

Death-Dealing Chisel Is Introduced In Evidence At Trial of Leopold and Loeb

FARMER IS FINED FOR HAVING LIQUOR

Tells Court Case Was Given to Him by Man With Truck.

HELPED DRIVER

Leonard Abbott, whose home on the second concession of Westminster Township was raided last Monday afternoon by license inspectors, told the court today that he had given a truck driver ten dollars to help him get out of the house.

Inspector Bolton stated that Abbott told him he had no liquor in the house, but that he had given the driver ten dollars to help him get out of the house.

Constable Stratton told of finding ten bottles of whiskey in the house, and that the bottles were not "good."

Abbott, in the witness box, told his counsel, Donald Menzie, that the liquor was given him by a truck driver ten days ago for helping fix his truck which broke down in front of his place.

Under cross examination by Crown Attorney Albert M. Judd, Howard said Abbott obtained the liquor a week ago last Friday. He helped fix the truck and did not know what was on the load, until the truck driver brought a case into the house.

Magistrate Gladman was not sure of this, and declared Abbott's evidence had been most unsatisfactory.

The fact that the defendant had been given a case of liquor by a stranger man was contrary to general intelligence and he therefore fined Abbott \$200 and costs or three months in jail.

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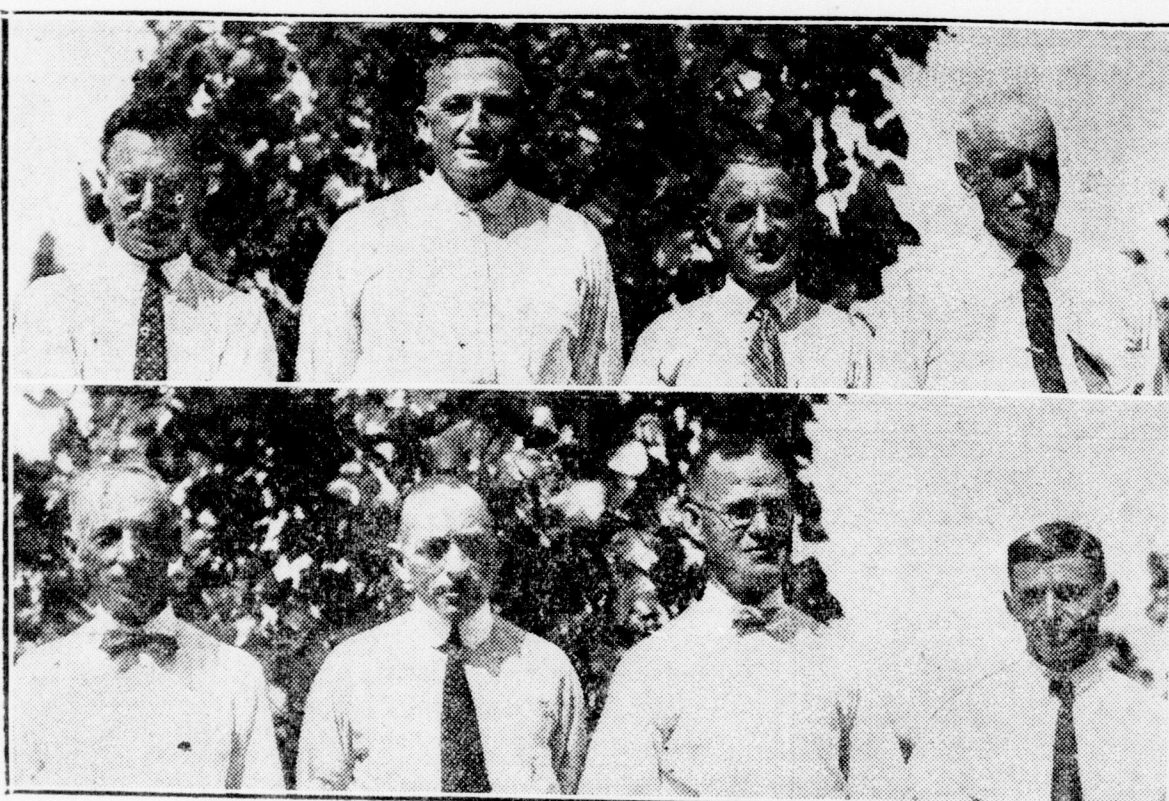
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In the lower picture is shown the rink of the Thistle Club, London, which captured first honors in the 25th annual tournament of the W. O. B. A. They are, from left to right: C. B. Laur, vice-skip; A. M. Trick, second; J. T. Doherty, lead, and Claude K. Blunt, skip. At the top are the runners-up from Windsor. From left to right: Mr. Lansbury, lead; J. Hume, vice-skip; Leslie Annett, second, and Andrew Laing, skip.

BRITISH SCIENTISTS COMING TO CANADA

Distinguished Party Will Attend Toronto Convention in August.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, July 24.—What is believed will be the largest and most distinguished company of scientists ever to cross the Atlantic Ocean will sail from Liverpool by the Germania on Saturday for Quebec, on the way to the 92nd annual meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, to be held in Toronto, August 6 to 13. The party will number 250, and will represent the main body of delegates attending the meeting.

The British delegates leaving on Saturday will include Sir Ernest Rutherford, Cavendish professor of experimental physics and director of the Cavendish Laboratory, University of Cambridge, a former professor at McGill University, Montreal, president of the British Association, and Major-General Sir David Bruce, chairman of the governing body of the Lister Institute of Surgery, London, president-elect of the British Association.

Dry Officers Find Trick Tap

Nail Inserted Stopped Flow of Real Beer.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, July 24.—On July 13, Ontario Temperance Act enforcement officers entered the Gladstone Hotel in the west end and seized they found a trick tap which drew beer testing 9.3 per cent. In the tap was a nail, which, when inserted, rendered the faucet dry. As a result of the raid, Frank Farrell appeared before Magistrate Jones today and was fined \$500 and costs or three months.

"Smokes" Arrive In Silk Stocking

Thrown Over Wall Into Jail Yard.

Governor Dawson and his turnkeys at the county jail have wrecked another good plot to convey cigarettes and tobacco to jail prisoners. It seems that some kind of house "outside" have been tossing many dollars' worth of smokes over the wall of the jail which opens on the women's quarters and not the men's exercise yard.

Just recently a silk stocking rather the worse for wear, but nicely bulged with tobacco, was heaved into the yard. It was discovered by a turnkey and handed over to the governor.

"I wish they would toss over a decent brand, one that I can smoke," grumbled a turnkey in commenting on the free smokes.

GOOD YIELD EXPECTED IN NORTHWEST STATES

Ample Moisture Reported To Bring the Crops to Maturity.

Associated Press Despatch. St. Paul, July 24.—On the eve of harvest, farm crops in four northwestern states—Minnesota, North and South Dakota, and Montana—promise "good yields," despite a backward season, according to an unofficial survey published today by three Minneapolis and St. Paul newspapers.

There are only a few reports of black rust in the four states, and only a few traces of red rust, and wheat stems have been reported. The report says, "In almost all sections of the Dakotas and Minnesota there is ample moisture to carry the crops to maturity."

In North Dakota, where wheat is most of the state, especially the west, is talking "bumper crops."

South Dakota reports "indicate a grain yield better than average is in prospect except in far western counties, where drought has taken its toll in some sections," the newspapers' account says.

Montana's "dry farming crops," the report continues, "are not quite up to average and in some districts are poor, but their irrigated tracts show promise of normal yields with harvest already starting."

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BOARD SURVEY PLANS DELAYED

Action Not Expected To Start Until Some Time in September.

It is unlikely that, even if early sanction is forthcoming, that a British survey of the administrative offices of the board of education can be made before the second week in September. Secretary W. A. Tanner of the board stated today that it would be almost impossible to complete a mail vote of the trustees for another week or ten days. Then he was going on his holidays during the second and third week of August.

Added to this, he was in long distance telephone communication with Dr. Brittain this morning, and learned the research institute could not send experts here for the last week of August.

"I mailed a questionnaire to each of the trustees yesterday, together with a copy of Dr. Brittain's letter to the chairman," Mr. Tanner stated today. Trustees were first asked if they were in favor of the survey and at the maximum cost to the board of \$1,000. If they were agreeable to these matters, they were asked to indicate if they were in favor of the chairman sanctioning an early start on the survey, and if they would support a motion, confirming that action, when the next meeting of the board was held on Sept. 4, or if they would suggest any other course.

Mr. Tanner points out that information received yesterday from the Citizens' Research Institute answered the two points asked at the last regular meeting of the board.

"I have arranged to take my vacation from the 12th to the 25th of August," Mr. Tanner added. "This morning I had a long distance call from Mr. Brittain, the director of the survey, and he said he would be attending the Municipal Association during the last week of August, so as he first proposed, it was hard to see how a start could be made before the middle of September."

"I am heartily in favor of a survey myself," the secretary commented, "and I should like to see when the work is being done in order to offer every co-operation."

CHIEF SAYS AEROPLANES SHOULD BE EMPLOYED

Miss Murchison Could Have Been Saved Many Days Suffering.

Canadian Press Despatch. Barrie, Ont., July 24.—That the use of aeroplanes on the morning following the disappearance of Miss Margaret Murchison, Edgar Smith and Wilbur Hoskin would undoubtedly have saved Miss Murchison days of suffering and might have saved the lives of one of the young men, is the opinion of Chief Big Canoe, chief of the Georgian Island Indian reserve, who has watched the waters of Lake Simcoe for ninety-one years, and who has for a few years less than that travelled its waters.

The chief today gave his assured opinion, too, that the two women who believe they saw one of the bodies at Oro two days ago are mistaken. He says they must have mistaken some other object for a body partly submerged.

DESTROYERS TAKE PLACE ON ROUTE FOR FLIERS

Associated Press Despatch. Newport, R. I., July 24.—The destroyers Lawrence, Coghlan, Barry and MacFarland, which form part of the cordon to patrol the route of the army fliers on their true Atlantic crossing, left here today to take their posts on the Ireland to Nova Scotia legs. They will be joined at Boston by the destroyer Charles Ausburn and at Halifax by the cruiser Milwaukee. The latter is carrying a seaplane, which will be available in an emergency.

WATCHMAN TELLS OF DEATH WEAPON

Blood-Stained Chisel Introduced in Evidence at Chicago Hearing.

STUDENTS TESTIFY

Associated Press Despatch. Chicago, July 24.—The heavily-typed chisel with which the life of young Robert Franks was beaten out was introduced in evidence today in the preliminary hearing before Chief Justice John L. Caverly to fix the penalty of Nathan Leopold, Jun., and his companion, Richard Loeb.

Bernard Hunt, a neighborhood police watchman, told of seeing the chisel tossed from a passing automobile about 1:30 a.m. May 22, a few hours after the slaying.

There was fresh blood on the chisel when I picked it up," said Hunt. The relic was given to the court.

Elizabeth Sattler, maid in the home of Nathan Leopold, Sen., called to the witness stand, identified an Underwood portable typewriter, which she said, "resembled" a machine she had seen in the room of her employer's son. She said she had seen Nathan, Jun., use such a machine "many times." It was on this kind of machine the ransom letters were typewritten.

Miss Sattler was questioned also about the storing place of the automobile robes in the Leopold home. She said the robes were stored in a fussy, greenish and badly charred robe, said by the state to be the remnants of the bloodstained robe which the boys attempted to destroy by soaking it in gasoline and burning on the lake front, was offered in evidence. The witness said she had seen a similar robe in the Leopold home.

She was cross-examined briefly. Four University of Chicago students, classmates of Leopold in high school, were called to tell what they knew of the typewriters. The boys' story could do no more to say the machines they used in the Leopold home were "portables."

There was a noticeable speeding up of proceedings today. Robert E. Crowe, with the assistance of the defense, asked leading questions of his witnesses and dismissed the fourth student with this query:

"Your testimony is substantially the same as that of the other students?"

"Yes, sir," was the reply. The court proceedings were delayed in starting by the testimony in chambers, in which Mr. Crowe gave evidence. Judge John R. Caverly some in statement he had indicated to the public knowledge. The portable typewriter in evidence by the state was a park lagoon by the investigation after the confession of the two youths.

As a part of their plans to cover their crime, the state pointed out in its opening statement yesterday, Leopold had written the letters from the machine with pieces of wire and in scattered sections of the lagoon. The bulk of the machine and its cover were tossed into another part of the lagoon.

The two youthful prisoners appeared perfectly at their ease when they were brought into the courtroom. They smiled greetings to their relatives as they entered.

Throughout the morning session they sat composedly behind their attorneys, listening intently to the testimony and occasionally whispering with the lawyers.

Andrew Russell, New York, told of finding in a telephone booth rack on a pullman car on May 31 a letter addressed to Jacob Franks, father of the boy, and to Nathan Leopold and Loeb.

The envelope directed the finder to "leave this alone, it is very important."

Instructions To Franks. The letter contained instructions on how the father was to throw a moving train, the \$1,000 ransom demand by the kidnappers.

"After the train passes a large red brick factory, count five and throw the money east as far as you can," said the letter.

The massive new preacher Franks for Russo "turned it in," and the Pullman Company sent it to the police.

Dr. Emil Deutsch, oculist, told of prescribing glasses for Leopold of the type found near the culvert, the home of the boys, and that the boys said they were driving on the day of the murder was not out of the boys' brains. He also told of the boys bringing in a red touring car to the Leopold garage next day and of their scrubbing off "some wine" which they had spilled in the machine.

Mrs. Alma England was called next.

CANADA'S TRADE CHANCES WITH ORIENT ARE GOOD

Special To The Advertiser. Montreal, July 23.—"Never has the opportunity for Canadian business in the Orient been so good as it is to-day. It is true that the general volume of business moving in China and Japan is somewhat below normal as conditions, but it is true that Canadian manufacturers and producers on that account now fall to make an effort to secure the large share of Orient trade that would naturally come to them, if the opportunity will pass away, and when conditions over there have got back to normal, they will find that somebody else has got the business."

This, according to Allan Cameron, Oriental manager of the C. P. R., here on a visit from Hong Kong is the crux of the situation as regards the outlook for the business of Canadian trade in the far east.

High Constable Wharton expects shortly to arrest the man who broke into the home of Mr. Cornish on Longwood road last Thursday and took a diamond ring, watch and cash and a stickpin.

The high constable was not notified of the matter until last night, but from investigations made today he has a good description of the individual seen around the place last Thursday while the family was away. Mr. Cornish lives three miles west of Lambeth.

Chinese Abductor Found With An Oil-Soaked Baby In Carriage Full of Wood

Strange Oriental Chant of Devotion Attracts Attention of Constable.

STOLEN FROM HOME

Celestial Laundryman Placed Under Arrest—Let Out on \$100 Bail.

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, July 24.—Constable Beattie told a strange tale to judge Cusson in the Enquete Court this morning. While walking along Boyer street just before daylight today, he heard an Oriental chant of devotion, and proceeding to investigate the uncouth sounds, he met a Chinese pushing a perambulator piled high with wood, and containing a pretty little baby girl, about eleven months old.

Seeing the girl was white, and thinking it curious that the Chinese persisted in his weird sing-song chant, he decided to take the outfit to the police station. The infant was given to the matron and then it was found that its clothes, the covers in the carriage and part of the wood had been soaked in kerosene. The baby carriage had been piled with kindling wood, the whole surmounted by a railwayman's lantern.

Shortly afterwards frantic messages were received from a Mrs. Moses Cohen, living at 720 Laval avenue. Since midnight alarms had been sounding throughout the city concerning the missing infant. Mrs. Cohen had left her eleven-month-old girl, Annie, in a perambulator in front of her residence, and she herself had tried to fight off the stifling heat by sitting on the steps beside it. She had gone in to the house for a moment, returning to find the baby and its carriage gone. The long weary night was spent in searching for the infant.

The father, Moses Cohen, appeared in court this morning to press action against the Chinese. He said he had never seen the accused before, and could offer no explanation for the matter. The prisoner's lawyer told the court that his client was a laundryman. He offered no explanation as to why he was wheeling Annie Cohen, saturated with oil, down Boyer street, at 4 o'clock in the morning.

Bail was fixed at \$1,000 and the preliminary hearing was set for July 26.

QUEBEC ST. SEWER ALSO THROWN OUT

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gner had not stated himself clearly regarding the need of the sewer.

Passing the Buck. "That's simply passing the buck," said the mayor, when Ald. Douglas suggested referring the question back to No. 2 committee. Ald. Greer supported Ald. Douglas, claiming that the board of works had been ignored.

Ald. Douglas brought up the matter of notices mailed from the city clerk's office. He claimed there was no assurance that they would be brought to the notice of the intended receiver.

"I'm not ready to accept Mr. Hurd's word that he didn't receive the notices," offered Mr. Hurd.

"I've never heard of notices not being received in ten years I've been around here," argued Ald. Drake.

A two-thirds vote was demanded, the sewer being day labor, and the motion of Ald. Smith lost by a seven to five vote.

The vote was:
Yeas—Wenige, Drake, Walsh, Smith, McKay, Hayden, Shaw, Nays—Douglas, Anderson, Greer, Bottrell, Towe.

Claiming that the question had come up in an irregular manner before No. 1 committee on Tuesday evening, Ald. Douglas opposed the move to guarantee \$5,000 to the Western Fair board. He claimed it was another case where the city clerk's office had been at fault in sending out notices for a "general meeting" when the session was for special business.

"We can find the money," Mayor Hurd assured the council. "There'll be no overdraft if you have confidence in the mayor, and I don't care if you haven't. The mayor has confidence in himself."

"I'd like to see an exchange of compliments," pleaded Ald. Douglas, whose motion for a two-thirds vote was lost. The motion for the guarantee, however, lost out by a seven to five vote. Ald. McKay being among those who opposed it on the grounds that the fair board didn't arrange its program so that the crowds could be expected each day, and that those who didn't go to the fair should not have to help pay the admission of those who did.

MRS. MARY JOHNSTON'S CASE AGAIN HELD OVER

Owing to the fact that Howard Cluff is away on his holidays and that his partner, D. B. Menzies, had just taken over the case, an adjournment was granted in the theft case against Mrs. Mary Johnston, who is charged with stealing dresses from several local stores.

Mr. Menzies stated he had heard another charge was to be laid and did not want to proceed until he knew what it was.

Crown-Attorney Albert M. Judd was not for giving him many information on the subject and an adjournment was made till next Wednesday. Magistrate Gladman refused to consider bail.

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BURNING LEAVES CAUSE DISPUTE

Colonel Leonard and Ex-Ald. Palmer Clash in Police Court.

CASE ADJOURNED

The fumes from burning leaves and other refuse being waited from a fire on the premises of Mrs. Frank Leonard on Queen's avenue on July 21, did not appeal to her neighbor, ex-Ald. Adam Palmer, so he sent for the fire department to snuff out the blaze, and had Mrs. Leonard summoned to court today on a charge that the smoke created a nuisance, contrary to the bylaw respecting smoke prevention.

Magistrate Gladman finally adjourned the case indefinitely.

Col. Leonard appeared on behalf of his mother, stating that the family had lived in the same home for 35 years, and had always kept the grounds tidy. Up till now it was the first time the neighbors had objected to the bonfires, but on several occasions neighbors had spoken to him about the matter.

The man had orders not to burn leaves while neighbors had clothes out to dry on the lines. The case was adjourned to next week, when the department had refused to take the refuse, and it was the only way grass could be disposed of. Other people with similar grounds burned the leaves, Col. Leonard declared.

The refuse was burned in an iron incinerator well away from the fence and Mrs. Leonard was very sorry if it had been a nuisance to Mr. Palmer, whose house was 400 feet away.

Col. Leonard objected to the fire department being called out so frequently. He thought it was out of order to call the firemen when the bonfire was being properly supervised.

Wants Harmony. Mr. Palmer then stated that he objected not only to the burning of refuse, but of garbage as well. All he wanted was to live in peace and harmony. This burning of refuse had been going on for two years, and he charged Mrs. Leonard with ignoring the board of health and the fire department.

"Now we are trying the police department," stated Mr. Palmer, "and I will go further, and say Mr. Leonard's statements are untrue."

Magistrate Gladman said leaves could be rotted down into good fertilizer, and garbage could be disposed of in other ways.

"No garbage is burned," denied Col. Leonard. "I don't think the smoke is any nuisance."

"If Mr. Leonard will guarantee this thing will stop, I am willing to withdraw the charge," offered Mr. Palmer.

"My mother has no wish to be an annoyance to the neighbors," stated Col. Leonard in turn. "It is only since the advent of Mr. Palmer to the neighborhood that complaints of this kind have been made."

Objects to Remarks. "I object to those remarks, and ask that they be withdrawn," declared Mr. Palmer in tones that used to respond in the city council chambers.

"Very well, I will withdraw them," came back Col. Leonard, with the semblance of a smile at the corner of his lips.

"This matter should be settled out of court," decided the magistrate.

"The leaves alone would amount to a great many tons, and we have no space to store them," said Col. Leonard. "I wouldn't like to advise that we won't have another bonfire."

"Till adjourn this indefinitely," stated Mr. Gladman.

"It is very unpleasant," declared Col. Leonard.

"Am I to understand that this is to be stopped?" demanded Mr. Palmer.

"Yes," replied the magistrate. "I won't promise that we won't have one," declared Col. Leonard.

This seemed to again arouse the ire of Mr. Palmer.

"If this keeps up, I'll have to bring him back. I won't stand it," stated Mr. Palmer as he left the court room.

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AUTHORITIES DIFFER.

Miss Gertrude Lawlor, M.A., president of Toronto sub-division of Women's Catholic League, who would extend the world-wide modest dress campaign to Toronto, and Rev. Father Minahan, noted divine, who thinks Canadian styles as a rule are too ecclesiastical requirements.

MERRY PARTY ENDS IN POLICE COURT

St. Thomas Youths Fined \$15 and Costs Each For O. T. A. Breach.

Special To The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, July 24.—The sequel to a merry party on Friday evening last occurred at police court Thursday morning when seven local youths, considerably crestfallen, appeared before Magistrate Maxwell and pleaded guilty to a charge of being found intoxicated in a public place. They each paid a fine of \$15 and costs.

The youths were arraigned through the confession of one of their number, William Barfoot, who was taken into custody late Friday evening in a hopelessly befuddled condition while trying to find his way home.

He told the police next morning of journeying to Union with six companions in a small touring car and obtaining something that passed for very hard cider at the residence of Walter Sweetland, Union.

In the course of the evening the party attended a garden party at Union, and later in the evening returned to St. Thomas, dumping off to let him find his own way home. Sweetland appears before Magistrate Maxwell Thursday afternoon in county police court on a charge of having liquor for sale contrary to the O. T. A.

UNIVERSITY WILL SEND LARGE REPRESENTATION

The University of Western Ontario will be well represented at the sessions of the British Association for the Advancement of Science and the International Mathematical Congress, to be held in Toronto Aug. 11-16.

It was felt that while the British Association held its sessions that it would be advisable to hold the Mathematical Congress about the same time, so that those interested could attend both.

There will be discussions on mathematical problems of interest to teachers. It is expected that the congress will be attended by members of the faculties of science, physics, and mathematics of the universities of America.

Dr. F. R. Kingston will represent the Western in mathematics. It is expected that Dr. R. P. Deane will represent the department of physics. Dr. J. A. Guntun, chemistry; Professor Robertson, zoology; Dr. J. D. Detweiler and others will likely attend.

WOMAN PLEADS GUILTY.

Canadian Press Despatch. Kingston, July 24.—Mrs. Iris Morris pleaded guilty this morning before Judge H. A. Lavelle to a charge of illegally disposing of the body of her child with intent to conceal the birth. Through her counsel, the accused made a frank statement of the occurrence which led to her arrest.

Mrs. Morris was given a suspended sentence, and will remain in custody until arrangements now pending for her passage home to Scotland are completed.

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