

Unrequited Love Leads to Suicide

Girl Whom Gamaliel Loved Refused Him and He Killed Himself.

Harvard Graduate and Scion of Old Family Sends Ball Through Head

Rash Action Follows Interview With Inamorata Who Wouldn't Marry Him

South Framingham, Mass., Aug. 8.—Because the young woman whom he loved had refused to break her engagement with another man, and marry him, Gamaliel Bradford, Jr., Harvard graduate in the class of 1910, and direct descendant of Wm. Bradford, first governor of the Puritan Plymouth colony, committed suicide by shooting here today. A bullet wound in the forehead, the only shot to take effect of four which he fired, caused death at the Framingham hospital, where he was taken, four hours later. He had sought consolation in his misery, apparently, from a copy of the poetic works of Byron—"The moody poet," which was found at his side.

Young Bradford who was 23 years old and employed in Boston as a bank clerk, had been refused this morning by the young woman he loved, at the railroad station, here. After vainly seeking to induce her to change her decision, and her husband-to-be, Bradford left her much excited. He went to a local hotel where he had stopped before. Asking for a room, he said he was very tired. Half an hour later, hotel employees heard four shots and traced them to Bradford's room. The door was opened and his body found on the floor, the head lying in a pool of blood which was flowing from a wound over the left eye. He was removed to the hospital.

Before he died four hours later, the young woman whose refusal caused him to take his life, went to the hospital and sat by his bedside. She heard of his shooting himself, while still in the railroad station, collapsing afterward. Regaining consciousness, she inquired for his condition and being told he was at the hospital went there. It is believed he did not recognize her, being unconscious most of the time up to his death.

Bradford's only communication was a note written in blue pencil which read: "Notty N. W. Harris, 35 Federal street, Boston." This is the firm he was employed by as a clerk.

The father of young man, Gamaliel Bradford, second, also of Wellesley Hills, an author of note, was at his son's bedside when death came. He resolves the young woman from any blame whatever for the unfortunate act of his son. He said the young man has been brooding for some time over the affair and that the family feared such a result.

Young Bradford showed especial proficiency in college, finishing the four year course in three years. As a member of the class of 1910 he wished to receive his diploma with it and waited until this year before taking his degree. He comes of a long line of Bradfords, of the sturdy old Puritan stock, and was the tenth in descent of this family which contained many prominent men. His grandfather is Gamaliel Bradford, of Brookline, the well known publicist and anti-imperialist, and a former candidate for governor of Massachusetts.

Bradford took his life just as did his chum and classmate, John Brooks two years ago. The circumstances and manner of suicide in each case was identical.

HEADS OF G.T.R. WILL INSPECT THE SYSTEM

Mr. Smithers, President Hays, and Officials Will Cover Every Foot of Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific.

Montreal, Aug. 8.—Mr. A. W. Smithers, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Grand Trunk, accompanied by President Hays and a number of officials will leave tomorrow evening on a tour of inspection of the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific. The party will proceed by special train to Sarnia where they will take the train for Fort William proceeding thence by the Grand Trunk Pacific and National Transcontinental to Winnipeg and thence to Edmonton. From Edmonton the party will travel by the C. P. R. to Vancouver, whence one of the G. T. P. coast boats will take them to Prince Rupert where several days will be spent. On the return trip a thorough inspection will be made of the Ontario lines. In the party will be Sir George and Lady Doughty and G. B. Swan, chairman of the Swaa Hunter Shipbuilding Company.

CHICKEN THIEF KILLED RICE

THIS THE LATEST THEORY OF CLEVELAND POLICE

Believe That Murdered Man Caught Looters Of His Hen Roost And They Murdered Him.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 8.—The police of this city and county today are working to solve the mystery of the death of W. L. Rice, millionaire attorney who was shot down near his home, Friday night on the theory that he was killed by chicken thieves. They regard the bag of stolen chickens found yesterday in the bushes 60 feet away from the scene of the murder as the most tangible clue yet unearthed. County Detective Devoran, who has charge of the case, was at first skeptical of the supposition that chicken thieves did the killing, but now believes this is the correct theory. He argues that Rice returning from the Euclid Club where he had spent the evening met the thieves returning booty laden from the house of W. P. Palmer, next door to Rice's and attempting to arrest them, was first killed and then shot. The theory is that the robbers frightened by the lights of an approaching automobile, then fled, discarding the bag of chickens as they fled.

GOES TO DYING WIFE IN CHAINS

Handcuffed To Sheriff, Man In Auburn, Me., Charged With Manslaughter, Visits His Wife's Deathbed.

Auburn, Maine, Aug. 8.—Handcuffed to a deputy sheriff, Louis Gauthier who is a prisoner at Auburn jail, charged with manslaughter, was taken to his dying wife's bedside at St. Mary's hospital this forenoon. The woman recognized her husband but she was too weak to talk. Gauthier was taken back to jail and his wife died this afternoon. She was 21 years old and leaves a 13 year old daughter. Gauthier is accused of having caused the death of Napoleon Bandette, whose skull was fractured from a fall caused, it is charged, by a blow dealt by the prisoner.

ST. ANDREW'S MAN IN IMPORTANT POSITION

C. P. Meredith, One Of The Commissioners Who Will Devise Plans For Beautifying Ottawa City.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Aug. 8.—Colborne P. Meredith an architect has been appointed a member of the Ottawa improvement commission in succession to the late F. P. Cunningham. The new commissioner was born in St. Andrews, N. B., in 1871.

INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

Geneva, Switzerland, Aug. 8.—Augustus Juillard, senior member of the firm of A. D. Juillard and Company of New York, and director in many prominent American banks, was injured while making an automobile trip near here yesterday. Mr. Juillard was accompanied by his wife and a chauffeur. They were proceeding along the road from Geneva to Evian Les Bains at the rapid pace when a girl on a bicycle appeared almost directly in front of them. The girl, in her alarm, slipped sagged over the road in avoiding a collision the chauffeur was compelled to swerve his machine sharply. This manoeuvre dived the car and both Mr. and Mrs. Juillard were thrown out, the former being quite severely hurt, and the latter suffering slight injuries. They were conveyed to Geneva. The chauffeur and the cyclist were uninjured.

CATHOLICS IN SPAIN WILL OPEN CAMPAIGN; MORE TROUBLE FEARED

Will Organize a Manifestation Against Spanish Government.

Many Participants in Saturday's Riots Released from Jail.

Government Will Insist on Prosecution of Signers of Catholic Protest.

San Sebastian, Aug. 8.—The Catholic juntas of the Basque provinces at a meeting today decided to wage a broad campaign "in defence of Catholicism" and to use all efforts to spread the propaganda throughout Spain. As the first step they named a general committee to organize a manifesto manifestation against the government. Later they will seek to create militant juntas in every province.

The Carlist leaders also held a meeting this afternoon, but behind closed doors. The suspicion that the Catholics and Carlists are working hand in hand has increased the uneasiness of the authorities.

Cardinal Merry Del Val, the papal secretary, has forwarded to the president of the junta here the thanks of the pope and his apostolic benediction. There were no disorders of any kind today.

About half the number of those arrested on Saturday night, while taking part in a street demonstration, and shouting "death to Spain, long live the pope," were released today. The Basque senators and deputies have decided to ask for the release of the others, and to interpellate the government at the opening of the Cortes, protesting against "the arbitrary acts of San Sebastian."

The government, however, will insist upon the prosecution of the signers of the insulting protest directed to it by the Catholics, the premier hoping thereby to expose the real cause of the agitation in the Basque provinces. The queen mother, who is a zealous Catholic today congratulated Premier Canalejas and the government on the success which attended their efforts to prevent trouble here on Sunday.

MAINE BOY KILLED BY AN AUTOMOBILE

While Attempting To Cross Street In Livermore, Me., Child Was Run Down And Killed.

Livermore, Me., Aug. 8.—Dodging unexpectedly from behind a team as he ran across the street, Harry Abbott, three years old, dashed directly in front of an automobile owned and driven by W. F. Treat and was instantly killed. Treat was endeavoring to pass between two teams which stood on either side of the road and did not see the boy until it was too late to stop. Young Abbott was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Abbott, of Livermore. An inquest will be held tomorrow.

SERIOUS FIRE IN NORTHERN TOWN

Town of Cochrane, 252 Miles North of North Bay, Visited by Disastrous Blaze Yesterday—Nineteen Buildings Burned—Refugees Living in Tents.

North Bay, Ont., Aug. 8.—Cochrane, 252 miles north of this place, the youngest town in the north, being a little more than a year old, but a lusty, young community, whose rapid growth has been a marvel, received its first setback yesterday when fire licked up nineteen business places. As the merchants occupied living rooms above their stores, nineteen families are homeless, and tents are being hurried to the scene from Cochrane to house the unfortunates until other arrangements can be made. Railway men shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday morning noticed a blaze in Bradley's Real Estate office and an alarm was at once given by the blowing of engine whistles and by running from house to house to arouse the sleeping occupants. Fortunately there was no wind blowing or the entire town would have been fire swept. As it was the flames spread with great rapidity, leaping from one frame building to another and the efforts of the bucket brigade were directed to keeping the fire confined to one side of the street. The entire block on two streets was wiped out, nineteen buildings being completely destroyed.

Rothschild Brothers are the heaviest losers with a stock of \$25,000 and insurance of \$15,000. J. Pelanagic, Forsyth and Chamandy Brothers, general merchants are among the heavy losers, with stocks running from \$10,000 to \$20,000. The post office, drug store, Chinese laundry and a number of smaller stores were wiped out. The banks and hotels escaped. The total loss will amount to \$150,000, with small insurance.

FIFTEEN THOUSAND PEOPLE ATTENDED THE BAND CONCERT

Campbellton's Fund Increased by \$1,000 as Result of Polymorphians' Effort.

King Square Musicales First of Kind Held Here in Years Was Grand Success.

The joint band concert or open air musicale for the benefit of the Campbellton sufferers, held on King Square last night, was perhaps the greatest demonstration of its kind ever held in St. John, and was from every standpoint far more successful than its most sanguine supporters hoped for.

It is estimated that more than 15,000 men, women and children were present in the Square, and in the immediate surrounding streets. As a financial success, it exceeded the hopes of the most optimistic promoters of the scheme. Fully \$1,000 will be realized.

It was, as a prominent citizen was heard to remark, a grand proof that the hearts of St. John's citizens have gone out in sympathy to the fire-stricken people of Campbellton and with a generosity, born of the memories of their own struggles in '77, they responded nobly to the appeal for aid.

Perhaps even more significant than this, the orderliness and marked good conduct of that vast army of men and women of all walks of life, was a notable tribute to the respect of the citizens for law and order, and many strangers remarked that in no city on the continent could such a mass meeting be held, and conducted in such a peaceful, orderly manner.

Efficient Police.

It was also, more or less a tribute to the general efficiency of the police force of St. John. Eighteen men under command of Sergeant Hastings, and under the supervision of Deputy Chief N. F. Jenkins, were present to preserve law and order, and so tactfully, and well, did they perform their duties, that not the slightest disorder occurred to mar the proceedings.

Although having patrolled their beats all day under a scorching sun, the men cheerfully volunteered their services for the evening and no change was necessitated in the night beats.

Six officers from the North End division in charge of Sergt. Kilpatrick were present and two men were stationed at the different entrances to the square.

A New Record in Crowds.

Discussing the conduct of the crowd before the performance, Deputy Chief Jenkins said that he was greatly pleased. It was the largest crowd they ever called to handle in the square. In the 27 years that he was upon the force, and he could not recall ever having seen such an orderly gathering.

Long before seven o'clock every available seat not only in the square but in the old burying ground as well, were occupied and several amusing scenes of gentlemen and ladies carrying their own chair about with them were witnessed.

When the first strains of the opening number by the St. John pipe band was heard at 7:30 sharp, the entire square and surrounding streets seemed to be a solid surging mass of humanity. Everyone seemed to be seeking for the best possible positions, yet everyone was good natured and happy.

Every possible vantage point was early secured; every doerstep on practically every house for blocks around were occupied, dozens of automobiles and carriages stood around and Charlotte street was practically crowded from Union to Princess.

Ladies in the Majority.

Ladies were easily in the majority, and their light summer raiment and grand display of millinery made the square resemble one massive flower bed, while the brilliantly lighted stand, the pretty uniformed bandmen, the small blue and red lights which appeared to twinkle over even the heads of the multitude, the soft strains of the music mingled with the laughter of the great crowd, created a scene that was almost fantastic.

At every entrance to the Square was placed a large box to receive contributions, and above each was a card, on which was plainly written an appeal for Campbellton.

Ald. Potts Eloquent.

Prominent citizens, members of the committee in charge of the affair, guarded the boxes. The box to receive the greatest attention, as well as the greatest amount of contribution, was the one in charge of Ald. Potts. The chairman of the committee kept up a running flow of eloquence during the entire evening that undoubtedly caused many a citizen to doubt his intended contribution. Among others who were active was His Worship Mayor Frink, who worked tirelessly to make the evening a success.

As the evening grew on the crowd seemed to increase rather than dwindle and not till the strains of O Canada, the vast audience that the last number was over, and also stirred their patriotism, did the big crowd break up and almost reluctantly leave the grounds.

The performance over the members of the different bands were treated to luncheon in the Gem Dining Room by His Worship Mayor Frink and the committee retired to a small room in the Victoria bowling alley to begin the task of counting the proceeds.

Counting the Coin.

It was an animated, almost excited group, those men who, with almost childlike expectancy and anticipation, eagerly opened and counted the proceeds of each box. The work of counting the entire proceeds took about two hours. Among those who assisted in the task were His Worship Mayor Frink and ex-Mayor Sears. Altogether there were 53 boxes. Large boxes were placed at each entrance to the square and smaller boxes were carried about by collectors.

The Largest Collection.

The largest collection taken in was made by Ald. Potts, there being \$72.15 in his box. The largest small box collection was made by W. J. Crawford, who took in \$54.15. The total amount collected was \$893.32. To be added to this, however, is \$100 subscribed by the Haymarket Square Polymorphians Club and the total amount will reach \$1,000. The entire amount was placed in one big box, which was securely strapped and bound and turned over to Mayor Frink. It was driven away in a coach to parts unknown.

The Committee.

The committee in charge was: J. McKelvie, S. Givan, Mayor Frink, A. Winchester, Ald. McGoldrick, Ald. Potts, C. Garman, Chas. Nevins, W. McLellan, S. W. Wilkins, John Tennant, John Alexander, Jas. Beachan, Chas. Thompson, Wm. Thomas, R. J. Armstrong, R. J. Wilkins, pres.; Ed. Stockford, Chas. Lingley, Frank Shannon, J. A. Brooks, Wm. Haslam, W. Martin, D. Belyea, A. Green, Wm. Wallace, E. Sears, R. Woodrow, with two members of each band on the committee.

Society Gamblers Fear the Publicity

Women Caught in Narragansett Pier Raid Beg for Mercy.

Constable Cross Keeps the Names Secret and Tells His Reasons.

He Caught 30 Women in Gambling Rooms—Developments Expected.

Narragansett Pier, Aug. 8.—Society women and their emissaries have kept a close watch today on Constable John G. Cross, who conducted the gambling raid against the Narragansett Pier Club yesterday, taking every opportunity that availed to beseech him to refrain from giving to the newspapers the names of those who were in the club rooms at the time of the raid. Thus far Constable Cross has complied with their wishes and has maintained a discreet silence, but of his particular declaration it is not because the women have asked it that he has not given out the names.

"To publish these names would give unnecessary pain and cause unnecessary embarrassment," he said today, "but if these people appear in court in answer to the summonses which have been served on them, it will then be impossible to keep their names from the public and there will be a good deal of surprise when it is learned what prominent men and women are concerned. And they will have a lot of embarrassing questions to answer too."

Constable Cross declared tonight that he was being constantly followed by detectives whom he believes to be in the employ of some of the society people against whom his move was made, and he is almost in fear of his current house arrest in securing his release when arraigned in court today to answer to an assault charge, it was on a technicality only, and he is patiently awaiting the next move against him, whether or not another warrant will be secured he does not know.

There were upwards of 30 society women in the crowd gathered about the roulette wheels and other games of chance in the club house at the time of the raid, according to Mr. Cross. Many of them have tried to explain, the constable says, that they just dropped into the club for a lunch after leaving the hop at the Casino, but Mr. Cross declares he saw no signs of anything in the lunch line in the place and that the majority were gathered about the game boards when he entered.

Rumors of a possible arrest in the case were current, and he kept the pier alive with interest. Whether these rumors proved to be founded on fact or not, it is admitted that neither side has yet showed all of its cards and more developments are sure to follow within a short time.

Prominent People Planned Raid.

It became known tonight that William M. Ivins, once candidate for mayor of New York, Prof. Matthews, of Columbia University and Mrs. R. G. Dun were among the persons who were behind the raid on the club. Mr. Ivins in a statement tonight declared that he and his associates had been working for two years or more to drive out the gamblers and that two years ago an organization was formed for this express purpose. The facts regarding this organization, he said, had never been made public, but it numbered among its membership many prominent summer residents and had been quietly working ever since. Mr. Ivins said tonight:—

A Gambling Epidemic.

"This town is in the throes of a gambling epidemic which has developed rich and poor alike. The majority of the people who visited the swell club were not summer residents of Narragansett and Narragansett Pier, but were automobile parties from New York and elsewhere. And while they gambled at the high toned places their chauffeurs went to five other places which are allowed to exist and lost their money."

"This epidemic of gambling has entirely changed the character of the town. Property has been depreciated in value from 25 to 50 per cent, and the voting population has fallen off twenty per cent, all because of the gambling. Instead of the high class of summer transients, who used to frequent Narragansett, we now have the summer boarder and the cheaper class."

30,000 KNIGHTS TO WALK TODAY

Parade Big Feature Of Knights Templar Conclave In Chicago—Many Cities Want It Next Year.

Chicago, Aug. 8.—Keen rivalry to secure the Knights Templar conclave of 1913 developed today as delegation after delegation to the present meeting arrived. Los Angeles, Denver, New Orleans, Atlantic City and Atlanta are actively seeking the honor.

All are keeping open houses. The Californians arrived on a special train and to attract attention to their invitation will distribute 2,000 boxes of oranges at a reception to be given Wednesday night. Mayor Behrman of New Orleans, leads the fight for that city. The New Orleans headquarters is decorated with canecorn, sheaths of rice and Spanish moss. The Denver delegation fairly seethes with enthusiasm and points to its entertainment of the National convention as a sample of what the city can do. Atlantic City includes the entertaining of large conventions among its business affairs, the same being loudly proclaimed. Atlanta claims to be the "new south" in epitome, with all of the hospitality of a section which prides itself on caring for its guests.

The great display feature of the conclave will be seen tomorrow when the Knights hold their parade. It is estimated that thirty thousand will be in line.

BAD DRIVING ACCIDENT IN BRIDGEWATER

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S., Aug. 8.—A serious driving accident occurred at Bridgewater tonight in which Hon. W. H. Owen, member of the legislative council and his daughter, Miss Olive, narrowly escaped death. Mr. Owen and his daughter were in the front seat of a dog cart and Miss Owen sat in the rear seat. They were driving down the steep Alexandra avenue when the harness broke and the bleeding fell on the horse's head.

The high spirited animal became unmanageable and ran away. Mrs. Owen jumped from the seat and was unhurt but Mr. Owen and his daughter were hurled out with great force striking on their heads. Both were unconscious for ten minutes. Mr. Owen received a gash three inches long over the right eye and Miss Olive had both eyes closed and also received a bad bruise on the back of her head. They were taken in an auto to their residence. They are now out of danger. Miss Owen it will be remembered, won the single tennis championship of Nova Scotia at New Glasgow.

MONCTON LEARNS OF THE DROWNING OF STANLEY CARR.

Moncton Aug. 8.—Word has been received here of the death by drowning of Stanley D. Carr, aged 22. He was a native of Middlesex, Westmorland county, but for the greater part of life a resident of St. John. There are no particulars. He leaves a mother and sister residing at Middlesex, and two brothers in the west.

DAVID ROSS DEAD.

Amherst, N. S., Aug. 8.—David Ross, father of A. D. Ross, of the Amherst News, and one of the oldest residents of the town passed away tonight in the eighty-fourth year of his age.