

NEWS OF THE RAILROADS NEED MORE LAWS FOR TRESPASSERS

Railroad Gazette Gives Figures Showing Accidents to Outsiders on Railroads

Accidents to trespassers on railroads are increasing so much faster than accidents to other persons that in the last six months for which statistics are available the number of trespassers killed amounted to nearly 60 per cent. of the total number of persons killed by railroads.

These facts are brought out by the Railroad Age Gazette in an editorial in its current issue, analyzing the accident bulletin just issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The Gazette says:

3,662 Persons Killed "For the six months the two bulletins report a total of 3,662 persons killed in all kinds of accidents, and of these 2,145 or nearly 60 per cent. were trespassers. During the same time only 79 passengers and 908 employees were killed, and only 424 persons other than trespassers were killed at grade crossings. In train accidents only 14 passengers and 106 employees were killed, while only one passenger in our statute was killed in a collision.

Our statute books contain a mass of legislation designed to prevent accidents to passengers and employees and at grade crossings, but the railroads cannot secure the enforcement of that meager laws there are to prevent trespassing, although in six months 28 times as many trespassers as passengers, over twice as many trespassers as employees and five times as many trespassers as persons at grade crossings, were killed."

Idle Cars Show Decrease on Pennsylvania System

Idle cars on the lines of the Pennsylvania Railroad system on September 18 totaled 28,487, a decrease of 49,759, or 63 1/2 per cent., from April 1914. The idle cars on the lines east of the Delaware River numbered 14,896. All of the idle cars on the system are shop cars, the good order cars all being in service. The shop cars being repaired or placed in service as promptly as possible.

Baldwin Gets Order For Mikado Engines

The Reading has placed an order with the Baldwin Locomotive Works for twenty heavy freight locomotives of the Mikado type. The company has been building locomotives of a new type at its own shops at Reading and the placing of the order is a sign of confidence in the increasing volume of traffic.

Reading Officials Make Annual Inspection Trip

Officials of the Harrisburg division of the Philadelphia and Reading lines yesterday inspected the Cumberland Valley freight branches. The inspection train left Harrisburg yesterday morning, stopping at Chambersburg, Lurgan, Shippensburg, Carlisle Junction and going over the South Penn branch to Richmond. Officials in the party were R. J. Stackhouse, superintendent of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway; S. Springer, of the Philadelphia division; W. E. Brown, of the Middle division; G. E. Lightfoot, of the Schuylkill division, and C. P. Russell, of the Cresson division.

Standing of the Crews

PHILADELPHIA DIVISION—The 235 crew first after 3.15 p. m.: 203, 240, 233, 201, 214. Engineer for 203, Fireman for 203, Conductor for 228, Flagmen for 214, 220. Fireman for 214, 220. Conductor up: Morlatt. Middle Division—The 248 crew first after 1.30 p. m.: 228, 243, 245, 224, 214, 220, 21, 166. Fire freight will continue over Sunday.

MARDI GRAS IN SQUARE CLOSES CELEBRATION

The Courthouse enclosure, are ready for business. From 9 to 11.30 o'clock is to be the time, Market street from Front to Fourth streets the place, and as for the parade is to be one of the best there by the pretty thousands.

ENOLA SIDE

Philadelphia Division.—Crew 111 to go first after 2 p. m., 101, 129, 118, Engineer for 111. Firemen for 101. Brakemen for 111, 129. Engineers up: Supplie, Kautz, Geesey, Buck, Grass, Brenner, Manly. Firemen up: Springs, Shaffer, Achey, Hartz, Barton, Collier, Tentler, Grove. Conductor up: Fessler. Flagmen up: Witmyer, Bruhl.

THE READING

Philadelphia Division.—Crew 5 first to go after 1:45 o'clock, 3, 1, 19, 11, 20, 14; crew 5 to go after 1:15, 69, 65, 68, 67. Engineers for 18, 19. Firemen for 65, 67, 11, 14, 15, 18. Brakemen for 65, 66, 67, 11, 14, 15, 18. Engineers up: Sweeley, Barnhart, Richmond, Lutz, Ewing, Harrison, Kingsberry, Fenical, Brown, Harron, R. H. Fortenbaugh, Quigley, Barnhart, Feass, Zeiders, Bair. Firemen for 2d 124, 122, 130, 2d 102, 3d 102. Firemen for 2d 108, 2d 124, 122, 128, 130, 1st 102, 2d 102, 3d 102.

MEN IN CHARGE OF TO-NIGHT'S BIG CABARET



CY HECKERT Dancing. FRANK H. HOY, JR. Chairman General Cabaret Committee. C. FLOYD HOPKINS Subcommittee Stage.

ACQUATIC EVENTS FINISHED TODAY

Novelty and Several Canoe Races Are Run Off; Parade Winners

Some hundreds of folks along the water front this afternoon saw the wind-up of the big water sports program of yesterday. The umbrella and tub races and the canoe races for boys and girls under fourteen and sixteen, respectively, were run off between 2 and 5 o'clock.

Press of Crowds Prevents Completion of Harris Pageant in Park

At least twenty thousand men, women and children, crowding into all the available space in River Park last evening to see the John Harris pageant, prevented the members of the tribes of the Improved Order of Red Men from giving a complete reproduction of the event.

Great Telephone Progress During Last 15 Years

Accompanying Harrisburg in its wonderful strides of the last fifteen years are a number of prominent business firms. Prominent among these is the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, which in 1890 had 800 phones, 25 employees and a weekly pay roll of \$600.

Ex-Governor Tener Sorry He Couldn't Be Here For City's Celebration

Regrets for John K. Tener former Governor of Pennsylvania who was unable to come to Harrisburg for the celebration, were received yesterday. He had been invited to be one of the speakers at the reception Thursday night. His duties as president of the National League kept him away from Harrisburg.

Prizes Awarded For School Parade Showings

Three grade school buildings in the city had perfect percentage of attendance yesterday in the school children's parade, the Calder, Penn and Downey. Each of these schools will be awarded a graphophone by the Patriot. The fourth school with best attendance was the Webster building which had 99.27 per cent. of the enrollment of students in line. The Webster pupils took the prize for the best appearance in line and were therefore disqualified for the fourth percentage prize, also a graphophone which went to the L. S. Shimmel school with 98.93 per cent.

MEXICANS CROSS BORDER

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PRESIDENT JUDGE KUNKEL'S ADDRESS AT MARKER DEDICATION IS WIDELY DISCUSSED

Dauphin County's Foremost Jurist Delivers Constructive Talk When Chamber of Commerce Stone Is Unveiled

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Police Chief Warns Women to Be Careful in Big Crowds Tonight

The tremendous crowds of the last two days during improvement celebration caused Chief of Police Joseph E. Hutchison to issue a special warning to the people of the city to-day.

EDGAR YUNGMAN GOES TO PHILA. TICKET OFFICE

Edgar Yungman, division passenger agent of the Pennsylvania railroad, at Pittsburgh, has been appointed assistant general agent of this company, with headquarters at Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, effective October 1.

VIEWERS IN SESSION

Viewers on the formal opening of North Front street held a short session in Court Room No. 2 this morning. Several property owners along Front street near the city hall, because of its being a half-holiday, and the absence of several witnesses, the viewers adjourned, until a later date.

SHORT SESSION TO-DAY

Washington, Sept. 25.—Members of the Anglo-French financial commission who are bargaining for the best terms in the control of liquor at half-billion dollar credit, here in Great Britain and France, observed the half-holiday to-day after a brief session and prepared to leave the city over Sunday.

TROPICAL CYCLONE FORECASTED

Washington, Sept. 25.—A tropical cyclone now central southwest of Jamaica promises to increase in intensity to-day's tropical weather. The Weather Bureau reported to-day, "Vessels bound for Yucatan channel and the Western Caribbean sea were warned to 'exercise every precaution.'"

TREATING PROHIBITED

London, Sept. 25.—King George has already signed an order, which will be issued next week, applying the clauses of the control of liquor act to the London area. The order will prevent "treating" in public houses, clubs and hotels in London.

400 LONGSHOREMEN QUIT

New York, Sept. 25.—Four hundred longshoremen working on piers in the North river walked out on strike to-day for more pay.

MOBILIZATION ANNOUNCED

Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—American Minister Vopica at Bucharest, also accredited to Bulgaria telegraphed the State Department to-day that "Bulgaria's mobilization had been officially announced."

SHOWING OF UPTOWN STORES

In the raising of the curtains by the merchants of Harrisburg on Thursday evening, the enterprising merchandising center radiating from Third and Broad streets had its important part. Robinson & Co., Brown & Co., George C. Potts and the Bogar Hardware company were handsomely represented and many compliments were bestowed by the throngs which pressed about the display windows.

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VON PAPAN WILL GO INTO MEXICO

Plans to Go to Southern Republic With Prince Von Hatzfeldt Tuesday

By Associated Press San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 25.—Captain Von Papan, military attaché of the German Embassy at Washington and Prince Von Hatzfeldt, who are visiting this city, will leave next Tuesday for Mexico. It was announced to-day. Both men maintain silence as to their exact destination and the object of their visit to the southern republic.

ARMENIANS BEING SENT TO DEATH

Continued From First Page.] send from each Armenian village day by day as many persons as a train can carry. When they arrive at Konish, or some adjacent station, they are turned out and left to starve in the Taurus mountains.

15,000 at One Station

"A widely-known American missionary who arrived at Constantinople the first week in September declared he saw as many as fifteen thousand Armenians collected around one station waiting to be sent on this journey from which none would ever return.

Colored Masons Observe Founding of Their Order

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 25.—The celebration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of colored Masonry in Pennsylvania by the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masters began here Thursday morning when several hundred delegates from ten States assembled in Musical Fund Hall. They were addressed by Director George D. Porter, representing the Grand Lodge.

ENTIRE VOTE UNDER CLOSE POLICE GUARD

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 25.—Further developments of alleged frauds growing out of last Tuesday's primary election were reported scattered about the city known that Frank T. Redman, Justice of the peace of Braddock, had made four informations against the election board in the First district of the city.

CHAMBERSBURG GIRL DRINKS POISON IN STREET AND DIES

Chambersburg, Pa., Sept. 25.—Helen Reiser, 16 years old, drank an ounce of poison on the sidewalk in front of her home in this place last night and died within fifteen minutes. A physician administered an antidote, but the child would not retain it. A few minutes previous she had asked Clarence Jones, Ruby told her Jones had gone on an automobile trip. The girl said Jones had promised to call on her and didn't keep the engagement. Seeing she had a bottle in her hand and remembering she told him she was very unhappy Ruby followed her. Within a few feet of her door she saw her put the bottle to her lips and drink of its contents. She told him she had swallowed the poison. Ruby grabbed the bottle, hurried across the street to a physician's office and told him what had happened. When the physician reached her with an antidote she was in a faint. She died shortly after. She was the daughter of Mrs. Tenor Reiser, a widow.

POPE HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Rome, Sept. 25.—While the Pope was driving in the Vatican gardens one of the horses drawing his carriage was killed by a stroke of lightning. The Pope received a severe shock, but returned to his apartments on foot through the Vatican galleries.

CAR NOT STOLEN FOR LONG

The police of this city were not needed to locate Dr. H. Shaffner's automobile which was supposed to have been stolen last night when the physician was enjoying the celebration in this city. When Dr. Shaffner, arrived at home in Ennis the machine was standing undamaged in front of his house. Chief of Police Hutchison believes that some of the doctor's friends recognized his car and took it to his home as a joke.

TO HOLD CORNOAST

The Aldrich association, composed of men of Allison Hill, will hold a corn roast at Ennis, Pa., this evening at 7 o'clock. The residents of Bellevue will light the way to the corn roast by a string of lanterns from Twenty-second and Market streets. All men of Allison Hill have been invited.