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A BENCH WARRANT ISSUED FOR MISS KINRADE REFUSED AGAIN TO APPEAR AS INQUEST WITNESS

And the Crown Demands That Her Presence Be Enforced

ATTORNEYS IN HOT WRANGLE

Counsel For Florence Claims She Is in Poor Health—Inquest Adjourned.

[By Our Own Man.]

Hamilton, April 23.—"Florence Kinrade."

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The court crier at the Kinrade inquest tonight uttered the above words, but there was no response.

The crown had waited patiently for the appearance of Miss Kinrade—they had absolutely no intimation that she would not be present, and at 8:45 o'clock, Mr. George Tate Blackstock, K.C., upon the opening of court, instructed the crier to call Miss Kinrade. Then he asked for a bench warrant for her arrest. Dr. Anderson granted the request, although there were objections on the part of George Lynch-Staunton, the Kinrade family lawyer. The warrant was issued immediately on the adjournment of the court, and it will be served, but not likely until Monday, when Miss Kinrade will be brought to Hamilton. to the right of the crown to compel her to give further evidence. Mr. Staunton admitted in the court that Miss Kinrade was acting under his instructions, and he made it plain that he intended contesting the crown's right to further cross-question the girl. It is likely that the numerous trips of Miss Florence, especially her trips to the south, will furnish the greater part of the groundwork of her cross-examination.

Both sides are apparently satisfied as to their position. Mr. Blackstock stated quite emphatically that the crown had the right to compel the girl to give evidence, and that the counsel for the family had no case whatever.

Staunton's Stand.

Mr. Staunton, on the other hand, is emphatic in his statement that the crown have far exceeded their authority, and that they can by no means compel Miss Florence to give further testimony. She has been on the stand about seven hours altogether, and the family do not know what possible bearing on the solution of the mystery her trip to the south can have.

Then the big legal battle will commence. The counsel for the Kinrade family will put it up to the crown and will compel them to make the first move.

On the arrest of Miss Kinrade, legal proceedings will be taken to free her, and then the struggle will be on.

It promises to be one of the most unique affairs of its kind in Canada, and will determine perhaps how far coroners juries can got in the matter of cross-examination, and in seeking for clues and motives for the solution of any mystery.

Crowded Courtroom.

The crown had no intimation that Miss Kinrade would not be present. It was thought that she would scarcely refuse to answer the crown's subpoena, and there was an eager crowd in the courtroom. As usual the public was rigidly excluded, but nevertheless the room was more than comfortably filled. Every man was either a friend of a juryman or had a friend at court.

There was a large crowd on the outside, clamoring to obtain admittance, as the expected reappearance of Miss Florence Kinrade on the stand had added zest to the case.

Baum Not There.

Jimmy Baum Did not make his appearance in court. He is in the city and is guarded at all times by the two detectives, Rogers, of the provincial department, and Pender, of the Pinkerton force. Numerous attempts were made to have an interview with him, in order to get his line of evidence, but without success. Jimmy will not be called until after Miss Florence gives her testimony. In fact, not a particle of new evidence will be submited by the crown until she has again told her story, or such parts of her story as it may suit the interests of the crown to bring out.

The detectives are reticent. They will not discuss the case or their evidence to any great length, and have positively refused to say what they intend doing.

Mr. Lynch-Staunton refused to be interviewed, and would not divulge his line of action.

A Brief Session.

The court proceedings last night were brief.

The court room was filled before 8 o'clock, and the coroner and the jurymen were in their places. Mr. Staunton and Mr. Hobson, attorneys for the Kinrade family, were on hand early, but gave no intimation whatever as to the plans of their clients.

At 8:15 there were no witnesses to be seen, and a conference took place between Mr. Blackstock, Chief Smith, the coroner, and Detective Miller.

Shortly afterwards Detective Miller came into the court room, and had a conversation with the jury. He made a proposition to them to have the girl arrested on Saturday morning, and then hold a short session at 2 o'clock, further adjourning until Monday night.

A number of the jurymen objected to a Saturday session. Mr. Miller told Mr. Blackstock of this, and an ar-

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REFUSES TO INDORSE THE KINRADE WARRANT

Toronto, April 24. — Police Magistrate Denison this morning refused to indorse the coroner's warrant to arrest Florence Kinrade. The whole question of the legality of the warrant outside the coroner's own jurisdiction will be argued at Osgoode Hall Monday morning. Legal men here dispute the coroner's power to order an arrest. All that he can do is to impose a fine of $4. Detective Miller arrived this morning from Hamilton with the warrant. The house where the Kinrades are stopping on Sherbourne street is under surveillance.

SHOPLIFTER WAS CAUGHT LEFT THE BABY CARRIAGE

Alleged That She Purloined Goods From a Dundas Street Store and Was Nailed With Them—Fled and Left Perambulator—Much Shoplifting Is Now Going On.

There has been a good deal of sneak thieving from stores going on for some time, and it is about time an example was made of some of the offenders.

Yesterday a leading merchant of the city, who does not wish his name connected with the matter, noticed a woman whom he had been suspicious of for some time enter his store, so he took particular care to keep a count of all the articles that were removable. When she had left he noticed that one of these had disappeared. He immediately gave chase, and soon caught up to the woman, who was wheeling a baby carriage.

Found the Article.

Looking under the covers of the carriage, it is alleged, he discovered the missing article, along with several other things that did not belong to him. Seeing that she was discovered, the woman picked her baby out of the carriage and fled.

Left the Carriage.

The carriage is now in the merchant's store. The woman has several small children, and the merchant did not wish to put any charge against her, but it is not the first time it has occurred, and if it is not stopped, an example will have to be made. The merchant has since discovered that several other tradesmen have suffered similar losses.

SPRINGS SURPRISE IN ST. CLAIR MURDER CASE

Capt. Pringle's Counsel Says That the Dead Man Was Despoiler of Home.

Port Huron, April 24.—Joseph Walsh, one of the attorneys for Capt. Pringle, charged with the murder of George McKinnow, of Mooretown, Ont., in the "Hole in the Wall" saloon at St. Clair last Sunday, caused a great sensation during the police court examination when he dramatically declared the prosecution had in its possession evidence that McKinnow was the despoiler of Capt. Pringle's home, and that McKinnow was the father of a child born to Mrs. Pringle, a child spirited away, according to Walsh, while Pringle was sailing the lakes. The case was adjourned until next Wednesday morning.

FRANK DARVILLE IS DEAD AT SEATTLE

Well-Known Londoner Sustained Fatal Injuries—a Railway Accident.

Word has been received from Seattle that Frank Darville, formerly of this city, and son of the late George Darville, is dead, as a result of injuries sustained in a railway accident. Mr. Darville was 31 years of age, and was in the city about a year ago, bringing home the remains of his father for interment. He is survived by one brother, Mervin, of Seattle, and one sister, Mabel, who lives at the corner of Colborne and Simcoe streets. Mrs. Seales, of 21 Becher street, is an aunt of the deceased.

MANN MUST PAY.

New York, April 23.—The jury in the libel case of Samuel Dempster, a Pittsburg business man, against Col. William D. Mann, of Town Topics, today returned a verdict awarding the plaintiff judgment for $40,000. The suit grew out of the publication of an article in Town Topics, which, it was alleged, reflected on the plaintiff. Col. Mann is a former Detroiter.

Joseph Bell was picked up last night in a helpless state of inebriation. The man was lying dangerously near the Pere Marquette track, and was taken to the police station for safety.

TOMOROW — COOL AND SHOWERY.

FORECASTS.

Toronto, April 24—8 a.m.

Today—Moderate, variable winds; fair and cool.

Sunday—Cool, with easterly winds and becoming showery.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	Today. 8 a.m.	Yesterday. Min	Max.
London	56	28	46
Victoria	46	46	56
Calgary	22	18	42
Winnipeg	26	8	32
Port Arthur	26	12	30
Parry Sound	28	30	42
Toronto	36	32	48
Ottawa	32	34	46
Montreal	38	..	..
Quebec	32	36	48
Father Point	32	..	..
Dawson	..	24	38
Vancouver	..	48	58
Kamloops	..	46	64
Edmonton	..	16	46
Moosejaw	..	8	35
Qu'Appelle	..	8	32
St. John	..	36	50
Halifax	..	36	64

WEATHER NOTES.

The area of high pressure now covers the Great Lakes and Middle States, and there are some indications that a disturbance will develop in the Southwestern States.

The weather has become a little milder in the Western Provinces, but continues very cool in Ontario and Quebec.

JUDGE FINKLE'S FOOT WAS BADLY CRUSHED

Slipped From the Steps of a G T. R. Train at Niagara Falls Today.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Niagara Falls, April 23. — Judge Finkle, of Woodstock, slipped from the steps of Grand Trunk train No. 25, here today, the trucks of one car crushing his right foot badly.

The train was in charge of Engineer Porteous, Fireman Lasendy and Conductor William Wiley, all of London.

No. 25 is due in this city from Niagara Falls at 10 p.m.

FARMER'S HORSE DID NOT LIKE TROLLEY

John Carey Narrowly Escaped Injuries on Dundas Street Today.

Mr. John Carey, a Westminster farmer, had a close call from being seriously injured on Dundas street, near Richmond, about half-past one this afternoon, when a horse he was driving became frightened at a passing street car and reared and kicked wildly. The animal finally reared so that it lost its balance and fell backwards, becoming tangled in the shafts and harness, and breaking them badly.

The horse was badly scared, and for a few minutes it was impossible to get near it, as it kicked furiously. Several citizens helped Mr. Carey to get his horse up, and it was found to be uninjured. The shafts and harness were so badly broken as to be useless.

CITY OF LONDON IS STILL AFTER PLANT

Ald. Ferguson and Others Will Try to Cinch It for Port Stanley.

The location of the United States Steel Corporation's Canadian plant is not yet definitely settled.

This morning Ald. Ferguson received a letter from Mr. W. H. Beatty of Pittsburg, stating that he had interviewed Mr. A. C. Dinkey, president of the Carnegie Steel Company, and Mr. H. P. Bope, vice-president, and they had stated that the question of locating the Canadian branch was in the hands of Mr. J. S. Farrell, of New York, president of the United States Steel Company.

Mr. Beatty offered to send letters of introduction, and make other arrangements for an interview whenever the local deputation desired.

"I have made arrangements to get in touch with Mr. Farrell," said Ald. Ferguson today. "I will communicate with them, and will find out what chance we have of getting the plant for Port Stanley. When I have obtained this information, we will consider our next move. I am of the opinion that we stand as good a chance as any. In any event, it is well worth trying for.

"We may have to go to New York to see Mr. Farrell and talk things over with him."

MISS FLORENCE KINRADE.

BLOODY BATTLE AT CONSTANTINOPLE

Constitutionalists Capture the Capital and Latter's Troops Surrender.

CASUALTIES ARE HEAVY

Young Turk Army Gains Complete Control After Morning of Fierce Fighting in Streets.

Constantinople, April 24. — Fighting between the army of investment under General Mahmoud Schefket and part of the troops faithful to the Sultan, began at 5:45 o'clock this morning in the southwest quarter of Pera, a suburb, within two and a half miles of Yildiz Kiosk.

Sultan's Troops Surrender.

Berlin, April 24.—A special dispatch from Constantinople says that the Sultan's troops have surrendered.

Heavy Casualties.

Constantinople, April 24.—Heavy rifle firing shortly after 5 o'clock this morning mingled with the occasional rattle of artillery from the heights surrounding Yildiz Kiosk, marked the culmination of the expected clash between the favored troops of the Constantinople garrison and the army of investment which began its advance on the city yesterday. The fighting started in the southwest part of Pera, near Yildiz Kiosk, between the troops under General Mahmoud Schefket, commanding the army of investment, and part of those loyal to the Sultan. The Saloniki troops attacked the Matchka and Tasch Kischla barracks, south of Yildiz Kiosk, where they met stubborn resistance. It is reported that the casualties are heavy.

The firing caused a panic in the city, and thousands began fleeing. Detachments of military cadets, commanded by officers of the Constitutionalists, are protecting the foreign embassies, and every possible means has been taken to prevent disturbances in the city. Major Enver Bey, one of the Young Turk leaders, has sent a company of infantry to guard each legation.

From the houses near Yildiz Kiosk the bodies of those who met death during the encounter near Tasch Kischla barracks are plainly visible. The streets near the firing line were quickly cleared and non-combatants were ordered to remain indoors to prevent casualties, and the possibility of mob violence, thus leaving the streets for the exclusive movement of the troops.

The public has been warned away from the neghborhood of Yildiz Kiosk, and the lines are impenetrable.

Began at Dawn.

Gen. Schfket, commanding the Constitutional army, began fighting in Constantinople at dawn. Word came from the city at midnight saying that the long-expected entry had been made, but people nevertheless went to bed, only to be awakened in the Pera quarter by the sound of artillery and the ragged crash of rifles in the direction of Yildiz Kiosk.

The battalion of the Sultan's household guard occupied Tasch Kischla barracks about 800 strong, and were resisting the advance of the investing army. Expecting an attack, they were deployed outside the barracks, when an officer from Gen. Schefket demanded that they surrender, but they refused.

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STEAMERS ARRIVED.

April 23.—At New York—Breslau, from Bremen; Lusitania, from Liverpool; Finland, from Naples.

At Manchester—Caledonian, from Boston.

At Rotterdam—Noordam, from New York.

At the Azores—Slavonia, from New York

At Barcelona—Antonio Lopez, from New York

At Marseilles—Madonna, from New York.

SIZE OF THE FISH CAUSED A FIGHT

Two Old Sports From Oklahoma" Had a Row, But Are Now Sorry.

Two citizens got in an altercation last night over the relative size of fish they had caught, and the argument became so heated that a row resulted, and they both appeared in court this morning. The men are old friends and one of them happened to be drinking a little too much and lost his head. They both expressed the greatest sorrow that the affair had occurred at all, as they are friends still.

"Well, I will let you both go," said the court, and the men went away together.

CHOP SUEY CHINK VELLY BAD MAN

He Took All the Fight Out of Charles Kennedy With a Poker.

Sing Gum and Gum Sing, two Celestials, who keep a chop suey restaurant on King street, near Richmond, were charged before Magistrate Love this morning with assaulting Charles Kennedy, but after hearing the evidence, both Chinamen were honorably acquitted.

Kennedy's story was to the effect that he went into the restaurant with a couple of other fellows and got into an altercation with the Chinaman over a bottle of pickles.

He claimed that the Chinaman hit him on the head with a poker and a billy.

The story as told by Gum Sing was that Kennedy came in in an intoxicated condition, and came behind the counter and kicked him in the stomach.

Sing Gum immediately attacked Kennedy with the poker in order to save his partner.

Kennedy was asked if he had been drinking, and admitted that he had had a couple of drinks.

"Don't you know that you were breaking the law by drinking at all," said the court, "You are only 18 years old. Anyway, I prefer to believe the story of a sober Chinaman to that of a drunken young man. I have never yet found that a Chinaman would attack a person unless he was molested, and I think that you deserved all you got for trying to make a rough house. I dismiss the case."

DOG POISONER AGAIN

Fiend Gets in Deadly Work in South London.

The dog poisoner is now at work in another part of South London, and as a result of his depredations along the Wellington road in the vicinity of Watson street, three pets, two of them pedigreed, are now dead. Another man returned home in time to save a thoroughbred poodle, a harmless pet.

A number of dogs in the northern part of the city have also gone to their doom within the past few days.

The owners are up in arms against the miscreant.

HALF TON OF DYNAMITE CLEARS NIAGARA GORGE

Youngstown, N. Y., April 24.—Nearly half a ton of dynamite exploded in three separate charges, widened the channel at the mouth of the river and began the tearing of icebergs from the jam further up stream. An iceboat was able to make its way up the Canadian side of the Niagara River for a distance of more than a mile and a half.

CITY'S LANDS ARE IN BAD SHAPE PORT TANGLE GROWS WORSE

It Is Now Likely That the City Will Have To Send to England to Get a Transfer of the Property Held in Trust by the Late Edward Adams.

The Port Stanley property is in an acute tangle.

When the deed of transfer, made by Mr. Bowman, was discovered, it was supposed that the whole question had been solved, but such is not the case, according to City Engineer Graydon.

He explains that the city property is divided into two parts by a street. This street has never been opened up, and remains as it was in the beginning.

Half of the property is in the name of Mr. Wm. Bowman, now transferred. The other half is in the name of the late Edward Adams.

Mr. Adams was the first president of the company, and was a director for many years.

No Deed.

The street has no deed whatever, and can be opened up at any time if some of the residents of the place desire it.

"I called the attention of the board to these facts," said Engineer Graydon today. "The city should apply to Port Stanley Council and get a deed of the street. I suppose they will have to send to England to have the deed of transfer from the Adams estate executed. Mr. Adams died in England many years ago."

The London and Port Stanley board will consider the question at a meeting to be held shortly.

NORRIE VERY LOW BUT MAY RECOVER

Doctors Say Windsor Man Shot by Shea Has a Fighting Chance.

Detroit, April 24.—After an examination, just after midnight at Grace Hospital, Dr. E. C. Hoff said that Norrie, who had been shot by Shea at Windsor Thursday, had a fighting chance to live. Only one ball entered his body, although another bullet hole was in his clothes. The bullet entered his abdomen, and took a slightly upward course. It is believed to have grazed his liver.

An X-ray photograph will be taken. If the ball is in the liver no effort will be made to extract it, unless blood poisoning or suppuration sets in, and renders an emergency operation necessary.

Shea stated before he was locked up that during the evening of the affray Norrie had insulted both Shea and his sweetheart on the floor. The trouble between the men is long standing. Shea, as manager of the Wayne roller rink, prohibited Norrie and his clique from the floor some time ago, and since that time the men have been enemies. Norrie is a fine-looking fellow and is a molder by trade, being employed at the Michigan stove works. He is a brother-in-law of Fred Van Fleet, secretary to Mayor Philip Breitmeyer, of Detroit.

Shea lives at 724 Fourth avenue with his widowed mother, of whom he is the sole support. Some years ago he was a ball player of ability, but broke his leg. About three years ago he umpired in the Three-I. League and was well liked.

"BAGS" NORRIE NOW HAS A GOOD CHANCE

Was Well-Known to Londoners Seventeen Years Ago When He Went to Detroit.

A dispatch from Detroit states that Harry Norrie, the man who was shot at a rink in Windsor by another man named Shea, was born in London 34 years ago. It is alleged that he was known as "Bags" Norrie here.

If he be the person of that name, he was known to Londoners in the latter eighties and early nineties. It is seventeen years since he left the city. He was a burly chap, and was a bootblack and newsboy for years. He had quite a reputation as a fighter, but, it is said, that one day he lost his title to the nickname of "Bags," when he met another newsboy, who won the name from him.

Norrie has not been around here in many years, and it is understood he was doing well in Detroit.

Will Likely Recover.

Detroit, April 24. — By being kept quiet and with careful treatment Harry Norrie, who was shot through the liver during a quarrel with Peter Shea in Windsor last Thursday night, has a good chance to recover. By an X-ray examination the bullet has been located and extracted from Norrie's body. Norrie has made a statement, admitting that he was the assailant in the fight at the roller skating rink, and that although Shea handed his coat to a young woman before leaving the rink, and apparently anticipated trouble, he did not begin to shoot until after he was attacked.

Nordie was born in London 34 years ago, and left there with his parents to come to Detroit 17 years ago.

APPARENTLY DRUNK TOOK EPILEPTIC FIT

Joseph Brierly Was Removed to Victoria Hospital in a Serious Condition.

Joseph Brierly was arrested last night for drunkenness, but soon after arriving at the police station he was attacked by what seemed to be a series of epileptic fits, and his condition became so serious that he had to be removed to Victoria Hospital, where he is at the present time.

Brierly is an Indian lister, and it is understood that he has been somewhat intemperate of late.

Military Examiners.

The presiding officers at the Royal Military College examinations this year will be Col. Peters, D. O. C., Major Shannon and Lieut. Pope.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES MEAN BUSINESS

Will Cut Down Expenditures and Also Increase Their Receipts.

The board of education will not only carry out a policy of retrenchment on expenditures alone, but will make an effort to increase the receipts, especially from non-resident pupils.

There are about 115 Middlesex pupils at present attending the Collegiate. At the present time they pay $1 a month, or $10 a year.

Some of the trustees are of the opinion that the fees should be increased to $1 50 per month, if not more.

This would increase the receipts considerably, and make the proportionate share of the county pupils more equitable.

The special meeting of the board will be held on Tuesday, when this whole question will be gone over, and the policy of economy and efficiency will be enforced.

CHORUS GIRL WAS TAKEN SUDDENLY ILL

Local Physician Summoned to Attend a Lady at the Grand Last Night.

Miss Ruth Stanley, a comely young miss in the pony ballet of "The Land of Nod," which played at the Grand last night, was taken violently ill near the end of the second act, and created considerable consternation among the female members of the troupe, as her condition was considered serious. Dr. Alexander happened to be in the house at the time, and was summoned. He administered restoratives, which revived the young lady almost immediately. She was taken to her hotel and spent a restful night.

The collapse was due to overwork and want of rest, as the troupe have had a lot of one-night stands lately, which are a crucial test to any constitution. Miss Stanley left for her home in Norfolk, Va., this morning, as the company disbands in St. Thomas after tonight's performance.

MADE THINGS LIVELY IN LOCAL BARROOM

Arthur Lenahan Was Fined $5 and Costs for the Fun He Had Last Night.

Arthur Lenahan appeared before Magistrate Love this morning on a charge of being drunk.

"You are coming here altogether too often for a young man," said Magistrate Love. "I will fine you $5."

When Lenahan was arrested he was charged also with being disorderly, but the charge was not pressed against him.

Last night Lenahan and a companion went down to a local hotel and started to make things lively around the bar by throwing things around.

This is an old pastime of Lenahan's, and he is said to have caused more trouble of this nature than any other man in London. He has been in court on charges of that nature and has been fined.

When the bartender objected to Lenahan's conduct he wanted to fight, and the proprietor was called in. Lenahan wanted to fight him then, and it is said made several attempts to hit him.

Sergt. Down was called and took charge of Lenahan, and he spent the night in the cells.

Lenahan had no money in court this morning and asked for time to pay his fine.

"I will give you until this afternoon to get the money," said Magistrate Love, "and no longer."

INCREASING ACTIVITY TO LOCAL TRADE

London reports to Bradstreet's say the general outlook continues to improve. Sorting orders are coming along nicely, and the general impression is that the business will move briskly during the coming summer. The building trades are busy and local industries generally report increasing activity.