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# A SCORE KILLED AND MANY ARE DYING; LIMITED TRAIN STRIKES OPEN SWITCH

Passenger Train on the Southern Pacific Wrecked Near Colton, California, With Appalling Loss of Fifteen Per Thousand of Ontar-Life-Celebrated Actress and Company Aboard, But Escape.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Colton, Cal., March 28 .- A disastrous wreck on the Southern Pacific occurred just east of here late today. Westbound train No. 9 from North Sar Francisco ran into an open switch while going at the rate of 40 miles an known to have been killed, and the whenever it considers such action final list will probably total much many of whom may die. The wrecked diarism and savage brutalities. There are whenever the rebels refuse to smoker and day coach. The dead were IS DIS DE BARR

### terribly mangled. Eighteen Bodies Found.

lighteen corpses were brought to tional bodies could be seen under one Head of Flying Rollers Said To Over Four Millions in New York, of the demolished cars. This car could not be raised until a derrick was brought from Los Angeles, 60

The injured were carried to this city Presbyterian Church and to private

But two Americans are known to have been killed, although several of Jackson, where she served time with a them among the injured will undoubtedly die within the next few hours.

ascertained, was also killed. Engineer tively identified as the Mother Elinor Clarence E. Wormington and Fireman Victor Cobb jumped, but were caught identification in a sworn statement. 1906 is 2,049,185, as against 1,698,575 in in the wreckage and terribly burned.

### Pullmans Escape.

Out of about 80 Pullman passengers three Pullman coaches and diner. which were on the rear of the train, O Delia Dis De Barr she served six pants of these cars were mostly un-known there as Vera P. Ava, and later

### Actress Roberts in Wreck.

The Florence Roberts Theatrical Company occupied one coach, which was hurled from the tracks. Both ends of it were crushed in by impact against the others. Two of the 22 members of Roberts escaped unhurt. The escape a department of health as a branch of Cody is an ex-sheriff of Wayne torn. The men and women were hurled than once been urged by medical men of him. There were three tracks where the ac- not apparently convinced of the necesphysicians and nurses were brought son, Belleville. from San Bernardino and Colton.

### FOUR BANKS COLLAPSE

Unable to Meet Liabilities and Cause Panic at Brussels

[Special to The Advertiser.] Brussels, March 28.—There was a Liverpool, nearly five days overdue. panic on the bourse here today, owing passengers were deathly sick, and all on five years ago Donald McArthur and to four banks being unable to meet their liabilities, while four others were obliged to obtain an extension of time in which to settle their accounts. A less than fifteen of them, the steamer during the storm having several narrow Ghent broker was 800,000 francs short. escapes. Other failures are expected. The total Davis, and another man, named Mr. Crab. losses in the Brussels money market tree, fell overboard and were drowned. are estimated at 15,000,000 francs.

### DEADLY DYNAMITE.

Atianta, Ga., March 28.—Two negroes ila reports that Stevenson & Co.'s Atlanta, Ga., March 26. Showers, the weather has been mostly were killed instantly and one white warehouse there, containing 15,000 between 12 and 1 o'clock, and prices fair. Another depression from the Westman is missing as the result of an ex- day. The loss is estimated at \$350, tone was growing rather owing to the Ontario. plosion of dynamite in a car near the 000. Peters street depot of the Southern how many were injured. The force of American Steam Packet Company has ly. The beginning of the Easter holibert, zero-40; Qu'Appelle, 12-34; Winnifor the freight depot, demolishing ten for them in shares of the Hamburg- also contributed to the dullness. Amer- John, 34-40; Halifax, 38-44.

FORECASTS.

# 500 Rebels Wiped Jut by Roumanian Troops

Bucharest, March 28.—Both Houses the inferiority of the rabels' armament. of Parliament have unanimously passed a bill empowering the Government to Prince Stikbey's palace. The troops to summarily declare a state of siege engaged the rebels, killing, it is re-

The peasant raids continue in sevare many clashes between the troops that eleven officers have been killed or affected districts. It will be used re wounded is indicative of the severity lentlessly.

Be Notorious Criminal and

Cannot Be Found.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

of Detroit. F. E. Swinden, a member

of Mother Elinor's cult, made the

abouts. It is rumored that she now is

in California. Under the name of Ann

nonths in New York. In Geneva she

served two years for larceny. She was

as Edith L. Murray. She served time

in New Orleans, where she was known

the Government

as Editha Jackson.

sity for the step.

The woman has a police record ex-

serious offense.

of the fighting, especially in view of ported, about 500 of them, and sustaining serious losses themselves. The Government has abandoned all inclinations for leniency, and has orderdisperse and offer resistance. These orhave been killed or wounded. There ders are being carried out vigorously. are no authentic figures, but the fact Artillery is being sent to all the dis-

## **UNCLE SAM HAS** NINETY MILLIONS "MOTHER ELINOR"?

an Increase.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Washington, D. C., March 28.-The Detroit, Mich., March 28 .- "Mother known in England as Editha Loleta man reputed to be her husband for a fixed by the federal census at 7,268,894. ental United States for 1906 is 84,941. - patrol wagon and was locked up. work of the commission, but the United ter the condition of subscribers, exper-phone, you lose your 20 cents. Her prison record from Scotland Her prison record from Scotland ental United States for 1996 is 84,941.

Dr. J. J. Mason was called and he States refused to allow the St. John River ience had taught them that they were sample and the had Mrs. Garratt removed to Victoria to be enumerated in the list, and although simply paying for two phones instead was received today at the instigation insular possessions, 93,183,100. Comof the train, whose name had not been investigating her case. The Editha density of population of continental actor. Loleta Jackson, of London, was posi- United States in 1906 was 28 persons acter. per square mile, as compared with 26

in 1900. Chicago's estimated population for 1900. The number of inhabitants in Suffered Again From Insomnia and His tending over both continents and em- other large cities for the two years bracing many parts of the United was as follows: Philadelphia, 1906, 1. States. She disappeared from Wind- 441.735: 1900, 1,293,697. St. Louis, 1906, sor about two weeks ago and none of 649,320; 1900, 575,238. Boston, 1906, 602,-

### 669; 1900, 508,907. EX-SHERIFF CODY INSANE

Over to Relatives.

Cody, who said he was a friend of serious, and it is expected he will soon WANT HEALTH DEPARTMENT President Roosevelt, and that he was be on his native heath again. Ontario Medical Association Urge It On here on a peace mission, and who was held by the police till his sanity was inquired into. was taken in charge to-Toronto, March 28.—The creation of day by a relative.

of the occupants of this car was re- Premier Whitney and other members public school inspector of Detroit. of the occupants of this car was re- Premier Whitney and other members of the Domarkable, considering the manner in the Contario Medical Associathat the man was insane, and that a adjustment of questions affecting secteam and formerly lived at Fort of the Government by a deputation to that the man was insane, and that a adjustment of questions, affecting sections, affectin

from one end of the car to the other. and others, but the Government, considered it, are considered it, are The deputation included Dr. Bing- Cobalt recently in three days, as the other officials. The action of the country. The people of Colton were ham, president of the association; Dr. to the frequency of the violation of the violation

HERE'S A ROMANCE.

Detroit, Mich., March 28.-Twenty-

be married. Difference arose over fin-

ancial matters, and McArthur went to

and Omaha yielded

### BOMBARDING AMALAPA. BATTERED BY ATLANTIC Washington, March 28. - The state

department received a dispatch today from United States Minister Merry at C. P. R. Liner Has Terrific Experience San Jose, Costa Rica, announcing that -Two Men Lost Overboard Honduras, is being bombarded. Amalapa is the chief Honduran port on the

St. John, N. B., March 28.-After a ter- Pacific side, and President Bonilla of rible experience in one of the worst storms Honduras is reported to have fled of the winter, the C. P. R. liner Lake Manitoba reached port this forenoon from fierce gale lashed the seas in fury, the board put in a most miserable week. Seas Miss Lockwood were living at South continually broke over the steamer, and at times she was practically helpless. The Manitoba ran into a veritable field of icebergs, and passed at close range to no

During the gale one of the crew, Richard fiancee, the engagement was resumed, and are now spending their honeyabout 65 years of age.

RIG MANILA FIRE. New York, March 28 .- A cable dispatch received here today from Man-

STEAMSHIPS CHANGE OWNERS Hamburg, March 28.—The Hamburg- for weeks, and prices drifted narrow- ton, 22-26; Battleford, 12-30; Prince Althe explosion blew out the entire side taken over part of the Woermann days abroad, and the decision to Sound, 34-56; Toronto, 46-64; Ottawa, 34of the freight depot, demolishing ten line's steamships, paying \$1,250,000 close the exchange here on Saturday, 54; Montreal, 30-50; Quebec, 30-42; St. for a considerable distance from the 130. The vessels will be used to estab- lied 3. Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis llish an African service.

# THE DEATH RATE OF THE RROVINCE

the Month of February.

Toronto, March 28 .- Returns from 65 division registrars to the provinial board of health, show that out of ent, of the inhabitants of the Province, the total number of deaths during per thousand. The number of cases of less than in February, 1906, and the number of deaths are 32 fewer. There was a reduction in the number of deaths from scarlet fever, diphtheria, consumption and whooping cough. Of typhoid fever the number of cases reported was 277 less than in 1906, but the number of deaths was the same of smallpox brought to the attention of the department.

### EJECT HUSBAND FROM THE HOUSE

Mrs. Garratt Tried To Do So, and Now in Hospital

Thomas Garratt, of 501 Central avenue, was arrested last night at a late hours and locked up on a charge of assaulting his wife. The latter is now in Victoria Hospital, suffering from a wound on the head and an injury to the arm caused

by her husband.

The estimated poulation for contin- was taken to the police station in the these waterways should be included in the that competition would materially bet- within a few seconds' walk of the Hospital. It was said there her in- agreeing to a separate

Departure Delayed.

Hon. Charles S. Hyman, M. P., is only 2 sustained serious injuries. The the cult seem to know of her where- 278; 1900, 560,892. Baltimore, 1906, 553,- Still at Los Angeles, California. Mr. have an opportunity of discussing the re-Hyman left Coronado Beach, where he lations of the Dominion and its big neighwas recuperating for some months, bor in a friendly way. with the intention of proceeding home It is definitely decided that Sir Wilfrid by easy stages. He purposed staying Laurier and Sir Frederick Borden will only two or three days at Los Angeles sail on the Empress of Britain from St Arrested by Toronto Police and Handed en route, but another attack of insomnia gave him a slight setback, and it was deemed unwise to undertake the long journey until he had fully re-Toronto, March 28.-Captain J. M. covered. His relapse has not been

### SECOND-CLASS MATTER

Canadian and United States Postal Authorities Endeavor to Adjust,

resenting the Ontario Medical Association that the Control of the tives of the latter country were in conference today with Postmaster- called after the body of Stahl was The Alliance is proceeding according-Toronto, March 28.-An aggregate General Mayer, Second Assistant found. of \$1,150 in fines was collected in Postmaster-General Shallonberger and country. The people of Colton were ham, president of the association; Dr. to the frequency of the violations of of their desire to withdraw from the postal convention with this country, But May Not Be Clear of Ice as Early a Hundreds hurried to the scene, and McKinnon, Guelph, and Dr. W. J. Gib-additional license officers will be sent with respect to second-class matter,

### A NEW PROVINCIAL BUREAU

it is reported there that Amalapa, Creation of Board of Health Will Be Urged Upon Premier Whitney.

representing the Ontario Medical Association this afternoon. This step Lyons, this state, and were engaged to has been more than once urged by medical men and others, but the Gov-Canada, where he has since resided. ernment, though they had considered Recently he returned to South Lyons it, are not, apparently, convinced of on a visit. When he looked up his old the necessity for the step.

### THE WEATHER. TODAY-UNSETTLED.

Showers have been general in Quebec

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay-Unsettled and showery.

## THE HOLIDAY IN LONDON

The holiday will be quietly observed in London. Many citizens have already

to spend the day with relatives and friends in outside places, but equally

The theaters will be open afternoon

contagious diseases reported is 93 a big shoot at the club grounds. Rich-

# PREMIER STATES

With Clear Knowledge of Our Viewpoint.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, March 28 .- Sir Wilfrid Laurier According to the story told the police, met Mr. Bryce this evening at Government it as his candid opinion that the tele- charges are avoided. Garratt came home the worse of liquor. House, when they had a long talk over out-His wife keeps boarders, and it is said standing matters between the United he resents this at all times, but last States and Canada. Although the trade Hospital was quickly filled to its ca- L. Mason, head of the Flying Rollers' according to estimates made public wife who finally estimated to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to estimates made public wife who finally estimated to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to estimates made public wife who finally estimated to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to estimate made public wife who finally estimated to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to estimate made public wife who finally estimated to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to estimate made public wife who finally estimated to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to estimate made public wife who finally estimated to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to estimate made public wife who finally estimated to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to estimate made public wife who finally estimated to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to estimate made public with the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute converging to the field four years ago, the rate for a five-minute convergi pacity. Many were then taken to the colony of Detroit and Windsor, Ont., by the director of the census was 4,- him from the house. there are a variety of irritating subjects to Some businessmen called on stated was 85 cents. Now the Bell people that the Bell service, since the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service, since the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service, since the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service, since the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service is a state of the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service is a state of the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service is a state of the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service is a state of the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service is a state of the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service is a state of the indecharge 49 cents for a three-minute both Canada and the United States which that the Bell service is a state of the indecharge and the indecharge is a state of the indecharge is a said, to be none other than the nosaid, to be none other than the notorious Anne O'Delia Dis De Barr. Also it has been learned that she was known in England as Editha Loleta was 8,226,990. In 1900 it was officially gave the alarm, and P. C. Probyn tlement of that difficulty would be a great dealt soon arrived on the scene. Garratt boon. The desire of Canada was that all claimed that while they had believed you want does not happen to be in, or

Mr. Bryce will be fully charged with the MR. HYMAN AT LOS ANGELES Canadian viewpoint on all such subjects,

so that when he returns to Washington he will be able to put the Dominion's case in its proper form before the British Government. Sir Wilfrid had dinner along with phone bill almost in half. Mr. Bryce at Government House tonight. It was a private affair, and purposely arranged by Lord Grey, so that the Premier and the British ambassador might

John, N. B., on April 5.

Captain of the Boston Americans Ends His Life at West Baden.

CHICK STAHL A SUICIDE

Washington, March 28.-With a view cause is known. Stahl was captain of bert Moore, field secretary of the Do-

### THE ST. LAWRENCE RISING

Last Spring.

St. Lawrence River in the vicinity of Montreal today commenced to show heavy rainfall. The water began to Hon Yost, an Oneida Indian, who has rise today, but it is as yet going up been on trial at Morrisville upon the bright and cheerful they not

a department of health as a branch be clear of ice as early as last spring Jacobs went to the house of Hon Yost of the Government will be urged upon on account of the backwardness of the and insulted Mrs. Yost, who was ill in Court Justice Fitzgerald to inquire in-Premier Whitney and other members season. There is still abundance of bed. Yost followed Jacobs into a of the Government by a deputation, snow in the country, and many of yard and killed him. There has been Harry K. Thaw, held its first published Montreal's side streets are almost im- a belief since the trial started that it passable to wheeled vehicles, the going was an unwritten law that caused the being only on streets where there are jury to find an acquittal. car lines.

### ROBBED OF \$75,000.

Winnipeg, March 28 .- Mr. C. Fisher, head of the Winnipeg great estate Bennetts Take Out Permit for Their firm of Fisher, Hamilton & Co., on Tuesday night lost or was robbed of \$75,000 worth of checks and securities which he had in a grip, while returning on a C. P. R. train from a business trip to British Columbia,

A HYPNOTIST IN TROUBLE.

plied for and obtained an order re-taken out. straining P. H. McEwen, a well-known The architect for the Hamilton the- will not be permitted to venture alone

# 'PHONE DEPUTATION IS BACK FROM BUFFALO INVESTIGATION

## gone, or will go on the morning trains Inquired Into the Bell and Independent Systems and Learned Much—One Effect of Competition.

council and the board of trade to Bufa population of 2,128,320, or 98 per and evening, and it is expected both falo to inquire into the dual phone plained that rates in London and Butsystem in use there, returned at 7:30 falo are altogether different, last evening on the G. T. R. It was composed of Chairman Beattle and Ald. Stevely of No. 1 committee; President Arthur W. White and Mr. Geo. H. Belton, of the board of trade. Ald Matthews, who was on the deputation, The McClary road race is also on the returned Wednesday night. With the sporting card, the event to start from party were also representatives of The Advertiser and the Free Press. It is hardly likely the civic deputation will have its report ready by

be Monday night, when the council meets. It is altogther probable that the report will not be ready for some days, as a mass of information was secured which must be compiled and con-

tation were a little cautious in regard and for \$210 a year he can have 6,000 to being quoted at this time, there does not appear to be any room to doubt that they were not impressed with the dual system. In Buffalo the head men of both companies were insale and retail, were consulted, and the man who has 300 or 400 calls a day? Latter Returns to Washington mayor of the city was asked for an expression of opinion.

### HIT THE INDEPENDENTS. System a Benefit.

phone is a natural monopoly; and that it should be controlled by the govern- been cut in two by the competition of ming the whole matter up, he said he the latter entered the field four years

of one, and that answering two wa double the work of attending to one. The Bell rates remain the same as before the independents secured a two phones scientifically, many mer-

Bell phone for incoming calls and the.

The deputation sent by the city independent phones for outgoing calls. To understand this, it should be ex-

### NO FLAT RATE THERE. Measured System Governs All Ball

'Phone Business in Buffalo. In London a business man is given a flat rate of \$45 a year for an unlimited phone. In Buffalo there is no such thing as a flat rate. The meas-

ured system governs all the Bell's bus-\$60 a year for a phone over which ha may have 1,200 outgoing calls per annum. For all over that number he compelled to pay 5 cents a call. For \$64 a year he can have 1,300 calls

cents a call. In arguing in favor of. this system the Bell people ask, "Why should the small businessman, with only 10 or 15 calls a day, be compelled to pay as much for his phone as the To keep down the Bell bill the bus!ness houses which have independent

phones-and they all have struct their office staffs to use such phones for calling up people. If the Mayor of Buffalo Does Not Think Dual party wanted hasn't an independent phone, then the Bell phone is used. In this way the number of Bell calls is The hardest blow the independents kept down to the number specified for, received was from the latter. He gave so much money, and the costly extra Long distance rates have, however.

ment or by the city, if possible. Sum- the independents. For example, before vastly improved, and they found the dependent rate is 35 cents. The Bell businessmen, that city. Consequently, if the person

> RESULT OF COMPETITION. Brought Immense Improvement in Ser-

vice of the Bell Company. It was conceded by all people seen brought them down, though by using by the deputation that competition has immensely improved the telephone serchants have been able to cut their vice given by the Bell people in Buffalo, and here it may be stated that It

## ALLIANCE TO WAR ON RAILWAYS

men Are Working Seven Days a Week.

West Baden, Ind., March 28.-Chas. Toronto, March 28.-Preparations are S. Stahl, known in baseball circles as being made to launch a strong cam-"Chick" Stahl, committed suicide to-day in his room at the West Baden ly. Mr. Moore claims 100,000 men in the employ of the Canadian railways are at present working seven days a

### UNDER UNWRITTEN LAW

Montreal, March 28.—The ice in the Indian Who Killed Wife's Insulter Was Acquitted of Murder.

charge of murdering Elias Jacobs last bright and cheerful, they said, and Toronto, March 28.—The creation of It is not expected that the river will May, was today acquitted by the jury.

### NEW HAMILTON THEATER

\$60,000 House.

prises, Limited, meant business when ly for the court's information. it announced a month ago that it would have a house in operation in Winnipeg, March 28.—J. W. Phillip- Hamilton next fall, is borne out by the two months ago, say young Mrs. Thaw winnipeg, March 28.—J. W. Finnip- Hamilton next tan, it was months ago, say young Mrs. Thaw son, as gilardian of his brother, G. E. announcement that the permit for the is about to break down. It was said

hypnotist, who is now giving exhibi- ater is Mr. E. C. Horn, of New York. from her hotel. tions here from using the younger who also drew the plans for the Lon-Phillipson as an hypnotic subject at don house. The building will be of quire at least two weeks for the lunacy his performances. Phillipson claims brick, and will cost in the neighborthat McEwen has been so using his bro- hood of \$60,000. Work is to be com- together with all the other evidence it ther in spite of warnings not to do so, menced immediately, and the theater will require, and, therefore, the trial,) and that as a result the boy has been rushed to completion, so as to be if resumed at all, will not be reopened injured both morally and physically, ready for opening early in the fall. before the middle of April.

## This end is attained by using the is also conceded that the Buffalo com-Continued on Page Six. THAW FACES

Claims That 100,000 Railway- In First Session of Gommission Acts Rationally-Mrs. Thaw on Edge of Collapse.

LUNACY TEST

[Special to The Advertiser.]

When Thaw was called to the wita ness-chair he made a little speech to the commission. He said he wished to Springs Hotel by swallowing carbolic in connection with the enforcement of be enlightened as to just what the acid. He was dead when found. No the new Lord's Day act. Rev. T. Al- commission wanted from him. He was ready to give them whatever information they desired, all that he asked was

> In substance, Thaw's examination consisted chiefly as to what he meant by the letters and notes he sent to Mr. Delmas during the trial and the part he took in the selection of the

One thing was admitted by both sides after the conclusion of Thaw's examination for the day: His answers to all questions, taken by themselves, were rational. As to Thaw's mannerhis actions and expression-in making the answers, there was a difference of opinion. His lawyers said that they were perfectly satisfied with the way he conducted himself, and that he

New York, March 28 .- The commission in lunacy appointed by Supreme to the present mental condition of brought before the commission immediately and took a place facing the commissioners. He was accompanied by all of his counsel. District Attorney Jerome and Assistant District Attorney Garvan were present as pro-

vided by law. Chairman McClure said the commission would not consider the conflicting affidavits submitted to Justice Fitzgerald, as they were prepared solc-

Women members of the Thaw family who have been with her constantly since Thaw's trial began more than Phillipson, who is under age, has ap-erection of the building has been today that her condition is regarded as so grave that in the future she

According to one report it will re-

### moon at the bride's home. Both are Toronto, March 28-8 p.m. DULL IN WALL STREET. and the Maritime Provinces. Elsewhere, New York, March 28 .- Wall Street,

2 p.m.—Little business was transacted showers, the weather has been mostly hales of manila hemp, was burned to- were not essentially changed. The southwest States promises more rain in restricted demand. Speculative oper- Minimum and maximum temperatures: ations were on a smaller scale than Vancouver, 34-45; Victoria, 36-46; Edmon