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THE BOISE REVELATIONS

In cold-blooded depravity and indifference to the most awful crimes, the Canadian who under the name of Orchard, the chief witness in the great trial in Boise, Idaho, presents an example that is perhaps without parallel in the criminal annals of America. This man confesses that he killed without remorse, simply because he was paid to do it. Whether all that he states can be corroborated by other evidence or not, he has put his own head in the noose. The average, normal man turns with horror from such a revelation of criminal inclinations and utter abandonment to worse than brute passions. Orchard began badly, and drifted from crime to crime until nothing in human life was sacred when it stood in his way or in the way of his paymasters. But if he tells the truth he was not alone. The inner circle of the miner's federation was an assassination bureau, of which he was the leading instrument. The world will follow with profound interest the developments at this trial, which, if Orchard's story be even in part corroborated, will prove that the climate of Russia is not the only one that breeds anarchy. Touching this question of anarchy in the United States, and the glorification of Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone by the Socialists, the Montreal Witness well says:—

"Their past lives, so far as known, will not bear inspection. They were entirely 'undesirable' long before the death of the murdered governor. One of them is a criminal by habit and reputation. Their only title to glory is that they have been put on trial for the crime of this deed. All on trial for the crime of this deed are denounced by these wrong-headed beings (the Socialists) as undesirable. And what a deed it was! The honest governor of a remote state was entering his modest home, when he was blown to pieces by an infernal machine, his crime being that he was governor and had gotten but firmly enforced the law. It was completely without this deed, so far as appears, for no other achievement is alleged, that is to place the names of Moyer and John Brown and Karl Marx as emancipators. The socialism of this continent seems to be pure anarchy. No other kind survives here. A curious thing about it is that it seems to draw about it all the disorganized brains in the land. Clever and educated men who have a screw loose about them are found in every camp. It is a condition of social blood-poisoning in which the syzygetic germs gather and fester here and there. The disease is not native to this continent. It is contracted in the fetid slums of eastern Europe, and we know nothing of it but to let it work itself out of the system in the fresh air, or a free country in which there is room to live."

THE RAILROAD WRECKS

Railroad men have a clear-headed and capable champion in Grand Master Morrissey of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. In the discussion of the causes of railroad wrecks some writers, representing, of course, the companies operating the lines, have charged that the formation of unions among the railway men has been a contributory cause to the frequent and terrible disasters of recent years. To this Mr. Morrissey replies:—

"There is not a railroad labor organization that can justly be charged with hampering the enforcement of safe operation by opposing discipline. It is unreasonable to believe an organization would object to the adoption of methods that would make the employment of men less hazardous, while death is constantly working overtime among them."

Mr. Morrissey places the blame in quite the opposite quarter. He says further:—

"There is too much business for the railroads; too much hurry in conducting trains, and too few employees to insure the proper degree of safety to employees and travelers." He points out that the state railways of Germany employ more than three times the number of men per mile that are employed on American railways. Admitting that the American railroad managers are capable men, he lays the blame on the system, under which they are compelled to produce certain financial results, or lose their position. His own view of what is needed is thus stated:—"What, in my opinion, the American railway systems need to insure greater safety is more men to man and inspect the trains, to guard the switches and semaphores, and to patrol the tracks."

THE LAW'S DELAYS

Canadian readers have almost forgotten the affair of Gaynor and Greene, so long a time has elapsed since these gentlemen hounded in Quebec city and defied extradition, after having looted the American treasury in connection with contract work in Georgia. After the case had dragged along for several years they were finally extradited, and since there was no doubt of their guilt it was assumed that punishment would be speedy and fitting the crime. But in Georgia, as in Canada, there was delay. However, the federal court in Savannah finally found them guilty of frauds involving over half a million dollars in government contracts in Savannah harbor, and sentenced them to four years in prison and fines aggregating \$375,000. But this did not settle the matter. An appeal was taken to the United States circuit court. This court has now confirmed the sentence of the federal court at Savannah, but the end is not yet in sight. A Savannah despatch now gives

this further information:—"While the attorneys for Greene and Gaynor will not discuss their future action in the case pending the receipt of the full decision of the circuit court of appeals, it is expected that the fight in behalf of their clients will be carried to the United States supreme court. Every possible appeal will be resorted to in behalf of the convicted men."

The convicted men got away with half a million. The stake is large and the fight is therefore long. Justice must wait.

The statement made by Rev. C. W. Gordon (Ralph Connor) in the Presbyterian General Assembly at Montreal yesterday were of a character to cause a sensation, but they were mild compared with that made by Mr. G. M. McDonald, K. C., of Kingston. Mr. Gordon challenged the attitude of the church with reference to moral standards in politics; and Mr. McDonald asserted that the thing from which Canada chiefly suffers today is graft. Thoughtful men in the church realize more and more clearly that the religious and the social and political life of the people cannot be dissociated, and that the man who stands for religion must apply the standards to every phase of life.

The work of studying the currents of the Bay of Fundy which Dr. W. Bell Dawson is to take up is of great importance in connection with the trade of this port. There has been a theory current among the informed that the bay is troubled with variable currents which are a great source of danger to vessels. The fact that the enormously increased steamship traffic in the last ten years has not been marred by any serious accidents refutes this theory, but it is important that accurate surveys be made, and the regular currents indicated.

The banquet given by Hon. Dr. Pugsley in Fredericton last evening was a most successful affair, and the presence of Mr. Carvell, M. P., will make more or less trouble for the fiction writers of a portion of the provincial press, who had some time since discovered a razor in Mr. Carvell's boot.

In deciding to carry out Engineer Barbour's recommendations with regard to distribution, the water board pursue the only reasonable course. It was known, when he presented his original report that renewal of certain distribution mains was involved.

Lord Ripon is still hopeful of Irish home rule. So is Mr. Redmond. And the king and queen will visit Ireland next month. The situation is interesting, and the position of the government, in view of the rejection of the Irish Councils Bill, is not as agreeable as it might be.

Sir Robert Bond will not deny that union with Canada would be a good thing for Newfoundland, but he declares the time is not yet ripe. Until the views of the people change, or a crisis occurs, union must wait.

After yesterday's evidence at the fire investigation the man who goes to a fire will have a new and wholesome respect for live wires that may be lying in wait for a victim.

Complaint is made that the fire investigation in this city is not sufficiently public to produce the most satisfactory results. Doubtless the source of complaint will be removed.

If the weather has been backward for the farmers it has enabled the lumbermen to get the log drives into safe waters, and that is a very important consideration.

With hay around twenty dollars per ton the New Brunswick farmer naturally welcomes the recent remarkably rapid growth of vegetation.

WILL RETURN TO DOMINION

Canadian Commercial Agents to Visit Canada from Time to Time.

OTTAWA, June 6.—(Special)—Continuing the policy established some little time ago of bringing the Canadian commercial agents back to Canada from time to time for the purpose of visiting Canadian trade centres and personally meeting Canadian business men, the department of trade and commerce has instructed A. W. Donly, of Mexico, to visit Canada during the present summer. Mr. Donly, is expected, will arrive in Halifax in July by the Elder Dempster steamship service, plying between Canada and Mexico. After spending about three months in Canada, Mr. Donly will return to Mexico by the new steamship service on the Pacific coast from Vancouver.

Michael Kane, of the west side, desires the Times to say that he is not the person whose name was mentioned recently as having been in trouble with the Ketrigan boys.

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St. John, June 7th, 1907.

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MOTHER EARTH

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IN LIGHTER VEIN

A PAINFUL DISCOVERY. "The Upstairs seem to have suspended their interest in the family tree." "Yes, they found a few of their ancestors hanging on some of the branches."

FORBIDDING THE BANNS. "Do you think it is right for a woman to marry a man out of pity?" "Certainly not; pity and love are too near akin."

JOINING OPPOSITES. "That poor theatrical angel has rather an acrobatic sort of a career." "What do you mean?" "He comes to the front only as a backer."

A LAST STAND. "Don't you think the Newriches have too much silver at their functions?" "Do let them show their 'something' about them which has polish."

SIMPLE SYNONYM. His Wife (whirling)—Which is proper "disillusioned" or disillusionized?" Her Husband—Oh just say "married" and let it go at that.

DIPLOMACY NEEDED. Gollifer—Ordered your next winter's coat yet? "Yes, I'm not in a position to order it. I am making overtures for it."

AN ENTHUSIASM. When blossoming fields proclaim the May, Is life worth living? Rather! This world is just a big bouquet Which we are here to gather! —Washington Star.

SOON BE ECLIPSED. "Is Jimmy, the porch climber, a star?" "Yes, he is," replied the safe cracker. "He used to be a star, but now we call him the sun."

FEW CLIMBERS. "Dis an a hazy world, deacon," remarked Brudiah Sunflower. "Deed it am," replied Deacon Deedberry. "Yes, sah. Ef you was to tell some people dey cud reach de seventh heben free of charge dey would ask you when de elevator was going up."

IN ARKANSAS. The train was just disappearing around a curve as the drummer reached the depot. "Say," he queried of the station agent, "how did that train happen to be ahead of time?" "It wasn't," explained the agent. "That was yesterday's train."

REXTON

REXTON, N. B., June 4.—The death occurred at Rexton yesterday of Lloyd Thomas, son of Samson Thomas, after a lingering illness. He was about 30 years of age, and unmarried. Lloyd, passed away at her home Sunday after a lingering illness. She was a daughter of the late Thomas Clark, of Kouchibouguac, and leaves a husband and three children. Our Tennis court was opened for the first time this season Monday. The grounds are in excellent condition and a fine new lot of rackets have been purchased by the club. Israel Baigle had his hand badly cut today while working in Burns' mill. Dr. H. W. Coates dressed the injured member. Miss Nellie Clark, who teaches music at Mount Allison College, is home for the holidays. Fred Law is home from Seckville. Capt. and Mrs. Wm. Weston, of Jardineville are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a little stranger at their home yesterday.

TORONTO MARKET

TORONTO, June 6.—(Special)—Six thousand shares of Consumers' gas company stock, the new issue, were sold by Auctioneer Townsend at an average price of 190 3/4, range of price was from 190 1/4 to 193. The last sale was at over 200.

McNEVIN WON ROAD RACE

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., June 6.—In the Patriot road race of six miles raced here this evening, Colin McNevin won first place, time 33.50. There were ten starters and seven ran the race out. They ended not far apart.

W. B. Morgan, secretary of the boys' branch, Ottawa Y. M. C. A., arrived in St. John yesterday. Mr. Morgan recently made a trip by sea from Quebec to Pictou, during which the steamer on which he sailed was held in the Gulf ice for twelve days.

The street railway laborers grading the car tracks have demanded higher wages. They are getting \$1.50 per day and have asked for \$1.75. The company have refused the request. Should be good show.

Edward L. Corbett, I. C. R. checker, who has been a valued clerk in the St. John service of the government railroad for some years, has resigned his position to accept the post of assistant traveling auditor of the C. P. R. Atlantic division. James Reid is the traveling auditor and Mr. Corbett will be his assistant. He is to take up his new duties in a few days.

Wall Paper.

We still have a good assortment of Wall Papers at 2c., 4c., 5c., 6c., 7c., to 20c. Roll. Some old lots have been reduced in price. Lace Curtains, 25c., 30c., 35c., 50c., to \$2.10. White Curtains Mullins—7c., 10c., 12c., 15c., 20c., yard. Crash Rods, 5c., 8c., 10c. Curtains Poles, 25c. and 30c. Hosiery, Gloves, Underwear, Corsets, etc.

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