

PLUNGE TO DEATH

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LINE IN INDIANA.

Fire Adds Horror to the Dreadful Scene—An Appalling List of Dead and Wounded—Children Cremated in the Burning Car.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 27.—Passenger train No. 1, on the Monon route, which left Chicago Sunday night at 11.15, was wrecked this morning at 7.50 one mile above Carmel and sixteen miles north of this city. The train was running at a rapid rate and was approaching the long trestle across Wilcox creek, when the tender of the engine jumped the track. The engineer reversed his engine, but before the air-brake could check the speed of the train the locomotive and baggage-car had cleared the trestle, but the four coaches attached went over into the creek. The ladies' coach immediately caught fire and in an incredibly short time was reduced to ashes. Fortunately for the occupants of this coach, train No. 2, which left this city for Chicago at 7.30, had been ordered to meet train No. 1 at Carmel and soon as word of the wreck was received the passengers hurried to the scene and went earnestly to work rescuing the occupants of the burning car.

A horrible scene met their eyes. In plain view of all were two boys and a woman, all dead, but their bodies were being rapidly consumed. The arm of one projected through the side of the car and could be touched by those on the outside, but the opening was not large enough to draw the body through. Immediately in front of the boy was a lady who got on the train at Frankfort and is unidentified. Her body was enveloped in flames but there was no possible way to get her out of the burning coach. Across from this lady was Mrs. Enbanks of Broad Ripple, Ind. Her head was horribly crushed. The brakeman and a passenger seized her by the arms and by a desperate effort pulled the body through the window. Life was not yet extinct, but she lived only a few minutes after being taken out.

Another of the rescued, but who has since died, was Mr. Denning of Sheridan. He was pinned to the floor by timbers and horribly crushed. Some heroic men seized axes and after a few minutes' work cut away the timbers that held the body which was removed to the north side of the track. There was no medical aid present and the man died in a few moments. Buckets having been procured from the farm houses near by, the flames were soon subdued and prevented from communicating to the sleeper or other coaches. As soon as it was possible search was made for the dead. The following is an accurate list of the victims:

DEAD.
MRS. NELLIE ENBANK, Broad Ripple, burned to death.
C. C. DENNING, Frankfort, Ind., head crushed.
MRS. D. S. OLDFHAM'S TWIN CHILDREN, Sheridan, Ind., burned to death.
MISS MARY HOOVER, Horton, Ind., crushed to death.
MRS. HATTIE HENSLEY, Cyclogue, crushed and burned.

INJURED.
GEORGE MUMFORD, express messenger, left foot badly cut, back severely injured.
J. JACKSON, porter of the sleeper, hip severely injured, head badly cut.
J. T. ALTHOFFER, Chicago, shoulder bruised and otherwise slightly injured.
CHARLES L. WIRT, Frankfort, severely bruised.
E. C. WHITSITT, Indianapolis, head badly cut, back bruised.

R. C. MILLER, New York, head bruised, right leg broken, and internal injuries.
J. D. FRANKSON, Sheridan, Ind., head hurt, head cut, right arm broken, possibly internal injuries.
N. E. INGERSOLL, Detroit.
GEORGE S. BUELOW, Chicago.
LOUIS NAYMAN, Indianapolis.
THOMAS CANNADAY, Chicago.
W. S. HALLADAY, Boston.
D. JUSTICE.

HENRY STUBBS, Indianapolis, all slightly injured.
S. W. STINEBAUGH, Rossview, hurt through the hips, and arm cut.
HARRY ANGLE, Indianapolis, head and arm cut.
A. E. ANGLE, conductor of the train, badly cut about the head.

OTTO GREENMAN, Indianapolis.
J. D. BALDWIN.
WILLIAM H. MARKER.
MICHAEL FITZGERALD.
GEO. L. L. MILLER, injured, but not seriously.
MRS. MAY FITZGERALD of Indianapolis, spine injured and head badly cut.
MRS. ELA DOUGLASS, Frankfort, severely bruised and possible internal injuries.

W. J. COLLINS of The Indianapolis Sentinel, a passenger, says: The shock threw the passengers in the sleeper from one end of the train to the other, out of one berth into another and demolished everything in the car. A gentleman kicked out of a window through which a number of others seeing there was no immediate danger to those in the sleeper dressed themselves. When Mrs. Oldham and her little boy were taken out of the burning car the lady, whose two other children were in the car, although badly injured, made a desperate effort to return to the burning coach. Clinging to the youngest "in her arms she exclaimed: "Thank God I have you left, but I have two other children in that fire. God be merciful," and then turning to the passengers urged them to rescue her burning children. Axes were procured and a determined effort made to get the dying and dead out, but the flames spread so rapidly the work had to be abandoned.

The train bearing the injured arrived here at 11.45. On the train all was excitement. In the Pullman car at the head of the train were the more seriously injured. Pearson, a travelling man, lay in a berth. His mind wandered and in his delirium he was selling his wares. "I can sell you better goods than any man on the road. Our house is a big one and we can give you first figures."

Mrs. Oldham and her three children got on the train at Sheridan where they bade Mr. Oldham an affectionate adieu. The mother and children were all very handsome. The party were bound for Indianapolis where they expected to spend a week with relatives. Conductor Angles asked the distance from the happy group watching the antics of the children when the crash came. He was stunned and Mrs. Oldham also became unconscious. By her side lay her eldest child. As the rescuers bore her away she came to and called for her children. She was told that they were all right and she fainted away. Through the window of the car a little hand stretched limp and lifeless. A man seized it, but the man looked through the window and there saw the impossibility of rescue.

The red hot stove loosened from its fastenings, had fallen upon the babies, pinned them down with its awful weight and burned the bodies horribly. The children were already dead. The mother recovered from her faint but her eyes caught the burning car and she realized the truth and again lost consciousness.

THE WHISKY HAD MUST GO

A Rigorous Temperance Mission in Washington Official Circle.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—In his annual message to Congress President Harrison urged that steps should be taken to restrict the liquor traffic in the District of Columbia, and now it appears that, irrespective of Congressional action, a temperance mission has been established in connection with each executive department. The mission does not proclaim itself from the houseposts, but operates by private and personal coercion—what is to be said, by inducing the clerks and other employees of the Government with the dread of being dismissed if they fail in any degree to keep the commandments.

The methods of the mission are the methods of the secret society, the methods that employers adopt to make their employees write the political ticket which they favor. It appears that in one way or another Treasury employees have recently been made aware that it did not improve their standing with their superiors to be seen going into saloons or other places where intoxicating liquors were sold. A clerk who holds a responsible position and who is regarded as one of the most valuable men in his division is said to have been called up by his chief and asked if he was not in the habit of visiting public drinking-places more or less frequently.

"Yes," the clerk answered, "I take a social glass now and then with the boys when I feel like it, but I have never allowed it to interfere with my work or in any way unfit me for the discharge of my duties here."

"An aware of that," his chief is reported to have said, "but take my advice and don't be seen in drinking-places or billiard saloons around town at night, or at any other time, for that matter."

"But I fail to see," the clerk answered, "rather indignant at this attempt to interfere in his personal affairs, 'what business it is of anybody else whether I drink a glass of beer now and then or not.'"

"Well," his superior officer replied, "I don't want to see you lose your place, and so I thought I would speak to you about it. Other clerks who are known not to be teetotalers are said to have received similar warnings, until gradually it has come to be generally understood in the Department that an employee's standing is injuriously affected by being seen going into saloons."

"Yes," I've lost a great deal of trade lately," said the proprietor of a restaurant near the Treasury. "I don't know just what the cause of it is, but I expect it is because of the temperance pledges that are being exacted of candidates for office before an appointment is given. The case of Mr. Johnson, who was recently appointed Postmaster at Baltimore, is in point. Johnson was very strongly backed for the position, and Postmaster-General Wainwright was inclined to give it to him, but at the White House the objection was raised that Mr. Johnson was a drinking man. Finally, in an interview with the Postmaster-General, Mr. Johnson was given to understand the objection against him by the President. Thereupon the candidate gave the Postmaster-General a promise that, if he were appointed to the office, he would not touch liquor during his incumbency. The Postmaster-General informed the President of this and Mr. Johnson received the appointment."

TRADE AND TRAFFIC.
Leading Features of the Grain and Produce Markets at Home and Abroad.

TORONTO, Jan. 28.—Deliveries of barley at outside points are very light, and dealers report no change in price, quoting No. 3 extra at 30 cents. Advances from the other side confirm local dealers in the belief that the market will soon be much higher, though it may take a few weeks longer. New York dealers are hunting for large supplies, but are not raising prices. There have, however, been sales there at 3 to 4 cents higher than a month ago. New York dealers are also acting on the belief that there is a very large quantity of barley yet in that State, but reliable advice says there is not. Bradstreet's report gives the stocks of barley in store in the United States at 2,000,000 bushels against 4,000,000 bushels last year, 3,000,000 in 1898 and 4,000,000 in 1897. With only half the stock of each of the past three years, and with large inquiries, there is every prospect of higher prices to Canadian farmers, if they will not load up the market as soon as quotations begin to advance.

STREET MARKETS.
Wheat—Steady; 300 bushels sold at 85c for fall and red, 85c to 87c for spring and 70c to 71 1/2c for good.

Barley—Receipts light and prices firm, 100 bushels selling at 40c to 43c.

Peas—Steady; 100 bushels sold at 55c to 58c.

Oats—Receipts light and prices easy; sales, 200 bushels at 29 1/2c to 30c.

Hay—Receipts light and prices of timothy higher at \$11 to \$13. Mixed unchanged at \$7 to \$8.

Straw—Offerings light and prices unchanged at \$7.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.
Poultry—Receipts light and prices firm. Turkeys 11c; geese 8c; chickens 50 to 60c; ducks 20 to 25c.

Dressed hogs—Offerings fair and prices unchanged. Heavy rough in cars on track, 85c; good heavy stock \$5.25; choice light \$5.40 to \$5.50.

Butter—There is a fair demand for good quality, but low grades are not wanted. Choice tub 17 to 18c; medium 15 to 17c; standard 10 to 14c; rolls 15 to 17c.

Eggs—Receipts are almost too large. Fresh are heavy at 18c, and dealers would take 7c for round lots. Laid are purely nominal at 12 to 13c.

VALUE OF PRAISE

Many a Child Meets Hungry for a Word of Encouragement.

Parents are too often slow to see the motive of their children's kindest actions. A little fellow has been reading of some young hero who helped his father and mother in all sorts of ways; and after making his brains to think how he too can help, he remembers that he can fetch his father's slippers and take his boots away and put them in the proper place. Without saying a word to anybody when evening comes he does it; but the father is so occupied that he does not notice what the boy has done. The little fellow hopes on, thinking that when he goes to bed his father will say how pleased he was to see Charley so willing to help; but not a word is uttered and the boy goes to bed with a choking feeling in his throat and says his prayers by the bedside with a sadness very real in his heart.

Another complaint of children not being so ready to help as they should be. The fault is with the parents, who have not known how to evoke feelings with which the heart of every child is richly stored. All words of approval are helpful and encouraging. In a large family there have been days of anxiety and care, the eldest daughter by her skill in teaching has earned a little extra money, and without a word to anyone she lays nearly all of it out in buying things that are much needed in the house. What joys fill her heart when a "thank you" is said to her and with emotion that cannot be concealed says how thankful she is for such considerate kindness and goodness: "I don't know what we shall do without you, darling!" My friends, do not be so chary of these words of encouragement.

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A Woman's Crisis

Mrs. Anne Louise Cary Raymond recently said to a friend that, when the history of musical art in America was written, it is to Adelaide Phillips that the highest rank as an artist will be assigned.

Mrs. Raymond gave as reasons that not only had she a glorious and almost incomparable voice, but that to this supreme endowment she added great dramatic power, and that she would have been distinguished in histrionic art alone, even had she not been so in lyric art. This is very generous and noble in one great artist toward another, and is but a typical instance of the sweetness of spirit, the generous and beautiful feeling that always characterizes Anne Louise Cary.—Boston Traveler.

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Canadian Baptist: Principia M. Gregor is now in New York hospital, where he will have the benefit of treatment probably as skillful as can be found in the world. The eminent specialist regard the case somewhat hopefully. They will use a general treatment for the next year, says: "The Lord hath an hour for the venditions of his Gospel, the discovery of deceit, and chastisement of apostasy, and that hour may come ere yet this new year has waned to its winter."

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