

LASSEN IS AGAIN ACTIVE

CALIFORNIA VOLCANO BELCHES FORTH STEAM AND ASHES.

Viola Lumberman Killed by Rock From Crater and Two Others Are Missing.

Red Bluff, June 15.—Mount Lassen, at the foot of the Cascade range, in two eruptions of fire and smoke yesterday, became the newest active volcano in the world. The mountain has been emitting steam and vapor for some time.

Two new craters, in addition to one blown open May 30, burst from the mountain side last night. Fire from them was seen from roofs at Redding, Cal., Volta and other points. This was regarded as establishing the nature of the outbreak, which hitherto has been ascribed to geyser action.

A previous eruption early in the day, came from the crater of May 30. Lance Graham, a lumberman from Viola, Shasta county, ventured too near the cloud of smoke as it shot 2,000 feet into the air, and a jagged rock sawed him nearly in two, cutting off his arm and exposing his heart. He was taken to Volta, a few miles distant, and died there. Of the eight members in his party, two, Hugh Addington and Hiram Blodgett, are missing, and one, named Sipple, was seriously bruised and cut by rocks. A report that one of the party went insane proved incorrect.

Six of the party saved themselves by burying their faces in the snow and avoiding the poisonous gases which belched from the volcano. They found Graham and Sipple after gases had lifted somewhat.

OFFICIALS STILL HOPEFUL OF PEACE

Optimism Prevails at Capital as to Ultimate Outcome of Mexican Mediation.

Washington, D. C., June 15.—Admitting that Mexican mediation at Niagara Falls is now at its critical stage, having reached the point where the personnel of the provisional government to succeed Huerta must be selected, Washington officials last night were nevertheless hopeful of ultimate peace, and still insistent that negotiations were progressing satisfactorily.

Administration leaders were appreciative, however, of the importance of the developments of the next few days will have on the grave situation confronting the nations involved.

Communication from the American delegates at Niagara Falls with the Washington government yesterday was reported to relate to the character of the provisional government that representatives of the United States and General Huerta already have agreed should be established pending a constitutional election in Mexico. The selection of the provisional president and his associates was considered at a joint session of the mediators and commissioners of both American republics yesterday.

DAMAGED STEAMER DOCKS; PASSENGERS SING PRAISES

Liner New York Arrives at Port Showing Result of Collision With Pretoria.

New York, June 15.—With more than 650 persons on board the liner New York, a gaping hole torn in her side, where the Hamburg-American liner Pretoria struck her in a fog off Nantucket early Saturday, docked here yesterday.

The passengers, thankful at having escaped a disaster similar to that of the Empress of Ireland, held an impressive service of thanksgiving as the liner steamed into port. There was scarcely a dry eye among

the congregation while "Nearer My God to Thee" was being sung.

That the Pretoria did not strike the New York at her most vulnerable point—between the funnels—was due to the skilful handling of the American liner by Captain Roberts. When he says a collision was inevitable the captain ordered his boat full speed astern. The order was executed so promptly from a dead stop that the great ship leaped backwards like a thing alive.

The German boat had reversed her engines, but this had been done too late to prevent a crash and she struck the New York about fifty feet above the stem. The New York reeled slightly but recovered her even keel when the Pretoria, backing out at the request of Captain Roberts, swung around until she lay alongside the New York.

Summer School Opens.

The summer school for teachers held its first session in the high school auditorium this forenoon. An excellent enrollment for the beginning is reported and the six weeks term will no doubt be one of large attendance and much profit.

FAIR WEATHER IS FORECAST

Early Part of Week Will Be Unsettled, With Showers.

Washington, June 15.—Generally fair weather is forecast for the coming week, though it will be unsettled with probably showers the first day or two from the Missouri Valley eastward to the Atlantic coast. Toward the end of the week a disturbance is expected to develop in the extreme northwest.

"Temperatures will not change materially in the south," said the weather bureau's bulletin last night. "Over the central districts they will be normal or a little below, while over the east and north they will be somewhat low for this reason, with a recovery to warmer conditions over the northwest after the middle of the week."

THIS TOWN IS BADLY SHOCKED

Hammond, Ind., Sees Undraped Pullman Patrons; Threaten Action.

Hammond, Ind., June 15.—The city authorities of Hammond are planning to use fire hose on Pullman passengers of both sexes who lie in their berths these hot nights without pulling down the shades.

A score of east and southbound trains on the Erie, Michigan Central, Nickel Plate, Monon and Chesapeake & Ohio railroads reach Hammond from Chicago about the time the passengers have retired. The stations are in the heart of the shopping district, and the sleepers blockade streets filled with crowds from theaters and shops going home.

Men, accompanied by wives, daughters and sweethearts, have been compelled to witness some unusual sights. Pullman passengers in all stages of undress gasp in their berths, awake and asleep, as the trains stop. One night seltzer bottles were used on some of the sleepers, but with little effect.

A woman, nearly dressed as Eve, on an Erie train, with her berth lighted and shades undrawn, slept unconscious of a riotous crowd on the Hohman street crossing, and she was only saved by the train pulling out.

MONTANA EXECUTIVE ASKS PRESIDENT FOR TROOPS

Washington, D. C., June 16.—Governor Stewart of Montana telegraphed President Wilson yesterday asking that federal troops be sent to restore order in the Butte copper mine districts.

At the same time the governor sent messages to Montana senators and representatives in congress urging them to call at the White house and support his request. Senators Meyers and Walsh and Representatives Evans and Stour arranged to see the president today.

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SEVEN TOURISTS IN VESSEL'S HULL

PARTY OF SHERBURN, MINN., PERISHED IN EMPRESS.

Members Well Known in Northern Iowa All Thought Lost.

Estherville, Ia., June 15.—Thursday, May 21, Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and daughter, Tillie; Mrs. Peter Madsen, Mrs. John Larsen and four-year-old son, Anton, and Miss Eliza Daab departed from Sherburn for a trip abroad. While there was a pang of regret existing in the hearts of all these people that they were obliged to leave members of their families at home, the party seemed happy in the thought that they were soon to reunite with loved ones in the country of their birth, whom they had not seen for over thirty years.

The party visited at different places en route to Quebec. Among the places at which the Johnsons stopped was Albert Lea, where they visited the place where they were married and started from there on their trip the same as they did on their wedding trip. The party also stopped at Detroit, Mich., where Mrs. Madsen visited her son, Harry. From there they visited Niagara Falls and continued to Quebec. Letters and cards were received here from different ones in the party up to and including the time they were on the boat, Empress of Ireland, and all seemed to be having a good time and had been enjoying their trip immensely. Some of these letters and cards were received on Saturday and Monday after the terrible catastrophe in which they lost their lives had taken place.

The first news of the fearful tragedy came to Sherburn Friday afternoon in a bulletin, as follows: "James Johnson and wife, Tillie Johnson, Mrs. Peter Madsen, Miss Elizabeth Daab, Mrs. John Larson and Anton Larson aboard liner, Empress of Ireland that went down off Rimouski, Quebec."

Standard Oil Improvements. The Standard Oil station in this city, located just south of the Illinois Central tracks midway between Des Moines and Seneca streets, has just been overhauled and rebuilt. The old board fence has been replaced by one of woven wire and a fresh coat of paint has improved the appearance of the station.

BAD WRECK AT CHAFFEE, MO.

Thirty-five Injured When Frisco Train Leaves Rails.

Chaffee Mo., June 15.—Thirty-five persons were injured Saturday when a St. Louis & San Francisco train from Memphis to St. Louis left the track near here. The train left Memphis at 7 a. m. and was due in St. Louis at 8:35 p. m. The accident occurred shortly after 4 o'clock. A relief train left here for the scene at 6:15 p. m. The wreck was caused by a loose wheel on the forward truck of one of the passenger coaches. The coaches left the track. So far as known none was killed.

FOUR DIE IN OHIO CRASH

Two Hocking Valley Passengers Collide; Agent Forgot.

Logan, O., June 15.—Four trainmen were killed, another probably fatally injured, and more than a score of passengers hurt, when two passenger trains on the Hocking Valley railroad collided near here Saturday night.

Failure of a station agent to place the block for the northbound train was assigned by officials as the cause of the collision.

WANTED—a young man, with fair education, to work in general store. Write at once. Box 72, Williams, Iowa. d1f1*

Operation for Appendicitis. James Morrow, the nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morrow, residing three or four miles southwest of town, underwent an operation at Mercy hospital Sunday noon for appendicitis. The boy was in a very serious condition and much pus had accumulated in the affected parts, but he is getting along nicely and there appears to be no doubt of his recovery. The many friends of the family in this community will hope for his speedy restoration to health.

Falls From Hotel Window. Mason City, June 15.—Falling twenty-five feet from the second story window of a local hotel, Mrs. C. L. Brown yesterday suffered serious and possibly fatal injuries. She has been highly nervous since returning recently from Rochester, Minn., where she underwent an operation. Her sister, Mrs. F. A. Snow, had been in Mrs. Brown's room shortly before the accident and had left the invalid sitting in the window. It is thought she became overbalanced.

TWO DROWN WHILE SEINING

Young Men Perish in Mink Creek Near LeMars, Ia.

LeMars, Ia., June 15.—Arthur Erickson, aged 30, and his brother-in-law, Colin Brodie, aged 17, were drowned while seining in the Mink creek, seven miles west of here yesterday.

They started to put a net across the stream and found the rope to be too short. The hired man went to get a rope, and when he came back he could find no trace of Erickson and Brodie. He gave an alarm, and after diving seven times he succeeded in bringing the net to the surface and others assisted him in hauling it to the bank. The bodies were entangled in the net. It is thought that Erickson got tangled up and the younger man went to his assistance.

Erickson leaves a wife and baby.

WOMEN DYNAMITE CHURCH

SUFFRAGETTES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR NEW OUTRAGE.

Historic Edifice in Hanover Square, London, is Damaged by Bomb Explosion.

London, June 15.—A bomb, believed to have been set off by suffragettes, was exploded in St. George's church, Hanover square, last night. Coming so close upon the bomb outrage in Westminster abbey, the desecration of this famous edifice has increased alarm as to how far militant women intend to carry their outrages.

The caretaker of St. George's had locked the church after an inspection on the conclusion of the evening service. A few minutes after 10 o'clock a passerby heard an explosion. Three pews and three windows were damaged by the explosion, while a pew immediately in front of the lectern was wrecked.

The famous painting of the "Last Supper" by Sir James Thornhill, which hangs over the altar, was not damaged, although the window above it was splintered.

Firemen found a tin box and pieces of a candle in the overturned pew. A member of the congregation said the pew was occupied at the evening service by a woman in a checked dress. An envelope was found in the church on which was written: "Protest against the torture of women."

St. George's church was built in 1713-24. It has long been a favorite church for fashionable weddings. Former President Roosevelt was married there in 1886.

While judges of the high courts and the lord mayor were attending service in St. Paul's cathedral yesterday, according to annual custom, several suffragists interrupted with protests against the torturing of women. Two women found chained to seats were removed. As they were carried out they shouted: "God save Mrs. Pankhurst."



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BURLINGTON MAN HAS DISAPPEARED

Charles Shick Went to St. Louis On Business In May. WENT UP RIVER IN A LAUNCH. Wrote Letter to Son About Business Matter, Then Disappears.

St. Louis, Mo., June 16.—In the belief that his father, Charles H. Shick, wealthy poultry fancier of Burlington, Ia., has fallen prey to two confidence men and has been robbed, imprisoned or possibly murdered, Clyde Shick yesterday asked Chief of Detectives Samuel Allender to aid in a search for him.

Charles H. Shick came to St. Louis the last week in May to purchase chickens and pigeons. On June 1 he wrote to his son, saying he had met two men and they had interested him in a business proposition.

"I am going up the river in a motor boat with them tomorrow," he wrote.

When he came to St. Louis the elder Shick brought with him about \$500. He wore a valuable diamond scarf pin and other jewelry.

Detectives yesterday learned he was in the Merchants' hotel, Twelfth and Olive streets, the night of May 31, and that he left there the following day.

"I don't understand why my father went to that hotel," said the younger Shick. "He usually stayed at the Planters' or Marquette on his visits to St. Louis."

Young Shick, who is visiting at 4711 Page boulevard, came to St. Louis two days ago and has been conducting a search for his father.

"I believed his letters might have been lost and that I could locate him without the aid of the police," he said. "Now it seems father has been the victim of foul play."

The elder Shick was 48 years old. His son said he was injured in a street car accident several months ago, but had recovered. He has a wife and several children.

Fire in Big Movie Factory. Philadelphia, Pa., June 15.—Many thousands of feet of moving picture film were destroyed, part of the plant was wrecked, and ten small dwelling houses burned Saturday in a fire following an explosion at the Lubin Manufacturing company in this city. The value of the films and the loss on the prospective income from the pictures are estimated at hundreds of dollars. Otherwise the property loss was about \$50,000.

SINGER SEEKS A RE-TRIAL

Sunday's Choirmaster Will Fight Payment of \$20,000 to Miss Jay.

CHANCES FOR RHODEHEAVER.

May Turn Over all he Possesses, Pay Off Judgment, or Secure Retrial and Gamble on Possible Verdict.

Chicago, June 16.—For Homer Rhodeaver, "Billy" Sunday's "golden voiced" choirmaster, the future holds three possibilities. Mr. Rhodeaver was recently ordered to pay \$20,000 damages to Miss Georgia Jay, formerly of Sioux City, in a verdict returned against him when the young woman sued for breach of promise.

Here are the courses fortune may take with the singer: In event the verdict is sustained he can turn over to Miss Jay everything he possesses and be freed of the judgment.

He may engage in a life of involuntary servitude, Judge Honore, who is hearing the application for a new trial, pointed out yesterday. At the rate he is making money now, he could pay off the \$20,000 in about fifteen years.

In case a new trial is granted his fate again goes to a jury. It's a gamble, and the next verdict may be his acquittal or he may lose heavier than before.

These facts developed in the hearing, which was postponed until next Saturday, when counsel for Miss Jay will present their arguments against a new trial in writing.

"The burden of the argument is on you," Judge Honore warned Henry W. Miller, attorney for Rhodeaver.

"This monstrosity of a verdict is entirely contrary to the evidence," declared Attorney Miller. "We will show that it is contrary to the evidence and the amount is grossly excessive. We will show that if she was engaged to marry him she released him. We will show that the verdict is based on passion and prejudice, and, further, that the girl refused to say that it was money she wanted. We will show all this and more if given another trial."

Sunday School Picnic. The members of the Philthea and Baraca Sunday school classes of the Baptist church will hold a picnic in Nokomis park Friday afternoon.