

## REAR-END COLLISION

### Disastrous Wreck on the Union Pacific Railroad

#### NEAR LINWOOD, KANSAS.

Three Men Killed, Four Seriously Injured and a Dozen More Slightly Hurt—A Freight Train Runs Into the Rear End of a Mixed Train—List of the Killed and Injured.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 3.—Three men were killed, four seriously injured and a dozen more slightly hurt in a wreck on the Union Pacific railway near Linwood, Kan., 97 miles west of Kansas City. The wreck was caused by a freight train on the Rock Island railway, which uses the Union Pacific track between Kansas City and Topeka, running into the rear end of a mixed freight and passenger train of the Union Pacific.

Both trains were coming to Kansas City and were in motion when the accident occurred. They were a few minutes late, and the Rock Island train was running fast to make up time. The Union Pacific train was near a water tank west of Linwood, and was slowing up when the other train crashed into it.

The following is a list of killed and injured.

The killed are:  
Jay Atwood, conductor Union Pacific, Kansas City.

Martin, stockman, of Wakefield, Kansas.

Herman Smize, stockman, Clay Centre, Kan.

The injured are:  
George W. Haskins, stockman, Randolph, Kan.; back broken below neck; will die.

B. F. Posten, stockman, Hill City, Kan.; badly injured internally.

T. M. McCrary, stockman, Tescott, Kan.; back broken at waist; will probably die.

C. W. Fagerburg, stockman, Oldsburg, Kan.; arm bruised and head cut.

Casper Dittmer, stockman, Idana, Kan.; arm bruised and head cut.

Joseph Bertrand, stockman, Corcordia, Kan.; nose broken and head badly cut and bruised.

William Hardestin, stockman, Delphos, Kan.; head cut and arm badly broken.

Daniel Taylor, stockman, Bellevue, Kan.; arm badly bruised and face and head cut.

G. W. Spencer, stockman, Clyde, Kan.; badly cut about the head.

W. R. Gilmore, stockman, Idana, Kan.; sprained shoulder and contusion.

J. I. West, stockman, Concordia, Kan.; rib broken.

C. W. Mason, stockman, Concordia, Kan.; rib broken.

The Union Pacific train was No. 12, a stock train, due in Kansas City about 7 o'clock. There were about 25 passengers on board riding in a combination passenger and baggage car, just in front of the caboose, and between it and a stock car.

The passengers, or most of them, were stockmen from stations in Kansas, who were coming to Kansas City with cattle and hogs. Nearly all of them were sleeping when the accident occurred. Conductor Jay Atwood, who lived at 1431 Madison avenue, this city, saw a collision could not be avoided and started from the caboose to the coach to warn the passengers, but he was caught between the cars and crushed. His rear brakeman and a young man who was in the caboose saved their lives by jumping.

When the Rock Island engine struck the Union Pacific train, it mashed the caboose into splinters and crashed into the passenger coach, splitting it in the middle. A car loaded with hogs in front was wrecked, and the next car, loaded with cattle, was broken open and the cattle escaped.

Trainmen and passengers, who were not seriously injured, began at once to save those who were more seriously hurt. Four men were dragged from the wreck more dead than alive.

Fire caught from the stoves and before the dead could be removed the cars were enveloped in flames. The flames spread so rapidly that the men under the caboose and passenger coaches could not be reached. Faint and piteous calls for help were heard, but the men who had been saved were powerless to aid the poor fellows, and soon their cries ceased. To have ventured into the burning wreck would have been certain death. The unfortunate men whom the passengers heard but could not help were Conductor Atwood and Hermann Smize, a stockman of Clay Center, and Stockman Martin of Wakefield, Kan.

Conductor Atwood was frightfully burned and his body was not reached for several hours. The bodies of the other men were burned to a crisp.

The Rock Island engineer and fireman saved themselves by jumping. The front trucks of the engine were broken off and the wheels dismantled.

The Rock Island conductor notified the Union Pacific officials here at once, and General Superintendent A. T. Palmer took a special train with surgeons and a wrecking crew to the wreck. The relief train returned to Kansas City with the injured, and they were taken to St. Mary's hospital.

### Country Postoffice Plundered.

MAYSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 3.—The police arrested two tramps and found them loaded with the spoils of a recent robbery, consisting of money and articles evidently taken from a country postoffice. They registered as William Gorman and James Wilson.

### Attempted Assassination.

HARRISON, O., Jan. 3.—A would-be assassin shot at Squire Benson from a dark alley, the bullet carrying away a lock of his hair.

## LODGINGHOUSE BURNED.

### Two People Burned to Death and a Number of Others Injured.

BUFFALO, Jan. 3.—At 3:15 in the morning a fire broke out in the Scotch-American lodginghouse kept by Mrs. Mary Hackett, East Swan street. Two people were burned to death, and about a dozen others were more or less injured, but none fatally. Mrs. Hackett was removed from a second-story window, being quite seriously burned.

Following is a list of the dead and injured.

The dead are:  
Isaac Bradley, printer.

Woman known as Edna, day cook.

The injured are:  
Mrs. Annie Hackett, proprietress, burned about head and arms; will recover.

Louis Anderson, lodger, burned about head, face and arms; will probably die.

David E. Ward, negro cook, badly burned about head, face and hands; will probably die.

Edward Cross of California, frightfully burned about face, head, hands and feet; it is not thought he can recover.

Charles Pence, colored, private detective, hands and feet in bad shape; will probably die.

Charles Edwards, printer, left arm broken, body badly burned; jumped from the third story and is probably fatally hurt.

John Avery, of Palmyra, N. Y., jumped from the third story; legs badly burned and bruised.

George Wright, bartender, hair burned off, hands and face blistered; will live.

George Fleming, arms and face burned.

George Harrington, left shoulder dislocated and his back burned.

J. F. Russell, painter and decorator, of Olcott, N. Y., burned about arms and body; will live.

William Sweeney, shoemaker, slightly burned about legs.

The loss on property was very small, probably not more than \$3,000.

## FIRE LOSSES OF '93.

### Underwriters Will Remember the Year as a Pestilential One.

BOSTON, Jan. 3.—During the year just ended the loss by fire in the United States in property value was almost \$150,000,000, a greater loss than has been recorded in one year, except that in which Chicago was burned and that in which part of Boston was burned out. Boston lost more last year than any other city, the estimate being \$5,300,000. Nearly the whole of it fell upon the insurance companies.

## New York Out of Debt.

ALBANY, Jan. 3.—The legislature met here yesterday afternoon. Governor Flower's message announces that for the first time in more than 75 years the state is free from debt, and recommends measures to do away with direct taxation. The use of electricity as a motive power for canals is advocated and the adoption of the "blanket" ballot is urged. Referring to the proposed consolidation of New York and Brooklyn, the message advises the submission of the question to a vote of the citizens of the two cities.

## Three Boys Injured.

BRAZIL, Ind., Jan. 3.—Two sons of Hawkins Hawkins, respectively 13 and 14 years old, together with Frank Hadley and Fred Phelps, of similar age, secured a can of powder and took it to a grove north of the city, where they proceeded to celebrate. In some way the can was accidentally exploded. Both of young Hadley's eyes were blown out, while the other boys were terribly burned and lacerated about the face, head and hands.

## Attempted Murder and Robbery.

CHAQRIN FALLS, O., Jan. 3.—During the absence of Lute Judd, a farmer living east of town, his hired man, Sheron McNeal, colored, attempted to kill Mrs. Judd. McNeal entered her room after she retired and tried to smother her. Thinking the woman dead, he then took Judd's watch and a quantity of clothing and disappeared. When Judd returned he found his wife unconscious. Cleveland police are looking for McNeal.

## Death of the Bishop of Albany.

ALBANY, Jan. 3.—Surrounded by the clergy of the city, after the last sacraments had been administered, Right Rev. Francis McNeirny, bishop of Albany, died of pneumonia shortly after 8:30 last night. A solemn requiem mass was held in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception announced the tidings of death, and all Albany, without respect to creed, mourns the loss of the dead prelate.

## Tried Four Times For Murder.

SAGINAW, Mich., Jan. 3.—William Palmer, who has had four trials for the murder of his brother Albert, was sentenced to the Jackson penitentiary for 25 years. Palmer was convicted on his third trial and received a 20-year sentence, but was recently granted a new trial, which took place last month.

## On Trial For Murdering His Son.

GEORGETOWN, O., Jan. 3.—Edward Jones, the Clermont county man twice convicted of murder in the first degree, in the slaying of his son, is on trial here. The state's testimony is all in, and is not materially different from the former trials. A verdict will not be reached probably before Saturday.

## Philadelphia Failure.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 3.—The assignment of the Montgomery Iron company of Port Kennedy to the Guarantee Trust company of Harrisburg has just been announced. The liabilities are placed at \$380,000, and it is expected that the company will pay 10 per cent on the dollar.

## Bellaire, O., Jan. 3.

BELLAIRE, O., Jan. 3.—Nine hundred migrants in this vicinity are at present awaiting the result of the meeting of their leaders at Columbus, O., Jan. 2.

## BAGE HAS FALLEN.

### Another Insurgent Victory in Brazil.

### GLOOMY OUTLOOK FOR PEIXOTO.

Flushed With Victory the Rebels Are Now Laying Siege to Santa Anna de Libramento—The Bombardment of Rio Janeiro Still Continues—The San Francisco at Pernambuco.

PERNAMBUCO, Jan. 2.—The Brazilian dynamite cruiser Niechero has again been put in readiness to sail south and get within reach of the insurgent vessels under command of Admiral Mello. The exact time of her departure has not been announced. When she does start she will be accompanied by the Brazilian cruiser America.

The United States cruiser San Francisco has finished coaling and will go south at once. Her destination is Rio Janeiro.

The new year was observed here by the exchange of salutes between the vessels in the harbor. Official visits were made to each other by the officers of the San Francisco and the Brazilian officials and commanders.

### Bage Captured by the Insurgents.

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 3.—News has been received from Rio Grande do Sul to the effect that the insurgents have captured Bage after a siege of a month.

Advices from Rio Janeiro say that the bombardment of the city by the insurgent warships continues.

### The New York Herald's Dispatches.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The Herald's special dispatch from Montevideo says: Flushed with victory at Bage, the rebels are now laying siege to Santa Anna do Libramento.

A correspondent in Rio Janeiro sends word that the steamer Magdalena, which has arrived there from Pernambuco, reports that Captain Baker of the Niechero has had trouble with the crew and had to shoot one or two of them in the interests of discipline.

News of the arrival of Rear Admiral Benham and the cruiser San Francisco at Pernambuco, has reached Rio. They are expected to appear in Rio harbor next Friday, when Rear Admiral Benham will assume command of the squadron of United States warships now before the beleaguered capital.

### Admiral DeGama Landed.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—A dispatch to a news agency from Lisbon says: Advices from Rio Janeiro assert that Admiral DeGama has succeeded in effecting a landing at the customhouse of that city, which should enable him to support the safe landing of 8,000 troops who are daily expected from Santa Catherina.

### LIVING WAGES.

### The Employees of the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City Answered by the Receiver.

TOLEDO, Jan. 3.—Receiver Callaway of the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City railroad has filed his answer in the United States court to the petition of the employes asking that he be compelled to pay living wages. The receiver claims that while he was operating the road as president, he increased the wages in proportion to the earnings; that after his appointment as receiver, owing to hard times, the earnings of the road decreased 80 per cent, and a systematic reduction of all expenses was inaugurated.

The receiver claims that the wages now paid are equal to or higher than the prevailing rate on 20 other railroads entering St. Louis or Toledo. He denies that the new schedule discriminates, and charges that all, save 400 employes of the road, are satisfied therewith. The court is asked to allow the new schedule to remain in force.

### Another Iron Hall Brief.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 3.—In the general term an appeal was taken by the defendants in the case of Albert Baker et al. against the supreme sitting order of the Iron Hall. The brief filed by D. W. Howe, leading counsel for appellants, is very long and appeals from the final judgment appointing a receiver. The brief says it is fair to presume that if the Indiana courts would permit the Order to be recognized and turn its property and funds back to it, the courts of other states would do likewise. The brief holds that the order should have the right to distribute the funds in its own way.

### Incarcerated at Work.

DEPIANCE, O., Jan. 3.—Late Sunday afternoon an attempt was made to burn the Citizen's Opera House. The fire, which showed unmistakable evidences of incendiary origin, started in the basement, directly under the stage, and had burned its way through the floor when discovered. There is no clew to the perpetrator, and considerable uneasiness prevails. Last week an incendiary fire destroyed Seibert's saloon and Terry's barbershop. The Citizen's Opera House was erected in 1891 at a cost of \$50,000, and is one of the finest playhouses in this section of the state.

### Summary Vengeance Threatened.

MUNCIE, Ind., Jan. 3.—Two tramps robbed a Belgian glassblower near the Maring, Hart & Company's glass works. The culprits were caught by the enraged Belgians, who marched them to the glass works with the avowed purpose of ducking them in the big tank of molten glass. The officers arrived just in time to save the strangers from a horrible death.

PORTLAND, Ind., Jan. 3.—Florence Day, 15 years old, living near Balboa, said goodby to her parents and went to the home of her sister, where she took a dose of rough on rats. She died in a few hours. No cause was assigned.

## THE WRONG MAN KILLED.

### An Arrest Partially Solves the Pemberton Murder Mystery.

LIMA, O., Jan. 3.—The Pemberton murder mystery is thought to be about cleared away. On the night of Oct. 11 last the little town of Pemberton, just east of here, was aroused by the cry of murder. T. N. Ray, a well known and respected resident of that place, was the victim. He was employed in the livery stable of T. J. Moore, and shortly after 10 o'clock on that evening started for home, accompanied by Moore. They walked together for the distance of about a square, when they separated, Moore going in one direction toward his home and Ray in another toward his home.

Ray had only gone a few blocks after leaving Moore when he was rushed upon by some one and dealt several heavy blows over the head with a club. The blows crushed his skull, and within a few minutes he was dead. He was known to have had no enemies, and the cause of the murder had never been guessed until Monday night, when Martin Jenkins of St. Paris was arrested for the crime. The principal evidence against him is that he swore he would kill a man named Shreve, and that he murdered Ray by mistake. When arraigned Jenkins pleaded not guilty. He will be tried Thursday.

### HOG CROP.

### Report From Four States, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 3.—Erick Brothers, livestock commission merchants of this city, have just completed a report of the hog crop Jan. 1, 1894, compared with Jan. 1, 1893, in the four states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan. The information was received from about 2,000 correspondents in the states named and is summarized as follows:

Ohio—Marketable hogs, decrease 20 per cent; pigs, increase 40 per cent.

Indiana—Marketable hogs, decrease 25 per cent; pigs, decrease 15 per cent.

Illinois—Marketable hogs, decrease 20 per cent; pigs, decrease 40 per cent.

Michigan—Marketable hogs, increase 30 per cent; pigs, increase 75 per cent.

The increase in Ohio shows in about half the counties; in Michigan in but six or seven counties, some of these showing 200 per cent. In Indiana and Illinois the decrease is general. But little cholera is reported, and stock is in good condition.

### Man Mysteriously Missing.

WILMINGTON, O., Jan. 3.—Ed Stone, agent of the Singer Sewing Machine company here, is mysteriously missing. He left here Dec. 11 for Sabina, O., and has not been seen or heard of since. It is thought he possibly has suicided, as he took nothing with him when he left here but a small valise and his razor from the barber shop, which he had had honed up very sharp. An unknown suicide at Athens, O., answers his description and the matter will be investigated. He leaves no accounts or debts. He had been drinking heavily prior to his sudden disappearance. He came here from Boston, Mass., and was about 45 years of age, with dark curly hair and mustache, blue eyes, about 5 feet 8 inches in height and weighed about 160.

### Disastrous Blaze.

PORTLAND, Ind., Jan. 2.—Fire broke out in Zink & Harding's grocery at Redkey, destroying it and burning Smith & Holmes's harness shop, Hale & Geisler's and Clawson's meat markets, Charles Walker's drugstore, the Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias halls, Nelson & Behmeyer's restaurant, and buildings owned by John Hall, George Edgers and Emerson McGuff. The platelass fronts in Sim's drugstore and restaurant were shattered by the heat. The loss will reach \$40,000, with \$30,000 insurance. This makes the third disastrous fire from which Redkey has suffered.

### Building Association Assigns.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 3.—Another has been added to the list of broken building and loan associations here, the Blackstone. Walter F. McEntire, president, and H. W. Lindhorn, secretary, assigning to Henry O. Seigmund, inability to find the books of the association of the secretary, Lindhorn, who has disappeared and is believed to be in Chicago, puts a sensational phase upon the affair. It is therefore impossible to learn the assets and liabilities, though estimates place each at about \$25,000. Lindhorn is bonded for \$20,000.

### We Must Have Blankets.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 3.—The Northern Ohio blanket mill yesterday resumed operations in all departments, giving employment to about 300 men. The members of the firm say that while they may be affected in the future by the tariff bill, unless a fair and equitable adjustment is made, yet that at present the outlook for trade is good, and that the orders on hand and assured will keep them busy for some time.

### Arrested For Arson.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 3.—H. L. Marbach of the Marbach Machine company was arrested here charged with arson. Fire occurred in the building occupied by the machine company at 23 and 24 Middle street, early yesterday morning. The police say waste was placed about the room under drip pans and claim there was a deliberate attempt by Marbach to burn the building, which was filled with valuable machinery.

### Riotous Miners.

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 3.—A dispatch from Fort Dodge says 30 miners came from Frazier to Dayton, broke up a dance and fatally wounded the city marshal and a deputy. Eleven of the rioters are now in jail.

### Passed Over His Veto.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 3.—The mayor voted the ordinance legalizing glove contests, but the city council passed it over his veto.

## INDIVIDUAL INCOMES

### They Will Be Taxed in the New Tariff Bill.

### SO DECIDED BY THE COMMITTEE.

### Two Per Cent on All Amounts Over Four Thousand Dollars—The Tax on Whisky Is Also to Be Raised Ten Cents on the Gallon—Bonded Period to Be Extended.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—The advocates of the individual income tax proposition were triumphant at the meeting of the Democratic members of the ways and means committee yesterday afternoon. The eleven members were present when the final meeting was held at the treasury department at 4 o'clock, comparatively little time was wasted in discussion.

The ground had all been argued and fought over time and again, and yesterday afternoon the issue was joined on two propositions, one to levy a tax of 2 per cent against individual incomes over \$4,000 and against the incomes from corporations (that is the difference between the gross income and the operating expenses, or in other words the net income); and second, a proposition offered as a substitute by Mr. Cockran of New York, to tax the incomes from corporations 1 per cent and inheritances 5 per cent, to place a tax of 10 cents on whisky, and to restore sugar to the dutiable list at half a cent per pound.

The vote on Mr. Cockran's substitute proposition, which was taken first, resulted in its defeat, 7 to 4, as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Wilson, Cockran, Stevens and Montgomery.

Nays—Messrs. McMillin, Turner, Whiting, Bryan, Bynum, Tarsney and Breckinridge.

The original proposition was then submitted and carried by a vote of 6 to 5, as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. McMillin, Turner, Whiting, Bryan, Bynum and Tarsney.

Nays—Messrs. Wilson, Cockran, Stevens, Montgomery and Breckinridge.

It was also decided in connection with the latter proposition to increase the whisky tax 10 cents per gallon; that is, from 90 cents to \$1, to be levied against whisky in as well as out of bond.

Upon the representation that this increase would work undue hardship to the owners of whisky in bond, it was decided to extend the bonded period from three to eight years.

The tax on playing cards, at one time fixed at 6 cents per pack, was reduced to 2 cents, and the contemplated tax on perfumes and cosmetics was discarded.

No increase was made in the tax on cigars, but the increase on cigarettes, \$1 per 1,000, was allowed to stand.

The committee estimates that the tax on the incomes from corporations and individuals (corporations being treated as individuals) will raise \$30,000,000 revenue—\$12,000,000 from corporations and \$18,000,000 from individuals.

The increase in the whisky tax, it is estimated, will give an additional revenue of \$10,000,000 per annum. The proposed tax on inheritances, which was to be levied in case the proposition for an individual income tax failed, was not deemed necessary.

### IMMIGRATION OVERDONE.

### A Timely New Year's Sermon by Rev. M. C. Peters.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Rev. Madison C. Peters, in the prelude to a sermon at the Bloomingdale Reform church Monday night, spoke on the relation between foreign immigration and the hard times. He said in part:

"Undoubtedly the great influx of Hungarians, Italians, Poles, Russians and other nationalities into the American labor market is largely responsible for our hard times. These people can work for half the price paid to the American laborer and save money. What can our workmen gain by striking for higher wages when every steamship brings hundreds of starving immigrants who are glad to get work at any price?"

"The American workman is being supplanted everywhere. I would not keep out the laborer who seeks the land of highest wages for hard work, which he is qualified to do, but we need a thorough and systematic examination of every immigrant by our representatives abroad. No person should be allowed to come here until he has a certificate stating such intention, signed and filled with proper vouchers as to its truth, three months before his date of sailing. The criminal enterprise of foreign steamship companies should be interfered with. Self-preservation is the watchword of the hour. Shut down the gates until we have found employment for the men already here."

### Death From Vaccination.

VAN WERT, O., Jan. 3.—Blanch Elsey, aged 10, is dead from the effects of vaccination. She was vaccinated on the elbow nearly two months ago by a physician in Paulding. She suffered intense agony for several weeks. A great hole was eaten in the flesh about the elbow, and nearly all the muscles dropped out of her upper arm.

### Watch For Another Train Robbery.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Jan. 3.—For nearly a week Bill Dalton and members of his gang have been in hiding in the Ponca Indian reservation in the Cherokee strip, near the Santa Fe station of Ponca. It is feared they intend robbing the Santa Fe train, and every train through the strip carries a heavily armed guard of deputy marshals.

### Contractors Assign.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 3.—The oldest firm of contracting plumbers in the city, that of Smith & Connors, assigned yesterday. Liabilities, \$26,000; assets, \$50,000. Inability to collect on contracts and outstanding accounts is given as the cause.