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### 20TH CENTURY WRECK.

Nineteen Were Killed and a Dozen Slightly Injured.

Hendricks' Report on Equitable.

Third Reprive For Mrs. Rogers. Trial of Justice Hooker—Chinese Exclusion Law—President's New England Trip.

Wreck of the 20th Century Limited. Running at the rate of 60 miles an hour, the 20th Century Limited on the Lake Shore railroad dashed into an open switch at the passenger station at Mentor, O., shortly before 10 o'clock Wednesday night.

Nineteen persons were killed and 12 others slightly injured. The combination baggage and smoking car and the coach behind it caught fire and were destroyed. The train was eastbound, having left Cleveland about 9 o'clock, and as it does not stop there it was running at great speed. The engineer did not notice the open switch until the train struck it. The engine left the rails and plowed into the ground, tearing up the track for yards.

The two coaches following it jammed into it with great force and were crushed, the fire from the engine setting them ablaze. It is still maintained by railroad officers that the switch was thrown open and locked by some person, either a maniac or some one seeking revenge. It is still unknown to the police who this person is.

A careful examination of the switch showed that it was in perfect condition. Detectives are working on the case. Trainmen are of the opinion that the engineer of the 20th Century Limited was deceived by the light of a switch just beyond the open switch, the light of which is said to have been out.

### 18-Hour Schedule Restored.

The following announcement was made by President W. H. Newman of the New York Central railroad: "The rigid investigation of the wreck on the Lake Shore road at Mentor, O., which has been made by the officials of the Lake Shore company and by the state railway commissioner of Ohio, who with the chief inspector of railways for the state made a personal investigation at the scene of the accident, having shown conclusively that the accident was not caused by the speed of the train, it is now decided unnecessary to longer continue the slower schedule of the 20th Century train, the time of which was lengthened pending a thorough investigation of the cause of the accident." "Its schedule of 18 hours between New York and Chicago will be resumed Monday, the 26th."

### Accident Companies Badly Hit.

The wreck of the 20th Century Limited at Mentor, cost the Hartford insurance companies about \$175,000. The Travelers' insurance company had \$9,000 accident insurance on persons killed and \$33,000 life; the Aetna Life had a \$20,000 accident policy on C. E. Wellman, who was killed. It pays double in case of railroad accident. Other companies had about \$10,000 accident and life insurance on persons killed, while small claims are still to be heard from.

### Referred to Attorney General.

The report of Superintendent Francis Hendricks of the state insurance department to Governor Higgins upon his investigation of the Equitable Life Assurance society has been made public. It is described in the title as a "preliminary report," and it is decidedly critical of the management of the society as well as of the new trust arrangement for voting the stock agreed upon by Messrs. Thomas F. Ryan and the three trustees designated by him. In the conclusion of his report he says: "No superficial measures will correct the existing evils in this society. A cancer cannot be cured by treating the symptoms. Complete mutualization with the elimination of the stock, to be paid for at a price only commensurate with its dividends, is in my opinion the only sure measure of relief."

"This report with a copy of the evidence taken on this investigation will be transmitted to the attorney general for such action thereon as he may deem proper."

### Third Reprive For Mrs. Rogers.

A reprive until Dec. 8 for Mrs. Mary M. Rogers, the condemned murderess, was signed by Governor C. J. Bell, and for the third time the woman who was to have been hanged at Wind-sor, Vt., for killing her husband has been saved through the operation of the governor's power of staying the execution. The reprive was granted in order that the case may be carried to the supreme court of the United States on constitutional questions which were raised at a hearing before Judge Hoyt H. Wheeler, sitting as a justice of the United States circuit court. Mrs. Rogers' attorneys petitioned for her release on a writ of habeas corpus. The court declined to grant the petition, but suggested that the points of law raised by the petitioners were such as to be passed upon by the supreme court of the country.

### Question of Jurisdiction.

Both houses of the New York legislature met in extraordinary session Wednesday under the call of Governor Higgins, and adjourned at night until 3 p. m. next Wednesday, June 28. The senate referred all the matters to its jurisdiction committee and upon its recommendation took an adjournment of one week to permit that committee to consider the question of jurisdiction of the legislature in the case presented.

### Yale Oarsman Dropped.

Cornelius E. Daly, the Yale senior who has been rowing at No. 2 seat in the varsity eight and was considered one of the best oarsmen in the crew, was dropped from the college roll for "conduct improper in a member of the university." By the verdict of the faculty he is dismissed from the university within a few days of the time when he would have received his degree. His previous college standing is said to have been entirely clear.

### BUILDING BLOWN DOWN

During a Cyclone Storm In Harlem and the Bronx.

John Lawler, Foreman of Bricklayers Crushed to Death and Two Laborers Severely Injured—At Work on Fifth Floor—Buried Under Tons of Stone Brick and Iron Beams.

New York, June 27.—A storm of cyclone proportions, accompanied by a terrific deluge of rain, passed over Harlem and the Bronx yesterday afternoon causing widespread havoc. A building in course of erection in 136th street, near Riverside drive, was demolished, John Lawler, foreman of bricklayers, being crushed to death and two Italian laborers severely injured. The wrecked building was one of a row of new apartment houses.

### Russian Plenipotentiaries.

It is reported unofficially that President Roosevelt has been informed by Mr. Meyer, the American ambassador at St. Petersburg, of the selection of the Russian peace plenipotentiaries. The exact date proposed for the meeting of peace conference has not been ascertained, but there is reason to suppose that it is some time during the first week of 10 days of August, which is about the earliest period in which the Japanese representatives can be expected to reach Washington, allowing reasonable time for the acceptance of the proposal and the interchange of the nomination of plenipotentiaries.

### Better Treatment of Chinese.

By direction of President Roosevelt, action has been taken by the administration that will facilitate the landing in this country of Chinese of the exempt classes, and also will eliminate from the immigration bureau such administrative features as have been the subject of criticism by Chinese. Representations have been made to the president that in view of alleged harsh treatment accorded to many Chinese seeking a landing in the United States, the commercial guilds of China have determined to institute a boycott on American manufactures. It is anticipated that the prompt action taken by this government to meet the objections made by the Chinese will eliminate the possibility of serious trade difficulties between China and the manufacturers of this country.

### Immigration Record Breaker.

Immigrants are pouring into New York through Ellis Island, breaking all previous records. More than 75,000 immigrants have landed at Ellis Island since June 1, and the official estimate up to the end of the month is 84,985, as against 51,731 in June of last year, an even larger proportionate increase than in May, this year, bringing 94,712 as against 79,417 in May, 1904. The high water mark in immigration is usually reached in May. The census office approximates the total immigration for this fiscal year at 1,061,565, which indicates a record breaker, the high water mark being 857,046 for the year ending June 30, 1903. For the fiscal year of 1904 the figures were 812,870.

### President's New England Trip.

Under circumstances most unfavorable, as far as the weather was concerned, the president was accorded, throughout his New England trip last week an enthusiastic welcome in all the cities and towns he visited in Massachusetts and Connecticut. He was given distinguished honors by three educational institutions. Despite the tremendous electrical storm which swept over Massachusetts and Connecticut during the president's journey from Williamstown through North Adams, Pittsfield, Brookfield Junction, Danbury and South Norwalk, the crowds assembled at the six places aggregated many thousands.

### John W. Hill Again Arrested.

For the second time in a week John W. Hill, former chief of the bureau of filtration in Philadelphia, was arrested on charges of forgery and falsifying certain books and papers to defraud the city of Philadelphia. After a hearing lasting nearly six hours he was held in \$2,000 bail for trial. His second arrest was a great surprise, coming so close on his statement of innocence of forgery and falsification of records on which charges he was held in \$8,000 on Wednesday. There were rumors afloat that other persons of prominence in municipal affairs will be arrested.

### Alpena, Mich. June 27.—

Captain Morgan and crew of six men of the steamer Shamrock were brought in on the tug R. T. Roy, which took them from the steamer Pesthigo off Thun der Bay island. The Shamrock became water-logged five miles off Presque Isle yesterday and the crew were driven to the rigging, from where they were rescued by the Pesthigo two hours later. The Shamrock was abandoned and is now floating down the lake, a dangerous menace to navigation.

### Latest Peace Prospect Vanished.

Chicago, June 27.—By an almost unanimous vote the striking teamsters last night refused to accept the terms recently offered by the employers, and the latest peace prospect in the strike has vanished.

### Strike of Montreal Carpenters.

Montreal, Que., June 27.—Fifteen hundred carpenters struck today for an increase in the minimum wage from 2 1/2 cents to 30 cents an hour.

### NO PROVISION FOR ARMISTICE.

Japanese Scouts Have Appeared on Both Russian Flanks.

Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, June 27.—Vague dispatches reaching here through the official paper, edited for the army, make the conditions under which the proposed peace is to be reached indifferently understood. Although General Linevitch and Kuropatkin express the conviction that Russia is drifting toward peace, no action looking to an armistice has yet been taken. On the contrary, the commanders appear to regret that at the time when the army has reached its maximum strength it is likely to be deprived of victory.

Numerous small bodies of Japanese scouts have appeared in the regions of either Russian flank; and it is feared that they were intended to screen the turning operations of the Japanese, as before the battle of Mukden. Chinese report that flanking movements have already begun, but the Russian staff denies this.

### Disaffection Among Troops.

Loz, Russian Poland, June 27.—Since the proclamation of martial law the situation has become quieter. The rumor of an approaching massacre of Jews has caused 20,000 Jews to leave the town. Scattered cases of rioting as a result of the 'insurrectionary spirit continue. One of these occurred in the old Protestant cemetery when a patrol was fired on from behind a wall. The patrol charged and killed 12 persons, five men four women and three children.

### Business is at Standstill

and all traffic has been stopped. A case of disaffection among the troops was reported when the officers of one regiment informed their commander that they would refuse to fire on defenseless people. The regiment was at once transferred to another place.

### ANNUAL MORTGAGE TAX.

Probable Expense of Collection Under the New Law.

Albany, June 27.—The state board of tax commissioners has looked over the estimates submitted by the various county officers regarding the probable expense of collecting the annual mortgage tax under the law which goes into active operation July 1. "In a majority of cases," said Commissioner Stearns, "we have found the estimates excessive. Most collecting offices have an exaggerated idea of the cost of the work. Their estimates aggregate between \$130,000 and \$150,000, whereas we shall allow not more than one-third of that sum." "The expense of carrying out the new law is problematical and we cannot reach any definite conclusion until after it has been in operation at least a year.

"The commission is now perfecting plans for the enforcement of the law and preparing further instructions for county officers."

### SECRETARY HAY ILL.

Confined to His Bed at His New Hampshire Summer Home.

Newbury, N. H., June 27.—The condition of Secretary of State John Hay who is confined to his bed at his summer home near Lake Sunapee, by an attack of uremia, is regarded as favorable by his physicians. After a few days of rest it is expected the secretary will be able to leave his room. Dr. Charles L. Scudder of the Massachusetts general hospital, Boston who came here with Dr. Fred T. Murphy of Boston Sunday night, on a special train in response to a message from the family, remained in the village last night, but Dr. Murphy returned home. A nurse from Boston arrived last night.

### Dr. J. L. Cain, of Newport, N. H.

who was called to the Hay home before the arrival of the Boston physicians, is with Dr. Scudder. Both doctors believe that Mr. Hay will have no difficulty in overcoming the effects of the present attack. An operation was considered at one time, by Dr. Cain, but the three physicians, after a careful examination and a consultation, decided that it would not be necessary. The attack was due to a chill caught on the journey from Washington, and is similar to one Mr. Hay had four years ago.

The secretary passed a comfortable afternoon and evening, and his family considered that there is no need of further anxiety.

### Crew Taken From Rigging.

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### Emperor's Yacht Races.

Kiel, Germany, June 27.—The third of the special class races for the 121 foot sailboats of gentlemen amateurs, founded by Emperor William for the encouragement of seamanship, was won by the Tilly VI. Wansoe V was second and Clair De Lune third. The course was 14 1/2 miles. Prince Eltel Frederik in the Elizabeth came in a few seconds behind Prince Henry of Prussia, on the Tilly VII, who was ninth.

### POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Summary of the Week's News of the World.

Cream of the News Cullied From Long Dispatches and Put in Proper Shape For the Hurried Reader Who Is Too Busy to Read the Longer Reports and Desires to Keep Posted.

France has agreed to accept Germany's proposal of an international conference on Morocco. Chinese students and commercial guilds are organizing at Tien Tsin an anti-American propaganda. Publication of the text of correspondence between the United States and Venezuela caused a sensation in Caracas.

Russian military leaders urge the czar to continue the war, although a great battle is imminent. Linevitch declares that he occupies an advantageous position. Philadelphia Republican machine surrenders to Mayor Weaver, promising to aid in the reform movement and to depose politicians slated for office in favor of candidates known not to have been identified with machine methods.

Thursday. President Roosevelt in a letter warmly defends Paul Morton and explains why his prosecution on Santa Fe rebate charges is forbidden. Mayor Weaver of Philadelphia caused the arrest of John W. Hill on the charges of forgery and of falsifying books and papers belonging to the city.

It is not expected that an armistice will be concluded with Japan before another battle, but Russia assents to Aug. 1 as the date for the meeting of peace plenipotentiaries. Secretary Taft exonerated Assistant Secretary Loomis from the charges brought by Minister Bowen and President Roosevelt dismissed Mr. Bowen from the diplomatic service.

Captain Lloyd Clark asks that the picture of his brother, Rear Admiral Charles Clark, in the Vermont state Capitol be turned to the wall if Mrs. Mary Rogers is hanged next Friday.

The New York department of G. A. R. elected James M. Snyder of Troy department commander.

King Oscar opened the riksdag and a bill was introduced to effect a legal separation of Sweden and Norway.

Williams college at Williamstown Mass., conferred upon President Roosevelt the degree of L. H. D. (Doctor of Letters).

France has replied to Germany asking to know the details of matters to be submitted to the proposed Morocco conference before giving final adhesion.

Francis Hendricks, superintendent of insurance, made his report to Governor Higgins on the Equitable Life and suggested action by the attorney general.

Lord Kitchener predicts that war between England and Russia for the possession of India is inevitable.

Frederick R. Green, cashier of the closed Fredonia National bank, was arrested in Buffalo and bailed in \$10,000.

Russians are said to be retreating or their main positions in Manchuria, to avoid being hemmed in by the Japanese.

A bag containing jewels valued at \$32,000, the property of S. C. Beckwith of New York, killed in the Mentor wreck, was picked up in the debris.

Mrs. Mary Rogers, who was convicted of killing her husband, has been reprieved until Dec. 8, that her case may be carried to the United States supreme court.

Monday. Judge Stephen Neal, author of the 14th amendment to the constitution dies at Lebanon, Ind.

Complete census returns from 21 counties of Iowa show a net loss of 15,628 in population since 1900.

Assistant Secretary of State Loomis is sent abroad by President Roosevelt to investigate methods of American consuls in Europe.

James W. Alexander paid into the Equitable Life \$65,243.76, representing profits made by him as a member of the "James H. Hyde and associates" syndicate.

Two thousand killed or wounded in the result of three days of fighting between rioters and Russian troops in streets of Lodz. Troops are hurried to the Polish city to quell the disorder but the situation is grave.

Tuesday. With an estimated total of 1,061,565 aliens entering America in this fiscal year all records were broken.

The more serious phase of the outbreak in Lodz is regarded as ended but in the suburbs isolated acts of murder are occurring, on the part of both Cossacks and strikers.

Anxiety in France over the result of the discussion of the Morocco crisis is still felt, while in Berlin the attitude of the Rouvier government is commented upon with some heat.

The Chinese government has offered \$7,000,000 for the surrender of the con-cession for the construction of the Canton-Kankow railway, held by J. P. Morgan & Co., American and Belgian associates.

Wednesday. Uniontown, Pa., June 26.—The body of Theophila Leysteck, aged 26, now rests in the cemetery at Brownsville after three interments. Two weeks ago she drowned herself at Rice's Landing because her sweetheart refused to marry her. The body was recovered and buried. Two negroes reported that they heard her crying from the grave, and the body was disinterred and buried again in a field. The body was again raised and rests finally in the new cemetery at Brownsville.

Bibles Are Placed in Saloons. Pittsburg, June 26.—The Woman's Christian Temperance union has placed Bibles in small racks in saloons of the East End district, most of which have leering rooms, and, according to Mrs. James B. Masters, the results of the plan have been very gratifying.

Building For Tuskegee. Trenton, N. J., June 26.—Miss Margaret W. Tatum of this city has notified Booker T. Washington of her decision to give a building to Tuskegee Institute in memory of her father, the late Dr. James B. Tatum of this city.

### CLUE TO TRAIN WRECKER.

Dope Fiend Murderer May Have Caused the Mentor Disaster.

Cleveland, O., June 26.—Detectives investigating the wreck of the 20th Century Limited at Mentor, announced that they believe the switch causing the disaster was thrown open by the man who murdered Marvin Burlison here a week ago.

This man was seen near the scene of the wreck early on Wednesday night. The description of him tallies with that of the man who killed Burlison and the fugitive is known as a desperate dope fiend. He murdered and robbed Burlison, a prominent west side resident, after Burlison had been freed him.

Coroner Sleglesten began an investigation of the Mentor wreck. He found evidence that the switch was not thrown immediately before the advancing train, but had been open for some time, that a boy probably did not throw the switch, that a water plug stands almost directly in line between the switch light and the west track that from the track, 500 yards to the westward, the switch is concealed, that directly beneath the water plug is a switch exactly like the one that caused the wreck.

Sleglesten believes this clue may have been mistaken by the engineer for the one further on and that not until the farther switch was almost reached did he see the red danger light. He says Lake Shore employees have complained for years of the switch lights at Mentor.

General Superintendent Storms said in reply to Sleglesten's statements that he could state positively that the engineer and fireman saw the light of the switch that caused the wreck.

The bodies of the five Cleveland victims of the wreck were buried Saturday. The funerals were those of Arthur L. Johnson of Coney & Johnson; L. M. Eirick, manager of Keith's theater; Allen H. Tyler, engineer of the train; Thomas R. Morgan and Charles H. Wellman of the Wellman-Seaver Morgan company.

### MILK EXAMINATION.

Only One of 550 Samples Found to Contain a Preservative.

Harrisburg, Pa., June 26.—District Agent James Foust, stationed at Altoona, representing the dairy and food division of the department of agriculture, filed a detailed statement with Dairy and Food Commissioner Warren showing the result of an examination just concluded into the milk and cream supply of the following Western and Central Pennsylvania cities and towns: Allegheny, Altoona, Johnstown, Tyrone, Philipsburg, Lewisport, Hollidaysburg and Homestead.

In the above-named places a total of 550 samples of milk and cream were purchased from the dairymen and dealers by the sworn special agents of the division and submitted to the official chemists for analysis. The remarkable result followed that but one sample was found to contain a preservative—viz., that of one purchase of milk made in Homestead which contained formaldehyde, or emulsifying fluid, as it is commonly known.

The dealer who sold the article will be prosecuted, and the case must be tried in court. It is probable that several additional prosecutions may be made on account of the samples containing less fat than the normal amount of butter fat, indicating that the milk was skimmed and watered.

In the preceding year a similar examination of the milk supply in Allegheny City resulted in more than 50 prosecutions out of a total of 125 samples examined. In the same city not a single milkman was found to be using chemical preservatives during the present investigation.

Commissioner Warren was greatly pleased with the report, as it fully demonstrates that his wholesale prosecutions in 1904 were productive of the most satisfactory and beneficial results for the public good.

### New Bank Examiners.

Harrisburg, Pa., June 26.—State Banking Commissioner McAfee has appointed the five additional bank examiners authorized by the last legislature. The appointees are E. E. Lewis, Blairsville; H. A. Groman, Bethlehem; John C. McClain, Lancaster; Oscar G. Klopp, Lebanon, and Albert Wagner, Elizabeth. The salary of bank examiner is \$2,500 a year.

### Woman Buried Three Times.

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