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Thaw Has the Cash to Fight for Freedom

Secreted \$120,000 That His Family Never Knew About Until Today

RELATIVES OF HARRY Will Fight Effort to Get Out of State Asylum for Criminal Insane

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, April 22.—With Mrs. William Thaw prostrated by the news that her son, Harry K. Thaw is moving to secure his release from Matteawan, the whole family of the slayer of Stanford White today is preparing to fight to prevent his liberation. This, despite the fact that it has become known that Thaw has in hand \$120,000 which he secreted after his first trial, and which he will start to spend for freedom, when he appears, as expected, in the Newburg court Saturday morning in response to a habeas corpus order obtained for him by James C. Graham, his newest attorney.

Startled as they were by the information that Harry had money with which to fight for liberty, all of his blood will fight his plan. Just where Evelyn Thaw stands is not clear. Dan O'Reilly, her attorney, declares she will, if asked, testify to her husband's sanity, but whether she will really speak in his favor is doubted, from the fact that his release would probably mean, on his part, a desperate legal battle to hold as his wife the woman for whom he slew White.

Thaw's mental condition, according to the physicians at Matteawan, is the same as it has been since his incarceration. Whether he is sane or not is one, so far, has gone on record to say, but that his mind still retains some cunning is now seen from the way in which he is shown to have for months concealed the fact that he secreted the funds with which to battle for his freedom against all family opposition.

HARD WORK TO FIGHT DUEL. But Count and Legislator Finally Get Their Innuings.

Vienna, April 22.—Count Sternburg and Herr Bergmann, a member of the Austrian parliament, had great difficulty in fighting a little duel, owing to the vigilance of the police; but they finally succeeded in crossing swords in a lamplighted room. Herr Bergmann was wounded.

The affair grew out of a quarrel during a session of parliament. Herr Bergmann referred to Count Sternburg as a worthless nobleman. The challenge was forthcoming immediately. The police discovered the intentions of the men and had them shadowed, as well as their seconds. Count Sternburg was the better swordsman. He was a valiant officer on the side of the Boers during the Transvaal war.

When they met the police hammered on the door for admittance. The duellists were reconciled and, supporting the man he had wounded, Count Sternburg and Bergmann walked past the police, arm in arm, thus avoiding arrest.

GOOD GROUND FOR DIVORCE. Professor's Wife Made Him Sweep, Dust, Wash Dishes.

Detroit, Mich., April 22.—William F. Hazleton, formerly professor of engineering at the University of Michigan, occupied the witness chair for the past two days describing the alleged cruelty of his wife. He is asking for divorce. Here are some of his charges: "She told her dearest friend that she never loved me. She wanted to make me her body servant—her errand boy. She insisted on saying a long prayer before meals when I was in a hurry to eat. She insisted on reading the Bible and wanted me to read it with her when I didn't want to. She had a sharp tongue and, when I would walk out of the house to escape, she would follow me and hit me on the head with her fist. She made me sweep, dust, and wash dishes."

ELON WILL SEE BIG CONVENTION

Christian Endeavorers Have Planned Rare Program for This Week's Gathering

(Special to The Evening Times.) Elon College, N. C., April 22.—Delegates have already begun to arrive for the state Christian Endeavor convention, which meets here tonight, regular meeting beginning at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. Of this convention, Mr. E. H. Stockton, of Winston-Salem, is the president, Mrs. H. A. Garrett, Greensboro, N. C., secretary, and Miss Mamie Bays, of Charlotte, N. C., treasurer.

Tomorrow's program will include a quiet hour service, led by Rev. P. H. Fleming, of Burlington, N. C., and address of welcome by Prof. W. P. Lawrence, dean of the Elon College faculty. A response on behalf of the organization, by Charles A. Hines, Esq., of Greensboro, reports from the state officers, reports from unions and societies, an address on "Young People and Missions," by Rev. George H. Detwiler, of Greensboro, an address of Christian Endeavor and Country Churches," by Mr. Richard A. Harris, of Baltimore, Md., an open parliament on "One Thing I Would Like to See Christian Endeavor Do," led by J. A. Hopkins, of Winston-Salem, an address "Christian Endeavor Watchwords," by Prof. Wm. R. Weaver, of Catawba College, and an address on "Heaven's Demand and Christian Endeavor's Supply," by Rev. Stephen S. Myrick, formerly head master of Oldham hall, Singapore strait settlement, Asia, now pastor of the Friends' meetings of Greensboro. Miss Hayes, president of Indiana State Junior Endeavor and secretary of the National Junior Endeavor, will be present and take the leading part in the second day's program for children Wednesday afternoon in a basket picnic on the campus.

From all appearances this promises to be the most successful and most practical of all the state conventions yet held in North Carolina.

BILL THAT SHOULD PASS. Holston Measure Would Lead to Provision For Worthy Dependents.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, D. C., April 22.—Representative Holston has introduced a bill for the appointment by the president of a commission to collect and compile all information possible regarding those killed or disabled while engaged in the industrial trades in the United States, the numbers dependent upon them, and all other matters pertaining to the rearing of their children, with the resources they have, and what provision has been made for them; also to make recommendation of legislation to prevent such accidents. The bill appropriates \$50,000 for the expenses of the investigation.

Tri-Paper Job For Grasty. London, April 22.—Frank A. Munsey, owner of the Washington Times, Baltimore News and Boston Journal, announces that Charles H. Grasty, from whom he bought the Baltimore News, will become general manager of the three papers on his return from abroad.

More Auto Smashups By Competitors for Friday's Big Contest

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, April 22.—Two race drivers and their two mechanicians were hurt and two of the racing cars entered for Friday's trophy contest over the Briarcliff course were badly damaged today during some daredevil practice spins at two of the bad turns of the tortuous Hudson valley roads.

CONDUCTOR HIT WHEN CAR'S SHOT

Strikebreaker Hoffman May Have Received Mortal Bullet On Duty Last Night

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Pensacola, Fla., April 22.—Conductor A. Hoffman, of Brooklyn, N. Y., a strikebreaker, was perhaps mortally wounded last evening by an unknown party of 25 men who fired on a Park line car. He was struck by three bullets, two hitting him in the neck, while the third entered his right arm, he was literally "shot up."

The car had reached the end of the line and was starting on its return trip to the city when the shooting took place. The motorman escaped unharmed. W. L. Wittick, Jr., a stenographer, was fired upon by unknown persons as he was going from his home to the carline to board a car. He was not injured.

It is believed the shooting was precipitated by the refusal of the Pensacola Electric company to arbitrate or treat with the strikers in any way. The cars and other property were heavily guarded all yesterday afternoon and last night.

Judge Sheppard, of the federal court, last night issued an injunction restraining the members of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees and all the sympathizers from in any way interfering with the operation of cars by either violence or persuasion.

BAD TOM KRIDER GETS OLD BILL

Confederate Note for \$20 One of Things He Swiped From Brown's

(Special to The Evening Times.) Statesville, N. C., April 22.—Deputy Sheriff Deaton, of Mooreville, brought to Statesville yesterday and lodged in jail a negro named Tom Krider, who will answer a charge of house-breaking at the next term of superior court. While the family of D. M. Brown, of Mooreville, was at church Sunday morning the negro entered and ransacked the house, taking therefrom a razor, a gold watch chain, a small amount of money and other articles.

When it became known that the house had been robbed, parties who saw Krider leave the premises reported the case to Mr. Deaton, and when the latter arrested Krider the negro admitted his guilt and told the officer where he could find the goods, which had been hidden in a barn.

Among the articles taken was an old pocketbook containing a \$20 Confederate bill. The negro thought this bill was the genuine article and had taken special pains in hiding it.

Republican Club Friday Night. The Young Men's Republican club of Raleigh, at a mass meeting last Friday night, appointed a special committee of three to wait upon Postmaster W. G. Briggs and invite him to address the club on the political issues Friday night at 8 o'clock. All the members of the club are expected to attend and hear the postmaster.

chancians were flung out into the road at the turn leading to the bridge at Amonk, a few miles south of where Robertson met his spill. The Kingston car was badly smashed. Campbell had his head and face badly cut and his mechanic was severely bruised.

DIVORCE ACTION TO WAIT AWHILE

Effort Being Made By Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt to Smooth Alfred and Elsie

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, April 22.—Awaiting the result of mediation by Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Sr., all moves in the divorce suit of the former Elsie Vanderbilt against her multi-millionaire husband, Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt, have been halted.

While Mr. Vanderbilt, who is in London, is considering the proposition made through his mother, the latter here has delayed her departure for Europe, and even the divorce referees and the legal talent appearing for each side have ceased in their efforts to reach a conclusion in the action which for a time so much haste was displayed.

A communication is expected tomorrow from a member of the law firm of Anderson & Anderson, personal attorneys for Mr. Vanderbilt, who, it is reported, left for Liverpool on a steamer. It is believed he carried a new proposition to Mr. Vanderbilt that was agreed upon at an interview held that was the third time the mother had entertained the young matron in her home since the divorce proceedings started.

From Newport came reports that Mrs. Vanderbilt had given notice that she would retain all the household servants of Oakland Farm, the country place she left hurriedly last month just before the divorce proceedings started.

LOUISIANA ELECTION SCORE. Amounts to Nothing, Whole Democratic Ticket Going In.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New Orleans, La., April 22.—The elections in the city and state yesterday were a very tame affair, Hon. J. Sanders for governor and the entire democratic state ticket being elected in both city and country by sweeping majorities. Acadia and St. Landry parishes voted prohibition by large majorities.

It was very doubtful last night whether Henry N. Pharr, republican candidate for governor, and his ticket and polled 10 per cent of the total vote in the city of New Orleans the republicans fell way under the 10 per cent.

ATTEMPT TO ROB SAFE FELL FLAT

Explosion Fails to Work at Rural Hall's Little Post-office

(Special to The Evening Times.) Winston-Salem, N. C., April 22.—The postoffice at Rural Hall, 12 miles north of this city, was broken into last night and an attempt made to rob the safe, but the explosives used failed to open it and the robbers departed without getting a cent.

Two strangers were seen in the town last night. No arrests have been made and there is no clue to guilty parties.

GROVER CLEVELAND NOT WELL. Deemed Inadvisable to Move Him From Lakewood to Princeton.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, April 22.—Although the Lakewood hotel is officially closed for the season, Grover Cleveland still lingers as a guest, his condition being such that it is not deemed advisable to move him.

GREAT TIMES AT THIS CARNIVAL

Lions Bite Performer and Onlooker—Rough Fellows But in, Too

(Special to The Times.) Greensboro, April 22.—Madam La Mont, wife of the keeper of the Lions Athletic club, performing at the Coney Island carnival, was bitten by one of the lions while in the cage with it last night. The wound was very painful, but she finished the performance, after which a physician dressed her arm. He says the bite is quite serious, but not dangerous.

During the afternoon a man irritated one of these animals by tickling it with a stick. He did not heed the warning growl and soon had his hand badly lacerated by the lion's claws. He required the attention of a physician to dress his hand.

The carnival is for the benefit of the fire department. It occupies the space of Gaston and Greene streets and adjoining vacant property to the south and west of city hall.

"There's a man killed around there," was the almost breathless remark of a man who hastened to Chief Neely after a man named Charles Smith had knuckled down John Browning. A warrant has been issued for Smith.

WATERS RISING AGAIN IN TEXAS

Colorado Jumps Twelve Feet at Austin—Four Deaths So far From Flood

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Austin, Tex., April 22.—The Colorado is on a 12-foot rise at Austin and is still rising rapidly. The crest of the flood will not reach here until some time Thursday. According to reports at Bluffton, 150 miles from here, the river is on a 53-foot rise.

To this will be added the floodways of the San Daba and Llagu rivers. The valley between Winchell and Bluffton, a distance of 100 miles, is under water and crops and much other property have been destroyed.

The river at Austin is still within its banks, but the expected additional rise of 2 feet will place it over all the bottom land between here and the Gulf.

Four more deaths have been reported as the result of the floods and storms. J. E. Alsworth was drowned in Concho river while on a campaign for the democratic nomination for district attorney for San Angelo district. Harry Norris, 17, was drowned in White Rock creek, at Dallas. Dr. Wallace Rouse, of the faculty of the state medical college at Galveston, was killed by lightning.

Great Hunt for Dead Man in Iredell County Turns Out Huge Joke

(Special to The Evening Times.) Statesville, N. C., April 22.—Jim Winchester, colored, realized yesterday as never before that his wife and friends are much concerned about his welfare. Jim left Statesville Saturday evening with a small amount of money, and started to a friend that he was going to a point west of town to buy liquor, and he was last seen by his friends at a point near the state farm. When he failed to show up at his home, near town, Sunday night, his wife and friends were much distressed through fear that he had gotten drunk and died in the woods. The officers were notified and asked to give their assistance in the search for the missing Jim.

Yesterday morning it was learned that a blind tiger had been doing busi-

Sir Henry Campbell Dead in London Home

MUCH FUN DOING IN PACIFIC RING

And More Blows Come From Corners Than From Combatants in Center

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Los Angeles, Cal., April 22.—"Fighting Tom" McHenry, manager of the Pacific Athletic club, provided a feature of his fight program last night which was undeniably enough to satisfy the most exacting Jack Farley, Fighting Bob's Atlantic Coast. After McHenry and Jimmy Austin, the first prizefighters to the P.A.C. program, had fought, the next on the program was a battle royal. The afternoon papers had predicted to say of this particular affair, but the ones in the know were not sorry they were wrong.

Five pairs of lightweight gloves were tossed to the center of the ring and a few minutes later as many more of them, dressed in their best attire but, nevertheless, husky fellows, followed the gloves.

After instructions before Tommy Walsh, a man was placed in each corner, with the fifth at the side of the ring, each with his back to the center. When the gong sounded, each bunch of about twenty and struck out wildly at the first object in sight. But there was an odd man at all times, and it was he who did the real fighting. Less than a minute's fighting he had brought up behind one of the two corners and hooped him with a well aimed blow back of the ear, until three were down and rolled out of the ring. Not a blow landed, except as it was delivered from the rear by this odd fighter, whoever he happened to be. The winner was the man who remained on his feet longest and turned up in a suffraganous husky who took all the honor.

The Flynn-Johnson bout was the hottest seen here in many months. Each man fought desperately and was scarcely over more than a foot or two apart. Flynn whipped his man, although the gong saved Flynn from a knockout in the eighth. Johnson greatly outwitted the Colorado fighter and also outboxed him, but many of his blows were short and wild, he seeming to be unable to judge distance.

MERRELL ATTACKS CARNEGIE

Says Wisconsin Should Not Accept School Pension From Library

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Milwaukee, Wis., April 22.—Wisconsin will not accept to Carnegie foundation fund for teachers if the wishes of George F. Merrell, regent of the university for the eleventh district, prevail. He says that from the title he has had with other members of the board he will be supported in his refusal to accept from the foundation what seems to him to be charity.

"Wisconsin should pay for its education, if they are worth pensions," he said, "and the fact that there have been several bills in the legislature to provide such pensions shows that public feeling is sufficiently aroused. Wisconsin is too great a state to accept the bounty of Carnegie, and I believe I can see the sentiment of the board when I say the state will never accept such a gift."

FINANCES OF THE PENNSY. Lake Schulz's House Will Float Big Issue of Bonds.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, April 22.—The Pennsylvania Railroad company has plans practically completed for the sale of its new securities. The sale will be made to Kuhn, Loeb & company or to a syndicate headed by that house. All the bankers would say that such a transaction would be completed on terms exceptionally favorable to the company.

It was generally agreed among bankers that the securities soon to be sold could be bonds, the condition of the securities market now being favorable to such an offering. Most of the reports put the amount of the forthcoming issue at \$40,000,000, a deduction, perhaps, from the fact that the company has in its treasury \$40,000,000 of the \$50,000,000 bonds authorized by the stockholders at the last annual meeting.

Fall of a Grandstand. (Special to The Times.) Greensboro, April 22.—The grandstand erected on the campus of the Greensboro Female college collapsed yesterday afternoon during a contest between a basketball team composed of young women from that college, and a similar team from the young women of Salem academy. There were about 150 people on the stand at the time and quite a number were hurt. Dr. Meadows, who examined those who were hurt, found no one seriously injured. The escape of the occupants was almost miraculous.

End Comes Quietly to Former British Premier Early This Morning

LIFE HAD BEEN ACTIVE

Champion of Liberals, He Received Largest Majority of Modern Times

(By Cable to The Times.) London, April 22.—Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, ex-prime minister of Great Britain, died at his home, No. 2, Belgrave square, S. W., this morning.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, because of his exalted position in the affairs of the government of Great Britain has been so prominent in the political life of the world that his most recent work and his accomplishments during the closing years of his career, need not be detailed. He was a busy life and, coupled with the activity was a strength of purpose and of personality that kept him constantly in the saddle eye.

Sir Henry was prime minister and first lord of the treasury since 1905. He was born in 1836, the young son of the late Sir James Campbell, of Stracathro, Forfarshire. He subsequently assumed the additional name of Bannerman under the will of his maternal uncle, the late Henry Bannerman, of Hutton court, Kent, who left his nephew a great fortune.

The future premier was educated at Glasgow university and at Trinity College, Cambridge, and almost immediately entered upon his political career. He served as financial secretary to the war office from 1871 to 1874 and from 1880 to 1882; was secretary to the admiralty from 1882 to 1884; was chief secretary for Ireland from 1884 to 1885, and secretary of state for war in 1886 and from 1887 to 1888.

When Sir William Vernon Harcourt dropped the reins of liberal leadership in the house of commons in the late nineties, Sir Henry took them up and during the dark days of the Boer war gained widespread admiration, even outside liberal ranks, by the sturdy manner in which he upheld the fundamental principles of liberalism in the face of a conservative party, inflamed by the passions of war.

When the Hon. Arthur J. Balfour resigned the premiership in 1905, Sir Henry was the logical and popular candidate to succeed him, and he was called by the king to assume the premiership. A few months later Sir Henry applied to the country and the liberal party and was returned by the largest majority of modern times.

Sir Henry married in 1860 the daughter of the late Gen. Sir Charles Bryce, K. C. B., and was left a widower last year. His London home was at 29 Belgrave square, S. W. In Scotland he had at Belmont Castle, Wigtown. His sons were the Asthennam, Brooks, Heron, Oxford and Cambridge.

After much searching and weeping, and when all were about ready to have Jim's funeral preached, the dead man made his appearance.