

BOSS TWEED OUTDONE BY N. Y. POLICE GRAFTERS

"Bald Jack" Rose, Makes a Clean Breast of the whole Affair to the District Attorney--Says That the Police System Exacted Toll From Gambling Houses to the Tune of \$2,400,000 a Year--Lieut Becker got the Swag and Distributed it.

New York, July 31—Every trail and lead is to be followed persistently no matter where it ends, by District Attorney Whitman to learn to whom \$2,400,000 graft money was finally distributed. "Bald" Jack Rose whose confession put Police Lieut. Becker behind bars for the murder of the gambler Herman Rosenthal, has told the public prosecutor that this huge sum of money was obtained by police blackmail gamblers and disorderly houses and that Lieut. Becker told him the money went to four police officials.

The public prosecutor has arranged to keep the grand jury in session all summer to investigate the relations between the gamblers and the police which in the opinion of District Attorney Whitman, is a matter of more public importance than the Rosenthal case.

District Attorney Whitman proposes to break up the relations between the gamblers and the police and he has indicated that he will do so if he has to protect every man involved in the murder of Rosenthal, except the gunmen who fired the shots.

Big Jack Zelig, gunman and gang leader to whom Rose says he sent word to get the gunmen to slay Rosenthal, will appear when wanted. His counsel has told the public prosecutor that Zelig would tell everything he knew to the case. Zelig is now out on \$10,000 bail for carrying concealed weapons.

New York, July 30—Sworn statements tending to show that the annual graft collected by the high police officials in New York city from gambling houses and other illegal resorts has amounted within the last year to \$2,400,000 are in the hands of District Attorney Whitman tonight.

The statements were made to the district attorney today by "Bald" Jack Rose, self-confessed graft collector for Police Lieut. Becker, head of the "Strong Arm Squad" who tonight began his second day of incarceration in the Tombs prison as an alleged instigator of the murder of Herman Rosenthal the gambler.

\$2,400,000 GRAFT YEARLY

This \$2,400,000 protection money was equally divided, according to the story told by Rose, among four high officials of the police department, one of them being Becker, and from other evidence the district attorney has collected, he has reason to suspect that each \$600,000 was further distributed. In other words there were four separate systems of bureaus of graft collection each headed by a high police official.

Mr. Whitman it was learned has the names of the other three police officials whom Rose has named and his further efforts in this now most sensational police exposure that New York has ever seen will be directed toward strengthening the evidence which points against them.

One of the officials named, it was learned holds a position at headquarters and is in a strict sense a civilian employee. The name of a former prominent city official has been brought to the attention of the district attorney as having been closely connected with the "graft system," but it was learned that the evidence, however being closely followed by the detectives in the employ of the district attorney.

It also became known tonight that if Lieut. Becker will tell all he knows not only in respect to his own alleged complicity in the murder but will unfold the inner workings of the graft system in so far as it may involve the "men higher up" that he will be granted mercy and on that condition only.

The alleged fact of the \$2,400,000 graft fund was told to Rose by Becker, the little bald-headed gambler said in a sworn statement today, Becker, he said, told him that he handled \$600,000 a year and that equal amounts were handled by three other officials. This, he said, came in collections from gambling houses, pool rooms, houses of ill repute and the like.

Rose said he had collected gambling graft for Becker for months and he promised the district attorney that he would obtain for him the rates paid by gambling houses, make a tabulation of what these receipts amounted to monthly and yearly, and how the money was handled. That there were other collectors besides Rose is the assumption of the district attorney, who hopes to identify them.

Becker, he said, gave him a liberal commission for his work. "Becker told me that it was the price of the police department," Rose said. "He paid me liberally out of my collection, but I never was able to keep what I got. I was a fool gambler and gambled it all away."

PAID ASSASSINS \$2,000

"Bridge," Webber, the gambling housekeeper, who has also confessed and whose story largely resulted in the arrest of Becker, promised Mr. Whitman to corroborate Rose's statement in regard to the collections.

Incidentally Webber today admitted to the district attorney that \$2,000 was the sum which he received to pay the men who actually fired the shots which killed Rosenthal.

The retention of Max D. Steur, counsel for Webber is said to have and former city chamberlain, Charles H. Hyde, a native of Truro, N. S., indicted on a charge of exacting commissions for depositing trust funds in the bankrupt Canegie Trust Company to defend Webber is said to have been the thing that gained Rose's consent to confess.

Rose had come to suspect that plans were afoot to make him the scapegoat. The employment of new counsel for Webber is said to have convinced Rose that his suspicions were correct and he demanded to be heard at once.

The hopes of the authorities that another of the men accused as the actual slayers of Rosenthal had been arrested, were disappointed late today when Inspector Hughes received positive information that a man held at Syracuse on suspicion of being "Gilt the Blood" is not the much wanted gun man.

WHY ROSE CONFESSED

James M. Sullivan, counsel for Jack Rose, made a statement tonight, in which he said:

"I took up the matter of a confession by Rose with Mr. Whitman early last week, and Friday afternoon I came to a practical understanding with my client would tell all he knew if promised immunity. Rose held out and refused to entertain any proposition for a confession until the men named him. When he found himself with who should have stuck to him deserting friends, without money, he decided that he should not be made the 'goat.'"

COAL GOING UP IN PRICE IN TORONTO

Toronto, July 31—The expected announcement that coal would go up 25 cents a ton in Toronto, on August 1st, has been made and the retail price will be \$7.50. There will be other advances later in the season.

QUEBEC'S TREASURER JOINS BENEDICTS

Montreal, Q., July 31—The marriage of the Hon. P. S. G. MacKenzie, Quebec's provincial treasurer, to Miss Catherine Penfold, daughter of the late Jeffrey Penfold of Montreal, for many years manager of the Bank of British North America, is to be celebrated this evening at the residence of the bride's mother at Melborne, Quebec.

CHURCHILL MAY COME

First Lord will Decide About Visit To Canada Before Long

Visit of British Ministers May be the Occasion of an Imperial Demonstration

London, July 31—Mr. Churchill will decide within a day or two regarding a visit to Canada during parliamentary vacation. There is only one consideration that might prevent his acceptance of the invitation from Canada. In the event of satisfactory arrangements being made the first Lord would leave during the third week in August.

The Mail states it is now understood that Premier Asquith and First Lord of the Admiralty Churchill, will visit the Dominion after Mr. Borden's return. In the event that the journey is made on one of Britain's dreadnaughts the visit might be made the occasion for an imperial demonstration declares The Mail, and Quebec in compliment to the French Canadians would be the ideal place for landing.

Any reserve that may have been felt by any section of French Canadians ought to be removed by the speeches which have welcomed Mr. Borden and his colleagues in France. France will be the first to encourage them in any decision that will strengthen the naval power of Great Britain, for upon that power and upon the army of France rest the foundations of an understanding which is an assurance of peace declares the paper.

The design submitted for the approval of the local King Edward monument committee by Philippe Hebert, C. M. G., the noted French Canadian artist and sculptor, has been accepted and consequently the talented Canadian whose monument of Maitre de la Place D'Armes, and of the late Premier Honore Mercier in Quebec, as well as other fine monuments in Ottawa and Toronto, have been much admired will soon set to work on the bronze statue to be erected on Phillips Square to the late beloved sovereign.

C. P. R. TO BUILD BIG ELEVATOR AT ST. JOHN

Montreal, Q., July 31—The Canadian Pacific Railway has awarded a contract to John S. Metcalf Co., Ltd., Montreal and Chicago, for the design and construction of a one-million bushel grain elevator at West St. John, N. B.

The elevator will be of reinforced concrete. It will be capable of unloading 160 cars in 10 hours and of shipping to ocean vessels at several different berths. The elevator will be electrically driven, a power plant for the generation of electric power being included in the contract. An extensive shipping gallery system will also be a part of the work. The elevator is to be ready for the winter shipping season of 1913 to 1914. The approximate cost is \$500,000.

MONTREAL IRON WORKERS MAY STRIKE

Montreal, July 31—Unless the Iron Foundries of the city, grant today, a ten percent wage increase, exemption from Saturday labor, and a change from piece to time work, one hundred pattern makers declare they will walk out tomorrow morning and stay out until their demands are granted. Twenty manufacturing establishments in the city, will be affected.

TAKING OUT LICENSES.

The civic by-law with regard to the registration and licensing of hack-drivers goes into effect tomorrow and already a large number of hackmen have taken out licenses. The metal badges which each is to wear have not yet arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Donahue of Boston, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Donahue's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. O'Brien, Northumberland Street.

THE ENTENTE CORDIALE

Eulogized by the Premiers of France And Canada Last Night

Canadian Ministers Guests at Notable Banquet in Gay Paree On Tuesday

Paris, July 13—Amid the strains of the "Marseillaise" and "God Save the King," the Premiers of France and Canada, last night eulogized the entente cordiale and expressed the desire that this friendly feeling might grow both deeper and stronger. Leaders in the realms of France "Haute Politique" of Finance, art, and literature, in the army and navy, were present at the banquet given by the Franco-American committee including M. Poincaré, head of the Bank of France, Paul Hervey, the Academy, M. Robin, the celebrated artist, General Brugere, Minister of war, together with representatives of the British and Spanish Embassies.

"As the years go by, and friction is removed between France and Great Britain, the affection of France for her sons in Canada, is expressed more strongly," said Premier Poincaré, who, in the course of a stirring speech said he looked forward to the future with confidence, because mutual esteem and respect must prevent any possible friction as between France and Canada.

Premier Borden spoke briefly in French and at greater length in English, the harmonious co-operation of French Canadians and English Canadians he said, was a symbol and precursor of the entente cordiale between the republic, and not Great Britain, alone, but the British Empire. He could assure his hearers of Canadian appreciation of the same when Premier Poincaré had spoken.

SMALLPOX RAGING IN QUEBEC VILLAGES

Montreal, Q., July 31—Utter disregard of health laws in the matter of controlling smallpox is the condition of affairs which special inspectors of the provincial board of health have found to be prevailing in Indian Lorette and Jeune Lorette, two municipalities in the vicinity of Quebec City. Though the dread disease has been raging within the limits of both places absolutely no steps have been taken by the local authorities to deal with the situation. Provincial inspectors discovered a man suffering from the disease who was walking about the streets of the town, conversing with his neighbors and visiting the homes of his friends.

ESCAPED LUNATIC IS MAKING TROUBLE

Prescott, Ont., July 31—The neighborhood is in a condition bordering on panic, on account of the threats of a madman now living in the woods in this vicinity. The maniac escaped Sunday from the Brockville Asylum and walked along the tracks to this city. A number of men seeing that he was not sane, attempted to capture him and he then took up rocks and threatened to murder anybody who came near. Keepers from the Asylum have been sent for and a search for the lunatic by a posse is underway today.

PACKEY McFARLANE TO MEET WOLGAST

Milwaukee, Wis., July 31—"Ad" Wolgast and Packey McFarlane have been matched to fight ten rounds at New York Sept. 27th. Papers will be signed at once, as McFarlane is satisfied with Wolgast's offer to let him weigh in at 135 pounds, at 3 p. m., the day of the fight.

NEW MIKADO'S PROCLAMATION

Promises to Continue the Great Work of His Predecessor

Japanese Premier in Reply Pledged Unflinching Loyalty to the new Sovereign

(Canadian Press.)

Tokio, July 31—Yoshihito, the Emperor of the New Era of Taisel, read his first proclamation at half past ten o'clock this morning before an immense gathering of officials and representatives of all branches of the service. The Emperor said:

"The death of the former Emperor has caused great sorrow to the nation, but the throne cannot be left empty and the state administration cannot be neglected even for a day. We therefore immediately ascended the throne and will administer the affairs of the country under the protection of our imperial ancestors and under the provisions of the constitution.

"In this administration we hope not to be misled. We shall endeavor to sustain and further the great work done and undertaken by the former Emperor.

"You, our subjects, do your best for your country as you did for the former Emperor and be loyal to us."

The proclamation of the new Emperor pays a lengthy tribute to Mutsuhito to the dead Emperor. Marquis Sainoji, the Japanese premier, replied to the Emperor's proclamation, commencing his speech with the words "I most respectfully reply to Your Imperial Majesty," and after a laudatory tribute to the late Emperor, Premier Sainoji pledged an unflinching loyalty to the new sovereign.

MAY APPEAL HEBERT MARRIAGE CASE

(Canadian Press.)

Montreal, July 31—D. J. Lefebvre, counsel for Eugene Hebert, one of the principals in the famous marriage annulment suit, announced this morning, that he was ready to carry the case through the privy council if his client was willing. Mr. Lefebvre pointed out that he has already entered an appeal against the decision of Judge Charbonneau, quashing the annulment of the marriage by Judge Laurendeau. The hearing of this appeal comes up before the court of revision in October. If appeals are to be continued through to the privy council, financial assistance will have to be given Mrs. Hebert. She is at the present time out of the country, though her lawyers say they can easily secure her attendance when her case comes up.

LANCASTER WILL AWAIT OFFICIAL REPORT

St. Catharines, July 11—Mr. E. A. Lancaster M.P., for Lincoln, when interviewed by a press representative refused to discuss the decision of the Privy Council relative to his bill regarding the marriage law of Canada. Mr. Lancaster said he thought that it would be better to wait until he had seen an extended and official report as he believes the decision is not as sweeping as would seem from the despatches.

HON F. D. MONK MAY LEAVE THE CABINET

Montreal, July 1—It is current rumor in local political circles today, and receiving general credence that if Hon. R. L. Borden decided to make a direct contribution to the Imperial Navy the Minister of Public Works Hon. F. D. Monk, will oppose the necessity of the improvement of maritime roads.

It is said that Mr. Monk may leave the cabinet as a protest against Mr. Borden's naval policy.

LONDON DOCK STRIKERS IN A DEADLY ENCOUNTER

Bloody Riot on the Victoria Docks This Morning--Mob of Strikers Attacked Men who Were Returning to Work--Bullets, Bricks and Stones Flew in all Directions--One man Killed and Over a Score Seriously Injured.

(Canadian Press)

London, July 31—Three persons were wounded by bullets and many others injured, as the result of rioting on the Victoria Docks this morning. Two thousand former strikers appeared for work at the docks, and were attacked by a mob of strikers. Bullets, bricks and stones flew in all directions. The police were taken by surprise. Only a dozen patrolmen were present and they were powerless to face the huge crowd.

Riotous outbreaks also occurred at several other docks, groups of strikers attacked the ships on which the non-union men had gone to work and minor injuries were numerous. The police finally quelled the disturbances, and at noon were in control of the situation.

One wounded man has since died in the hospital and twenty are found to be seriously injured. The chief encounter occurred at the Victoria docks, where 2,000 laborers, who had been on strike for over ten weeks, appeared at the docks in compliance

with the manifesto of the Dock Workers Federation, ordering them to resume work. They found, however, that their places were occupied by non-unionists or free laborers who had been taken on during the strike and who were determined to continue at work. They defied the men belonging to the union to eject them and a severe fight ensued. Bullets, bricks and stones flew in all directions.

The police of whom only about a dozen were present, were taken by surprise and were powerless to suppress the disturbance. Another hot fight centered around the steamer City of Columbia, which was being loaded at one of the wharves. Unionist workmen tried to board her but were repelled by the non-unionists with revolvers, bottles and bayonet pins. Many men were injured here, some of them with bullets. Large reserves of police were called up and finally succeeded in quelling the disturbance. Both the unionist and non-unionists accuse each other of starting the trouble.

FERARI UNITED SHOWS TO OPEN ON MONDAY EVENING

The Colonel Francis Ferari United Shows, which have been specially engaged to play in Fredericton during Old Home Week, is the largest carnival aggregation travelling in America today. The show travels on its own train, which comprises 17 cars and carries about 250 people. This alone should give a good idea of the magnitude of these attractions.

The shows will arrive here next Monday and will open at seven in the evening, after which they will continue to play both afternoons and evenings for the entire week.

Chief among the shows, of which there are ten in all, is the great trained wild animal arena, where may be seen animals of all kinds, including lions, tigers, leopards, pumas, jaguars, panthers and some very peculiar hybrids. These animals have been trained to perform many marvelous feats and the performance here is of exceptional merit.

An amusing feature of this show is the boxing bout between Tommy Collins, former lightweight champion of the world, and Big Jack, a large Australian kangaroo. Big Jack never fails to cause uproarious merriment wherever he is seen.

Then there is the Mammoth Hippodrome, with a dog, pony and monkey circus. Foremost among the attractions in this show is Bernita, the horse with the human brain, and the Original Maud, an extraordinary mule never yet ridden by man. Here also will be seen the famous "Temple of Music" of the Willards. This is a vaudeville attraction of unusual merit, which was secured from one of the largest circuits in the United States at enormous expense.

The Diving Girls show will surely prove very popular here. The girls are all beautifully formed trained athletes and are complete mistresses of the art of swimming. They will reveal to the public of Fredericton more ways of getting wet all over than the parents of the most mischievous children would care to dream of. In connection with this show Harry Six, giving a champion exhibition on the grounds, diving from a ladder 125 feet high into a tank of water 4 feet deep. This free exhibition alone is worth travelling many miles to behold.

Among the many other attractive shows is the U-Ji-Ji (African) village, transported bodily to the country from the heart of the Congo

country. Here may be seen the native savages as they appear in their own homes, performing their wonderful dances and illustrating their many other strange customs.

Mysterious Egypt always attracts a large throng of people for here may be seen the delightful sinuous dancing girls of the voluptuous East in all their ravishing beauty and also the wonderful tricks of a genuine Egyptian conjuror, a perfect master of his fascinating profession.

Other shows include the exhibition of the great snake, a monster python from the heart of India 30 feet long and large enough to eat a horse. Minnie Ha Ha, the largest girl in the world, and many other interesting attractions. One will be well repaid by a visit to the show grounds for there will be a collection of Mammoth attractions such as has never visited this part of America before.

Colonel Francis Ferari, the director of the Ferari Shows, was in Fredericton last Saturday and laid out the plan of the show grounds, which will be at Queen's Park next to Scully's Grove.

ENOCH ARDEN STORY FROM THE WEST

New York, July 31—A despatch to The Tribune from Hastings, Neb., says:

A new turn was given the old Enoch Arden story yesterday when W. Baker, returned to his home in Hastings and found his wife married to one of his old friends, but instead of turning away Baker walked into the house, claimed his former wife and ousted his successor, who went to boarding in the same block.

Baker says he is only here for a two weeks' visit and that at the end of that period he will again leave and his successor, can come home. This the second husband agreed to do and all three are happy for the present.

UPPER PENINSULA FIREMEN

Gladstone, Mich., July 31—The annual convention and tournament of the Upper Peninsula Firemen's Association began here today with an attendance of five fighters from many towns. The tournament will continue until the end of the week.