

THE WEATHER:
SCATTERED SHOWERS, MOSTLY FAIR.
WEDNESDAY—COOLER.

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SCOPES CONVICTED, FINED \$100

Hatheway, Identified By Banker, Likely To Plead Guilty

EVOLUTION TEST ENDS IN DAYTON

Jury Finds John T. Scopes Guilty of Breaking Teaching Laws of Tennessee.

\$100 FINE LEVIED

High School Teacher Tells Judge He Will Continue Fight For Academic Freedom.

Associated Press Despatch.
Courtroom, Dayton, Tenn., July 21.—John T. Scopes, Dayton school teacher, was found guilty by a Republican grand jury today of violating the state law against the teaching of evolution and fined \$100. Scopes was summoned before the bar. Judge Raulston told him of his conviction by the jury and levied the fine.

"Have you anything to say, Mr. Scopes?" asked the judge.
"Your honor, I have been convicted of violating an unjust statute," replied Scopes. "Any action other than I have pursued would be in violation of my idea of academic freedom."

Scopes added to the court in his statement that he would continue to oppose the law in every way in his power, as he considered it an unjust law and in violation of the constitution.

End Hastened.
Judge John T. Raulston retired from the courtroom at 9:45 (Tennessee time) this morning to dictate his charge to the jury in the Scopes case. The end of the "evolution test" was brought in sight by the agreement of attorneys to give the case to the jury and permit the record to show a verdict of "guilty" without argument.

Previously the judge had ruled that evidence given yesterday by William Jennings Bryan should be expunged from the record.
"I feel that the testimony of Mr. Bryan should not be in any issue that will be pending before the higher courts," he said. "The issue is whether Mr. Scopes taught that man descended from a lower order of animals."

"I feel that Mr. Bryan's testimony cannot aid the higher court," he said. "Therefore, I am pleased to permit the expunging of this testimony from the records of the court."

Defense counsel Arthur G. Hays, for the purpose of perfecting the record in the event of an appeal, read a list of the witnesses the defense would have called, and took a formal exception.

He also asked that the record show that Scopes had a contract to teach in the Rhea county school from Sept. 1 to May 1.
William Jennings Bryan, in discussing the expunging of his views of money, suggested that the defense should as clearly as might have been, Dudley Field Malone, for the defense, reported Scopes was ready at any time to make their views public when such an issue was germane to the case.

B. T. McKendree suggested a joint debate after the trial was over, and continued on Page 6, Column 2.

The Weather

FORECASTS.

Today—Moderate winds, scattered showers, but mostly fair.

The depression, which was just west of the Lake Superior yesterday, is moving very slowly across the greater lakes.

The weather continues cool in the western provinces and showers have occurred in many localities, while from Ontario eastward it is fairly warm.

Temperatures.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were:

Highest, 82; lowest, 64.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Highest, 72; lowest, 67.

Barometric Readings.

Monday—5 p.m., 29.98.

Tuesday—8 a.m., 29.95.



DR. J. H. HAWKINS.

chief organizer for the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of the British Empire, another hooded order which is the outcome of a split in the ranks of the Ku Klux Klan of Canada. Dr. Hawkins, a Toronto man, is shown here in official robes of office as he appeared after a visit to London last week to get the new organization under way. Insignia of the Empire order will include, in addition to that shown above, a miniature Union Jack upon a shield.

NO SECOND-HAND TAX ON GARAGES

Test Case Instituted by Chief Birrell Is Dismissed by Gladman.

The move of Chief Birrell to place a second-hand tax on garages selling used cars was unsuccessful. The test case instituted against Duncan Martin, 323 Talbot street, being dismissed by Deputy Magistrate Gladman in this morning's police court.

The case has been hanging fire for the past three weeks, two adjournments having been made.
It was the contention of Chief Birrell that despite the fact that a garage owner pays taxes in municipal authorities for carrying on a garage, and sales and use pump taxes, he should also pay a second-hand dealer's tax because he handled second-hand goods.

After a review of the case and after delving into the law on this subject Mr. Gladman could see no reason for the extra tax being placed on the garage.
J. G. Gillanders of the firm of Ivey, Elliott and Gillanders, who appeared for the defendant, stated when the case first came up in court that the municipal garage license empowers the holder to buy, sell and deal in motor cars. A person cannot be compelled to take out a license for what he already is licensed to do, he claimed.

Quoting the police bylaw of 1892, in which places, sewing machines and other large articles are exempt from assessment, Mr. Gillanders held that motor cars come in the same category. Anyway, he declared, the inclusion of autos in the second-hand ruling was never contemplated at that time.

PALMER URGES FORD BID FOR SHIPS BE ACCEPTED

Associated Press Despatch.
Washington, July 21.—Acceptance of the Henry Ford bid of \$1,706,000 for the 200 shipping board vessels set aside for scrapping has been recommended to the shipping board by President Palmer of the Fleet Corporation.

New Quackery Drive Unwise, Doctors Think, Plan Dropped

Associated Press Despatch.
London, July 21.—The British Medical association, which is holding its annual convention in Bath, has declined to recommend the resuscitation of the measures which some years ago were enacted with a view to suppressing quackery. Some of the delegates who took part in the discussion on the question incidentally made reference to spiritual healing, but the chief argument against the suggested revival of the former measures was that such a movement would be regarded by people outside the medical profes-

ENGINEER SAVES CITY BIG ITEM

Hoist For Cove Sewage Scheme Means a Saving of \$100,000.

DALLYN REPORTS

City Engineer's Program Will Soon Eliminate All River Nuisance.

A two-year hoist for the city works department plan to construct a half million dollar sewage disposal plant at the Coves, has been approved by F. A. Dallyn, provincial sanitary engineer, and is likely to be sanctioned by the Hon. Forbes Godfrey, M. D., minister of health and labor.

Belief that the delay in construction of the plant will save the city from \$50,000 to \$100,000 is expressed by City Engineer Near and Sewers Engineer Vetch. A modern activated sludge plant is now being constructed in the south end, and the engineer's desire of a year's operation there for observation purposes with the expectation that useful data will be collected in the meantime.

Engineer Dallyn of the provincial department of health, has submitted a complete report of the inspection made here last week. No comment has been made on the report by Dr. Godfrey, the health minister, and he, therefore, assumed by city officials that the minister consents in Mr. Dallyn's report.

Nuisance to Disappear.

In his report Engineer Dallyn clearly states that the present program of Mr. Near's department within the municipality of London, and the completion of the main sewage disposal works will later prevent any complaint whatever.

Following Mr. Dallyn's report on Wednesday, July 15, for the purpose of making an inquiry on sewerage problems and the pollution of the Thames river is one of the greatest assets of the city of London for recreation purposes, and any reasonable expenditure for maintaining it is not to interfere with its use for recreational purposes, is unquestionably justifiable.

A Dry Summer.

The situation to which your attention is directed has been aggravated this season by an exceptionally low water level due to an unusually dry summer. The city of London has been spending large sums of money in the past few years on the extension of sewerage facilities to areas hitherto unserved, in addition to the program of storm water interception. This construction has completely overtaxed the old syphon to the battery, so that a great deal of raw sewage is now being discharged directly into the Thames from the city chamber.

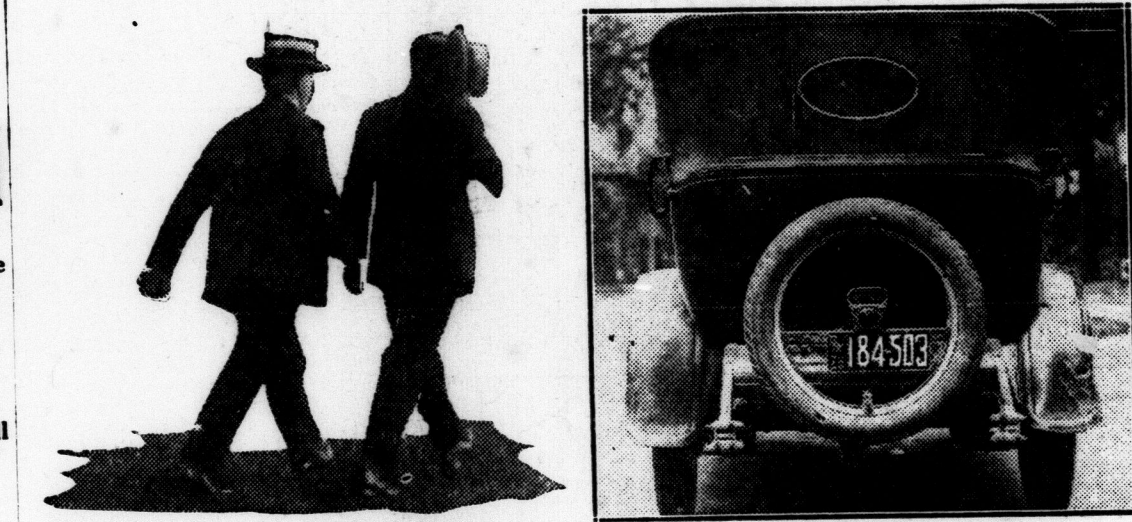
The Wellington-High street system with its provision for Chelsea Green, has been partially completed, and has necessitated the temporary discharge of raw sewage into the river this season. This discharge will be taken care of by the new Wellington plant, which we anticipate will be in operation in October.

Outside of these two points there is no serious introduction of raw sewage, except the periodic discharge of industrial waste into the Carling creek, and the floor washings, both of which can be very much improved by a little co-operation between the industries and the city authorities.

New Syphon Urged.

To provide for the raw sewage now being discharged from the syphon chamber, the city engineer has recommended a much enlarged duplicate syphon, the provision of which is now well advanced. With the completion of the syphon, which will be in operation this winter, the discharge Continued on Page 3, Column 8.

Accused Bandit and Tell-Tale Car Markers



THIEVES VISIT S. LONDON HOMES

Cash and Watch Taken—One Owner Frightens Robber Away.

Two homes on Windsor avenue were entered last night by thieves. At the home of Major E. N. Chesham, 122 Windsor avenue the thief obtained \$8 and a gold watch. At the home of Charles Hickson 114 Windsor avenue the thief was scared away when Mr. Hickson was awakened.

The Hickson home was entered through a back window and the thief left the same way. He removed a screen from a window and in doing so made a noise that awakened Mr. Hickson. Mr. Hickson arose and saw the man moving about downstairs. He made a move as to go downstairs but the thief put out his flashlight and ran for the rear window. Mr. Hickson did not get a good look at the thief and was only able to furnish a meagre description of him. Detective Elmer Walsh is working on the case.

COOLIDGE SEES MINE ROW END

Believes Anthracite Operators and Workers Will Reach Agreement.

Associated Press Despatch.
Swampscott, Mass., July 21.—President Coolidge believes that anthracite operators and miners will reach an agreement on a new wage scale and that there will be no deadlock resulting in a suspension of mining operations on September 1.

SALARY DISCLOSURES.

Associated Press Despatch.
Atlantic City, N. J., July 21.—Anthracite miners today should hear what salaries coal company presidents, directors and general counsel receive, if company representatives here negotiating the new wage scale necessary August 31, are of the same mind as adjournment Friday.

At the closing session last week the miners' wing of the joint scale sub-committee asked the coal companies to make these figures available. Miners asserted the huge sums devoted to administrative payrolls might be found to tip the scales considerably when it came to weighing the "labor cost" of anthracite which operators say is too high. The statistics were promised by the operators at resumption of the wage parley this afternoon.

CLERK ADMITS THEFT OF \$399 FROM G. R. R.

John Elliott, 19, Released on \$2,000 Bail in Galt—Restitution Made.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Galt, July 21.—The robbery of the Grand River railway office at Brigidie, Preston, Ont., has been cleared up. Last night C. P. R. police arrested John Elliott, a 19-year-old employee. He pleaded guilty today to the theft of \$399, and was remanded a week for sentence. He is out on bail of \$2,000.

It was announced by Crown Attorney Bowly that restitution had been made. Elliott was a ticket clerk in the office.



HATHEWAY RETURNS.

The car with the tell-tale numbers, 184-503, used by Leslie G. Hatheway in the Thorndale bank robbery and paid for with part of the loot, brought the young bandit back to London from Toronto Monday. On the right, a rear view of the car, showing the marker numbers which were remembered almost but not quite exactly by Thorndale residents. The stop light, broken at the time of the holdup but repaired later, is also shown. Left, Hatheway is seen arriving at the county jail, handcuffed to Provincial Inspector Miller, after the trip. Below, Hatheway as he appeared today in court, where he was remanded for a week.

Haney Feels Force of Samia Police

M.L.A. Is Slow in Quitting Station After Mix-Up Appeal. So Officers Eject Him.

Special to The Advertiser.
Samia, July 21.—Another instance of bluecoat impartiality was disclosed in last night's reunion disturbance when Wilfred S. Haney, M.L.A., was ejected from the police station on failing to get out after a futile attempt to win bail for Thomas Richards, one of the two arrested in the mixup.

The young man's mother sought Mr. Haney's aid in her efforts to have her son released. The lawyer pushed his way through the crowd clamoring at the doors of the station for the freedom of the youths, and entered.

Chief of Police Lannin refused point-blank the bail request. Mr. Haney wanted to press his case. Hints unavailing, Chief Lannin gave a brisk order and the M.L.A. found himself being hustled by strong hands into the street, where he was again part of the crowd. With his "inside dope" on the situation, the lawyer admonished the throng that they were yelling in vain.

KITCHENER ESCAPES STORM.

Kitchener, July 21.—Although the weather was threatening during the early morning, no rain fell in Kitchener or district as a result of the storm which was reported general over southern Ontario.



ARNOLD SMITH, of 153 Waterloo street, who was drowned at Port Stanley pier on Monday.

ROYAL-UNION BANK MERGER RATIFIED

Purchase by Former Approved at General Meeting in Montreal.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Montreal, July 21.—At a special general meeting of the Royal Bank of Canada, held here at the bank office today, the agreement to purchase the Union Bank of Canada was unanimously ratified.

In moving the resolution, Sir Herbert Holt, president, said: "I desire to inform the shareholders that the purchase of the assets and business of the Union Bank of Canada, on the terms set forth in the agreement, which is presented to you today for ratification, has received the careful consideration of your directors and the officials of the bank. Although we have 539 branches in Canada and the Union Bank has 309 branches, there are only 51 duplications and the new offices which we will acquire will substantially augment our connection throughout the entire dominion of the bank."

To Be Amalgamated.
"The great majority of branches at points where both banks are represented, and which will be amalgamated, are in the larger centers, where the cost of operation is heavy, and very considerable saving will be effected through the consolidation of the business. By reduction in overhead charges, economies in management and closing of branches where duplication occurs, we expect to add considerably to the earning power of the bank."

"I may add that after careful valuation of the assets and business of the Union Bank of Canada we consider the purchase price to be a fair one, and in view of the substantial number of new customers we are acquiring, the addition to our branch connection and the increased earnings which we hope to effect, we have no hesitation in asking you to ratify the agreement which is submitted."

Increase in Directors.

"In the notice calling the meeting you were asked to increase the number of directors of the bank to 27. This is in order to permit of the addition of several Union Bank directors to our board. We have now 20 directors and it is not the present intention to fill all the vacancies which will be created by the amendment to the bylaw which passed today."

"It has always been our practice to keep our authorized capital somewhat higher than our paid-up capital. You are asked today to increase the authorized capital from \$25,000,000 to \$30,000,000."

YOUNG BANDIT IN COURT IS NOT ASKED TO PLEAD MAY ADMIT GUILT LATE

Leslie Hatheway Smiles at Court Humor and Appears in Good Spirits as Name Is Called to Answer Thorndale Robbery Charge—Remand of Week Granted.

MANAGER OF BANK SURE PRISONER RIGHT MAN

Toss-Up Whether It Was To Be Thorndale or Thamesford That Hatheway Visited, Officers Learn in Talks With Prisoner.

There will be no long-drawn legal battle by Leslie Hatheway to escape punishment for the daring clean robbery of the Thorndale branch of the Bank of Montreal at 3:10 on the afternoon of July 3.

The meshes of the law drawn inch by inch by Provincial Constable Mennie while Hatheway was enjoying a holiday in Fenelon Falls have tightened to such an extent that Hatheway has given up all hope of freedom and instructed his counsel to enter a plea of guilty.

BILLS AND MAN IDENTIFIED.
With serial bank notes found in his Toronto apartment corresponding to those stolen from the bank, coupled with the additional fact that Manager W. A. Reid of the robbed bank has positively identified him as the holdup man, Hatheway has decided to take his medicine and "grin and bear it."

Police court proceedings this morning were brief and to the point. The attitude of Hatheway's counsel, J. M. McEvoy, K.C., showing quite plainly that a plea of guilty would likely be entered some time during the ensuing week. Later in the morning it was definitely established that counsel is prepared to plead guilty having instructions to this effect from Hatheway and his future brother-in-law, H. W. Reid, young Peterboro lawyer, who was in the car when Hatheway was captured in Toronto on Sunday night.

Plea Not Demanded.
Crown Attorney Judd, Mr. McEvoy and Mr. Reid held a 40-minute conference in the police magistrate's office before Hatheway's case was called this morning, and as a result, on the assumption that Hatheway would admit his guilt, the crown did not press for a plea this morning.

While Hatheway was remanded to jail for a week, it is expected that he will appear in court before that time. In fact, just as soon as Mr. McEvoy has time to prepare a plea for leniency based on his youth and the fact that he was never in trouble before.

Knowing that Constable Mennie had woven a complete chain of evidence against him and has traced his every movement from the time of the robbery, Hatheway has adopted an air of bravado and is doing his best to keep up his courage. That enabled him single-handed to back four bank clerks into a vault, force them to open the safe and then make his escape with \$6,000 in bank notes.

Careless On Surface.

On the surface he doesn't seem to care what happens. It's a joke, even if it is on himself and he doesn't talk much with you, feeling today, a pretty wife, still prostrated with grief in Toronto.

Occupying the far end of the prisoner's box in police court this morning with three other prisoners, Hatheway was keenly alive to everything that transpired in the courtroom. He nodded and smiled in recognition of the Bank of Montreal inspectors, who made the trip with him from Toronto yesterday. He also smiled at an Advertiser reporter as he passed.

"Is it all over now?" he asked today. "Never better," replied Hatheway, still smiling. "How are you, yourself?"

Enjoys Comedy.
Two cases were disposed of by the court before Hatheway's name was called. There was considerable comedy in one case of disorderly conduct, and the young bandit enjoyed every minute of it.

He was chatting brightly with his friend, Reid, when Mr. McEvoy arrived. The minute he entered the courtroom, Hatheway noticed him, and told Reid to talk to him. Both left the room in company with the crown attorney, and did not appear for 40 minutes.

G. Leslie Hatheway," called Magistrate Gladman.

Responding automatically to his army training, the prisoner sprang smartly to his feet. "Sir," he said, placing both hands on the rail of the prisoner's box.

Defence Not Ready.

"In this case, your worship, I am not ready to do anything this morning," stated Mr. McEvoy. "We Continued on Page 6, Column 5."

The Council

23RD MEETING, JULY 20, 1925.

Endorsed sale of Thames street sulphur springs property for \$1,805.90.

Approved purchase of new La France pumper truck for fire department.

Sought measures to secure protection at Quebec street railway crossing.

Granted S. P. C. A. convention \$100 grant.

Passed 45 bylaws.