

HARRY HAW GETS CARPENTERS ENFORCED OUTING BOW GUM MURDER CAUSED TONG WAR



LATEST PHOTOGRAPH OF FAMOUS MURDER TRIAL WITNESS.

New York, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Harry K. Thaw was brought here from Matineo yesterday on a writ of habeas corpus as a witness for his mother in the suit brought against her by Dr. Allan Maclean Hamilton for \$7000 for services rendered at Thaw's trial. The case was not reached until late in the afternoon and then it was discovered that Mrs. Thaw's papers were defective because of a stenographer's error and a juror was withdrawn and the trial declared off for the present. Thaw will probably have another outing later.

Thaw reached Justice Howling's court room five minutes after court had opened, in the custody of Dr. Amos T. Baker, assistant superintendent of the Mattituan asylum, and two guards. He appeared to be in good health, and his first act was to hand over to a group of newspaper men a "signed statement." In this statement he said he knew some of the facts concealed when the papers in the Astor divorce case were ordered sealed. He did not reveal any of them.

His statement said that people had scoffed at his counsel, Mr. Morschauer, "because he got no favors, not even simple justice. All we wanted was a fair hearing before an unprejudiced jury, but if he and I had wished to influence any one indirectly I had two little money. Had I millions like Col. Astor, there might have been a difference. Extortionate lawyers and experts have made me a bankrupt."

At luncheon time Thaw wanted to go to a restaurant in Park Place but was refused.

South Norwalk, Conn., Nov. 18.—Without ever having been ill in his life and with the strangest pronouncement of death on record, John C. Hoffman, a retired rubber manufacturer, sixty-eight years old, died here this morning.

Apoplexy was the immediate cause of death, but the circumstances surrounding the last moments of his life show that Mr. Hoffman knew he was going to die, although he was apparently in the best of health.

Mr. Hoffman was not able to explain just how he became possessed of the knowledge that his end was near, but he was so positive that he had only a short time to live that he made full preparation for the end. The pronouncement of death had taken such firm root in his mind that he cleaned up his little home in Wilton avenue, resolved that it would be only a question of a few hours when he would be taken in charge by an undertaker.

After dusting off the furniture and seeing that everything was neat and tidy, he dressed himself in his best clothes. He called in his friends and told them, he positively knew that he had a short time to live. They ridiculed his talk and tried to convince him that he was suffering from imagination in his wildest form, but Mr. Hoffman was sure he knew what he was talking about. He appeared to be in the best of health, but he finally convinced even the most skeptical of his friends that he was living in the shadow of death.

Seating himself in his favorite easy chair, Mr. Hoffman shook hands with his friends and bade them a hearty farewell. The circumstances and utter preparation for death were so strange that every one present was amazed.

Ten minutes later Mr. Hoffman was dead.

S. S. Marier, Ont., Nov. 18.—The Northern Navigation Company's steamer Ionic, which it was feared had gone down in Monday's gale, arrived here safely yesterday morning and passed down the canal in the afternoon.

Two Carpenters' Unions To Merge, and to Enter American Federation of Labor as One Body.

Toronto, Nov. 18.—At this morning's session of the American Federation of Labor, it was decided that the two unions of carpenters, one of which now is in the Federation, and the other of which is seeking entrance, should amalgamate and come in as one body, within a year. In the meantime all law suits and other legal actions between the two are to be dropped, they are to get together, settle their differences, unite and come in the parent body. One of the existing unions is the Amalgamated Carpenters, and the other is the Brotherhood of Carpenters.

Another Proposition. A proposition to unite two unions of car workers was also approved by the Federation. The United Association of Car Workers, with a membership of 20,000, is applying for membership. There is already one body of car workers in the Federation, namely, the Car Worker's Association.

Gomper's Given Time. Washington, Nov. 18.—The Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, upon request of counsel for the labor leaders, today granted a stay until Nov. 29, of the issuance of the mandate sending President Gomper, Secretary Morrison of the Federation of Labor, to jail for contempt of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia in the Buck stove and range case.

Chief Justice Shepard stated that if the labor leaders had by November 29, the day the Supreme Court of the United States re-convenes, filed in that court a petition for certiorari on application a further stay of the mandate would be granted pending the determination by the higher tribunal.

As a result of this action, Gomper, Mitchell and Morrison need not go to Washington, as it will not be necessary for them to surrender under their bonds nor will they have to have recourse to Habeas Corpus proceedings.

LIBERALS LUCKY IN WINNING TEN SEATS

Outlook for British Columbia Opposition is Admittedly Gloomy -- What the Party Managers Think.

Vancouver, Nov. 18.—The political situation in British Columbia conveys little comfort to the Liberal party. The party managers claim a possible 22 seats out of 42, but to make up that number they count on carrying two seats in Vancouver and one in Victoria. In Victoria they figure on the possibility of electing H. Seukler and F. C. Wade, with the exception of one or two county constituencies with members of strong personality they have no certainties anywhere.

Well informed opinion here gives the Liberals a maximum possibility of ten seats, a much greater likelihood of seven, and a minimum of five. It is looked upon as certain that the Socialists will carry one or two constituencies in the next Legislature is expected to be chosen Liberals, five Socialists and 20 Conservatives.

It is said that Alexander Henderson who will be brought from the Yukon where he is now Governor, to succeed James Deneault as Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia, and that W. B. McInnes will succeed him in the Yukon.

ENGLAND THE MECCA FOR EUROPE'S ROYALTY

London, Nov. 18.—England is once again the centre for visiting royalties. The Queen of Sweden is expected to arrive quietly this morning at a beautiful estate which she has taken for several months. Queen Maud of Norway and the ever popular Prince Olaf are with King Edward and Queen Alexandra. King Manuel of Portugal has arrived on a state visit and special arrangements are being made in his honor. England expects that his visit will be followed by the announcement of his engagement to the Princess of Fife, but no definite information on this subject is forthcoming except that the two young people are to meet at one of the fetes given in Manuel's honor.

Very soon after the departure of the Portuguese sovereign, the Queen of Spain will arrive in England with her three children. She will go first to Osborne Cottage on the Isle of Wight where she intends to stay some time. King Alfonso cannot accompany her owing to the troubled state of Spain at the present time.

Next year it is supposed that the Emperor and Empress of Germany and Princess Victoria Louise will stay at the English coast and in the late spring arrangements will be made for a state visit from the Queen of Holland accompanied by the Prince Consort and Princess Julia.

president of the Society for Philosophical Quizzical Research. The professor spent a good part of the three hours of the session talking up and down the hall in pursuit of quizzical logic. Somebody asked him what was going to do when the building was closed, and he was left alone on the third floor.

"Damn the spirits," said the professor.

So Declares Tom Lee, Head of the Ong Leong Tong--Claims Band Is Blameless and States That No Shooting Will Be Done Unless Imported Hatchet Men Get Busy.



New York, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Surrounded by fighting men in his home at No. 14 Mott street, Tom Lee, head of the Ong Leong Tong, yesterday told his side of the tong war which has again started in Chinatown.

The veteran leader who is nearly seventy years old and who has led his tong to victory in many bitter fights, declared that in the present war would not do any shooting unless attacked by the hatchet men who have been imported from San Francisco by the Four Brothers Society.

According to Lee the fighting and murder which may occur can be laid at the door of the Four Brothers Society. He charges Sam Lock, the leader, with trying to get rid of the witnesses against Lew Dock and Low Chong, who are locked up charged with the murder of Bow Gum.

Bow Gum. "When Sam Lock came here, three months ago, Chinatown was at peace," Lee said yesterday. "A few weeks after his arrival Bow Gum was murdered and one of the Ong Leongs was charged with having killed her. After the police made an investigation, Chong, one of my men, was released and the other of the Four Brothers were locked up. It was said that Sam Lock began to try to get rid of the witnesses against Lew Dock and Low Chong. He came to me and tried to get me to send the men away. I refused, and then the threats of shooting began.

The wounding of the two Ong Leong Tong two weeks ago in the Bowery was done by the hatchet men of the Four Brothers Society. We want peace, but we will defend ourselves.

Lee said that he very seldom left his home, but that when he did he always was accompanied by fighting men, because he was afraid he would be ambushed. He declared he would not meet Sam Lock to make a peace movement unless the leader of the Four Brothers Society would first call off his fighting men.

He denied any knowledge of threats against Chu King Yung, the merchant whose fear of assassination has kept him a prisoner for two weeks in his apartments at No. 53 Bayard street. Yung, Lee says, was the head of the Four Brothers Society in New York before the arrival of Sam Lock.

Fung Lin, the pretty Chinese wife of Chu King Yung, against whom death threats have also been made, yesterday through an interpreter, told him she had been lured to New York by Fung Fook, a member of the Ong Leong Tong, who made her a slave.

"I was only sixteen when Fung Fook took me away from San Francisco after utter degradation, and he held me as a slave for four years, when my hand slipped me to escape and married me. Since then he has been trying to get me back, and has made threats against my life."

Thralldom of The Wireless Frontier

Prisoners of the Service On the Labrador Crags--What It Means To Handle the Spark at 55 North With Icebergs In the Offing--At Battle Harbor.

A dozen men link with the world a thousand miles of wilderness up beyond the gateway of the St. Lawrence where the shreds of civilization fray out against the barrier of the great North. They do it with a wireless key and the messages they receive and send pass over barren wastes where no man lives and land wires have never been strung.

A dozen there are who serve as operators; others of the repairing crew and the supplying department come and go, but these dozen men are year after year held practically prisoners on the bald cliffs of Labrador and Newfoundland before the key of the wireless telegraph is turned.

From the one to the other the meagre commercial messages that must pass from dealer to fisherman; send down to the land telegraphs the occasional news of shipwrecks and sea sufferings that finds a way into the papers. Between Indian Harbor, the northernmost wireless post on the Atlantic coast and Cape Ray in Newfoundland, where the cable from the mainland of Nova Scotia comes out of the sea, there are seven stations of the wireless. Each station is in the hands of two men, an operator and an engineer, who may also relieve a trick at the key in time of necessity. Just those

two to keep intact the line of communication between the world below and 55 north during the months that the seas are free of ice and the ships are moving from one fiord to another along the granite coast.

There is no part of the Atlantic coast that is so forbidding as that which stretches from the Quebec side of the Gulf of St. Lawrence up to the ice fields of Baffin Land. It is barren with the desolation of the Arctic current that bears down from the Greenland shore and fringed the year around by winter and early spring, by icebergs broken from the pack and carried down to melt in the warmer waters below.

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WATCHMAKER A choice selection of fine watches, watch parts, repairs, etc. ERNEST LAW, 3 Colborne St.

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of a survivor the grim tale of the wreck of the British whaler Snowdrop in Hudson Bay and the sufferings and death of all but one of her crew in Baffin Land. They put the story down to civilization to find places in the newspapers.

At Battle Harbor Gordon Sprackling a young Nova Scotian is the Marconi operator, and Leonard Stephenson his engineer. Compared with some of their fellows Sprackling and Stephenson are fortunate in the environment of a metropolis.

Battle Harbor is quite a place. It has fully thirty houses and in the height of the cold season almost a hundred people live there. Then, too, there is Dr. Wilfred Glendiff's permanent hospital and during all the year either the head of the mission or some of his assistants are there to tend to the sick who have been picked up along the coast by Dr. Glendiff's ship, the Strathcona.

IN SENATE... Asks if All... Case of Agent... Tomorrow.

In the Senate this... the orders of the... senator Cloran on a... brought in the... on under sentence... Montreal, tomorrow... stated that a great... the review of Dil-... his Excelsior... had been for-... cency to council... the date upon... ment had considered... decided not to inter-... desired to know... he gives a consi-... application, and... as a most unfor-... Wright said this... matter. It was not... House of Parli-... judicial decision. He... hope in this case... what he had... or all the peti-... ed in this case... Wright said that in... all the circum-... considered by the... This case had... ed.

MAN FOUND IN ST. STEPHEN

Nov. 18.—There is an... in the lock-up... from the road of... He was found on... morning by... of the Immigration... to give any ac-... He was found on... morning by... of the Immigration... to give any ac-... He was found on... morning by... of the Immigration... to give any ac-...

SAKVILLE BEEN DROWNED

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WILLS HIMSELF TO DEATH AND THEN DIES

John C. Hoffman Sets House in Order, Bids His Friends Good-bye, Sits in Chair and Passes Away.

THE PALADINO SEEN IN FIRST RAY SEANCE

Despair of Scientists Puts Pirate Spook Through Stunts Before Thirteen--The Sceptics Are Still Dubious.

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