



## WRECK SNUFFS FOUR LIVES IN MOST GHASTLY MANNER

## MEN DROWN IN FUEL OIL CAR JUMPS THE TRACK AT A BRIDGE AND S. P. TRAFFIC IS CONGESTED--NO COAST MAIL THIS MORNING

FLORISTON, June 20.—(Special to The Appeal) The two injured men taken out of the wreck last night are Ed. Lyon, of Virginia City, and John Martin, of Los Angeles. Both men will recover.

The wrecking crews will have the track cleared by six o'clock this evening. One more body is under the debris. The dead now number four.

Three men are known to be dead, and others are believed to have been killed in a wreck on the S. P. last night, between Floriston and Verdi.

An east bound freight train left the track at the state line bridge and several cars jumped into the river. The track was torn up for a distance of 300 feet and twelve cars were reduced to kindling wood.

Two tramps were taken from beneath an oil car badly hurt and a third was taken out fatally injured. The bodies of two more are beneath an oil car. One of the injured men died at Verdi, en route to the hospital. None of the crew was injured.

The wreck occurred on the west end of the State Line bridge. A car in the middle of the train jumped the track, wrecking every car behind it with the exception of the caboose.

The dead men were smothered by the flood of fuel oil from several cars and the train men say they heard cries for help for some time after the wreck, and believe other bodies will be found when the wreck is cleared.

This is the sixth wreck in a week on the mountain, but is the first one accompanied by loss of life. The coroner is investigating the matter for Washoe county, but it is believed the wreck happened in Nevada county California.

All trains are held up and no mail from coast points reached this city this morning. The usual connection not being made at Reno.

LOS ANGELES, June 20.—Passenger trains on the Santa Fe, collided near Gypsum, a small station in Orange county last night, and one was hurt by flying glass.

### COMPLETING NEW BUILDING

The additions and improvements on the new State Bank building are nearing completion, and the bank office will be cleared up in a day or two. The building is much improved in appearance, and the interior when finished, will be one of the handsomest bank offices in the state. The debris in front of the structure is being hauled away and all will be cleared by the end of the week.

### JOLLY

Billy Nolan says that Battling Nelson will never fight Joe Gans, and Nolan knows. At least he has known so far, has Nolan.

The bottom seems to have dropped out of the wool market, and while the price is good, small business is being done.

The S. P. Company has sent men out on the line to hurry along the delayed freight that now congests the side tracks.

## HARBIN TAKES DECKER MINE

W. B. Harbin closed a deal for the Decker mine, adjoining the Willard-McDonald property he acquired a few days ago.

The terms are the same as those under which he took the Willard-McDonald, two years lease and a bond for \$10,000.

This makes the fourth investment Harbin has made in Carson City and the immediate vicinity since he came here.

## PRESBYTERIAN SOCIAL TO BE GIVEN TOMORROW

The women's Mission Society, of the Presbyterian church, will give a social in the lecture room of the church tomorrow, Thursday, after noon at which a literary and musical program will be tendered.

Ice cream and cake will be dispensed to visitors, from whom no admission will be charged. Donations will be received with thanks for use in rehabilitating the Presbyterian Chinese mission at San Francisco, destroyed in the cataclysm that overtook that city last May.

On and after June 20, Geo. Keith, will have charge of The Appeal route, and will collect for and deliver the paper. Subscribers are requested to report non-deliveries promptly to The Appeal Office.

## C. W. FRIEND OUT AGAIN

Charlie Friend, wan and thin, appeared on the street today the first time in weeks.

He spent some time at his place of business and the weather instruments recorded the fact that "Old Reliable" is again in their midst. Boreas and Jupiter Pluvius will take notice that no more pranks will be tolerated, now that Friend is once more on hand.

Off hand the old weather sharp predicted warm weather for some time to come with clear sunny days and cool nights.

### JOLLY

### MORE RAILROADS COMING

ELY, June 20.—A persistent rumor is afloat to the effect that the Giroux Consolidated people are planning to build a railroad from the mines at Pilot Knob through Jacob's valley, connecting with the Western Pacific and eventually with the Clark road near Pioche. The Western Pacific needs feeders for its line and it looks as if the Giroux move was in the interest of the Western Pacific and that it would shortly bid for a part of the traffic of this section.

Zinc is an absolutely new product for Nevada, dating back scarcely a year; still the state cuts quite a figure in this industry, with Las Vegas as its center.

### JOLLY

John Joseph Kean, of Philadelphia, was sentenced to 20 years in prison for abducting the seven year old child of F. Muth. Kean was arrested, tried, convicted and sentenced in less than 24 hours.

Word from the Cash Boy mine is to the effect that the mine never looked better. Two shifts are at work and a tunnel is being driven on the 400 level.

The Car has an almost uncontrollable aversion to bombs, particularly those thrown in his direction.

## THESE ARE SHORT ONES

Those interested will meet Saturday evening to talk over the plan for a week of sports, to be held next September. Al Livingston and Joe Egan will be in the city at that time and probably will have some information to give as to their plans, if they have any.

Tuesday was field day at Stewart Institute. All sorts of athletics in which the Indian excels were held. A ball game between picked teams ran six innings without a score and ended with a score of 5-4 in favor of the "Mechanics."

Don't forget that the Empire Labor Union will give a picnic at Cook's Grove on the Fourth.

The V. & T. has made special rates for the celebration at Garunerville from Reno \$1.50; from Virginia City, \$1.25; and from Carson 75 cents. The Garunerville people are jubilant over the fact that Minden branch will be opened in time for the celebration.

The Reno ball team will hook up with the Carson City team Sunday at the race track in this city.

The allotment of lands of the Walker River Reservation has been completed and it is expected that the reservation will be thrown open to settlement about November 1st.

Reports from Como are to the effect that nearly 150 miners are employed in the camp, the payroll amounts to over \$10,000 a month, and five mines are producing ore. Power comes from the Floriston plant.

Bumper crops in Carson valley make it hard to get men enough to do the work required.

The first gang of 40 men is at work on the Wadsworth end of the Olinghouse branch grading.

### HANDS IT TO NEVADA AGAIN

Again the administration is handling it to Nevada. The allotment of lands to the Piute Indians, lands that lie in Churchill county, has not yet been settled, and the Indian department is slow about getting the matter adjusted.

Until the adjustment can be made, all reclamation work on those lands is held up and the supervising engineer says the work will be delayed indefinitely unless the matter is settled at once. The reclamation engineers, like the whole reclamation department want quick action and to spend the appropriations while they are open, and if the other departments do not get in and drill, they simply pull up stakes and go some where else, where delays are not encountered and the money can be spent quickly and to good advantage.

The government has rejected bids for 148 miles of laterals in Churchill county and will dig them by day work. Already 200 teams have been assembled and the work will be put through with vigor.

### MISS STEWART'S CONCERT

Miss Mabel Stewart, who has been attending Mills College will give a concert in the Opera House, June 29. She will be assisted by Mrs. Dr. Cavill, as accompanist, Mrs. Dr. Berry as pianiste and Miss Amy Howe as solo. The concert will be one of merit as the performers are of the best in Carson City. Tickets are on sale at the Steinmetz drug store. Reserved seats 50 cents; general admission 25 cents.

### KATE MORRIS DEAD

The body of Kate Morris, who died in Bodie Monday, will arrive here this evening for burial. Arrangements have been made to receive it. Nothing is known here as to the manner of death or identity of deceased.

## FIRE RAGED IN LOS ANGELES

## WHOLESALE DISTRICT WAS THREATENED BY FLAMES THAT STARTED LAST NIGHT

LOS ANGELES, June 20.—(Special to The Appeal) Shortly after noon the fire was under control. The Holbrook-Merrill-Stetson plant is a total loss. Persons in lodging houses fled for their lives and several were injured. The property loss will amount to \$200,000.

LOS ANGELES, June 20.—Fire started early this morning in the heart of the wholesale district of this city and is raging fiercely today.

The whole block is in danger, and the entire department is on duty. The blaze started in the big establishment of Holbrook Merrill & Stetson, and spread with great rapidity. The water supply is good and a fight is being made to confine the fire to the block bounded by Commercial, Los Angeles, First and Main streets, so far with success.

If the fire should cross First street, nothing can prevent a conflagration.

## VOLUNTEER ARMY INVADERS THE CAPITAL CITY

Captain Bert F. Neff, and Captain Gertrude Neff, opened a campaign in this city Tuesday night, in behalf of the Volunteer Army of America.

This army needs no recommendation from any source. The work done by its members during the San Francisco disaster and afterwards, was of such benefit and so extensive that the Volunteers, no less than the Salvation army, have received praise from every source.

The reason for the present invasion of Carson City is the need of money with which to pay the increased taxation on their state headquarters in Reno, a house that is a central point for the distribution of charity. The two captains will remain here until they can raise a small proportion of the sum needed, which sum must be raised by July 1 in order that the tax may not become delinquent on the Reno city books. Every little bit helps.

Incidentally, Captain Gertrude can give our society ladies points on guitar playing.

## AS TO PEEKABOO WAISTS

A preacher in Pennsylvania has made the announcement from his pulpit that hereafter no woman with a peek-a-boo waist will be allowed to sit in his church.

To emphasize his declaration he ordered two women who were wearing the aforesaid style of waist to leave the church. He almost caused a riot.

Cool apparel is all right and is desirable, as much for women as for men; but when a woman walks down street, or goes into a public place with a display that would make a hungry baby cry, it is time to say something about it.

We are glad to note that Carson City women, while stylishly dressed, have not yet attained the point of immodesty acquired in other places.

### NOTICE TO OWNERS OF DOGS

James O'Hare has been appointed poundmaster, and has been ordered to collect the tax fixed by ordinance on all dogs. On and after July 1, 1906, any and all dogs for which said tax has not been paid, will be destroyed.

Wm. KINNEY, Sheriff of Ormsby county.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Chinese near Hong Kong attacked and wounded two Americans named Dr. Horne and Forbes Eddie.

The president, secretary, of the Treasury, and the committee from San Francisco, have come to an agreement on the aid the government will extend to San Francisco. The amount will be \$12,000,000.

Earnest H. Denicke, charged with murder the night after the earthquake in San Francisco, has been acquitted.

The American Insurance Company offers to settle all losses at San Francisco on the basis of 40 cents on the dollar, according to statements of R. W. Hosmer who says he was sent out to settle the losses.

The tobacco trust is to be hauled over the coals in the Chicago U. S. circuit court for a violation of the Sherman anti trust laws.

Mrs. Lucy Tallman, is dead in Reno, after years of illness. She leaves a husband and three children.

Brakeman Bell of the S. P., the man that failed to flag when his train stopped at a water tank at Gilpin, has been arrested by the sheriff of Storey county. A collision followed his failure to flag and M. F. Brooks, a fireman was killed. Bell is charged with manslaughter. The O. S. L. officials swore to the complaint.

A peace officer of Sparks, named, Wees, shot five times at a fleeing "suspicious" character the other night, never touched him.

Kansas sends up a roar for 25,000 harvesters.

Japs captured Hougju and laid out 500 rebellious Koreans while doing it.

A policeman and his wife were killed by the terrorists of Warsaw Sunday.

Congressman Lester, Georgia, fell in an apartment house at Washington and is dead.

A. J. Bragley's 3-year-old daughter has died at Redding from eating toadstools by mistake.

Northern China has drought and southern China floods. Starvation of thousands threatened.

Two big lumber mills at Aberdeen, Wash., closed and strike is spreading to all the others.

At Aurora, Ill., Andrew Kuk shot Mrs. George Seilogiyi, while she was at her wedding dinner.

C. M. Campbell, once counsel for Woodmen of the World, Pacific division, is dead at Denver from a street car accident.

W. A. Akers, a mining engineer, was killed by a street car at Los Angeles Saturday night. His auto's wheel got jammed in the car track.

Seattle will refuse the U. M. & St. P. a right of way through Cedar Creek canyon because the city doctors say the railroad will contaminate the water supply.

### NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUCCESS

Be sure and read what Mr. M. German says about Carson City and Carson City people on the fourth page.

### JOLLY

### ROCKY HILL EXTENSION

W. L. Wilhelm, J. E. Humphrey, H. W. Humphrey, Dave Ridenour, W. L. Bechtel, A. B. Fitzgerald, John S. Orr and John Thompson have purchased from Judge Parker, Mrs. M. M. Garwood and other, \$25,000 shares of the stock of the Rocky Hill Extension Company for \$10,500 cash. The vein in the Rocky Hill claim has been followed into the former property and there is now opened up a strong strable, as much for women as for men.

A Viennese has let himself in for fighting 151 duels. He would save a lot of time and suspense by letting all his opponents die at the same time.

Motto for the packers: In Stuff We Trust.