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TERRIBLE DISASTER IN SCOTLAND.

At International Football Game Brings 70,000 People Together and Terrace Falls Killing 21 and Injuring 250.

Glasgow, April 5.—The struggle of the crowds gathered at the Lenox Park today witnessed the last international football contest between teams from England and Scotland caused the collapse of a portion of one of the spectator's terraces, resulting in the death of three persons and the injury of 125 others. When the game began 70,000 spectators were on the ground and an immense crowd had gathered outside. Being unable to obtain admittance the crowd broke down some of the bars and swarmed upon the field, where the police charged and drove the intruders back upon the terraces and seats. The railing dividing the crowds were broken and the people were thrown over each other. In the frantic struggle towards the exits the pressure toward the upper portion of the westerly structure was so great that a hundred feet of the highest part of the structure collapsed under the weight of the crowd driven upon, it precipitating the mass of people to the ground, 60 feet below. The injured were piled in heaps, wedged in with broken timbers.

A hundred of the most seriously injured were carried to the pavillion and to spaces in the rear of the stands. A majority the victims are suffering from broken ribs and fractured limbs while some sustained internal injuries. Few persons were thrown down and trampled upon in trying to escape from the crush when the police charged but most of the victims sustained their injuries in the fall of the terrace. Up to midnight five deaths had been reported as the results of the accident while in the cases of 20 victims all hope of recovery has been abandoned.

It is now believed that the collapse was caused more by the efforts of those nearest the first break than by the additional weight of those who rushed upon the stand from below. The terrace, although supported by iron girders, swayed and cracked ominously under the movements of its frantic occupants. The fallen portion is 100 feet long, 30 feet wide and contains 12 tiers of seats. The injured in many cases were lying five or six deep and it is marvelous that there were not more fatalities.

Nearly all the victims of the accident are men. Among the last to be taken from the debris were two women, both of whom were practically unhurt.

Later dispatches say that 21 are dead and 250 were injured.

THE VALUABLE NECKLACE FOUND.

Flagman on the Southern Had It in His Possession—It Was Missed March 23rd—Worth \$6,000.

The valuable Harriett S Blaine Beale necklace has been found. It was in the hands of a flagman of the Southern Railway resident in Charlotte. It is an ugly affair in which the flagman surely fell into temptation. He will not be prosecuted, however, as he delivered the jewels through a lawyer without a legal process. Ex-Chief Orr left Saturday night for Washington to deliver the necklace to the owner in person.

The detective work was largely done by the Mr. Orr and Garibaldi and Bruns, a jewelry firm, to whom the flagman had sold five of the jewels.

The man has a family and he narrowly escaped great humiliation for his wife.

Mrs. Beale is the daughter of the late James G Blaine. She was returning from Cuba in company with Miss Alice Roosevelt and on the morning of March 23 she missed the necklace when nearing Columbia.

Diligent search was made and she offered \$250.00 for its recovery.

It is said to be worth \$6,000.

Fisher-Blume.

Mr. Deberry Fisher and Miss Gertrude Blume were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W H Blume, on South Union street at 8 o'clock Saturday night by Rev. W H Hiller.

It was a very quiet wedding that neither allowed to interfere with business.

Mr. Fisher is in the employ of the Cannon & Fetzer Company and Mrs. Fisher has been a clerk in the post office for fifteen months where she has won many admiring friends by her uniform genial bearing and faithful service.

The happy couple has our best wishes for full measures of matrimonial bliss.

The Stone which the Builders Refused.

The man who was turned out of the United States Senate at the instigation of a long-haired set of Populists on the ground that he was the enemy of the farmer, turns out to be the greatest farmer in the whole country. Matt Ransom sold his last year's crop of cotton recently for \$50,000, while Butler, who posed as the farmer's friend, is doing exactly what he accused Ransom of doing—consorting with the money devil.—Greensboro Record.

These Are The Favorites.

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About Confederate Crosses.

We are authorized to announce that through the John Phifer Young Chapter Children of the Confederacy crosses of honor for 42 veterans have been secured to be bestowed on the 10th of May. This includes all who have made application up to the present except two dated February 22. Due effort will yet be made to get them and they have been sent in.

While the bestowal of these badges is the prerogative of the Daughters of the Confederacy, the Dodson Ramseur Chapter, having exhausted its treasury on other objects, the children again came to the rescue and got the necessary funds and they will again be authorized to pin them on the veterans on memorial day. It is a beautiful tribute that these dear young people bestow and we hope every one who has made application before this date and has not gotten the badge will be here on that day and will allow them personally to perform the cherished act of pinning them on.

Our Third Deep Well.

The machinery for the third artesian well has come and operations will begin at once. The location for the well has been changed from former calculations and the well will be located below the oil mill near the side track to the Odell mills.

It is probable that if the well there furnishes the expected quantity of water the water commission may conclude to move the power house to this point, where there will be no hauling of coal to do. In this case the water from the two wells already bored can be conveyed by pipes to the reservoir of the new well, from which all will be forced into standpipe.

It is desired to have a pressure to throw water 150 feet high in the business part of town, at least, and in quantity for as much as half a dozen hose.

Editor Deaton to Marry.

Mooreville, April 5.—Mr. H P Deaton, editor of The Mooreville Enterprise, will be united in marriage on next Tuesday evening at 6:45 o'clock, to Miss Blanche McNeeley, one of Mooreville's most popular young ladies. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Dr. J M Wharey, of the Presbyterian church. The young couple will take the 7:15 train for Charleston and other Southern cities.

No For Dallas.

It is very desirable that those who want births in sleeping car to the Dallas reunion report to me by Tuesday morning the 6th without fail that the same may be secured.

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