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NOW IS THE TIME TO ADVERTISE

TRIAL OF ADAM LLOYD

Did He Kill and Burn His Wife For the Sake of \$80.

Amount is "Better For One Than For Two." Says Brother of Deceased on Witness Stand—Medical Evidence That Woman Was Struck With a Blunt Instrument and Clothing Set On Fire.

Bellefonte, June 18.—The preliminary investigation into the murder charge against Adam Lloyd of Hungerford, was begun here Saturday morning and lasted till 5:40 this p.m. when an adjournment was made till next Saturday.

The charge against Lloyd, who is 35 years of age, is that he caused the death of his wife, and suspicion points to the woman having been killed by blows in the head, her clothing being afterwards set on fire after coal oil had been poured on her.

Thomas Smith, brother of the deceased Hannah Lloyd, testified that after he heard of his sister's death he went to Lloyd, who said, "Well, the property's all mine now, and I can do as I like with it." This property, it seems was a small farm owned by the late Mrs. Lloyd, which she had deeded to one Brickman, a son-in-law, she to retain a life lease of it, and in case of her death, the life lease would revert to her husband. In regard to his wife's death, Lloyd told Smith there was a mystery about it, and he did not think it would ever be found out. The place which Mrs. Lloyd had owned rented for \$80 per year.

A Terrible Question. "And do you think," said Mr. Porter, "that Adam Lloyd killed his wife so that he could have that \$80 a year for himself?"

The witness was silent.

"You might as well say it as think it," said Mr. Porter, "out with it."

"Well," said the witness, after a pause, "80 a year is better for one than two."

Doctor is Positive. Drs. Yeomans, Boyce and Mather gave medical testimony as to the nature of the wound, and that there were signs of the woman having been struck on the head with a blunt instrument, and that the clothing had been set on fire. Dr. Yeomans, who was severely examined by E. Gus Porter, declined to admit that the burns on the woman's body would as likely have been caused before death as after.

The investigation adjourned till next Saturday, June 24th.

MAY WARD STRANGLED.

Baby Young Saved Her Life by Struggling Against Wrappings—Murder in Nova Scotia Woods.

Halifax, June 18.—About 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Fred O'Neil, a 17-year-old lad of Digby, N.S., found little Tina Young in the scrub woods about a mile back from the settlement of Plympton, and an hour later his brother, Clifford, a boy of 12, came upon the remains of a year-old May Ward, about a quarter of a mile farther back. The children had been missing since 5 o'clock the night before. The lads were two of a search party numbering about twenty-five, who had been looking for the children for 20 hours.

When found, the baby, a beautiful child a year and a half old, was lying on its face, trussed hand and foot. Its mouth had been stopped with its own cotton hood, which had been rolled up and bound tightly across its face, covering mouth and nose, and with a faded orange hair ribbon. Its chubby hands had been bound up under its chin. In its struggles to free its hands, the wad of cotton which stopped the mouth and nose had been displaced, and suffocation was prevented.

May Ward, when found, was dead. In her case the hands and feet were not bound, but across the mouth and nose was a large burdock leaf, over this the child's hood had been tightly drawn, and around and around was bound a quantity of rope yarn. Suffocation must have quickly followed.

The parents of the children, possibly open to some question. The elder, May Ward, is said to be the child of May Ward, formerly of New London, Conn., later of Boston, where she died a couple of years ago, and who was a sister of Mary Hope Young, the woman who is bound to figure in the development. The baby is the child of this Mary Hope Young, who claims to have been the wife of Fred Young, a Boston lawyer, who died somewhat over a year ago. The man with whom she has been living as a housekeeper is Kingsley Melanson, a laborer.

Woman Dead, Man Arrested. Montreal, June 18.—A tragedy is reported from St. Louis de Mille End. A woman named Mary Quinn was found dead with terrible wounds in her head and body. A man named John Copley, having blood stains on his hands, has been held on suspicion.

Boy of 15 Confesses Murder. Winnipeg, June 18.—It has come to light that John Whitaker of Neelby, Assa., who was supposed to have been killed by a kick from a horse on June 1 was the victim of a brutal murder. Suspicion of foul play led to a coroner's inquest, and a post mortem shows death was caused by gun wounds. A young Norwegian, named Peter Nios, aged 15, was charged with the crime, and he has made a confession.

Dates of Election Trials. Toronto, June 18.—Judges MacLellan, Street, Teetzel and Mages have fixed the dates for the hearing of the petitions against the election of Mr. Kennedy for Port Arthur and Rainy River, and Mr. Smith for Sault Ste. Marie. The Port Arthur trial will commence on September 11 and the Sault Ste. Marie trial on September 18. The dates of the other election trials will be fixed later.

MR. THOMAS

HAS RESIGNED

Esteemed Head of the Bank of Commerce Will Enter on Deserved Rest

Long and Valued Service Recognised—Still Retained upon Managerial Staff—Mr. Simon Succeeds

After twenty-two years of earnest service as the esteemed manager of the Chatham branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Mr. J. E. Thomas has tendered his resignation, and is to-day engaged in turning over the branch to his successor, James Simon, late assistant manager at Victoria, B. C.

Mr. Thomas entered the bank as assistant manager at Toronto in the year 1877. Subsequently he was appointed private secretary to the Gen-



MR. J. E. THOMAS

eral Manager. Later he was appointed to the management of the bank at Lunenburg and Windsor, and took charge of the larger Chatham branch in 1883, building up a splendid business here.

It will be a source of great pleasure to their many Maple City friends to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will not be leaving Chatham. Mr. Thomas has been appointed to the staff of relieving managers and will go on the pension fund in a couple of years. While he is retiring from the active management of the bank here he still remains upon the managerial staff and will continue, for the present at least, to reside in Chatham. During his long term as manager Mr. Thomas has greatly developed the local branch of the bank and won for himself the high esteem and deserved popularity of the entire community, all of whom are rejoiced that he is remaining a Chatham citizen.

HEROIC ACT

Dick Fullerton Formerly of this City, Saves a Young Lad From Drowning in the River Yesterday

The Thames River will soon become famous for drowning accidents and narrow escapes from drowning. Several close calls have been recorded in Chatham already, with one fatality, and now the latest one comes from Chatham Township.

The present victim is the young 12-year-old son of Geo. Duff, formerly of this city, now residing on a farm on the 2nd concession in this Township. The little fellow was enjoying an afternoon swim in the river, which is very close to his father's farm, when he got beyond his depth and went down. There were several boys in the river with him, but neither he nor his companions could swim and, of course, none of his chums could do anything to save him.

A cry for help was raised and this attracted the attention of Dick Fullerton, who lives on a farm in that vicinity. Dick was passing the place at the time and hearing the boys calling for assistance he ran down to the river, jumped in the water and succeeded in pulling young Duff out just in the nick of time.

The boy was, of course, thoroughly frightened but is to-day none the worse for his adventure. Mr. Fullerton, the hero of the episode, is an old Chatham man, having at one time occupied the position of treasurer for the Canada Flour Mills Company.

A young farmer drove into the city last evening and tied his horse—a young colt—to a tie post near Dr. Fleming's residence on Victoria avenue. The animal had not been standing there long before the flies and heat worried him and he made a dash for liberty. He was unable to get away but he succeeded in overturning the buggy. The owner was not far off at the time and after righting the vehicle he found that although the buggy was turned completely upside down nothing had been broken or damaged.

CRACK RUSS CAVALRY

Retreated in Confusion Before Persistent Japs.

Force of 5,000, With 30 Guns, Is Routed After a Series of Engagements—His Losses Are Reported to Be Great—Jap Casualties, 30 Killed, 185 Wounded—Lamsdorff's Defence in the Case of the Kilda.

St. Petersburg, June 18.—Although the way has been smoothed for a peace conference, the operations in Manchuria appear to be in full march toward a big engagement, the Japanese having pushed as far as Liaoyang-chungkong (Liaoyangwopeng), west of Liao River, thirty-three miles north of Pakoman. The Japanese have strong forces here as well as in the rear of Lieut. Gen. Linévitch's advance detachments near Changtufu, and even threaten the flank of the fortified positions at Sipingai, where Gen. Linévitch intends to offer battle, and from which he pushed far to the southwest during months of inactivity on the part of the Japanese army.

A detachment from the headquarters of the Russian army at Godzyadani describes fighting in the vicinity of Liaoyangwopeng from 3 to 8 o'clock on the morning of June 14. The Russian artillery at first forced the Japanese to retire along the whole line. In the meantime another force of Japanese turned the Russian right flank, compelling the detachment to retire from Liaoyangwopeng. At this moment a strong Japanese infantry column was observed approaching. The Russian losses, the despatch says, were only six wounded.

What Tokio Has Heard. Tokyo, June 18.—Reports from the Manchurian armies say: In the Kangpu district, at 1 a. m. June 16, our centre column, after routing the enemy's cavalry outposts at Tienchiawopeng, attacked the enemy's position at the southern end of Liaoyangwopeng, and to the eastward, between 4 and 6:30 o'clock and at 9 o'clock we completely occupied Liaoyangwopeng.

Enemy in Confusion. Our right column, after driving the enemy's cavalry before it, occupied Looshanopeng, nine miles east of Liaoyangwopeng. This column shelled the enemy's cavalry, retreating to the southward, inflicting heavy injury. The enemy was finally thrown into great confusion.

The left column poured a fierce fire upon a thousand of the enemy's cavalry, retreating to the northwest of Liaoyangwopeng, and inflicted heavy damage.

According to prisoners, 5,000 cavalry, with twenty guns, forming part of the Lieut. Gen. Mischchenko's army, occupied Liaoyangwopeng. The main force retreated northward, and parts of it to the northeastward and northwestward in disorder. There are evidences that the enemy was panic-stricken and utterly confused.

Our casualties were 30 killed and 185 wounded. The number of the enemy's casualties is not certain. His dead left in front of the centre column, numbered eighty, and, therefore, the total Russian losses in all directions seems to be great.

DUE TO DISORGANIZATION.

Lamsdorff's Defence for the Sinking of the Kilda.

St. Petersburg, June 18.—Sir Chas. Hardage, the British Ambassador, has brought the case of the British steamer Kilda, which was sunk by the Russian auxiliary cruiser Dniester, June 5, in the China Sea, before Foreign Minister Lamsdorff, asking that reparation be made and that steps be taken to prevent the recurrence of such actions by Russian warships.

Count Lamsdorff replied that Russia's previous assurances still held good; and that this probably was an isolated case due to the present disorganization of the Russian naval forces in far eastern waters.

NO MENACE MEANT.

France Is Assured by German Prince Which Gives Details of Proposed Moroccan Conference.

Paris, June 18.—The improvement in the Franco-German situation took a more definite turn yesterday as the semi-official version of Saturday's conference between Premier Rouvier and Prince Von Radolin, the German Ambassador, became known. This version shows that the Ambassador asked France to accept in principle the plan of an international conference, leaving the details to be adjusted later. Premier Rouvier answered that he desired at first to be advised upon Germany's object in securing the conference, and the questions it would be called upon to consider.

As the result of instructions from Berlin, Prince Von Radolin responded to these inquiries and gave definite information regarding the German Government's ideas upon the conference. More particularly was he able to relieve the conference plan from any appearance of being a menace to France, or of being a preliminary step to override French prestige in Morocco.

With these explanations pour parlors will continue with a good prospect of a definite agreement.

Great Britain's Position. Premier Rouvier also conferred at considerable length with Paul Cambon, the French Ambassador to Great Britain, following the latter's conversations with Lord Lansdowne, the British Foreign Minister. These conversations showed that the British declaration to participate in the conference had been entirely free from the belligerent tone ascribed to it.

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HAD THEIR SWIM

A Party of Three Chatham Young Men Went up the River for a Swim—Canoe Upset and They Escaped the Necessity of Drowning

Three young Chathamites—Chas. Chambers, Ed. Salisbury and "Bean" Chadwick had rather a wet time up the river yesterday.

The party started out in a canoe early in the afternoon with the intention of having a swim up the river, the weather being excessively hot. They had their swim, but they had it rather sooner than they expected, and at a time when they were least prepared for it. When they got up as far as the O. P. R. bridge one of the young men commenced to rock the canoe and it didn't require much rocking until the canoe upset and the three of them were dumped into the water.

Fortunately all of them could swim and they did not experience much difficulty in getting to the shore, taking their canoe with them. Chambers had the hardest time of the lot, being the poorest swimmer, but he performed the noble feat of swimming to the bank without receiving any assistance from his comrades.

When they finally got in their canoe again they found that their shoes were gone. Chambers had a gold watch and \$40 in money in his coat, which he had taken off and put in the bottom of the canoe. This, fortunately, was saved.

The boys forgot all about the swim they had intended having and returned to the city wet but cool. It is said they left Roberts to take up the canoe all alone, while they talked home through the back streets and changed their clothing.

DOMINION DAY

In view of the fact that Dominion Day (July 1st) falls on Saturday this year, civic arrangements should be made for the holding of the Saturday market on the Friday preceding. The fact that Saturday is the statutory holiday for government offices, banks, legal procedure, etc., precludes the proposition to hold the holiday Monday, not to mention the matter of the railroad rates. It would be well, then, to make early preparations for the holding of a big Friday market.

The real church is what is left after the service is over.