

IN STORM ON GULF

Eighteen Persons Killed and a Number Seriously Injured.

PROPERTY LOSS IS ENORMOUS

Estimated It Will Exceed One Million Dollars.

New Orleans, July 24.—Further reports from isolated points along the Gulf coast of Texas continue to swell the death list resulting from last Wednesday's hurricane. Angelton, Tex., reports eleven dead instead of one, bringing the total death list of the hurricane up to thirty-eight. Many more are still missing.

New Orleans, July 23.—Eighteen persons dead and sixteen seriously hurt and property damage exceeding \$1,000,000 as far as can be ascertained is the grim record resulting from the destructive sweep of the hurricane along the Louisiana and Texas coasts.

The number of dead as reported from various towns and cities is as follows:

Texas—Bay City, 3; Galveston, 4; Eagle Lake, 1; Wharton, 1; Kendleton, 1; Ramsey, 1; El Campo, 1; Palacios, 4.

Louisiana—Mud Pass, 2.

The number seriously injured is reported as follows:

From Texas points—Eagle Lake, 1; Bay City, 15.

That the hurricane which swept the Gulf coast of Texas and Louisiana levied a far heavier toll in loss of life and property damage than at first supposed was indicated when points which had been cut off from communication again got in touch with the outside world. Many isolated places yet remain to be heard from and anything like a full list of dead and injured may not be completed for several days.

That the property loss will run into the millions was made a certainty when whole towns which were not at first believed to have suffered were definitely reported to have been wrecked.

Fatalities are reported from many sources.

RESULT OF A CLOUDBURST

Serious Property Losses Occur in Northern Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, July 22.—Reports from Northern Wisconsin, particularly in the neighborhood of Ashland, tell of serious losses as a result of a cloudburst, the estimates of the loss varying from \$400,000 to \$750,000.

Innumerable bridges and dams are reported as being carried out, and the situation on the Odanah Indian reservation is now the most serious, as the high stage of water is just beginning to affect the red men's section. No trains are running to Ashland on any road, only one Northwestern train having been able to get through. The river power plant is wrecked at a heavy loss, the entire dam at the White river rapids being carried out. This property alone cost \$100,000 and is practically a complete ruin.

FOUR PERISH IN CLOUDBURST

Wall of Water Descends Upon Picnic Party.

Denver, July 24.—A picnic party of twelve was overwhelmed with a cloudburst in a narrow defile in Two Mile canyon, three miles from Boulder, while they were eating lunch, and two were drowned and two fatally injured.

The cloudburst broke on a mountain a mile from where the picnicers were at lunch and the first warning that they had was when a wall of water two feet deep descended upon them with great speed. In a few minutes the water was twelve feet deep in the canyon.

WHITE SLAVES ON CANAL ZONE

Army Officer Says Their Life Makes Heart Bleed.

New York, July 23.—A plea for suppression of the "white slave" traffic between the United States and the canal zone is made in a letter from Second Lieutenant C. W. Barber, Second United States Infantry, the second assistant chief of police of the canal zone. Lieutenant Barber declares that many American girls, especially actresses, have been lured to Panama and "the life they lead there would make your heart bleed."

RUSSIAN PRINCESS SLAIN

Murdered by Housekeeper in Revenge for Being Discharged.

St. Petersburg, July 24.—News has been received here that the Princess Alexandra Mestchersky, fourteen years old, has been murdered at her father's estate in Smolensk province by the housekeeper. In revenge for being discharged the housekeeper, with an axe, decapitated the young princess. The Mestchersky family is one of the oldest in Russia. Many representatives have played prominent roles in Russian history.

SEVEN ARE KILLED IN WRECK

Part of Wabash Train Plunges into Missouri River.

Kansas City, July 26.—Seven persons were killed and three perhaps fatally injured in the wreck of Wabash passenger train No. 4 when it plunged into the Missouri river thirty miles east of here.

Of the eight cars which made up the train five and the engine are in the river, with the water covering all of them except one end of the Des Moines sleeper. A dead-head Pullman, mail, baggage, day coach and sleeper followed the engine into the stream. The chair car and two Pullmans alone remained uninjured.

Eight mail clerks were saved because the roof of their car was torn off, permitting them to get out on top of the car and swim to the shore.

BIG DEMONSTRATION HELD

English Labor Party Protests against Czar's Visit.

London, July 26.—A huge demonstration by the organized labor party was held here to protest against the visit of the emperor of Russia to England. Various women's political leagues and socialistic and other organizations were represented.

Numerous banners, which headed the different processions, were inscribed with uncompromising mottoes, such as "Let the hanging czar remember," "Shall we grasp his bloody hand?" "A message from hell—welcome, little father."

James Keir Hardie, the socialistic member of parliament, and others made speeches voicing angry protests against the proposed visit.

JEROME IS IN CHARGE

Conducting State's Case in the Thaw Insanity Hearing.

White Plains, N. Y., July 27.—Allentists have begun their slow march across the stage in the Thaw case. The efforts of Stanford White's lawyer to obtain his release from the Matteawan asylum for the criminal insane are culminating in the testimony of the experts called to prove him sane and when they are through the prisoner will take the stand himself.

In two respects the hearing was a reminder of the two homicide trials which Thaw underwent. District Attorney Jerome of New York, at the request of the attorney general's office,



WILLIAM T. JEROME.

appeared in court and took entire charge of the state's case. Mr. Jerome and Thaw sat so close together that their chairs touched, but if the prisoner had any fear of the man who prosecuted him his face did not show it.

All but one of the witnesses were Thaw's and his equanimity was undisturbed. At times he and the New York district attorney chatted and smiled like old friends reunited.

INDIAN STUDENT MUST DIE

Slayer of British Official Convicted at London.

London, July 23.—Madaral Dhinagri, the Indian student who shot and killed Lieutenant Colonel Sir William Hutt Curzon Wylie and Dr. Cawas Lalaca, was found guilty and sentenced to death at the conclusion of a trial of less than an hour's duration at the Old Bailey police court.

During the recital of the occurrences at the Imperial institute on the night of the tragedy the prisoner sat in the dock listening unconcernedly and only once broke his silence by saying: "Whatever I did was an act of patriotism."

AT THE COMPANY'S TERMS

Butler (Pa.) Steel Plant Strikers Return to Work.

Pittsburg, July 26.—The strike at the Standard Steel Company's plant in Butler, Pa., has ended. More than 2,000 former employees returned to work at the company's terms. Seven leaders of the strike movement were discharged.

Officials of the company say that hereafter American workmen will be given preference in all departments, particularly in the construction of cars.

HIDES ON FREELIST

President Wins One Point in Tariff Contest.

LOWER DUTIES ON PRODUCTS

Manufactured Leather Goods to Be Reduced.

Washington, July 24.—Hides will be put upon the free list and existing rates on all leather goods will be substantially reduced, some of them below the duties fixed by either the house or senate tariff bills.

By making this reduction on the finished products of leather a part of the agreement for free hides it is said that the conferees will be acting within their powers and that it will not be necessary to recommit the bill either in the house or senate to secure a reduction in the leather schedule.

Senators Crane and Lodge were among the earliest of the president's callers and told him that New England was willing to make concessions in the matter of reduced rates on shoes, etc., as a part of the bargain for free hides. This opened the way, they said, for an agreement in the conference committee, for the Western senators who have been fighting the proposition to place hides on the free list have announced time and again that their objection would cease whenever the rates on shoes, etc., were accordingly reduced.

The rates on shoes will be lowered from 15 to 10 per cent, according to the president's advice.

Borah Consents to Scheme.

Senator Borah of Idaho, after a conference with the president following the call of Messrs. Crane and Lodge, said there was no longer any doubt that hides would go on the free list, along with a substantial reduction in the rates on finished leather products. The generally accepted programme is as follows:

Hides, free; sole leather, 5 per cent ad valorem, the same as the house rate and 10 per cent lower than the senate rate; leather for uppers, 7 1/2 per cent, which is one-half the rate of the senate and the house bills; boots and shoes, 10 per cent, as against 15 per cent in the house bill and 20 per cent in the senate bill.

From a careful analysis of statements made by the senate and house leaders, taken in connection with the attitude of President Taft, the indications are that the conference rates upon the important questions still in dispute will be as follows:

Hides, free; oil, free; lumber, rough, \$1.25 per thousand feet, with proportionate differentials; coal, 45 cents a ton, with the house reciprocal clause; iron ore, 15 cents a ton; print paper, \$3.15 a ton.

Practically one full week has been occupied by the conferees in an effort to settle these questions.

TWELVE-YEAR-OLD ENDS LIFE

Boy Hangs Himself After Being Reprimanded by Mother.

Des Moines, July 26.—Laurel Laidley, twelve years old, committed suicide, hanging himself to a rafter in his father's barn on the farm near Guthrie Center.

The boy had been reprimanded by his mother, and fled from the house, declaring he would kill himself. Search revealed him hanging dead.

He had used his suspenders and tied them around his neck and to a beam overhead.

HELD UP BY GIRL BANDITS

One Party of Glidden Tourists Relieved of Valuables.

Denver, July 26.—Two pretty girl bandits, in all the approved regalia of the ancient bad man of the wild and woolly West, held up and robbed Charles M. Babbitt of Buffalo, N. Y., who was in the Glidden tour party.

The holdup occurred in a secluded part of a mountain road near Sterling, Colo., and at the point of pistols the occupants of the car were compelled to give up their money and valuables.

TANNERY MEN RESUME WORK

While Not Settled, Strike is Believed to Be Over.

Kenosha, Wis., July 24.—Work was resumed in all departments of the Allen tannery and it is thought that the strike, while not settled, is practically over. Nine hundred men are at work and one of the officers of the tannery says the strike is over. No trouble of any kind developed.

AUTO IS STRUCK BY TRAIN

Escanaba (Mich.) Banker, Wife and Brother-in-Law Killed.

Menominee, Mich., July 24.—An automobile containing Ole Erickson, president of the State bank of Escanaba, his wife and brother-in-law, Dell Erickson, was struck by a Northwestern passenger train at Birch Creek and all three were instantly killed.

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- 1 lb. package Bengal brand currants10c
- 1 lb. package Silver Nugget raisins7c
- 1 lb. package Victoria raisins8c
- 1 lb. package blue ribbon raisins09c
- 1 lb. package Calumet corn starch6c
- 1 lb. package Celluloid clothes starch8c
- 1 pkg. puffed rice10c
- 1 pkg. Dr. Prices jelly dessert sugar8c
- 1 lb. pkg. shredded whole wheat13c
- 1 package Quaker corn flakes8c
- 7 bars Santa Claus soap25c
- 7 bars Lenox Soap25
- 7 bars Rose Queen Soap25
- 1 two oz. bottle McMurray's vanilla or lemon flavor8c
- 1 two oz. Utula vanilla or lemon extract8c
- 1 16-oz bottle Home brand catsup22c
- 1 16-oz bottle Eddy's catsup22c
- 1 16-oz. bottle Columbia catsup22c
- All 10c bottles Eddy's mustard8c
- All 15c bottles Eddy's mustard10c
- 3 cans Crow River corn20
- 3 cans Carol corn25
- 1 can Baby brand tomatoes10c
- 1 can Carol brand tomatoes12c
- 1 can Marrowfat peas9c
- 1 can early June peas11c
- 1 can golden wedding red gage plums12c
- 1 can golden wedding green gage plums12c
- 1 can golden wedding yellow egg plums12c
- Average net weight 2 lbs. 4 ozs. on last three items.

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATION.

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edward Rosnagle, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Louise Rosnagle having been filed in this court, representing that Edward J. Rosnagle, a resident of the County of the County of California, died intestate on the 24th day of December, 1908; and praying that letters of administration of said estate be granted to Lyman Signor; and the court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition:

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Little Falls in the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of August, 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted. Witness, the Judge of said court, and Seal of said Court, this 10th day of July, 1909.

(Seal) E. F. SHAW, Judge of Probate.

E. P. Adams, Attorney for Petitioner. j16 3t

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edward Rosnagle, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; and the court, having fixed the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid. Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Little Falls Herald as provided by law.

Dated July 13, 1909.

(Seal) E. F. Shaw, Judge of Probate.

Stephen C. Vasily, Attorney for Petitioner. j16

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Six Hundred twenty-four and 19/100 Dollars, (\$624.19), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by David Ebner and Ida Ebner, his wife, mortgagors, to Valentine Wetzel, mortgagee, bearing date the 30th day of April, A. D. 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Morrison and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1904 at 11:55 A. M., in Book 4 of Mortgages on page 42, and the said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Valentine Wetzel, to Matthew V. Wetzel, by written assignment dated the 18th day of May, 1904, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1904, at 1:00 P. M. in Book 4 of Assignments of Mortgage, on page 424, and whereas the power of sale in said mortgage has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in the above mortgage, and in conformity with the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The West half of the Southeast quarter and the North half of the Southwest quarter of the SE 1/4 and NE 1/4 of Section thirty-three (33), Township one hundred thirty-one (131), North of Range thirty (30) West, containing 100 acres, be the same more or less according to the survey thereof, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Morrison County, at the North front door of the Court House in the City of Little Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of August, 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Six Hundred twenty-four and 19/100 Dollars, with interest, and Fifty Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year as provided by law.

Dated July 15th, 1909.

MATTHEW V. WETZEL, Assignee of Mortgage. Stephen C. Vasily, Attorney, Little Falls, Minnesota. j16

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION TO SELL MORTGAGE OR LEASE LAND.

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison.

In the Matter of the Estate of Albert Fredrick Julius Trapp, minor.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the mortgage of certain lands belonging to said minor: The petition of Julius Frigin as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said minor described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to Julius Frigin granted to mortgage the same:

Now therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Little Falls, County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of August, 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. Witness, the Judge of said Court, and Seal of said Court, this 23rd day of July, 1909.

(Seal) E. F. SHAW, Judge of Probate.

E. P. Adams, Attorney for Petitioner. j16 3t

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nicholas Schmidt, Decedent.

Letters Testamentary this day having been granted to John F. Smith. It is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate, be and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday, the 2nd day of August, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Little Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in Little Falls Herald as provided by law.

Dated July 28th, 1909.

(Seal) E. F. SHAW, Judge of Probate. j16

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nels Frisk, Decedent:

The state of Minnesota to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Little Falls, in the County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of August, 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted. Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 21st day of July, 1909.

(Seal) E. F. SHAW, Judge of Probate. j28

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison.

In the Matter of the Estate of Arthur P. Blanchard, Decedent:

Letters Testamentary this day having been granted to Jenny Lind Blanchard. It is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday, the 17th day of January, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Little Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Little Falls Herald as provided by law.

Dated July 13, 1909.

(Seal) E. F. SHAW, Judge of Probate.

E. P. Adams, Attorney j16 3t

Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

U. S. Land Office at Duluth, Minn. June 12, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Paul Kukulski, of Pierz, Minn., R. F. D. No. 1, who on July 21, 1902 made Homestead application, No. 2352, Serial No. 63651, for South west quarter of North east quarter, Section 16, Township 42 North, Range 3 West, 4th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Don M. Cameron, United States Commissioner, at Little Falls, Minn., on the 14th day of August, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Joseph Matlak, of Pierz, Minn., R. F. D. No. 1.

Florena Dambovy, of Pierz, Minn., R. F. D. No. 1.

John Ebertowski, of Pierz, Minn., R. F. D. No. 1.

Nick Volak, of Pierz, Minn., R. F. D. No. 1. J. C. HERMAN ENGEL, Register. j16 2t

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison.

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Schenk, Decedent.

Letters Testamentary this day having been granted to Marie Schenk. It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 30th day of October, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Little Falls in said county, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Little Falls Herald as provided by law.

Dated July 17th, 1909.

(Seal) E. F. SHAW, Judge of Probate. j16 2t

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

State of Minnesota, County of Morrison.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Dickson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; and the court, having fixed the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Little Falls Herald as provided by law.

Dated July 17th, 1909.

(Seal) E. F. SHAW, Judge of Probate. j16 2t

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that W. B. Schreiner has filed