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LONG FALL, YET LIVES

WILLIAM JACKMAN THE VICTIM OF ACCIDENT AT HIRBOUR BUILDING.

DROPS FROM THIRD FLOOR TO BASEMENT AND ESCAPES INSTANT DEATH.

THREE BROKEN RIBS AND A FEW BAD BRUISES THE EXTENT OF INJURIES.

WILLIAM JACKMAN, employed on the Hirbour building, Broadway and Main streets, took a terrible fall at three minutes before noon today. He now lies at the Sisters' hospital, with three broken ribs, and a number of other bruises that will probably confine him to his bed for a long time to come.

Jackman was standing on the third story of the building, while timbers were being hoisted to the top. One end of the timbers struck and dislodged a steel girder from the fourth floor, which came crashing to the basement.

It struck one of the guy ropes used to guide and ascend timber, and threw it around with great violence, the rope striking Jackman and knocking him from his position on one of the stationary girders.

The unfortunate man shot downward, striking one of the girders on the second story in his fall. He clutched for a hold, but the smooth steel evaded his fingers, and he fell from there to the basement. He struck partly on his feet, which in all probability saved his life.

A great crowd speedily gathered around the building. A doctor was called and he had hard work to get through the throng. He made a hasty examination, finding that Jackman's injuries were merely nominal; almost a miracle considering the distance he had fallen.

The ambulance was telephoned for. It came within a few minutes, and the injured man was taken to the hospital. It is believed he has suffered no internal injuries, save the broken ribs, and that he has a good chance for recovery. So far as can be learned, Jackman has no relatives here.

STRANGE STEAMER AT COLON

Mysterious Craft Causes Great Concern by Appearing at Night.

Colon, Aug. 30.—The French cruiser Souchet has left for a cruise. She probably will go to Venezuelan ports and then to Martinique.

A strange steamer appeared off this port last night for the second time. She hovered about for two hours and then disappeared.

The captain of the United States gunboat Machias has gone to Panama to consult with the United States consul there.

The local situation is tranquil. The government has seized at Baranquilla a large quantity of arms belonging to the rebels.

The proposal to impose an export duty on manganese has been withdrawn.

MARKSMEN ON THE RANGE

International and Interstate Rifle, Revolver and Carbine Pistol Match Begun.

New York, Aug. 30.—The international and interstate rifle, revolver and carbine pistol shooting tournament of the National Rifle Association of America began on the state camp ranges at Seagrirt, N. J., today.

This, probably the most important shooting tourney which has ever taken place in the United States, was opened in a most informal manner.

Bull's eye and group pistol shooting was the first item on the long programme, and over 200 riflemen from many states took part.

State teams which will take part in the Hilton trophy and interstate military matches have arrived from Maine, Massachusetts, New York, Rhode Island, Maryland and the District of Columbia. The Ohio and Pennsylvania teams are expected tomorrow. Word was received from Canada that the Dominion team, which will try conclusions with the All-American team in the world's championship match, Thursday, will reach the camp late tomorrow or early Sunday.

Conditions today were almost perfect for good scoring.

Famous Contractor No More.

Des Moines, Iowa, Aug. 30.—Marcus Kavanagh, father of Judge Kavanagh of Chicago, died here last evening after a short illness. He was born in Ireland in 1832. He was a railroad builder and constructed the Winterest & Des Moines railway, the Indianola line, a large part of the Texas Pacific between Long View and Dallas, and many other roads in Iowa and Kansas.

Decision in Porto Rican Case.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Mr. Tracwell, comptroller of the treasury, has rendered a decision which disposes of the famous De Lima Porto Rican case. He holds that under the recent decision of the United States supreme court the judgment obtained by De Lima company for \$14,579 from the United States may be paid out of the general appropriation of the treasury without further action by congress.

LABORERS BRING THE MALARIA

Massachusetts State Board of Health Makes Interesting Disclosures Regarding an Epidemic of Disease.

(By Associated Press.)

BOSTON, Aug. 30.—In the annual report of the state board of health Secretary S. W. Abbott says that during the last 10 years every case of malaria investigated in Massachusetts has been traced to the presence in the neighborhood of Italian laborers.

Italy, it is well known, is cursed by malaria, says the report. In a previous report on the sanitary condition of the Sudbury and Concord rivers made to the general court in May, the board stated plainly that there was nothing in the condition of the meadows near those rivers to generate malaria.

But within the last 11 years 191 cases have been reported in the distance of 10 miles along the river from Saxonville, in a population of about 500. Few cases, the board says, were reported below this point previous to 1895, and not many until 1898, since which time it has prevailed in Concord and Billerica.

In both cases, the board says, the evidence tends to show that it was introduced into these towns by the laborers engaged in digging up the streets when constructing the waterworks and sewerage systems. Upon the completion of the works in Billerica the number of cases rapidly diminished, while in Concord the effect of the work continued through last year.

LOVE AND LAW

NOTED WOMEN WILL DISCUSS MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE.

MEETING AT BUFFALO, N. Y.

National Council Will Begin, Sept. 11, a Convention That Will Last Three Days.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Marriage and divorce will be the subject for discussion before the National Council of Women in its convention in Buffalo, beginning Sept. 11 and lasting for three days.

Among the speakers announced are Miss Susan B. Anthony, Rev. Anna Shaw and Mrs. Alice Parker Lesser, Senor Antonio Galante of South America, May Wright Sewall, president of the International council, and Mrs. Peck of Iowa, vice president of the association, will speak on the evening of the 13th.

The National Woman Suffrage association will meet Sept. 10 at Buffalo. The session will be devoted chiefly to the question: "Would the enfranchisement of women advance the progress of civilization? If so, how?"

Lydia Avery Conoley Ward, Illinois; Priscilla D. Packard, New York; Kate M. Gordon, Louisiana; Lucretia Blankenberg, Pennsylvania, and Anna H. Shaw of Pennsylvania will be among the speakers.

ODD VIEWS HELD BY GERMANS

Teutons Think United States Went to War Simply for the Sake of Conquest.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 30.—G. F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia & Reading system, who has just returned from Europe, tells of a remarkable impression, which, he avers, is general throughout Germany.

"Germany," he said, "is watching with interest the development of the troubles in South Africa and Central America. The interest is not because England is engaged in war in Africa, nor because the South American republics are having probably a little more than their usual amount of revolutionary excitement.

"The real reason, when I found it, startled me. The Germans believe that these troubles have been fomented by America for the express purpose of obtaining possession of both disputed territories.

"They say that America brought about the Spanish war simply to get Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, and this country will not be satisfied without a holding in Africa and South America.

"They look upon Cuba as actually a part of the United States and do not believe this country will ever give freedom to that island."

READY TO FIGHT FOR SCHLEY

Admiral John C. Watson Emphatically Declares Officer is No Coward.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 30.—Admiral John C. Watson is quoted as having said in the course of a private conversation in Washington:

"If any naval officer asserts that Admiral Schley is a coward, and the fact comes to my knowledge, I will see that the delinquent is given a chance to vindicate his opinion before a court martial. I will prefer charges against such an offender myself."

The remarks were brought out as a result of the retelling of some of the charges brought against Rear Admiral Schley.

Americans Want Canned Salmon.

(By Associated Press.)

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 30.—So great has the demand for canned salmon become in the United States that no shipments will be made of this season's pack of Puget Sound to England. American canners are selling their total pack at home and the English market will be practically left to the salmon canners of British Columbia.

HUNT GETS THE PLACE

(By Associated Press.)



William H. Hunt. (Special to Inter Mountain.) Washington, Aug. 30.—The president today, formally appointed William P. Hunt of Montana to be governor of Porto Rico.

NO CHANCE FOR A COMPROMISE

Great Battle Between the Steel Magn and the Workmen Will Be Fought to the End.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The report that President Shaffer of the Amalgamated association had presented to President Schwab of the steel corporation a proposition for modified terms cannot be confirmed.

It was intimated that no communication of any kind had been received from Mr. Shaffer; that none was expected, and that if one was sent it would receive official consideration.

The attitude of the steel corporation remains unchanged. The officers of the company say there is nothing to arbitrate, and that they will not treat with representatives of the strikers until they are convinced that they are negotiating with responsible persons.

It was rumored that J. Pierpont Morgan and some of his associates had expressed their willingness to leave the settlement of the strike to Seth Low. As Mr. Morgan and Mr. Low are close friends, the report was received with some credence, but one of Mr. Morgan's partners promptly denied it.

Ralph M. Easley, secretary of the National Civic federation, said last night that no peace overtures had been made. He repeated that the trouble had passed the point where arbitration was practicable, yet he still hoped that there would be some way of bringing the contending forces together.

PEACE IS NOW SOUGHT

STRIKING STEEL WORKERS LEAVING NO STONE UNTURNED TO END TROUBLE.

CONFERENCES BY THE LEADERS BEING HELD IN PITTSBURG.

HINTED THAT WORKMEN ARE WILLING TO DO A LITTLE COMPROMISING.

(By Associated Press.)

PITTSBURG, Aug. 30.—A conference of a committee of the Bayview Amalgamated lodge of Milwaukee and the officials of the association was held here today.

It is understood that since coming here the committeemen have made a careful canvass of the situation in Pittsburg, which is regarded as the center of the strike. Their mission, it is said, was to arrange, if possible, for their co-workers to resume work in the Bayview mills.

At today's conference it is said the committee critically cross-examined President Shaffer on his attitude on the wage agreement with the Federal Steel company. The committee probably will start home tonight. Soon after they arrive at Milwaukee a meeting of the Bayview lodge will be held to determine the course to be pursued.

There is no change in the general situation. The mills operating in this city are running about the same as yesterday. McKeesport strikers to the number of several thousand marched this afternoon to Duquesne, where a meeting was held and addresses made by Stewart G. Harp, organizer of the Federation of Labor, and others. The strike leaders admit that it is doubtful if the men can be coaxed out.

It is reported that a conference by long distance telephone had been arranged for this afternoon between Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel corporation, and Simon Burns, president of the National Window Glass Workers. Mr. Burns is in this city and is trying to arrange another meeting between the Amalgamated officials and the officers of the steel corporation for the purpose of settling the strike.

STRIKERS CAN NOT EVEN SPEAK

Union Pickets Sent to Jail for Merely Accosting a Non-Organized Workman.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Union pickets may be arrested without warrants and held to the criminal court for unlawful interference if they touch a non-union man and request the privilege of a conversation.

This was the purport of a decision rendered here yesterday by Justice Doyle, when he held to the criminal court, James H. Brown and Herman Vogel-sang, two of the strike committee of the Iron Molders' Union of America, who August 22, pulled the sleeve of Anton Nelson, a molder, and said: "Can I speak with you?"

RANCHERS ORDERED TO LEAVE

Great Cattle Company Would Drive Settlers Out of the San Pedro Valley.

(By Associated Press.)

Tucson, Ariz., Aug. 30.—Forty-three ranchers and all the residents of the town of Fairbank, in the San Pedro valley, have been notified to leave their homes, which are on the Boquillas Spanish land grant.

The grant came into the possession of a large cattle company recently and will be fenced in as soon as the settlers are ejected.

One rancher has built a fort and proposes to stand off the company's cowboys, who will be engaged in clearing the land of the ranchers and their improvements.

The grant embraces 17,355 acres.

Heirs Agree Upon Settlement.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 30.—The full and half blood heirs of the late George Francis Gilman have agreed upon a plan of settlement, which includes a \$50,000 share to Helen Potts. In the agreement among the heirs there is one exception, however. The exception is Edward S. Percival, a nephew of the dead tea merchant.

Yellow Fever Patient Near Death.

(By Associated Press.)

Havana, Aug. 30.—Dr. Caldas will return to B. azil next week. The condition of the last patient attacked by yellow fever was serious last night, and if he dies an autopsy probably will be held by the board, in order to prepare a report to the government.

Back to His First Love.

(By Associated Press.)

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—J. B. Wright, who retired recently from the position of superintendent of the Sacramento division of the Southern Pacific, is to be shortly taken back in the employ of the company, and is to succeed Julius Kruttschmitt as general manager of the road.

SISTER OF MERCY IS KILLED

Mother Superior Baptists of Colorado Meets Death in Railroad Accident.

(By Associated Press.)

Durango, Col., Aug. 30.—By the turning over of a Pullman on a west-bound Rio Grande passenger train yesterday, Mother Superior of Denver, mother superior of Colorado, was killed, and Sister Mary Nora, also of Denver, and Pullman Conductor Whan were injured.

The accident occurred at Lobate side-track, 100 yards from the high bridge, five miles east of Chama. Railroad men and passengers alike are unable to explain why the car turned over, as the time was slower than usual, the track in good condition and there was no breakage before the accident. The car was dragged about 75 feet.

Mother Superior was sitting on the left side, and the car turned to the right. She was thrown across the aisle and half way through an open window; her head and shoulders being dragged between the side of the car and the ties. She was dead before any one reached her, her head being split open.

Sister Mary Nora is hurt internally and her injuries are serious. Conductor Whan had his left hip crushed and was also internally injured.

DEATH BEAT RAILROAD TRAIN

Victim of Consumption Tries to Reach Home to Die, But Falls by a Few Hours.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Racing with death from Denver to Cincinnati, where she would be content to die surrounded by her friends and relatives, Miss Schock succumbed in this city last night.

The young woman's strength gave way shortly before the flying train bearing her home to die reached Chicago.

When the train reached the depot Miss Schock was unconscious. An ambulance was called to take her to the hospital, but on the way she died.

A brother who accompanied from Denver took the body of his sister back to the Cincinnati home today.

Miss Schock was a victim of consumption.

WORK BEGUN ON NEW ROAD

Vancouver Northern & Yukon Railway Line Will Be Pushed to Completion.

(By Associated Press.)

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 30.—John Henry, president of the Hastings mill of Vancouver, and Captain McKenzie, agent of the Great Northern railway, have caused active work to be begun on the construction of the Vancouver Northern & Yukon railway. It is said the line will be constructed with a year and that the new government bridge across the Fraser river will be used by the Great Northern.

CLARK'S MINE IN RUSSIA

WHERE AND WHAT IT IS, AND HOW THE MONTANA SENATOR CAME TO INTEREST HIMSELF IN THE PROPERTY.

(By Associated Press.)

S. T. PETERSBURG, Aug. 30.—The mining company which rumor and newspapers persistently state Senator Clark of Montana has agreed to finance to the extent of 15,000,000 roubles in the Veskesrensky Mining company of Kieff.

The founder of the company was I. B. Deroff, a merchant of Sempalatinsk, who first investigated the mineral wealth of the Kirgis steppes. After 10 years of prospecting, which was conducted with the assistance of Russian and foreign experts, the evidence of great mineral wealth in Sempalatinsk, Akmolinsk and Simeronak was conclusively demonstrated.

Mr. Deroff received a valuable concession and raised a capital of 3,000,000 roubles with the aid of a bank in Kieff. The first general meeting of the company was held March 31, 1899, in Kieff. During the ensuing two years a standard gauge railway was built through the central basin of the company's concession to the River Irtysh, a distance of 115 versts, and a copper smelting works were built.

These various works consumed the en-

SENATOR HOAR CELEBRATES

Venerable Massachusetts Solon Comes to the Age of Seventy-five Years.

(By Associated Press.)

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 30.—The close of three-quarters of a century of life finds the senior United States senator from Massachusetts, George F. Hoar, in excellent health and as active as many men 25 years his junior.

The venerable statesman yesterday celebrated his 75th birthday. He was congratulated by friends and admirers in many of the states of the union.

The senator is now serving his fifth term as a member of the senate. During the summer Mr. Hoar has devoted part of his time to pleasure and sight-seeing, but his literary work has not been neglected.

He also has given some of his time to Clark university and other public matters.

ADA GRAY, ACTRESS, IS DEAD

"Lady Isabel" in East Lynne Passes Away at the Home for Incurables at Fordham, N. Y.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 30.—Ada Gray, actress, is dead at the Home for Incurables at Fordham. She had been at the hospital since January, a victim of locomotor ataxia. Miss Gray was best known as "Lady Isabel" in East Lynne.

Miss Gray, who in private life was Mrs. Charles F. Tingay, was born in Oneonta, N. Y., in 1834, and went on the stage when 10 years old. Early in her career she married a wealthy Albany hotel proprietor. When he died Miss Gray married Mr. Tingay, an English actor.

Miss Gray leaves two sisters, at present in Boston, who will make arrangements for her funeral.

PUSHING FRENCH LANGUAGE

Delegate of the Alliance Francaise Says Great Progress Is Being Made.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 30.—Leon Berthaut of the French academy, has left for France on the liner L'Aquitaine.

M. Berthaut, who as delegate of the Alliance Francaise, for the propagation of the French language, had made a long visit to Canada, said: "I am more than satisfied with the result of my mission. Our object is to create local committees to propagate the French language. Our work is not only patriotic, it is also commercial. In learning our language, people will learn our history, and, knowing our history, they will learn to like us.

"Our propaganda will help France commercially; we are too much the slaves of Madame Routine, and we let the German and English influence abroad grow too strong."

POLICE PROBING

ENTIRE CHICAGO FORCE WILL BE PLACED ON THE CARPET.

CROOKED WORK SUSPECTED

Civil Service Commission Determined to Oust Men Who Have Lined Their Pockets.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—President Lindblom of the civil service commission announces that a sweeping investigation of the detective bureau will begin about Sept. 19.

Today Detectives John J. Tracey and John C. Cramer, accused, with Lieut. Peter J. Joyce, of having collected \$75.80 from the state by means of the bogus Larkin expense account, will undergo their trial.

Tomorrow the decision in these cases, as well as the verdict as to the guilt or innocence of Lieut. Joyce, will be announced by the commission.

In response to an inquiry President Lindblom said that these trials are only the first step in a thorough inquiry into the character and efficiency of the detective department.

"Do you intend to investigate the entire department?" he was asked.

"Yes, sir; the entire department will be inquired into," came the reply. "Nothing can stop us now."

CASE IS A DRAMATIC ONE

Trial of Sergeant Marten of the German Army Attracts Widespread Attention.

(By Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 30.—Both German and English journals display great interest in the military trial of Sergeant Marten.

While it differs from the Dreyfuss case in dramatic interest and under-plot, it raises the same questions involved in the proceedings at Rennes, namely, whether military discipline ought to be converted into a fetish and exalted above the abstract justice, and whether the court martial can be allowed to force a conviction on inadequate grounds.

When Captain Krosigik was found murdered in the barracks, after making the lives of men under him miserable, Marten was alternately convicted and acquitted, when the evidence merely indicated that he had failed to account for six minutes of the day in question; that he expressed no regret when informed of the murder and that he had been seen near the gun-rack some time before the shooting.

The German press has taken up the prisoner's case with great spirit and insists upon having either a commutation of the sentence or a re-hearing by the supreme court.

MANY HORSES BURN TO DEATH

Fire Causes Great Loss of Money to the Stockyards Company of Honolulu.

(By Associated Press.)

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—The steamer Solace brings the news that on Aug. 21 the buildings of the stockyard company in Honolulu were destroyed by fire and 75 fine horses were burned to death. Three cottages were also consumed. The loss by fire, which is supposed to have been of incendiary origin, was \$100,000. Timely rains have done much good to the sugar plantations of Hawaii.

No Invasion of Colombia.

(By Associated Press.)

Quito, Ecuador, Aug. 30.—Although the government of Ecuador has adopted neutrality measures which are being generally respected, it is known the liberal revolutionary troops are beyond the frontier and within sight of a military force of the Colombian government. There has been no invasion of Colombia by troops of Ecuador.

Submarine Destroyers Coming. (By Associated Press.) London, Aug. 30.—The Express says: France and Russia will have 92 submarine destroyers in six months' time.