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LITTLE ACCOMPLISHED BY THE VISIT OF BORDEN

ANOTHER SENSATION IN THE POLICE GRAFT CASE IN NEW YORK

Certain Houses That Paid \$1,500 to \$2,000 a Month for Protection

New York, Aug. 31.—Searching along the trail of police blackmail that led up to the murder of the gambler Herman Rosenthal, the state's attorney has come across a form of social evil from which colossal profits are yielded. This blackmail was obtained from about a dozen houses in this city each of which paid from \$1,500 to \$2,000 a month for police protection to the inspectors in those districts they were situated.

A TRIPLE ELOPEMENT

And They Left With Some of Their Employers' Cash

Boston, Aug. 31.—A remarkable triple elopement is reported. The six lovers who are all between the ages of eighteen and twenty-four, were fast friends, and as each engaged partner had to cope with a loquacious, they agreed to leave together.

PERSONALS

M. A. Maher, of New York city, is visiting his sisters, the Misses Maher, Golding and The Times, Dgby. Mrs. A. G. Gregory and Mrs. Roy Gregory returned on the Montreal express yesterday after visiting Montreal, Toronto and Niagara.

SAYS HE WAS ROBBED

Frederick Gleason, George Clowes, who came from Perth, Victoria county, to work with Mayor Bross, on his contract on the Gibson & Minto Railway, reported last night that he had been robbed of \$200 by a stranger on the highway road a couple of miles above the city. According to Clowes, he had been off on a little time, and had \$28 and some cents in his pockets. He met a stranger with whom he fell in love and introduced a friend. The stranger asked him to lend him \$5, promising to give him a good time. Clowes gave the man the \$5 and after a while had a sleep waking up to find that he had been robbed of all his money.

DREDDING AT ST. GEORGE

Dredding.—The dredge Beacon Bar and the Lord Wolley which have been working at St. Stephen and St. Andrews for some months past, arrived in port on Wednesday about noon. It is understood that they will continue the deepening of the channel from about 1000 yards above St. Stephen island up into the harbor which was commenced some four years ago. When completed the channel will be eight feet deep by seventy-five feet wide and will be of great advantage to the town, as all the schooners can then come in at light at any time and the Customs Bar could come in at any time within an hour of low tide.

THE WEATHER

Probabilities. Moderate northwesterly wind; fair and cool.

English People Praise Speeches But See Nothing Done For Defence

Westminster Gazette Sounds Keynote of True Imperialism—Weather Will Be Ruin of Many Comfortable Farmers—The Funeral of General Booth—An Airman Who Turns Critics Into Admirers

(Times' Special Saturday Cable) London, Aug. 31.—Hon. R. L. Borden has left England. The Westminster Gazette declares: "His visit, we have no sort of doubt, will prove to have been of great importance to the organization of the empire." But while Mr. Borden's aspirations, methods and speeches have aroused real gratitude and admiration here, there is a general feeling that little progress has been made in formulating an acceptable permanent scheme for co-operation between the dominions and England in imperial defence.

THE FUNERAL OF GENERAL BOOTH

Friday bore abundant evidence of the deep impression made by the funeral procession of General Booth upon all classes of business men in the city of London. The spectacle of 6,000 uniformed men and women marching through the streets, their discipline, enthusiasm and restraint, the homage of kings and emperors have combined to move London. On the day following General Booth's death one influential citizen, a publisher, was inclined to question his real claims to greatness. He was compared with Boulanger and we were assured that his army would fade away. Old lies were repeated about Salvation Army finances. But all these sneers have been hushed and all sections united in praising him on Thursday, and bankers and great merchants joined the poor in standing for hours in the city streets that in honor in silence paying their tribute of respect to the great procession passed by.

CODY, SNEERED AT, COMES OUT AHEAD

The result of the British army aeroplane trials have been received here with great satisfaction. Cody has been awarded first prize in both the British and international divisions, thus gaining about \$5,000. Cody was long a subject of much satire among British sportsmen. His picture appeared, by his delight in popular approval, his playing to the gallery were ridiculous, and men dismissed him as a poseur and nicknamed him Coddie. Gradually his courage and perseverance told, and he turned up smiling after terrible accidents.

GUN MEN READY TO GIVE EVIDENCE IN NEW YORK CASE

New York, Aug. 31.—"Whitely" Lewis and "Dago" Frank Cirofi, indicted gun men in the Rosenthal murder case, were reported yesterday to be ready to turn state evidence on condition that they be left off with light punishment. The lawyer, it is said, assured them that this was their one chance to escape the extreme penalty of the murder charge against them and that they probably get off with five years each. The gun men then authorized the lawyer to negotiate.

ANGLO-GERMAN CONFERENCE

London, Aug. 31.—An Anglo-German conference is to be held in London from October 30 to November 1 next to discuss the question of the promotion of friendly relations between the two countries. Representative speakers of both nations will speak during the conference, and all the societies for promoting international peace will send delegates.

VILLAGE ROW HAS SEQUEL

Grant Appleby Stabbed To Death in Cobden, Ontario

Grant Appleby, 27, a student in attendance at the Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto, who was spending his vacation with his parents, Cobden, was stabbed to death by a man named Collins, who was a neighbor of his.

HAD BEEN A QUARREL

"Wild Pete" Collins and his wife had been quarrelling with Grant Appleby and his family for some time. The quarrel was renewed on Thursday night, and Collins, who was a neighbor of Appleby's, went to his home and took out a revolver and shot Appleby in the chest.

ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF REAL ESTATE SWINDLE

Toronto, Aug. 31.—Clarence B. Burleigh, one of a firm of real estate agents, who formerly did a thriving business in Toronto, was arrested yesterday, charged with obtaining \$500 under false pretences. Burleigh was in the west and in partnership with another man, opened an expensive office of offices and advertised himself as the agent of McAllister Ltd., of Calgary. Two ministers paid \$300 and \$200 for non-existent lots in the west and the police say that Burleigh has secured some of Toronto citizens.

STRANGE CAUSE FOR DIVORCE

Philadelphia, Aug. 31.—In an exceedingly round bout last night, Puckey Macfarland, of Chicago, received the popular decision of Joe Hirst, of Philadelphia. In all but one round, Macfarland landed at will, while the few blows of his opponent lacked force.

THE BRUSH FACTORY

Negotiations are still pending in the matter of the re-establishment of the Canada Brush factory in the city. The commission and the members of the company have as yet come to no agreement regarding terms for the loss desired in Duke street, but the matter is now in the hands of Commissioner Schofield, and a decision is looked for soon.

BIG MARKET TODAY

There was a most plentiful supply of produce in the country market this morning, but notwithstanding this, the prices on almost all lines, particularly meats, remained firm. Green goods were very abundant and were in great demand, and there was a ready sale for most as well. Lamb was brought in in large supply but high prices prevailed.

FUNERAL

The funeral of Mrs. Griffith Stackhouse will take place this afternoon at three o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Lane, 241 Duke street. Service was conducted at the home and grave by Rev. W. H. Sampson. Interment will be in Cedar Hill.

NO TIMES ON MONDAY

On Monday, Labor Day, the Times-Star will not be published.

TURNSTILES BEGIN TO CLICK TONIGHT AT THE EXHIBITION

TONIGHT AND LABOR DAY AT ST. JOHN'S EXHIBITION OF 1912

Formal opening at 8 o'clock; the doors will be open at 7 o'clock. The speakers tonight will include: Mayor Frink, Lieut-Governor Wood, Hon. J. D. Hazen, Hon. William Pugsley, Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer, Hon. J. W. Daniel, Hon. J. E. Williams, W. W. Hubbard and C. B. Allan, Vice-President of the Exhibition Association. The Grand Band will be in attendance. Labor Day Program.—The program for Labor Day in the order of the clock is as follows: Early Part of Day. 7 a. m.—Doors opened. 9 a. m.—Pike show started for a merry day. 10 a. m.—First of the horse judging and exercising of cattle in grandstand circle. 11 a. m.—Steam turned on in Machinery Hall and motion exhibits started up. 12:45 p. m.—First flight of Capt. Tom's 5 balloons in aeroplanes. This will be a distance test, rising from the ground in front of the grandstand and soaring over the harbor. After Lunch. 1:30 p. m.—Resumption of activity in Machinery Hall. 2 p. m.—Ballooning ascension of Prof. C. C. Bonnette and thrilling triple parachute. (Continued on page 7, sixth column.)

DOUBTS YET AS TO ALBERTA CROPS

Edmonton, Alb., Aug. 31.—The crops of northern and northeastern Alberta are still hanging in the balance. There was too much frost in this vicinity on Thursday night. Yesterday, however, was fine and warm, and it is expected that crops will be saved. The problem of freight accommodation is causing considerable concern at this point. The cut in the lines entering Edmonton 500 loaded freight cars bearing goods for this city are held up. They are in groups of 100, and are being held up by the problem of having them immediately unloaded and the goods delivered to their proper destinations. These 500 cars, if relieved of their westbound merchandise, would be immediately available for grain shipments east and south.

CUT IN CABLE RATES BENEFIT TO PAPERS

New York, Aug. 31.—Another reduction in cable rates is expected to be announced by the Western Union Telegraph Co., which will be put into effect on September 1. Formal announcement of the reduction is being made on the other side of the Atlantic by Postmaster-General Samuelson, who has jurisdiction over the British lines, which are owned by the government. The cut leaves the rates as follows: General day and night press rates between London and New York, seven cents a word; London to New York, six cents; New York to London, five cents; New York to London, five cents; New York to London, five cents. This is intended to facilitate the transmission of news at the periods most useful to the newspapers on both sides of the ocean.

SON STRICKEN; FATHER DISLOCATES SHOULDER

Suffering it is supposed from sunstroke Fred Colley now lies dangerously ill at his home, Little River. He went on a trip to Boston a few weeks ago, but was brought home ill last Saturday. T. R. Colley, his father, when he heard the news of his son's illness became greatly worried and while going to the left of his barn, fell and dislocated his shoulder. It is said to be getting better.

Easy For Macfarland

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Ready For The Opening of The Fair

MUCH THERE TO INTEREST

Speech-making in Amusement Hall at Formal Opening at 8 O'clock—Some Things That a Tour of the Buildings Reveals. With practically all the exhibits in and with all the decorating finished, St. John's 1912 exhibition is now ready for the formal opening which will take place tonight. Yesterday hundreds of painters, carpenters and decorators were busily engaged putting the finishing touches to the exhibit and the big fair is now in good shape. With a few exceptions the booths in the main building are ready and those that are not will be about completed by the evening. Downstairs in the machinery hall the exhibits are being rapidly put in shape, and the exhibit of machinery this year will surpass that of any former exhibition. The same can be said of the cattle and carriage and automobile exhibits. The building has been gaily decorated with flags, bunting and hundreds of electric lights. The front of the building is profusely adorned with flags, and a large illuminated "Welcome" sign is to greet the visitor. The old stage box, which was in his charge, has also been placed in front of the main building.

ROBERT RUBIN IS TO PROSECUTE THE ROSENTHAL SLAYERS

New York, Aug. 31.—J. Robert Rubin, a prominent district attorney, will be a prominent figure in the prosecution of the slayers of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler. He and Frank Mose have been detailed by District Attorney Whitman to conduct the case. Mr. Rubin comes from Syracuse and is noted as a cracker.

PROVINCIAL PERSONALS

Sackville Post.—Town Clerk Murray will leave today for St. John where he will spend the holiday. Frederick Hall.—Mrs. J. D. McKay is expected to return from a severe attack of erysipelas. Among those who left yesterday for Toronto were Mr. and Mrs. Wardlaw Kilburn, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Palmer and R. B. VanDine. George Stack, a well-known game warden, of Harvey, is at the Victoria Hospital suffering from influenza fever. Dr. D. W. Hamilton and family will leave this evening for Montreal. The doctor has accepted a position for one year on the staff of the McDonald College. He will instruct in physics and will at the same time qualify for the degree of B. S. Harold Young, son of Mr. John A. Young, M. P. P., of Timonville, underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday. Dr. Moore, of Stanley, performed the operation and the young man is doing as well as can be expected. The Misses Gertrude and Helen McKinnon leave on Saturday for St. Andrews, where they will remain for some days. Miss Louise F. Winn left this morning for Bangor and Boston to visit friends. Frederick Gleason.—Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith and family, who have been enjoying an extended European trip, arrived home today. Mrs. George Myles and Miss Mad Myles, of Boston, who have been visiting Mrs. Myles' brother, Mr. Parker Glasgow, M.P.P., at Lincoln, returned to Boston today. Miss Emma Oty and Mr. Oty Barnes, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Payne at Lincoln, have returned to their homes at Hampton. Miss Mildred Wallace and Mr. Dymon Wallace returned by steamer yesterday from a holiday trip. Mrs. H. G. Winter will leave this evening for Flint, Michigan, to visit her sister. Before returning home she will visit friends in Chicago. Prof. W. F. Gannon, of Northampton, Mass., is at the Queen Hotel after a trip in the woods of New Brunswick. Joseph H. Barnett, B.A. of Harland, has been appointed the principal of the school at Fredericton Junction. Mrs. J. A. Seymour, of Vancouver, and Mrs. W. C. Walker, of Waterville, Me., who recently visited their old home at Canterbury Station, the guests of Mrs. George H. Hillman, have been called to Houston on account of the serious illness of their sister, Mrs. George Slipp.

Novo Scotia Gold

Halifax, Aug. 31.—A new find of gold bearing quartz is reported at Mount Uniacke and Thomas J. Richards and David Dunbrack took up five square miles of area at the mines office.

THE AUTOMOBILE FACTORY

The work on the new automobile factory at Goldbrook is progressing favorably and is already well advanced considering the time the crew have been employed. The contract calls for the structure to be completed about February 1.