

THAW POMPOUS AND DOMINEERING IN INSANE ASYLUM

Lorded It Over Other Inmates Like Real Son of a Millionaire AMUSED BY METHODS IN MURDER TRIALS

Testimony of Own Mother at Trial Offered to Prove Him Weak Mentally (By Associated Press.) WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., August 2. How Harry K. Thaw conducted himself at the Matteawan asylum for the criminal insane, a phase of his life not gone into before, was described today by Dr. Amos B. Baker, first assistant physician of the institution, the only witness called by District Attorney Jerome at the continuation of the hearing by which Thaw hopes to obtain his release.

SENATORS THINK THERE'S A JOKER IN HIDES SCHEDULE

After Debating Conference Report All Day Ineffectually, Take Matter to Taft Who Says They Are Mistaken.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, August 2.—Tariff legislation has been delayed again by the hide and leather question and as a result the conferees were again called together today. The session was for the purpose of entering into the open a certain "phony hood person" reported by western senators to be lurking in the "wool pile." These senators said the leather schedule as arranged by the conferees with the approval of the president, was unfair to the states interested in protected hides. It was agreed today they must be conciliated if the conference report is to be adopted. Several conferences were held among senators on both sides of the chamber for the purpose of advancing or hindering the final passage of the bill. The developments in the framing of the leather schedule in conference called forth more interest than did the proceedings of the day. Senator Hedges, of Colorado, represented the democratic side of the chamber. Senator Aldrich, chairman of the conferees committee, was there, however. After the reading of the report had proceeded three and a half hours and its conclusion been announced, Senator Clapp obtained recognition. Noticing that Senator Daniel, senior democratic member of the finance committee was endeavoring to obtain recognition, Mr. Clapp gave way to him, and the Virginia senator at once called attention to the absence of a quorum. Mr. Daniel's speech consisted in the main of an arraignment of the conferees committee for the exclusion of the democratic members. He declared that the country was in a fair way to being lynched by the republican conferees. He said a practical

SENATOR ROBERT M. LAFOLLETTE.



Who with Senator Bristow and Several Other Western Republicans Are Opposing the Tariff Bill.

CZAR LIKE A PRISONER RATHER THAN A GUEST

On His Visit to England He Is Hedged Around with Hundreds of Detectives Both Russian and English.

COWES, England, August 2.—The first official visit of the Russian Emperor Nicholas to England was one of the most impressive and spectacular events that Cowes, accustomed to naval pageantry, ever witnessed. King Edward with most of the members of the royal family met the Russian imperial yacht Standart and the squadron of warships accompanying it on Spithead at noon. Emperor Nicholas immediately went on board the British royal yacht and was greeted by King Edward. Later they reviewed the British fleet. The British had 150 ships anchored in three lines between Cowes and Spithead. When the Russian squadron started its cruise of inspection the warships fired a salute of twenty-one guns which made a tremendous din and covered the water with a haze of blue smoke. The British band played the Russian national anthem and the crews of both navies cheered each other. The scene along the shore was as interesting as that aboard. Crowds lined the water front. For miles and all the houses were draped with bunting and flags. The measures taken to safeguard Emperor Nicholas make him seem like a prisoner of state when compared with other royal personages who have visited Cowes during regular visits. Scotland Yard has one hundred detectives at Cowes and the Russian police department in a constant attendance. The emperor will remain aboard during his visit except for a brief trip ashore to the new school Wednesday morning. Alluding to the review the Russian monarch declared "this is the most impressive and wonderful demonstration the world has ever seen." He was especially impressed with the extraordinary progress made in the construction of submarines. Emperor Nicholas tonight was elected a member of the royal yacht squadron by acclamation.

SPAIN TIDES OVER TUMULTUOUS SEA OF REVOLT SAFELY

For Present at Least Conditions Are Almost Normal Again in Kingdom EXPECTED STRIKE FAILED TO OCCUR Censored Papers From Barcelona Tell of Churches Sacked in Outbreak

(By Associated Press.) PARIS, August 2.—The internal situation in Spain tonight seems to be improving—Barcelona has emerged from her isolation and the threatened general strike in Madrid appears to have been averted, at least temporarily. Several of the smaller cities are reported to be in the hands of the revolutionists and many villages have proclaimed the district a republic. Troops are being steadily distributed throughout the rebellious districts, and barring new serious outbreaks the insurrectionists eventually will be forced to capitulate. It is said that the authorities are determined to crush the insurrection before the return from South America of Deputy Alejandro Leroux, chief of the republicans at Barcelona, whose period of exile for political reasons was not as long by the chamber of deputies last April. In striking contrast with the estimate of the victims of the disorders given by the Barcelona newspapers which arrived tonight at Cowes is one of five thousand emanating from private advice received from Madrid. This latter estimate however is labeled "perhaps exaggerated." Spain's censorship tonight is more inexorable than ever. No news has been received from the various points in the north where the trades unions had planned a general strike for today, and therefore the actual conditions there and elsewhere cannot be stated.

SECOND RACE RIOT BARELY AVERTED IN GEORGIA TOWN

Attack on White Man by Band of Negro Toughs Almost Caused Outbreak POSSE SEARCHING FOR BLACK GLANSMEN Negro Women Quit Their Work And Make Inflammatory Speeches

(By Associated Press.) FARRIS, August 2.—Following two days of intense excitement with a war between the whites and blacks imminent, the small town of Farris, in Cherokee county, Alabama, eighteen miles west of here, is reported tonight to be quieting down, although there are still grave apprehensions of a serious clash. A clash between the races occurred at Farris two years ago, and but little is needed to fan into flame the smoldering fires of resentment. An armed band of whites is still making search for members of the negro clan which precipitated the present trouble. Brought Black Mob. Galveston Perkins, a negro, enraged because of being ordered from the store of A. R. Wright, at Farris, Saturday afternoon by the latter's son, Harper Wright, went away sullenly and Saturday night returned at the head of a mob of fifteen of his kinsmen and waylaid and assaulted Harper Wright a short distance from his father's store. Cleveland Perkins, a brother of Galveston Perkins, knocked young Wright down with a rock and the latter was taking the mail pouch from the depot to the postoffice, and immediately the other negroes joined in the attack. Wright was badly beaten and his injuries are serious. Negro Sent To Jail. Soon a number of white men appeared on the scene and the negroes fled. Immediately the town was alarmed and an armed posse scoured the woods all night, finally capturing Garvin Perkins, a cousin of the two negro leaders of the mob. Cooler heads prevailed upon the posse to allow Garvin Perkins to be sent to jail and he was taken to the county seat, Cener, Ala. It is charged that Garvin Perkins also shot at Gus Wright, the fifteen-year-old brother of Harper Wright. The negro women as well as most of the negro men have quit work and this morning there was a threatening situation when a large number of negro women gathered in front of the Farris postoffice and indulged in inflammatory talk. They were finally driven to their homes. Although there are many negroes in the vicinity of Farris, the white are in the majority.

CASHIER OF SOUTHERN PINES RETURNS TO FACE CHARGE OF DEFAULTING

Tried Unique Plan to Get Bankers to Help Him out of His Trouble. LED TO DISCOVERY SOUTHERN PINES, N. C., August 2.—George A. Kimball, cashier of the Citizens Bank and Trust company, who on Saturday was declared short in his accounts to the extent of fifty thousand dollars, returned from York Beach, Maine, at six o'clock this evening he entered a carriage at his depot and drove immediately to his residence without making any statement. No effort was made to arrest him. Part of the books of the Niagara Grape and Fruit company, of which Kimball was treasurer, have been found. These show no discrepancies. It is rumored that Kimball will make good the shortage to the bank. It transpires that George A. Kimball, former cashier of the Citizens Bank and Trust company of this town made an ingenious plan to his fellow cashiers throughout the West to aid him just before his shortage became known. Some weeks ago he carried to the postoffice a couple of thousand letters addressed to bank cashiers all over the West. These, it developed, contained a circular appeal to the cashiers for help as follows: "Dear Brother Cashier: Owing to ill health am obliged to give up my position, perhaps for ever. Am with out means to support my wife and five children. Will you help me by sending check for \$5 for Ladies Home Journal and Saturday Evening Post for one year? It cannot increase your revenue and it may mean life to me. If there are others in bank who will subscribe it may help me very much. Yours truly, "G. A. KIMBALL, Cashier." It seems that ten thousand or more of these circulars were sent out, and it is quite certain that many answers were received. On Tuesday a postoffice inspector arrived at Southern Pines and proceeded to investigate the scheme which Kimball had undertaken.

HOUSE BALKS ON VOTING AUTOMOBILES FOR USE OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS

Measure Does Not Necessarily Exclude Airships or Motor Cycles. IN DEFICIENCY BILL (By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, August 2.—The conferees report on the Philippine tariff bill was agreed to by the house today. The measure which is supplementary to the Payne tariff bill is intended to provide enough additional revenue to make up the amount which will be lost to the Philippine government by the enactment of the provision for free trade between the United States and the Philippines. A bill granting a franchise for the construction of a dam across the Savannah river was passed. The remainder of the session was taken up with a discussion of the anti-deficiency appropriation bill as amended by the senate. Automobiles for All. The purchase of automobiles for the private use of government officials was made the subject of a serious attack by Mr. Sims, of Tennessee. Mr. Sims criticized the use of automobiles by the government's department of the army and expressed his conviction that it was an outrage for the government to provide automobiles for the home officials while six and twelve dollar bicycles were being paid to widows of soldiers and the salaries of clerks were being paid down to nominal expenses. Mr. Clayton, of Alabama, who according to Mr. Hawley's proposition should be entitled to know why the provision for a vehicle for the vice president specifically named an "automobile" while the provision for the speaker merely stipulated "carriage or other vehicle." "Does this mean that we are to provide an aeroplane, a biplane, or a monoplane for the speaker? Or does it mean that speaker is to be allowed on a motor cycle like a policeman?" continued Mr. Clayton. Mr. Tawney said he would introduce the senate conferees regarding this and other matters if the bill was sent to conference.

LOVE SPURNED, FARMER OF FIFTY KILLS LOVED ONE AND THEN HIMSELF

Had Made Two Previous Attempts to Commit the Same Crime. A CHECKERED CAREER (By Associated Press.) DANVILLE, Va., August 2.—As a result of spurned love, Ben Russell, a farmer about fifty years of age, of this county, this afternoon shot and killed Mrs. Annie Tankersley aged thirty-five, and then emptied the remaining barrel of the shot gun with which the deed was committed into his own head. The double tragedy was carried out on the farm of Mrs. Tankersley at Luck, twenty miles east of Clifton. Mrs. Tankersley has for some time been living apart from her husband, whose whereabouts is not known. Ben Russell was a tenant on the plantation and was known to have been violently in love with Mrs. Tankersley. On Wednesday the two had a quarrel and Mrs. Tankersley ordered Russell off the place. On Saturday he went to her house and fired at her twice with his shot gun, both shots being ineffective. He made another unsuccessful attempt to kill her this morning. The crime was done while the small children of the slain woman were playing in the house. Russell has had a checkered career. Several years ago he was in love with a young woman of the county and in a jealous rage fired at her. For this crime he served a year in the state prison. SHOT POLICEMAN. ALEXANDRIA, La., August 2.—M. Lanius, a policeman of Alexandria was shot and fatally wounded tonight by W. T. Gibson, a resident of Jackson parish. Lanius attempted to arrest Gibson, said to have been under influence of liquor, when the latter opened fire upon him. One shot entered the policeman's body. Gibson is in jail.

CHARGED WITH MURDER OF AGED MRS. NEWMAN

Three Men Arrested on Suspicion of Knowing Something of the Crime. (By Associated Press.) GREENSBORO, N. C., August 2.—John Hill, 37, John Leonard, 37, and James Frazier, 41, of Summit county, were arrested here tonight on suspicion of being accessories to the murder of Mrs. Lydia Newman. The three men were charged with being accessories to the murder of a woman, 70 years of age, by shooting her in the back of the head with a .38-caliber revolver. The crime was committed on Wednesday night. The bodies of the three men were taken to the county jail here tonight. They were held incommunicado. The bodies of the three men were taken to the county jail here tonight. They were held incommunicado. The bodies of the three men were taken to the county jail here tonight. They were held incommunicado.

WILL EDUCATE YOUNG ALABAMA TO BE DRY

Legislature also Passes Other Laws Designed to Purify Morals of State. (By Associated Press.) MOBILE, Ala., August 2.—The legislature here tonight passed a bill to prohibit the sale of liquor to minors. The bill also provides for the education of young Alabama to be dry. The legislature also passed other laws designed to purify the morals of the state.

WIFE DECLARES WOUND WAS SELF-INFLICTED

After an Angry Encounter with Husband in Which He Pushed Her Down. (Special to The Citizen.) CHARLOTTE, N. C., August 2.—Exhibiting a rather surprising degree of vitality in her battle for life precipitated by the ugly slash received near midnight Saturday night, Mrs. Florence Schenck, whose husband, George A., is a prisoner charged with the guilt of the deed, held her own yesterday. "I did it myself," said the woman yesterday, with the motive, it is contended by some who have studied the case, of shielding her young husband, who is about 29 years of age. Other evidence seems to show that the wounds were inflicted in the midst of a scuffle with her husband who pushed her down. That the wound, from its nature, could not have been inflicted by the woman upon herself is, however, the opinion of persons skilled in such matters who saw the injury. The knife cut extended in all about six and one-half inches over a dozen stitches being necessary to effect a reunion of the skin across the breach. Beginning about the right ear on the side of her face it plunged through the lobe, cutting off the lower part of the organ of hearing and severed an external artery under the ear, running downward toward the chin. According to a Mrs. Adams, who was the only eye witness to the meeting between the couple, they met Schenck shortly after eleven o'clock and he asked his wife roughly what she was doing on the street; and pushed her down. Immediately afterward Mrs. Schenck cried out that she was cut. Mrs. Adams says that Mrs. Schenck carried a knife when she went out, and it is possible that in falling she inflicted the wound on herself.

TARIFF BILL HITS OWNERS OF FOREIGN BUILT YACHTS

Quarter Million Annual Revenue Will Come into Treasury from Rich Men. (By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, August 2.—Baiting the high seas on foreign built yachts when the tariff bill becomes effective many well known Americans will have to swell Uncle Sam's coffers. Others owning yachts built by American labor, will not be affected by the tariff provision referred to. The new tariff bill contains a provision for the taxation at \$1 per ton per year of foreign built yachts now or hereafter owned or chartered by American citizens. It is provided however, that as an alternative to the annual tax, the owner of a foreign vessel built yacht may pay a duty of thirty-five per cent. ad valorem and secure an American registry, excepting the vessel from further foreign taxation. The value of these yachts ranges from \$20,000 to \$200,000. The following on September 1 will be subject to the annual tax at the rate indicated: James Gordon Bennett, \$12,594; W. K. Vanderbilt, \$12,761; A. J. Drexel, \$12,460; Mrs. Robert Goetz, \$12,172; Morton F. Plant, \$11,529; Joseph Pulitzer, \$11,242; Eugene Higgins, \$11,011; George J. Gould, \$9,121; Roy A. Rainey, \$8,589; Fred W. Vanderbilt, \$7,679; C. K. G. Billings, \$7,637; G. W. C. Drexel, \$6,881; Cornelius Vanderbilt, \$5,726, and so down the scale. Besides these, Americans own about fifty smaller foreign built yachts on which the annual tax will range from \$75 to \$2,800, amounting in all to about \$225,000 annual revenue from this source.

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