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MYSTERY OF SMITH'S DEATH.

Died Among Strangers, Refusing To Name Home Address.

Charleston, S. C., June 20.—An air of mystery has developed here over the identity of C. X. Smith, in charge of the American Steel and Wire company's exhibit at the exposition, who died suddenly Wednesday.

When it was seen that he was seriously ill friends of the young man asked him to give them the address of his parents in order that they might be notified of his condition. Smith declined to give this information. His friends urged him to talk, but he would not, and he died with his secret.

When telegrams were sent to the New York headquarters of the company the answer came that nothing was known in that establishment of Smith's family connection. He began work with the company at the Paris exposition and was put in charge of the entire display at Buffalo and Charleston.

The steel and wire company instructed the local representatives to spare no expense in the funeral, but Smith was buried among strangers with his secret untold.

TRAIN GOES THROUGH TRESTLE.

Fatal Accident on South Carolina and Georgia Railroad.

Shelby, N. C., June 20.—A portion of a mixed train on the South Carolina and Georgia extension railroad fell through an approach to the bridge over Broad river yesterday afternoon, killing one man and injuring over a dozen passengers.

The dead: LeRoy Grigg, Shelby.

The injured: Edward Turner, conductor, D. W. Phifer, trestle master, Riley Whisenand, a negro.

A dozen passengers, including two ladies, were also injured, but their names are not known.

About the time the rear coach was on the span just above the river Engineer Albert felt the trestle giving away, and opening the throttle, sent the train across the bridge, saving all of it except the rear coach and three box cars.

The coach fell precipitately 50 feet on the brink of the river, swollen by the recent rains, and was caught by the stone pier supporting the bridge, which saved the passengers from a watery grave.

PROPOSED NEW LINE.

Asheville and Rutherfordton Railroad to Be Built.

Asheville, N. C., June 20.—The Asheville and Rutherfordton railway will be built and active work on the proposed line will begin at once. The road will be built by George T. Canis, of New York. The contract was signed today. Work on the proposed line will begin at the Rutherfordton end.

The contract gives Mr. Canis about four years' time in which to complete the road. The line, however, will be completed in perhaps half this time. The exact location of the line has as yet not been determined. The road will run via Fairview and will enter Asheville from the southern part of the city. The length of the road from Asheville to Rutherfordton is 40 miles. From Asheville the road will extend to Tennessee.

It is not known who Mr. Canis' backers are in the movement, but it is generally believed that it is the Seaboard.

May Hang After 20 Years' Freedom.

Raleigh, June 21.—Twenty years ago Dan Gould, a negro, was sentenced to be hanged in this state, but a short while before the day appointed for the execution he broke jail and made his escape. This was in 1882 and nothing had ever been heard from him until this week, when a negro supposed to be this condemned murderer was arrested in Georgetown, S. C., and will be brought to Wadesboro. If this negro proves to be Gould then the governor will only have to fix another date for the execution, 20 years having intervened.

Sam Jones After Moonshiners.

Raleigh, June 21.—Wilkes county has for many years been notoriously the worst county in North Carolina for moonshining. Rev. Sam Jones is making a campaign there and the claim is made that he has induced almost all the distillers to give up their business.

Memorial Library Completed.

Durham, N. C., June 24.—The new memorial library at Trinity college at this place is completed. It is declared to be the handsomest building in the state. The cost is \$50,000. It is a gift from the Duke family.

Gaynor and Greene Remanded.

Quebec, June 21.—Judge Andrews today discharged the motion for contempt against Detective Carpenter and has remanded Messrs. Gaynor and Greene to Montreal in charge of the jailer of that city.

Shot Woman and Suicided.

Valley City, N. D., June 20.—Jennie Daley was shot and killed by William Bennett, her partner in a restaurant, who then committed suicide. The affair was the result of a violent quarrel.

Edwards Killed by Wright.

Abbeville, S. C., June 21.—Jesse Edwards was killed near Calhoun mills, in this county, by Manuel Wright in a difficulty about a cow injuring the crop. Both are negroes. Wright has surrendered.

NICARAGUA BEATEN; PANAMA ROUTE WINS.

Senate Chooses Latter by Majority of 8 Votes.

SPOONER AMENDMENT ADOPTED.

Measure as Passed Authorizes Purchase of Panama Company's Property, Rights and Concessions if Clear Title to Same Can Be Obtained.

Washington, June 20.—Panama has won. By a majority of eight votes the senate has adopted the Spooner amendment over the house bill, which favored the Nicaragua route. After this amendment had been adopted the senate passed the Panama canal bill by a vote of 42 to 34.

The Spooner amendment, as amended and adopted by the senate, provides that the president through the law officers of the government, shall determine whether a clear title can be obtained of the Panama companies' property, rights and concessions. If he shall be satisfied that such title can be obtained, he shall purchase the property, rights and concessions for \$40,000,000. If, in his opinion, a clear title cannot be obtained, he shall proceed to construct an isthmian canal by the Nicaragua route.

The bill provides that a commission of seven shall be appointed by the president to supervise the work and to make arrangements for the details of it. It also provides that gold bonds in the sum of \$130,000,000, 2 per cent interest, shall be issued to raise money with which to construct the canal.

COST OF WAR IN PHILIPPINES.

According to Root, It Has Cost \$170,326,586.

Washington, June 20.—Secretary Root has made answer to the senate resolution of April 17 calling for information as to the cost of the war in the Philippines.

Reports from the various bureau officers are submitted to show the cost of the Philippine war, including outstanding obligations, showing that the total up to date is \$170,326,586.

Secretary Root remarks: "The present scale of expense in the Philippines is, of course, greatly reduced because of the continuous reduction of the army made possible by the restoration of peaceful conditions. Thus in the middle of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901, there were about 70,000 American soldiers in the islands. That number is now reduced to about 23,000. Orders have now been issued of the Eighth, Fifteenth, Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth infantry and a squadron of the Tenth cavalry, and when these orders have been executed the number of American troops in the Philippines will have been reduced to 18,000."

GIRL'S CORPSE IN SLEEPER.

Grossome Find Made by Trainmen in Michigan.

Escanaba, Mich., June 20.—At an early hour the trainmen on the train which left here at 9 o'clock last night had a grossome find. The dead body of Bessie Mathewson, of the Soo, was placed in the berth of a sleeping car before the car left here last night.

The girl was from Sault Ste Marie and was on her way to Chicago to be treated for consumption. A traveling man who knew her was talking her from the Soo line to the Northwestern depot here on a street car. The girl grew worse and as he was carrying her to the coach she died in his arms. Not having time to attend to the arrangements, the man simply carried her into the train, put her in a berth and left her.

EXPLOSION SINKS CRUISER.

Chinese Vessel Goes Down With 150 Officers and Men.

London, June 23.—A dispatch to the Central News from Shanghai says that the Chinese cruiser Kai-Chi has been wrecked by a terrific explosion while lying in the Yangtze river.

The Kai-Chi sank in thirty seconds, and 150 officers and men on board were killed or drowned. Only two men on board the cruiser escaped death.

A Tremendous Pay Roll.

Birmingham, Ala., June 23.—Saturday was pay day at the Ensley steel plant, Pratt City, Brookdale, Coalburg, Blossburg and several other coal mines, and at a number of the smaller industries of the Birmingham district. It is said that between \$200,000 and \$300,000 were paid out in monthly and semi-monthly stipends to the workmen. No little of this money will find its way to the coffers of merchants in Birmingham.

Saw Mill Burned.

Hartselle, Ala., June 23.—L. J. Waldrop's saw mill, three miles west of town, was destroyed by fire. It is supposed to have caught from the furnace. This morning he could not give an estimate as to the loss. There was no insurance.

Got Verdict for One Cent.

Mobile, June 23.—The jury in the case of Mrs. M. K. Armitage, against Chief of Police C. W. Soost, returned a verdict for the plaintiff for 1 cent. She sued for \$5,000 damages for alleged false imprisonment.

TO HAVE NEW WATER COMPANY.

Birmingham to Have Competition in Water Supply.

Birmingham, Ala., June 21.—Articles of incorporation of the Birmingham and Suburban Water company have been filed in the office of the probate judge here. The capital stock is \$2,000,000. The incorporators are Robert R. Zell, of Birmingham; L. N. Pitcher, of Chicago; C. L. Furcy, of Chicago; B. M. Allen, of Birmingham, and Eugene F. Enslin, of Birmingham.

It is the purpose of the company to construct and operate a system of waterworks in and around Birmingham. The public has found fault for several years with the present water company's service and the project of the new company is to offer competition. The new undertaking is said to have strong backing and the projectors are said to have abundant encouragement from the water consumers of the city.

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