

MOTHER'S LIFE SAVED BY HER TWIN BABES

Death Sentence Commuted To
One of Life Imprisonment.

THE CABINET ACTS

Brutal Murder of Step-
Daughter Set Woman Apart
From Others.

OTTAWA, Sept. 20.—Madame Gagnon, sentenced to die at Quebec on Friday morning, will serve a life imprisonment term in the penitentiary. The cabinet council today decided to commute the death sentence.

The action of the Government was based entirely upon the fact that Madame Gagnon is nursing the twins to which she gave birth in prison rather more than two months ago.

It is unlikely that, in the ordinary course, there would have been any interference with the sentence of death. For the last twenty years or so it has been customary in Canada to grant a sentence of death passed on a woman. Madame Gagnon, however, was found guilty of the murder of her step-daughter under conditions of extreme cruelty, and but for the twins would have suffered the full penalty of the law.

WOULD CUT FREIGHT RATES, BUT INCREASE PASSENGER TARIFFS

Col. Fraser, Representing Ontario
Agriculturists, Pre-
sents This View At
Appeal Hearing.

[By Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, Sept. 20.—The case in support of the appeal to the railway board judgment granting the railways higher freight and passenger rates, concluded at 10 o'clock this evening. Argument by counsel representing provincial governments, boards of agriculture and business interests occupied morning, afternoon and evening sessions, held by the prime minister and several of his colleagues to hear the appeal.

The railway side of the case will be presented tomorrow. It is expected that the argument to be made on behalf of the railways will occupy so much time, and the hearing may be over early tomorrow afternoon.

The closing addresses in support of the appeal were made this evening by J. B. Coyne, counsel representing the Winnipeg Board of Trade, and President Parnell of that body.

Not Altogether Due to Labor.

At the evening sitting, Col. Fraser, representing organized agriculturists in Ontario, said that much had been made of so-called unjust demands by labor. But he asked whether the present troubles were due not so much to the extortionate demands of labor as to unwarranted demands for profits. Agriculture, he claimed, as he opposed the increase in freight rates, was not receiving the recognition it should receive.

While farmers have received large sums of money, Col. Fraser declared, actual profits have not been there. He thought that the increase in freight rates granted by the Canadian railway commission was unwise and injudicious. But he believed that passenger rates were altogether too low, even with the present increases. A large percentage of passenger travel was for pleasure, and those who traveled for pleasure should be prepared to "pay the price."

A. E. Adams of Annapolis, N.S., presented objections of fruit growers in the Annapolis valley to the freight rate increases.

The morning session was occupied in hearing the arguments of Hugh Blain of Toronto, representing the Wholesale Grocers' Association, H. J. Symington, representing the Government of Manitoba, and G. R. Geary, corporate counsel of the C. P. R.

Surplus Unreasonable.

Mr. Geary considered the increase had been granted at an inopportune time, seemed as if it had been pressed through to take advantage of the movement of the grain crop. The C. P. R. had accumulated a surplus of \$492,000,000. He recognized that a railway should have a surplus, but that in this instance the surplus was unreasonable, and a portion of it should be diverted to take care of an abnormal year. The railway board's award meant that for years to come the C. P. R. was to keep on paying its fixed charges and dividends and piling up a surplus. Mr. Geary declared rates should be "equal for all classes of the community."

Erred in Judgment.

Mr. d'Arcy Scott, counsel for the Saskatchewan Government, asserted that Chief Commissioner Carvell had erred in judgment in taking into consideration the position of the Government system or railways. Mr. Scott thought the Government would be justified in fixing one schedule of rates for the Canadian National Railways, and another for the Canadian Pacific Railway, which statement drew murmurs of protest from many of those present.

Mr. Scott contended the Canadian Railways for having "passed the buck" to the Canadian people when they granted the increase, simply because the American railways had granted them. The employees would be sent back for more indefinitely. No increase should be granted the C. P. R. on account of labor.

Add Millions to C. P. R. Surplus.

A. C. McMaster, for the Toronto Board of Trade, contended that under the terms of the judgment the C. P. R. would be able to add many millions to its surplus. He criticized the board for deciding that the increased passenger rates should not be permanent. He thought they should be permanent, and that future reductions should be in freight rates, because recent years freight rates had been increased 100 per cent and passenger rates only 15 per cent.

Mr. McMaster said the merits of the claims of Western Canada regarding discrimination had not been investigated.

C. R. Watts, representing the Dominion Millers' Association, appealed to the cabinet against any advance in the rates on grain and grain products. He caused some laughter by making the assertion that the rates on grain were higher in the East than in the West, and went on to state that this difference was as high as 43 per cent on grain shipped from points in Ontario.

GABY GIVES
REASONS FOR
RADIAL INCREASES

TORONTO, Sept. 20.—(By Canadian Press).—Chief Engineer Gaby of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission gave the hydro radial commission today considerable information regarding the estimates of the Toronto-Eastern lines and the changes made after the radial bylaws had passed in the various municipalities.

He said that an increase of from \$100,000 to \$500,000 was caused by using the plans to allow six miles of double tracks at the Toronto end. The

rest of the increases were due to the increase in labor and material costs, and also to the increased interest charges.

To offset these increases in cost the commission had planned to increase revenues by increased suburban fares. In making all these increases, allowance was made for what the C. P. R. and Grand Trunk might draw from this territory in the way of passenger and freight business.

Up To Municipalities.

In this connection Mr. Hellmuth, representing the Ontario Government, pointed to a case of a proposed radial line in the Huron district, construction of which the hydro-electric commission failed to recommend. He said he understood that the hydro-electric commission was not prepared to approve of a radial road that by itself or in connection with another road would not prove self-sustaining.

Mr. Hellmuth asked Mr. Gaby if in the case of the Toronto-Eastern itself estimates showed that the road was run at a deficit would the commission approve it. Mr. Gaby replied that the commission would revise the estimates and submit the matter to the municipalities. He thought the matter was in the hands of the municipalities. "If authorities want to operate under a loss would the commission go ahead and build?" asked Mr. Hellmuth. "I could not speak for the commission of that," said Mr. Gaby. "I would say that the matter was with the municipalities."

SUIT FOR \$10,000 DAMAGES DISMISSED IN GUELPH COURT

GUELPH, Sept. 20.—George Aaron Annette's suit against the Homebrew Sanatorium here for \$10,000 damages for alleged wrongful detention in the sanatorium in 1910, and alleged harsh treatment there, was dismissed by Mr. Justice Orde this afternoon, following the argument of the plaintiff, who acted in his own defense, and the counsel for the defence. The judge held that there was no evidence to support the plaintiff's claim for damages.

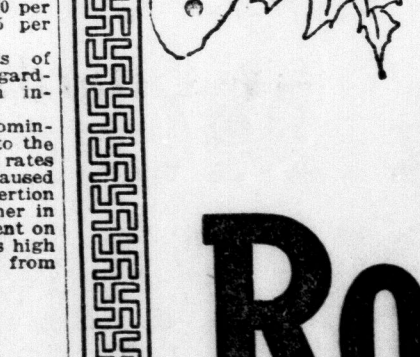
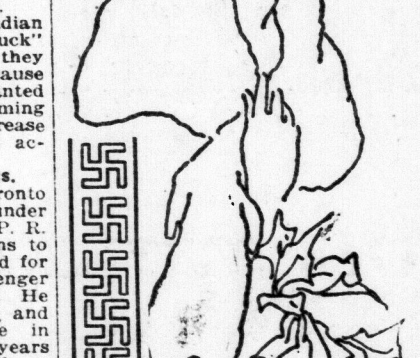
Mr. Annette is a Lambton County farmer, and in the last ten years he has brought actions similar to that against the sanatorium, which has not succeeded in any of them. He was in the sanatorium about a year. His wife, who went with him to the sanatorium, was not called as a witness in the case just concluded. In conducting the case for himself, the plaintiff, Annette, was given wide latitude by the judge. On one occasion he conducted a cross-examination of Annette's statement were rather wild. The plaintiff retorted, saying he was sorry the judge did not understand the law better.

Little Friends of the Liver

The liver is the regulator of health. If the liver is active and well, good health and happiness prevail; but once you allow your liver to get torpid and sluggish, life becomes a misery. Dyspepsia, indigestion, biliousness, constipation, headaches and melancholy, all result from a liver that is not doing its duty. Remember Carter's Little Liver Pills touch the liver and correct all liver ills.

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POLES RECEIVE LARGE SUPPLIES FROM ALLIES

United States Sends Six
Small Vessels With
Volunteers.

ARE TALKING PEACE

Polish Delegates Suspicious
of Haste of the
Soviets.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—A wireless dispatch from Moscow today says that Poland has received large supplies from the Allies through Danzig. England's message declares, sent seven steamers loaded with munitions and three tanks and twelve small vessels with provisions, while the United States sent six ships with volunteers. From France two ships armed with more than 1,000 infantrymen and fifteen tanks, the message says.

PRELIMINARY PEACE

RIGA, Sept. 20.—The Russian Soviet proposals for a preliminary peace to which the Poles are preparing their reply, provide for immediate negotiations for a final peace after the signing of the preliminary treaty. The ten days allowed the Poles by the Soviet Government for acceptance of the terms will expire October 5. The Poles are highly suspicious of the speed with which the Soviets are rushing matters, and complain that they are being whirled off their feet.

Poles Are Evasive.

The credentials of the Soviet delegates authorize them to make a final peace, but the Polish formal credentials failed to mention power to sign a final peace, and the Polish delegates have been highly evasive in discussing their powers. Consequently, there is some speculation whether the same Polish delegates will sign the final treaty providing the preliminary treaty is signed, which now is regarded as probable, because of the withdrawal of Adolf Joffe, head of the Soviet delegation, from the negotiations.

Two Small Boys BURNED TO DEATH

MOUNT CLEMENS, Sept. 20.—Arthur and Albert Leverenz, aged 7 and 4 years respectively, sons of Edward Leverenz, were burned to death Tuesday, when fire destroyed a barn on the Leverenz farm. The bodies were found today. Leverenz believes the boys were playing with matches and were responsible for the blaze.

At The Theaters

YOU'LL HAVE TO MEET "MARJORIE" AT THE GRAND.

If you haven't been at the Grand and seen "Marjorie" you've got a real genuine treat coming your way, for "Marjorie" is one of the sweetest bits of personality that has graced the footlights at the popular playhouse this season, and there have been many. Possessing that splendid singing voice, both shapely and pretty, "Marjorie" has won the hearts of every audience at the Grand the past few days.

Marjorie's wardrobe, too, is well worthy of special mention, some of the gowns worn are filmy, lacy affairs of loveliness, bringing envy to the hearts of many of London's feminine folk.

If you want to interview "Marjorie" backstage you'll have to be prepared to see the dainty one open a box of "lugs," "cause "Marjorie" smokes and carries matches and everything, being none other than that talented soldier actor and female impersonator, Rose Hamilton, who is starring with the famous Dumbells in their second edition of the popular musical extravaganza "Burr Bangs" which is hanging up records for attendance at the Grand this week.

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SAN TOY COMES TO THE GRAND MONDAY NEXT.

F. Stuart Whyte will bring his importation of the London Gaiety success "San Toy" to the Grand for three days, commencing with Monday evening next, with a special popular Wednesday matinee. This is in all probability one of the biggest English producers ever brought to Canada, and is only possible under the arrangement made with the Trans-Canada Theatres, Limited, whose circuit of playhouses now reaches from coast to coast. Mr. Whyte's revival of the famous and bewitching Chinese musical comedy has been most successful on the London stage, and is being spared to make its tour of this country one of the most successful ever enjoyed by an all-English company. Miss Zara Clinton, comedienne of note, who is no stranger to London playgoers.

If Breath Comes Hard, If Nose Is Plugged, You Have Catarrh

Perhaps you haven't heard of the new remedy—it's so pleasant to use—it fills the nose, throat and lungs with a healing balsam vapor like the air of the pine woods. It's really a wonderful remedy—utilizes that marvelous antiseptic only found in the Blue Gum tree of Australia.

The name of this grand specific is Catarrhose, and you can't find its equal on earth for coughs, colds, croup or throat trouble. You see it's no longer necessary to drug the stomach—that spoils digestion—just simply inhale the balsamic essences of Catarrhose, which are so rich in healing that they drive out every trace of Catarrh in no time.

For speakers and singers and persons troubled with an irritable throat, bronchitis, asthma, catarrh or a gripe, Catarrhose is of inestimable value. The inhaler can be carried in your pocket and may be used at any time or in any place.

Large size, guaranteed, and sufficient for two months' use, costs \$1; smaller size, 50c; sample size, 25c. Sold by all storekeepers and druggists.

AT LOEW'S. WONDERFUL LEAP ON HORSEBACK. FEATURE OF NEW BILL HART FILM.

Thrills Aplenty in Latest Western Photoplay "Sandi".

To leap from a high cliff, towering above the river, and land in the water while sticking to the saddle of his Pinto pony is one of the thrilling feats accomplished by William S. Hart in "Sandi" his newest production for Paramount Artcraft, which will be seen at the Loew's Theatre for the next three days.

In the effort to reach the scene of a train hold-up, the star in the role of Dan Kurrie, takes a short cut and in order to be on time, makes the death-defying leap. He is a target for the bullets from the bandit's guns as he starts to swim his horse across the river, and to save the animal, he sends it back and strikes out alone. As a bullet passes his head he dives and the bandits think he is lost. Then he swims underwater and comes out in time to turn the tables and save the treasure train—doubly so because on it is the girl he loves better than his own life.

The picture abounds in thrills and in human interest—a quality that insures its reception by the public. Lambert Hillyer directed and also wrote the scenario from a story by Russell A. Dodge. Joe August, A. S. C., did the picture. A Bank Mann Comic, Loew's Screen Pictorial, and Loew's Supreme Vaudeville completes the bill for the next three days.

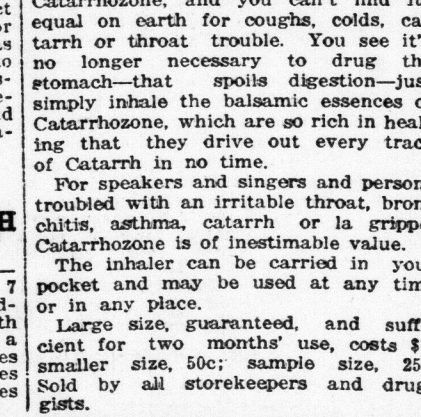
False Claims.

WE hope there is no Mother who thinks she can treat her sick baby without calling in a Physician, or with remedies that she uses for herself.

Most Mothers know that Baby requires remedies especially prepared for babies, yet there are some who think that what is good enough for them is good enough for Baby, and it is to these Mothers we appeal to give nothing to their babies that is not specially prepared for babies or recommended by their Physician.

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will have the principal role, surrounded with one of the most capable casts seen in any production, a meritorious chorus of English beauties, with an augmented orchestra and many special scenic and lighting effects will all unite in making this delightful comedy a most entertaining diversion for London theatregoers. Seats for all performances are now on sale at the Grand box office, and reservations should be made as early as possible to insure good seats.

"TREASURE ISLAND." GREATEST OF ADVENTURE STORIES, NOW AT ALLEN.

Now comes the greatest of all adventure stories. "Treasure Island," Robert Louis Stevenson's famous novel, pictured in all its romantic glory of daring deeds and desperate encounters. You'll thrill again, and again when you see it at the Allen today, tomorrow or Saturday.

Tourneur, the producer, has followed the story of the Stevenson classic faithfully in its details, and thus has not only produced a picture that is packed with red-blooded adventure, which is rich in the spirit and lore of pirate days—with the very smell of the Spanish main, and the spicy scenes of the South in your nostrils.

By his vivid depiction of the fight at the densest of the scenes of the opening of the film, Mr. Tourneur catches the interest of his audience. From there the scenes move swiftly to the acquisition of the treasure chart by young Jim Hawkins, his hiding away on the vessel as a stowaway, the mutiny, fight with the pirates and final success of the search for hidden gold.

Shirley Mason has the role of Jim and makes a most charming youth. Len Chaney has the character of Black Dog, and Charles Ogle is Long Tom Silver. So, yo ho, and off for the shores of romance.

A special school children's matinee will be held tomorrow at 4:30 for the benefit of the Allen school. A number of prizes to the public school pupils who write the best essay on "Treasure Island."

An extra added attraction will be a number of views of the scenes of the great explosion which rocked New York's business section a week or so ago. Bill Parson's comedy, "You Know What I Mean," and the overture will be a medley of Old English sea songs, by the famous vocal quartet, which will be the added film attraction of Constancia Talmadge, in "Silk Stockings."

Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA

Are You Prepared?

A doctor in the house all the time would be a good idea. Yet you can't afford to keep a doctor in the family to keep baby well or prevent sickness. But you can do almost the same thing by having at hand a bottle of Fletcher's Castoria, because it is a wonderful remedy for indigestion, colic, feverishness, fretfulness and all the other disorders that result from common ailments that babies have.

Fletcher's Castoria is perfectly safe to use. It is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. Children cry for Fletcher's Castoria, and mothers recommend it because they have found it a comfort to children and a mother's friend.

If you love your baby, you know how sweet it is to be able to help baby when trouble comes. You cannot always call upon a doctor. But doctors have nothing but good to say of Fletcher's Castoria, because they know that it can only do good—that it can't do any harm—and they wouldn't want you to use for baby a remedy that you would use for yourself.

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