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KILLED IN AUTO SMASH

Fatal Accident to Syracuse Man at the State Fair.

Son-in-Law of Victim Also Received Serious Injuries When an Unknown Machine Struck Dead Man's Car at Glancing Blow and Rushed Away.

John McBride, 69 years old, a business man, was killed and his son-in-law, George T. Snell, was seriously injured when the latter man's automobile was rammed from the rear by another motor car in front of the main entrance to the state fair grounds in Syracuse late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Snell's car was sent from the road and Mr. McBride and Mr. Snell were hurled into the ditch. Mr. McBride lingered between life and death for several hours, but died later.

Mr. Snell suffered a concussion of the brain, with a possible fracture at the base of the skull in addition to bruises. Mrs. John McBride, who was with her husband, escaped uninjured, as did Leo Snell.

Coroner G. R. Kinne and Sheriff Fred Wyker are conducting a search for the owners of the second automobile.

FALLS DOWN STAIRS

LeRoy Woman Meets a Violent Death. Her Neck Broken.

Mrs. Bridget Hart, widow of James Hart, died at her home south of LeRoy, N. Y. Her son found her unconscious at the foot of the stairs leading to the sleeping rooms. An examination showed that Mrs. Hart's neck had been broken, and it is believed she was stricken while coming downstairs and fell.

Coroner Snow will investigate. Mrs. Hart was born in Ireland, but most of her life had been passed here. She was about 65 years of age. She is survived by the following children: Misses Anna and Mary Hart, John, Thomas and Joseph Hart of LeRoy and George Hart of Buffalo.

Big Crop of Potatoes.

Every indication points to a bumper crop of late potatoes in Livingston county. The county ranks high as a potato producer, due particularly to Groveland and Danville territory, few towns in the state comparing with these two in size of the output. Early potatoes were a big failure here on account of the lack of rain in June and July, but recent rains have made the late potatoes jump, and Livingston growers predict that the late tubers will much more than make good the deficiency of early varieties.

F. H. Scholes Missing.

A general alarm was sent out for F. H. Scholes, a resident of Birdsall, who has been missing from his home and who has not been seen since Aug. 29. It is thought that he came to Hornell, N. Y., but no trace of the man can be found there. His family was left in a state of great anxiety, and his wife is critically ill. Members of the family are inclined to think that he has either met with foul play or has been injured somewhere. The police of all cities will be asked to assist in locating the man.

New Trial Denied Andrews.

Judge Hinckley in Warren, Pa., handed down a decision denying a new trial to J. M. Andrews, who was convicted on a charge of murder in the first degree. It was charged that Andrews shot and killed Emil Amman on a lonely road on Punker hill in Warren on Jan. 27, and then tried to cover up the crime. Andrews will be sentenced early next week and his attorneys propose to file notice of appeal after sentence is passed.

Married on Deathbed.

Earl P. Radley, aged 22, of Carthage, N. Y., died in a Watertown hospital Monday as the result of being whirled around a line shaft in a paper mill at Carthage, N. Y. When he was told that his chance of recovery was slight, Radley insisted on being married to Miss Rachel Clemons of Carthage, to whom he was engaged, and the ceremony was performed at the bedside in the hospital room.

New Expert at Fredonia.

J. M. Barker, who was recently assigned to the Geneva experimental station as soil expert, has arrived at Fredonia to investigate soil conditions and to make tentative plans for experimental work in soils which he is to carry on in the grape belt.

Foreman's Home Shaken by Dynamite

Blackhand agents blew up the house of Charles Colazzi at Batavia with dynamite. The explosion shook the village, but nobody was injured. Colazzi is foreman of a gang of Italian workmen.

BEULAH BINFORD

New York Bars Her Films in Moving Picture Show.



BEATTIE FOUND GUILTY

Sentenced to the Electric Chair For the Murder of His Wife.

Three minutes less than an hour the jury deliberated Friday evening and then after the first ballot they filed into the little courtroom and pronounced Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., guilty of the murder of his wife, Louise Owen Beattie, as charged in the indictment, at Chesterfield Courthouse, Va.

Murder in the first degree is what the verdict had been read, Judge Watson sentenced the young man to be removed to the state penitentiary on Oregon Hill, in Richmond, and on Friday, the 24th of November, between sunrise and sunset, that his life be taken in the manner prescribed by law. The Virginia law prescribes the electric chair. Judge Watson, after hearing the prisoner's counsel granted a stay of execution for approximately 30 days.

Honor to Jesuits.

The Rev. James T. Dougherty, rector of St. Mary's church at Canandagua, whose enthusiasm for making sites of historical importance will result this week in the unveiling at Farley's Point, Lake Cayuga, of a monument to the early Jesuit missionaries who labored in the vicinity, reports that the ceremony will be pretentious. Bishop Hickey of Rochester and a Jesuit priest from New York city will be among the speakers. Members of the Knights of Columbus from throughout Central and Western New York will attend, and a special train will be run from Auburn to the place of dedication.

Dunkirk to Have Rogues' Gallery.

Chief of Police Quandt of Dunkirk is desirous of establishing a rogues' gallery at police headquarters. He believes it will be useful by way of affording the means of identifying criminals, who sometimes visit the station as lodgers. A case occurred a short time ago where a lodger was identified by means of a photograph and the man acknowledged his identity. He had a bad criminal record and was sent to jail and after his discharge was arrested in Erie and given another jail sentence. Chief Quandt will probably get his filing cabinet.

Colonel Astor Weds Miss Force.

Colonel John Jacob Astor and Miss Madeline T. Force were married at Newport, R. I., Saturday by the Rev. Dr. Joseph Lambert of the Elmwood Congregational church. The ceremony was performed at Beechwood, the summer home of Colonel Astor in this city. William H. Force of Brooklyn, the bride's father, gave her away.

Onion Prices Soaring.

Onion growers at South Lima, N. Y., will be able to wear diamonds and ride in autos this fall if the price of onions continues as at present. In former years the price at harvest time has ranged from 25 to 50 cents per bushel, generally under the 50 cent mark, but this year the market opened at 60 to 65 cents for firsts and many lots have been sold at this figure.

Aged Man Dies of Injuries.

Wesley Eveland, 72 years old, who was run over by a heavy wagon in a runaway accident at Arkport, died in the hospital in Hornell, N. Y. His back was broken in two places and his hip crushed. The body was removed to the home of his sister in Rogersville, and Coroner Wakeley will conduct an inquiry into the affair.

Found Dead in Bed.

Barney Lundy, 66 years old, for many years one of the characters around Westfield, N. Y., was found dead in bed at his home in Davis street. His neighbors, not seeing him about the house for two days, notified the town authorities, who investigated and found him dead.

OFF ON LONG FLIGHT

Fowler Leaves San Francisco on Coast to Coast Trip.

Birdman Reached Auburn, Where He Remained Last Night, 126 Miles East of San Francisco—If the Airman Is Successful in His Effort He Will Receive About \$70,000 in Prizes.

San Francisco, Sept. 12.—Robert G. Fowler, the first of the aviators to start in the long transcontinental airplane journey from San Francisco to New York, began his journey at 1:37 o'clock in the presence of a great crowd in the stadium in the Golden Gate. He rose in the air to begin the greatest aviation feat in world's history, kissed his mother and she sobbed, "God bless you, my boy." Then he rose about 1,000 feet in the air and headed east for his flight: to New York, which, if successful, means \$70,000 in prizes.

Reports from along the line of the Central Pacific railroad, which Fowler followed closely showed that the aviator averaged 55 miles an hour, as he passed Sacramento, 55.5 miles from this city at 3:22 o'clock. The aviator tried out his machine in the morning and found it in good order.

Passed Over San Francisco.

Fowler rose as gracefully as a bird, circled over the Golden Gate park and then sailed over San Francisco, passing directly above the tall terry tower in which there were a gang of moving picture men. The city streets were full of people who cheered as the birdman passed at an elevation of about 500 feet.

Fowler passed over Goat Island in San Francisco bay and then over Oakland. He was going a mile a minute and soon disappeared behind the hills back of Berkeley. He passed over Dixon, 67 miles, at 2:58; Davis, 75.6 miles, at 3:06, and Sacramento, 88.8 miles, at 3:22 p. m.

Fowler passed over Sacramento and at 3:28 landed at the state fair grounds. He made an easy descent. He jumped into an automobile and raced to Governor Hiram Johnson's office.

"Have you any message for the governor of New York?" asked Fowler. "Just yourself," said the governor with a laugh. Fowler then took dinner preparatory to his flight to Colfax, 144 miles from San Francisco, where he expects to spend the night.

Just before he started on his flight, Fowler said: "I am satisfied that I can win. If I had gone to Los Angeles I would not feel so confident. My attention would be taken off my work with scouting for landing places and the chances of not getting fuel and oil. I'd have the Southern desert and I might find air conditions new under me for the first leg of the trip to me.

"I can make the mountains. I might as well be 8,500 feet up as 500 and the Sierras and the Rockies won't worry me in the least. I have got it all figured out, and I would rather face the mountains with the data I have than to start from Los Angeles over level country.

"I know I am regarded as a novice at the flying game. Well, when you come to think of it, about all the men flying today are new at the business. They simply have reputations because they have been flying at exhibitions. I am not saying that Ely and Atwood and lots of others are not veterans compared with me—but I do say that there is not a reason in the world that I know of why I should not be able to keep my machine in the air for 175 miles a day on a straight-away course.

"We are all pretty new at this business. But I am no self-made flyer. I hammered away under the Wrights and did more flying in two weeks than most exhibiting aviators do in a year."

Stopped at Sacramento. Fowler remained in Sacramento one hour resting and replenishing his supply of gasoline. He was in perfect condition and on stepping from his machine at the Park plaza, remarked: "Well boys, I am here."

At 4:30 p. m. he resumed his flight for Colfax, near the foothills of the Sierras, where he will spend the night.

Fowler arrived at Auburn, 126 miles east of San Francisco, on the Southern Pacific Overland route, at 6:45 p. m. last night where he spent the night. He left the railroad on entering Auburn and gracefully circled the courthouse, making a beautiful landing at a point on the new railroad cut-off north of the town. Bells were rung and whistles tooted as he passed over the town.

GRANTSOWN LICENSE TOWED

Women Probate Judge Had Given Thousands to Others in 18 Years.

Wellston, O., Sept. 12.—A pretty romance which is causing intense interest among 5,300 persons who have obtained marriage licenses from Miss Laverne Belle Steele, deputy probate judge, was announced yesterday in the performance of an act which Miss Steele has done for 18 years, namely, issuing marriage licenses, except that this time the license called for a permit for a marriage between herself and John L. Hayes, a coal operator of this county.

WRIT OF PROHIBITION ISSUED

Attack Made in Wayne County on the Educational Law of 1910.

Lyons, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Supreme Court Justice S. Nelson Sawyer has granted an alternative writ of prohibition, returnable at Rochester on the 25th of this month, requiring the school directors of the Fourth school district in Wayne county, to refrain from electing a school superintendent and show cause why the writ should not be made permanent.

This is an attack upon the constitutionality of chapter 607, laws of 1910, known as the education law, which abolished school commissioners and their election by the people, creating school superintendents, multiplying offices and quadrupling expenses.

Enforced by the state educational department and diametrically opposed to every principle enunciated in his speech, Governor Hughes signed the measure, nullifying his direct primary position. The law provides that a school superintendent must be possessed of a certificate to teach in any public school in the state without further examinations. Such action is not obtainable, Rochester and other cities requiring all teachers to be examined periodically.

Freeman Pintler, the relator, was a candidate for school superintendent in the Fourth district of Wayne county. He was ruled out as ineligible. He then looked up the law and through Attorney Edson W. Hamm, a former member of assembly and staunch Hughes advocate, secured the writ of prohibition. The school directors in the fourth district, six in number, have been denuded over the selection of a school superintendent, there being two candidates among the directors themselves.

NEW YORK FARMERS REJOICING GREATLY.

Indications Point to a Bumper Crop of Late Products.

Utica, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Reports from various sections of the Mohawk valley and other points in Central New York are to the effect that farmers are rejoicing greatly over the crop outlook for late products.

The indications three or four weeks ago were that many crops would be almost complete failures, but with the rains that have come generally during that time, all late crops have improved and if an early frost does not work havoc, there will be a yield that will surprise and gladden all. The corn crop has not been a better one in ten years.

The late potato crop will be a large one. The outlook in the apple crop in Central New York is most promising and prices will be considerably lower than they were last year.

Many of the dairy men consider it strange that the price of butter and cheese keeps at the high prices reported. They said that grass was never better than now, and the cows are giving fine yields. Eggs and poultry will be high all the fall and winter.

BOYS DIE IN CAVE-IN

Brothers Buried Under Tons of Gravel While at Play.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 12.—While playing in a gravel pit near the city limits, Alex Gross, 10 years old, and his brother Charles, 5 years old, were buried under several tons of falling earth and died before their bodies were recovered.

The only witness was a 5-year-old boy and he called a physician, who, in turn, called the police. It required two hours of digging before the bodies were recovered. The parents of the victims are Germans who have been in this country about a year and neither of them can speak English. The mother said that she had sent her daughter to call the boys for dinner, but the girl, who reached the pit soon after the accident, could not find any traces of them, and informed the mother that they probably had started home by another route.

NEW YORK PUT UP BAR

Beulah Binford's Films Will Not Be Allowed in Moving Picture Shows.

New York, Sept. 12.—James G. Wallace, Jr., commissioner of licenses in Mayor Gaynor's office, sent out letters today notifying all of the 600 or more moving picture show houses in New York city that no moving pictures or other views representing scenes from the trial of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr. for the murder of his wife, or in any way connected with the case may be presented by them under penalty of having their licenses suspended or revoked.

Mr. Wallace added in reply to a question that the prohibition would refer to any films presenting Beulah Binford in connection with the Beattie case.

New Players For the Phillies.

Philadelphia, Sept. 12.—The Phillies have made two new acquisitions in Pitcher Prickett of Paducah, Ky., and Outfielder Hart of Fulton, Conn. They will join the Phillies in Cincinnati.

THE NEWS SUMMARY

Short Items From Various Parts of the World.

Record of Many Happenings Condensed and Put in Small Space and Arranged With Special Regard For the Convenience of the Reader Who Has Little Time to Spare.

Wednesday.

Leforestier, the French aviator, was burned to death in midair when his motor exploded near Huelva, Spain.

A Rockland, Me., dispatch said a woman and four men were taken from a wrecked schooner by the Burnt Island life saving crew.

Native reports from China put the number of drownings by the overflow of the Yangste Kiang at 100,000; the province of Anhwei was reported entirely submerged.

The New York state conservation commission issued a circular to be distributed at the state fair at Syracuse, telling how it protected gamb and stocked streams.

Thursday.

Governor Dix, on the eve of the legislature reconvening, reiterated his demand for a direct nominations law.

The Yangste Kiang floods were reported to have affected 700 miles of the river's length; severe famine is expected.

Claude Grahame-White won the aerial race to Boston Light in a small, making better than a mile a minute.

William W. Russell presented his credentials as American minister to the president of the republic of Santo Domingo.

A little girl was killed in Narragansett Pier by an automobile owned and driven by Truman H. Newberry, formerly secretary of the navy.

Friday.

Grahame-White carried a passenger 33 miles in 27 minutes in a contest at the Boston aviation meet's closing day.

W. T. Burgess, a naturalized Frenchman, swam from England to France in 22 1/2 hours, a feat hitherto performed only by Captain Webb.

Senator Bailey of Texas, it was reported, will take up the practice of law in New York city after his term expires on March 3, 1913.

Commissioner Prouty began an investigation at Chicago into the alleged unreasonable rates on shipments of wool and hides from Western points to Eastern markets.

The Massachusetts supreme court held that a railroad's liability for lost baggage is not limited to \$100, a ruling opposed to the interstate commerce commission's findings.

Saturday.

A statue of Edwin M. Stanton was unveiled in Steubenville, O., his birthplace.

Port au Prince, Hayti, was inundated by a torrential rain, which deluged the city.

It was reported that the recent revolution in Ecuador had been brought to an end, and that General Alfaro, its leader, was disbanding his forces.

Two little girls, one the daughter of a Brooklyn lawyer, were severely burned when he lit a match to see how much gasoline was in the tank of his auto.

The New York state legislature took recess until Sept. 18 after the leaders conferred with the governor; Governor Dix urged that the session be limited to one week.

Monday.

President Taft will appeal on his Western trip for uniform marriage and divorce laws.

Both sides express confidence in Canada, but the betting favors a victory for reciprocity.

An aerial postal service was inaugurated between Hendon, near London, and Windsor, a distance of about 20 miles.

The output of the Transvaal gold mines during August was valued at \$14,757,853, breaking all monthly records.

In a speech to Democratic clubs in Boston Governor Judson Harmon of Ohio attacked President Taft's tariff policy.

Rodney Diegle, formerly sergeant-at-arms of the Ohio senate, was sentenced to three years for aiding in bribery.

Tuesday.

Fourteen perished at sea when the Whistler, a schooner, went down in a gasoline explosion.

It was stated at Chicago that the sentiment of the international officers was against a strike on the Illinois Central railroad.

James W. Osborne, counsel for the legislative committee, which is to investigate conditions in Albany, began gathering evidence.

Attacks on administration methods in Steuben and Wyoming counties, N. Y., are made in reports to William Somner, state controller.

Foreigners in China are fleeing from the scene of the revolt in China. Paris markets show buoyancy despite the Morocco crisis.

A wireless message in code is easily picked up by a battleship, despite countless flashes from other apparatus and heavy gun firing.

TRIES TO SAW HIS LEG OFF

Hungry and Out of Work, Man Takes Strange Measures to Get Into Cincinnati Hospital.

Cincinnati, Sept. 12.—Thomas Burke, a middle aged man, who says he lives in this city, was found yesterday by Patrolman Brown vigorously sawing his leg with an old saw. The patrolman rubbed his eyes to make sure that his optics were not fooling him. "What's the matter?" he queried.

"Oh nothing," responded the man. The man had cut himself, but not seriously. On further questioning by the patrolman, the man said that he has consumption, and being unable to work, could not get any food.

"I'm hungry and sick and must have care. I cut myself to get into the hospital. They would not take me when I went there.

Burke was sent to the hospital in a patrol wagon.

RECONCILIATION IS LOOKED FOR.

Mrs. Geraghty Will Visit Parents If "Jack" Is Invited.

Newport, Sept. 12.—It is accepted here as true that there will soon be a reconciliation between Mr. and Mrs. A. J. French and their daughter, Mrs. John Edward Paul Geraghty. This belief has grown since a remark made by Mrs. Geraghty that she would not return to her former home to visit her parents unless her husband was also invited.

A pair of earrings, set with diamonds and pearls, pieces of silverware and oriental rugs, without cards, were delivered to Mrs. Geraghty at her home today.

Other presents were sent to her during the week. There was nothing to indicate where they came from, and when the young woman who recently eloped and was married was asked if she could guess where they came from she merely smiled.

When a friend of long standing of the French family advised Mrs. Geraghty to go to her mother and embrace her, the young woman said she longed to do it if Jack were asked and could witness the event.

SHOT 12,000 BIRDS

Harry Payne Whitney's Party Makes Huge Slaughter.

London, Sept. 12.—Harry Payne Whitney's shooting party at Holwick Hall has been most successful. There were 12 drives and 12,000 birds were bagged.

The birds were not considered as good as usual. They were, however, extremely wild, and on this account the marksmanship of the party is pronounced to be of a very high order.

Shoots Woman in Pistol Duel.

Torre Haute, Ind., Sept. 12.—Dr. O. L. Spigler shot and probably fatally wounded the wife of a police sergeant who fired at him. It is alleged that the woman had mugged thousands from Spigler, who is a wellknown physician.

Pilgrims Stricken With Cholera.

Skauim, Sept. 12.—Cholera has broken out at Medina among the pilgrims to the Mosque of the Prophet, where Mohammed died.

MARKET REPORT

New York Provision Market.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 98 1/2c. CORN—No. 2, f. o. b., 75c. OATS—Standard, 49c. BUTTER—Creamery special, 27 1/2c; extras, 26 1/2c. EGGS—Freshly gathered, extras, 23 1/2c.

POTATOES—Long Island, new, per bu., \$2.50@2.75; Maine, per bag, \$2.50.

Buffalo Provision Market.