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TORONTO MAUSOLEUM VISITED BY LOCAL MEN

Civic Deputation Greatly Impressed With Beauty and Effectiveness of Fine Building for the Dead.

Brantford Will Have Mausoleum

Galt, Toronto, Niagara Falls, St. Catharines and London have mausoleums, which are becoming popularly considered as "the better way" for the interment of the dead. A civic deputation from Brantford yesterday visited Forest Lawn Mausoleum at Toronto, and were greatly impressed with the quiet beauty, endurance and scientific construction of the building. It was thoroughly believed by the deputation that Mt. Hope cemetery would be greatly enhanced in beauty and value by having a mausoleum.

In company with Mr. J. F. Langley of the International Mausoleum Company, Ald. Spence, McFarland and Ryerson with Superintendent Muirhead of the Brantford cemetery system, paid a visit to Forest Lawn Mausoleum at Toronto yesterday. The purpose of the visit was an inspection of the mausoleum with the view of having one established here. Forest Lawn consists of 37 acres near Yorks Springs and the site of the mausoleum is similar to that of Mt. Hope cemetery in Brantford. It was the emphatic opinion of the deputation that such a mausoleum with its beautiful chapel with pillars of sky blue marble on each side and its long rows of crypts, marbled floors and walls would not only prove acceptable to Brantfordites, but would be a great modern improvement to Mt. Hope cemetery, which is ideally situated and laid out for such a building.

The International Mausoleum Company has already achieved success in Ontario cities. The mausoleum costs the city nothing except the ground, the company selling the space and

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TEN AGED JUDGES SLATED TO RETIRE

Eight of Those in Ontario County Courts Are Over 75 Years.

TO RECEIVE FULL PAY

OTTAWO, Aug. 21.— The operation of the new amendment to the Judges Act will call for the retirement in a short time of ten judges of County Courts. Eight of them are in Ontario. The Act as amended last session provides that a county judge on reaching 75 years of age shall retire from the bench. He will be entitled, however, to pull pay.

No special notification has been sent out by the judges affected, but there is reason to believe that they are fully aware of the new provisions, and in all cases are quite ready to abide by them. In Ontario there are now four county judgeships vacant, or twelve in all, making allowance for automatic retirements. The number of aspirants is fully equal to the number of vacancies.

The new law does not apply to Supreme Court judges, who may retire voluntarily after so many years' service and receive full pay. If they choose to do so, Sir John Boyd and Mr. Justice Britton are now eligible to avail themselves of this provision, but it is not intimated that they have any intention yet of taking that course.

FIRE CHIEF COMMITTED FOR TRIAL AT RED CLIFF

Charged With Attempting to Bribe Police Chief and Constable.

RED CLIFF, Aug. 21 — Walter Turner, Chief of the Red Cliff Fire Brigade, was yesterday committed for trial by Magistrate Henderson, charged with attempting to bribe Chief of Police Sullivan and Constable Reynolds $120 a month to allow him to run a gambling and bawdy house in the town. Every effort was made by the defence to question the veracity of the local police, but without avail. Following the action, Chief of Police Sullivan is beginning a libel suit for $10,000 against a local paper.

Young Men Ducked, Old Man Fought

Bandits Visit a Bank To-day at Suburb of Hamburg, Germany.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

HAMBURG, Germany, Aug. 21.—A robbery which culminated in murder and savored much of the methods employed in recent months by Parisian and American automobile bandits occurred this morning at the Communal Savings Bank at Wilhelmsburg, a suburb of Hamburg.

Two men drove up to the bank in a taxicab, and one entering the building, levelled revolvers at two young clerks, who scurried for shelter. The cashier of the institution, an aged man, in an attempt to save the money in its care until help could be summoned, fought with the two men but was shot dead. The bandits then appropriated all the cash in sight and escaped in the automobile.

THE PLACE FOR HIM.

The mother (impatiently)—I don't know what we'll do with Tommy. He doesn't seem to agree with anybody.

The father (irritably)— I spose we'll have to make a dramatic critic out of him.

FOREST FIRES RAGE IN ONTARIO

In Haliburton Wild Animals Are Being Forced Into the Open.

TORONTO, Aug. 21.—Bush fires are sweeping unchecked through many parts of Ontario and nothing less than a downpour of rain will effectually check them.

The fire conditions in the country north of Lindsay are reported worse and the fire is within a mile of Haliburton village. At Gelert the fire is very near the village and is beyond control. Grand Island, the largest island in Balsam Lake, is on fire. In the Township of Apsley, in Haliburton, settlers are in a desperate way and have applied to the government for help. Wild animals are being forced into the settlements for shelter, and many of them bear marks of the flames. At Donald the Chemical Company has lost several thousand cords of wood. The districts between Bobcaygeon and Burleigh have a number of fires and extensive damage is being done. All around Lindsay, Fenelon Falls and Bobcaygeon the air is filled with smoke, causing discomfort, while in the streets of the two last places it was reported ashes were falling and adding to the general anxiety. Three farm buildings were burned yesterday to the south of Minden. In the Uphill district the hay was all out, but practically all the remaining crops in had been burned out, in some sections as far as Victoria Road.

A dispatch last night stated that in the Parry Sound district the fires had not been considered dangerous until this week, but the continued drought and the heavy wind has added a new danger, and at present the whole of the country to the north of Parry Sound is in a perilous condition. Around Deer Lake and Whitestone Lake half a dozen fires are devouring their unmolested path, and the little villages of Ardberg and Boakview, on the C. N. O. Railway were for a time in grave danger.

The latest dispatch from these places was considerably more hopeful on account of the wind having changed its direction.

The situation in Grey County is also bad.

Used His Suspenders In Suicidal Attempt

Jail Prisoner Recaptured After Escaping Was Caught in Time.

MONREAL, Aug. 21—George Thibeault, whose real name is said to be George Chalut, a convict, who escaped from the Bordeaux jail aweek ago, and who was recaptured and returned to that institution, tried to commit suicide in the jail early yesterday morning by hanging.

Thibeault took off his suspenders and fastened them to the upper part of the door of his cell. One of the wardens on his rounds heard Thibeault gasping in his cell, and dashed in, preventing the man from carrying out his attempt.

THE REASON FOR IT.

Grandma—In my day, girls were more modest and reserved than they are now.

May—That's because you were taught that modesty and reserve were more alluring to the men.

A SENSELESS QUESTION.

Country boarder (to farmer's boy digging worms)—Going to get some fish for dinner, sonny?

Boy (disgustedly)—Naw; goin' to get some worms for the fishes' dinner.

THAW MUST GO BACK; THAT IS DECISION REACHED AT OTTAWA

Dominion Government Will Seize Him and Ship Him Right Back, if the Courts Say Extradition is Not Legal---Immigration Authorities Will Do the Trick---A Complicated Affair.

OTTAWA, Aug. 21— Formal demand for the surrender of Harry K. Thaw, was made by telegraph upon the Canadian immigration authorities here to-day by Acting Governor Glinn of New York. The department replied that it would take no action until the present extradition proceedings should be concluded.

The department let it be known that it would seize Thaw and attempt to deport him should his extradition to the United States be refused by the Dominion courts.

SHERBROOKE, Aug. 21 — Lawyers for Harry K. Thaw, fencing for positions in his fight to resist deportation to the United States after his flight from Matteawan, won an advantage behind the scenes in Sherbrooke to-day by delaying his appearance in the Superior Court on a writ of habeas corpus. Dominion, immigration officials, and with them the district attorney and the sheriff of Duchess county, New York, had hoped that he would be produed at 10 a.m., discharged on the present defective commitment and thus fall into their hands for deportation at a point on the border as yet undecided.

Thaw's lawyers, however, believing in the advantage of delay, declined to serve their writ on the jailor, or as locally known, "the governor," of the prison and Thaw remained in his hospital ward cell, chatting with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Lauder Carnegie. Superior Judge Globensky was sought by the immigration officials and the officers from New York to insist on the service of the writ, ostensibly returnable forthwith, but the court held that Thaw's lawyers were within their rights.

There were no court proceedings during the forenoon although townspeople jammed the court room. Thaw's battery of lawyers, victorious so far in the strange proceedure of keeping their client in jail, agreed to announce this afternoon whot disposition they purposed to make of their writ. If they still persist in not serving it, the immigration authorities and District Attorney Conger of Dutchess county, planned to have the writ declared void and insist on Thaw's arraignment at once, either here or at Coaticooke, near where he was arrested.

To-day the case had reached a stage where the usual relations of the parties to a criminal action are absolutely reversed. On the one hand the lawyers for the prisoner were found fighting hard to prolong his imprisonment, while the authorities, local, Dominion and United States were anxious to have him set free, safe in the belief that the immigration officials would seze and force him across the frontier.

Mr. and Mrs. Carnegie spent nearly an hour with Thaw before noon. "He is looking fine," said the former Margaret Thaw as she left the jail.

Dr. Britton D. Evans, doctor of the New Jersey state hospital at Morris Plains, who arrived with the Carnegies last night, also conferred with Thaw.— "I found him looking very fine, indeed," said Dr. Evans.

Policy of the Defense.

SHERBROOKE, Que., Aug. 21— With the arrival here last night of J. B. Greenshields, K.C., Montreal, to lead the legal forces now working for Thaw, the policy of the defence underwent a complete reversal. Instead of fighting to get the slayer of Stanford White out on a writ of habeas corpus, it was decided, it is understood, at a conference held last night, not to hurry the proceedings, and it was confidently expected this morning that the writ secured would not be served for a while.

Thaw, from appearances this morning, will not come up to-day before Judge Globensky.

Owing to the error in the papers committing Thaw to jail, he is safe therefore for an indefinite period, as no date for the hearing of his case was mentioned in it.

By allowing Thaw to stop in jail, the defence has neatly offset the immigration authorities, who had been for Thaw's release from jail, when they would have pounced upon him and it is firmly believed ordered his deportation at once, perhaps to New York State, against which return Thaw is fighting, as it would entail his immediate reincarceration in Matteawan.

In order to get the immigration officials enquiry, that must ultimately take place in Coaticook, which is close to the New Hampshire and Vermont orders, to which state Thaw would prefer to go. W. L. Shirtliffe, K.C., one of his lawyers, left for Ottawa last night to interview the department of the minister of the interior. Little importance is attached by the immigration authorities to the fact that Thaw has a through ticket to Detroit, which it has been claimed by the defence side would enable him to proceed on his way out of Canada. The fact that Thaw is a lunatic in the eyes of the country from which he came makes his entrance into the Dominion illegal, and gives the immigration authorities, once they get hold of him, power to detain him or immediately ship him back from whence he came.

While Thaw is in jail on the commitment signed by the justice of the peace at Coaticook, he is safe from the immigration department, who have no power over him, and it is thought that the defence lawyers will leave him there until they have formulated a definite plan of action.

It is known that the Thaw lawyers want to get permission from the Minister of the Interior for Thaw simply undertaking to leave Canada and to allow him to select his own destination, which might be, as one of his counsel stated this morning, South America.

Feverish and Worried

SHERBROOKE, Que., Aug. 21.— Feverish and worried, Thaw dressed before sun-up to-day and received Mr. and Mrs. Carnegie, his brother-in-law and sister, as his first visitors

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AMERICAN WOMAN SHOWED HER PLUCK

She Went After Thief in Paris and Recovered Her Purse.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

PARIS, Aug. 21.— An American woman, Mrs. Fred Thompson of St. Louis, showed her mettle yesterday by overcoming an apache who had snatched her purse. Mrs. Thompson was sitting reading in the Trocadero Gardens when the apache sprang at her and made off with her wallet, containing several hundred dollars. Instead of stopping to scream Mrs. Thompson pursued the thief and after a brief chase seized him by the collar and held him until the police arrived.

Newspaper Men Are Too Aggressive

In Vancouver Strike, and Leader Wants News Censored.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

VANCOUVER, Aug. 21.—The suggestion is made by the commander-in-chief of the troops in the mining district, Col. Hall, that newspaper reporters in the strike zone should be provided with military uniforms, be attached to the corps and have all news censored by an officer. Col. Hall declared that many of the strategic moves have been laid bare in the press before being executed and he had been at much trouble as the result. Newspapermen have not yet submitted to the request, as they are uncertain whether to wear kilts, khaki or red coats, and military compulsion has not yet been been suggested.

THE BIG TATTOO

Parade Starts at 7.30--Everything is in Readiness

Everything is in readiness for the big tattoo at Agricultural Park tonight, and Bandmaster Frank Johnson of the Dufferin Rifles band promises a splendid event. The parade will get away down Colborne street promptly at 7.30. The musical programme is one of the finest which could have been selected, and other features of a special nature will make the attraction an extraordinary one.

GERMAN ARMY SHOT TO PIECES

So Said August Bebel, the Late Leader of the Socialist Party.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

LONDON, Aug. 21.—Replying to a question whether Germany's recent army increases meant an attack on France, August Bebel, the late German Socialist leader, just before his death at Zurich, on August 13 last, wrote the following letter, which is published to-day in the Pall Mall Gazette:

"The German Emperor has seen during the Balkan war that our army has completely gone to pieces—that is that our officers are incapable of commanding, and the material is absolutely impossible. If the French had wished to attack us, they would probably have been successful, for we were not strong enough at the frontier. If the French had guessed that they were strong enough they would have begun an attack.

"The German Emperor saw that French arms had much greater importance in the Balkan war than had German ones. He also knew that the military element from Germany that had helped the Turks was to blame for the misfortunes of the Turks. It is an open secret that Germany was to blame for this defeat."

These facts, Herr Bebel assured his correspondent, had been obtained from the best sources.

Dogs And Speed Fiend Raise Price Of Meat

Farmers Cannot Graze Sheep on Roadside as of Yore.

GUELPH, Aug. 21—Local drovers state that at present fat beef is becoming scarce and that they are experiencing difficulty in securing an adequate supply. They also state that prospects are not any too good for a further supply, owing to the shortness of the straw and the poor hay crop. Of lambs, too, there is a dearth. Farmers who were wont to keep a flock of sheep, using the roadside for their pasture, have been forced by the advent of dogs and the speed fiend on motorcycles and in autos to abandon the industry. All of these things have had their share in raising the price of meat.

Race Entries At Windsor

WINDSOR, Ont., Aug. 21.—Entries for to-morrow:

FIRST RACE—Purse $600, 2-year-olds, maidens, 5 furlongs (13):

Decathlon	110	Lady Trageser	107
Zodiac	107	Sheffield	107
Bolala	110	Harboard	110
McCarey	107	Penniless	107
Colle	107	Woodrow	110
Manners	110	Netmaker	110

Also eligible to start should any of the above be scratched: First Degree 107.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600, 2-year-olds, Canadian-bred, handicap, 5 furlongs (5):

Boozer	90	Dark Rosaleen	109
Marion Gaiety	114	Old Reliable	102
Slipper Day	114		

THIRD RACE—Purse $600, maiden 3-year-olds and up, 1 mile (8):

White Heat	105	Fardoodle	107
Glass	110	Fred Drew	110
Luther	107	Rock Bar	107
Bittra	110	Henry Ritte	112

FOURTH RACE—St. Clair handicap, purse $1500, all ages, 6 furlongs (8):

Grosvenor	92	Sun Queen	98
Pan Zareta	104	Prince Ahmed	109
aCrisco	96	aFlabbergast	108
Great Britain	106	Helen Barbee	114

aTurner entry.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $600, 3-year-olds, selling, 5½ furlongs (8):

xKing Cotton	99	xPatience	103
The Idol	108	Theodorita	110
xIndolence	108	Pat Rutledge	105
Colors	108	Louise Tr'vers	110

SIXTH RACE—Purse $500, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 6 furlongs (10):

Queed	101	xFox Craft	107
Raquette	109	Nimbus	112
Anavri	115	xFred Levy	105
xTom Sayers	109	Russell McGill	109
Palo Alto	114	Love Day	116

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $600, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 1 mile and 70 yards (7):

xKinmundy	91	Woodcraft	102
Billy Vand'veer	109	York Lad	110
Chemulpo	101	xIvabel	101
Falcada	110		

xFive pounds apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather, clear; track, fast.

Wife of Titanic Victim.

PARIS, Aug 21—Mrs. James Clinch Smith, whose husband was a victim of the Titanic disaster, died yesterday at Leysin, Switzerland. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Bertha Barnes of Chicago. Mr. Smith, who was a resident of New York, was a brother-in-law of the late Stanford White. Mrs. Smith suffered severely from shock as the result of her husband's tragic death, and on several occasions had been reported dangerously ill.

ONE LAW FOR RICH ANOTHER FOR POOR

British Press Gives Some Caustic Comment on the Thaw Business—Thaw's Wealth Saved Him From Gallows.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

LONDON, Aug. 21.—There are some caustic editorials in the press here on the Thaw case.

The Daily Express says: "If American justice should not succeed in the recapture of Harry Thaw from the asylum which he clearly believes himself to have found in Canada, perhaps the heaviest blow yet delivered will be struck at the insecure foundations of a judicial system undermined by corruption and sentimentality. The common course of American justice amazes people in this country, and the ease with which you rich men escape the meshes of American law, strikes an Englishman as humiliating to the public conscience of a great country. America is one of the greatest countries, but there is one law for the rich and another for the poor. The millionaire by weight of money mocks at law.

"In this country we should have hanged Thaw or sent him irrevocably and indefinitely to Broadmoor. In America he escaped the death penalty, escaped from an American Broadmoor and now seeks to defy the justice he outraged."

The Manchester Dispatch says: "When Americans themselves freely ascribe the escape of Thaw to the power of money, outsiders can feel less restraint in their comments. We make bold to say there is no European state west of Russia in which a scandal like this could have been perpetrated without arousing such a storm as would destroy the entire hierarchy of officials responsile for it. The whole story of the Thaw case summarizes the case against modern developments in American social life. Had Thaw been a poor man he would probably have taken his place in the electric chair. Being what he is he may yet live to take his place as a quiet, humdrum member of society outside of New York state."

MRS. THAW REMAINS IN UNITED STATES

Mother of Fugitive Decides Not to Join Her Son in Sherbrooke.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

PITTSBURG, Aug. 21—Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, mother of Harry K. Thaw, the slayer of Stanford White, will not go to Sherbrooke to aid in her son's fight for freedom. Neither will Roger O'Mara, the big detective trustee of Thaw, go to Canada.

This much was decided yesterday after a long telephone conversation held between O'Mara and Mrs. Thaw, who is at her home "Elmhurst," at Cresson, Pa. Thaw, however, will not want for moral and financial help from his mother. Mrs. Thaw stated to-day that she will aid her son in his fight for liberty. She also said:

"I am sorry Harry did not succeed in reaching his home here in Cresson. I am sure he would have been safe from molestation. Everyone knows Harry, who was born and raised here, and had he been able to reach Elmhurst I am confident he would never have been molested again by the New York authorities."

VOTING IN CHESTERFIELD BYE-ELECTION YESTERDAY

Coal Miners Are Expected to Vote For Disowned Labor Candidate.

LONDON, Aug. 21—Polling is proceeding at Chesterfield to fill the place at the late Jas. Haslam, miners' leader. Additional piquancy in the contest has been afforded through the official Labor party having disowned Barnet Kenyon, who is running both as Liberal and Labor candidate.

A frankly Socilaist candidate appeared at the eleventh hour in John Scurr. Coal miners for the big bulk of the voters, and it is probable that they will vote solidly for Kenyon, who is assistant secretary in their union. Edward Christie, the Unionist candidate, has been nursing the constituency for eight months. His chances depend on the extent of the Socialist poll.

Will Cost $40 Now To Get Drunk In Ingersoll

Magistrate Patterson Decides to Impose Maximum in Future, and Insist on Cash.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

INGERSOLL, Aug. 21.—After to-day it is the intention of Magistrate Patterson to impose a fine of $40 and costs in all cases where charges of drunkenness have been proven in the police court. This is the maximum penalty. The magistrate entertains the opinion that the minimum fine of $20 and costs, which he has been imposing since local option went into effect, has not been sufficiently restrictive. One man was yesterday fined $20 and costs, but the court made it plain that hereafter the fine will be increased to $40. Those fined must also pay promptly as the police court is now doing business on a strictly cash basis.

Punish Them If?

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.— Secretary of the Navy Daniels has directed the punishment of the sailors of the Pacific reserve fleet who participated in the destruction of the Industrial Workers of the World and Socialists property in Seattle, July 17, and 18, if they can be identified, though he severely condemned the civilians who abused the sailors and the American flag.

MRS. PANKHURST COMING TO CANADA

Leader of English Militants Interviewed in France.

FIVE HUNGER STRIKES

TROUVILLE, France, Aug. 21.— The Suffragette movement is an international one Mrs. Pankhurst, the leader of the English militants, said to a correspondent in the course of a chat yesterday, at the same time announcing her intention of visiting the United States and Canada at the end of the year to lecture in various other cities.

Mrs Pankhurst said that the justification of the fierce militancy prevalent in England lies in the fact that the British Government has broken faith with the Suffragettes, for after having promised to introduce a Woman Suffrage Bill in the House of Commons, the Cabinet took care to make its passage impossible.

"The militant movement—or call it war, if you will—is the only means of effecting our purpose," she said. "If the Irish had not persisted in harassing the Government, would the latter have consented to give them Home Rule? Why was the Welsh Disestablishment bill allowed to pass Simply because Lloyd George himself threatened trouble in Wales if it failed.

"We have got to fight to obtain our rights. There is no other way.

Talking of her personal experiences in the course of five hunger strikes, one of which lasted nine days Mrs. Pankhurst said:

"Abstention from food, though torture enough, is nothing compared to the awful agony of self-imposed thirst. One's body literally shrivels up until it resembles a mummy. If people could only see some of our martyrs lying inert after a hunger strike with their faces white, drawn and shrunk and with clenched fists, the imagination would be so struck that the country would be roused and force the government to stop the struggle by giving us the vote."

Mrs. Pankhurst believes the Government has arrived at an impasse through the failure of the "Cat and Mouse Act."

"What can it do," she asked. "Its only logical course is to recognize our political rights."

Mrs. Pankhurst, though she has lines about her eyes, shows little external signs of the sufferings she has endured. Her physical condition is apparently good.

Wholesale Smuggling Across The Border

Operations Amounting in the Thousands Discovered Out West.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug 21.— Wholesale smuggling of horses, cattle and grain across the Canadian border, amounting to thousands of dollars, and said to involve well known local cattle dealers, has been unearthed by Collector of Customs Judson La Moure, jr., of the district of North and South Dakota, and Northwestern Minnesota, assisted by Special Agent Foulkes of St. Paul, according to announcement last night. Several arrests along the border have been made.

According to information from Hallock, Minn., near the centre of the smuggling district, the operations have been carried along the border between St. Vincent and Warroad, Minn. There is no customs port between these two places, which are about 100 miles apart.