

BREAKS JAIL.

Murderer Under Death Sentence Makes a Getaway.

All His Misfortunes Have Been Due to Women.

Allentown, Pa., July 20.—For the second time, Martin Laskowski, under sentence of death for murder, today escaped from the Mauch Chunk jail, 29 miles up the Lehigh River.

Laskowski, who is 30 years old and six feet four inches tall, claims kinship with Austrian nobility. He was formerly a captain in Kaiser Franz Josef's army. He came here as a renegade man. With his knowledge of foreign ways and language, plus his army training, he was engaged by the Central Railroad of New Jersey to command a squad of detectives who broke a strike at the Lansford collieries in 1904. A woman whom he courted told him that a detective and after he had thrashed half the strikers, he killed her in a fit of anger.

He put up a plea of self-defense. He might have been acquitted, but for the fact that she was the mother of his unborn child, and he was accused of double murder. After his conviction in 1906, while awaiting the day to be set for his hanging by the Governor of Pennsylvania, he engaged the daughter of the then Sheriff Rothermel in conversation. Reaching through the cell window he grabbed her by the neck and choked her unconscious with one hand. With the other he grabbed the keys, quickly unlocked all doors and escaped.

Last winter it was learned that Laskowski was in Butte, Mont. He had maltreated his wife, whom he had married since his escape. She knew of his troubles here and in revenge told on him, and he was brought back.

This morning Laskowski was again missing. He had somehow got hold of a steel saw with which last night he cut the bars of his cell window. With the aid of a rope made of his cot blanket, he got into the jail yard, 35 feet below. He then sawed off the gate lock.

So far he has eluded all efforts to recapture him.

AFTER PATTEN.

Man Tried to Force Way Into Wheat King's Office.

Chicago, July 19.—Clerks and patrons in the office of Bartlett, Patton & Company, Western Union Building, were alarmed today when an unidentified man attempted to force his way into the private office of James A. Patten, the "wheat king," and threatened the latter's life. The man was dragged from the brokerage office by the police. He is believed to be a desperado. He asked for money, and when refused an interview with Mr. Patten, became enraged. He was overpowered by a negro watchman. As he was arrested he declared he would kill the negro and would "get" Patten later. When taken to the Harrison street station the man gave his name as W. M. Belvin, and said his home was New York. In his pocket was found a Sherman House room key. At the Sherman House it was said that Wayne M. Belvin had been stopping at the hotel since July 17th, but that when he registered he did not indicate his place of residence.

50,000 MEN

Wanted For the Harvest Fields of the Western States.

Washington, July 20.—A cry for help to harvest the season's bountiful crops comes from the west to officials of the Department of Commerce and Labor. Fifty thousand able bodied men are wanted by the farmers of the west, according to representative Stephens, of Minnesota, who says the west is literally begging for help to gather the big wheat and other crops. He declares that the crop situation all through the west is splendid.

SMALL WAR.

King Alfonso Sending Reinforcements to Fight the Moors.

Madrid, July 20.—King Alfonso and Premier Maura are hastily returning to the capital from San Sebastian in connection with the sending of reinforcements to Melilla, where heavy fighting has been going on between the Moors and Spaniards. The Spanish Government is exercising the strictest censorship over telegrams from Melilla, and also the outgoing press despatches relating to the situation in Morocco.

COREANS STRIKE.

Seoul, Korea, July 20.—The Korean employees of the electrical street railway system in Seoul went on strike today. The property was recently transferred by the American company which built the line to a Japanese syndicate. The strikers threaten to storm the offices of the syndicate, and are only held back by a strong force of gendarmes.

TO FLY ACROSS.

Paris, July 20.—M. Bieriotti has announced his intention of attempting to cross the Channel on Thursday in his aeroplane.

NOVELIST DEAD.

London, July 20.—Rosa Nouchette Carey, the novelist, died last night. She began her career as a novelist in 1868, her works including "Robert Ord's Atoneement," "Not Like Other Girls," "Other People's Lives," and the "Highway of Fate."

NOT GOING BACK.

London, July 20.—Sir Robert Hart, who has spent a year's leave of absence in England, the first vacation he has taken in more than twenty years, has practically decided to retire from the position of director-general of Chinese customs on account of ill-health. He has suffered from insomnia and other complaints for a long time.

CANADA'S FAMOUS MEN AND WOMEN

Gladly Testify to the Great Value of "Fruit-a-tives."

Hon. Senator Costigan (member of the Cabinets of five Premiers of Canada), says: "Fruit-a-tives is the only medicine I ever took that did me any good for Constipation."

Mrs. J. R. Flock (widow of one of the most prominent physicians in London), writes: "I was a constant martyr to Stomach Weakness all my life and no physician could cure me, but Fruit-a-tives gave me entire relief and I strongly recommend this medicine."

Mr. James Dingwall (Superintendent of St. Andrew's Sunday School in Williamstown, Ont., for nine years) states: "I am now over eighty years old, and I can strongly recommend Fruit-a-tives for Bladder and Kidney Trouble and Chronic Constipation."

Mr. H. Macdonald (High Constable of Quebec), testifies: "I suffered for ten years with Severe Pains in the Back. Nothing did me any good until I tried Fruit-a-tives."

Mr. W. J. McComb (the leading merchant of Trenton, Ont.), writes: "I was a martyr to Headaches—consulted doctors wore glasses—without the slightest relief. Then I took Fruit-a-tives and this remedy cured me."

This is the kind of evidence that convinces. Dealers everywhere have "Fruit-a-tives." 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial box, 25c. Sent postpaid on receipt of price. Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

The Wizard Germ

(By Stuart B. Stone.)

The young bacteriologist looked upon the vial of colorless liquid and sighed his satisfaction. The uninformed layman might well have taken its contents for ice-cream or rose water. But the bacteriologist fidgeted about, ran his slender white fingers through his long, tousled hair and hummed a tune. A demure, petite young lady entered the room.

"Ah, Miss Newton," said young Marsden, "the new Philippine culture—the discovery of the eminent Dr. Papaz—the infinitesimally little white wonder-weapon! Do you marvel that you behold me in frantic, childlike joy?"

"I do not wonder," answered the young assistant, with a sigh. She was of striking blond beauty and her blue eyes did not leave the enthusiastic bacteriologist as she sank into the nearest chair.

"You do not dance about—you do not sing and shout. Surely you do not understand. It is the Lapaz bacillus—the wizard culture of—"

"It is a nasty germ," interrupted the girl, "and I hope it does not kill you." The professor smiled in gentle derision and shook the little tube, which of fered brilliantly. The girl came over and brushed a rich accumulation of lint and dust from his slanting shoulders.

"Do you know what Dr. Lapaz bacillus can do?" he asked. The pretty assistant shook her head and restored the red bandana that had almost fallen from the professor's pocket.

"I do not know, either," persisted Marsden, utterly unaware of her ministering attentions, "nor does the great Lapaz himself. But I will tell you some possibilities."

The girl sadly shook her head. "I might wipe a race of men from the globe, thin out the surplus population of China, annihilate the mosquito pest, the fly scourge, the plague of the slimy serpent. Properly managed and directed, Mr. Lapaz Bacillus might prove the friend instead of the foe of man—free the earth of the deadly pneumococcus, lay waste the trenches."

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The modish veil will be rather freakish. The spots and blocks will be irregular in shape and position. The more irregularly they are arranged the more stylish the veil will be.

But, hark! There is a greater extreme than this. It is the use of silver and gold tinsel in veils.

These veils are now selling in New York, having just been imported from Paris, where they are in great vogue.

The edges of some of the veils seen in New York are trimmed with the tinsel. The more freakish of the veils have irregular blocks and dots in silver and gold tinsel.

The effect is striking, as may be imagined. A model who placed one of these veils on her face in a Fifth Avenue shop were long, pendant earrings, of black glass. The sheen of the black and the glitter of the metal dots created an effect that might be endurable in Paris, but that would surely cause a blockade on an American street.

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"Well, I declare," he ejaculated. "I know now the functions of the new culture. Bless me, if it isn't the love germ!"

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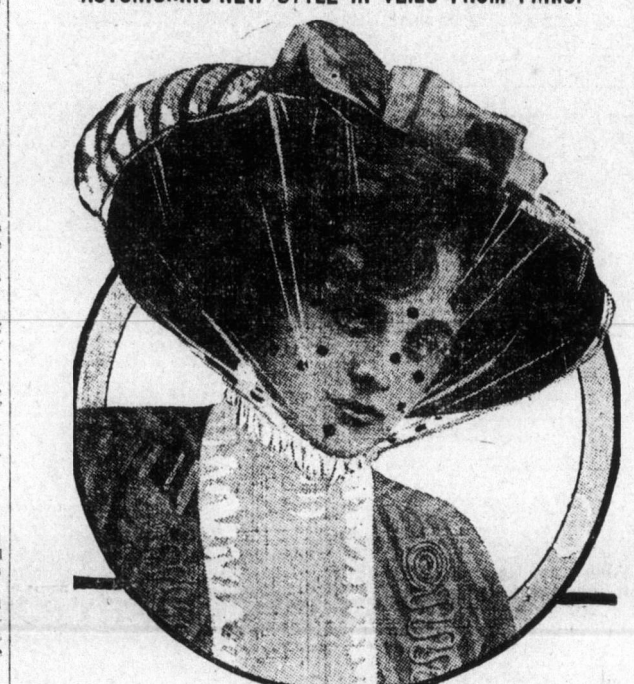
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THE EVERETT TRUES ENJOY A VACATION IN THE WOODS—NO. 2.



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Infant Mortality in Montreal.

Montreal, July 19.—No fewer than 122 deaths out of the total of 189 registered in this city last week were of children under five years of age. Seventy-five were infants under six months. The oppressive weather and unfavorable atmospheric conditions, combined with the bad milk supply and the ignorance of parents, accounted for this terrible average.

Cornwall is one of the latest towns to decide on a local option campaign. By a vote of 120 for and only six against, those who remained after a mass meeting to consider the steps to be taken resolved to petition the Town Council to submit a local option by-law to the people at the municipal election in January next.

The village of Redville, near Belleville, narrowly escaped destruction by a fire on Monday.

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A GOOD SHOW.

"May Blossoms" at the Mountain Theatre, Please.

"May Blossoms," a comedy drama in four acts, was presented before a large audience at the Mountain Theatre by the Summers' Stock Company last night. The play is one well suited to Belle Stevenson and her excellent company, and at no time was the presentation anything but interesting. As the heroine Miss Stevenson played her part in her usual capable manner, and was roundly applauded. William E. Blake, as Steve Harland, gave a good exhibition of the dramatic art in the role of the rejected, but finally accepted lover. Edward La Benz took the part of Rich and Ashcroft and made a plausible villain. Taken altogether the play was a good one and pleased the audience.

The cast of characters was as follows: Steve Harland Wm. E. Blake Richard Ashcroft Ed. La Benz Tom Blossom Chas. Whitehouse Uncle Bartlett S. J. Henley Owen Hathaway S. J. Lyons Hank Bluster Joe Knapman Eph Bert Deeks Captain Drummond Jefferson Roberts Deborah Blossom Florence Natoli Milly Mable Summers Little May Nellie Cotter May Blossom Miss Belle Stevenson Specialties were given between the acts by Miss Mabel Summers, Mr. Charles Whitehouse and the Lyons.

POWER LINE.

Adam Beck and Engineers Complete Inspection.

Hon. Adam Beck and the members and engineers of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission have returned from an inspection of the right-of-way for the Ontario Government transmission line, and the sites of the various transformer stations. They found that easements had been secured for 80 per cent. of the right-of-way, and that the locations for the transformers had been obtained. Eight miles of telephone wires have been erected near Toronto, and 6,000 poles and the necessary wires are ready for erection. Seventy towers to carry the transmission line are on the ground, and from 60 to 70 are being delivered weekly by the Canadian Bridge Company of Walkerville. The Commissioners and engineers visited this plant, and that of the Dominion Iron & Steel Company, at Welland, where steel for the towers is being rolled.

Tenders have been accepted for the construction of two transformer stations. Those for the erection of the remaining nine will be received by the Commission on Wednesday, July 28.

BRITANNIA.

Members Entertained to a Birthday Social.

Last night the members of above Good Templar Lodge met in the Salvation Army hall, Barton street east, for a social, on the occasion of the birthday of their popular Treasurer, George H. Lander.

The hall was comfortably filled by members and their friends, and after a brief congratulatory address by the chairman, John P. D. G. C. T., the programme was proceeded with. Those who contributed to it were Messrs. H. Hanson, M. Austin and Mary Taylor, also Messrs. J. Porteous, D. Campbell, J. Brown, R. Slade, G. H. Lander and G. Austin. Instrumental selections were given by T. Rowan. Between times, numerous parties were indulged in most heartily, the prime favorite proving to be ninepins. W. F. Lockhart acted as chairman, and a committee composed of several of the lady members of the lodge gracefully served out ice cream and birthday cake.

By the singing of "Auld Lang Syne," in which the Scotch twang easily predominated, a most enjoyable function was concluded. Next Monday evening the election of officers takes place, and it is expected that numerous changes will be made. Next Saturday afternoon the Britannia Rambling Club will go on a ramble to Ainslie Wood, leaving the Terminal Station at 3.10 p.m.

GOLD IN WELLAND.

Silver Also Said to Have Been Found on Farm in Pelham.

Welland, Ont., July 19.—Welland county is excited over the announcement of the discovery of gold and silver in the mountain of North Pelham. J. Ira Swazey, who owns a farm six miles south of St. Catharines, has had samples of the ore sent to Cobalt, Toronto and Buffalo, and in each case a most favorable analysis was given. The work of ascertaining the possibilities of the mine will be commenced at once, and if this proves satisfactory development will be undertaken. The farm is crossed diagonally by the survey of the new Welland Canal.

PAGEANT AT BATH.

Pictures History of Town from the Time of the Romans.

Bath, Eng., July 19.—The historical pageant which was inaugurated here this afternoon by the Duke and Duchess of Connaught equals, if it does not outshine in picturesque quality, many similar festivals carried out this year in various towns throughout England.

Eight episodes, representative of prominent events in the history of the city, commencing with the Roman occupation in 160 A.D., and winding up with a scene on which silver-clad maidens from the daughter towns named Bath in the United States and Canada paid homage to their "Lady Mother Bath," furnished a striking spectacle.

Victoria Park, with its panorama of hills in the distance, formed a charming stage. The whole city is beautifully decorated and crowded with sightseers.

Samples of ore, assaying \$1,000 per ton, have been taken from a new claim at Couture Lake, near St. Anthony Mine, in Sturgeon Lake District. A. Dyer, A. Dorwin and J. McCarthy, of Port Arthur, are the owners of the new strike, which they discovered while acting as assessors there.

LAST GORGE ROUTE CAR BORE DOWN ON INDIAN, FATALLY INJURING HIM.

Niagara Falls, July 19.—Fremont Hewett, 31 years old, a Tuscarora Indian, was fatally injured last night on the Gorge road near the Whirlpool and died this morning at 4 o'clock at the Memorial Hospital.

He was asleep on the track when the last car for Lewiston, in charge of Conductor Bass Smith and Motorman Walter Boyd, bore down on him. It was thought that the figure on the track was a shadow. He was huried to the Memorial Hospital, where the right arm was cut off at the shoulder and the right leg at the hip.

It is thought that Hewett had been fishing at the Devil's Hole and that he crept up on the tracks, thinking that the last car had gone on its way.

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Stanley Mills & Co., Limited Tuesday, July 20th, 1909

STORE CLOSÉS AT 5 O'CLOCK DAILY (EXCEPT SATURDAY)

—FOUR SPECIALS IN—

White Cotton Skirts

It's not often we have the opportunity of presenting four such good bargains as are advertised for to-morrow's selling. These Underskirts are all good—we know it, and that's the reason we're telling you about them. Each of the four bargains is placed to meet everyone's pocket book, yet at the same time they represent good stock and you will find nothing of a shabby or shop-worn nature about them. Do they look all right to you?

98c White Cotton Skirts 98c \$1.39 White Cotton Skirts \$1.39

WOMEN'S SKIRTS of extra good white cotton, with deep lawn flounce, two rows of lace insertion and clusters of pin tucks, finished with frill of lace; on sale Wednesday . . . 98c

\$1.98 White Cotton Skirts \$1.98 \$3.69 White Cotton Skirts \$3.69

WOMEN'S SKIRTS of extra fine cotton, with deep flounce, four rows of lace insertion, hemstitched tucks and finished with lace frill and dust ruffle; all lengths; on sale Wednesday . . . \$1.98

WOMEN'S SKIRTS of fine white cotton, with 20-inch flounce, two rows of embroidery, fine tucks and finished with deep embroidery frill, lengths 38, 40 and 42; on sale \$1.39

WOMEN'S SKIRTS of fine white cotton, deep flounce and row of white embroidery insertion, finished with deep frill of dainty embroidery and dust ruffle, lengths 38, 40 and 42; on sale . . . \$3.69

Chic and stylish hot weather shoes at big reductions to-morrow.

The latest styles from the well-known maker of the "Empress" Shoe are reduced for the reason that the lines are becoming depleted and the range of sizes broken. Here is your golden opportunity to get a bargain while they last.

WOMEN'S DONGOLA KID patent colt and vici-kid, Blucher style, extension edge, sizes 2½ to 7, worth regularly \$2.50 pair, on sale Wednesday at . . . \$2.19

WOMEN'S DONGOLA KID AND PATENT Colt Oxford Ties, Blucher style, single and double soles, sizes 2½ to 7, worth regularly \$3 pair, on sale Wednesday . . . \$2.48

WOMEN'S OXFORD TIES, in patent colt and vici-kid, Blucher style, extension edge, sizes 2½ to 7, worth regularly \$3.50 pair, on sale Wednesday . . . \$2.98

WOMEN'S CHOCOLATE KID OXFORD TIES, extension edge, military heels, Blucher cut, sizes 2½ to 7, on sale Wednesday \$2.48

WOMEN'S ONE STRAP DONGOLA KID HOUSE SLIPPERS, worth regularly \$1.50, on sale Wednesday for . . . \$1.29

Beach Delivery Every Wednesday

The Wash Goods Section Is Clearing Its Summer Stock

The Summer girl is sure to need just one more Cotton Wash Dress before leaving on a vacation trip. We just mention a few special items from this great reduction sale.

Fine Scotch and American Crepe Gingham, in scores of patterns, in stripes, checks, etc., in all colors, regularly 30 and 35c, July sale . . . 17c

A special purchase of Black Swiss Muslins, in white embroidered figures and dots, fine qualities, 40c, July sale . . . 25c

One only Cotton Voile Bordered Costume, 10-yard end, floral design, regularly \$10.00, clearing . . . \$3.95

Handsome Bordered Cotton Voile, in reds and Copenhagen, with fancy mercerized white border, 18-inch, regularly 88c, July sale . . . 48c

A clearing sale of White Swiss Muslins, fine, sheer qualities, in embroidered dots and figures, 32-inch, regularly 50, 65 and 75c, July sale . . . 28c

Stylish Suitings, in plain and stripe linens and cotton reppes, in brown and tan only, 35c, July sale . . . 19c

American Percales, in neat stripes and figures, full 36 inches wide, fine qualities regularly 19c, clearing 12½c

A clearing lot of Fancy Muslins, Batistes, etc., in a stylish range of this season's patterns, at 25c, for 15c; 20c, for 12½c; 15c and 18c, for . . . 8½c

Summer Hosiery Greatly Reduced

Clearing Remaining Summer Stock—Third Reduction

The Hosiery section has become interested in this great July sale. Our immense remaining stock of Summer Hosiery is reduced a third and more; unrivalled assortments in plain and silk lisle, in black, tan, brown, sky, pink, white, reeds, Copenhagen and cardinal; plain and silk embroidered styles; lace ankies and large coin dots and figures. These savings make it worth your while to purchase a summer's supply.

15c, reduced from 25c 25c, reduced from 39c 18c, reduced from 30c 35c, reduced from 60c

\$3.00 and \$3.50 Silk Parasols \$1.98 Reduced to \$3.50 and \$5

A chance to secure a high-grade Parasol at a low price. They are pure silk covering in Persian and satin stripe, border designs, stylish natural wood handles. On sale now . . . \$1.98

Travelling Rugs Reduced to \$3.50 and \$5

Fine Scotch All-wool Travelling Rugs, tartan plaid patterns, fringed ends, large sizes for steamer or travelling purposes, \$7 quality, for \$3.00; \$5.00 quality for \$3.50. Second floor.

Another Clearing of Suits \$4.98

Summer Wash Suits, in a reduction sale. Stylish, serviceable sorts, that every woman wants. They are in sky, pink, mauve, fawn, white and fancy stripe linen, in 32-inch Coats and gored Skirts, with fold and button trimming. Regular 07.50 and \$8.00, July sale . . . \$4.98

FINCH BROS., 29 & 31 King St. W.

the corn and season with a little salt and pepper.

PEARS—A NEW WAY.

When canning pears in the summer use a rich syrup. Before sealing add five whole cloves, and if brandy is not objected to one teaspoonful to each jar. When wanted in the winter open and turn into glass bowl. Add one teaspoonful of best almond extract and vigorously. Set on ice for two hours. Serve with whipped cream.

NEW WAY OF COOKING PEAS.

A delicious way of cooking peas is to take the outside leaves of lettuce and lay them in the bottom of the sauce pan, then put the peas on top of them and gradually bring them up to a boil. The juice from the lettuce leaves is sufficient to cook them without the aid of water and gives them a delicious flavor. Cook them on a slow fire. Before serving, turn them up a piece of butter on top of the peas about the size of a nutmeg.

TOMATOES UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

Procure perfect green tomatoes, cut fresh from the vines, about an inch from the tomato, leaving a little stem. Wipe dry and wrap each one in paper, separately. Pack in a box and keep in a dark corner of the cellar.

Next Thing.

"Have you got any of this new kind of whiskey that won't make a man drunk?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, give me a quart of the other kind."