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NO FAVORS FOR THAW

To Be Treated Just Like Any Poor Man Now.

White Plains, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Sheriff Charles M. Lane returned to White Plains today from Saratoga, where he attended the Republican State convention, and he immediately issued orders that Harry K. Thaw, while in the White Plains jail shall be treated the same as any other prisoner. He decided not to allow any newspaper man to see Thaw and only relatives and his counsel will be admitted to his cell.

His relatives will be shown to his cell only on visiting days. His counsel, Charles Morschauser, of Poughkeepsie, will be admitted to see Thaw at any time. "For some time Thaw has been posing in the limelight, in fact, he has been made a hero," said Sheriff Lane. "He is now in my custody in the White Plains jail, and he will have to abide by the rules of that jail, the same as any other prisoner. There will be no more excursions unless the court directs that he be taken out of the jail."

THE MEN AT THE R. M. C.

Two Appointments to the Staff—One Is a Canadian.
Kingston, Ont., Sept. 22.—Captain Schine, Royal Marine, Light Infantry, is appointed professor of military survey, drill and gymnastics at the Royal Military College. Captain H. A. Kaulbach, of the Royal Lancaster Regiment, succeeds Major Lafferty as adjutant at the college. Both are from England. Kaulbach is a Halifax man, and a graduate of the Royal Military College.

WRECK ON THE ERIE

Local Freight in a Dense Fog Collides With Another Train.

Elmira, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Two men were killed, and two men were badly injured, in a freight wreck on the Erie Railroad, near West Junction, about six miles north of this city. A local freight train was proceeding under a yellow caution signal through a smoky fog, and crashed into the caboose of the freight train known as the "Addison run." Seated on a flat-car on the westbound train were four men, three bridge carpenters and a brakeman, William Casey and Matthew McInerney, bridge carpenters, of Elmira, were killed, and S. Bingham, a brakeman, of Oswego, was internally injured. George Slow, of Elmira, the foreman of the carpenters, was injured about the chest and shoulders. The injured men were removed to the hospital at this city. Both will probably recover.

An inquest will be held tomorrow. F. J. Reilly, Haysland, has invented a new explosive, called "redite," which, he claims, is four times as powerful as giant powder and a third greater than the kind of dynamite generally used.

8,000 AT STRATHROY FAIR SUCCESS OF SHOW IS ASSURED

Exhibits Are Splendid and Exhibitors Are Satisfied With Awards—Speed Events Excited Much Interest—Good Horses Took Part—Exhibition Closes Today.

[By Our Own Man.]
Strathroy, Sept. 22.—The Strathroy Agricultural Society's annual fair opened to the public today, with the largest crowd in its history, with one exception, that being several years ago when Sir Wilfrid Laurier opened the exhibition, with about 10,000 people. There were fully 8,000 present today, and the officials of the society are well pleased with the result of their work.

Trains entering the town from all directions brought their quota, and there is scarcely a family without visitors. Trains from London brought a very large number, and all the towns sent many delegates.

The day went off without a hitch, not an accident being reported. There was but one mishap, a small boy named Thomas having been taken seriously ill. A physician was called and attended him, and he recovered.

The Strathroy Band was in attendance and rendered an excellent programme before the grand stand in the afternoon. In the evening the same organization gave a splendid band concert.

Speed Events.
A first-class programme of speed events was run off in the afternoon, and the bait of \$500 succeeded in bringing many fine horses to the exhibition. The 2:50 class event was finished in three heats, all the horses maintaining their positions taken in the first. The result was as follows:

Cope	1	1	1
Red Bars	2	2	2
Delia K.	3	3	3
Minnie A.	4	4	4
La Netta	5	5	5

Time—2:27, 2:25, 2:27.
The 2:18 class event was finished in four heats, as follows:

Wilhelmina	1	1	1
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Madison G.	1	2	2
Bob Burns	3	3	3
Little Tim	4	4	4

Time—2:20, 2:21, 2:21½, 2:22½.
The spectators were very enthusiastic over the races and cheered the winners repeatedly. The judges were: Dr. McGillivuddy, of Watford, and "Doc" J. P. Whitehead, of Strathroy. Mr. Thomas Roach, of Watford, acted as starter. The timekeepers were Messrs. James Cox and J. W. Frangley.

Before the Stand.
A procession of single roadsters, span roadsters, span carriage, mare and gelding, and single carriage horses, was held before the grand stand between the heats. Mr. Robert Alexander acted as judge. Mr. Angus Graham, of Hyde Park, walked away with the first prize for span roadsters with a magnificent team.

Step rides were awarded as follows: Single Roadsters—1. P. H. McLaughlin, Angus Knight, 3. Hugh McLaughlin, Span roadsters—1. Angus Graham, 2. Art Denning, 3. Archie Ferguson.

The Exhibits.
The buildings were thronged throughout the day and evening. The tuberculosis exhibit placed by the Ontario Government has attracted many interested visitors. The latest methods of fighting the dread disease were exhibited and photos and models of hygienic homes and hospitals shown.

The judging has been completed and all are apparently satisfied with the treatment accorded them. The cattle building has the finest showing in years, and is continually crowded with visitors. Many handsome and breezy horses fill the horse sheds.

In the evening a band concert and moving picture show was given, and all were immensely pleased with it. The fair closes Wednesday afternoon at 4:30.

First G. T. P. Train Leaves Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Sept. 22.—The first Grand Trunk Pacific train left Winnipeg for the west this morning, sharp on time, at 8:30 o'clock, thus officially inaugurating a new railroad service, and almost a new era in the west.

There were a large number of railroad officials and other citizens gathered at the C. N. R. depot to see it off, and it made a fine appearance, as the conductor in charge, Frank Nidder, gave Engineer Culbertson the "highball." At the same moment the depot master broke a bottle of wine on the engine when the wheels began to turn.

No formality was omitted which, from ancient usage, would help to the successful inauguration of the service. At the same time, the various divisional points of the system, completing the service, Westbound trains left Winnipeg, Melville and Watrous, while the east-bound trains left Wainwright and Melville. This means that for the first time the service will be wholly a daylight one, though Pullman cars and diners are in order, which will be put into night service as soon as traffic conditions warrant such a step.

DEAD BY CARLOAD FROM PETERSBURG

Not Sufficient Gravediggers to Bury Victims of the Asiatic Cholera.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—Deaths from cholera continue at the hospitals and elsewhere unabated and the burial of the victims has added to the troubles of the officials. The dead are being interred at Preevrazenko, which is about an hour's distance on the railroad from St. Petersburg. A train of several coaches carrying the mourners and a dozen freight cars with the dead in coffin coffins goes daily to this place. The scenes are heartrending, and in about the chapel, where service is conducted uninterruptedly night and day.

The coffins are of crude workmanship, they are made of spruce and thickly coated with tar. The identification numbers of the patients are marked with white paint.

As coffin after coffin is brought to the chapel the women who have gathered there, singling out the numbers, betray frantic grief. In some cases a mad struggle is made to wrench off lids and snatch a last look at the dead. The scarcity of gravediggers has caused a painful delay in the past few days, 150 coffins containing bodies now being stored in the adjoining woodshed. Some of the mourners have been waiting their turn for several days.

The Rech reports a case in which a cabman made the rounds of all the hospitals last night with a cholera patient, who was refused admission to all of them.

DETROIT CLERK MURDERED IN ALLEY

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 22.—William H. Munn, aged 26, who had been employed as a stock clerk at the Detroit Club, was found murdered today in the alley between Congress and Fort streets, near Cass street. Munn had a bullet wound in his right temple. Residents of the neighborhood heard shots in the alley last night, and cameras coming to work today found the body sitting on a pile of logs in an upright position. No motive for the murder is known.

Thos. G. Cline, of Hamilton, is dead, aged 90.

THE ONLY HOUSEHOLD SURGICAL DRESSING

DR. BORTON'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL for Burns, Old Sores and all Hurts, whether slight or serious. Drugists refund money if it fails to heal. 25c.

LAW BREAKERS GO UNPUNISHED

The Christian Guardian Roundly Scores Whitney Gov't for Disgraceful Laxity.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 22.—The Christian Guardian, which appeared today, has a red-hot editorial scoring the Provincial Government for lax administration of the law. It says in part: "The people of Ontario, satisfied with an administration of 'law' which permits houses of ill-fame, flourish undisturbed at convenient distances up and down the Montreal River? That permits large houses of prostitution to flourish in the heart of the city? That permits the 'blind pig' as the provincial policeman? Yet this is the state of things we find to exist in that remote country."

"Blind pigs abound. About these we have given detailed information to the local department, and doubtless steps will be taken to prosecute offenders. If the penalty of imprisonment is never reached, however, of what use are the prosecutions? The highest penalty inflicted at a recent round-up was only \$150, and we have upon reliable authority that bar room receipts of one such place fell by \$375 during a week it was under surveillance."

"Liquor that goes into that country and is sold illegally is carried by a Government railway. 'Freight-handlers know what they are handling.' We are told that at the time of the strike in Cobalt express companies were forbidden to bring in liquor, and the results were excellent. 'Is the arm of the Provincial Government not long enough of strong enough, and its eye too dull to punish such flagrant violations of the law?'"

FATE UNKNOWN.

New York, Sept. 22.—News of the loss in the recent hurricane of the British schooner, E. M. Bertha, Captain Scott, which sailed from Mobile for Savannah, La., on July 1, was brought to this port today, when the freighter Cherokee arrived from San Domingo. The fate of the Bertha's crew is unknown.

The Cherokee was steaming north on Sept. 20, when about 250 miles east of the coast of North Carolina, the stern planking of the E. M. Bertha was sighted. A short distance further the Cherokee passed a vessel's deck painted white, and a quantity of lumber believed to have belonged to the wrecked vessel.

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Smallman & Ingram Limited

Wednesday, SEPT. 23

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Reception days: TODAY (Wednesday) and following days.

Hand-Made Lace Curtains

We want you to see these. When visiting our Millinery Department this week, don't miss seeing our display of Hand-Made Lace Curtains. Our fall shipments are now in stock and comprise the most popular styles and newest ideas. All direct importations from France and Switzerland. The products of the most reliable and best-known manufacturers. Our prices are reasonable, and we will be pleased to show you. This is an opportune time to see (being reception days in millinery department). You'll find them on same floor.

FROM SWITZERLAND AND FRANCE

IRISH POINT CURTAINS, both white and ivory, all new designs, pair \$3 to \$15
FINE DUCHESS CURTAINS—Effective designs, in both white and ivory. Per pair.....\$6.75 to \$20.00
FINE BRUSSELS NET CURTAINS—Dainty and stylish effects. Pair \$4 to \$10.50
VENICE POINT CURTAINS—One of the new effects, in maco and ivory. Per pair.....\$7.50 to \$17.50
ARABIAN CURTAINS—Beautiful styles, with handsome hand-made-lace edge. Some with insertion. Per pair.....\$4.00 to \$12.50
BATTENBURG CURTAINS—New designs, all imported and special values, at, per pair.....\$3.50 to \$18.50
NEW YORK STYLES—In flat Curtains, made of very serviceable net. All 3 yards by 50 inches. Per pair.....\$2.50 to \$6.00

Tomorrow's Bedding Sale Specials

Strong Reasons for Buying Now
FALL BLANKET SALE NOW ON
MARSEILLES QUILTS—Size 74x94, nice finish and good designs. Bedding sale price, each.....\$1.39
FLANNELETTE BLANKETS—Largest size, 12-4, actual measurements, 2x2½ yards. Extra fine quality, with blue or pink borders. Bedding sale price, pair.....\$1.39
EXTRA FINE CROCHET QUILTS—Very white, new designs, large size, 78x88, at, each.....\$1.75
MARSEILLES QUILTS—A large stock of these imported specially for this bedding sale from manufacturers who make a specialty of these Quilts. Beautiful new designs, extra finish, large size; Quilts that will please you, at, each.....\$2.00, \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00
EXTRA FINE MARSEILLES QUILTS—Hand-some designs, in larger sizes, at each.....\$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50
Second floor—Take elevator.

Visit the Third Floor

Don't miss seeing our display of FURS and MAN-TLES on the third floor, also display of LADIES' TAILORED SUITS. See them, if only to find out what the correct styles are. Take elevator.

Store closes 6 p.m. daily, Saturday, included.

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AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Assist in Forming It.

Earl Crewe Says British Cruisers Will

London, Sept. 22.—A cable from Melbourne says Earl Crewe has sent Premier Deakin a dispatch which has pleased the Australian Government, as the admiralty promises to retain certain cruisers in Australian waters, besides actively assisting the genesis of the Commonwealth navy.

LORD MILNER'S TRIP

Is Visiting His Cousin at Lennoxville, Quebec.

Montreal, Sept. 22.—Lord Milner, former high commissioner to South Africa and distinguished statesman, who is now in Canada on his way to the Pacific coast, arrived at Lennoxville, Que., last night in a private car. He is visiting at that point, a cousin, Mrs. F. G. Vial. Lord Milner will remain a few days at Lennoxville and then come to Montreal, where he will meet his private secretary. At present he is accompanied only by his valet.

BLACK HANDERS SENTENCED.

Fernie, B. C., Sept. 22.—The members of the Black Hand gang operating in Fernie were found guilty at the trial on Saturday and were sentenced as follows: S. Bartolo, J. Jacina and Farlane, each to six months at hard labor in the Nelson jail; A. Vitoli to one year; S. Santoro, to two years; F. Albanese, to six years and six months; S. Bruno, to six years, and I. Marengo to seven years at hard labor in the penitentiary at New Westminster.

SOME GINGER TEA.

Is considered a good thing to break up a chill, but something much more certain is a teaspoonful of Nervine taken in hot water. Nervine sends glowing warmth tingling all through the body, makes you feel good at once. Nothing so good for colds, coughs, chest pains and chills. Get a 25c bottle of Poison's Nervine today.

A BLACK HAND REVENGE

Set a Tenement Building Afire and Imperil Lives of Hundreds.

New York, Sept. 22.—One man was seriously hurt, a dozen or more were rescued from almost certain death by policemen and firemen, and the lives of a hundred more were imperilled, when members of a Black Hand band today sought to avenge two of their fellows who are now serving terms in prison. The two men were convicted recently of attempting to blackmail tenants in the big apartment house at 333 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street. Almost immediately after they had been sentenced other persons living in the house received letters bearing the Black Hand signature, and warning them that the house would be destroyed. Early today a passing policeman saw smoke pouring from the street door, and opened it, to find the hall a mass of flames. Nicola DeVito became panic-stricken when he heard the flames roaring up through the walls, and sprang through a third story window to the street. He was taken to a hospital in a critical condition. Policemen and firemen had a busy time helping the frightened tenants down from fire escapes, and high windows, and carrying them from the burning building. The property loss is small.

C. P. R. REFUSING WORKERS

Have Enough Blacksmiths at the Angus Shops—Refuse Mediation.

Montreal, Sept. 22.—In the last 24 hours the C. P. R. has taken back 20 strikers, and it looks as if the strike was over as far as the Angus shops is concerned. The only class of men they need is mechanics. Yesterday blacksmiths who applied were refused work, as there were enough of them. The city council offers to mediate, but the C. P. R. says that there is nothing to mediate about. They are getting all the men they want, and they say that there is no strike.

Mr. Shaughnessy left for Minneapolis.

His last night, and that has set the tongues wagging about the Chicago deal. It is said here that the C. P. R. deal yesterday is accurate in that no deal has been closed, but that the negotiations are on, and Shaughnessy may settle the deal when he gets there.

Shingles are now made under a patented process from asbestos fibre and Portland cement. Owing to the enormous pressure under which the shingle are manufactured it is said that they absorb when fresh only about 5 per cent of their weight of water.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

CURE SICK HEAD

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Browsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cure

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