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Notice

ICE is hereby given that the Erie and Northern Railway by having this day deposited at the County Office for the County of Brantford the Plan, Profile and Reference of the said line between Station 240.55 in the City of Brantford in the County of Brantford and Station 850.54.8 in the City of Toronto in the County of York, which Plan, Profile and Reference was prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

THE NOTICE that at the time of ten days of the said commission proceed to exercise their right of expropriation and all other matters connected therewith by the City of Brantford in the County of Brantford and the City of Toronto in the County of York, which Plan, Profile and Reference was prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

THEATRE

Theatre wishes to thank support during the Summer will be larger and better arrangements for a Special week (Monday and Tuesday) It is promised to put on never been witnessed in there is only one Colonial play house on King

THAW'S HEARING AT COLEBROOK, NEW HAMPSHIRE, IS ON TODAY

Harry Issues a Statement to the World About His Case.

New York Spending All Kinds of Money to Get Him Back.

[Canadian Press Despatch] COLEBROOK, Sept. 12.—The next legal battle in the case of Harry K. Thaw will likely be at Concord, N. H., before Governor Felker. The fugitive's lawyers learning to-day that an extradition warrant from Acting-Governor Glinn of New York, was on the way to the New Hampshire capital, decided to defer arranging Thaw's appearance in court here and to demand a hearing before he acts on the matter of extradition.

The representative to Concord to confer with Felker and reinforced their appeal by telegram. Thaw in the meantime is here in the custody of Sheriff Deane of Coos County in a Colebrook hotel. He was to have been arraigned at 10 o'clock this morning, but his counsel after trying vainly to persuade William Travers Jerome not to seize Thaw instantly should the warrant from New York be honored at once, deterred bringing him into court on the ground that a preliminary hearing would bring no good results. In fact it might mean his liberation with incident possibilities of his seizure. Counsel for both sides were in conference at noon, after which it was announced that by mutual consent of counsel the hearing had been put over till to-morrow morning.

COLEBROOK, N. H., Sept. 12.—Surrounded by ten of the twenty special guards sworn in by Chief of Police Kelley, Harry K. Thaw was to be arraigned to-day before Judge James E. Carr on a complaint setting forth that he was wanted in the State of New York on a charge of conspiring to defraud Justice by escaping from Mattawaen asylum for criminals inane.

The scene of the hearing was a busy office the time as set yesterday, 10 a. m. Thaw slept well during the second night of his detention in the Monadnock House. Four armed men, at just outside his door, throughout the night, others paced about the corridors and around the building. Talk of plots and counter plots to kidnap him were still in the air to-day and every time an automobile whizzed down the street with muffler open the guards tightened their grip on their automatic pistols. The pro-Thaw Canadian contingent which followed him over the border after his sudden deportation via Concord, N. H., was somewhat doubled to-day although more than a dozen were waiting the outcome of the court procedure. While residents of Colebrook are evincing great interest since they have taken no open stand either for or against the fugitive, shortly after rising this morning and before going to the barber shop to shave, Thaw issued a formal statement summarizing his case and pointing the fact that New York state was spending so much money on him.

Thaw's Statement The statement follows: "I think the people of my own state would like to know by what warrant of law or common sense the money of the people of the state of New York is being squandered like water by many more thousands of dollars than are available to me in these persistent and unscrupulous efforts to return me to Mattawaen. "If I am sane then certainly I don't belong to Mattawaen, if I were sane then the laws of New York state itself make it compulsory that I be deported from New York to my home state, Pennsylvania. "The statutes of New York require that insane persons from another state who are sent to Mattawaen or to any other New York public asylum not charged with crime, and I am acquitted man stand exactly in this class, be reported to the state board of deportation and promptly sent out of the state back to the state of my residence. "The New York law is so anxious to get rid of alleged insane persons from another state that it provides that doctors and nurses, if needed be supplied to get rid of them. "The United States courts had adjudicated me a resident of Pittsburg and reaffirmed this fact within three months. "Now why does any New York official squander New York money to return me?" (Signed)—H. K. Thaw

Hearing Delayed The hearing was delayed by conference between counsel for both sides. Each feared to make a move on the theory that if the fugitive were released the situation would resolve itself. (Continued on Page 8)

ARREST OF JEROME AS GAMBLER BY SHERIFF AT COATICOOK, CANADA



The photograph shows in the picture the first part set the whole world money for New York in the Thaw case, for gambling at Coaticook.

Walter Mitchell Stung; Bee Case in Police Court

The Bees of William Grieve, Dufferin Avenue, Said to be Busy Little Bodies and Can't Behave Themselves.

"Are honey bees which continue to fly over the neighbor's fence and sting the neighbors, a public nuisance?" This is the question which Magistrate Livingston was called upon to decide in police court this morning when Walter Mitchell, Dufferin Ave. appeared as complainant against Wm. Grieve, charging that his bees refused to stay at home and continued to fly over the fence, bothering the neighbors with their stings.

Counsel for Grieve claimed that the bees had never stung the complainant and endeavored to place the blame on a nest of wasps, but Mitchell declared that he knew a bee from a wasp and was sure it was the bees that were to blame. The plaintiff declared that he had been stung a dozen times.

Magistrate Livingston expressed the opinion that bees should not be kept in great numbers inside the city. Grieve stated that the bees were never going into their hives for the winter and he promised there would be no more trouble. The case was allowed to stand until Monday.

A Wife Abuser. "I am guilty sir, but I was under the influence of liquor at the time," said Chas. Milligan when charged by his wife Bridget Milligan with using insulting language.

"He is continually chasing me out of my home and abusing me," said Mrs. Milligan, when called upon to explain. She appeared to be very anxious to be separated from her husband and stated emphatically that she would not go back and live with him.

The case was adjourned for a week and in the meantime separation papers will be taken out.

Bicycle Offenders. Complaints having reached the police lately of violations of the bicycle law, it was decided to take immediate action and as a result Charles Spittal, Donald Gregory and Mike Music were summoned to court this morning and assessed \$2.00 each for riding on the sidewalk.

A drunk was fined \$3.00 as he was an old offender.

Henry Butler, who was arrested some days ago on a charge of having stolen goods in his possession faced the Magistrate again this morning but was further remanded in order that inquiries might be made. Several drunks were dealt with.

Bessie Simms, who were taken into custody last night.

Detectives went to the race track yesterday to try and locate Shapiro and Dreyfus but were unable to find them. The police did not divulge at the time of the arrest the reasons in detail for the detention of the race track men. They simply stated that Chief Ross had asked that they be taken into custody.

PASTOR BECOMES REAL UNDERTAKER [Canadian Press Despatch] SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—An "other San Francisco minister" is to become an undertaker. Rev. J. C. Friend, pastor of the Howard Presbyterian church, announced to-day that he would resign his pastorate next Sunday in order to take up the new work.

"The undertaking field," he said, "will give me an even greater opportunity for social service than the ministry. Solacing those in sorrow and caring for the dead has been so much a part of my pastoral work that I do not look upon the change as altering materially the purpose of my life."

Several months ago Rev. Dr. Bradford Leavitt resigned the pulpit of the Unitarian church to become an undertaker.

Tecumseh's Remains Said to be Buried Near Brantford

CHATHAM, Ont., Sept. 12.—The sessions of the Ontario Historical Society are proving very interesting and educative. The distinguished delegates include Prof. L. F. Grant, of Queen's University; Q. Gilmore, of McMaster; William Houston, M. A., of Toronto, and Dean Starr, of Kingston. Last evening an address of welcome was given by Mayor Dunn, followed by speeches of welcome from Dr. T. K. Holmes, Thos. Scutard, J. W. Plewes, John A. Walker and W. E. Park. Peter H. Bryce's paper on the history of the American Indian in relation to their health was read by the secretary in the absence of the doctor. Dr. Mitchell contributed an excellent paper on the Baldpate settlement. This morning Mrs. Brown of Hamilton gave a talk on Tecumseh, intimating that she had information that proves that the grave of the noble Indian warrior is near Brantford. Secretary Fraser pointed out that he had paid six hundred dollars for a rifle supposed to be Tecumseh's gun, but from reports that he has since received he believed that Tecumseh had several rifles. Prof. Grant gave a splendid paper on the racial affinities of the Indian tribes of Upper Canada, by Prof. Chamberlain. Mrs. Clementina Fessenden's claim as the one who started the Empire Day movement was brought before the convention and endorsed. The claims of Miss Catharine Fraser granddaughter of Explorer Simon Fraser, for Government recognition, were also brought forward and referred to the council for consideration. Dr. McCallum gave a paper on the fort, reformatory and asylum at Penetanguishene.

Taylor Occupies the Same Cell as Joe Kennedy Did

Consequently Authorities Watch Him Closely—He May Attempt Suicide—Dreadful Case is Practically Closed Now.

James Taylor, the self-confessed murderer, occupies the same cell at the county jail as Joseph Kennedy did when the latter committed suicide by hanging himself with his bed clothing. Not for this reason particularly, the jail authorities are keeping a close watch on the prisoner. Jailor Brown said this morning that they are watching his moods particularly, rather than his actions. Taylor, it is feared, may become despondent and take his own life, although the hope is entertained of a life sentence, may hold him up there. The work of the police is practically closed now. The prisoner was admitted at the inquest Monday night, but it is not expected that it will take very long. In the meantime, the community has got back to its normal state again. There is no change in the attitude of James Taylor, the murderer of the Dawson boy, who now awaits trial in the county jail. He sleeps and eats well. This morning, when Turnkey Hogan visited him, he found the prisoner snoring away, and he had to wake him for breakfast. He does not discuss anything with his keepers.

"Unadultrated Nerve" This Surely Proved

During last night or early hours of the morning some person or persons possessed of an extraordinary abundance of unadultrated gall went to the chicken coop of W. E. Green, 37 Church St., and picked out two fine chickens and hung their necks.

The uninvited guests then went into a summer kitchen and sat down and plucked one of the chickens. When the fowl was plucked the chickens went out into the yard, broke up a wooden box and then returned to the summer kitchen and proceeded to roast Mr. Green's chickens. They were evidently looking about for some bread to make dressing as when Mrs. Green's woken she heard a door slam. Mrs. Green's awoken her husband, who arose and turned on the lights and went to investigate the cause of the noise.

The self invited guests then departed taking with them the roasted chicken and one of Mr. Green's coats. The other chicken was left on the table wrapped in a newspaper. "They certainly had a lot of nerve and made themselves at home," said Mr. Green with a laugh to-day.

CITY OFFICIALS TO BE FULLY ARMED

They Get Notice to Appear at High Court Next Week.

City Treasurer A. K. Bunnell, City Clerk H. F. Leonard and City Engineer T. Harry Jones were served with notices this morning to appear at the next session of the High Court of Justice to be held in the Court House on Tuesday next at 10 a. m. in connection with suit of the municipality of the city of Brantford vs. The Grand Valley Railway and the Brantford Street Railway for non payment of taxes. They are to have there on the said date all tax collector's rolls, and assessment rolls and tax bill assessment notices; assessment of the properties of the Defendant Railway Company since 1907. All letters of the Mayor, City Treasurer, City Clerk and City Engineer to and between the officials of the road from 1902.

The case will be tried before Chief Justice Meredith.

The said city officials will leave the city hall on the opening of the trial armed with all the said information, documents, etc.

"Well Handled" Says Slemim

Chief is Home But is Still Enjoying Much Needed Rest.

"Very well handled. I am certainly well pleased," was the only statement which Chief of Police Slemim had to make regarding the handling of the Taylor murder case when-spoken by a Courier reporter this morning. The chief has just returned from Toronto where for the past few days he has been enjoying his vacation but he will not report for duty for some time yet.

While absent from the city the chief followed the Brantford murder case through the columns of the press with the greatest interest and it was a great relief to him when he was informed that the mystery had been cleared up so speedily and so well. "Nicely worked out," added the chief.

Sir J. M. Barrie is to reside for some weeks at Killiecrankie Cottage, Perthshire, the residence attached to the Tenantry estate at the head of the Pass of Killiecrankie.

NEW YORK MOURNING THE LOSS OF GAYNOR

MRS. RUSSELL SAGE IS 86 YEARS OLD



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Mrs. Margaret Olivia Sage, widow of Russell Sage, is now eighty-six years old, but the years rest lightly on her shoulders. Every morning she goes for a drive with her horses, and in the afternoon she enjoys a long trip in an automobile.

Britain Has Big Dirigible

LOONDON, Sept. 12.—It is learned that experts attached to the Admiralty are investigating a privately built dirigible of 1,500 miles radius, called the "Britannia." The dirigible is stated to have a lifting capacity of five tons. Two years ago, following the collapse of the Mayday, the British naval airship of the rigid Zeppelin type, experts in torpedoes boat construction were requested to design a dirigible of similar but improved pattern.

OSHAWA HAD BAD EXPLOSION

One Man Killed When Boiler Exploded at Noon To-Day.

OSHAWA, Ont., Sept. 12.—The boiler at the gas works recently purchased from the town of Oshawa by the Seymour Gas Company, exploded this morning at 9.30. Thomas Buckley was instantly killed and Daniel Anderson was so seriously injured that at the hospital it is not expected to recover. The only other employee who was in the building just prior to the explosion, had stepped outside an instant before and escaped injury.

A tank filled with coal oil, standing on a siding caught fire and the town was enveloped in thick smoke. A large number of windows in the neighborhood were broken and the entire city got a bad shaking up.

Two large gas tanks, one containing 60,000, the other 20,000 feet, in close proximity to the exploded boiler fortunately escaped damage or disaster would have been much more serious.

The building is a total wreck and the loss will probably reach \$20,000.

Tecumseh Report Is Not Verified

Mrs. Brown, wife of Mr. J. G. Brown, who is greatly interested in the work of the Brant Historical Society was unable, when asked by the Courier this morning to verify the report that Tecumseh the famous Indian warrior was buried near Brantford, Mrs. Brown with Mrs. Brown of Hamilton, recently conducted an investigation on the reserve. Ex-Warden Douglas had first informed her that Tecumseh was buried here. This was verified by an old Indian 97 years of age who lives on the reserve and who claims to have been a relative of Tecumseh. Last winter he was a witness in the County Court before Judge Hardy, the judge remarking that the Brant Historical Society should get right hold of him.

Smashed All Straw Hats

NEW YORK, Sep 12.—More than 50 youths were arrested during the night for smashing straw hats to emphasize their opinion that the straw hat season was over. In night court early to-day most of them were fined five and ten dollars. The young rowdies for the most part worked on trolley cars.

Liverpool City Will Accord Civic Honors to the Remains.

The Baltic Arrived at Queenstown Port This Morning.

[Canadian Press Despatch] LIVERPOOL, Sept. 12.—Arrangements were made to-day by the Liverpool authorities to render full civic honors to the body of the late mayor of New York, William J. Gaynor, who died on Wednesday afternoon on board the steamship Baltic, while that vessel was several hundred miles off the Irish coast, on the arrival of the steamer this afternoon at this port. Plans had been made to have the body lie in state in the town hall, guarded by a detachment of police, until the time arrived to take the casket on board the Cunard Line Steamer Lusitania for shipment back to the United States. The Lord Mayor of Liverpool took charge of the arrangements.

His Belief in Himself

LONDON, Sept. 12.—"His power lay in his belief in himself," is the Westminster Gazette's comment this afternoon on the late Mayor Gaynor. "His term in office," the newspaper says, "has shown what a strong, determined man can do under difficult conditions. The best we can hope for New York is that it will find a successor capable of carrying on his policy with the same self-reliance and with indifference to the opinion of the party machine." The other newspapers praise the dead mayor, one referring to him as a "modern crusader who spent forty years fighting political corruption."

New York Mourns Him

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—New York has a day of mourning to-day for the late Mayor Gaynor.

Flags flew at half mast and public buildings—the city hall, police headquarters, the municipal building—were draped in black.

The board of estimate, called together by Adolph L. Kline, the mayor's successor, was scheduled to meet this forenoon to arrange for a public funeral, to be held shortly after the arrival here of the Mayor's body aboard the Steamer Lusitania, which sailed to-day from Liverpool, and is due here a week from to-day, Monday, Sept. 22, has been suggested as a tentative date.

There were also to be meetings of the dead executive's cabinet-commissioners of various city departments—and of the board of aldermen to pass appropriate resolutions on the death of the chief executive and to take in hand the reins of the city government, confided by the mayor's sudden taking off.

The recent resignation of John Purroy Mitchell, now candidate for mayor from the presidency of the board of aldermen, and the sudden elevation of Mr. Kline, vice-chairman of the board to the mayor's chair, has left that body without a head.

The new mayor, a Republican, who will serve until a successor to be chosen at the coming November election is inaugurated on January 1, intends, he has announced, to carry out the policies of the Gaynor administration, "insofar as I know them," and to make no changes in appointive officials. None of these officials, it was believed to-day would hand in their resignations.

Messages of condolence from all parts of the country continued to pour in to-day at the office of Robert Adanson, the mayor's secretary and at the Gaynor country home, St. James, L. I., where Mrs. Gaynor and her children, are reported to be bearing their loss with fortitude.

The dead mayor's friends recalled to-day a paragraph he wrote in a letter to his sister soon after the attempt on his life three years ago. It was this:

"I was not a bit afraid to die if that was God's will of me. I said to myself, just as well now as a few years from now. No one who contemplates the immensity of Almighty God and his universe and his works, and realizes what an atom he is in it all, can fear to die in this flesh, yes, even though it were true that he is to lose his identity and be dissolved forever into the infinity of matter and mind from which he came."

Peculiar Fatality

MONTREAL, Sept. 12.—A peculiar fatality occurred on Craig street last night, when a painter by the name of Daly, fell from a ladder upon which he was standing to paint the cornice of a building. He had a rope tied around his waist for safety, but as he fell the loop tightened, the appliance intended to save the man's life in the event of falling, caused his death. He died before he could be got into an ambulance.