

**SUNSET-CENTRAL LINES  
BOARD OF INQUIRY  
REPORT.**

Date and time, between midnight and two A. M., Dec. 8th, 1915; place New Iberia, La.; nature of accident, both arms crushed and head bruised in unknown manner. Injuries to person, Arthur Cleveland Gann, aged 25, residence, Sellers, Ala.

The undersigned, constituting a Board of Inquiry, convened at New Iberia, La., December 9th, 1915, for the purpose of determining cause of and responsibility for above accident.

This Board finds that cause and nature of accident cannot be definitely determined, as there were no witnesses to accident and when injured person was found, was partially unconscious, hence unable to make a comprehensive statement concerning accident. Careful investigation was made of track through corporate limits of New Iberia and no blood stains were found on rail or on track indicating that injury was caused by being run over by train, however, wounds on arms bore appearance of having been caused by wheels of car passing over same.

Following trains passed through New Iberia on night of accident: 1767 west, 12:14 A. M.; X 564 east, 12:15 A. M.; No. 11, 12:20 A. M.; No. 12, 2:20 A. M., December 8th, 1915. None of the employes engaged on any of the above mentioned trains have any knowledge whatever of the accident. Deceased was found about 2:30 A. M. on the gallery of Mr. Frank Blane, corner of Washington and Iberia street. This residence joins the right of way of the Morgan Company on which its main tracks are located.

It is the opinion of this Board that the cause of the accident cannot be definitely determined, but probably caused by falling from passing train. No individual responsibility.

- J. W. KNIGHTLINGER, Superintendent
- L. H. CECIL, Ass't Superintendent.
- MAX LEVY, Coal and Wood Merchant.
- D. A. DIMITRY, Agent, M. L. & T. R. R.
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**THE LAST WORD.**

A little girl traveling in a sleeping car with her parents greatly objected to being put in an upper berth. She was assured that papa, mama and God would watch over her. She was settled in the berth at last and the passengers were quiet for the night, when a small voice piped:

"Mama!"  
"Yes, dear."  
"You there!"  
"Yes, I'm here. Now go to sleep."

"Yes, I'm here. Go to sleep and be a good girl."  
This continued at intervals for some time, until a fellow-passenger lost patience and called:  
"We're all here! Your father and mother and brothers and sisters and uncles and aunts and cousins. All here. Now go to sleep!"

There was a brief pause after an explosion. Then the tiny voice piped up again, but very softly:  
"Mama!"  
"Well?"  
"Was that God!"—Ex.

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**OUR PUBLIC FORUM**



**William Sproule  
On the Employment of the Employer**

The employment of the employer is a phase of the labor problem not so well exploited as the employment of the employe but is equally as important to the prosperity of the country. The employe was never known to go on a strike nor to ask for a reduction in hours yet the trend of our legislatures has been to discourage his activities. Mr. Wm. Sproule, President of the Southern Pacific Company, when asked to discuss employment from the standpoint of the employer, said in part: "It is the habit of the time to speak of unemployment as if it related only to those who work for a specific hourly or daily, weekly or monthly, wage. It is thought of chiefly as relating to those engaged in the humbler duties of life. The facts run quite to the contrary. It is the employer who is first out of employment. He is followed by the employe who next finds himself out of work. Unemployment begins only when the employer himself begins to be unemployed. When the employer is prosperous and his energies are profitably employed, employes have abundant employment and they also prosper. But why is this period of unemployment? It is because all business is bewildered and uncertain. It does not know whether it may proceed in safety. It does not know with what snares its path may be laid. This condition began with transportation and now extends to all business. The greatest trouble with this country today is that every business which has been developed by the genius of the American people has become the object of unforeseen attack from some quarter or feels the threat or danger of attack. Our laws, which formerly were precise and definite, have blanketed business with loose generalities called crimes which the men who drew the laws and the men who interpret those laws cannot themselves define with any precision. Even when they endeavor to expound those laws they make them more obscure and mystifying than before.

"There is nothing more distressing to an employer of labor than to turn away good men who desire to do good work; but until all wake up to the fact that unless the employer is prosperous the employe is failing in prosperity, we will have little improvement. When we have learned the lesson that in this nation we are simply a big industrial family in which we all prosper together or we do not prosper at all, we will then have promise of relief from the misunderstandings and cajolements which increase unemployment and destroy the comfort and the prosperity of the average man. "I urge relief from the fads, fancies and isms which have filled our streets with unemployment and put away the dinner pail of the working man empty upon the shelf in the impoverished home. I urge the restoration of confidence in the fact that American men of business are the peer of any in the world. I urge that the American workman cannot be prosperous unless the American men of business prosper. I urge that prosperity can come to us only with the full dinner pail. Finally I urge that the public interest in transportation is that it shall be prosperous in order that it may be a successful and energetic aid to all the business it is designed to serve."

**SENATOR TILLMAN'S PLAN.**

Senator Tillman is thoroughly convinced that there really is a steel trust and that it will gouge even the United States government if it gets a chance. For this reason he wants the government to construct a big armor plate plant at which the armor for its battleships can be manufactured. He has introduced such a bill and will make a strong fight for its adoption. In this connection it may be remarked that the cry of the republicans for a protective tariff sounds a bit far-fetched. With all our "infant industries" charging all the traffic will bear it does not seem that they really need any protection.

"Senator Tillman has been of the opinion for a long time that the United States should build its own battleships. He maintains that better ships can be built at a cost considerably less than that of private ship building establishments. He reasons logically," says the Memphis Commercial Appeal. "The big ship concerns of the country are not in business for their health. They build ships for profit. When a contract is awarded with the government, it stands to reason that a reasonable profit is contemplated. The government might as well enjoy the profit as a corporation. This is the idea of Senator Tillman and why he is a strong advocate of

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FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

**SHERIFF SALE.**

NUMA MIGUEZ ET ALS Vs MRS. ANNA GUILLARD, WIDOW OF CLEOPHAS PERSONS ET ALS.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia, 19th Jud. Dist. Court.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of Seizure and Sale, issued out of the above entitled and numbered cause, and to me directed, I, Geo Henderson, Sheriff, through J. F. Breaux, Deputy Sheriff, duly sworn and qualified in and for the Parish of Iberia, La., have seized and will offer for sale and will sell at Public Auction to the last and highest bidder FOR CASH, at the front door of the Parish Court House, in the City of New Iberia, La., between legal sale hours on Saturday, January 22d, 1916, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land with all the fencing thereto belonging, situated at Petit Anse in said Parish and State, containing nineteen superficial arpents and bounded North by Public Road, South by Joseph Bonin, East by Anthony Guillard and West by Persons, being a portion of the same property acquired by Anthony Guillard from the Iberia Building Association and of record in Conveyance Book No. 51, folio 222.

To pay and satisfy the sum of Eight Hundred and Fifty Five (\$855.00) Dollars with eight per cent. interest from the 8th day of December A. D., 1909 with ten per cent. Attorney's fees on the principal and interest and all costs of these proceedings.

Given officially this 18th day of December A. D., 1915.

GEO. HENDERSON, Shff.  
Per J. F. Breaux, D'y Shff.

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FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

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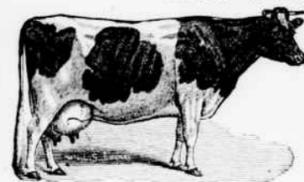
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