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EIGHTH YEAR

THE WHITE RIVER HORROR

THIRTY-TWO MEN AND WOMEN ROASTED TO DEATH.

An Awful Occurrence in the Vermont Hills—A Railway Train Plunges into a Chasm and Falls into the River.

BORRTON, Feb. 5.—The Globe's White River Junction dispatch tells the following story of the frightful accident to the Vermont Hills—A Railway Train Plunges into a Chasm and Falls into the River.

The train for which this awful fate was in store is known as the Montreal express, and consists of the remains of two trains, one of which leaves New York at 4 p.m., and the other Boston at 7 p.m.

The first to go to the rescue of the passengers generally was Engineer Pierce and his fireman. By the time they reached the mangled wreckage the work was all done.

Thirty-Two Persons Known to Be Dead. WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Feb. 5.—Probably 8000 persons viewed the scene of the accident to-day. Seven or eight bodies were to-day identified by friends and many others.

The list of the killed, so far as learned, is as follows: EDWARD BANGS, brakeman of West Lee, Springfield, Mass., was about 35 years of age and leaves a wife and four children.

These only of the killed were recovered from the wreck, but many others were buried in the snow. It is thought that at least twenty bodies are in the debris.

MONDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 7, 1897.

THE TALK OF WAR ABATING

THE SITUATION EXAGGERATED BY STOCK SPECULATORS.

Although there come assurances of peace from Paris, the French are still busy with their military works on the frontier.

A marked instance of this attitude of affairs is the fact that although the French allow the denial to be semi-officially made that any reinforcement of troops is going to the frontier, they are actually sending to the east coast troops filled with troops against the regular service eastward has been somewhat disturbed and even very seriously damaged during the past week.

Reserves to Join their Corps. BREILS, Feb. 5.—Although the decree calling out the reserves mentions twelve days' drill, an Alsace soldier says that the reserves are actually ordered to join their corps on Monday night.

Paris, Feb. 5.—A dispatch from Vienna to the Temps says: "Prince Bismarck has decided to adopt an aggressive policy in the East, whether sooner or later she must come into collision with Russia. Prince Bismarck has achieved during his life great success. He has made his name as a statesman, a diplomat, a politician and a man of letters."

UNITED STATES NEWS. Gov. McMillan has refused to call on the President. The Texas Senate has passed the bill to amend the act relating to the election of the President.

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SEARCHING FOR THE DESPERADOES

Efforts to Capture the Thieves Who Shot the Railroad Bosses.

Efforts to capture the thieves who shot the railroad bosses are being made by the officials of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Companies.

His Friends Deny That He is Permanently Impaired. NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Rumors regarding Mr. McGlynn's health are being denied by his friends.

Hamilton Apprehended. A young man stabbed during a drunken brawl in Hamilton, N.Y., was apprehended by the police.

Loquacious Victim. A wealthy citizen of this place was garroted and robbed at 8.30 last night within half a block of the City Hall.

French Merchants of Montreal Form a Chamber of Commerce. The French merchants of Montreal have formed a chamber of commerce.

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HOME RULE FOR SCOTLAND

SIR GEORGE CAMPBELL'S AMENDMENT TO THE HOME RULE BILL.

A majority of the Scottish Liberal Members will support Sir George Campbell's amendment to the Home Rule Bill.

Managers of the Home Rule Conference. The managers of the Home Rule Conference are holding a meeting in London.

Former Faculty Members Make a Report. The former faculty members of the University of Toronto have made a report.

Provincial Appointments. The provincial appointments for the month of February have been made.

Police Stations Quiet. The police stations are quiet today, with only a few minor incidents.

Terminations at the Carnival. The carnival is drawing to a close, and many of the participants are returning home.

THE JUDGES WILL MOVE

Provided the City Bears a Share of the Cost of the New Rooms.

The County Council has decided to move the judges to new rooms, provided the city bears a share of the cost.

Steel Wire Made in Use in All our Public Buildings. The city council has decided to use steel wire in all public buildings.

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PRICE ONE CENT

THE MONTREAL CARNIVAL

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL WILL FORMALLY OPEN IT TO-DAY.

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