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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

TWO KILLED IN CRASH

Harvest of Automobile Accidents Reported.

STUDENT FATALLY INJURED

Touring Car, Going at High Speed, Crushed Through Safety Gates at a Crossing, Was Struck by Train and Tossed High in the Air.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 1.—Driving a big touring car across the Reading railway tracks at Hunting Park avenue in the northern section of the city, in front of an express train, late Thursday night, Charles Humphreys, chief clerk in the bureau of police, and Harry B. Bromley, a prominent dealer in upholstery materials, were run down by the train and instantly killed.

The witnesses of the accident say they heard the tooting of an automobile horn and saw the car come rushing down the avenue.

A train was about to pass and the safety gates were down.

The car crashed through the gates just as the train reached the crossing. The automobile was struck squarely in the middle and tossed into the air.

Humphreys was thrown from the back and Bromley was thrown ahead of the train, only to be run over again.

The wheels crossed his neck, severing his head from the body and cutting off a leg.

Humphreys was dead when picked up.

Chicago, Aug. 1.—Carl Burton, of Aurora, Ill., a student at the University of Chicago, was probably fatally injured in a collision between an automobile and a cab at Michigan avenue and Madison street Friday.

The automobile skidded as it struck the cab and the impact threw Burton out of the car. He suffered a serious wound on the forehead.

The other occupants of the car were only slightly hurt. They were detained at the Central police station.

P. P. Henderson, who was driving the automobile, has gained local notoriety as being the central figure in an automobile "speed war" at Glencoe, a north shore suburb.

He had been cited to appear in court at Glencoe on a charge of speeding.

Some weeks ago a young woman standing in Henderson's car was shot by a Glencoe constable who was endeavoring to arrest Henderson for speeding.

ACCIDENTS AT HORSE SHOW.

Ship to Riders at the Long Branch, N. J., Display.

Long Branch, N. J., Aug. 1.—There were thrills a plenty at the horse show Thursday. Miss Kata Heis, of Paris, who was riding the "Worcester farms" entry, Continental, in the class for ladies' hunters, was thrown and before attendants could remove her, the horse had trampled on her.

Closely following this mishap, and at the same event, Edwin H. Weatherbee's bay gelding, Keswick, threw his rider at the water jump, and a moment later George Watson's Light-colored hunter fell to the ground. E. Weatherbee's Keswick was declared the winner of the event despite the mishap at the water jump.

WOMAN HELD IN \$500 BOND.

Bundy Charged with Killing Husband at Echo, La.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 1.—Mrs. Elizabeth Bundy was Thursday held in \$500 bond charged with killing her husband on July 1, last, at Echo, La.

Bundy's mother and brother, who had been arrested on the same charge, were released.

Bundy was asleep in bed with his wife when shot in the back with a bullet.

Mrs. J. B. Ponthieux, and another released Thursday, and Ponthieux, the brother, also released, were in the house at the time.

The motive for the killing has not been brought out, and the time for Bundy's trial has not been fixed.

WATSON SCORES BRYAN.

Declares in Savannah Speech Nebraskan is a Renegade.

Savannah, Ga., Aug. 1.—Crowds filled the Savannah theater to overflowing to hear Thomas E. Watson Thursday night.

A brass band and a committee of local populists met the candidate at the depot, and he was compelled to hold a reception until he went to the theater.

His speech was a denunciation of Bryan and a plea that the solid south be broken. He declared that Taft, following Roosevelt's policies, would do more for the south than Bryan.

Mr. Watson declared that Bryan is a deserter from democratic principles branded him as a renegade, and declared that the democratic platform is but a job lot of stuff designed to catch votes, and having no other purpose in view but to place Bryan in the white house.

He predicted Bryan's certain defeat, and pleaded for a rift in the solid south in order that this section of the country may secure political independence. He scored Bryan for his play for negro votes, charging him with trampling upon southern feelings and southern pride.

SKELETON FOUND IN BUSHES.

Perry Disappeared After Receiving a Legacy of \$5,000.

Southington, Conn., Aug. 1.—The skeleton of a man which had long lain hidden in the bushes on Wolcott mountain, was found Thursday by berry pickers.

It is supposed to be the skeleton of Robert Perry, who lived at the foot of the mountain, and who disappeared four years ago after receiving a legacy of \$5,000 from England. Later his wife disappeared, after telling a story to the effect that Perry had gone to England to claim more money. Mrs. Perry was married three times before she met Perry. When the first and second husbands died the medical examiner here was called to view the bodies. He made no report on either case. The third husband got a divorce. Perry was an Englishman, whose family, it was understood, had considerable wealth.

SAVED SHERMAN'S AMMUNITION.

Death of Veteran Recalls an Incident of the Civil War.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 1.—Stephen G. Grubb, a civil war veteran, whose action at a critical moment is said to have saved General William T. Sherman's entire store of ammunition just before his famous march from Atlanta to the sea, died here, aged seventy-three.

According to the story, just before the battle of Resaca lightning struck a telegraph pole standing in the midst of three million rounds of infantry and 300,000 rounds of artillery ammunition, the entire supply of General Sherman's army.

The lightning set fire to the pole, and Lieutenant Grubb, assisted by Private Dan R. Anderson, mounted the heap and extinguished the flames at the imminent risk of being blown up.

Pope Company Reorganized.

Hartford, Conn., Aug. 1.—A reorganization of the Pope Manufacturing company has been effected. New capitalization will be \$2,500,000 of preferred stock and \$4,000,000 of common stock. The new company will purchase the entire property and will operate the factories here and at Westfield, Mass. The company went into the receivers' hands August 13, 1907.

Average Condition of Cotton.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The average condition of cotton was 83 per cent on July 25th, as against 81.2 a month ago and 75 per cent a year ago, according to the report of the department of agriculture. The condition on July 25 of previous years was 82.9; in 1906: 74.9 in 1905, and 81.4 for the past ten years.

Racing Association Indicted.

New York, Aug. 1.—The Brighton Beach Racing association which concluded a racing meet at the Brighton Beach track on Wednesday was indicted by the Kings county grand jury on a charge of aiding gamblers to violate the new anti-gambling laws.

2 KILLED, 20 WOUNDED

Bloody Price Paid by Pensacola Mob to Lynch Negro.

AN ATTACK WAS MADE ON JAIL

Sheriff and Deputies Made Valiant Attempt to Defend Prisoner, but After Two Hours' Fight the Mob Was Victorious—Negro Lynched.

Pensacola, Fla., July 31.—A mob of over 1,000 persons stormed the Pensacola jail Wednesday night and lynched a negro, but at fearful cost, two men being killed and over twenty wounded, some of them fatally.

Among those wounded are several deputies.

Battle Raged for Hours.

For several hours the fight raged about the jail, the sheriff and deputies pouring volleys into the mob, but the mob finally triumphed, winning its way into the jail, securing the negro, and dragging him to the public square, he was lynched.

The negro lynched was Leander Shaw, who assaulted and nearly killed Mrs. Lillian Davis in her home in the suburbs.

First Attack on Jail.

The mob numbered probably a thousand persons, and gathered early, but there was no apparent indication that the crowd, which completely surrounded the jail, contemplated making a rush until nearly two hours later.

The first indication was when a railroad iron was brought into play by about a dozen men upon the iron gate of the jail yard. At the same moment the entire mob seemed to catch the spirit, and with yells and curses dashed for the jail entrance. Some climbed over the tall iron fence, while others hammered upon the gate.

The sheriff with half a dozen deputies stood in windows upstairs with drawn revolvers and riot rifles. The sheriff pleaded with the mob at the same time telling them he would defend the prisoner at the cost of every life present.

Officers Open Fire.

His words had no effect, and the moment the first blow was struck on the gate, a volley of shots flashed from the upper windows of the jail.

This was answered by the crowd, which poured volley after volley into the jail windows, wounding two deputies. The mob was momentarily driven back with many wounded and one dead as a result of the deadly aim of the sheriff and his deputies.

One man, "Bud" Nicholls, who was the first to enter the jail yard after the gate was broken down, was shot dead, while half a dozen of the mob and two deputies were wounded, some perhaps fatally.

Mob Victorious.

But the mob was determined to get the negro and, strongly reinforced by residents from the scene of the assault, made another attack.

The officers stood their ground valiantly, but the mob was finally victorious, securing the negro and riddling his body with bullets.

The affair has created the greatest excitement in Pensacola.

Negro's Brutal Crime.

The crime of the negro was most brutal. Thursday Leander Shaw entered the home of Mrs. Lillian Davis, the young wife of a resident of the suburbs, and attempted to assault her. Mrs. Davis fought desperately for her honor. She first picked up a revolver and ordered the negro from the house, but he grasped the revolver, and then, taking his knife out, cut her throat giving her infant child a blow as he passed out.

He was captured after a fierce fight. The body of Shaw was cut down by order of the authorities.

Mrs. Wm. Davis, whose throat was cut by the negro and for which crime he died, is yet alive, but it is said she cannot recover from her injuries.

The babe who was struck by the negro at the time he tried to kill the mother, it is said, will fully recover.

To think own self be true, and it must follow, as the night the day, thou canst not then be false to any man.—Shakespeare.

TRIED TO WRECK BANK.

Supposed Black Hand Attempt Made at Newark, N. J.

New York, Aug. 1.—Bomb throwers Friday night attempted to wreck the banking house of Salvator D. Auria in Newark. They did not succeed, but managed to blow up the big stone stoop leading to the bank. The explosion also blew out the plate glass windows of the saloon of Dominick Dilio in the basement beneath it.

There was a panic among the five clerks in the bank, two of whom were women. The explosion was heard at the second precinct station, three blocks away, and the reserves ran out. They learned that two men had been seen to throw something with a light on the end of it under the bank's steps a few minutes before the explosion occurred.

Citizens who saw believed it was a cigar but the police are satisfied it was a bomb with a burning fuse.

Auria, the banker, and his brother-in-law, Surchie, who lives in the adjoining house, have been recently receiving threatening black hand letters and have called the attention of the police to it. It is believed the attempt to wreck the bank is the outcome of their refusal to meet the demands of the blackmailers.

STARTLING CHARGE MADE.

Many Blind Children Victims of Careless Physicians or Nurses.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 1.—One-third of the blind children of this country are the victims of careless physicians or midwives.

This is the startling charge that Superintendent George W. Jones for the Illinois School for the Blind makes in an article in the forthcoming issue of the bulletin of the state board of charities.

Superintendent Jones says:

"Inflammation of the eyes of the newborn is an acute infection of the eyes occurring from one to three days after birth. A two per cent solution of silver nitrate is an absolute specific for this disease and a one per cent solution can be administered without danger by the most untrained person."

Plan Reception for Athletes.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 1.—Plans are under way to give the three Olympic champions who hail from Oregon, Forest S. Smithson, Daniel J. Kelly and Alfred C. Gilbert, a state-wide reception on their return to this country and state. The plans contemplate bringing the athletes from New York to Portland in a special car, decorated with banners showing the wonderful performances of the three Oregon athletes.

Yacht Lurline Won Race.

Honolulu, Aug. 1.—The yacht race from this port to Hilo was won by the Lurline of the South Coast yacht club of San Pedro, Cal. The race was started July 28 and was participated in by the yachts Lurline, the Lady Maud, the Gwendolyn II, and the Hawaii and Kamichameha. The first four yachts were contestants in the trans-Pacific race which was also won by the Lurline.

Editor Sevier Not Guilty.

London, Aug. 1.—Robert Sevier, editor of the Winning Post, was found not guilty at the Old Bailey of the charge that he had attempted to blackmail Jack Joel, a nephew of the late Barney Barnato, by threatening to publish a defamatory article about Joel unless the latter paid him \$25,000. The trial has been going on for several days.

Establish Big Snuff Factory.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 1.—A Guthrie, Ky., dispatch to the Banner says that the dark tobacco Planters' Protective association has in contemplation the establishment of a gigantic snuff factory to be conducted under the auspices of the association, but that nobody not to be financially interested in it in any way.

Feudist Captured and Jailed.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 1.—Henry Tharp, the Breathitt county feudist, who caused a reign of terror on last Wednesday when adjudged insane by arming himself and defying arrest, was captured and placed in an asylum here Friday.

TRAGEDY IN HOSPITAL

Man Kills Daughter, a Woman, Wounds Wife, Then Suicides.

ALSO INJURES SISTER-IN-LAW

John Fifer, Who Had Been Forbidden to Enter Hospital Where His Wife and Daughter Were, Gained Access by Stealth and Fired on Inmates.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 1.—Jesse Fifer, a grip-man, killed his eight-year-old daughter, Hazel, and Mrs. Dennis Nihoule, a confinement patient; fatally wounded his wife, Mrs. L. Fifer, and seriously wounded Mrs. Ethel Warren, his sister-in-law, in a private maternity hospital here Thursday night. He then turned his revolver upon himself and committed suicide.

Fifer and his wife had been separated and she lived at the hospital.

Although forbidden to go near the house, he made his way into the place through the basement. After finding his wife seated in a front room at the place, he started shooting.

The lights went out after the first shot and he had to light matches to see the victims to shoot at.

His daughter and Mrs. Nihoule were driven into the street, where he shot them.

DUEL WITH BURGLARS.

Night Watchman of Country Manor Put Bandits to Flight.

Greenwich, Conn., Aug. 1.—Converse Manor, the 1,200 acre estate of B. E. Converse, a wealthy New Yorker, and a director of the United States Steel corporation, was the scene of a pistol duel between three burglars and the night watchman on the estate early Friday morning.

The men were driven off after a number of shots had been fired. The watchman declares that one of the burglars was struck by a bullet.

The presence of the burglars was made known by Mr. Converse's pet collie, who, barking loudly, ran to a hedge near the watchman's cottage. As the watchman approached three men sprang upon him, pinioned his arms and pointed a revolver at his head and directed him to make no outcry.

In the meantime the collie's barking had aroused the household. The robbers became frightened, and releasing their prisoner, ran toward the street.

The watchman opened fire, and the fleeing desperadoes, turning as they ran, fired back shot for shot. All three succeeded in getting away just as Mr. Converse, with a revolver in either hand, rushed down to take a hand in the battle.

The shooting was not the first in which members of the Converse family have figured. Several years ago Mr. Converse's daughter, Mrs. Antonette Morrel, was set upon by a masked man who had entered her house, shot and so severely wounded her that her life was in danger for many days. It was thought an attempt might have been made to kidnap Mrs. Morrel's three-year-old child.

Later, however, a man who gave his name as John Brown, was arrested for the assault. He was convicted and is now serving a term in the state prison. Mrs. Morrel had been separated from her husband at the time of the assault.

Cloakmakers to Strike.

New York, Aug. 1.—While the coat makers who are organized as the Brotherhood of Tailors, have decided to have no general strike this year, the cloakmakers, it is announced, are preparing for their first general strike in fourteen years. The cloakmakers broke away some time ago from the United Garment Workers of America.

Gov. Little in Sanitarium.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 1.—Governor John B. Little, of Arkansas, has been placed in a sanitarium here. He has been suffering from a nervous breakdown, almost ever since his election, which has developed almost acute melancholia. His condition is not encouraging.