trade convention without this section.

The United States refuses to accept the suggestion, Japan takes the same position and English influence leans in that direction. The negotiations are deadlocked, pending the contrivance of means by the three powers named to bring pressure to bear upon China.

More Paint for White House.

Renovation of the White House will be resumed this week. Last fall when the President moved he gave orders that the work be hastened. Paint put on in such a hurry has not stood the test and will have to be done over again.

Eight new positions are to be created at the White House—four ushers, at \$1200 a year; two clerks, at \$1600, and two messengers, at \$900.

In the Departments.

The Department of Agriculture is investigating a report that the foot-and-mouth disease was conveyed to Argentina by American cattle.

The State Department advises that there are no precedents against the presentation of the Jewish petition to the Russian government.

The announcement was made definitely that Postmaster General Payne will not retire from the Cabinet.

The Navy Department has awarded the contract for building the gunboat Paducah to the lowest bidder, the Gas Engine and Power Company of Morris Heights, N. Y.

RETRIBUTION WAS QUICK

Three Colored Men Lynched at One Time in Georgia.

MURDER WAS SPEEDILY AVENGED.

The Victims of Mob Violence Had Brutally Shot Down a Farmer on Whose Plantation They Had Been Giving a Dance—The Jailor Induced to Open the Prison by a Nicely Planned Ruse.

Albany, Ga. (Special).—Baker county was the scene of a triple lynching about 2 o'clock a. m., when a mob of 50 determined men entered the town of Newton and secured possession of Garfield McCoy, Wiley Anette and George McKinney, Miller county negroes, who had been arrested and lodged in jail for the murder last Saturday night of F. S. Bullard, a well-known white farmer of the Seventh district of Baker county.

The manner in which the prisoners were obtained is unique. Jailor William Screws, who resides near the jail, was awakened about 12 o'clock by Balif R. C. Tucker, who said that he had a prisoner to place in the lockup. The jailer hastily donned his clothes and proceeded to the jail. As soon as he had unlocked the prison doors he was suddenly surrounded by a swarm of men with drawn revolvers, who demanded that he unlock the cell in which the Miller county negroes were lodged.

He did as commanded under protest, and the three negroes were dragged from the jail, the prisoner of Tucker making his escape during the excitement. The appeals for mercy of the three negroes were lost on the mob, who began beating and slapping them with knives as soon as they had left the door of the jail. The mob lost no time in leaving Newton with the negroes, and when about a mile west of the town the three men were halted, nooses tied about their necks, and amid the shouts of the mob, the men were strung up. The crowd fired several hundred shots into the swaying bodies, after which they quietly dispersed.

STANDS BY THE ASSASSINS.

Peter I Calls Officers Falcons of the Servian People.

Belgrade (By Cable).—King Peter held a reception. Only two foreign diplomats, the Russian and the Austrian ministers, attended. The representatives of three or four other countries apparently were willing to recognize King Peter, but not the Servian Cabinet, in which Colonel Maschin, one of the chief conspirators, holds a portfolio.

The German Emperor has sent King Peter a telegram couched in cordial terms.

The Austrian Minister resumed official relations with the Servian government.

The King's reappointment of the ministry is regarded as equivalent to a notification that no punishment will be meted out to the assassins of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

King Peter issued the following general order: "To My Dear Army: On setting foot on the soil of our dear fatherland, my cradle and the cradle of my ancestors, my heart gives greeting, first, to you, the hope of the Servian people—my dear, heroic army. On ascending the throne of my glorious ancestors I also take supreme command of the whole Servian Army, which, under the leadership of my immortal grandfather, by its virtues and military successes, astounded the world, and in the later war for the liberation of Severia afforded many proofs of its military merit. I feel happy that the supreme command has been entrusted to me.

"Officers, noncommissioned officers and men! At this solemn moment I greet you with the words 'God be with you, you falcons of the Servian people.' I am happy to see you all united around my throne, imbued with fidelity and loyalty to me and to the ideals of our fatherland. I will endeavor to maintain this spirit by judging and estimating each and all of you solely on your military merit. You are all equally dear to me. I merely ask that you will devote yourselves heartily to the calling you have chosen and that you will assist me to guide you in the path of honor and glory.

"I, therefore, cry: 'Long live the army of the Servian people—the hope!'"

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

The first spade was turned for the construction of the vast system of sewerage, water and drainage which is to cost New Orleans \$18,000,000.

In a fight the result of a feud Cap King was killed and several other men wounded on Quaker Gap Mountain, Stokes county, N. C.

The equestrian statue of Gen. Joseph Hooker was unveiled with imposing ceremonies in the statehouse grounds, in Boston.

The National Association of Wholesale-Clothing Merchants presented an ultimatum to the 1500 garmentworkers in Chicago.

Nearly the entire new issue of Pennsylvania Railroad stock has been subscribed by the shareholders.

A cloudburst in Topeka, Kan., caused something of a panic among the residents.

The refusal of the circus management to issue complimentary tickets caused a mobbing in Coamo, Porto Rico, and a riot, in which a number of persons were injured.

ENGINES WERE TORN TO PIECES.

Locomotive Crashes Around a Curve into Freight Train.

Raleigh, N. C. (Special).—Four Seaboard Air Line men are dead and one badly injured as the result of a head-on collision at Niagara, N. C., 65 miles from Raleigh. Both engines are torn to pieces and five freight cars badly damaged.

The dead men are Engineers S. T. Stewart and W. P. Wall, Fireman Walter Bond and Brewer, all white. Stewart is a Canadian, while the other three are North Carolinians, all making their homes here.

Stewart was carrying an engine and tender to Hamlet and was going south. He passed a northbound freight at Vass and evidently forgot another freight behind that. At Niagara he shot his engine up a grade around a curve. At the same time the freight in charge of Engineer Wall came flying down the grade around the curve. One fireman on the freight jumped just as the engines crashed into each other in a twenty-foot cut.

The two engineers were killed at once. Fireman Brewer's body is wedged in the wreck. The other bodies were brought here.

MRS. MCKINLEY'S NIECE WEDS.

Miss Barber Becomes Bride of a Son of Justice W. R. Day.

Canton, Ohio (Special).—Miss Ida Barber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Barber and niece of Mrs. William McKinley, became the wife of Mr. Luther Day, second son of Supreme Court Justice and Mrs. William R. Day. The ceremony was performed by Rev. O. B. Milligan, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, in the presence of several hundred guests.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Kate Barber, and the groom by his brother Stephen. For the wedding dinner the bride's table was set in the dining room and was surrounded by members of the Day and Barber families. Mrs. McKinley was not well enough to attend.

When the first niece of the McKinleys was married the late President said that all should have the same bridal presents when their turns came, and ordered for Mabel McKinley, now Mrs. Dr. Baer, a massive silver service.

There was a wealth of other presents, including a set of china and gold coffee cups from Senator and Mrs. Hanna.

BOY THIEVES BOAST OF ROBBERIES.

Capture of Youths Who Claim a Record of 165 Thefts in New York.

New York (Special).—Three boy thieves, who, according to the police, admitted that they have robbed 106 places during the past two months, were arraigned in the West Side Court and held in \$1000 each for examination by Magistrate Zeller. The boys were arrested after they had broken into and robbed the apartments of Mary Mayna, 253 East Fifty-second street.

They gave their names as Charles Gallagher, 17 years of age; Edward Lott, 19 years of age, and Frederick Scott, 18 years of age. Detective Carlin, in presenting his case to Magistrate Zeller, showed him a number of brass watches, chains, pins and pawn tickets for plated bracelets. He said that Scott had confessed to having committed 105 other burglaries with them, but he believed he was lying, as such a thing was not possible.

Court-Martial for Delano.

Assistant Paymaster Philip W. Delano, United States Navy, will be tried by court-martial at the Washington Navy Yard on serious charges. The Secretary of the Navy ordered the court for the trial and detailed Rear-Admiral Norman H. Farquhar, retired, as its president. Some of the charges and specifications against the young officer, which were drawn by Judge-Advocate-General Lemley, are "neglect of duty, embezzlement of Government funds" and "making false statements regarding his accounts."

The alleged violation of the Navy Regulations of which Paymaster Delano is accused occurred while he was pay officer on the Isla de Luzon, during her recent cruise from the Philippines to Key West, Fla. The young officer has been under arrest for several weeks.

Tells Negroes to Buy Guns.

Chicago (Special).—At a meeting of negroes held to protest against the lynching of David T. Wyatt, colored, at Berryville, Ill., recently, Rev. C. H. Thomas, one of the speakers, advised his hearers that they should, if the hanging and burning of negroes is not stopped by the regular authorities, sell their coats and buy guns with which to defend themselves. Other speakers expressed similar sentiments. The negroes present were worked up to a high pitch of excitement. Ida Wells Barnett told them that they must organize to fight their own battles, saying that they never could expect the white men to fight for them until they had shown themselves capable of fighting for themselves.

Negro Kills Detective.

Peoria, Ill. (Special).—Detective Murphy has been killed by a negro desperado. The City Hall is surrounded by a mob. Fire Department just called out to assist police force and all electric lights in center of city turned off.

Suicide Rather Than Scaffold.

Georgetown, S. C. (Special).—John Brownfield, colored, who killed Deputy Sheriff Scurry in 1900, and was to have been hanged Friday, killed himself in jail by taking poison. Brownfield had fought his case through every court to the United States Supreme Court, and finally was sentenced last Tuesday to die on the 26th. His arrest in September, 1900, for the murder precipitated a riot of negroes, and the militia was called out.