STORY OF LETTER TO MRS. THAW

Husband Said to Have Found One from White

AND VOWED VENGEANCE

Much Room for Speculation On All Phases of the Case-Police Believe Thaw Stated Real Motive At Time of Arrest-Burr McIntosh, His Friend, Declares He Is Insanc.

(By the Associated Press.)

New York, June 27.-It is believed that the defense of Harry K. Thaw tin Monday evening. He declared Mrs. was decided upon today at a conference between former Judge Olcott, Frederick Delafield and Mrs. Harry K. Thaw. At the close of the conference Mr. Olcott declined to make any statement, but he As to Thaw's conduct after the dinner, let it be understood that there had been no change in the plan to put in a plea that Thaw was insane. Mr. Olcott said be had not seen the letters from White which Mrs. Thaw turned over to Mr. Delafield yesterday, but he knew their import and believed they would aid the

After this conference Mrs. Thaw went to the Tombs prison, where she had a talk with her husband.

Alienists appointed by the district atto Assistant District Attorney Nott today that so far as they are able to determine he is perfectly sane. The re-port was made with the reservation, however, that they still have his phy sical condition to take into consideration. Thaw would not submit to physical examination today.

New York, June 27 .- With the police coroners and district attorney's office working practically day and night to learn all the details of the events which led up to the murder of Stanford White by Harry K. Thaw, and all sources silent as to their discoveries, there was much room for speculation today on all phases of the case. The motive for the murder, the police believe, was outlined in Thaw's brief statement that his home had been ruined, and with this as a basis of investigation detectives were sent in various directions looking up Thaw's habits in New York and investigating the many stories told published concerning Sanford

White's conduct. prominent lawyers of New York and and Dr. W. W. Fry's residence across littsburg, is silent. Mrs. Thaw is with the street from the stable were burned friends today, ready to respond to a here this morning at 3 o'clock.

ment late last night was the announce-ment that Mrs. Thaw told her hus-and a lot of hay and feed stuff. band's lawyers yesterday that she had Stored in the second story of the stable received many letters from Mr. White was about \$1,000 worth of new housesince her marriage. One of these she hold furniture, which Mr. Graves had threw on her dressing table a few days just received for his handsome resiago, and her husband found it and dence which he is remodeling. All of vowed vengeance on the writer.

have been the direct cause of the trag- The contents of Dr. Fry's house were edy, Thaw's jealousy of and hatred for saved. White were of long standing, and the it is not known how the fire origi- the distinguished men who had been garded as the certain successor of out action. It is expected an effort very badly, and that no precaution

kill his supposed rival. White's Steps Were Dogged.

men were really dogging his footsteps time Mr. Graves has lost his stable and been made the hymn "America" was a mere accident that by fire since last November. The that reports of his movements were be- Graves and about \$1,000 to Fry. No tury, the York tune having been sung to virtue. ing prepared for somebody, he took insurance on the stable or horses, steps to have some detective work done on his own account, and to have his shadowers followed.

He employed a man to go after him wherever he went as far as possible, and then he amused himself by giving the slip to the first detective. The person he employed discovered that the other detective was reporting to Thaw. In this way Mr. White was able to obtain ample warning that the wealthy young man from Pittsburg suspected him and was preparing some unpleasant surprise. Mr. White took occasion to mention this matter to some of his liam Glass, a seventeen year old neassociates, and commented that one gro, was placed in jail here this sions the 270th commencement' exerreason, he assumed that Thaw was morning after an examination before cises were held at Harvard University engaged in public service," the pro-angry at him was because he was fat a magistrate on a warrant charging today. The recipients of degrees today hibition of transportation by com-

Various Stories.

There are many stories, too, of Thaw's first meeting with White, which the girl being at home with smaller is said to have taken place in Paris children alone when the crime was last spring after Thaw and Miss Nes- attempted. bit were married, and in the course of which Thaw threatened White.

Agnes Patmer, a chorus girl, is quoted in an interview today saying that
Mr. White had told her that he knew
They was the property for the control of the

Thaw was "gunning for him." Evidence of the motives that led to malicious and untrue.

the murder is not to come out for a time in any public proceeding, and there is a remote chance that it will ont come out at all, it is said today The coroner's inquest will be a formal inquiry into the cause of death. Evelyn Nesbit will not testify in the coroner's court, but will go before the grand jury, whose sittings are secret, An indictment will undoubtedly be returned, the plea of insanity will be put in, and an inquiry into the sanity of the prisoner will be the first proceeding. That may take a month, and the result is at present a matter of conjecture.

Many New Witnesses.

After a conference lasting from 11 o'clock last night until after 2 o'clock this morning in the tenderioin police station between Captain Hodgins and Assistant District Attorneys Garvin and Turnbull, Mr. Turnbull made the significant statement that they had located many new witnesses, "including many for the defense."

"Interesting developments," they said, would probably be disclosed. The police were busy early today endeavoring to verify a report that Thaw and White had met on Sunday night it Burns' restaurant in Sixth Avenue, and had talked alone together until nearly 4 o'clock Monday morning. Among the witnesses questioned vesterday by the police was the waiter who served the dinner to the Thaws at the Cafe Marthat Thaw did not meet White at the restaurant, and that White's entrance did not cause any particular excitement except that Mrz. Thaw was very pale, guilty. the waiter said:

"When I handed him his hat he literally jerked it out of my hand, and ir putting it on he crushed it down over his forehead and his eyes with a crashing sound which indicated that it had been broken by the violence of his

To Reach Thaw's Mother. Mrs. Thaw's relatives fear that reading a public notice of her son's crime might seriously affect her ,and they are anxious to send her a message before arrives in London. The position (Continued on Second Page.)

Horses Burned

Livery tSable of G. C. Graves Destroyed for Second Time Since Last \$,000-Dr. W. W. Fry's Residence | the house bill.

(Special to the Evening Times.) Carthage, N. C., June 27,-G. C. Thaw, advised by some of the most Graves' big livery stable establishment

call from the district attorney's office. The entire contents of the stable were Perhaps the most interesting develop- burned, including a lot of buggies, this was burned. Seven fine horses While the finding of this letter may worth about \$200 apiece were burned.

ran into the stable on the telephone or electric light wires, as a powerful Mr. White was astonished some rain and electrical storm occurred a months ago to find that detectives were short time previous to the fire. It is months ago to find that detectives were short this previous to the fire, it is following him wherever he went. At thought by some that the fire was of the first he had some doubt whether the indeedlary origin, as this is the second that in deference to a protest which the following him whether the control of the republican organism to the fire was of the first he had some doubt whether the first he had some doubt whether the first he had some doubt whether the first he had been made the hymn "America" the same faces appeared when he left present stable was on the site of the his office, his home or his club morn-ing, noon and night. When he had be-but was much larger and more comcome convinced beyond a possible doubt plete. The loss is about \$6,000 to ment program for more than a cen- tribute which hypocrisy always pays

NEGRO ACCUSED

(Special to The Evening Times.) "Greensboro, N. C., June 27 .- Wilwith a document drown by the attempt to criminally assault a thirriage. The nature of this is not known teen year old daughter of John Whittington, a prominent farmer living three miles out.

The girl's mother died last winter,

A negro woman was the principal witness against Glass, testifying to

The negro declares the charge is

DOCTOR UP FOR PENNSYLVANIA MANSLAUGHTER FOR BRYAN TOO

Methods on Patient

(By the Associated Press.)

London, June 27,-Dr. George Robert

slaughter in connection with the death

of Major John Nicholas Whyte of the

Lancashire Pusifiers. He pleaded not

The attorney general Sir J. Lawson

present. He said Dr. Adcock had been

self to the pursuit of Christian science,

dusting with a zine oxide powder. The

cock's possession when arrested.

HOUSE PASSES THE

Science practitioner.

Dr. Adcock has been erroneously de-

eribed as a Christian Science "healer"

(By the Associated Press.)

viding for the construction of a lock

type canal across the isthmus of Pan-

ama, Mr. Hepburn of Iowa, moving

COMMENCEMENT AT

(By the Associated Press.)

before. Both gatherings were

was substituted for the Luther hymn

York tune have been on the commence-

be based on sectarian grounds.

by the dean of each department.

(By the Associated Press.)

BONAPARTE AT

grees out of course.

served for the alumni.

Woolsey Hall,

New Haven, Conn., June 27 .- Com-

Washington, June 27.-The house to-

LCCK CANAL BILL.

general contended that the

was arraigned at the Old

court, many ladies being

today charged with man-

Adeolek,

Bailey

crowded

Roosevelt's Successor

DEATH WAS THE RESULT MONEY FOR CAMPAIGNS APPEAL

For the Murder of Major Whyte Favors Prohibition of Contribuof the Lancashire Fasiliers-Did tions By Corporations for Political Not Follow Regular Custom in Purposes, Also Rigid Regulation Treating Man With Severe Wounds of All Corporations Engaged in Public Service.

(By the Asso lated Preca)

(By the Associated Press.) Harrisburg, Pa., June 27,-The democratic state convention to cominate candidates for govenor, lientenant governor, auditor general and accretary of Walton, opened the case before a internal affairs resembled in the opera in practice many years, but in Feb. of Philadelphia was presented as temruary last he refired and devoted him- porary chairman.

Mr. Ryan said that "for a generation workers, As a medical man Dr. Adeoek must our citizens have permitted the conhave known that bed sores and an absaess, the neglect of which caused trot of their affairs to be vested in as corrupt a combination as ever cursed Major Whyte's death, needed antisepties, but all he prescribed was surface a free state. Utterly devoid of civic conscience, the meangers of the reevidence showed that Dr. Adcock was publican party have formed liffeit comcalled in by Major Whyte's friends binations with the rainsonds of the tioned that although he professed to moneys into private channels, and for personal gain used them to build although he was never a Christian burg and Chicago, and to finance pro- conjecture. jected railroads in the ilds of New Mexico."

> He said to "redeem Pennsylvania and preserve it for the people is our umbition. After the selection of standing com-

mittees the convention took a recess ay without debate passed the bill pro- until 2 o'clock.

Harrisburg, Pa., June 27 .- Fol-November-His Loss is About that the senate bill be substituted for lowing is the abstract of the platform adopted by the democratic state No further action by the senate is convention here today:

necessary, and as soon as the blit is The democratic party in Pennsylsigned by the presiding officers of the vania by its representatives in con-

senate and house it will go to the vention assembled, declares: "That public questions relating only to the future government and affecting solely the election of representatives in congress appropriately belong for determination to the YALE BEGAN TODAY voters of voters of the several congressional

"We congratulate the country upon the fact that the only prominence which the present republican national administration has attained mencement Day at Yale was given up has been achieved by a feeble and largely attended especially that at dency.

"We congratulate the people of The program of exercises followed Pennsylvania upon the pretended moral political doctrines. While the beginning "A Strong Fortress is Our sincerity of this eleventh hour re-York tune have been on the commence- pentance may well be doubted, it may at least be accepted as that

at the opening of the first college in "All the republican platform pro-New Haven in 1718. The change by fesses now has been consistently deomitting the Luther hymn is said to clared for and supported by the dem-The 718 candidates for degrees were ocracy of the state for many years. "We therefore repeat the declarapresented to the president and fellows tion of our aims and purposes, when the first round in 1 hour, 2 minutes. we again affirm that we stand as 15 seconds. When he passed the county, state and nation as against rate of 148 kilometres per hour. He HARVARD DAY. the federated tyranny of organized held the lead throughout the last cirgreed and corrupt political and commercial manipulators."

Cambridge, Mass., June 27.-Accom-The plaform urges improved elecpanied by all the pomp and ceremony tion laws; favors a "complete and characteristic of similar previous occarigid regulation of all corporations were 917 not including the honorary de- panies engaged in the mining of coal and other minerals, or the manufac-Only graduates of 25 and more years ture of any commodities "in the standing were admitted to the seats for transportation of which they are enthe exercises in Sanders Theatre, regageda as common carriers," de-Nearly all the classes held receptions nounces the giving of rebates, favors roe, which struck at Willoughby democrats opposed the treaty and the Nearly all the classes near receptions and the classes near receptions are the food laws "as democrats opposed the treaty and the democrats opposed the treaty and the democrats opposed the treaty and the committee were republicans of the committee were price, assistant district altricts. The election of members will insure the protection of public lives of summer cottagers thereto the board of overseers and the anto the board of overseers and the anheatlh, a'nd favors a "strict prohiabouts, Colonel Potts, commanding united for it. It was apparent, nual meeting of the Harvard alumni bition by civil and criminal enact- the Fort Monroe post, has written however, that it could not be brought will confinue to hold his job yet a nssociation were also held during the forenoon. Secretary of the Navy Charles J. Bonaparte was the presiding officer at the alumni association meet- mittees or individuals for political stances connected with the practice accepted and foregoing program which until September, when it will come

PREACHER SAILOR IS IN DISGRACE

U. S. Navy

Dr. Adcock of London Arraigned Platform of Keystone Democrats Mathew Fortner of South Carolina, Navy To Get Training as Basis for Entering Ministry, Says He Will Direct Misguided Young Men.

(Dy the Associated Press)

Norfolk, Va., June 27 .- Mathew Fortner, the preacher sailor from SHOT BRIDE TO BE South Carolina, was dishonorably discharged from the United States navy vesterday afternoon.

Former is the young man who, while telling of his ministerial calling presence of the assembled wedding their equipment in proper condition. to a recruiting officer, was advised to guests tast night at the home of his The largest number of violations athouse at noon today. Michael J. Hyan enlist in the mayy to study conditions intended bride Joseph Reinhardt, the which might aid him in his work man who was to have been married against the Atlantic Coast Line Rallwhen he entered the army of gospel to her, shot and instantly killed Miss road Company.

> did not find the navy suitable to a cause of the tragedy is not known. young man of his morals and he de-

He was arrested in a divinity college in South Carolina, where he was pursuing his studies for the ministry.

torney's office to examine into Harry of the Minneapolis on which she is a to treat the sares as a medical man, commonwealth and enabled them to Fortner at the time of his arrest for men were drowned in an oil tank here Incidentally the attorney general men- defy the mandate; of the constitution, desertion, and President Roosevelt, teday. They were overcome by fumes prostitute the ballet and debauch the at the instigation of several United and fell in. One man was rescued, and morphia were found in Dr. Ad- electorate; they have diverted public States senators and representatives in congress, agreed to look into the case Scott and Dennis Sullivan. and endeavor to help the young man. street rallways in Philadelphia, Pitts- disconorable discharge is a matter of NO ONE WAS TO BLAME Whether the president ordered his

FARMER KILLED

(tly the Associated Press.) Atlanta, Ga., June .27.—Specials from Roawell, Ga., say John A. Grimes ,a well-to-do farmer, aged 22, Tide Was Unusually Low When Kearshot and instantly killed Mrs. Eva McGinn, a young widow, at her home near Roswell today. Grimes turned the weapon on himself, but inflicted self up.

DOMINICAN TREATY

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, June 27.-The Santo to the formal exercises of presentation retended application of the princis by the senate at this session. The of the degrees in the forenoon at Wool- ples enunciated by the Hon. William by the senate at this session, the very Theodore Rosevelt to the presi- will be made in executive session to- appears to have been omitted. day to have a day fixed for a vote on the treaty early in December, Lupponents of the measure claim to have votes enough to defeat it and it is

FRENCHMAN WON THE GRAND PRIZE.

(By the Associated Press.) te Mans, France, June 21.
(France) today won the grand prize for the automobile contest over the Sarthe circuit. Le Mans, France, June 27,-Sisz

started at 5.55 a. m. today and did ever for the rule of the people in time keepers he was driving at the cuit, which he completed in 1 hour 7 minutes, 24 seconds. The total distance was 1,236 kilometres.

PRACTICE SHELLS ENDANGER LIFE.

(By the Associated Press.) sponse to the official complaint made next December and voted on not later brought to this city for burial. by A. P. Warrington against the fir-than December 20. An agreement to ing of practice shells from Fort Mon-this effect was reached today. The complained of, and advising that the met with no opposition.

cottagers at Willoughby need feel no

Wisconsin Convention.

(By the Associated Press.) Milwaukee, Wis., June 27.-The dem occatic state convention, called for the purpose of adopting a platform to be recommended to the candidates who will be nominated at the primary election this fall, met at the Adopted Christian Science Convention Regards Him as Dishonorably Dischargedfrom Theatre in this city today. There were about 700 delegates present.

FORTUNE TELLER'S FATAL CAST

(Special to the Evening Times.) Lexington, June 27.—It is report ed here that the death of a young lady in a prominent family of the county was the result of brooding over a prediction of a fortune teller the Young Man Who Enlisted In Lexington and had a palmist to recently. The young lady was in "read" her hand. He foretold that she would have a long spell of sickness, in short, that she would be sick all the rest of her life. Meningitia set in, which might be a result of an ever-active and irritated brain, and death followed.

AND HIMSELF.

(15) the Associated Press.) Comfort, Tex., June 27 .- In the

Erenstine Kutzer, and then shot him-Fortner did enlist, but he says he self with probably fatal results. The

THREE DROWN IN GREAT OIL TANK.

(By the Associated Press.) The dead were Eugene Rowley, Fred

A YOUNG WIDOW. For Frounding of Battleship at New York

sarge, Kentucky and Alabama Grounded and Collided in New York Harbor Last January-There Will Be No Court Martial Proceed-

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, June 27.-The decision of Secretary Bonaparte in the matter of the grounding and collision of the battleships Kearsarge Kentucky and Alabama in New York harbor January 7 last, has been pubis to the effect that no further proceedings than those of the court of inquiry are necessary, and that nobody is culpable.

the fide was unusually low at the showing being made that the army sey Hall and the alumni dinner at Jennings Bryan, the great demo- journel today until next session of time of the grounding; that under noon at which addresses by many of the distinguished men who had been cratic commoner, who is now recongress and the treaty was left with such conditions large ships steer

AGREEMENT ON PURE FOOD BILL.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, June 27 .- The pure food bill, which was in conference only two days, was agreed upon at 1.30 o'clock today, and the report is being drafted.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, June 27.-The treaty be ween the United States and the powers of Europe in relation to Morocco, the Algeeiras conference will be re-

Violations of Safety Appliance Law

EQUIPMENT IS UNSAFE

Mody Very Much in Earnest in Eu forcement-These Laws, Were Enacted for Purpose of Saving Life and Limb-Letter to Various United States Attorneys.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, June 27.-Attorney Genral Moody has directed that suits be brought against a large number of railroad companies to recover penalties for violation of the Safety Appliance law through failure to keep

tributed to any road is fifty-two Among the roads made defendants and the districts in which suits were brought are: Norfolk & Western Railway Company, northern district of West Virginia; Seaboard Air Line Railroad Company, southern

district of Florida. A statement issued by the department of justice today says:

"Attorney General Moody is very much in earnest in the enforcement of these laws which were enacted for the purpose of saving life and limb. In his letter to the various United States attorneys under date of December 30, 1904, he said:

"The government is determined pon a strict enforcement of these statutes, which were enacted for the promotion of the safety of the traveling public in general, as well as for the protection of railway employes. Therefore, any case of violation which is brought to your attention by the interstate commerce commission or its inspectors, or by other parties, must be promptly and carefully investigated, and suit for the statutory penalty be instituted and earnestly pressed, if in your judgment the facts

justify that course. " 'You are instructed accordingly: and you are expected to be vigilant and active in the matter."

JAMESTOWN APPROPRIATION REDUCED BY \$125,000,

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, June 27 .- The conference agreement on the senate amendment to the sundry civil bill lished by the navy department, and providing for government participation in the Jamestown Tercentennial Exposition, which was reached today. provides for an appropriation of \$1 .-325,000. The conferees eliminated Attention is called to the fact that \$100,000 for the transportation, the appropriation bill carries \$12,000,-000 for this expense, the necessary amount of which can be utilized in sending troops to the exposition. The original amount of \$375,000 for government buildings was reduced by \$25,000.

The prediction is made that the greement will be accepted by both louses of congress.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON EIGHT HOUR BILL.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, June 27.—Chairman Gardner of the house committee on labor today filed a favorable report on the eight hour bill. It is not expected that the measure will receive the consideration of the house this session. The report is in the main a re-print of he previous reports on the same bill, with the addition of the remarks of the late President McKinley as a member of the house in 1890 in favor of an eight hour bill then ending.

Death of An Infant.

(Special to the Evening Times.)
Washington, N. C., June 27.— John C. Rodman, Jr., the eleven months old son of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. which was negotiated as the result of Rodman of this city died Sunday afternoon at Ocracoke, N. C., where he ported to the senate at the first meet- had been taken, hoping to improve Norfolk, Va., June 27 .- In reging of the foreign relations committee his condition. The remains were

Price Won't Go Yet.

(Special to The Evening Times.) Salisbury, N. C., June 27,-A. H. the western North Carolina district, up again in some shape.