

SHOWS CLOTHES HUSTON WORE

Attorney-General's Agent Produces Garments and Effects Found On Deceased.

W. L. Elliott Declares Only \$50 Was Available For Coroner's Expense.

Fort Frances, Ont., May 16.—Norman L. Croome, agent for the attorney-general for the Rainy River District, last night produced clothing worn by Capt. Orville Huston at the time of his death, also a revolver, watch, filled cartridges, and papers found scattered around him. The latter included a telegram to Hon. E. B. Carvell, chairman of the railroad board, asking him to refrain from authorizing the rate reduction as to pulpwood, because Backus had refused to "come through with his deal."

W. L. Elliott, publisher of the Fort Frances Times since August, 1918, a member of the coroner's jury, which brought in an open verdict, said he had heard nothing to change his mind as to the correctness of the verdict of the jury. He was satisfied that the local coroner officials had done all they could, though more energetic action might have been taken. Only \$50 expense money was available. He thought ten times that should have been available, also more expert criminal investigators.

He was not sure that he had ever been interviewed by G. C. Porter, who filed a story to the Toronto Telegram from here dealing with the situation, in which he quoted Elliott.

CLAIMS HE OWED \$8,000.

FORT FRANCES, May 16.—When Orville Huston was employed by the Sprague-Roland Lumber Company he was \$8,000 short in his accounts, according to the testimony this afternoon of Curtis Williams, timber purchasing agent for the Backus companies, at the hearing of the royal commission of the Province of Ontario inquiring into charges against the attorney-general's department, arising out of the death of Huston last December. Huston had been paid this sum for pulpwood. Mr. Williams testified, but the wood was not in existence. These facts did not come to light until after his death, but the fact would have come to light, Mr. Williams said, as the pulpwood was then due to be shipped, and the shortage would have been discovered.

Since that time Mr. Sprague of that company had told Williams that he hoped the verdict would be murder, in order that he could claim against the estate. The insurance companies would pay over on the police on a verdict of murder.

Charles L. Chandall, assistant traffic manager to the Backus companies, said to Gordon Waldron, counsel for the government, that neither he nor any member of the Backus organization had, to his knowledge, promulgated the idea that Huston had committed suicide.

Albert Newcomb, one of the vice-presidents of the Backus companies, said he had invited Huston to have luncheon with him on the Tuesday before the latter's death, and later talked over the pulpwood situation with him.

Newcomb finally told Huston he could buy up 15,000 cords, and possibly a further 10,000 cords, if it could be arranged to store the balance. Huston said he was not satisfied with the 15,000 offer. He kept saying he would rather not buy any wood, and would resign first.

PEONY SHOW IS CAUSING BIG STIR

International Event Billed For London in June, Attracts Experts.

Floral experts from all parts of the continent are manifesting the keenest interest in the preparations for the international Peony Show, which is to be held in the London Armories during the month of June, 1922.

In a letter dated Constantinople, Lee B. Boonewitz, of Van West, O., rated as one of the world's greatest authorities on peonies, and who is now touring Europe in order to study methods of peony and iris culture, expresses a keen desire to see the London Peony Show a manifest success, and an outstanding event in the horticultural world.

Mr. Boonewitz is expecting to exhibit two varieties of peony, Elwood Peas and a new variety, "Nina Secor."

In his letter he provides an amount of information which cannot help but prove of interest to exhibitors, dealing as it does with ways and means of obtaining the finest results with flowers intended for exhibition, and of preserving their while on show.

L. W. Greshner, horticulturist, of Napoleon, Ohio, has expressed his intention of coming to London to be present at the Peony Show, and incidentally touring the province to consider the various methods employed by Ontario horticulturists.

CYR MUST PAY PENALTY OF CRIME

Ottawa, Ont., May 16.—(Canadian Press)—George Cyr, sentenced at Bracebridge to be hanged on May 17 for the murder of George Withers, must pay the penalty for his crime, a decision of the governor in council refusing clemency having been brought down. Cyr was condemned by Mr. Justice Middleton for the murder of Withers, which took place near Huntsville, when a Mrs. Salave was also killed and an attempt was made to kill her husband. Since being sentenced Cyr has been under observation by experts as to his mental condition. The governor declined to interfere with the execution.

Humane Officer After Those Who Set Traps For Innocent Felines

In the opinion of George Tustin, Humane Society officer, steel traps were originally intended for the capture of bears, wolves, or at the best, the familiar type of house rat. They were certainly not made for catching cats he explains.

Early Tuesday, Officer Tustin was busy out Emery street investigating four complaints from residents of that neighborhood, who stated that their pets had arrived home that morning in various stages of incapacitation.

Back from the night they came with broken legs, sprained backs,

PANET ADVISES NINE DAYS CAMP

General Makes Recommendation Regarding Training Period at Carling Heights.

Major General H. A. Panet, commanding officer of the London district, has recommended to the militia department at Ottawa that the training camp this summer at Carling Heights be held for nine days, June 12-21. It is almost certain that the recommendation will be adopted at Ottawa.

The personnel of the camp will be practically the same as last year. Gen. Panet stated, with the exception of the Lambton Regiment of Sarnia, commanded by Col. McVicar, which will be under canvas this summer. The other military units which will comprise the training camp are: The Middlesex Light Infantry, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Berdan of Stratford; the Bruce Regiment, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Emmerton of Walkerton, and the Huron Regiment, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Coombs of Clinton.

Other units which will be under canvas during the nine-day training period are: The 1st Field Ambulance Unit, in command of Lieut.-Col. McDermott; a detachment of the Army Service Corps, and the Officers' Cycle Corps, commanded by Major Ross of this city.

Gen. Panet said that the other regiments in the London district would not go to camp, but would have a short training period in their local armories. These changes in training are necessitated by the reducing of the estimates for this year by the militia department.

CHIEF RETICENT ON ROBBERIES

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noon and discovered another cache laden with cushions, automobile rugs, a gray overcoat, an electric lamp and the rest of a fur coat belonging to Miss Wright. The coat had been cut to pieces for throws, the police state.

It is believed that the end is not yet, and that further hiding places will yet be discovered by detectives. The articles so far discovered are valued at thousands of dollars by the police.

The fur coat stolen from Mrs. (Dr.) Rutledge was presented by the young man to one of his friends, and she wore it continuously during the latter part of the winter.

Mrs. Frank Lewis, of 891 Princess avenue, identified at the police station among the coats and wraps that were in her motor car which was stolen from Port Stanley, last July, and was later found in the ditch burned.

FEARS U. S. STAND
ENDANGERS PARLEY

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The text of a message to Ambassador Child at Genoa, declining the invitation to participate in the new European conference at The Hague.

"This government," the United States embassy said, "is unable to conclude that it could helpfully participate in the meeting at The Hague, as this would appear to be a continuance under a different nomenclature of the Genoa conference, and destined to encounter the same difficulties if the attitude disclosed in the Russian memorandum of May 11 remains unchanged."

The "inescapable and ultimate question," the American note said, "would appear to be the restoration of productivity in Russia, the essential conditions of which are still to be assured, and must in the nature of things be provided within Russia herself."

Favors Expert Inquiry. The state department's communication said the American Government "has always been ready" to join other governments in arranging for an "inquiry by experts into the economic situation in Russia and the necessary remedies."

Such an inquiry, it was added, could deal approximately "with the economic pre-requisites" for restoration of Russian production, without which a sound basis for credits "would be lacking."

In concluding the United States communication renewed the offer "to give serious attention" to any proposals issuing from a Genoa conference or any later conference, but added that the suggestion for the meeting at The Hague, in view of the Russian memorandum of May 11, lacked "the definiteness which would make possible the concurrence of this government in the proposed plan."

RUSSIA TO TAKE PART. GENOA, May 15.—Russia will participate in the proposed conference at The Hague to discuss the Russian question. M. Rakovsky made this announcement tonight after a meeting of the entire Bolshevik delegation.

In giving out this information to a large assemblage of newspaper correspondents, Mr. Rakovsky declared

crippled feet and wounds of all descriptions. An investigation of the injuries revealed the fact, the officer states, that they had been netted in steel traps and then given their freedom presumably when the owners came on the scene after daybreak.

Although he conducted a thorough inquiry, Mr. Tustin states that as yet he has no clue as to the possible identity of the owners. He is determined, however, that such practices must cease if harmless pets are to be injured to such a degree as to resemble wounded soldiers limping back from the front line.

CLOSE ROAD FROM CITY TO CRUMLIN

Authorities Commence Work On New Provincial Highway.

No traffic will be able to go over the provincial highway between London and Crumlin Corners for three months, according to a communication received by Secretary Barnard, of the London Motor League, from C. K. MacDonnell, resident provincial highway engineer at Woodstock.

The engineer also states that he has placed a sign just east of the town of Ingersoll advising motorists to take the Hamilton road. Between Brantford and Hamilton the road is closed one-half mile west of Ancaster, but there are detours plainly marked, he states. This latter closing is due to surfacing work being carried on.

Various portions of the road between the Wainwright County line and the top of Hamilton Mountain will be closed all summer, while at the present time on the road between Ingersoll and Woodstock culvert construction is going on, and a little later grading operations will be commenced, he announces.

"I do not anticipate that we will close the road to traffic, but it will be in very bad condition for motorists," he writes of the last-mentioned road.

Between Woodstock and Eastwood culvert construction is under way and later an macadam base will be laid. While this is being done a detour will be marked out for motorists and other traffic.

GREEKS FORM CABINET.

Athens, May 16.—A new cabinet has been formed under Nicholas Stratos to succeed that headed by M. Gounaris, which resigned last Friday. The new ministers will be sworn in this afternoon.

M. Stratos was one of the organizers in 1916 of the anti-Venizelos war party.

that in his judgment, which he said was also the judgment of his fellow delegates, unless the Russian idea of a real mixed commission were adopted, instead of a double committee, the Hague conference was bound to prove as sterile as the Genoa conference.

M. Rakovsky emphasized that the Soviet delegation had found absolutely unacceptable the proposition of the powers, whereby no treaties of any sort could be entered into with Russia, whether political or economic in character during The Hague meeting.

If persisted in, he was confident it would provoke intense feeling throughout Russia against this gathering, because the Russians would regard it as a kind of masked blockade against them.

Wants Peace Pact. He wanted the entire world to understand that Communistic Russia was heartily in favor of a permanent non-aggression pact by which nations would engage to respect each other's territorial integrity.

Russia, he declared, sought only peace and security, and was always willing to accord peace and security to others. After having disclosed that the Russian delegates would participate in The Hague conference, the Russian spokesman said his delegation would prefer the forthcoming conference to be held in some other city.

There were two reasons for this—first, Holland, unlike Italy and some of the other powers, had concluded no treaty with Russia, nor even tried to do so, and second, communications between Moscow and The Hague would be difficult. His delegation preferred Stockholm or Riga, and he added emphatically:

Objects to The Hague. "We will insist on some other city than The Hague."

M. Rakovsky closed the meeting by reiterating that unless a single mixed commission instead of a double commission was adopted, the difference between the powers and Russia would only be aggravated, and it would be absurd to expect a fruitful result.

The Russian delegates have been asked to meet the political sub-committee at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning to discuss plans for The Hague meeting.

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ORGANIZE BOYS' SUMMER CAMP

Meeting Appoints Lloyd Houlding Director At Fisher's Glen.

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Such is the refrain that will be taken up by hundreds of Tuxis boys living in every city and town of Western Ontario when they flock to the Tuxis and Leadership Training Camp to be held at Fisher's Glen on Lake Erie from July 3 to 15.

The camp prospectus for 1922 was drawn up at a meeting of the camp executive held at Fisher's Glen on Monday. Lloyd Houlding, boys' secretary of the local Y. was the representative from this district.

The camp leaders for this summer are:

Program director—Lloyd Houlding, London.

Athletic leader—W. J. Unwin, physical director Galt Y. M. C. A.

Educational leader—Rev. F. W. K. Harris, director of religious education, St. Andrew's Church, London.

Social leader—Angus Buchanan, boys' secretary Brantford Y. M. C. A.

Paper editor—E. K. Cunningham, Hamilton Y. M. C. A.

Devotional leaders—Rev. L. W. Reid, London; Rev. S. L. Horton, Galt.

Astronomy—H. S. Robertson, Stratford.

Aquatics—An expert is being secured.

Part time instructors—W. E. Saunders, London; W. D. Hobson, Woodstock; J. Howard Crocker, national physical director, Y. M. C. A., O. H. McDonald, Baptist boys' secretary, Toronto; Frank Langford, Methodist Sunday school; W. J. Basten, Woodstock.

Appointed Camp Director. The camp director will be Wm. H. Pierce, general secretary, Y. M. C. A., Woodstock, business manager, Frank Whitehall, president Dominion Seeds, London; camp secretary, secretary Y. M. C. A. boys, and Boys' Work Board, London. The camp nurse is Miss Elsie M. Mast (graduate), of Woodstock, and the camp cook, John Ransom, has been chosen for the position. A camp doctor has not been appointed as yet.

The Fisher's Glen Summer Camp is held under the auspices of the Ontario Boys' Work Board, representing the Protestant churches who desire to co-operate, and the Y. M. C. A. The business administration is under the management of the Y. M. C. A. of Western Ontario.

The aim of the camp is to provide for older boys and men an enjoyable outing where one can recreate in God's great out of doors, and train for service. The camp plan is to keep the boys busy, happy, healthy, and contented. The camp will cost the boys twelve dollars for thirteen days this year, \$7 for one week, or \$12.5 a day, as compared to \$15 for fifteen days last year.

Take Old Clothes. Before leaving for camp, the boys will be reminded that camp is a good place to wear out their old clothes. The necessities that each boy must take are: One pair of blankets, cushion for pillow, empty bedtick (size not over 3 feet wide by 6 feet long), anything that will hold straps for two weeks; rubber or oiled cloth for ground sheet to place under bedtick; swimming suit, gym suit, one old suit of clothes, pyjamas, Bible and Tuxis manual, cap or felt hat, heavy leather shoes, underwear, stockings, safety pins, shirts, handkerchiefs, towels, soap, toothbrush, comb, dessert dish, granite plate, cup, porridge plate or bowl, knife, fork and spoons.

No trunks or boxes will be allowed, only suit cases or kit bags may be taken.

Extras such as a camera, rubber cord, fishing tackle, baseball gloves, needle and thread, talcum, pins, bachelorette buttons, tennis racket, musical instruments may be taken along. The camp leaders will do their best to help any campers with such hobbies as wireless, birds, plants and trout, and astronomy. An opportunity will also be given to all C. S. E. T. boys to win or complete the winning of any of the Tuxis badges.

Outline Work. The mornings will be set aside for training in the C. S. E. T. program. The campers will be organized into Tuxis squares under the leadership of an experienced mentor.

During the week each group will carry out the four-fold phase of the Tuxis program, giving particular attention to those activities which have to do with nature and the out-of-doors.

Fisher's Glen is a quaint and picturesque spot for campers. It is situated on Lake Erie, in Norfolk County, three miles from Victoria station. A trout stream runs right through the Glen, on either side is a wooded hill and in front is the inviting water of Lake Erie. The neighboring farmers tell many thrilling stories of the Indians who camped at Fisher's Glen, followed by the first settlers of Ontario. Woods, hills, dunes will combine to give every camper a healthy and invigorating holiday. On the grounds is a hotel for visitors, tennis courts, fishing privileges a large pavilion and a canteen.

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Girl Who Carried Dead Babe In Handbag Is Sent Down For Trial

HAMILTON, Ont., May 16.—Elsie Beauer, mother of the infant found dead in a handbag, in which she had carried the body for three or four days, was committed for trial by Magistrate Jelfs today on a charge of having murdered the baby. Medical evidence showed that paper had been stuffed in the baby's throat, and that there had been hemorrhages of the heart and lungs.

The court was also informed that while the girl is not mentally bright, she knows the difference between right and wrong.

WANTS LETTERS ON CONFERENCE

Ottawa, May 16.—(By the Canadian Press).—W. A. Boys of South Simcoe has given notice of a motion asking for the production of all correspondence exchanged between the Italian and Canadian governments in reference to the international conference now being held at Genoa, including the order-in-council appointing delegates for Canada, and all instructions given to the said delegates by the government of Canada.

TREAT RAILWAY MOTION AS JOKE

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purport of the resolution which had been declared carried on Monday night.

Ald. May was not in accord with the statement that the resolution bound the city to go ahead with the cancellation of the street railway franchise.

"What do we want with that scrap heap," remarked Ald. Holmes when asked what the city would do with the latter, and if the intention was to take the railway over.

Of course, Mayor Wilson did not take Ald. Ashplant seriously at the meeting when the alderman pressed his motion in a lengthy speech, mainly an attack on the railway company for violating the agreement.

He halted the alderman to ask if the two went hand in hand when the speaker referred to "the wisdom and legality" of the city solicitor, and afterwards laughingly remarked that the matter would be safe in his hands.

"It's just making T. G. the goat," said one official, while discussing the council action on Tuesday.

In every hive are bees whose duty it is to keep it ventilated by fanning their wings.

IDENTIFY SLAYERS IN CHICAGO FEUD

Police Have Evidence Directly Connecting Big Three With Killings.

Chicago, May 16.—Evidence distinctly connecting bomb throwers and the slayers of two policemen with the Big Three Chicago labor leaders, was claimed today by police

and state's attorneys who have worked indefatigably since Terrence Lyons, acting lieutenant, and Thomas Clark, patrolman, were shot down a week ago after two buildings had been dynamited in the so-called labor war.

Four men have been identified positively as the slayers of the policemen, and three of them have confessed, the police said, while John Miller, bartender, owner of the motor car from which the fatal shooting was done, has been identified as the driver through bloody fingerprints on the automobile doors. Two men who rode with him were arrested when they applied for medical aid, the police said, one having a body

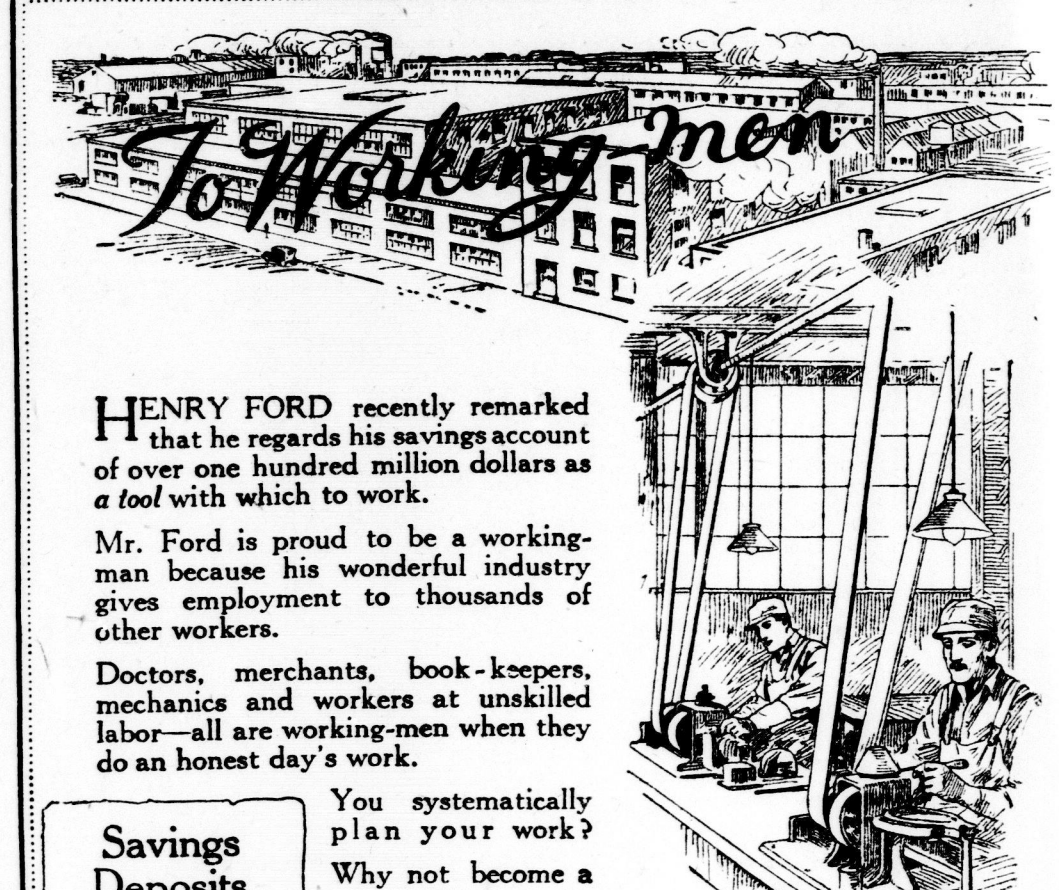
wound and the other a bullet through the shoulder.

Miller himself confessed early today under constant questioning, the police said.

He was removed secretly to a outlying police station, because of a attempt to poison him. Police said one dish brought from a restaurant contained a quick-acting poison.

The Chinese make out of the substance a substance strongly resembling milk in color, taste and chemical composition.

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