

TO BE TRIED FOR FIENDISH ACT

Much Interest Taken
In Case Now Be-
fore Courts in
Illinois

Well Known Character Charged With
Kidnapping and Assaulting 14
Years Old Girl

Salem, Ill., April 28—The interest of this entire section has been revived in the case of Thomas Sullens and Ernest Harrison, who a month ago narrowly escaped lynching for their alleged part in the attack on fourteen-year-old Dorothy Hoyt. The case was called in court and it is expected that the trial will proceed without delay. The Sheriff is taking extraordinary precautions to prevent disorder, as it has been rumored that an attempt might be made to carry out the postponed lynching when the two men are brought into court for trial.

Miss Hoyt, the young daughter of Assistant State's Attorney C. N. Hoyt, was attacked in an abandoned barn, a mile from this city, on the night of March 11. According to the girl's story she was kidnapped in the early evening within a stone's throw of her home and dragged to the barn, nearly a mile distant, from which place she made her escape and returned home the following day. When the victim of the attack was able to tell her story she named Tom Sullens, a well known character about town, as her assailant. Sullens was arrested and is alleged to have confessed his guilt pleading that he was drunk at the time. He also declared that he had kidnapped Miss Hoyt at the instigation of Ernest Harrison, who had been prosecuted by Judge Hoyt, the father of the girl, for keeping a "blind tiger." When the story became public the excitement in the reached fever heat and only the prompt action of Governor Dunne in calling out the militia saved the two men from being lynched at the hands of any angry mob.

Since the arrest the two men have been kept under heavy guard, Sullens being confined in Jail at Mount Vernon and Harrison at Van dalia. Sullens will be tried on a charge of kidnaping, which carries the penalty of death. Harrison, it is understood, will be prosecuted on a charge of conspiracy.

MARYSVILLE

Special Service to the Oddfellows,
The Annual Roll Call in Main
Street Church

Marysville, April 28—At the three o'clock service in the Maine Street United Baptist Church yesterday afternoon members of Nashwaak Lodge I. O. O. F. attended in a body, in honor of the 94th anniversary of the order. Besides the fifty members of Oddfellows Lodge there was a large congregation present. The pastor Rev. J. W. Williams, who is also a member of Nashwaak Lodge, preached a very interesting and instructive sermon from 2 Kings, 10:15.

At the same church the annual roll-call was held in the evening, it being the 54th anniversary of the Free Baptist Church. The collection at this service amounted to one hundred dollars. The church was crowded to the doors and the service was very interesting throughout.

The funeral took place this morning of the two months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Stafford. Rev. Mr. Hicks conducted the service.

LO MAKE APPOINTMENT

Ald. Howard Rogers, Chairman of the Street Lighting Committee has had several applications for the position of fireman at the street lighting plant. He expects that an appointment will be made tonight. The position has been made vacant by the resignation of Thomas Minnewater on Saturday. Mr. Minnewater resented the fact that while the superintendent and firemen had been given increases in salary he had not.

BEARS CONTROL STOCK MARKET

War Situation in
Europe is Making
the Bears
Active

American Tobacco Had Six Point Ad-
vance—C. P. R. Gets Below the
240 Mark

New York, April 28—After a few minutes the market developed hardening tendency and while prices improved but little there was large demand for stocks at the low level. It was really the broadest market seen in some time. Union Pacific was the weakest stock on the list probably because it has felt effect on the declines of stocks in which it is largely owner, particularly Illinois Central.

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AUSTRIA ISSUES

AN ULTIMATUM

Vienna, April 27—The official Frenchblatt, discussing Scutari, says: "If Austria-Hungary is to be really tranquilized the great powers must not stop at a platonic declaration of their unanimous intentions, they must convert their good will into deeds without delay. In this connection the constant talk abroad of compensating Montenegro for her military successes makes an especially bad impression."

"The political and military prestige of Europe has suffered by the fall of Scutari, if this injury to their prestige, this check to their ambitions is a matter of indifference to the powers, Austria must follow them along such a path."

"She must insist with all the emphasis at her command on a remedy being found as speedily and thoroughly as possible."

"The minimum she demands is the immediate presentation by the powers to Cetinje, of the protest they have already decided upon in the form of a vigorous demand for the evacuation of Scutari at once and in the event of refusal, the adoption of further military measures for the forcible carrying out of the will of Europe. Any hanging back on the part of Europe from this minimum would excite feeling of dissatisfaction and bitterness in Austria-Hungary. It will be to Europe's interest to prevent these."

GIBSON NEWS

Gibson, April 28—Mr. Samuel Allen is very ill at his home with pleuro pneumonia.

Messrs. Howard Davidson, Sanford Brown and William Harvey left here Saturday night for Montreal, where they will take positions with the Dominion Bridge Company.

Mr. Roy Flowers arrived home on Saturday. He is being warmly congratulated on account of his approaching marriage with Miss Hazel Neill, daughter of Coun. and Miss A. B. Neill, which will take place on Wednesday.

MILITARY MEN HERE

Lt. Col. Mersereau and Major Irving of the 73rd Northumberland Regt. are in the city.

THE STOCK MARKET.

C.P.R. stock sold in New York this afternoon for 241. At 3.30 o'clock American Tobacco was quoted at 224.

ALL WERE FINED.

Eighteen citizens of Moncton were recently fined one dollar each in the police court for allowing their hens to run at large on the public streets.

SOMETHING FIERCE.

The highway road between this city and Springhill is in such a condition that vehicles can no longer travel over it with safety to the occupants. It is full of mud-holes and ruts and is a positive disgrace to those in authority. This important highway seems to get worse each year and it will soon be down to the level of a lumber tote road.

HON. "BOB" ROGERS AND THE PRINCE ALBERT LAND DEAL

"Straight and Impudent Robbery of The Public Resorces", Says Winnipeg Paper ---The Most Barefaced Steal Ever Perpetrated in Canada---Rogers the Modern Aladdin---Tory Henchman Who Has a Pull with Rogers Secures for \$10 a Block of Land Worth \$374,000

(Winnipeg Free Press)

Times beyond number has it been said Western Canada is the Land of Opportunity and that the story of its development is a story of romance and miracle, of dreams come true and of visions realized. And it is undeniable that there have been some amazing episodes in that story. For example, the Donaldson "homestead" deal at Prince Albert is an episode for the counterpart of which it is necessary to go to the Arabian Nights. That transaction was an affair of an Aladdin of our own time. He had no magic lamp, but his father was a very active political friend of Mr. Robert Rogers, then minister of the interior and in control of the public lands, but now Minister of Public Works.

The modern Aladdin of Prince Albert, whose father was a strenuous political worker in the interest of the party in which Mr. Rogers is a head man, instead of rubbing a lamp of quaint design, paid last year the modest sum of \$10 into the Department then presided over by Mr. Rogers, and received in return some seventy-three acres of the public lands belonging to the people of Canada, situated within the limits of the city of Prince Albert, and valued then at \$100,000. The land thus obtained by latter-day magic is now held at \$374,000.

A more cynical performance than that of Mr. Rogers in the House at Ottawa the night before last in regard to that transaction, followed by the action of the Government majority in whitewashing the transaction—"straight and impudent robbery of the public resources," Mr. Martin, the member for Regina termed it—has never taken place in the Parliament of this or any other country. Mr. Rogers, the responsible Minister, disposed of the matter with an irresponsible shrug. He did not and could not attempt to defend it. He simply said he knew nothing about it.

He was forced to admit that the transaction was in violation of the regulations and procedure of the Department, and that he, as Minister, had power to cancel on that ground. Challenged with a straight question across the floor of the House as to why he did not cancel the transaction and get the seventy-three acres back for the people of Canada, he was silent. He and his fellow-Ministers, headed by Mr. Borden, who constitute the present Government of this Dominion, and the majority in the House which supports the Government, have thus shown that they will stand for transactions of that sort.

Mr. Rogers spoke for two hours. (Continued on page five)

ARCHBISHOP LANGEVIN ON BERNIER'S APPOINTMENT

Winnipeg, April 26—His Grace Archbishop Langevin has issued in French and English the following pronouncement on the entrance into the Manitoba Cabinet of Hon. Joseph Bernier.

"The nomination of a Catholic as a member of the Roblin Cabinet is an act of justice due to the Catholics of the province of Manitoba, who have a right to be represented in the Cabinet as well as any other groups less numerous who have many representatives and this is the reason why His Grace the Archbishop has not considered it his duty to oppose the nomination of the Hon. Mr. Bernier, who alone assumes responsibility for it."

"TO APPEASE CATHOLICS"

"However, it must be clearly admitted that under the present circumstances this nomination seems to be a gift rather fatal and embarrassing made to appease Catholics, who in spite of the Coldwell school amendments, which are only a soothing draught are dissatisfied because nothing has been done so relieve the

situation, so painful in mixed centres particularly since the transfer of the territory of Keewatin to Manitoba. Therefore His Grace the Archbishop has not intended by his abstention to approve the present nomination, which will not be either a compensation or a consolation for the Catholics who have always been victims of politics."

"TO CLAIM WITH VIGOR."

"Nevertheless, party spirit must not make us forget what has already been done to ameliorate the condition of Catholics in the country districts and to protect their menaced rights, nor permit that a sentiment adverse to the Hon. Mr. Bernier or to those whom he represents should diminish the merit of a just reprobation of all that can appear as an abandonment of our school rights. Catholics will continue more than ever to claim with vigor and dignity that justice which is their due according to the constitution of the country."

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SIR CHARLES TUPPER HONORED AT AMHERST

Amherst, N. S., April 28—Sir Charles Tupper, the sole surviving father of Confederation, was fittingly honored by the citizens of this native town this afternoon. The great feature of the event was a parade of two thousand school children in honor of the aged baronet. They were drawn up in two lines on Victoria Street and were reviewed by Sir Charles from an automobile.

A patriotic concert in connection with the affair is being held in the winter fair building.

DIVORCE COURT

Judgments in the suits of Johnson vs. Johnson and Prince vs. Prince are to be given in the Divorce Court tomorrow by His Honor Judge McKeown.

THE KING MAY VISIT CANADA

Brooklyn Paper Says
His Majesty Will
be Here in
1914

Would Open Toronto Exhibition and
Meet President Wilson on the
Niagara Bridge

New York, April 27—The Brooklyn Eagle's London correspondent under date of April 12 writes as follows: "I am able to announce definitely that King George will visit Canada in 1914." Only some such unexpected event as a European war involving England, or a family bereavement, will prevent this trip taking place.

The king and his advisers are taking somewhat unnecessary pains to keep the proposed visit secret. They are so afraid that the Canadians will be disappointed that they dread the king's intentions being announced at this distant date. A meeting between King George and President Wilson at Niagara Falls is likely to be arranged within the near future.

"King George has intimated his willingness to open the Toronto exhibition in August, 1914, and preparations for this event are already being made in English court circles. It will be the first time that any King of England has visited Canada. It is hoped that the queen will accompany the king, but nothing is yet definitely settled as regards this. The Prince of Wales is quite likely to be with his father on this interesting trip."

"In Canadian circles here a visit from the king has long been anticipated. When Earl Grey was governor-general powerful representation was made as to the desire of the Canadian people to see in person the king. The appointment of the Duke of Connaught as governor-general was in no small degree due to the royal appreciation of this sentiment. (Continued on page four)

THREE THOUSAND GIVEN TO MT. ALLISON FUND

Efforts on Behalf of Forward Move-
ment Met With Gratifying Results
in This City

The local committee in charge of the Mt. Allison Forward Movement Campaign, was successful in securing subscriptions to the amount of \$3000. Mr. R. B. Hanson was leader of the campaign and the result is particularly gratifying as graduates of the Methodist institution are not numerous in this section. Dr. Borden, president of Mt. Allison and Rev. Dr. Graham, both were here in connection with the campaign.

Subscriptions were as follows:
Hon. F. P. Thompson \$500
Dr. A. B. Wheterton 500
John Kilburn 500
Fletcher Peacock 500
Ald. J. J. Weddall 250
R. B. Hanson 250
Smaller subscriptions 500

STUCK IN MUD

Residents of St. Mary's this morning beheld the edifying spectacle of two teams stuck in the mud in Jaffrey Street. The condition of the highways in St. Mary's Parish has not been worse since pioneer days.

WON TYPEWRITER

The drawing for the L. C. Smith Typewriter donated to the Fredericton Baseball Club by the Soule-Newsome Company took place Saturday night. Ticket No. 381 held by Mr. T. B. Hartt of Fredericton Junction won the machine.

NEW REGULATION.

A new regulation went into effect at the Marysville Cotton Mill today, work beginning at 6.40 a.m., when the doors were locked and all tardy operatives compelled to report to the office. On Saturday next a half-holiday arrangement will go into effect, the mill closing at noon.

AN OBLIGING EMERGENCY

Naval Bill not Likely
to be Taken up
Until Next
Week

The Government Has Decided to Get
Down to Real Business This
Week

Ottawa, April 27—There will be no navy bill in the Commons next week. The government has decided that owing to the broken week, because of the holiday on Thursday, they will postpone the re-introduction of the measure until the following week. Meanwhile government bills will be proceeded with on Monday and other legislation during the remainder of the week.

The government has been forced to admit that the opposition has not been obstructing the business of the country. Ever since the prime minister realized that there were other matters which must be considered besides the naval bill and the closure resolution, progress has been made in the House and there has not been the semblance of obstruction. The government has decided that it must get down to real business in the face of pressure placed upon it by financial and other interests throughout the country and incidentally by the opposition which has always contended that the government should turn its attention to matters of more pressing necessity than the bill which has been before parliament for so long.

Hon. Tom White expects that his bank bill will be through the banking and commerce committee by the middle of the week and back to parliament. Sixteen witnesses have been heard in the committee but despite the time spent it is not probable that there will be many changes in the bill when it again reaches the Commons.

It is probable that there will be considerable discussion, however, when it comes before the committee of the whole House.

During the coming week the government will also go into supply, as the amount so far voted is fast becoming exhausted. Liberals have several matters which they desire to bring before the House before the estimates are considered and they will make every endeavor to bring these up.

On Friday, according to the new rules, the House will go into supply without motion of any kind on extraneous subjects. On each of the remaining days of this week, however, it is expected that the opposition will have an important matter to bring to the attention of the House.

WORLD'S NEWS

IN SHORT METRE

(By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co., 550 Queen Street, Fredericton, N.B.)

New York, N. Y., April 28—The U. S. Supreme Court meets today.

Austria again threatens to declare war on Montenegro unless the Powers at a conference today take coercive measures.

Attorney General McReynolds announces that the department of justice cannot re-open the American Tobacco dissolution suit.

Progressives in the California legislature await the arrival today of Secretary Bryan before acting on the alien land bill.

Debate on tariff bill in the House ends today. It is expected to be ready for the Senate Finance Committee by May 15th.

The proposed tariff preference on goods imported in American vessels is declared violation of treaties and the bill will be changed.

Twelve industrials declined 0.31. Twenty active railways declined 0.41.

American stocks in London 18 to 2 up.

New York state labor departments report shows the number of employed in the last six months of 1912 was much less than the same time in 1911.