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SENSELESS "MAD-DOG" SCARES.

It is about time to inaugurate the annual "mad-dog" scare. Last year, St. Paul and other cities throughout the state had "scares," and nearly every village of any pretension in the state followed suit.

In summer time every dog that snaps and snarls is "mad." Humans may be out of temper or ill and because they can voice their complaint in words we understand, but the dumb animal is harried through the streets and subjected to tortures that would shame a Comanche—and all because, like "fire," the cry of "mad dog" drives man into a blind, unreasoning panic of senseless fear. Generally it is not the dog but his pursuers who are "mad."

Nor does the panic end with the dog's life. Whole neighborhoods are terror-stricken and the victim of the animal's teeth so terrified by his own imagination and the forebodings of friends that delirium and death are but the natural result. And yet many physicians say that in years of investigation they never have seen a true case of hydrophobia in a human being.

A pamphlet, "The Annual Mad-Dog Scare," has just been issued by the Women's Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, which were it generally read and understood, would save many men as well as dogs from torture and death. It is a plea against the cry of "mad dog," especially in the sensational newspapers. To support the contention that the dog afflicted with hydrophobia is seldom found, the statements of prominent physicians are quoted. "Many medical men," states the pamphlet, "are of the opinion that if hydrophobia develops into human beings at all, it is on extremely rare occasions; that the condition of hysterical excitement in man described by newspapers as 'hydrophobia' is merely a series of symptoms, due usually to a dread of the disease, such dread being caused by realistic newspaper and other reports acting upon the imaginations of persons scratched or bitten by animals suspected of rabies."

An extreme position, perhaps, and one that may be controverted by other physicians; but this statement, at least, can be made with safety: that not one-tenth of the "mad dogs" are afflicted with the rabies. Some effort, then, should be made to stop the "mad-dog" scares that are of almost daily occurrence during the summer. They cause untold and needless suffering and death. For the sake of human beings if not pity for the dogs, this "madness" should be outgrown.

The Cuban version of the fight between police and American sailors at Santiago appears to be that the bluejackets had been doing some more "botting up" in the port which made Hobson famous.

Destructive Storm in Iowa.
Council Bluffs, Ia., May 23.—Lightning played queer freaks in Western Iowa. At Loveland a church, two stores and one residence were burned by four different strokes of lightning. At Hastings C. H. Baxter's house was struck and burned. At Moorhead three different strokes burned three houses. At Plummer settlement a house and barn were destroyed.

Robbery Object of Murder.
Portland, Mich., May 23.—Edward Manning, aged sixty years, proprietor of a restaurant here, was murdered while on his way home from his establishment. He was shot in the back. Robbery was evidently the motive of the crime, as a large sack of silver that he usually carried was missing.

Offered Railroad Presidency.
Washington, May 23.—John F. Stevens, former chief engineer of the Panama canal, has been offered the presidency of the Northern Pacific railroad. He has not decided whether or not he will take it. At present Mr. Stevens is making an appraisement of the physical value of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad.

WORK OF WRECKERS

Southern Pacific Flyer Ditched Near Los Angeles, Cal.

ONE DEAD; A SCORE INJURED

Rails Are Disconnected on a Trestle, Several Coaches Plunging Over the Embankment, Being Badly Crushed and Splintered by the Fall.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 23.—Train No. 20, one of the Southern Pacific coast line flyers, was wrecked at West Glendale, ten miles north of here, at 12:30 a. m. The wreck was the deliberate work of train wreckers. One man was killed and twenty-two persons injured, three probably fatally.

In accomplishing the wreck of the train a devilish ingenuity had been exercised. At a point on a trestle over the Arroyo Seco the fishplates and bolts of two connecting rails on the southbound track had been removed and in the apertures whence the bolts were taken strands of heavy wire were fastened at the end of each rail. From the appearance of the track after the wreck it was evident that some person hidden on a hillside close to the trestle had pulled the wire as the train approached and spread the rails outward toward the edge of the trestle.

The train, three hours late, was traveling at a rate of between thirty-five and forty miles an hour. The engine wheels were first to leave the rails and the engine took to the ties, traveling nearly 100 yards before it was brought to a standstill. The tender, the diner, two Pullmans, the buffet, mail and baggage car plunged over the edge of the trestle, falling a distance of sixteen feet. The buffet car, the express car and one of the Pullmans were turned completely upside down and the others landed on their sides. All were badly crushed and splintered.

The man killed was T. J. McMahon of Santa Barbara, a member of the Electrical Workers' union. He is believed to have been stealing a ride on the baggage car and had as his companion Frank Naylor, a fifteen-year-old boy from Santa Barbara, who was fatally injured.

At the Southern Pacific general offices in this city notices were posted offering \$10,000 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the wreck. The officials announced that they had no clue whatever.

ENDS IN SIX DEATHS.

Effort to Lynch Negro for Attempted Assault.

Reidsville, Ga., May 23.—Two negroes lynched, four other persons shot dead and six others injured is the net result of an attempted assault made on Mrs. Laura Moore, white, a widow, by Flem Padget, a negro.

News of the attempted assault aroused the citizens, who immediately went to the home of the negro's father. As they approached the house Flem Padget fired on the crowd, killing a white man named Hare and wounding four others. The crowd fired a volley into the house, killing the old negro, Padget, and two of his daughters and wounding two of his sons, one of whom was Flem Padget, the man wanted, but who escaped.

After the cooler heads had left the scene of the killing the hot headed element employed a young man to take Padget's wife and one of the Padget boys, who was shot through the lungs, to Reidsville jail, but the party followed, took the prisoners from the young man and riddled them with buckshot.

Those involved in the affair are influential citizens. Further trouble is feared.

POST CUTS CAR IN TWO.

Fifty Persons Injured, Three Possibly Fatally.

New York, May 23.—Of the fifty persons injured in the traction smash-up near Coney Island three are possibly fatally hurt. They are Harry Donne, G. W. McFadden and Frank Putrieno.

An "L" train bound for New York struck a trolley car, forcing it against a steel post on which trolley wires are suspended and the post cut through the car like a knife. The passengers were overwhelmed in the wreckage and firemen who were called had to use axes in cutting away the shattered woodwork to release the injured.

A flagman is blamed for the collision, both motormen claiming that he had signalled to them the right of way.

One Hundred Shots Fired.

Cleveland, May 23.—Striking shipbuilders patrolling the river had a skirmish with guards. It is said more than 100 shots were fired. The strikers were lined along the railroad tracks waiting for the return of a launch with the guards who had been down the river. So far as learned no one was hurt.

Hargis Case Goes to Jury.
Lexington, Ky., May 23.—The case of Judge James Hargis, charged with the assassination of James Cockrill in Breathitt county, has been given to the jury. Men and women crowded the courtroom during the final hours of the trial and the excitement was intense.

Three Thousand Machinists Out.
Lowell, Mass., May 22.—A strike of 3,000 machinists employed at the Kitson machine shops in this city has been declared. The men demand a 10 per cent increase in wages and a readjustment of a "bounty" schedule which prevails at the plant.

Hummel Too Ill to Leave Cell.
New York, May 22.—Abraham H. Hummel, the lawyer who was committed to the penitentiary on Blackwells island Monday to serve a year's sentence for conspiracy, is too ill to leave his cell.

IN THE SPRINGTIME.

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OPPOSING FORCES CLASH.

Strikers and Negro Strikebreakers in Battle.

New York, May 23.—One hundred negroes who were engaged to take the places made vacant by striking longshoremen at the Atlantic docks in Brooklyn were attacked by about an equal number of strikers or strike sympathizers, including a number of Italians, when the strikebreakers reported for work in a body. The strikers at first attempted to persuade the negroes to keep off the docks, but in the argument that ensued some of the members of the opposing forces became involved in a fight which quickly included the whole number of both sides. During the first fighting which followed one of the negroes fired his revolver without injury to the strikers. The police dispersed the rioters and arrested the negro who did the shooting.

SURROUNDED BY TROOPS.

Guatemalans Suspected of Attack on President Suicide.

Washington, May 23.—A dispatch received by Senor Herrera, the minister from Guatemala, reports that four of the men who attempted to take the life of President Cabrera on April 29 had committed suicide. Because of the nature of their crime they had been refused shelter by any one, the dispatch says. Finally they took refuge in a hut, their presence became known to the authorities and soldiers surrounded it. The men fired from within, killing a major and wounding a colonel and another officer. The soldiers, however, were too much for the men and, finally, seeing there was no hope of escape, they killed themselves.

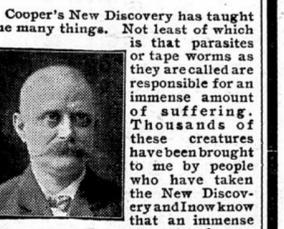
REACH BUTTE BY JAN. 1.

Milwaukee Road to Push Work on Coast Extension.

Miles City, Mont., May 23.—President Earling and party, on a trip of inspection of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul extension, have arrived here. President Earling, upon being asked whether the report that the road intended to abandon its extension plans for the present was correct, replied that by Jan. 1 next trains will be running on the new extension to Butte. The party intends to inspect every mile of the road and prepare the way for the construction to be pushed more rapidly from both ends.

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SAW NEGROES SHOOTING.

Brownsville Clerk Before Senate Investigating Committee.

Washington, May 23.—Herbert Elkins of Brownsville, Tex., a clerk in a confectionery store there, testified before the senate committee on military affairs, which is investigating the shooting affray in the Texas town. From a room in the Leahy hotel he saw two negro soldiers come up the alley from the garrison and fire two or three shots each into the Cowan House. A group of about eight men followed and from that party he saw the flashes and heard the reports of two or three additional shots. As the men passed up the alley he said he saw shooting from the garrison and that it appeared to come from the balcony of Company B barracks. He claimed to have distinctly seen the flashes of the guns. After the bugle call had sounded at the fort he saw a group of five or six soldiers returning down the alley to the garrison. The witness told also of seeing a company of soldiers patrol the town after the shooting and as they were halted in front of the Leahy hotel he heard one of the negroes at the foot of the company remark that they would come out the next night and finish the town. He said Mrs. Leahy also heard the remark. On several important points Elkins corroborated the testimony given by other witnesses.

CONTROL PUBLIC UTILITIES

Administration Measure Through New York Legislature.

Albany, N. Y., May 23.—The senate has passed the so-called public utilities bill by a vote of 41 to 6, after the defeat of several amendments proposed by Democratic senators. A little later the assembly voted concurred in the measure.

This bill is one of Governor Hughes' measures. It creates commissions, the members of which shall be appointed by the governor, with power to supervise and regulate the operation of public corporations, both in the city and the state of New York, with separate bodies for each. In the city of New York the commission succeeds the old rapid transit commission, appointment to which was by the mayor, and for the reason that in this respect it touches the New York city government it must, before it becomes a law, be submitted for the mayor's approval. It is anticipated that Mayor McClellan will withhold his approval, but as only a majority vote is required to pass a measure over the mayor's veto and as it is in all respects an administration bill it cannot fail to become a law.

CAR LINES KNOCKED OUT

Miscreants Wreck Switchboard at San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 23.—All of the United Railroads' trolley lines north of Market street were put out of commission by miscreants who managed by means of a wire or chain to connect a high power transmission wire with the trolley wire on Church street between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets. The instant effect of diverting the 13,200 volts of electrical current to the trolley wire was a frightful explosion in the Turk and Fillmore sub-stations.

The switchboard, which is connected with all of the trolley lines operated by the company north of Market street, burned out and the attending electrical display struck consternation and fear to the hearts of hundreds of people in the neighborhood. It was remarkable that the trouble was not attended by loss of life.

CURRENT IN FENCE.

Montana Rancher Is Electrocuted by Touching Wire.

Helena, Mont., May 23.—John Mize, a well known ranchman, was killed by an electric shock at Young's ranch, three miles east of Belgrade. He started to crawl through a wire fence which was highly charged with electricity owing to a break in a private telephone line through which the Madison power line high voltage was transmitted.

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TWO HUNDRED KILLED.

Hurricane and Tidal Wave Sweep Caroline Islands.

London, May 23.—A dispatch from Sydney, N. S. W., says a report has reached there that a hurricane and tidal wave swept over the Caroline Islands on April 30. Immense damage was done to property and 200 people are reported killed.

Quets City and County Officials.
Louisville, May 23.—The court of appeals has voted, 4 to 2, to reverse the decision of Judges Kirby and Miller of the Jefferson circuit court in the contest of the fusionists to oust the Democratic officeholders of Louisville and Jefferson county who were declared elected in the fall of 1905. The decision will have the effect of turning out all city and county officials.

Harvest Prospects Discouraging.
Bucharest, Roumania, May 23.—Special prayers for rain have been ordered in almost all the districts of Roumania in consequence of the abnormally prolonged drought. The harvest prospects are most discouraging and widespread anxiety prevails.

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