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SEE THEM LADIES.

S. MILLEY.

Why London Police Allowed Dr. Crippen to Escape.

Scotland Yard has issued the following defence of its methods in allowing Dr. Crippen to escape from London after suspicion of him had been aroused:—

A statement issued by an official of Scotland Yard recently defended the action of the police in the Holloway mystery.

"People are asking why we allowed the man to remain at liberty, and why we did not arrest him immediately upon visiting the house. The question seems a very simple one now that it is known to be a case of murder, but before the public pass any condemnation they should try to place themselves in the position we were in before there was any evidence or any definite suspicion of foul play. Until that time the only intimation we had in our possession was that Mrs. Crippen was missing. Well, now, in the course of a week we receive in London alone about one hundred cases of missing people, about whom we are called upon to make inquiries. In this case, upon receiving communications from friends of the missing woman, we interviewed Crippen, who told us that his wife had gone off with a Count. He spoke in a very off-hand manner, and in effect told us that he did not care in the least that she had gone off with the Count, since he had the typist to take her place. We were not in a position to enter the house, because we had no evidence of foul play. We were not in the position of the French or American police, who, having greater power than we have, can make an arrest where there is the least ground for suspicion. There is no doubt we need greater power than we now possess for dealing with cases of murder. If we had entered Crippen's house without his permission he could have ordered us out and brought an action against us. As a matter of fact, after he had been closely interrogated, Crippen invited us in the house in order that we might search it. We did so, and Crippen himself accompanied us in the search. We found nothing suspicious, and his statement that his wife had gone off with a Count suggested a possibility of contradiction which we had not then the evidence. As a matter of fact, it was not until Crippen disappeared that we had any real grounds for suspecting foul play. Prior to that Mrs. Crippen, so far as we were concerned, could only be regarded as one of the scores of missing people about whom we are daily making inquiries."

Wholesale Murder by a Vengeful Maniac.

Discharged Fireman Shot Three Former Pals and Killed His Own Family—Grudge Against His Captain—Four Are Dead—Beat His Wife and Little Child to Death With a Club.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Aug. 1.—Bert S. Durham, a former fireman, after shooting and killing one city fireman, mortally wounding a second, and seriously wounding a third, near a fire box from which he had sent in a false alarm, in an effort for revenge, early to-day went to his home, and with a bludgeon beat his wife and little child to death. He then made his escape.

Rising an old grudge against Fire Captain Sampsell, under whom he had worked, as engine driver, and on whose complaint he had been discharged from the service for insubordination, Durham early to-day sent in a false alarm from the outskirts of the city. When Captain Sampsell and his crew came up, Durham opened fire on his former workmates with a revolver.

At the first shot Driver Don Grant fell from his seat dead with a bullet in his head. At his second shot Hoseman Guy Elliott pitched to the ground with a bullet through the stomach. Durham then levelled his revolver at Sampsell and fired twice, both bullets piercing Sampsell's lungs.

Two more shots fired at other members of the crew went wild. Durham drew another revolver and covered his retreat as he started to run from Assistant Chief Snedcor. As he disappeared in the darkness Durham shouted back to the Chief:—"Tell my wife I am going to kill myself."

The victims of the shooting were rushed to St. Joseph's Hospital in one of the hose wagons. Operations were performed on Sampsell and Elliott. Sampsell will probably die. Elliott has a chance.

Within half an hour of the shooting a score of police officers and deputy sheriffs were on the scene in earnest and had begun a man hunt. Owing to

the darkness Durham reached home and slew his family and then fled again.

The Men He is After.

Councillor Mullaly at last night's meeting wished it to be understood that he was not after the poor man who could not pay his arrears. He was after the well-to-do men who could pay and refused to do so. Those who were circulating the report that he was after the poor man were doing it out of malice prepense and well knew it was a falsehood.



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Miss E. MacMillan Fleming, Sask. Canada, Master Fergus Foley, 241 Hamilton Ave., St. John's, Nfld. July 23, 1910.

Here and There.

M. G. B. Band will proceed to Topsail to-morrow (Sunday), leaving Headquarters at 8 a.m. sharp. They will bring large and small books and stands.—aug. 11.

HAS TEN WHALES.—By the Prospector we learn that the whaler Hawk, which is fishing at Cape Charles, has 10 fish. Whales are very plentiful in the Straits of late, but it is hard to catch them as the weather is stormy and foggy.

WOMAN BECAME ILL.—This morning an old woman who was passing along Cabot Street became affected with the heat and after sitting on a doorstep fainted away. A couple of young men passing saw the woman's condition and called a woman from a neighboring house, who looked after the old lady. After a few minutes she came to and proceeded on her way.

Here and There.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.—"Religion of to-day as described by the Bible," is the interesting subject that Rev. T. Laite will preach on to-morrow night at the Evangelical Church, Hutchings Street. An invitation to all. Seats free.

CHINA CUPS and Saucers, Plates, Dishes, etc., Glass Preserver Dishes, Tumblers, Wine Glasses, Decanters, Vases, etc. We are always fully stocked with the above lines. At LARACY'S, 345 and 347 Water Street, opposite Post Office.

BOAT FOR REGATTA.—The C.C.C. are resolved to have a new boat built for the Regatta next year. A collection has already been started to raise a fund for the purpose and it is believed that there will be no trouble in raising the necessary amount.

RINK OPEN.—The Roller Rink will re-open on Monday, August 8th, at 2:30 p.m., and at 7:30 p.m. Admission, 10c; skate checks, 5c; Ladies, 10c; Children, afternoon only, 5c, including skates. Bennett's Band every night.—aug. 4.

PASSED IN ENGINEERING.—Mr. Thomas Lumsden, son of Mr. A. K. Lumsden, sent a cablegram yesterday from Glasgow saying that he had taken a chief's certificate in marine engineering. We congratulate him on his success.

LANDING THE CABLE.—Our Harbor Grace correspondent sends us today an excellent photo of the landing of the cable a few days ago at that town. The picture is the work of Mr. Freeman, photographer, Harbor Grace, and is a very artistic souvenir of that historic event.

NAVAL DISPLAY.—The Guy Committee will have a brilliant naval display at Harbor Grace on the 17th. Mr. W. A. Munn, who is in charge of the arrangements, is being assisted by the chief gunner of H.M.S. Brilliant, who will have a display that will be unique in the history of Conception Bay.

Church Extension.

The contract has been signed by the authorities of St. Michael's Anglican Catholic Church and Mr. J. Bishop, builder, for the erection of a Chancel as an addition to this church, Casey Street. The Building Committee are very fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Bishop who besides his experience in church building has been connected with St. Michael's Mission for the past twenty years. The upper portion of the new addition will be used for Divine Worship, and the basement will be utilised as a Children's Sunday Class Room for the infants of the Church. That part of the Church now used as Chancel and Sanctuary will then afford additional accommodation for the growing congregation, space being thus found for about 150 more worshippers. Since the present priest, Rev. J. Brinton, has been in charge the Mission has made rapid strides, and a fund is being started shortly for the purchase of more land on which to build a new Church in a few years, when the present building will become a Parish Hall and School. For the present erection nearly enough money is in hand, and it is hoped to have the Church ready for Dedication by Sept. 29th (Feast of St. Michael and All Angels) which is the Patronal Festival of this Church. We commend this West End congregation on their zeal, and trust they will soon rejoice in the fruition of their labours.—Com.

Wedding Gift.

The employees of the R. N. C. electrical department called on Mr. J. W. Morris, the Superintendent, last night and presented him with a wedding gift of a solid silver service. The donors were glad of having such an auspicious opportunity of showing their regard for Mr. Morris and their appreciation of his many acts of courtesy and kindness. Good wishes for a happy wedded life were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Morris.

Clance's Application.

At last night's meeting of the City Council Wm. Clance applied for the position of instructor in the swimming baths which are being projected. Clance, who was formerly a member of the C. C. C., is a Naval Reservist of several years standing and is as much at home in the water as a fish. He is a fine steady chap and none better could be appointed for the position. Give Clance a show, gentlemen of the Council. He comes from good old stock and will serve you faithfully.

LARACY'S have just received direct from the manufacturers per "Dronning Maad," from Antwerp, Tumblers, Glasses, Decanters, Goblets and Fancy Glassware. Selling at our usual low prices at LARACY'S 345 and 347 Water Street, opposite Post Office, may 14.

Health Report.

A case of scarlet fever and two of diphtheria were reported at the Board of Health Office this week. One of the latter ended in death. Three houses were disinfected and released from quarantine. There are five cases of scarlet fever and five of diphtheria in hospital at present, also two of typhoid. There are eight cases of scarlet fever and one of typhoid being treated at home.

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C. C. C. IN CAMP.—The C. C. C. will go into camp at Woodstock on the 10th inst. The Promotion Co. will join the brigade in the course of the camping term. It is likely that a large number will take advantage of the occasion. The place where the C. C. C. will camp is quite near the foot of Topsail Hill.

Invitations to the Coronation

London, July 30.—A deputation saw Mr. Asquith recently in reference to the scheme of inviting representatives from the dominions over the sea to the coronation. They urged the Government's co-operation. Mr. Asquith suggested that the matter should be left to both Houses of Parliament which course should be followed. Probably the members will be the guests of the Lords and Commons.

English R. R. Accidents

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The Board of Trade report on railway accidents in the United Kingdom shows that in 1,264,800,000 passenger journeys only one passenger lost his life in an accident on the train in which he was travelling, the first case for a period of twenty months, while the number of injured, 390, is low compared with the average of previous years.

A Heavy Rainstorm.

The rainstorm of last night was a very heavy one. On the steeper streets of the city the rain acted as a flusher and this morning they are wholesome and certainly not as malodorous as they have been for weeks past. A few wet days like yesterday would do the city good and save the Council a good deal of cash which must be spent in the flushing and cleansing of drains.

Cabmen's Charges.

The public will be glad to learn that at last night's meeting of the City Council Mayor Ellis made a proposal to consider the question of the cab tariff at a special meeting. A Catholic clergyman who is here on a visit was charged one dollar for a fifteen minutes' drive. He had an idea of what was coming and held his watch in his hand all the time.

Fast Auto Driving.

At last night's meeting of the City Council, Councillor Mullaly moved that the attention of the police be specially called to the dangerous rate of speed at which automobiles are now being driven through the city. A letter from a citizen was read at the meeting drawing the Council's attention to the matter.

An Address on Power.

Edward Smith, Esq., J.P., who is here on a visit from Worcestershire, Eng., in the interests of the Colonial Missionary Society, will preach at the Congregational Church to-morrow on the subject of "Power." A greeting will be extended through him from the Rev. Sylvester Horne, M.A., Chairman of the Congregational Union of England and Wales at the evening service. At a special meeting in the Lecture Hall to-night Mr. Smith will deliver an address on the "Sunday Morning Adult School Movement," with which he is closely interested at home.

Amethyst Arrives.

The s.s. Amethyst, Capt. Bernier, arrived here at 8 p.m. yesterday from Montreal with a large cargo. The ship left Montreal on July 27th and called at Eastern Harbor and Charlottetown, taking cargo at both places. She left Charlottetown at 1 p.m. Thursday and had fine weather at the start, but later it became foggy and until Cape Race was reached yesterday morning this continued. The ship besides a general cargo has 120 head of cattle and 100 sheep.

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