

THE TWENTY THIRD VICTIM OF WRECK DIED THIS MORNING

Rosa McBride, One of the Worst of the Injured Died at the Good Samaritan Hospital at 8 O'clock This Morning. Three Others Are Expected to Die.

Nine of the Injured Brought Here Will Be Discharged This Afternoon. Only One or Two Limbs Have Been Amputated. Thirty in Hospital.

Charlotte News, 24th.

The twenty-third victim of the horrible wreck on the Seaboard Air Line near Hamlet Sunday evening, died at the Good Samaritan Hospital this morning at 8 o'clock.

The unfortunate one was Rosa McBride, a well known woman of Hamlet. She was one of the occupants of the Jim Crow car which was smashed to pieces and in which 21 negroes were killed.

All day yesterday the life of this poor unfortunate was hanging by a brittle thread, and it was expected at any moment that death would relieve her of her sufferings. She sustained several fractures of the arms and legs, her right eye was entirely displaced and her head and body were torn and gashed in number of places. In fact, it seems hardly possible that she could have survived the awful catastrophe for any length of time.

The body has been prepared for burial and will be slipped on the afternoon train to relatives in Hamlet. Of the remaining 41 injured, now in the Good Samaritan Hospital, Dr. H. M. Wilder, informs The News this afternoon that nine will be discharged today and will be allowed to return to their respective homes.

Of the 31 that will remain in the Good Samaritan Hospital three sustained injuries that will probably result fatally. Two of these are very severely wounded and little or no hope is entertained for their recovery. Everything possible is being done for the comfort and these poor unfortunates, and the hospital authorities as well as the physicians desire commendation for the great work in their interests.

The physicians who administered to the relief of the negroes here were: Drs. F. M. Winchester, B. J. Witherspoon, Thos. H. Wright, C. S. McLaughlin, C. M. Strong and H. M. Wilder, the latter the very efficient surgeon of the Seaboard Air Line here.

Every one of these well known physicians did valiant service yesterday and last night and their splendid work is deserving of special mention. The Seaboard could not have possibly gotten together a more efficient corps of physicians to attend to their wounded.

POLICY HOLDERS MEET.

Call issued to Policy Holders of Mutual and New York Life.

Raleigh, July 24.—Insurance Commissioner Young issues a call for a conference of the policy holders in the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York and the New York Life Insurance Company, residing in North Carolina to be held in Raleigh Sept. 12, for considering a plan of action in the ensuing election of directors, Dec. 15th.

He says the propriety of selecting a committee to represent North Carolina policy holders at the meeting in New York will be considered at the Raleigh meeting.

JOE GANS GOT DECISION.

Was Given Decision Over Dave Holly in Twenty-Round Bout.

Seattle, Wn., July 24.—Joe Gans was given the decision over Dave Holly at Pleasant Beach last night after an interesting battle that went the limit, twenty rounds. Holly weighed repeatedly and used his opponent groggy in the last round, but could not put him down. Gans had absolutely no chance to show his science in clean fighting, but was forced throughout to fight a battle at which Holly is best.

Ferdinand Von-Saar Dead.

Vienna, July 24.—Ferdinand Von-Saar, author and member of the Upper House of the Austrian Reichsrath, who shot himself yesterday, died. He suffered from nervous prostration.

Stork failed to Light.

The Hague, July 24.—Queen Wilhelmina was taken ill last night. Premature delivery followed, casting a gloom throughout the home. It is announced that the expectation of an heir to the throne at this time is not realized.

New York, July 24.—At the meeting of the board of directors of the Norfolk and Western W. H. Barnes, director of the Pennsylvania Railroad and John B. Thayer, vice-president, of that company, resigned as directors. Henry C. Frick and L. C. Weir were elected to fill the vacancies.

BURGLARY IN DURHAM.

Home of Mr. Allen Entered Saturday Night—Farmers' Institute.

Durham, July 24.—The home of Mr. J. W. Allen, engineer on the Seaboard passenger train was robbed Saturday night. A thief gained entrance to the house by breaking one of the blinds, then from the opposite side of the house he crossed the hall and entered the room where Mr. Allen was sleeping, and rifling his pockets, he made his escape with a watch, a purse of money and valuable papers. Some of the papers were found several blocks from the home in the woods yesterday. Mr. Allen's home is in the suburbs of the city.

The Durham county farmers' institute will be held August 5th, and is expected to be in session several days. The organization is composed of two parts, one for women and the other for men; both will meet on the same date. The farmers are very enthusiastic over the institution, and the business matters to come before the body will be very interesting. Mr. P. H. Massey has been announced speaker for the occasion.

NEGRO AND WHITE GIRL

Black Brute Now in Jail Who Would Have Married White Girl.

Louisville, Ky., July 24.—Henry Clayer, the negro arrested yesterday in Chicago where he was about to marry a white girl with whom he had eloped from Irvington, Ky., was placed in the county jail here for safe keeping. Word was received by the police here that a mob was forming at Irvington to lynch Clayer.

QUARANTINE REGULATIONS

Governor Asked to Regulate Quarantine Rules.

Richmond, Va., July 24.—W. B. Livezey and A. C. Garrett of the Newport News Chamber of Commerce called on the Governor in connection with quarantine regulations at Old Point. The State has the station at Newport News and the shipping interests complain of double delay and seek to revise the regulations.

Two Members Arrested.

Viborg, July 24.—Members of the outlawed Russian Parliament received word that two of their number, Father Doyarkoff, and Varonezh and Cossack Deputy M. Kharlamoff had been arrested.

Father Doyarkoff and Kharlamoff distinguished themselves by preaching revolution from the rostrum of Parliament, the latter being especially bitter in his denunciation of the use of his people in massacring their Russian brethren.

MASSACRE OF JEWS BEGINS IN RUSSIA

A Dispatch From Odessa tells of Beginning of Anti-Jewish Outbreaks. Number Killed and Injured. Work of Plunder Commences.

London, July 24.—(Dispatch to Renter Telegraph Company from Odessa.) The anti-Jewish outbreaks have commenced. A number of persons are either killed or wounded.

Cossacks and rowdies are plundering the deserted Jewish houses and shops.

On Srednaia street three Jews were killed and three wounded, in an attempt to defend their property, while the police looked on.

Another bloody conflict is reported in Stepoval street. The whole city is in a state of panic. Many inhabitants are fleeing. Black hundreds are distributing blood thirsty proclamations in the streets.

DEADLY EXPLOSION AT DURHAM.

One Man Killed And Another Injured—Gas Tank Explodes.

Durham, July 24.—This afternoon about 2:30 o'clock the gas in one of the large Standard Oil tanks exploded and killed one man and seriously injured one.

The man killed is Mr. Webb Holloway, who was on the top of the tank doing some repair work. Mr. Holloway whose clothes were saturated with oil, caught fire and burned them entirely from his body and he also was fearfully burned. He died in about twenty minutes after the accident.

Another man that was on the tank was slightly injured. A negro who was on the inside was also badly burned and cannot live.

The cause of the explosion is not known.

THREE COMPANIES CHARTERED.

Charters Granted Three New Corporations Today.

Raleigh, July 24.—Charters were granted to three new corporations respectively at Tarboro, Burgaw and Winston-Salem. The Tarboro Independent Fire Insurance Agency (inc.) at a capital of \$2,500 by J. W. Forbes, R. R. Peters and others; the Palmer-King Lumber Company of Burgaw, at a capital of \$25,000 authorized and \$6,000 subscribed by R. A. Palmer, W. K. King and others, of New Bern, and to the Twin City Realty Co. of Winston-Salem, at a capital of \$7,500 by A. G. Atkin and others, all colored.

CHARGED WITH MURDER

Ex-Sheriff Jones Charged With Murdering a Negro—Drewery's Majority.

Raleigh, July 24.—A warrant has been sworn out against ex-Sheriff Ham Jones of this county charging him with the murder of a negro man in Wake Forest township. Mr. Jones is expected home tomorrow to submit and have a preliminary trial. The shooting was on July 3, and the negro died about a week ago. Jones will claim that the shooting was entirely accidental and it is claimed that a statement from the negro shot will be produced to the effect that he believed the shooting to be accidental. The warrant was sworn out before a magistrate in a remote part of the county and the details are not known here yet. Ham Jones is a man of high character. He is a republican.

With all the returns from the Wake county Democratic primaries except one precinct in a remote part of the county the majority received by Jno. C. Drewry over Percy J. Olive for the state senate is 1,374. The ticket for the lower house is Chas. U. Harris, Millard Mail and W. C. Douglass. J. H. Sears present sheriff is renominated by 483 votes more than his three opponents received.

CHARLOTTE LADY LANDS TURTLE

The Exciting Experience of Miss Mabel Trotter at Wrightsville Beach.

Wilmington, July 24.—Saturday night about 10 o'clock while Miss Mabel Trotter of Charlotte and Mr. Jas. S. Hooper were on their way from Lumbina to the Atlantic Yacht Club, Mr. Hooper detected some disturbance of the sand along the beach, and remarked he believed it was the tracks of a monster sea turtle, and sure enough just before reaching the Atlantic Club, he and Miss Trotter discovered the "old lady monster" of the deep peacefully lying up on the beach. She had just finished laying her eggs and was placing the sand down so as not to be disturbed by the rolling surf.

Mr. Hooper left Miss Trotter in charge while he ran to the club for assistance. He secured the help of four men, and with poles, they managed after a hard struggle to turn the turtle over on her back, when they then knew that she was safe from moving. They got a strong rope and tied her by the hind legs, and pulled her up to the club house, and tied her to a post.

The next morning a search was made for the eggs and discovered 128 perfectly round white eggs, about the size of an average hen egg. This species of turtle lays its eggs in the sand on the beach at night, and they are hatched out by the heat of the sun. Hundreds of visitors to the beach observed this sea monster with interest and curiosity, and there were many pictures taken.

A turtle of this size is estimated to be worth about \$10, as it is considered quite a delicacy. It was sold to the popular Seashore Hotel, and no doubt many of the Charlotte folks had the opportunity of eating turtle steak and soup.

A SEARCHING INVESTIGATION

Members of the Corporation Commission Return to Raleigh.

Hamlet, July 24.—The members of the Corporation Commission visited the scene of the wreck on the Seaboard Air Line yesterday afternoon and this morning and left Hamlet this noon for Raleigh.

Before leaving here the members of the commission gave nothing at all to their forthcoming report regarding the wreck or the cause thereof.

It is known that the investigation by the Commission will be searching and that every detail incident to the terrible catastrophe will be gone into at length.

Most all of the wreckage has been cleared away and the track is no longer blocked. The dead bodies are being shipped from Rockingham to the different homes.

Have Not Reached Raleigh

Raleigh, July 24.—Members of the Corporation Commission are not expected back from the scene of the wreck until tomorrow morning. They will spend today in investigating further the cause of the wreck. They were expected at 11:45 o'clock today but they did not come.

THAW'S THREE VISITORS.

Is Visited by His Mother, Sister and Wife—His Wife Says She is Not Seeking Divorce.

New York, July 24.—Harry Thaw's mother, his sister, Mrs. Carnegie, and his wife paid another visit to the "Tomb." The three women were together some time before going to Thaw's cell. In reply to the question whether she will be a witness at the trial, Harry's wife said, "You will have to ask Mr. Hartridge about that."

Asked if it is true that she is seeking a divorce from him, Mrs. Thaw replied, "That story is perfectly absurd. It is cruel, there is absolutely nothing to it."

COUPLE SUICIDED

Because of Quarrel Young Man and His Sweetheart Suicided.

Marion, Ohio, July 24.—O. G. Johnston, aged 24, was found dead. Ten days ago Johnston quarrelled with his sweetheart, Cora White, as the result of which the girl committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. Johnston also took carbolic acid, and to make sure turned on the gas.

A woman always thinks she is better than other women, and a man thinks he is not worse than other men.

BRYAN AMENDMENT TO ARBITRATION TREATY ADOPTED

Mr. Bryan's Amendment to Arbitration Treaty Discussed by Council of Inter-Parliamentary Union and Adopted. What the Amendment Provides.

Mr. Bryan Said if the Hand of War Could be Stayed Until Conscience Was Awakened War Would Become Remote. A Step Toward Peace.

London, July 24.—Mr. Bryan's proposed rider to the model arbitration treaty was discussed by the international council of the Inter-Parliamentary Union and being agreed, as follows was adopted:

"If a disagreement should arise which is not included in those to be submitted to arbitration the contracting parties shall not resort to any act of hostilities before they separately or jointly invite, as the case may necessitate, the formation of an international commission of inquiry or mediation of one or more friendly powers, this requisition to take place if necessary in accordance with article VIII of the Hague Convention providing for the peaceful settlement of international conflicts."

Mr. Bryan said his amendment was aimed at widening the scope of arbitration so as to include the questions of national honor, the chance being a hundred to one that the proposed investigation of facts would also settle any question of national honor.

If the hand of war could be stayed until the conscience were awakened, wars would become more remote. The amendment therefore was a long step in the direction of peace.

WORK OF EXHUMING BODIES CONTINUES

Work of Exhuming Bodies From Collapsed Amsden Building Went on Ylt night. So Far Ten Are Known to be Dead. Number Missing.

South Framingham, Mass., July 24.—Under the light of arc lamps the work of exhuming bodies of the victims of the collapsed Amsden building went on unceasingly throughout the night, but brought no increase to the list of ten dead and four missing, accounting for the 24 who were about the building when the support gave way and sent tons of cement, iron columns and steel beams crashing in a mangled mass into the basement.

STATISTICIANS MEET

The 22nd Annual Convention of the Labor Bureaus Statisticians.

Boston, July 24.—The labor bureau of statisticians headed by Charles P. Nell, chief of the Bureau of Labor statistics assembled for its 22nd annual convention. Governor Guild, in the address of welcome, said:

"Steady improvement in communication and transportation is making it more and more imperative that the legislation affecting industry should be uniform throughout the country. Healthy competition between New York and Georgia is impossible as long as textiles spun and woven by adults in the North are forced to compete with the textiles spun and woven by little children in the South."

Great Loss From Fire.

Marselles, July 24.—The extensive warehouse of the Franco-American Oil Company was burned. Six persons were injured. The loss is heavy.

YESTERDAY'S LIST OF THE DROWNED

In Chicago and vicinity Six Persons Were Yesterday Drowned in Different Lakes and Rivers. The Details of Each Case Given.

Chicago, July 24.—Six lives constantly tuted total paid yesterday by Chicago and vicinity to lakes and rivers. Two boys were drowned while swimming. One lost his life in an effort to get a water lily.

A man fell from bridge while fishing. The fifth victim died from injuries suffered by striking a timber while driving. The sixth fell into the river while running to catch a ball in a baseball game.

CHAOS REIGNS SUPREME

Russian Empire in State of Great Pandemonium — Much Bloodshed and Ruin.

St. Petersburg, July 24.—The way has been prepared for a military dictatorship by the proposition now under consideration at Peterhof to create an advisory council to assist the Emperor.

State of Pandemonium. All the old bureaucratic machinery of suppression has been placed in operation to prevent an explosion. Domestic searches continue in all quarters of the capitol, prisons are already filling. An old, blind system of attempting to conceal from the people what is happening has been adopted. The censorship of the press has been re-established with vigor unknown since the days of the late Interior Minister, Von Plehve, accompanied by the wholesale confiscation of newspapers. No word of the proceedings of the members of parliament at Viborg or of the address adopted has been permitted to be published. Telegrams from the provinces, telling of the universal indignation aroused by dissolution and even those from abroad outlining public opinion in the foreign countries has been emasculated or suppressed.

The most serious immediate problem confronting the government is what to do with the members of the outlawed parliament. Proclamations announcing that the death sentence will be imposed on the Emperor, General Trepoff, M. Pobledonosteff, who was Procurator General of the Holy Synod; General Orloff, the "pacifist" of the Baltic provinces, and others have been scattered over part of Peterhoff. Terrorists are said to have succeeded in causing copies of the sentence put on the doors of General Orloff's and General Trepoff's quarters.

Demonstrations Averted.

The bulk of the members of the outlawed Douma, who held a meeting at Viborg yesterday, and issued an address to the people, arrived from Viborg. A popular demonstration was prevented but the members were not arrested.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Young Man of Durham Killed at Ball Game—Primary Next Friday.

Durham, July 24.—Late Saturday afternoon Mr. John Redmond, age twenty-one years, was instantly killed by lightning, while sitting under a tree awaiting his term at bat in a baseball game. At first it was thought he was shot by those that were near him, but on investigation it was found that he had been killed by lightning, there being several black bruises on his body, and his clothing badly torn. Several others that were sitting under the tree were severely shocked. Mr. Redmond was a married man and is survived by a wife and five sisters. The home of the young man is in West Durham, where the remains were buried yesterday.

Next Friday the Democratic primaries will be held in this county, and taking a view from the number of candidates it will be an exciting political struggle. There has been some hard work for the past few months by the candidates and much interest will be taken in the outcome. Joint debates, beginning with today are being held in all sections of the city and will be in force the last day. Five different men are running for the treasurer's office, and everything points to a general battle.

Mr. Geo. L. Lyon, has returned from Canada, where he has been one of the contestants for the Glendon Trophy. Mr. Lyon had to give up the race on account of his health, before the party reached their destination.

June Sanders, a negro, who has been wanted in this city several months on the charge of shooting and badly wounding another negro, has been arrested in Wilson and brought to Durham. Sanders will stand trial at the August term of court on a severe charge.

HEAVY STORM.

Anson County Visited By Heavy Storm—Wadesboro People in Wreck.

Wadesboro, July 24.—Gertrude Allen and Walter Boggan, colored, of this town were victims in the late railroad disaster between Hamlet and Rockingham.

A storm of almost cyclonic force, passed over Guilford township yesterday. Great damage to the growing crops is reported by a party who came home after the storm.

Mr. Charles Tyson, son of Samuel Tyson, of Ansonville township, died of typhoid fever Saturday night. A young man of great promise has passed away.

Through the generosity of our citizens, the loss of Miss Mary Fannie Gaddy, sustained by the fire of Friday night, has been made good.

The Farmers' Institute, for women, will be organized in this place next Monday.

Rains continue in this section. Every day last week and up to the present writing, rains have visited this section. The year will go down into history as one of the wet years.

TO TRANSPORT LABORERS.

Fillipino Laborers to be Transported to Hawaii Plantations.

Manila, July 24.—The Philippine Commission has adopted a resolution favoring the scheme of the Hawaiian Planters' Association to transport Fillipino laborers and their families to Hawaii to work in sugar plantations.

Root, Honorary President.

Rio-De-Janeiro, July 24.—The International American Conference has elected Secretary Root, honorary President. The conference reconvenes July 26.

STATESVILLE DISTRICT CONFERENCE MEETING.

Was Well Attended—Delegates to Annual Conference—Personal and News Notes.

Statesville, July 24.—Statesville District Conference, which met at Stony Point church Thursday, was well attended and the meeting was a most profitable one. Quite a number of Statesville and Irredell people attended the meeting and some of them regard it as the best district conference, in many respects, they ever attended.

Dr. Weaver, the presiding elder, was present and presided. Among other things it was decided to hold four Sunday schools and four Epworth League conferences in the bounds of the conference during the year.

Delegates to the Annual Conference were elected as follows: L. H. Phillips, W. L. Hefner, M. W. White and D. Watt, Thompson.

The next District Conference will be held at Mt. Zion church.

Misses Victoria and Etta Piskler, of Jonesalem, Davie county, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Foard, on Elm street. They will return home tomorrow and Mr. and Mrs. Foard will accompany them to attend the Baptist Orphanage picnic there Thursday.

Mrs. Thrash, of Tarboro, is expected here tomorrow to visit Mrs. Lloyd Neely, on Elm street, for a week or ten days.

Mrs. Mary Mize is spending two weeks with relatives at Eupetisp Springs.

Mr. J. Chap Carter, of Greensboro, spent Sunday and yesterday with home folks.

Mr. Hugh Lowe, of Roseboro, Sampson county, is spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. M. R. Adams.

Mrs. W. H. Allison and children are expected to arrive this morning from a visit to Lilesville and Wadesboro.

Mr. Frank Clement has returned to his home in Mocksville after spending several days with Mr. Ben Cooper.

Mrs. D. P. Mechem and Miss Calla Mechem, of Raleigh, are visiting their son and brother, Mr. F. T. Mechem, at the State farm.

Mrs. Anna Holloman, of Winston-Salem, an aunt of Mr. Mechem, is also visiting him.

Mrs. Alice Wilson, of Charlotte, has returned from a week's stay in Wilmington and will spend the summer with Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Robbins.

Mr. William Tomlinson, of Guilford, Miss., son of the late Perry Tomlinson, of this county is visiting relatives here.

Miss Mary Moody, who has been visiting Miss Lucy Rice, went to Davidson Saturday to spend a week. From there she will go to her home in Charlotte.

Mr. William Poston, of Durham, is spending a week's vacation here with relatives.

Mrs. D. C. Turner has decided to return to her home near Mooresville and leaves for there today.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY NEAR STATESVILLE

John Feimster, a Negro, Holds Up Mr. Cicero Fulp at the Point of a Pistol. Took His Money, Watch and Coat. Was Later Captured.

Special To The News.

Statesville, July 24.—A highway robbery by John Feimster, colored, caused some excitement in the Lora neighborhood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Cicero Fulp was on his way home from Concord church, and was walking peacefully along the railroad track when John Feimster met him, and covering him with a pistol, demanded that he give up all the money he had. Mr. Fulp thereupon gave him all he had, fifteen cents, but the negro took Mr. Fulp's watch out of his pocket and the coat he had on and passed on. Mr. Fulp gave the alarm to the neighbors and with shot guns surrounded Feimster in a swamp nearby and captured him.

Feimster had caused considerable uneasiness before he held up Mr. Fulp. He went to Mr. Fulp's home and frightened Mars. Fulp by shooting at chickens and dogs. He was drunk and did no damage to the chickens, but a drunken condition made him the more dangerous.

After leaving Mr. Fulp's house he met some children in the road and drew his gun on them. They ran. He had shot out all his ammunition and the pistol was empty when he covered Mr. Fulp, but Mr. Fulp didn't happen to know it.

The Feimster negro is a bad man and dangerous. Some time ago he went into a fight at Logan colored church near Lora, and came out with his head badly beaten. He was brought here for treatment and finally recovered, though the physicians thought then there was no hope for him. He afterwards got into trouble here and it is said went to Texas. He had not been seen in this vicinity for some time until Sunday.

When arrested he had on his person a razor, a pistol, a banjo, two knives, a bottle of whiskey, two small flower vases and a pin tray, which it is thought he had stolen from some one's house. Mr. Fulp recovered his fifteen cents and knife.

John is in jail here and when court meets next week he will probably find a number of charges against him, all of which will keep him on the roads or in the penitentiary for some time.

SEVEN KILLED AND NUMBER INJURED RAILWAY WRECK

Seven Lives Were Lost, Seven Seriously Injured and Score or More Injured In Wreck of Fast Train on Great Northern Railway.

Locomotive on Emerging From Tunnel Plunged Over Embankment Into Waters of Diamond Lake. Still Far Under Water. Cause of Wreck.

By Associated Press.

Spokane, Wash., July 24.—At least seven lives were lost, seven seriously injured and a score of others sustained cuts and bruises in the wreck of the fast mail train on the Great Northern, near Camden, Washington, yesterday afternoon when the locomotive, mail, baggage and smoking cars left the rails on emerging from the tunnel and plunging over the embankment were submerged in the waters of Diamond Lake.

Spreading rails, probably, caused by sun kinks is given as the cause. Engineer Munson and Fireman Bell evidently stuck to their posts, and it is believed, too, that the locomotive is in from one to three hundred feet of water.

Two divers made a half dozen attempts to find the locomotive but were not successful.

BUTTS BOY OVER CLIFF.

Child Falls Into Water and is Saved From Drowning by a Nearby Clam Digger.

Orr's Island, Me., July 23.—Although having been butted in the small of the back three times, the last one sending him over a cliff, Milton Webber, four years old, of Orr's Island, was rescued from drowning.

Milton and his seven-year old brother were playing in a field where a ram an ewes have been loosed for some time. By three successive attacks the ram sent the smaller child over the bank into the water. The first charge sent the boy about five feet. The second one considerably further, and the third, the last, sending him beyond reach of the ram's horns.

Wesley, the elder brother, cried out for help and was heard by a man who was digging clams some distance away. The man rescued the child who by this time was unconscious. His left temple and side of his face were cut badly and bleeding profusely and his left eye was swollen and closed.

CALLED THE "DEVIL'S OWN."

Therefore French Catholics Sprinkle Holy Water Where Clemenceau Has Walked.

Paris, July 23.—Clemenceau, the French Minister of the Interior, has now inherited the unenviable reputation of Emil Combes, the former Premier, in this, that many of the populace consider him the "devil's own."

All this happened because in his speech in confutation of Jaures, Clemenceau made a comparison between the Socialist Chief and Jesus. Since then a campaign has been started among religiously inclined people all over France against Clemenceau, and just as it had happened to Combes there have been instances of people sprinkling with holy water the ground over which he had walked and of Catholics blessing themselves whenever they came across him.