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DAWN MILLS.

A great many in the neighborhood are suffering from la grippe.

Considering the cold weather, Mr. Edmunds, the pastor, preached to quite a large congregation Sunday evening.

Frank Newby has hired for a year with Albert Elgie.

Camden council met on Monday and transacted a large amount of business. The auditor's report was received. Financially, the township at present is in the best shape that

it has been for some time. James Blackburn was re-appointed assessor and Mr. Clark, of Chatham Township, got the contract of taking down the old Town Hall.

W. H. Traxler sold his fine colt to Wm. Shaw, of Wabash, for a good price.

Mrs. Budd and son Fred, of Dawn, visited at F. J. Harris' last week.

Harvey and Mrs. Holmes visited at Russell Holmes, Wabash, on Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Boylan, who has been quite ill, is much better, and is visiting at her brother's in Croton this week.

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POSES OF MRS. THAW

District Attorney Jerome Does Not Spare Her in Cross-Exam.

Spings a Surprise When He Mentions the Garland Divorce Case—Wants to Know If Mrs. Thaw Was Not a Co-Respondent—Payments of Stanford White Inquired Into, But Witness Doesn't Remember.

New York, Feb. 21.—In continuing yesterday his cross-examination of Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, at the trial of her husband, District Attorney Jerome brought out that in 1902 Stanford White deposited the sum of \$1,350 with a New York trust company, with instructions that it be paid to the Nesbit girl at the rate of \$25 a week. Mrs. Thaw frankly admitted receiving a number of cheques from the trust company, but she would not admit that there was a provision that she should receive the money only when out of employment. The prosecutor spent nearly the entire afternoon trying to make Mrs. Thaw reply that this was true, and in many ways as he put the question to her, she gave the one answer, "Don't remember."

The Garland Divorce. Mrs. Thaw's inability to remember a number of other things about which Mr. Jerome questioned her was by far the most material element in the cross-examination.

He interrogated her most pointedly as to her male acquaintances of the past. He laid special stress upon her acquaintance with James A. Garland, who figured for the first time in the case. Mrs. Thaw said she knew Garland before she met White.

Were't you named as co-respondent in the Garland divorce case?

asked Mr. Jerome.

Mrs. Thaw was shaking her head when Mr. Delmas sprang to his feet with an objection. He demanded that the record of the divorce case be brought into court that it might speak for itself. Justice Fitzgerald overruled the objection, but Mr. Jerome withdrew the question.

The Poses. Mr. Jerome questioned the witness about her manner of posing for artists, and brought from her a denial that she ever posed in the nude. Mr. Jerome insisted on details on the subject. He did not mince words. Many photographs of Mrs. Thaw were introduced in evidence.

"Was there any exposure of the person or did you wear the so-called artistic draperies?" he asked.

"I would not say that," replied the witness, "I posed in a Greek dress and a Turkish costume with low neck draperies."

Asked for letters from White witness said Mr. Harbridge had some of them, and Jerome demanded their production.

"Was there a single word of impropriety or indecency in Stanford White's letters to you?"

"I don't remember."

Mr. Jerome questioned her about her first stage as partners.

"Mamma said I ought not to go out without her," replied the witness.

"When you went on the stage, your mother came for you every night?"

"Yes, until I met White."

"During this time did you ever pose for an artist in the nude?" he asked.

"Never."

"Ever have any casts made in the nude?"

"No."

During the morning session he plied the young woman with questions as to what disposition she made of the letters written to her by Stanford White. Some, she said, had been destroyed, and some she gave to her husband. In the midst of the district attorney's examination with regard to the letters, and when he was pressing the witness for an answer as to what had become of some of them, Thaw leaned over and whispered to his counsel in a voice audible to those nearest him: "Stanford White stole them." Attorney O'Reilly thereupon said aloud: "Stanford White got them."

SUES HUSBAND'S PARENTS.

Wife of R. M. C. Cadet Asks Court For \$53,000 Damages.

Montreal, Feb. 21.—Suit for \$53,000 for alienation of her husband's affections, has been brought by Mrs. Augustus N. Agnew, against her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Agnew, and his sister, Miss Catherine Agnew. Three thousand dollars of the claim is for expenses actually incurred by her in consequence of the marriage and subsequent desertion. The rest is for damages.

Mrs. Agnew, then Miss Mary Gobor, was married in Augustus N. Agnew in Kingston in December, 1904, while he was at the R.M.C. He lived with her until the following February, when he returned to his people in Montreal and afterwards went to Europe. She has not seen or heard from him since.

MAY BE MORE ARRESTS.

E. F. B. Johnston, K.C., Retained to Defend Mrs. Perkins.

Cayuga, Feb. 21.—The arrest of Mrs. Mattie Perkins for the murder of her husband, is the sole topic of conversation. It is quietly rumored that before another day has passed Ralph Curry, brother of the prisoner, and also T. A. Macdonald, hardware merchant, of Canfield, Ont., may be placed in custody, pending the preliminary investigation next Wednesday.

E. F. B. Johnston, K.C., of Toronto, will conduct the defence.

Smoot Holds His Seat.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The committee resolution to unseat Senator Smoot as amended, was defeated by a vote of two to forty-two. The vote ended a contest against the Utah Senator of three years' standing. At the conclusion of the voting, Senator Smoot was given a reception in the Republican caucus room.

TRAIN WRECK NEAR WINDSOR.

One Stalled In Snow Is Crashed Into by Another—Passengers Injured.

Windsor, Feb. 21.—In a blinding snowstorm, Wabash passenger train No. 13, bound from Buffalo to Chicago, crashed into another passenger train one and a half miles west of Belle River, 16 miles east of Windsor, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Neither train was much damaged.

No. 3 was "stalled" in the snow and the crew of No. 13 say there were no signals displayed at the rear of the snowbound train.

Engineer George H. Elseys, 15 Aylmer avenue, Windsor, in charge of No. 13, was jammed against the side of his cab, but escaped with slight injuries. His fireman was also lucky, escaping with a few cuts and bruises.

Upwards of a dozen passengers on both trains were more or less injured, but none fatally. Some sustained broken ribs and dislocated shoulders.

J. A. Ashbaugh, Wabash surgeon at Windsor, went to the scene of the wreck on an auxiliary train, which left Windsor at 6 p. m. He was able to give temporary aid to all.

Some of the injured went to hospitals on reaching Detroit, and it is thought they will not have to stay more than a day or two.

Windsor railway officials say the operator at Belle River is to blame for the wreck; that he should not have allowed No. 13 to leave there until No. 3 reached the next station west.

Killed By Yard Engine.

London, Feb. 21.—Frederick J. A. Churchill of 708 Lorne avenue, car checker at the Grand Trunk freight shed, was struck by a light engine in the Grand Trunk yards and received injuries from which he died in the city ambulance.

Killed In Saw Mill.

Kingston, Feb. 21.—A board in Main's saw mill at Ashbood flew back from the saw and struck James E. Main, the proprietor, such a blow on the head that death came to him some hours afterwards at Calabogie.

Girl Dies of Burns.

Toronto, Feb. 21.—Six-year-old Annie Johnston, daughter of George Johnston of 100 Fern avenue, died in Grace Hospital at midnight from burns sustained at her home yesterday afternoon.

Her mother, who tried to save her, will recover.

Death List May Reach 100.

Mexico City, Feb. 21.—A despatch last night from the Las Esperanzas mines in the State of Coahuila, where a disastrous explosion occurred Tuesday night, says it is believed that the death toll will total between 75 and 100.

Dies In Hotel Fire.

Guelph, Feb. 21.—Mrs. Sidney Saunders of this city, who left for Baltimore some weeks ago on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. J. S. Mack of that city, suffered a sad bereavement in the death of her father Tuesday.

Mr. Mack, who was a traveling salesman, was in Charleston, W. Va., stopping at the St. Albert Hotel, when a fire broke out in that building. As all escape by the stairways was cut off, Mr. Mack, who had been aroused by smoke, jumped from a third storey window. He was rendered unconscious by the fall, and died shortly afterward.

CHAMBERLAIN IS A WRECK.

Authoritative Statement Concerning Health of Fiscal Reformer Published.

London, Feb. 21.—An interesting authoritative statement concerning the health of Joseph Chamberlain was published yesterday.

It does not confirm the worst rumors, but it shows that Mr. Chamberlain is completely broken physically, although he is mentally alert.

He passes most of his time indoors at Highbury, his Birmingham residence, but when the weather is fine he drives in a carriage in the grounds of his estate or on unfrequented roads in the vicinity. He seeks to avoid the public gaze. He never stays outside the house more than forty-five minutes at a time.

He sometimes spends considerable time in his orchid houses, as the temperature in these buildings suits him, or he will be wheeled in an invalid chair about the grounds.

He occasionally takes a short walk, supported by his stout stick and the arm of his wife, but the invalid chair always is at hand.

FAMILY FROZEN TO DEATH.

Woman and Three Children In House and Man On Prairie.

Estevan, Sask., Feb. 21.—A man named David Trapper has arrived here with news that a farmer named Radcliffe, with his wife and three children were frozen to death.

Mrs. Radcliffe and the children were frozen stiff with no fuel in the house. Radcliffe and his team of oxen were found frozen to death. He was in the creek with a sleigh loaded with coal.

Radcliffe arrived from England last May.

Phillips Case In March.

Toronto, Feb. 21.—As Burt, the missing witness in the York Loan Co. investigation, is now in the city, Mr. Phillips' case will be called on March 5, in the sessions which then open.

Gov. Hughes Removes Kelsey.

Albany, N.Y., Feb. 21.—Governor Hughes sent to the Senate yesterday a special message recommending the removal from office of State Superintendent of Insurance Otto Kelsey.

Mr. Flavell Will Stay.

Toronto, Feb. 21.—At the request of Premier Whitney J. W. Flavell has withdrawn his resignation, and will continue to serve on the board of governors of Toronto University.

Raiders Sentenced to Death.

Kimberly, Feb. 21.—Ferreira, the leader of the raid from German Southwest Africa in November last, and four of his followers, were yesterday sentenced to death.

French Cruiser Ashore.

Paris, Feb. 21.—The French cruiser Jean Bart is ashore off Galia Point on the western coast of Morocco, and will be a total loss. Her crew got ashore safely.

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