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RELIEF

The Two Men in Washington Who Were Responsible for the Speedy Relief of the San Francisco Sufferers.

SENATOR'S EXPERIENCE IN AN EARTHQUAKE

Washington News Notes of Particular Interest to North Dakota People.

By E. C. Snyder. Washington, May 5.—During all the trying days immediately following the earthquake and fire in San Francisco, the brunt of moving troops and supplies and organizing systematic relief camps for the stricken people about the Golden Gate devolved upon two men of the war department—James Franklin Bell, chief of staff, and Charles F. Humphrey, quartermaster general.

It can with truth be said that Brigadier General Humphrey very largely bore the brunt of the first few days of getting relief to the people of San Francisco and other California cities in need of assistance.

Senator Hensbrough of North Dakota broke into a reminiscent mood the other day apropos of the San Francisco earthquake.

"You have seen the waves of the sea, rising and falling," said the North Dakotan; "well, that is the way the earth was performing. I tried to run, but the smooth surface of the ground, that in all my life I never experienced such a sensation and the memory of that day is as vivid as if it were but yesterday."

"That's all very well," replied Mr. Cushman of Washington state, who heard the recital of the senator from North Dakota. "I have had the earth to come up and hit me on several occasions when I was younger than I am now, but I don't care to file a bill of particulars in the individual cases."

Authority has been granted the reclamation service to negotiate, without the formality of advertising, with contractors in Montana for the construction of division No. 3, Lower Yellowstone irrigation project, North Dakota and Montana, at figures not exceeding the lowest bid on division No. 4, and to waive the requirements of a percentage payment to be held back. It is explained that owing to the exigency which exists that authority is granted, under the provisions of Sec. 3709 of the revised statutes.

The engineering details of the national work of reclaiming the arid west naturally are of particular interest to the colleges wherein engineering

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BACK

To the Mines, There'll Be No Strike, Says the Committee Having in Charge the Matter of Making a Final Decision.

WILL WORK UNDER THE 1903 SCALE

The Convention at Once Took Up the Recommendation of the Committee and Warmly Discussed It.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Flash, Scranton, Pa., May 5.—There will be no strike of anthracite coal miners.

Scranton, Pa., May 5.—The miners' scale committee today recommended to the convention that the miners return to work under the scale of 1903 which was the strike commissions' award. The convention is now discussing the recommendations.

Scranton, Pa., May 5.—There will be no strike of the anthracite miners. That is now the settled conclusion, for such is the advice of President John Mitchell and National Secretary-Treasurer Wilson and others of the leaders who today addressed the convention of miners before the report of the scale committee was presented. Their addresses fully forecasted the report which the committee would make. The suspension order will be raised, and the miners will go back to work upon the terms of the award of the anthracite strike commission of 1903, which the operators were willing to have continued and will later seek to obtain through the conciliation board or by arbitration a bettering of the conditions which they complain are working hardships on them.

AN ESTIMATE OF LOSSES IN SAN FRANCISCO

United States Postoffice Building Alone Will Cost \$550,000.

By E. C. Snyder.

Washington, May 5.—Senator Flint of California has introduced five bills which give one an idea of the loss the U. S. government suffered to some of its buildings through the recent earthquake in his state. These bills call for an aggregate appropriation of \$690,000 for the reconstruction or repair of government buildings within the earthquake zone. The heaviest loss appears to have been to the U. S. postoffice building at San Francisco, as for its reconstruction it is estimated that \$550,000 must be appropriated at once. The U. S. mint, practically the only structure of consequence which withstood the quake and subsequent fire, was still damaged to an extent which will necessitate the expenditure of \$50,000 to fully restore it. The U. S. sub-treasury was damaged to the extent of \$25,000 and the quartermaster's warehouse, used for storing supplies for the army, will cost another \$10,000 to put it in commission again. The postoffice at San Jose was damaged to such an extent that \$40,000 must be expended to repair it and \$15,000 will be needed to restore the postoffice at Oakland to its former condition.

The comptroller of the currency today approved the application of the officials of the Michigan City bank, Michigan City, N. D., to convert their institution into a national bank. As converted into a national banking institution the official title of the bank will hereafter be "The First National Bank of Michigan." The capital equipment is \$25,000.

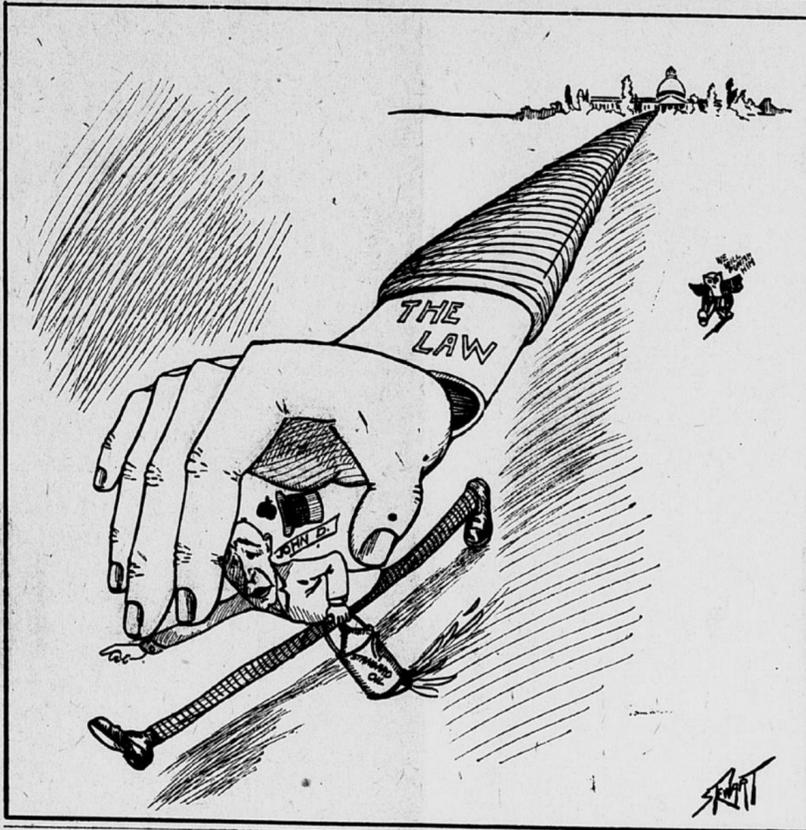
Representative Marshall today recommended the following to be postmasters: Henry F. Spelser at Fessenden, Hiram A. Blatchford at Berlin, and T. O. Stogobery at Weaver.

Herman F. H. Michaels was today appointed postmaster at Judson, Morton county, vice Henry M. Seethoof, resigned.

A new postoffice has been ordered established at Gladys, Williams county, and William H. Rowe appointed postmaster.

Prof. John Worst, president of the state agricultural college, Fargo, is in Washington today, as is also H. W. Phelps, president of the Commercial National bank of Fargo.

WHAT WILL IT DO TO HIM?



PRESIDENT EXPLAINS HIS POSITION ON THE RATE BILL AMENDMENT

Washington, May 5.—In view of the publication today regarding the president's position on the question of the railroad rate legislation and amendments proposed, an authoritative statement was issued at the White house defining the president's position. The statement follows:

"The so-called Allison amendment in the president's judgment simply states affirmatively what the president believes is already contained in the Hepburn bill, but if there is the slightest doubt as to its being thus already contained in the bill, the president would insist upon its being put in, because unless it is thus contained the bill undoubtedly would be void."

Therefore, as to incorporating the Allison amendment under no circumstances would it do anything but good, and as there is an honest doubt on the part of some of the sincere adherents of the bill whether it is or is not already, by implication, contained in the bill, the president is clearly of the opinion that the Allison amendment should be put in, and this without regard to whether other amendments are or are not to be adopted. If the bill will be satisfactory to the president who, from the Hepburn bill itself would be satisfied. But the president would like, in addition to the Allison amendment, that the so-called Long and Overman amendments were also adopted. While the president regards these amendments with favor and would like to see them adopted, he does not in the least regard them as vital and feels that the Hepburn bill would still be in excellent shape even without them.

ITALIANS AND POLICE HAVE A SERIOUS MIXUP

A Riot at Pasaic, New Jersey, Causes Gun Play With Fatal Results.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Pasaic, N. J., May 5.—In a battle between riotous Italians and the police today three of the rioters were shot and a number of policemen were injured. One of the men shot may die. A number of men were made prisoners by the police. The riot took place in an out building of the Daily Herald which is being erected at Central avenue and Monroe street, where the strike of the diggers and shovelmens was begun a few days ago. About 150 strikers appeared at the building today and tried to induce the concrete workers in the building to join in the strike. The four policemen who were on the ground were temporarily overpowered and reinforcements were sent from police stations. A battle ensued in which four of the strikers were shot and nearly every policeman engaged was injured. Policeman Gustave Schmidt was struck on the head with bricks and badly hurt but the rioters were put to flight after 200 shots were fired. The police pursued the rioters and routed them out of a stone quarry when they fled into the woods.

Men eat at the club occasionally so they will not have the quarrel with the milkman and the grocer's mistake served for hash.

Prof. Lee has discovered a fatigue cure. The other fellow ought to get a supply.

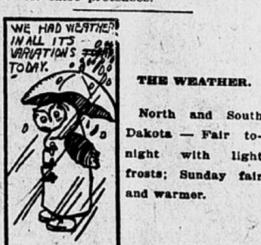
W. WELLMAN WILL ESTABLISH A WIRELESS

Telegraph Station in Norway in Connection With His Polar Trip.

Associated Press Cable to The Evening Times. London, May 5.—Walter Wellman has received the consent of Norway to the establishment of a wireless telegraph station at Hammerfest, in connection with his polar expedition. Wellman is going to Paris tomorrow for the purpose of testing his air ship which has been constructed there for use in the arctic regions.

Hock is estopped from fooling women, but who will estop the women from being fooled?

Countess Boni might have the Castellanes arrested for procuring money under false pretenses.



THE WEATHER. North and South Dakota — Fair to night with light frosts; Sunday fair and warmer.

THE NEW CABINET IS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED

The Russian Emperor Issues a Rescript — Lets Deposed Leaders Down Easy.

Associated Press Cable to The Evening Times. St. Petersburg, May 5.—The official announcement of Count Witte's retirement from the premiership, the retirement of M. Durnovo from the ministry of the interior and M. Gorenkyin's elevation to the premiership, appeared today in the "Official Messenger." The names of the other members of the new cabinet were not gazetted. It is asserted that one or two are hesitating, notably M. Izvolsky, curator of St. Petersburg high schools and university who has been named for foreign minister, knowing full well that the cabinet is a makeshift of the emperor to let both Witte and Durnovo down. The usual rescripts do not count the slightest suggestion of the emperor's desire. On the contrary, the rescript of Witte puts the motives for his retirement in the best possible light, accepting the excuse of ill health at its face value. The whole tone of the rescript is extraordinarily cordial and besides it confers on Witte the order of Alexander Nevsky set in brilliant. It is the second highest decoration in Russia. Witte also retains his title of count and is appointed member of the council of the empire or upper house of the new parliament and remains secretary of state. Durnovo, in giving up the ministry of the interior becomes a secretary of state, retains the dignity of senator and is made a member of the council of the empire.

STRIKE

Of the Longshoremen is Beginning to Be Felt at the Head of the Lakes—Effort Will Be Made to Get Others Out.

OTHERWISE THE STRIKE SHOULD BE CALLED OFF

Men Working on Stack Piles, Shipping or Handling Ore at Chisholm, Minn., Are Discharged.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Duluth, May 5.—The lake marine strike is beginning to be felt at the head of the lakes more every day, and this condition will continue until the extent of the tie-up can be fully known. The strike is not meeting with the approval of any of the interests affected at this point. There is a feeling in union labor circles that the mates, if they expect the support of the general strike of the longshoremen, should first strike themselves in sufficient numbers to make a good showing. Otherwise the strike, the critics declare, should be called off.

Chisholm, Minn., May 5.—Because of the longshoremen's strike and tie-up of the ore carrying vessels on the great lakes, all the men working on the stock piles, shipping or handling ore at the mines in this vicinity, have been discharged.

Duluth, May 5.—Nearly all of the train crews have been taken off the ore carrying railroads in this county because of the lake strike. The open pit mines which are operated by steam shovels and must ship as fast as they mine, have all been closed. The under ground mines will operate, putting their ore in stock piles. Hundreds of men are already out of employment and before long the number will run into the thousands. All the vessels coming in here for ore are being loaded and sent out, but arrivals from the lower lakes are beginning to drop off and soon the business at this port will be at low ebb.

DEAD

Ten Persons Are Killed as a Result of the Head On Collision on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Clover Creek.

FATALITIES ALL ON EASTBOUND TRAIN

Oscar Anderson of Velva, North Dakota is Among the List of Injured.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Altoona, Pa., May 5.—Ten persons are dead as the result of the head on collision on the Pennsylvania railroad near Clover Creek Junction last night. Six were killed outright and four died as a result of the injuries received. About twenty of the passengers and train crew are more or less seriously injured but as far as known all will recover. The dead:

J. W. WAGNER, postman clerk, Mifflintown, Pa.
J. W. COX, postal clerk, Downingtown, Pa.
SCHUYLTZ, postal clerk, Washington, D. C.

JONES, postal clerk, residence not known.
F. GARDNER, postal clerk, Harrisburg, Pa.
BRAKEMAN.

UNKNOWN WOMAN, supposed to be from Duncannon, Pa.
MAX TARLOVE, South Norwalk, Conn.
J. D. CONOVER, traveling salesman, New York.
UNKNOWN MAN.
J. W. HERR, baggage-master, Jersey City, N. J.

The trains were known as No. 19, the Chicago mail, east bound, and the first or Chicago section of the Chicago & St. Louis express, west bound. With the exception of the last named man all of those killed were on the east bound train. Nearly all of the injured were likewise on the east bound train. Among the injured was Oscar Anderson of Velva, N. D., injured in the legs.

The disaster in one sense is the result of a costly freight wreck which occurred at Union Furnace, Pa., last night. An east bound freight train burst an air hose near the forward end of the train and twenty-seven loaded cars piled up over and blocked all tracks. On such occasions the Petersburg branch is used by the company for the movement of its passenger traffic. The Chicago section of the Chicago and St. Louis express train No. 21 was one of the trains caught behind the wreck and it was given orders to come west to Altoona by way of the Petersburg branch. It was the first train to be started west over that branch. About the same time train No. 18, known as the Chicago mail left this city and started west by way of the same branch, which is a single track line. The two trains met head on a short distance east of Clover Creek Junction while running at full speed. The collision came as a result of a misunderstanding of the orders on the part of the crew of the Chicago and St. Louis express.

ASK FOR RECEIVER For the Trader's Insurance Company of Chicago.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Chicago, May 5.—A petition for the appointment of a receiver for the Trader's Insurance company has been filed in the circuit court.

Bryon L. Smith, receiver of the Northern Trust company of this city was today appointed receiver of the Trader's Insurance company by Judge Julian Mack in the circuit court of Cook county. The application for a receiver was made in behalf of fifteen stockholders, including John A. King, Clarence Buckingham, Chas. L. Hutcheson, Abram Poole, William C. Seipp and Geo. Sturges, all of them wealthy men.

PREPARING FOR A MODEL CITY

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Chicago, May 5.—The stupendous work of building a model city to accommodate 100,000 people has been begun with the clearance of a 6,000-acre tract on the shore of Lake Michigan in Lake county, Indiana. The new city is to be built to accommodate the toolers in the mills to be erected by the newly organized Indiana Steel company. The plant will cost \$10,000,000 and will be the largest of its kind in the world. The city to accommodate the mill workers will be built and connected on the lines of the city of Pullman and will contain library, meeting halls, theatre, gymnasium and other features of public benefit to be maintained by the company.

A Grand Forks young man asked his best girl in a fit of confidence if she could not live on his salary. She could but, how could he live on nothing?

If travel were made by stage coach there would be few North Dakotans in California.

MONUMENT TO THE LOST CHILDREN ERECTED

To Commemorate the Death of Two Little Tots in the Alleghenies.

Associated Press to The Evening Times.

Bedford, Pa., May 5.—After a lapse of half a century a monument to the "Lost Children of the Alleghenies" has been erected in the mountain wilds of this county and will be dedicated with impressive ceremony next Tuesday, the fiftieth anniversary of the finding of the children's bodies.

The story of the lost children—George and Joseph Cox, aged seven and five years, respectively—is a household tale throughout this section of Pennsylvania. It was on the morning of April 24, 1856, that the two little tots wandered away into the mountains near their home in Spruce Hollow. They had followed after their father, who had gone squirrel hunting. The parents immediately became alarmed and the following day, when the children failed to reappear, all the surrounding country was aroused. Fourteen days after they had wandered away, after fully 3,000 people had about given up a search for them by day and by night, the thin, emaciated bodies of the youngsters were found in an out-of-the-way ravine in the mountain.

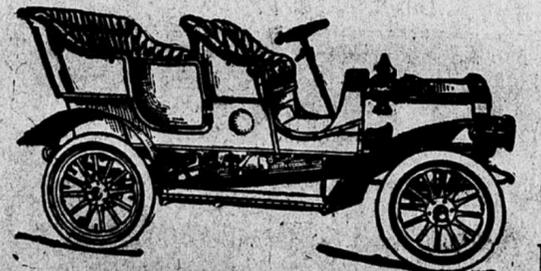
The parents of the children are both dead but the story of their loss still survives and some time ago the "Lost Cox Children Memorial association" was formed by prominent persons of this and adjoining counties for the purpose of erecting a suitable monument.

The monument which has been erected in the mountains on the spot where the little bodies were found is a handsome marble shaft five feet in height. On the face of the monument is the inscription: "The Lost Children of the Alleghenies Were Found Here May 8, 1856, by Jacob Dibert and Harrison Whiting." In the base of the shaft will be placed newspaper accounts and other data pertaining to the affair.

SHOT AND KILLED.

A Plucky Woman Summarily Deals With an Intruder.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Chilton, Wis., May 5.—George Sawyer was shot and killed here last evening by Mrs. Joseph Schult, whose home is on the outskirts of this city. It is alleged that Sawyer attempted to force his way in the Schult residence.



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