

CROWD HOOTS ETHEL LENEVE HOSTILE DEMONSTRATION IN LONDON STREET

Prisoners Are Bound Over to Appear at the Central Criminal Court

(Times Leased Wire.) London, Sept. 21.—An enraged crowd surrounded Ethel Clare Leneve, Dr. Hawley H. Crippen's typist, to-day, as she was being taken to the Bow street police court, but was held in check by the police.

Mrs. Leneve is completely unnerved as the result of the hostile demonstration. She remained calm in the face of the crowd but as soon as it had been dispersed she became hysterical and it was necessary to summon a physician to attend her.

A hundred or more persons followed the girl and her police escort when the trip to the police court was begun. Soon several hundred had surrounded her and prevented her progress. The police formed a cordon and forced their way through the crowd. The on-lookers hooted and hissed and made threats against the girl. Crippen's trip to the court room was marked by no demonstration.

The building in which the hearing is being conducted has been put under strong guard.

The demonstration against Mrs. Leneve is believed to have resulted from the testimony of Mrs. Jackson at the inquest Monday.

Committed for Trial. Dr. Hawley H. Crippen and Mrs. Ethel Clare Leneve were to-day bound over to the Central Criminal Court to be tried for the murder of Belle Elmore Crippen. Their case is set for the October term. Attorney Arthur Newton, for the defendants, offered no defence and at the end of the crown's side of the hearing in the Bow street police court, explained that he preferred to reserve his testimony until the trial begins.

W. M. Long, an associate of Dr. Crippen's office, was the first witness called when the hearing was resumed to-day. Long testified that he had been sent by Dr. Crippen to buy the suit of boys' clothes which Mrs. Leneve wore when she fled with Crippen to America. He identified the suit which the girl wore when she was arrested as the one he had bought.

Crippen appeared worried when he reached the office on the morning of July 9, said Long in answering questions. "He explained to me that he was worrying about some sort of scandal in which he was involved, but he did not go into details."

"He told me to go and buy a suit of boys' clothes and bring them to him. He told me the size and explained that he had a kind of a nervousness, but he did not let me know what he wanted it for."

Crippen contemplated flight before the indictments were returned against him and Mrs. Leneve.

Two days after his flight I received a letter from Crippen telling me to whip up the affairs of the office and take charge of Mrs. Humphrey's affairs."

Miss Currow, who succeeded Crippen as manager of his patent medicine business, was a witness. She testified that she had never known Crippen to use hypocin.

"The only medicines I knew him to use he got from our house," Miss Currow said. "He also used a preparation of his own. I am not positive just what drugs it contained."

Miss Currow answered that Crippen had warned her to answer no questions regarding his absence.

Inspector Dew was called to the stand and he repeated what Crippen had told him of the case, both before and after his arrest.

Both Crippen and Mrs. Leneve were visibly affected when the court held that they must be tried for murder.

Both turned pale and were nervous and weeped during the confusion of the police court proceedings.

"I am not expressing any opinion on the evidence that has been submitted, particularly with reference to Mrs. Leneve," said Magistrate De Rouzen, but I think sufficient facts have been adduced to warrant the committal for trial."

Attorney Newton explained at the close of the hearing that his failure to produce any witnesses for the defence should not be construed as an admission of weakness. He said that the defence had its case well in hand and that it was ready to go to trial, but he believed it was evident that the magistrate intended to hold the couple for trial and that it would be unwise to produce the line of defence that will be presented when the final hearing comes up.

The next step in the proceedings will be the indictment of Crippen for murder and Leneve as an accessory. This will be a purely formal matter.

KILLED IN QUARREL. Medford, Ore., Sept. 21.—Large posse headed by Sheriff W. A. Jones are to-day searching the country surrounding this city searching for Julian A. Mock, a carpenter, who last evening killed Jesse Smith, a fellow carpenter, in a quarrel over a worthless dog. Mock stabbed Smith four times, the wounded man bleeding to death before medical aid arrived.

Mock is said to have taken to the hills south of this city and is known to be armed.

HUNTER KILLED. Langham, Sask., Sept. 21.—A C. Latchford, accountant of the Northern Crown Bank, died as the result of a wound received in a goose hunting expedition near here. He was shot by the muzzle and the charge in the neck. He came west from Toronto in 1908. A. J. Wicks, manager of the same branch, who also hunted with Latchford, was drowned a short time ago.

CANADIAN PACIFIC MAY ENLARGE HOTELS

Railway Company's Architect is Now Making Tour Through the West

(Special to the Times.) Winnipeg, Sept. 21.—Architect Painter of the Canadian Pacific is here to-day, here last night accompanied by George Ham, and will visit all the company's hotels along the line with a view to enlargements in some cases. This policy was decided upon after Hayter Reed's recent visit of inspection.

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WOMAN ATTEMPTS TO ROB STORE

Knocks Grocer Unconscious With Revolver When Demand for Money is Refused

(Special to the Times.) Richmond, Que., Sept. 21.—Main street was thrown into a state of great excitement when it became known that a woman wearing a mask and flourishing a revolver had made a sensational attempt at robbery in the store of Gian & Elliott, grocers. In the commotion the masked woman made good her escape.

Mr. Elliott was engaged behind the counter when the woman entered the store. She made a demand for money. Her attitude was threatening, but Mr. Elliott thought it was a joke and started to come out from behind the counter when the woman pulled a revolver and knocked him over the head with it and ran out. Mr. Elliott fell to the floor unconscious. He had to be attended by a physician and revived shortly after. Police are looking for the venturesome intruder. One theory is that the robber was a man wearing woman's garb as a disguise.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO CONVALESCENT HOME. Number of Societies Have Undertaken to Furnish Rooms—Duncan Notes

Duncan, Sept. 20.—Of the \$2,000 in all that it was necessary to raise to finish paying for the convalescent home, about \$400 has been subscribed during the past few weeks, and promises to furnish rooms have been received from the Daughters of Pity, Victoria, the Masons, the Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society, and the Ladies of St. Peter's sewing circle are each giving a dance in aid of the home. So the King's Daughters have strong hope that the home and furnishing will be entirely paid for and the home ready to occupy before the new year. Clive Phillips-Wolley has kindly promised to donate the last hundred dollars to the home and he may be quite sure that no stone will be left unturned to make the subscriptions reach that stage.

Mr. E. H. Soutle of Cowichan Bay, and Dorothy, second daughter of Col. O. T. Radford, C.E., Indian army, of Buxley, Kent, England, were married at Christ church, Vancouver, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet of Mill Bay, gave a very pleasant shooting party on Wednesday last. The guests shot at targets and those making the best score won prizes.

A very enjoyable dance was given at Holmesdale, the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Holmes, on Thursday last.

Mrs. Whitmore entertained the King's Daughters at tea at "The Dogwoods" on Friday afternoon. Her tables were daintily decorated with mauve, sweet peas and white flowers, the colors of the order. Fifty or sixty guests were present, and after tea, in a neat little speech, Mrs. Whitmore, on behalf of the King's Daughters, spoke in appreciation of the work done by Miss Wilson during six years' leadership, and as a small token of remembrance, presented her with a suit case.

Compared with other years the shooting in Cowichan is rather poor. The coveys were broken up and the birds were wild owing to the dry weather. The best sport has been towards Cowichan lake and on Mount Trouhalein. The largest bags reported were not more than twelve birds. Pheasants and quail are reported as being fairly plentiful but may not be shot until the 1st of October, and the willow or ruffed grouse may not be shot in the Cowichan district this season. A few deer were shot on Cowichan Lake road and Mr. Brown, and some were seen on Mt. Tsohaham.

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ROUGH RIDERS AND BRONCHO-BUSTERS. Expert British Columbia and Alberta cowboys who will be again seen at the Fair next week.

SMALL ARMY IS AT WORK

1,000 MEN EMPLOYED ON CIVIC UNDERTAKINGS

Never Before in the History of Victoria Has City Had So Much Work in Hand

Never before in the history of the city has a greater number of men been employed on civic works. It is estimated that, counting the number employed by contractors who are doing work for the city, there must be close on to 1,000 men engaged in the execution of work for the corporation.

The larger jobs now in hand are the improvements in progress on Douglas and Yates street. Here there are upwards of five hundred men engaged, and the scene presented is one of great animation. Should weather conditions remain favorable it is hoped that the work on Douglas street will be completed in another month's time and that on Yates street in two months.

The pillars for the scheme of ornamental lights which will grace these two thoroughfares are now being delivered on Douglas street, the work having advanced sufficiently far on the lower section to permit of their installation close to the curb in the cement sidewalk.

When the work now in hand shall have been completed Douglas and Yates streets will rank easily as the handsomest business thoroughfares in the whole of Victoria. That this fact is appreciated by business men is shown by the establishment of hand-some stores on both thoroughfares and the keen demand for premises in blocks about to be completed. It is understood that many of the stores and offices in the new Bayward block on the corner of Douglas and View streets have already been let to tenants, though the building will not be ready for occupancy for several months yet.

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SIR WILFRID LAURIER'S VISIT TO MONTREAL

Will Probably Outline Government's Policy Regarding Reciprocity With U. S.

(Special to the Times.) Montreal, Sept. 21.—October 6 has been agreed upon as the date for the Liberal rally of Montreal at which Sir Wilfrid Laurier will deliver his first speech in the east since his western tour. An elaborate programme is being prepared. In his answer, the premier is expected to outline the government's policy regarding reciprocity with the United States, and answer attacks on the naval policy.

FALLS TO DEATH. (Special to the Times.) Chatham, N. B., Sept. 21.—Alexander McIver, fifty years old, a native of Scotland, fell seventy feet to the ground from the acid tower of the Miramichi pulp mill here this morning and was instantly killed.

WEDDED AT OTTAWA. (Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Sept. 21.—Claire Oliver, third daughter of Hon. Frank Oliver, was married in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church this afternoon to Mr. Allan Keefe of Ottawa, in the presence of a brilliant gathering, including the Prime Minister and other members of the cabinet.

WIFE MURDERER ENDS HIS LIFE. BODY OF REID FOUND IN FRASER RIVER. Remains Identified by Father and Brother of the Murdered Girl.

(Times Leased Wire.) Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 21.—A body which has been positively identified as that of George Reid, the supposed murderer of his wife at Clayburn, September 6, was found floating in the Fraser river yesterday morning by an Indian, Jos. Luis, who was out in a canoe near Matsqui prairie. The body had apparently been in the water several days. The remains were identified by the father and brother of the murdered girl.

According to all indications, Reid murdered his wife about noon and then walked to the Mission bridge, where he either jumped or fell into the water and the body sank and remained at the bottom until yesterday. His watch was stopped at twenty minutes after three.

INTERIM DIVIDEND. (Special to the Times.) London, Sept. 21.—The Calgary and Edmonton Land Company has declared a first interim dividend of one shilling per share.

CANNON SAYS TARIFF LAW NEEDS NO DEFENCE. Declares Agitation for Revision is Dangerous to Welfare of the People.

(Times Leased Wire.) Danville, Ill., Sept. 21.—"I do not defend the Payne tariff law because it needs none," wrote Speaker Joseph G. Cannon, accepting the nomination for congress from the eighteenth Illinois district.

"The law," the latter continues, "is the enactment of the pledges of the Republican convention in 1898. It is in keeping with the policy of protection the party has maintained since the days of Lincoln. It is harmonious with the very first revenue legislation of the first congress under Washington."

The speaker recited the accomplishments of the Payne tariff measure, saying: "I want to express the conviction that this is to be a campaign full of the most serious consideration of the national policy touching every man in the country. That is how to raise a billion dollars annually for the expense of the various functions put upon the federal treasury, not by one party or one section, but by the whole people. Agitation for another tariff revision or for another attempted revolution of the revenue policy is as dangerous to the welfare of the people now as in 1894."

FISHERMEN MAY STRIKE. St. John, N. B., Sept. 21.—A war which it is believed will result in a strike of great proportions is now on among the sardine fishermen of St. John and Charlottetown. A reduction in the price of sardines from \$12 and \$5 to \$6 per hoghead made by the canneries, is the cause of all the trouble. A large number of fishermen from points in both these counties decided to sell no sardines to the canneries at a price less than \$3 per hoghead.

DONATIONS TO YALE. New Haven, Conn., Sept. 21.—Gifts to Yale University totalling \$90,000 are announced. The largest was one of \$50,000 from the estate of John B. Collins, of Fort Worth, Texas.

OFFICERS RECOVERING. London, Sept. 21.—The nine officers of the Queen's Own Rifles who are suffering from typhoid fever are making satisfactory progress.

SOON REPAIR BIG RESERVOIR

CITY ENGINEER SMITH READY TO BEGIN WORK

Job is Estimated to Cost About \$7,000—Work Will Occupy Two Months' Time

Now that the dry season has about passed, the long-deferred repairs to the big reservoir on Smith's Hill may, in the opinion of the city engineer, be undertaken almost immediately, and should there be funds available for the purpose the work will be taken in hand at a very early date. The estimated cost is in the neighborhood of \$7,000, and the job will take about two months to complete.

It will be recalled that in the latter part of March last, about two weeks before Angus Smith, city engineer, assumed office, G. H. Bryson, then acting city engineer, submitted a report to the city council in which he estimated that the cost of effecting repairs would be \$30,000. This sum was included in the estimates.

On April 18th Mr. Smith submitted a report to the board in which he estimated that the reservoir could be rendered watertight and thoroughly efficient for a much less sum, namely, \$7,000, but he recommended that in view of the dangers from a conflagration during the dry season no attempt be made to effect repairs until the fall. In the interim he proposed to fill the reservoir to its greatest capacity and make a study of where the leakage developed. This was done with the most interesting results. For upwards of a month the reservoir was kept almost full of water, developed little or no leakage whatever. As time passed, however, the same faults again manifested themselves and the level of the water was lowered to about 7 feet, where it has remained up to the present time. Though the leakage is comparatively light in this depth, it would be greater were the level raised, and hence it is considered desirable to make the repairs at the earliest possible date.

taking in hand the work, the city engineer will follow exactly the plan outlined in his report submitted in April last, as follows: "It would be recommended that the integral or rigid method be adopted, which is very universally employed for subterranean work such as cisterns, reservoirs, etc., which are designed to contain water. Briefly, the work should be carried out as follows: The water-proofed cement mortar shall be prepared by thoroughly tempering, to the required consistency, a dry mixture of 1 part of cement, 2 parts of sand with water to which alum and soap have been added in the proportions directed by the manufacturer. The sand shall be clean and spherical and well graded from coarse to fine. Before plastering cement mortar on old concrete the old concrete shall be thoroughly cleaned with a heavy wire broom so as to remove all dust and earth. A jet of steam shall be employed to clean the walls, if available. To the mechanically cleaned surface, apply with a stiff brush a liberal coat of 1 to 10 solution of hydrochloric acid, acetic acid or muriatic acid. Allow the acid to remain until it has exhausted itself, which will require about 10 minutes. A second liberal coat will be applied before removing the first, a third if necessary. The surface shall be thoroughly cleaned with a hose under good pressure flush the surface so as to remove the salts resulting from the action of the acids, continuing flushing until the salts and all loose particles removed and the old concrete is thoroughly soaked to its full capacity. To the cleaned and saturated surface, apply with a strong brush a coating of pure cement mixed to the consistency of thick cream, rub in vigorously and with considerable pressure, so as to fill all the crevices and cavities produced by the action of the acids. Immediately after applying the above slush coat, the first coating of water-proofed cement mortar shall be applied half inch thick directly upon the slush coat, and well trowelled into every void or crevice of the surface. Before this first coat has reached its final set, a second and final coat shall be applied, of an equal thickness, so as to make the full thickness one inch. The finished coat shall be floated to an even surface and subsequently trowelled firmly to the old porous cement walls one inch of water-proof cement mortar, an approximate cost of \$1,500 for the walls and \$5,500 for the floor, or a total of \$7,000.

"I do not interpret the original plans and specifications to intend that the bank of rock and earth outside the reservoir was to be impervious to water. I believe the materials used in the concrete complied with the specifications as to quality. I believe that the weakness in the reservoir is due to the careless use of poorly graded materials and defective design."

PROBABLY PERISHED. Edmonton, Sept. 21.—The discovery of two paddies, provisions, blankets and an empty tool chest, with the name of Ross Roland on the lid in the upper Saskatchewan river at Waters mill indicates a probable fatal accident, but there are no other clues to the identity or the number of men involved.

RAILWAY FREIGHT RATES. Washington, D. C., Sept. 21.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered the suspension of the proposed increased freight rates of the railroads until January 1st.

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