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Jury In Hauptmann Case To Be Locked Up This Afternoon

Clergyman Shouts That Prisoner Had Confessed Crime To Him In Church — No Person Takes This Seriously.

FLEMINGTON, N. J., Feb. 13.—From his perch on a window-sill of the jammed courtroom, the Rev. Vincent G. Dana, a North Jersey pastor, interrupted the summation to cry: "A man confessed that crime to me in my church."

Struggling, he was hauled down and taken away. Later Justice Thomas W. Trenchard ordered him released after instructing the jury to disregard the incident. The preacher had told his story before to both prosecution and defence but neither called him as a witness.

This afternoon the jury of eight men and four women will be locked up to decide Hauptmann's fate. Justice Trenchard will charge the jury at ten A.M. Hauptmann sat tight-lipped throughout Wilentz's fiery, all-day summation as the prosecutor swung his fist and called him "the lowest form of animal", a pariah who contaminates the air.

Anna Hauptmann was statue-like in her chair, but the jurors, by slight gestures, and fleeting expressions, frequently betrayed their feelings.

Savagely, Wilentz demanded that Hauptmann be put to death like a dangerous beast, and told the jury that a verdict of conviction with a recommendation of mercy would be "wishy washy". Only the electric chair, he cried, would "thaw out" Hauptmann's coldness—"He is cold, yes, but he will be thawed out when he hears the switch."

He shouted that the murder of the Lindbergh baby would be "insignificant" as compared to the "crime of freeing Hauptmann; that "every woman in her home would shudder again".

Talks of "Perjury"

Bitterly Wilentz exclaimed of "perjury" in the "phony defense".

"Perjury is a joke in this case" he cried. "They would swear to anything, anything to save Hauptmann".

His phrases dripped with scorn as he arraigned the "assassination" of Dr. John F. "Jafsie" Condon, the man who paid the \$50,000 ransom; Nurse Betty Gow, Ollie Whately, the dead Lindbergh butler; Violet Sharpe, the suicided maid, and others.

"Nothing too mean, nothing too disgraceful, to plant some little germ of doubt in the mind of one juror, their only hope", he exclaimed.

Of Isador Fisch, Wilentz said Edward J. Reilly, chief of the defence, had proved only one thing: "That Fisch was a poor man, and could not have had the ransom money."

He rebuked the defence contention that Col. Lindergh could not have remembered the voice of the ransom man—the voice he swore was Hauptmann's.

"God! Could you ever forget it?" Wilentz cried. "Would anybody ever forget it? His hope!"

Enough To Convict

Dr. Condon's identification of Hauptmann as the ransom "John" was enough, in itself, to convict the carrier of first degree murder, Wilentz contended.

Saying Hauptmann was treated "entirely too well" after his arrest, he added scornfully: "I never even walked in to ask him a word . . . I wouldn't get close enough to him . . . I would not want to breathe the same air . . . I feel itchy, I feel cozy . . . I just couldn't stand being anywhere near him . . ."

Wilentz contended that Hauptmann "crushed" the baby into his arms (continued on page 4)

THE I. O. D. E.

GREAT OAKS from little acorns grow. Thirty-five years ago today a small band of noble women urged by the love of King and Country laid the foundation of what is now known as the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire. Today the Order has spread so that its branches reach out to embrace the whole of Canada, Newfoundland, the Bahamas, Bermuda, India and even extends into the United States.

The Governor Carleton Chapter of this city was the first Chapter to be organized in Canada and its first Regent was Mrs. John Black of this city.

Since its inception the Order has done much for the advancement of education along patriotic lines and to bind the tie which unites us to our King and Empire. It has produced within its own ranks leaders who have brought honor to Canada and to our own Province.

The Order is noted for its activity and for its splendid co-operation amongst its members. They present a splendid example of community spirit. They are indeed a model to the nationhood of young Canada and stand for the highest ideals. There has been no time in our history when Canada and our Empire needed such an organization more than it does at the present time.

This noble band of women, scattered throughout the far-flung Empire, have done work which cannot be over-estimated. There is still much for it to accomplish. The work is in good hands.

It is an honor to Fredericton to be associated so intimately with the organization of this worthy Order whose motto is: One Flag, One Throne, One Empire. Long may its banner wave and long may its high ideals and its worthy work continue.

The Daily Mail, which publishes this little souvenir edition prepared by the members of the Order themselves and issued in the city where thirty-five years ago today the first Chapter was organized, EXTENDS HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS AND ITS BEST WISHES. Anything that we as a paper can do to help the members of the I. O. D. E., WILL ALWAYS RECEIVE OUR BEST CONSIDERATION.

NOVA SCOTIA LEGISLATURE TO OPEN MARCH 5

Report of Jones Commission Looms Large In Sessional Agenda.

HALIFAX, Feb. 13.—The second session of Nova Scotia's 17th Legislature since Confederation will be formally opened on Tuesday, March 5, Premier Angus L. MacDonald announced last night, following a cabinet meeting.

Most of the session is expected to be taken up with discussion of the report, since the premier has intimated that recommendations within jurisdiction of the province will be fully implemented.

These include formation of an economic advisory council, a permanent civil service and a department of municipal affairs.

In addition the government is planning an extensive program of public works and highway construction. A new administrative building and a new hospital are being considered and it is definite that the paving program on the main highways will be continued for several years.

Invitations Issued

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—Invitations have been issued by Hon. Dr. H. A. Bruce, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario to members of the Legislature, deputy ministers, consuls representing foreign countries, private secretaries and senior members of the press gallery to luncheon at Government House Feb. 2. About 130 cards have been sent out. This is an annual affair, following the opening of the Legislature.

AFTER HOODLUMS WHO BEAT UP AN EVANGELIST

Disgraceful Conduct At Dalhousie—Victim is in Hospital from Injuries.

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Feb. 13.—Attacked and beaten while in front of his mission at Dalhousie, Evangelist J. T. Owen Montreal, was reported to be resting comfortably in the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital here last night. More than a score of hoodlums, it is said, attacked the evangelist when he attempted to remonstrate with them after they showed an apparent intention of causing trouble at a meeting.

Suffering from severe injuries to his head and back, Mr. Owen was said to be improving today. Police were trying to identify members of the assaulting gang. Reports indicated the matter might be referred to the Attorney-General's department.

HERRIDGE TO RUN IN WEST OTTAWA?

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—The Ottawa Evening Journal said today the name of Hon. W. D. Herridge, Canadian minister to Washington, was being mentioned "persistently" in political circles in connection with the Conservative nomination in West Ottawa for the Dominion election.

The newspaper said: "As co-author of the Bennett reform program and as a member of a family long identified with the capital, Major Herridge, his friends say, would make an ideal candidate for the House of Commons."

N. B. LEGISLATURE HAS ITS OPENING HERE TOMORROW

Usual Colorful Military Display for Opening Ceremony

The Proceedings

H. M. Wood to Move and H. M. Groom to Second Address

The Fifth Session of the Seventeenth Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick, which will open here tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock, will be attended by the usual colorful opening ceremonies, including the military display, and the traditional appearance at the opening of His Honour The Lieutenant-Governor.

As is the custom after the opening display, and after the Governor has inspected the University of New Brunswick C.O.T.C., he proceeds inside the House, where, after being duly admitted, he will read the Speech from the Throne. Afterwards the Lieutenant-governor leaves the Assembly Chamber and the House will proceed with its business. It is expected that the mover and seconder of the Reply to the Speech from the Throne, H. M. Wood and H. M. Groom, respectively, will then deliver their addresses, although last year this did not occur until the following day. After this the House will be adjourned until the following Tuesday, when the main addresses will get underway.

The military display tomorrow will have its Guard of Honor from the C. O. T. C. with 111 of all ranks, the artillery with 27 of all ranks from the 90th Howitzer Battery, including Dr. H. S. Wright medical officer. Lieut. Richards Gunter will command the firing party which will give a salute of 15 guns on the arrival of the Lieutenant-Governor at the parliament buildings. The York Regiment band also will be present. Inside the building a group of officers will be in attendance, including Major Landan, who will represent Military District No. 7, at Saint John, and Capt. Chauveau, also of Saint John.

The ordinary procedure, and it is one of special significance, is to introduce a "mock" bill after the Lieutenant-governor leaves the House, and just before considering the address of the governor. This is to show the "right of the people" to govern themselves.

Final arrangements for the House opening were being completed here today and members of the legislature were expected here today and this evening.

Tomorrow evening Lieut. Governor Murray MacLaren, C.M.G., will give a state dinner, the first "gun" of the social activities attendant on current session of the legislature. The Lieutenant-governor will be host at his residence at "Acacia Grove" and the guest list is a large one. Afterwards there will be a reception for the ladies. Twenty-five have been invited to the state dinner and thirty-three to the reception.

Pre-sessional activity was brought to a climax here today with a meeting of the Provincial Government and this evening a caucus of Government supporters of the House will be held.

Hanged for Murder!

WINNIPEG, Feb. 12.—George D. Jayhan, convicted of the murder of a policeman, was hanged at the Headingley Jail near here today. He went to his death quietly and made no statement.

Read our radio page each day for the full programme.

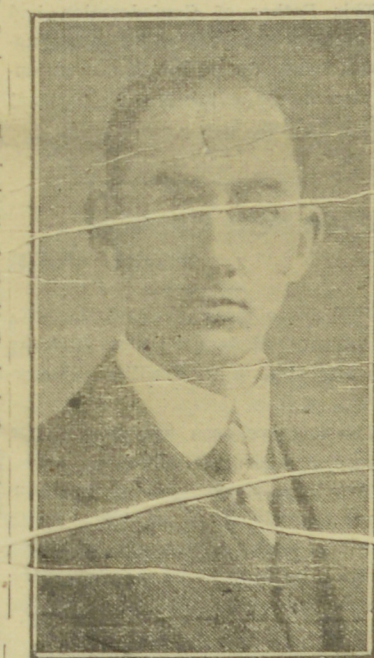
Insurance Scheme Will Benefit Many

J. B. DICKSON IS PRESIDENT OF VICTORIAN ORDER

Meeting Held Tuesday, With Election of Officers—Report of Nurse.

At the meeting of the Victoria Order board yesterday, the following of ficers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. Bacon Dickson; vice-president, H. D. Dobie; treasurer, Mrs. W. S. Thomas; secretary, Miss E. B. Hunter; convenor of missionary committee, Mrs. Ray Cameron; convenor of finance committee, Mrs. W. S. Thomas; convenor of policy committee, Ald. Ivan McKnight; convenor of publicity committee, Miss E. B. Hunter.

The nurses' report for January told of 63 cases being nurses, eight being maternity cases. There had been 445 visits made. Fifty nine of these were non-nursing. An unusually large number of medical cases were total free. The Well Baby Conference had been well attended despite the weather.



J. BACON DICKSON

President of the Victorian Order Board For the Ensuing Year.

There were twelve new admissions, thirteen were referred to their own physicians. In Devon the Talent Chapter of the Anglican Church had served tea and in Fredericton the Home and School Association had served tea. C. R. Hawkins reported on a completed Seal sale which had been very satisfactory. The president, Mr. Dickson, spoke in appreciation of the work done by Mrs. Mathewson, who had been treasurer for four years and regretted her absence from the board. In school work the nurses had assisted the new medical school inspector, Dr. Cameron. A total of 536 pupils had been examined and seven of them referred to the Rotary Eye Clinic, and 20 to the Gyro Dental Clinic. Rev. George Telford and Mrs. M. I. F. Carvell were welcomed as new members.

HOUSE ATTENDANTS

The house attendants for the coming session of the N. B. Legislature as announced this morning by Karl C. Walker, Sergeant-at-Arms, are as follows: Doorkeepers, James Smith, Robert Stevenson, Charles Vanwart and Fred Hicks; messengers, Harry Day, head messenger; Raymond Currie, Aubrey Horwood, Herbert Allen, Charles Burns, and Frank Cadwallader; pages, Archie Wade, Glen Morgan, E. Wade and R. Barnes.

Two Out of Three Will Be Helped by the Bill Which Bennett Introduced Yesterday.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 13.—Two men and women out of every three in Canada's working army will be eligible for the government's unemployment insurance scheme, Prime Minister R. B. Bennett estimated yesterday in the House of Commons when he launched the bill on parliamentary waters.

Based on 1931 census figures, 1,791,834 men and women will be eligible to contribute weekly premiums and draw benefits if they lost their jobs. Excluded from the operations of the scheme will be 864,187 persons, about 200,000 of them farmers the prime minister estimated.

In a speech stressing the technical side of state insurance schemes the prime minister commended his bill to the House, lauding the benefits it would have on men and women, who suddenly lost their jobs. It would have the double effect he said, of providing them with weekly funds to tide them over and, through employment offices, of finding new work for them.

Not Contemplated

"Not for a single moment," said the prime minister, "do I suggest this will relieve the position of unemployed men at the present time. I have never done so. I have other ideas as to how that may be dealt with."

Although supporting the principle of state job insurance, Liberal Leader Mackenzie King, expressed his opinion the Bennett bill might be tossed out by the courts on the ground it exceeded the powers of Parliament as defined by the British American Act.

"May I say to the prime minister," exclaimed the Liberal leader, "that in these days of stress and anxiety and suffering for the mass of the people they are crying for bread and he is giving them a stone. They are crying for bread and he is giving them a serpent because, in addition, to their distress and their suffering, there will be, when this legislation is found to be ultra vires, the sting of bitter disappointment."

In Short Order

It was believed there would be no protracted debate on the insurance bill, at least on second reading. It was expected it would go through the House in short order, probably with the blessing of all parties.

In effect, it would establish a central fund through compulsory contributions from workers, employers and the Dominion treasury from which weekly withdrawals could be made when a man lost his job. In addition to the individual payments to the fund, the Dominion treasury would absorb administrative costs, which the prime minister estimated would be 12 1-2 per cent, if not more.

The insurance scheme was designed, said the prime minister, "to prevent the recurrence in this country of the sad conditions through which we have passed during the last few years."

The Liberal leader went into a long explanation why his government did not enact an insurance scheme, claiming it had been restrained in the early years by the condition of the treasury and its determination to balance the budget.

Says Way Paved

"We paved the way for them," said Mr. King, referring to the government's social reforms. His administration had placed the national exchequer on a sound footing, eliminated deficits, reduced debt and taxation and finally, in 1928 and 1929 appointed a committee which approved the principle before he took the child (Continued on page four)