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JUDGMENT DAY AT MOOSE JAW

Heavy Sentences Meted Out to Four Men Convicted of Incest—The Lash to Be Applied.

Moose Jaw, Oct. 13.—Saturday was judgment day at the local sessions of the Supreme court here at which Chief Justice Wetmore has been presiding.

Joseph Dessinger convicted of incest was the first to be sentenced. The old man stood calmly in the box with his head thrown back apparently confident that yet all would be well. "Joseph Dessinger, have you anything to say," asked his Lordship. "I am not guilty," answered the prisoner, in broken English. Justice Wetmore replied, "The jury have found you guilty, and I must act accordingly. I therefore sentence you, acting on the instruction of Justice Johnston, to three years imprisonment in Edmonton penitentiary with the application of the lash within fifteen days after entering on your term." The old man's head dropped as he was led from the box.

Frank Harder also guilty of the crime of incest was next called. On him the Chief Justice was severe. He is the father of two boys also convicted on similar charges. He was sentenced to four years in the Edmonton penitentiary.

Jacob Harder a fairly intelligent lad of sixteen, for whom the Chief Justice seemed to feel kindly and whom he addressed partly as follows: "You have been convicted of a very serious and unnatural offence in Christian countries this is looked on not only as a great crime, but also a very great sin. The state of things in the family to which you belong is of a very sad character. Your father and brother have both been convicted of the same crime and one almost feels inclined to think that you were more appropriately placed in the category of brute beasts. To a large extent you are to be pitied; you have been brought up in such surroundings that you have fallen into the same sin as your father and brother, I wish there was a reformatory to which I could send you, but there is none in this province. The crime is of too serious a nature for me to allow you out on suspended sentence. I am not going to order you to be whipped; I am going to send you where you will be able to see that punishment inflicted on your brother in the hope that it will have a deterrent effect upon you."

His Lordship said he would write to the warden of the penitentiary, and ask him to see that the prisoner witnessed the whipping of his brother Abraham, who was sentenced last week to six years and the lash. His Lordship added that should a movement be started to have Jacob released, he would be pleased to give recommendation after prisoner had witnessed the whipping.

W. H. Ball received two years in Edmonton for misappropriation of funds.

On Sunday the five persons boarded the train for Edmonton.

Looking into the face of the elder Harder it was hard to realize that a man of his seeming intelligence and respectable appearance could have sunk to such depths, dragging his family with him. He was passably well dressed, with clean collar and new black hat. He was apparently less concerned about the future before him than one would imagine, and was seen to laugh at the antics of a dog which one of the mounties, who had charge of the party, had in leash, and which was to accompany them on their western trip. When he has completed his ten years in the penitentiary at Edmonton he will be an old man.

The older Harder boy was the picture of dejection, with the vacant stare of a person whose mind was constantly reverting to one subject. He was evidently thinking of the dreary fate before him and the infliction of the lash. He will serve six years.

His 16-year-old brother seemed almost too young to realize what was before him. In appearance he is innocent looking and not unprepossessing. He is sentenced to two years.

The prisoner Dessinger sat in a crouched position with his peaked cap pulled down over his emaciated face, on which was a shaggy beard. He is the most unprepossessing of the lot, and was the picture of despair. He will serve three years with application of the lash. Many words of sympathy were heard for the prisoner Ball, who received a sentence of two years. He apparently felt his position keenly, as he was led to the train handcuffed to the youngest Harder boy.

MUCH MICA UNEARTHED

Solid Hill of This Mineral Discovered in Peace River Canyon—An Inexhaustible Supply.

Edmonton, Oct. 13.—That there is enough mica to supply the demands of civilization for many decades in one solid vein, two miles long nestled away in the almost impenetrable blue granite chambers of the Peace river canyon is the claim of a prospector who reached here yesterday. The vein is situated at a point beyond which no man has ever attempted to navigate the foaming waters of the Peace river through the canyon has escaped with his life and to build a railway to this vein would require millions. The prospector recently spent a year exploring in British Columbia and in the Peace River, and has amazing stories to tell of the almost inexhaustible riches of that yet undeveloped country.

This particular vein of mica, with mica ranging from \$25 to \$1,000 a pound in the markets of the world, the biggest gold mine ever discovered would be a mere bugaboo, is situated, to be exact, close to the British Columbia inlet of the canyon, thirty miles from the Alberta side of the mountains, just on the western side of Mount Selwin and at the junction of the Parsnip and Pinlay rivers, where they join to form the Peace.

"There is a solid hill of mica in that canyon," said the prospector. "The vein as far as I could find, was two miles long and 50 feet wide. Nobody knows how deep it is, since mica is the deepest mineral there is. The mica lay there in great sheets, that I could life up and turn over with my hands. There is no gold mine on earth that can come anywhere near it in richness."

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Saskatchewan Express From Winnipeg to Prince Albert via Regina Began Sunday.

The winter time card went into effect on the Canadian Northern railway Sunday. The services is the best that has ever been operated by the company during the winter months of the year and in some respects it is superior to the summer schedule.

The first through passenger train to Prince Albert, the new line, also started Sunday, leaving Regina at 7.40. The schedule for this line is as follows:

	Leave	Arrive
Winnipeg	18.40	10.05
Portage	20.18	6.27
Brandon	23.15	5.30
Regina	7.40	19.30
Saskatoon	15.05	12.30
Prince Albert	19.20	8.50

This train will be known as the Saskatchewan express and new equipment will be used. The first train over the line was in charge of conductor Lemieux. William Lawrence, the first porter of the company had charge of the sleepers and H. Troughton the dining cars. The sleepers in use on this line are the Zealandia, Kipling and Regina. They are all brand new and are of the most modern pattern.

The first class cars are 76 feet long, will hold 24 people and are the largest cars in the west.

The second class and baggage cars are in keeping with the rest of the train.

The dining cars will only run from Winnipeg to Brandon. They are also new.

FIRES IN ALBERTA

Berlin, Ont., Oct. 13.—The three the Grassy Lake district, between Medicine Hat and here, had the worst fire on record. Several settlers were burned out, and hundreds of hay stacks were destroyed. The village of Grassy Lake had a narrow escape. The valuables of the Union Bank were packed, and removed to the depot. It is reported that a settler named Jarvis, driven crazy by the loss of 200 tons of hay, endeavored to throw himself into the flames but was prevented. Fighting flames to save her home, Mrs. Slatyer, a farmer's wife, was overcome by smoke, he was carried unharmed from the danger zone. The fire was within a few yards of the house when a drizzling rain saved the situation.

Mr. G. M. Annable of Moose Jaw, was in the city the other day.

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MAKING FUN FOR DUKES

Lloyd-George Says They Cost as Much to Keep as Do Dreadnoughts, But Last Longer.

London, Oct. 13.—On Saturday David Lloyd-George, the chancellor of the exchequer, made a slashing speech at New Castle in which he hurled fresh defiance at the dukes. The following are some quotations from his speech:

"There has been a great slump in dukes, fully equipped dukes; they cost as much to keep as Dreadnoughts, are as great a terror and last longer. As long as they were contented to be mere idols on pedestals preserving a stately silence which became their rank and intelligence, all went well, but when the budget came they stopped off their perches, and have been scolding like omnibus drivers, purely because the budget cart knocked a little gilt off their old state coach." (Great laughter and cheers.)

The humor of this passage is increased when it is recalled that the majority of these peers are creations of Lloyd-George's own party, and from them have come a large proportion of the party's election funds in past years.

"Working classes are demanding better homes, too; they are not satisfied with the dull grey street of the past. They do not claim palaces, but are tired of walls and bottles." (Laughter and cheers.)

"They are not satisfied with promises that the housing problem will be settled for them on the other side of the valley, because they have observed that some people who insist most on that, are the people who choose the best sites on this side of the valley. The working classes are asking for more air, more light, more verdure and more sunshine to recruit their energies exhausted in tolls. They will get it." (Loud cheers.)

Then in a passage which sent the Socialists into a transport of delight the chancellor declared: "What better use can you make of wealth than to use it for the purpose of picking up the broken, healing the wounded, curing the sick, and bringing a little more light, comfort and happiness to the aged." (Loud cheers.)

"These men ought to feel honored that Providence has given them a chance to put a little into the poor box. Since they will not do it themselves we have to do it for them. It is not against foreign tariffs we want to be protected, we want protection against the landlord's tariff, we are going to send the bill up. All taxes or none." (Loud cheers.)

ADMIRAL DEWEY'S OPINION.

New York, Oct. 13.—"It is a fact little known," said Admiral Dewey today in the course of an interview, "that the German navy is building its ships with a very small coal-carrying capacity. That looks as though they were intended for use very near their home waters. I used to think the German ships were being built for us. But I do not now."

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OPPOSED TO THE NAVY

C. A. Magrath, Member for Medicine Hat, Favors Direct a Contribution to the Mother Land.

Ottawa, Oct. 12.—It is evident from the members of the Canadian parliament are not united upon the policy of establishing a Canadian navy, C. A. Magrath, M.P., for Medicine Hat, who is now on his way west is determinedly opposed to the attitude which has been adopted by the government and when the question comes up in parliament he will take issue with it, even if he stands alone.

Before leaving Ottawa, Mr. Magrath in unequivocal terms, stated his views to the Telegram correspondent. He rejoices that the principle has been laid down that Canada ought to bear her share of the burden of the defence of the Empire, but the manner of it, should be direct contribution. His opinion is pronounced that the establishment of a navy is a short sighted policy. He is a man of peace and he believes that the trend of civilization throughout the entire civilized world is towards universal peace.

The desire of peace is so strong that in ten years the completion of things among the powers may be vastly different from what it is today. A Canadian navy ten years hence might be a white elephant. Should the building of a navy be begun in ten years the expenditure will have increased so enormously that we will not know where we are at. Besides airships will have reached so near perfection that vessels of war may be out of date.

Mr. Magrath contends that in view of the fact that Britain can build warships and maintain them also at much less expense than Canada could hope to do, that the Dominion should offer Great Britain a contribution perhaps of ten million dollars a year with the arrangement that if Canada changed her attitude at the end of some stated period, say ten years, the British government should return to the Dominion, the value of her contribution in ships or armament. And ten years hence Canada would be in a better position than today to judge what is best. Mr. Magrath has spent the most of the summer in Ottawa studying the immigration question and will have some interesting matter to say before parliament next session. He is being urged to publish his views in book form.

SASKATOON LAND BOOM.

Saskatoon, Oct. 13.—A revival of the land boom is again on. Yesterday Charles Simpson, Winnipeg, called a deal for German American capitalists for five lots on Second avenue for \$38,000 or over \$300 a foot. The late owners of the land paid about \$30,000 for it. It will be used for building purposes, but what line has not yet been made public.