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CANADIANS HELD ON BLACKMAIL CHARGE

Man and Wife Accused of Attempting to Extort $10,000 from Accquaintance.

New York, July 03—Lester Frankline Barry and his wife, Theresa Miller Barry, of Hamilton, Ont., were arraigned in the Yorkville Police Court here on a charge of attempted blackmail brought by Samuel Meyers, a former deputy sheriff of Schenectady, N. Y. Four letters alleged to have been written by the couple in which money was demanded from Meyers form the basis of the complaint. According to Mr. Meyers, who is 78 years old, he met Mrs. Barry, who is only 20 years old, in Broadway about five weeks ago. He saw her several times within the next few days. Then letters came to Meyers purporting to be from Mrs. Barry's father demanding $10,000. Barry and his wife were held in $3000 bail for examination on Friday.

WHERE WILL HE SPEND HIS VACATION NOW?

East Hampton, Mass., July 29—Succumbing to the strain of overwork occasioned by his approaching vacation, Edwin C. Riedel, 45, assistant superintendent of the Nashawannuck Manufacturing Company's mills, returned to his home after work tonigth and committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid.

SACKVILLE BOY DROWNED IN AN I. C. R. RESERVOIR

Lock Bainbridge Went to Swim but Got Beyond His Depth

A telephone message from Sackville says that Lock Bainbridge, aged about fifteen, son of Clifford Bainbridge, who lives about a mile and a half from Sackville, was drowned in the I. C. R. reservoir about two miles from home, about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

In company with three or four smaller boys he had been out picking berries and on passing the reservoir decided to have a swim. He went in alone, the younger lads staying on the bank watching him.

Young Bainbridge went beyond his depth and sank. Seeing that he did not come to the surface the other boys ran for help but they had to go a long distance before meeting any one and of course assistance was too late when it arrived. The body was recovered.

HIS ILLNESS AND PAIN DROVE HIM TO SUICIDE

Winslow, Me., July 29—His mind unbalanced by intense suffering caused by cancer, and opiates taken to relive the pain, Charles Alley, aged 50, killed himself by shooting in the corn barn on his farm tonight.

Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney-general of British Columbia, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Miss Eunice Bowser, left for Montreal last evening.

OPPOSED TO MILITARY TRAINING IN SCHOOLS

Executive of Trades and Labor Congress Calls Upon its Members to Pronounce Upon Sir Frederick Borden's Plan

Ottawa, July 29—In its convention call just issued the executive of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada states that apart from the consideration of federal and provincial legislation and industrial conditions, "a pronouncement is urgently needed upon the present jingo propaganda for military training in the schools and military and naval equipment."

It further states: "Canada is a country of peace. The problem of living in times of peace is difficult enough without having foisted upon us a vast expenditure for non-productive but highly destructive effort. War is hell for the workingman. Labor cannot afford to be silent at this critical juncture but should unite with all peace-loving citizens of Canada to squelch, in its incipiency, the forced sentiment that would involve us in the quarrels of other lands."

The twenty-fifth annual session of the congress will open in Quebec Sept. 20.

BIG CEMENT MERGER IS ANNOUNCED NOW

Report That All Canadian Plants Will Amalgamate With a Capital of $25,000,000

Montreal, July 29—The cement merger, one of the most important business combinations ever effected in Canada, is announced. It will include all the important cement manufacturing companies in Canada. And the consolidated company which will be known as the Canadian Consolidated Cement Company and will have a capitalization of $25,000,000.

Application has been made to Ottawa for a charter for the company and the underwriting arrangements are pretty near completed, some of the strongest men in the country being among the underwriters. The organization and underwriting arrangements are in charge of Rodolphe Forget, M. P.

As a result of the merger the running expenses of the various plants will be reduced and their earnings increased.

THE SUN WAS WRONG

The St. Croix Courier, St. Stephen, says:—A daily paper can at times be singularly misinformed. The St. John Sun on Tuesday announced the discovery of a black granite quarry near Welsford and referred to it as the only one of its kind in New Brunswick. And yet a quarry at Bocabec in this county has been turning out an excellent quality of black granite for some years, another near the same place has furnished marketable stone and a new quarry of black granite was opened in Dufferin parish two weeks ago. But St. John people and papers have long been accustomed to regard St. John as all there is in the province. Some allowance must be made for their self satisfaction.

FARM BUILDINGS BURNED

East Vassalboro, Me., July 29—The farm buildings of Thomas Flynn were destroyed by fire, caused by an overheated stove tonight. The loss is $1,500 and covered by insurance.

JEROME'S GRILLING OF THAW ENDED YESTERDAY

District Attorney Springs a Distinct Surprise on Man Fighting for His Liberty When He Confronts Him With Rambling Notes Left in His Cell in the Toombs.

White Plains, N. Y., July 29—William Travers Jerome, district-attorney of New York, prosecutor at both Thaw murder trials, finished his inquisition of Harry K. Thaw in the supreme court at 5.25 o'clock this evening. This ends perhaps the most surprising chapter of the long court procedure in whic hthe young Pittsburger has figured, certainly the most surprising in this latest phase of the case, Thaw's fight to prove himself sane and obtain his release from the Matteawan Asylum for the Criminal Insane.

All told, yesterday and today, Harry Thaw faced Mr. Jerome's lightning thrusts for ten hours, yet he held his own at all times and tomorrow he will be in the hands of friends. His attorney, Charles Morschauser, expects to call him in the morning. This examination may be as long as Jerome's and after it the district-attorney may have a few more questions to ask.

Notwithstanding the mental strain he was under yesterday and today, Thaw labored far into tonight with his attorney in Justice Mills' ante room, going over the multitude of records used today by Mr Jerome in his rapid-fire of cross-questions The district-attorney consented to this, but left one of his deputies to guard the evidence which he said belonged to the records of his office.

Thaw and his attorney returned to the court room at 7 p. m. and with a deputy sheriff at the door, began their task which extended well into the night. They asked this privilege chiefly on account of certain exhibits introduced by the district-attorney. These consisted of various papers containing notes and drawings found in Thaw's cell at the Tombs after he was sent to Matteawan. What use Mr. Jerome will make of them will develop later. But their appearance seemed to bother Thaw somewhat, and after court adjourned Mrs. William C. Thaw, the prisoner's mother, gave out an interview in which she said that the production of these papers by the state proved the charges she made in a printed pamphlet recently that her son had been hurried away to the asylum without being allowed to get his clothes or other effects in his cell.

On the whole, however, Thaw and his attorney are well satisfied with the day's work. Thaw showed even more confidence than he exhibited during the first en counter; in fact, his self-satisfaction at one time almost cost him dear when he ventured into a heated passage at arms with the district-attorney. But he checked himself when he realized that he had nothing to gain and everything to lose by a show of temper. Except for this squall, the exchange of questions and answers with here and there an occasional sally of wit, progressed smoothly from 1.15 until adjournment.

Yesterday Mr. Jerome devoted himself to the prisoner's life history. Today he based his questions chiefly upon various documents, letters and memoranda which he produced in surprising numbers. The one he found most useful was a tablet containing twenty-six sheets of foolscap paper on which were pasted a strange variety of newspaper clippings and scraps of manuscript. Thaw identified it as something he had prepared and sent to Delphin M. Delmas, his chief counsel during the first trial, for use in preparing his closing speech to the jury. Some of its contents was strange enough to cause suspicions of the author's sanity, but these bits Thaw invariably explained by saying they were letters written to him and his family by persons whose kind intentions probably were better than their mental balance.

"Lots of it was rubbish," he added, "but some of the letters contained ideas I thought Mr. Delmas might use."

Thaw's part of the compilation showed him as a man of many tastes and interests. In it the quoted passage of scripture regarding sins against the young and referred to the dragon tales in Percy's Reliques for striking similes regarding Stanford White. He called from his voluminous correspondence the most striking expressions that might be put to the same use.

Delmas' opinion of his client's suggestions was indicated by the fact that he turned the carefully-prepared sheets over to the committee of alienists before which the prisoner appeared during his first trial. Mr. Jerome got them from this source.

While Thaw was, of course, the central figure at the hearing today, there were two other witnesses, Susan Merrill, the former New York lodging house keeper, and Clifford W. Hartridge, Thaw's former attorney. Mrs. Merrill went further into details regarding Thaw's alleged abuse of young women at her house. She admitted having had dealings also with Stanford White.

Hartridge testified to the truth of parts of her story. He said that the money he turned over to the woman which she said was used to prevent the girls Thaw whipped from making trouble did not come from Thaw himself. He said that he had received $103,000 from Mrs. William Thaw, but had used a large part of it for "various purposes" connected with his employment by the family.

Evelyn Thaw was an interested auditor in court again today, but her husband on the stand ignored her presence. She naturally looked at him but he resolutely refused to look at her. Indications are that the hearing will last at least a week longer.

ENTIRELY NEW TYPE OF STEAM FREIGHTER

The Steamer Monitoria is the Latest Sensation of the Shipbuilding World — Grooved Sides Are Feature — Wave-like Swellings Are Built Between the Load Water Line and the Bilge.

The new steamer Monitoria, which has been launched at Sunderland for the Ericsson Steamship Company by Messrs. Osborne, Graham and Co., is the sensation of the shipping world. In this new vessel the novel feature consists in the construction of two corrugations running right fore and aft on the shell, gradually tapering off to nothing in the way of collision bulkhead and after peak bulkhead. These, while giving the vessel greater strength and adding to the carrying capacity, will also, the inventors anticipate tend to increase the speed of the vessel by at least 10 per cent over the ordinary sister ship. The change, it is claimed, is absolutely contrary to all theory and book law, for naval architects up to the present time have all agreed that the greater the wetted surface in the hull of a ship the more difficult the vessel was to drive. The depth of the projections mentioned have it is understood, only been arrived at after many years of careful experiment and the inventors have found, by testing with models, that the projections on the Monitoria are almost ideal for obtaining an increase of speed. Curiously enough, when the size of the projections was decreased the tests proved a proportionate decrease of speed.

Improvements in ships during the last thirty years have almost exclusively lain in the directions of modifications to the inside of the vessel in order to gain a better disposition of material and strength. In the case of the Monitoria, however, the innovation is connected with the outside underbody of the vessel, and despite which the inventors—the prime mover amongst who is A. H. Haver, formerly of Messrs. W. Doxford and Sons, Ltd., of Sunderland, the patentees of the "turret" type of steamer—claim that these wave-like projections or corrugations will cause a diminution of resistence.

In the new vessel, the usual contour of the vessel is altered. The wave-like swellings lie between the load water line and the bilge, and extend along the vessel to about the turn of the bows and quarters, where they gradually merge into the usual ship's ending.

The designers also claim that these projections will have the effect of steadying the vessel. In their earlier experiments a groove in the side was tried. Very good results were obtained, but from a commercial standpoint a groove placed on the outside of a vessel was better, as it was easier of application, cheaper in practice, whilst there is scarcely any difference in its resultant efficiency upon the undulating stream lines. The evolution developed, therefore, into the two projections fitted on the Monitoria, which add weight to the displacement, the draft being slightly increased, which consequently increased deadweight; but if normal speed is intended, smaller engines can be fitted into the ship, which in its turn means less weight and less coal consumption; so that altogether a smaller ship can be got to do the same work required when these "Monitor" projections are fitted. The form of the projections add considerably to the strength of the vessel laterally, vertically, and locally. The form as adopted in the Monitoria will give nine times more crushing strength against quay walls than the resistance of a flat plate. The form is also of such strong sections that the British Corporation and Lloyd's Registry have both allowed reduced scantlings.

The patent can be applied to old vessels, all that is required being the taking out of three or four strakes of plates and replacing these with corrugated plates of the patentees' plans. The patentees have also arranged that any builder may build vessels of this type on royalty terms. As Messrs Osbourne and Graham have built a very large number of similar-sized vessels to the Monitoria, but of ordinary form of construction, they will be able to obtain exact data when comparing the speeds of the patent ship on loaded trials with the older type of craft.

Speaking at the launching of the steamer, Mr. Haver, the designer, said that when the idea embodied in that vessel was first suggested to him he gave a strong adverse opinion. He believed with most naval architects that the wetted area ship. If the former was increased thelatship. If the former was increased thel atter must be increased also. He commenced the trials with a strong prejudice against the idea. The first trial resulted in a saving of eight per cent. in horse power. A few months later he came to the conclusionn that the idea was an improvement. He had no fault to find with sceptics who did not exactly see that it could possibly be an improvement, for he had gone through that phase himself. It had taken him many months to come to the conclusion that his ordinary education in ship resistence was a little deficient. They had in the Monitoria a vessel that would carry a hundred tons more deadweight and have the same speed as a sister ship of the ordinary type on less horse power. The projections at the sides added to the buoyancy of the ship, and had a steadying effect on waves and stream lines passing round her. She would not have a trial trip in the ordinary way, because that was only to test the engines. But she would be tried on several ocean voyages,. He anticipated that the improvement—he felt sure they would get—would be on the second or third voyage. There had been several recent improvements in ships by alterations to the interior or top, but that was the first commercial ship that had been altered externally, and was the only ship in which the displacement and speed were increased simultaneously. The projections were not fixed by guesswork; it was just as necessary to get them to suit the ship as to get the length of a pendulum to suit a clock. This build would also give greater strength, which Lloyd's and the British Corporation had recognized in the reduction of scantlings. The Monitoria company was not a shipbuilding or shipowning company but a company to follow out and develop certain patents.

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