

THAW DENIES ALL DESIRE FOR WRIT

Point to Be Made Habeas Corpus Action Is Not "in Behalf" of Prisoner.

JEROME GOES TO QUEBEC

Determination to Call on Dominion Officials Rumored—Thaw Releases Captors From Liability for Damages.

SHERBROOKE, Aug. 31.—Harry K. Thaw's lawyers, swept off their feet by the sudden move of William Travers Jerome in obtaining through John Boudreau, the Coaticook Chief of Police, a writ of habeas corpus requiring that Thaw be produced in the Superior Court here Tuesday, spent the day in conference and gave renewed expression tonight of their belief that the writ would not be sustained. Thaw spent the day in his cell writing letters and dictating to his stenographer.

Boudreau Denies Ignorance.

Boudreau denied, however, that he had signed the application without knowing what he was doing. Friends might criticize his act, he added, but he had acted with his eyes open. Thaw's lawyers denied they were trying to coerce Boudreau into asking for discontinuance of the writ.

Mr. Jerome and his assistant, Deputy Attorney-General Franklin Kennedy, were out of town today. They left here Saturday night for Quebec. There were reports that they had decided to go on to Ottawa to see Dominion officials, but this could not be confirmed here.

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Should Tuesday's court battle go against New York in its fight to return Thaw to Matteawan, two possible lines of action will be open. One would be to have the writ committed to which Thaw is held nolle prosequi by the Minister of Justice; the other would be to renew efforts looking to its withdrawal by Alexander Dupuis, the Coaticook Justice of the Peace who drew it up. Justice Dupuis Pressed Hard. Dupuis has remained obdurate so far, although he says the immigration authorities, who are as desirous as are those from New York to get hold of the prisoner, have been pressing him hard. Embassies from the Thaw family have likewise visited the justice.

NOTORIOUS INDIAN CAUGHT

Billy Jim Desperately Resists Officers of Goldendale.

GOLDFENDALE, Wash., Aug. 31.—(Special).—Billy Jim, a notorious Indian and alleged horse thief, who made a sensational escape from the Sheriff on August 14, while the officer was bringing him back to the jail in Goldendale from the office of the Justice of the Peace, was captured again yesterday by Sheriff Smith and ex-Sheriff Warner, now a special deputy. About 50 Indians gathered around the officers while they were grappling with the resist and some of them made hostile demonstrations but were kept from interfering by threats to shoot.

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TRAIN CRUSHES LABORER

Employe of Logging Company Falls From Car at Silverton.

SILVERTON, Or., Aug. 31.—(Special).—Barford Numer, a laborer, was instantly killed Sunday when he fell from a flat car in front of the engine. Numer was an employe of the Silver Falls Timber Company, which had started to move camp. The men were riding upon flat cars in front of the engine. Numer was sitting upon a small empty box near the corner of the car and on rounding a sharp curve lost his balance and fell. Numer was 25 years old and unmarried.

At a recent election in Sweden the fact was revealed that only 2.6 per cent of the women voters were disqualified for failure to pay taxes, as compared with 24.6 per cent of the men.

CLOCK WILL CHECK EFFICIENCY AND SKILL OF CITY WORKMEN.



Commencing tomorrow morning, clock watching in the city service is to have a new significance. Instead of being used to tell the hour and minute to quit work, it is to be used to gauge efficiency, thrift and skill of workmen. A new time clock, fitted with special efficiency apparatus, has been installed in the municipal shops, and similar clocks are to be installed in other divisions of the city government to check employes. Under the plan in the shops employes will, by means of a card system, punch the time of commencing a certain piece of work and the time of completion. It will be possible to tell just how good the workman is by the speed and quality of work. The clock will be used also in preventing jerrybuilding in city automobiles. Each city car will be in preventing jerrybuilding in city automobiles. Each city car will be in preventing jerrybuilding in city automobiles. Each city car will be in preventing jerrybuilding in city automobiles.

STYLE'S HOPES HIT

St. Mary's Graduates Told to Dig Up Old Duds.

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VATICAN ORDERS MODESTY

Personal Representative of Pius X Says Women Should Be Neat and Stylish Without Adopting Silly Ideas of Fashion.

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REPORT IS DUE TUESDAY

ATTORNEY-GENERAL IS HOME FROM BANDON PROBE.

While Declining to Declare Himself, Belief Is He Will Not Recommend Any Prosecutions.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 31.—(Special).—While declining to declare himself, it is hardly probable that Attorney-General Crawford, who made an investigation at the instance of Governor West of the alleged deportation from Bandon of Dr. Bailey K. Leach, Socialist editor, will recommend the prosecution of any residents of the city. He is not convinced that Dr. Leach was deported.

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BOAK VISITS WOODMEN

HEAD CONSUL GUEST OF HONOR OF PORTLAND CAMPS.

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LISTER EN ROUTE HOME

Meeting of Governors at Eureka Believed of Value.

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ALASKA RAILROAD ONLY BEGINNING

Secretary Lane Talks of National System for Development of Territory.

CANAL WORKMEN VALUABLE

Equipment, However, Regarded as Unsuitable in Most Part for Use in North-Government Can Stand Added Cost.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—(Special).—Secretary of the Interior Lane arrived today from the North and was met by Mayor Rolph and a representative committee. After a reception in the nave of the Ferry building Mr. Lane went to Berkeley to pass the rest of the day at his brother's home, where Mr. Lane had been waiting for him.

National railroads for Alaska, to be urged on Congress next year by the Department of the Interior, a policy of protection for the consumer and restraint on speculation in the granting of power permits on the National streams, the prospects for the Hotchkin water supply, the needs of the Reclamation Service for \$70,000,000 to add to the \$80,000,000 now being spent in the arid lands of the West, a plan to eliminate the "blanket Indian" by making the aborigine a self-supporting citizen; these are some of the things Secretary Lane talked of as he crossed the bay.

"Alaska ought to be opened up," declared the Secretary. "A National railroad ought to be built as beginning on a general system of National railroad in the territory. Next year I am going to urge on Congress that it make such a beginning.

"We have demonstrated pretty thoroughly now that the Government is capable of undertaking such projects. While it is unlikely that much of the equipment on the canal could be used in such work, as it has been planned by the engineers to last only to the completion of the waterway, at the same time the engineers on that work have developed in it a vast capacity, which the Government can use.

"Uncle Sam has become a pretty expert workman. The other day I rode on a National railroad 18 miles long and with four steel bridges, a full-sized, broad-gauge road, built by the Boise reclamation project, in Idaho. "It will cost the Government more to build those railroads than they could be constructed for by private concerns, but we can stand this.

"The interest of the consumer is to be the controlling factor in the future granting of permits for hydro-electric plants on National streams. Permits to power companies to develop electricity for commercial purposes on streams in forest reserves are going to be granted by the Department of the Interior on a scale of rates which will secure the lowest prices to the consumer."

At an Australian wood called yate is said to be the strongest known and is imported for automobile construction.

CAMINETTI JUROR HURT

Bruised Foot Suffered in Auto Accident Near San Jose.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—(Special).—William C. Caminetti, one of the Caminetti jurors, suffered a badly bruised foot last night in an automobile accident near San Jose and it was reported that the trial of the case would have to be postponed, but today it was said Adams would be able to attend court Tuesday, when the trial will be resumed.

Prosecutor Roche and Archie Johnson, son of California's Governor, who is helping Government lawyers, visited Sacramento last night to get evidence in regard to Caminetti's alleged escapades with young girls. This was brought out by counsel for the defense when questioning a probation officer, and it is probable the fact that Caminetti was warned by probation officers will be put in evidence against him.

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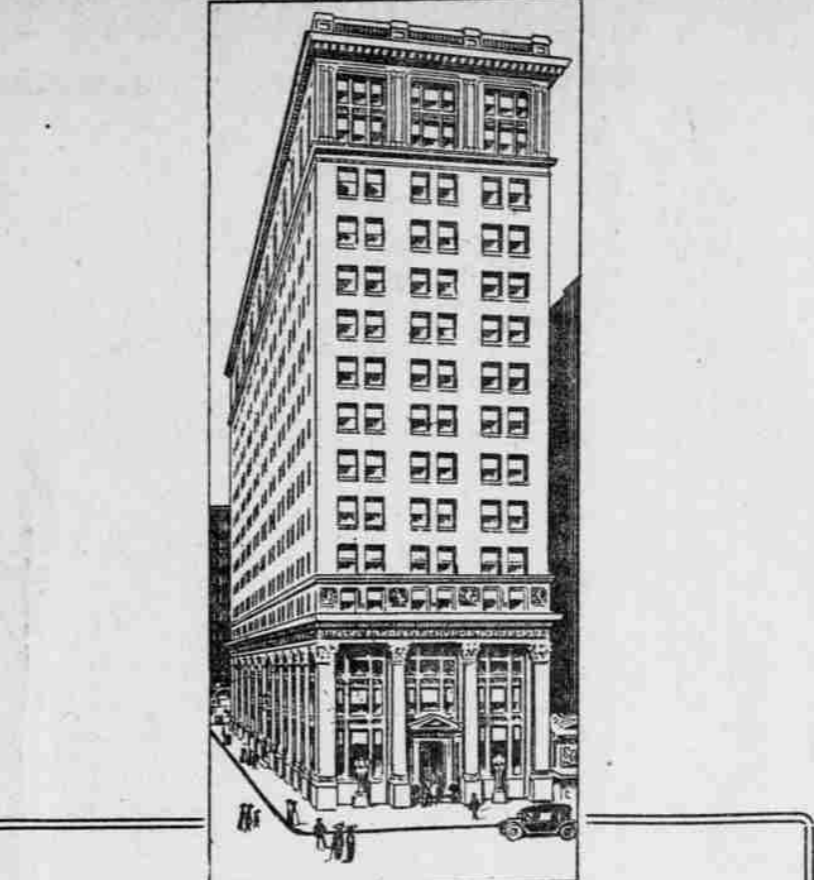
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