

# STANLEY BEACH PLUNGES FROM FLYING MACHINE AS IT DASHES OVER CLIFF AT LORDSHIP PARK

Stanley Y. Beach, aeronautic editor of the Scientific American, plunged over the cliff at Lordship park at 2 o'clock this afternoon in his new Bleriot monoplane, which had gotten beyond his control.

Mr. Beach left the ground a short distance from the cliff, and as it neared the edge of the cliff, which sheers off at an angle of about 45 degrees to the sandy shore skirting the Sound near Point-No-Point, the monoplane left the ground.

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## SUNSTROKE CLAIMS FAVORITE VICTIM

Man Several Times Stricken Falls at Work in Sun

Patrick Howard, 199 Center street, several times a victim of sun strokes was today stricken while working on a new building at Iranistan and Laurel avenues.

Howard dragged himself through a fence into an open lot and lay beneath a tree until his moans attracted attention. Dr. Bennett packed him in ice at the emergency hospital and sent him home when he appeared to be out of danger.

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## OVERCOME IN PULPIT

Rev. A. J. Bolston of Waterbury Faints Under Heat During Sermon

Waterbury, July 11.—Rev. A. Judson Bolston, pastor of the First Baptist church in this city, was overcome by the heat during his sermon yesterday morning, fainted, fell to the floor and remained unconscious for fifteen minutes. There was much excitement among the members of the congregation. He was removed to his home where he nearly fainted a second time. He will recover.

## Penniless Bride Feared Husband Planned Desertion

Fearing that her husband, a young Englishman who came here with his bride last January was about to desert her, Mrs. Edward Peterson, asked the police to have him arrested in Stratford last night.

Peterson became ill shortly after his arrival here and his young bride was forced to pawn her wedding ring to buy bread for the family for four or five days. She then returned to her home and went to Lakeview home. Dissatisfied with the surroundings they left and while Mrs. Peterson took up her abode with charitable women, her husband started for Stratford where his father, following him to this country, was working on a farm.

Peterson's father told the authorities that conditions in London within the last year were bad for the toilers, and that thousands of young men like his son were forced to beg.

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## CORPORATION TAX RECEIPTS \$55,793,610

(Special from United Press.) Washington, July 11.—A statement issued by the Treasury Department today shows the receipts from the corporation tax for the first six months of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1910. The amount outstanding is \$1,461,237 on which the delinquents will be obliged to pay a penalty of 1 per cent per month unless payments are made before the close of business today.

## Main Street Building Bought for \$7,000 Sells for \$50,000

Deeds of the property occupied by Coe & White, the grocers with stores at 211 Main street, Stratford, Conn., were filed for record in the office of the town clerk today. Mrs. Caroline Wirth, of Providence, gives a warranty deed to Charles and Louis Levin, the Water street clothing dealers and takes a mortgage of \$43,000. It is understood that the property is owned by William H. Wirth, deceased husband of the grantor who bought the property for \$7,000 in the eighties, while he was running the Atlantic Hotel. The shop now has a frontage of 50 ft in Main street and a depth of 86 ft.

J. P. MORGAN'S DAUGHTER MAY WED DON JAIME SPANISH PRETENDER.

(Special from United Press.) London, July 11.—The Reynolds Newspaper today, in its personal columns says: "It isn't at all unlikely judging from the frequency with which J. Pierpont Morgan's daughter Anne, and Don Jaime, of Spain, are seen together, that they will soon make a match of it."

Don Jaime de Bourbon is 40 years old, the son of the late Don Carlos de Bourbon and he is the pretender to the Spanish throne. He is an officer in the Hussar regiment of Brodno in the Russian guards.

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## ONE KILLED AND MANY INJURED IN DERAILED TRAIN ON N. Y. CENTRAL

(Special from United Press.) Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 11.—New York Central train No. 55, known as the midnight express, leaving New York at 12:30, was derailed at Newburgh, N. Y., at Albany today. One trainman was killed and one passenger so badly injured he required medical attention. Others passengers and trainmen were badly shaken up. All tracks were blocked and the through trains were derailed. The derailed train which Jack Johnson, the negro heavyweight champion was enroute to New York. The dead man is Ray, the baggage master of Buffalo.

Engineer J. Trudall of Albany, and Fireman T. Holes were caught under the engine. Trudall's right leg was broken and Holes was internally injured. They were taken to the Hudson Hospital.

## HARVARD FRESHMAN DRAWN FOR SERVICE IN FRENCH ARMY.

(Special from United Press.) San Mateo, Cal., July 11.—Drawn for service in the French army under the compulsory military law, Christopher Deguigne, Jr., a Harvard Freshman and son of a wealthy local merchant, will leave at once for France to serve his two years in the French army. His father had never been naturalized and when the parent was notified that his son had been drawn he told the youth that he wanted him to obey the order. The young man had brought a couple of Harvard classmates home with him for the summer and had made preparations for a lively vacation.

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## HANK STOWARD'S CAR DISTANCES MOTORCYCLE COP

Chauffeur Later Arrested Driving at 40 Mile Clip—Bail of \$50 Required

For the first time since he has been detailed to apprehend motorists for violating the automobile law, Special Policeman Clifford Gorgas confessed himself vanquished today when Attorney Frank Stoward's automobile shot out through State street at such speed that he was not able to overhaul it.

Gorgas learned later that the car went to the Bridgeport Yacht club. He took up the chase as the car returned from the Yacht club, and overhauling it at a Fairfield avenue and State street, arrested the chauffeur, J. M. Cowperthwait. In the car besides Cowperthwait were two women, who waited outside police headquarters while arrangements were made for Cowperthwait's release in bail of \$50.

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## JEFF HANKERS FOR ANOTHER JOHNSON GO

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Store closes daily, except Saturdays, at 5 o'clock

News that will interest you is soon to be printed. Watch!

## THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

### CHAMPION JOHNSON GETS WARM WELCOME IN NEW YORK BEFORE STARTING IN VAUDEVILLE

### MASON ARRESTED CARRYING FOWL SUES OFFICER

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"I may make a final announcement of my decision on my return from the tour and then again may be I will not decide for a couple of months. I am not going to be hurried."

"I want to say, however, that no offer by any promoter has prompted me to change my mind. It is only my own natural desire to regain the championship."

For hours a procession of taxicabs and automobiles, containing negroes from every section of the city, had been rolling around and around the station, and as the big champion emerged from the train he was greeted with a wild roar of cheering and applause.

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