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THURSDAY, SEPT. 16, 1920

A dear young lady friend wants to know what a "sticker campaign" is? Well, one common kind is that of the numerous young men who have to be assisted out by father about 11.30 a. m.

The old timers insist that the best way to observe Child Welfare Week, is to hold regular sessions for the kids in the woodshed.

After telling the farmers that they have been greatly neglected by the government, the politicians promise their city audiences that they will give them lower prices on food stuffs.

People who are anxious to get their picture post cards delivered immediately, can now send them between New York and San Francisco by airplane.

The crowd at the public dinner finds that speakers once enthusiastically applauded for their absence, are very dull and dry when listened to with cold water filling.

The schools are settling down to work with the kids by no deep plans to get the teacher's goat.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS THE DIAMOND BRAND. Sold by druggists everywhere.

BOMB WRECKS WALL ST.

(Continued from Page One) outside the offices of J. P. Morgan & Co., on Wall street. Several persons were killed and many injured. Newspapermen counted eight bodies on the street. The Morgan building appeared badly damaged and part of the front of the subtreasury across the street was torn away. The 40-story Equitable building was rocked by the explosion as was all of Lower Manhattan. Spencer Morgan, son of J. P. Morgan, and a member of the firm, was badly cut by flying glass. Officials of the company denied first reports that a bomb had exploded in the Morgan building.

The list of casualties mounted as excited words passed from mouth to mouth. At 12.30 it was reported to have reached 15 killed and 50 injured. But an accurate count was impossible in the intense confusion that swept the financial district. It was equally impossible half an hour after the explosion occurred either to determine its exact nature or its location for spectators were held back by the police.

It was reported, however, that shortly before noon an automobile with two men drew up in front of the Morgan offices and that when Morgan detective approached the machine one man alighted and either accidentally or purposely dropped what appeared to be a bomb. The stock exchange was closed for the day by the Board of Governor two minutes after the explosion occurred. Occupants of a sky scraper looking down on Wall street told another version of the story. They declared they had seen the car drawn up and leave it. They advanced the theory that the bomb, if it was a bomb, had been timed. Among the bodies were those of three girls severely mutilated. Police reports at 12.25 had 15 dead. Unofficial reports had 20 dead. The U. S. sub-treasury immediately opposite the scene of the explosion was pinned under heavy police guard to protect the millions of dollars in the great granite structure. The reported casualty list at 12.50 was more than 20 dead and 75 injured.

An expert of the Bureau of Explosives of the Police Department after a hurried examination of the scene said that it was his opinion that not a bomb, but a collision had been responsible for the blast which rocked the skyscrapers, tore the front from office buildings for blocks around and scattered deadly missiles in all directions. The financial district after the explosion presented a scene of greatest demolition, and in addition to the bodies of human beings and horses scattered over the pavements, great blotches of blood appeared on the white walls of Wall street office buildings. Almost every pane of glass in the vicinity was shattered and besides a pile of broken crystal the street was covered with fragments of brick and stone blasted from the base walls of the buildings.

The front of the Morgan building was demolished and the Sub Treasury

Caledonia County Fair Draws Record Crowd

(Continued from page 1) Fireless Cooker, Ralph Harris of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Step Ladder, Ralph Harris of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Book Rack, Ralph Harris of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 25 cents. Set of Mounted Knobs, Nathan Ricker of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 25 cents. Robin House, Nathan Ricker of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 25 cents. Book Racks, Nathan Ricker of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Hog Trough, Elton LaPoint, of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Jar of Asparagus, Marion Towle of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Pumpkin, Marion Towle of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Pumpkin, Marion Towle of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Jar of Beans, Marion Towle of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Jar of Raspberries, Marion Towle of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Jar of Strawberries, Elizabeth Foshey of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Jar of Beets, Ruth Parks of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Kimono Apron, Dorothy Follensby of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Hard-hammered towel, Dorothy Follensby of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Set in Patch, Dorothy Follensby of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Boudoir Cap, Dorothy Follensby of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Mats, Dorothy Follensby of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Petticoat, Dorothy Follensby of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Darn on Stocking, Dorothy Follensby of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Sugar Cane, Louis Goodwin of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Lemon Cucumbers, Louis Goodwin of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Peppers, Louis Goodwin of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Peanuts, Louis Goodwin of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Ironing Board, Paul Hurley of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Bird House, Paul Hurley of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Sugar Cane, Paul Hurley, St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Bird House, Carter Merrill of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Trap Nest, John Pike of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Step Ladder, Russell Brown of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Bird House, Ronald Burrows of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Set of Knobs, Ronald Burrows of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Milk Stool, James Puffer of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Set of Knobs, James Puffer of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Bird House, James Puffer of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Ironing Board, James Woods of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Book Rack, James Woods of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Jar of Raspberries, Mildred Hastings of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Jar of Strawberries, Mildred Hastings of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Jar of Gooseberries, Mildred Hastings of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Jar of Plums, Mildred Hastings of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. String Beans, Mildred Hastings of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Sour pickles, Mildred Hastings of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 25 cents. Jelly, Mildred Hastings of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Collection of Apples, Mildred Hastings of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Collection of Potatoes, Mildred Hastings of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Crab Apple, Elaine Fairbanks of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Embroidered doll dress, Marguerite McGill of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Graham Bread, Elizabeth McGill of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Embroidered towel, Elizabeth McGill of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Bird feeder, Russell Brown of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents. Bird feeder, Elton LaPoint of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Bird feeder, Nathan Ricker of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Milk Stool, Robert Martin of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Jar of Currants, Ruth Parks of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Jar of Raspberries, Ruth Parks of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 50 cents. Pie Tray, Ronald Burrows of St. Johnsbury, 1st, 75 cents. Small paron, Dorothy Follensby of St. Johnsbury, 2nd, 25 cents. Vase, Dorothy Follensby of St. Johnsbury, 3rd, 25 cents.

also was badly damaged. With the arrival of soldiers and police, 50 street cleaners were put to work to clean up the streets to make possible the quicker passage of ambulances. Regulars from O'Connell's Island arrived on the scene at 12.50 for guard duty. The call for soldiers was sent by the Asst. Secretary of the Treasury who has charge of the sub-treasury. With all the windows blasted out Col. Wegell, chief of staff at the military post announced that 200 infantrymen would patrol the financial district day and night with fixed bayonets with orders to allow no one to enter the vicinity of the government buildings.

After suspending trading in stocks for the day the governing committee of the stock exchange ordered that all deliveries of securities be delayed until Monday. The committee called for another meeting later in the day to take further measures in regard to the disaster.

So far as can be learned no prominent financiers or members of the stock exchange were injured in the explosion. Palmer W. Lement and Henry P. Davison, members of the firm, were in the Morgan offices at the time but were not hurt. J. P. Morgan himself is abroad.

To unofficial estimate of dead at 120 was 30.

According to Charles Matthews of Brookline, a salesman of typewriter specialties, four persons, one a woman, were killed while working in the bond department of J. P. Morgan & Co.

Junius Spencer Morgan, son of J. P. Morgan, and a member of the firm said that he was showered with broken glass but was not hurt. When the explosion occurred he said he was sitting in his office on the first floor while other members of the firm were at a meeting on an upper floor.

Remains of the wrecked truck and its horses, found at the scene of the explosion, were examined by the police who questioned construction men as to whether the wagon resembled the type used in hauling explosives. Several construction men expressed firm belief that the wreck was that of a powder wagon in collision with a truck.

The cause of the explosion was dynamite in the street. Police Commissioner Enright, said he had been informed by members of the Morgan firm. The Broad street hospital announced at 2 o'clock that it had treated nearly 200 people, mostly men, for injuries due to the explosion. Hiram Davis, a chauffeur for a Wall street lawyer, told the police that the first blast of the explosion came from an automobile standing in the middle of the street, midway between the sub-treasury and the Morgan building. The damage to the Morgan building alone was estimated at \$500,000. Damage to other buildings would total at least \$500,000 more.

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CRESCENT CLUB MAKES BIG HIT AT CARNIVAL

Three thousand people had the time of their lives at the big Night Carnival presented at the fair grounds by the Crescent Club. It was a two hour's show of almost continuous laughter with the antics of the clown, furnishing a wide variety of amusement and the various stunts "going over" with a zip that reflected great credit upon the actors. Tonight some new and marvelous stunts have been secured that will even give greater thrills than last night's show. Owing to the failure of the lights at the critical moment the greatest leap for life on record with a Ford car was halted at just the minute the Ford under a fast gaining lust of speed was entering the raceway for the leap. Trained mechanics from Granby have been working all day on the big racing Ford and tonight she will "positively make the leap."

Everyone was in real carnival spirit. There was a ton of confetti on hand and it was sprinkled generously over the crowd. Young men and young women in carnival costume added to the brilliancy and novelty of the gathering. The St. Johnsbury band gave an excellent program of music and it was one gay, hilarious time. Fred Flint made an excellent ring master. He kept the acts going in rapid succession and there were few dull moments.

The show was delayed about half an hour by the failure of the Carnival lights. It was reported that someone without authority had attempted to "tap" onto the main current. This threw the entire current off. It took some time for the electricians to find where this break had been made.

With the blazing forth of the light the show got carefully into action. Every seat in the big grandstand was taken and fully 1,000 more spectators occupied seats in automobiles or clustered about the platform opposite the grand stand upon the race track.

The first act and it was a side splitter, was a show by the Boston Piding Circus. Two handsome white horses with a man and woman rider gave an excellent exhibition of fancy piding. Then local amateur riders were given a chance to win \$1 for the one who stayed longest in a standing position upon the horses' back. A pulley and derrick arrangement prevented the ambitious riders from talking a fall. Walter Gaskill who was dressed as Charlie Chaplin won the \$1.

A dancing act by two clowns, Jaed Cardin and Orrie Jenks, made a hit. Bill Sherwood was a decided novelty in his aerial act. Happy Holligan (Arthur Allison) and Rube Constock (Pete Landry) were funny in their skating act. Don F. Blodgett and Harry Livingston got some good laughs out of the Ford act.

An animal act that was a decided novelty was by Nelson Ranney, Arthur Ayer, William Campbell and Walter Smith. These were singing by Messrs. Bell and Liverman.

Dancing was enjoyed on the big dance floor until 11 o'clock.

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