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CALLAHAN IS A FREE MAN

The Alleged Kidnapper of Young Edward Cudahy at Omaha Proved an Alibi.

LITTLE GIRL HAD HEARD OF CROWE.

Callahan Said He Spent the Fateful Afternoon at Home and the Evening in a Saloon.

Omaha, Neb., April 27.—An alibi was offered when the defence opened to-day in the trial of James Callahan, accused of participation in the kidnapping of Eddie Cudahy.

Charles McDonald, a neighbor of Callahan, related a conversation he claimed to have held with the defendant on the afternoon of the kidnapping, Dec. 18. At the moment the abduction was taking place, McDonald said he sat on the porch in company with Callahan, at Mrs. Kelly's, the defendant's boarding house.

McDonald said he and Callahan were together between the hours of 3.30 and 5 o'clock. McDonald remembered the date because it was the 20th birthday of his son.

On cross-examination he admitted having recently told two detectives that he was not quite sure whether it was Dec. 18 or on the day or second day following.

Maude McDonald, the little daughter of the preceding witness, proved an unfortunate witness for the defence. She said she remembered a man called Johnson, who often visited Callahan, and had heard et whispered that he was Pat Crowe.

At the opening of the afternoon session Callahan testified in his own behalf. His story was a series of denials of all allegations of the State. He said he spent the afternoon of Dec. 18 at home, and in the evening played cards at a saloon.

CALLAHAN AGAIN ARRESTED.

Judge Discharged Jury "Without the Compliments of the Court."

Omaha, Neb., April 28.—James Callahan was declared not guilty to-day of any complicity in the kidnapping of Edward Cudahy, jr. Shortly after 9 o'clock this morning the jury reported.

Judge Baker had evidently been expecting another verdict, and was openly disappointed.

"It is impossible for me to understand," he said, "how 12 intelligent men could have agreed upon such a verdict, after listening to the testimony. The defendant could not have chosen more wisely if he had been selecting his own representatives, and the community could not have made a more unfortunate selection. This jury is discharged without the compliments of the court."

Callahan's attorneys were not present, and the defendant expressed a desire to thank the jurors in his own behalf. This the court refused to permit. He said the jury did not deserve any thanks.

At Once Re-Arrested.

Two more counts still exist against Callahan, and he was at once re-arrested under those. There is doubt, however, whether the state will bring the cases to trial. Chief of Police Donohue announces that the $5000 offered for the apprehension of Patrick Crowe will be withdrawn. He says it is one thing to arrest the culprit and another to convict him. The reward of $50,000 offered jointly by the city and Edward Cudahy, however, will still remain in force. As far as could be ascertained from the jurymen, there was at no time any serious difference as to their opinion of Callahan's innocence.

CARNEGIE WORKED FOR HIM.

James Douglass Reid, "the Father of the Telegraph," is Dead.

New York, April 28.—James Douglas Reid, known to telegraphers thruout the country as "the father of the telegraph," died this afternoon at his residence in this city. He had been ill for many weeks.

James Douglas Reid was born at Edinburgh, Scotland, March 22, 1819, and came to America in 1834. His entrance into the telegraphic service was in 1845, when he assisted in the organization of the Atlantic and Ohio Telegraph Company for the construction of a series of lines connecting Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Buffalo, Detroit, Cincinnati, St. Louis and New Orleans, the most extensive series projected at that time. In 1889 he was appointed United States Consul to Dunfermline, Scotland, thru the influence of Andrew Carnegie, who as a boy had served as messenger and telegraph operator under Mr. Reid at Pittsburg. He relinquished this office in 1897.

FIRE AT DOMINION STEEL WORKS.

Two Tanks With About 300,000 Gallons of Coal Tar Burned.

Sydney, C.B., April 28.—Two tanks of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company and their contents, about 300,000 gallons of coal tar, were destroyed by fire this morning. The fire, which is supposed to have caught from a locomotive spark, was an extremely fierce one while it lasted. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

BRITISH BUDGET LIKELY TO PASS SAYS A LONDON CORRESPONDENT

The Coal Duty Declared Not to be Unpopular—Sugar Duty a Legitimate Way of Raising Money For the War—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach Liked by Liberals.

New York, April 28.—The Herald's European edition publishes the following from its correspondent in London, Mr. Herbert Paul:

The budget is still the one subject of political conversation.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, while refusing to withdraw the duty of a shilling a ton upon exported coal, promised that relief on all contracts already concluded would be carried out before a date not yet fixed.

This will, of course, to some extent, upset calculations for the year, but if the intended duty shall be permanent that may be regarded as a comparatively trivial matter.

The economic objection to this tax is serious. Duties on exported articles were deliberately abandoned by the Government of Sir Robert Peel in 1845. Nearly 30 years afterwards, in 1873, when Mr. Gladstone was Prime Minister, a Select Committee of the Commons reported against them. They are distinctly protective so far as they favor the home at the expense of foreign trade. Free traders know that commercial exchange with other countries gives just as much employment to native labor as the production of articles consumed within the United Kingdom. Indeed, it often gives more, because it helps to direct capital into the most profitable channels.

Coal Duty Not Unpopular.

But economic arguments do not weigh much with the general public. The coal duty is not unpopular. There is prevalent the belief that the high price at which coal ruled last year was the result of a coal-owners' ring. There is also a strong impression that no class of the community profited more by the war.

Then it is always agreeable to see a chance of taxing the foreigner.

The best economic opinion is that the foreigner will not pay the duty because German or other competition will keep down the price, but the Chancellor of the Exchequer himself supported the opposite theory, which is at least plausible enough to be accepted.

Sugar Duty Not Protective.

On the other hand, the sugar duty is economically sound. It is not in any sense protective and can have no other object than the legitimate one of increasing revenue. It makes almost everybody help to pay for the war.

Whatever may eventually happen to the coal duty there is not the slightest chance of the sugar duty being abandoned. It is estimated to bring in at least five millions of money ($25,000,000).

Some one has invented the pleasing formula "Every lump of sugar put into a cup of tea is a shot fired at Kruger."

As a war tax this halfpenny on every pound of sugar is difficult to attack. It is argued—and Sir Michael's own words are quoted to prove it—that the taxes of this budget are not war taxes at all, inasmuch as they would be required to meet the ordinary growth of expenditures quite apart from the war.

Regarded in that light the sugar duty is much less defensible. Sugar has been free for more than a quarter of a century, tho an entirely free breakfast table may be for the present out of the question.

The step backward can only be justified by urgent necessity.

Income Tax Increase Most Attacked

Judging from the letters in the newspapers and from the protests received by members of Parliament from their constituents, the most unpopular part of the budget is the extra two pence in the income tax, yet it is so obviously just that it was carried in the House of Commons by a majority of four to one.

Indirect taxation is little felt unless it is so widespread as to be irritating. A direct tax on property comes home in the old phrase to men's business and their bosoms. Two years ago the income tax was eight pence in the pound. Now it is one shilling and two pence, and next year may well be one and four pence.

It is true incomes below a hundred and sixty pounds a year pay nothing, while the limits of partial exemption go up as high as seven hundred pounds a year, but the class upon whom it falls most heavily have leisure for writing and exercise influence, especially upon Conservatives, out of all proportion to their numbers.

Budget Likely to Go Thru.

On the whole, however, I do not think the Opposition will be able to make much head against this budget. The justice and necessity of the war have nothing to do with the best method of paying the bills.

A long-sighted financier would be more alarmed at the great addition to the national debt than at either of the new taxes. The epithets apply to Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, but next to taxing the foreigner there is nothing the "Man in the Street" likes better than taxing posterity. Such trifles as interest on loans escape his notice.

The new loan has been raised with ease. That satisfies him.

Rumored Discord in Cabinet.

Sir Michael himself is rather a favorite with the Liberal party. He is very frank and punctiliously courteous to his opponents in debate. He is thought, rightly or wrongly, to be Mr. Chamberlain's principal antagonist in the Cabinet. He and Sir William Harcourt are quite at one in their desire for retrenchment. Even their language on the subject is almost identical. A change of Government is considered by almost all Liberals as hopeless in the circumstances, and they would regard the retirement of Sir Michael as a national misfortune.

A STEEL CO. PLANT BURNED

It is Believed That Either Four or Six Miners Have Lost Their Lives at Latrobe.

THIRTY-NINE MULES PERISHED.

A Loss of $150,000 to the Insurance Companies—400 Men Thrown Out of Work.

Latrobe, Pa., April 28.—To-night the entire tipple, engine house and boiler house of the Dorothy Coal and Coke plant of the American Steel and Wire Company is a smouldering mass of ruins, and it is rumored that either four or six miners have lost their lives. The loss is estimated at $150,000; fully insured.

Superintendent Rodgers and William Gill were partly suffocated while assisting in the work of rescue.

Five miners are known to have been in the mine at the time, but they knew nothing of the fire until 12 men descended the air shaft, which is 250 feet deep, and told them of the fact. Thirty nine mules were at the bottom of the shaft, and these have undoubtedly perished from the flames. The fire will cause over 400 miners to be thrown out of work. Pittsburg capital is mostly interested in the concern.

BLAZE AT SARANAC LAKE.

Callahan Mill, Four Store Houses and Half a Million Feet of Lumber Destroyed.

Syracuse, N.Y., April 28.—A special to The Post-Standard from Saranac Lake says:

At 4 o'clock this evening fire caught in the drying room of the branch of the Canadian mill in the centre of the village. The mill, four storehouses and 500,000 feet of lumber were destroyed. Several of the dwelling houses and two freight cars were damaged. The total loss will be $150,000, partly covered by insurance.

At 10.30 o'clock to-night the fire was thought to be under control, but it was feared that if the wind increased many of the dwelling houses would be destroyed.

The Malone fire department was sent to Saranac by special train, and by throwing water from the lake onto the flames materially aided in stopping their progress.

TWO WOMEN INSTANTLY KILLED.

Were Driving Across the Railway and Train Struck Them.

Elmira, N.Y., April 28.—Mrs. Sarah Halsey, aged 58, and her sister, Miss Bowlby, aged 53, while driving across the Lehigh Valley Railroad crossing at North Hector to-day, were struck by a fast freight engine and instantly killed.

Jennings for American League.

Philadelphia, April 28.—Hugh Jennings will join Philadelphia American League on June 15, when his contract with Cornell University will expire. The agreement to come to Philadelphia was made at Ithaca to-night with Ban Johnson, president of the American League.

BRUTAL CRIME BY NEGROES

Gang of Black Rascals, Including Two Black Women, Commit a Dastardly Deed.

WHITE MAN AND WIFE ATTACKED.

The Woman Shamefully Abused and the Man Shot Twice—Will Probably Die.

Connellsville, Pa., April 28.—The Connellsville coke region is all stirred up to night again over the dastardly deeds of a gang of negroes, who attacked Hiram McMillan, a white man, and his wife in a lonely house near Oliphant, and shot the man twice, probably mortally wounding him, and assaulted brutally the woman, who also is in a serious condition from the abuse. McMillan's house stands back from the highway near the old historic Oliphant furnace. McMillan is about 40 years old, but his wife is quite a young woman, and the two were alone. Suddenly the negroes, in the party being two black women also, came from a hiding and attacked the house. The men burst in the door, dragged Mrs. McMillan from her husband's arms and carried her out behind an outbuilding, where the six men assaulted her.

The Husband Shot Down.

Leaving their victim prostrate, the men gave their attention to the frantic husband, who had been engaged in battle with one or more of the men thruout this terrible ordeal. McMillan broke from his assailants, and, as he started back into his house the negroes, evidently thinking that he was going for a gun or a revolver, drew a bead on him, and a bullet pierced his body just below the heart. McMillan fell at his doorstep, but before fleeing the negroes shot at his prostrate body, another bullet lodging in the fallen man near the kidney.

Woman Gave the Alarm.

For some time after the negroes had fled the husband lay at his door bleeding, and his wife lay unconscious behind the outbuilding, about 50 feet away. The woman came to herself first and found her husband. Mrs. McMillan gave the alarm, and immediately a posse was organized to hunt down the negroes. The posse did not lose much time in getting started over the hills, and in a couple of hours came across Wesley Lewis, one of the supposed assailants, who thought he would elude the officers by hiding in some bushes. He was handcuffed and brought under guard to the Fayette County jail, where he is now behind the bars.

Bessie Wares and Lizzie Jones, the two colored women implicated in the rioting, were also locked up in Uniontown.

People Are Infuriated.

In the meantime the word had spread thruout all of Fayette County, and a great number of infuriated whites are now scouring the foothills of the Alleghanies in the hope of finding the other five negroes. Mrs. McMillan is at her home, and has suffered severely from shock and brutal treatment. Her friends and relatives swear vengeance swift and terrible on the negroes if they can get them from the officers.

SAVINGS BANK IN TROUBLE.

Westerly, R. I. Concern, Will Not, it is Said, Open Up for Business This Morning.

Westerly, Rhode Island, April 28.—The Mechanics' Savings Bank of this town will not open up for business Monday morning. Late this afternoon E. B. Foster issued notice that owing to the doubtful value of some of the bank's assets the trustees had decided, for the best interests of the depositors, that the bank go into liquidation, and that, pending the granting of the authority, no money would be received or paid out. This action came as a great surprise to the town, and naturally great excitement prevails among small depositors. The estimated amount of deposits is something less than a million, the securities on their face values something less than $1,100,000 and the number of depositors about 2000. The largest amount of any one depositor is about $12,000. Many of the securities are western investments, which are understood to have decreased in value year by year.

Concordia Last Boat of Season.

St. John, N.B., April 28.—The sailing of the steamer Concordia for Glasgow on Saturday night closed the winter port business here for this season.

C. M. Wilson of Buffalo, who has signed the Crescent A.C.'s articles for Ferns to meet Matthews here race week, has backed Matthews for $300 to win to-night's battle at Louisville with Couhig.

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DAVENPORT—RANKIN.

A Case in London in Which There Was a Slip Betwen the Cup and the Lip.

London, April 28.—A new reading of the old proverb anent "many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip," was discovered by Mr. Harry Davenport yesterday, when, in company with Miss Phyllis Rankin, he made a quiet call on the Registrar, at No. 15 Henrietta-street, with a marriage license.

Facilities for rapid transit into the state of matrimony are by no means as smooth in London as in Milwaukee, as Mr. Davenport discovered days ago, when he set about obtaining a special license from Somerset House. He managed, however, to pull thru somehow, in the necessary formalities required by the English law ere he could make Miss Rankin Mrs. Davenport, at least up to the point where the registrar came in.

Even with this functionary, whose assistance was somewhat needful, inasmuch as he was to tie the knot, everything was apparently arranged—the hour of the ceremony, the amount of the fee and other incidentals—when the prospectively happy pair presented themselves at No. 15 Henrietta-street.

But at the last moment, when the official began asking the formal questions touching upon the biography of the bride and groom in America, a hitch was discovered which put a stop to further proceedings with the marriage ceremony.

Both the bride and groom elect tried their persuasive powers upon the registrar to convince him that everything was right but he was obdurate. No argument could move him.

Documentary evidence was what he required. As this could only be obtained in America, the disconsolate pair were perforce obliged to return to their respective hotels in the state of single blessedness in which they had approached the hard hearted official.

Cable messages for the needful papers were at once despatched to New York, and on the receipt of the much wanted papers the knot will be tied.

This will probably be two weeks hence.

EVIDENCES OF A WRECK.

Seal Pelts and Wreckage Have Drifted Ashore at Summerside, P. E. Island.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., April 28.—Five hundred seal pelts drifted ashore at Summerside on Saturday evening, at Curtain Island, and 200 at St. Eleanor's Island. They are probably skins belonging to one of the Newfoundland sealers. A lot of wreckage also drifted ashore, among which was a brass rail, steamer's deck, plank and a cabin.

New Regiment in Quebec.

Quebec, April 28.—It has been practically decided at headquarters to organize a new regiment of eight companies, out of the remains of the 70th and 81st Regiments, Champlain and Portneuf County corps, with headquarters at St. Anne de La Perade, in which case Major J. A. Rousseau, M.P. for Champlain County, will be the commanding officer.

Lobster Fisherman Drowned.

Port Hawkesbury, C.B., April 28.—A young man named McDonald from Créignish, was drowned yesterday off Low Point. He was in a lobster smack, two miles off shore, when a squall struck the boat, causing it to fill and sink before any help could reach him.

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A DIFFERENT ACCOUNT.

Which Shows That the Chinese Put Up Strong Resistance.

Pekin, April 28.—The report of Gen. Mettler, received here from Suo Lu, differs from the other reports concerning the German-French expedition previously received. Gen. Metteler's report shows that the Chinese troops did not leave the province until they were forced to do so. The entire brigade, commanded by Gen. Mettler, met the enemy on April 23, and inflicted immense losesupon them. The report did not give this loss. The Germans had one officer and three soldiers killed, and 28 soldiers wounded. The Chinese were forced to leave the province, and were fully demoralized. The French authorities stated that the Chinese had crossed the border of the province on April 19, in which case they must have subsequently returned. Li Hung Chang says it is impossible to believe that Gen. Lui Wang Ting would have so flagrantly disobeyed his orders, and anxiously awaits the Chinese report of the encounter referred to by Gen. Mettler.

Li Hung Chang Returns Call.

Li Hung Chang paid return calls to the different legations yesterday, and congratulated Special Commissioner Rockhill on the stand taken by the Americans in the matter of indemnity. It is not generally thought among the Ministers of the powers that Mr. Rockhill's effort in this direction will prove successful, tho most of them admit that they must be guided in the matter by the instructions they received from their Home Governments.

Nine Chinamen to Be Killed.

Nine Chinamen will be executed to-morrow in the American district for highway robbery and violence. The men in question were tried and sentenced according to Chinese law, but they are the first of such sentences to be approved of by Gen. Chaffee.

A Farewell Feast.

Gen. Gaselee, the British commander, the officers of his staff and the entire British contingent, gave a farewell entertainment to the American officers last night. All officers who were not actually on duty were present, and the utmost enthusiasm prevailed. Speeches were made by Gen. Gaselee and Gen. Chaffee only.

It is said at German headquarters that the brigade of Gen. Mettler is returning to Pao Ting Fu.

The Dangerous Banana Peel.

Halifax, N.S., April 28.—Luke Drysdale, 40 years of age, slipped on a banana peel on the street to-day, and fell, fracturing his skull. His condition is serious.

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MGR. FALCONIO NOT NOTIFIED.

Yet the Papal Delegate Would Not Be Surprised if Ordered to Washington.

Ottawa, April 28.—(Special.)—Mgr. Falconio, papal delegate at Ottawa, has heard nothing officially or by intimation of his having been named to succeed Mgr. Martinelli at Washington. Mgr. Falconio would not, however, be surprised to receive such an order from Rome at any time, as such changes are not uncommon, he says.

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Sample Lace Curtains, Tuesday, 98c Each.

They are quite handsome Swiss Lace and many are near enough alike in pattern to hang as pairs. At the price asked you'll be delighted to put up with some slight mis-mating.

78 only Swiss Curtains. We opened up a shipment of Swiss Curtains last week and found these Sample Curtains, full size, white and cream, your choice each Curtain, Tuesday **98c**

Paper Hangers' Day

In the Wall Paper Section.

In the middle of the season we clean up our stock of new Wall Papers by grouping all the smaller quantities—those nearly sold out—and pricing them specially for paper hangers and small dealers. There's always enough for a room in one of these lots—often there's enough for three or four rooms. Of course if you do your own paper-hanging you have the same chance as the dealers. One price to everybody. Come early and get first pick.

On Tuesday morning we place on sale 24 patterns of new Wall Papers, in lots of 8 to 40 rolls of a pattern, in assorted colors, mostly all with borders and ceilings to match, ranging in price up to 12½c single roll, to clear Tuesday, per single roll..... **.5**

9-in. Matched Borders, per yd., 2c; 18-in. Matched Borders, per yd., 4c

10 patterns of New Heavy Gilt and Embossed Papers, in stripes and floral designs, some broken lots, without borders or ceilings, prices ranging up to 25c per single roll, on sale Tuesday, per single roll..... **.12½**

18-inch Borders, per yd., 8c.

12 patterns of High-grade Papers, in best quality of embossed gilt and pressed papers, also heavy tapestry designs, printed on 22-inch stock, regular price up 65c per single roll, on sale Tuesday..... **.20**

18-inch Match Borders, per yd., 12½c.

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