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THAW'S DASH FOR FREEDOM BRINGS HIM ACROSS LINE

Arrives at Pittsfield, Mass., and After Staying All Night at Hotel, He Eludes the Police and Makes a Fresh Escape—Authorities Everywhere Have Been Notified to Be on Watch For Him.

EXTRADITION AWAITS IF HE IS CAUGHT

Believed That Thaw Will Make His Whereabouts Known Soon As It Is Evident He Has Been Assured He Is Safe Outside of New York—His Dash for Liberty Was Well Timed—Was Being Held at Matteawan As Insane Patient and Not As a Murderer.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—A search for Harry Thaw, killer of Stanford White, the husband of Evelyn Thaw, and a convicted maniac, is on today throughout the whole northern part of New York and in Massachusetts and Connecticut. Since he fled through the open gate at Matteawan yesterday morning and sprang into a waiting automobile and escaped in a whirl of dust toward the Connecticut line, a hundred reports have been received from various quarters where Thaw passed. Apparently the best founded is that Thaw, and those who aided him, passed the night at the Hotel Lenox in Pittsfield, Mass., and left at daylight. He is supposed to be speeding through the Berkshire hills toward Boston. It is generally admitted that if he has left the state he cannot be extradited. Efforts doubtless will be made should Thaw be captured before he leaves the country to secure his arrest and detention as a dangerous person.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Aug. 18.—Harry Thaw, who escaped Sunday from Matteawan, eluded the police this morning after staying all night at the Lenox Hotel. He escaped in an automobile at daylight, the police say, after being positively identified. The police are in pursuit.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Broadcast telegraphic requests to arrest Thaw have not been rescinded, but the consensus of opinion is that Thaw will be extraditable now that he has fled the state. It is believed that Thaw will soon reveal his whereabouts inasmuch as it is evident he has been advised he is safe outside of New York.

Thaw was acquitted of the murder of Stanford White on the ground of insanity. There is no criminal charge against him. He was held at Matteawan not as a murderer but as an insane person.

It is admitted Thaw chose an ideal time for escape. Even in the event an attempt is made to extradite him the twin governorship situation here will greatly complicate the efforts.

Believing that Thaw's escape was connived at, Superintendent Kelly, of Matteawan, and Deputy District Attorney Mack, had every attendant of the institution on the grill. If Thaw was aided from the inside they expect to force a speedy confession.

A search of Thaw's room at the asylum revealed numerous maps of New England roads and routes. Commenting on the case, New York newspapers unanimously charge the rich murderer is safe outside this state. Several ask who Thaw will kill next? His wife is under heavy guard and admits her terror.

MATTEAWAN, N. Y., Aug. 18.—Harry K. Thaw, the slayer of Stanford White, escaped from the hospital for the criminal insane here at 7:45 o'clock yesterday morning. A dart for liberty through an open gate, a dash into the open air of a powerful automobile that stood quivering outside, and a flight like a rocket for the Connecticut state line, 30 miles away, accomplished his escape.

Last night he was still at large and the hospital authorities felt certain he was outside the state. Once beyond its boundaries, Thaw is free. Only long, perhaps years, of litigation can bring him back, and then only in one event—that he be adjudged insane in the state to which he has fled.

Five Confederates Aid Thaw. Five confederates manned the car in which Thaw escaped and a big black limousine which trailed it past

DEPUTY SHERIFF STRAND PREVENTS JAIL BREAK; FOURTH ATTEMPT NEARLY SUCCESS

All the Prisoners at County Jail are Now Locked in Their Cages—Small Saws Used to Cut Through Two Bars—Men Had Been Working Good Many Days is Belief.

But for the vigilant eye of Deputy Sheriff George Strand a wholesale jail break would undoubtedly have occurred last week at the county jail. As it was the prisoners were frustrated for the fourth time within a few weeks, and, to avoid any repetition of the attempts, they are all now being kept locked in the cages.

By using a couple of small saws made of steel springs taken from the soles of their shoes, the prisoners had succeeded in sawing through two bars and with but a few minutes more to work would have had a hole large enough for a man's body to pass through. It is probable that the men have been working at the job for a good many days during the short time each noon when they are permitted out of their cages to eat their dinner.

The officers feel certain that Julia Walker, sometimes called "Red Wings," assisted the men in sawing through the bars. While the men are locked in the corridors, she is permitted out in the passage ways where the windows are and consequently had time and opportunity to assist the men. Her brother-in-law, S. W. Jordan who is implicated with her in an alleged horse theft, is the leader of the would be jail breakers and has made the boast that he would never get to Salem.

There are five or six ex-convicts in the jail and they are causing Sheriff Taylor and his force plenty of trouble. However, with the grand jury meeting tomorrow and court the following week, the prospects are good for a transfer of some of the inmates to the penitentiary.

FORMER LOCAL GIRL INJURED; MAY DIE

PORTLAND, Aug. 18.—At 12:30 today Ethel Boothby was still unconscious. A consultation of physicians is being held this afternoon to ascertain how badly she is injured but hopes of her recovery are admittedly slim.

Miss Ethel Boothby, youngest daughter of William Boothby of this city and a former resident of Pendleton herself, is lying in a Portland hospital with a fractured skull as the result of an automobile collision in Portland yesterday, according to advices received here. The injury may prove fatal. The following dispatch tells of the accident:

PORTLAND, ORE., Aug. 18.—In a collision at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at East Seventh and Mason streets, Miss Ethel Boothby, a clerk employed by the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, sustained a fracture of the skull, possibly fatal; five other persons were more or less cut, bruised and shaken up, and two automobiles were reduced to junk. The injured girl is at St. Vincent's hospital, where she remained unconscious last night. No predictions were made as to the outcome of her case.

Paul Schiewe, a carpenter finisher, and Roy Griffith, son of a contractor, were driving the automobiles. Both assert they were proceeding at a reasonable speed. Schiewe was going east on Mason street and Griffith north on East Seventh street when the collision occurred. Schiewe's car struck the other astern, throwing it forward and to the right, and then made a complete half turn and toppled over on the curb just around the corner from

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8 REPORTED LOST WHEN STEAMER SINKS

SEATTLE, Aug. 18.—Beyond admitting the receipt of a message notifying them of the loss of the steamer State of California in the waters of southeastern Alaska, the Pacific Coast Steamship company says it has no information of where and how the accident occurred or whether there has been a loss of life. The State of California sailed from Seattle August 13 for Skagway and Sitka. Besides the crew the vessel carried 44 passengers, mostly tourists making the round trip. Eight are reported to have been lost.

ATTORNEY GENERAL WILL PROBE BANDON AFFAIR

SALEM, Aug. 18.—Attorney General Crawford is en route to Bandon to investigate the deportation of Dr. Leach and will report the result of his investigation to the Coos county courts, with suggestions regarding the proposed prosecutions of those responsible for the deportation.

Photo-Engravers in Session. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 18.—Lowering of initiation fees and dues and election of officers was the principal business before the annual convention of the International Photo-Engravers' Union of North America, which convened here today. The sessions will continue through Saturday.

Ritchie-Welsh Bout Off

SEATTLE, Aug. 18.—Chet McIntyre, promoting the Ritchie-Welsh bout, which has been called off, owing to an injury to Welch's hand, wired his terms to Frenchie Vaise, lightweight champion of Canada, for a bout with Ritchie labor day. Before the day is over Vaise either will accept or refuse the offer. The terms appeared agreeable to Vaise. He is now confined to his home with grippe, but his physician declares he will be able to get in condition in time to meet Ritchie.

PLANS MADE TO ENTERTAIN SEC. LANE TUESDAY

Arrives in Pendleton at 4 O'clock Tomorrow Afternoon—Will Be Received by Committee at Station.

WILL SEE RESERVATION

Banquet Will Be Held in the Evening and a Public Reception Will Follow—Special Committee Has Arrangements in Hand—Secretary Visits Deschutes Today.

SYNOPSIS OF PLANS FOR RECEIVING LANE

Arrive in Pendleton at 4 p. m. tomorrow. Will be received by committee in autos. Party to be taken on trip to reservation and wheat lands. Banquet in Hotel St. George at 7 p. m. Reception for public at Commercial club after banquet. Adjoin to Cozy theater after reception to see Round-up pictures. Secretary leaves Pendleton at 1:50 a. m.

Following an all day inspection of the Umatilla project and the proposed west extension, Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane and party will arrive in Pendleton tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. This was the word definitely received over the wire this morning from Portland and upon its receipt, the plans for the entertainment of the distinguished official were immediately made by the special committee of which Col. J. H. Raley is chairman.

The plans of the committee are as follows: The secretary and his party will be met at the depot by a committee and they will at once be taken in autos for a tour of the Umatilla reservation and the big wheat lands. At 7 o'clock a banquet will be tendered him in the grill of the Hotel St. George and after the banquet an informal reception for the public will be held at the rooms of the Pendleton Commercial association. At the conclusion of the reception, Secretary Lane and his party will be escorted to the Cozy theater where the 1912 Round-up moving pictures will be exhibited for them.

To prepare for the reception and entertainment of the party tomorrow, Colonel Raley appointed the following committees: On banquet, Leon Cohen, R. Alexander, George Robbins; on entertainment, Will Moore, Roy

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TO START IN VASS TOMORROW

Men will start out tomorrow morning to canvass the city to secure a list of all of the beds and cots available for the use of guests during the Round-up. Director Tatom will have the work in charge but will have a number of assistants. Accommodation headquarters will be opened in the board of trade room tomorrow and will remain there until Sept. 1. The committee will list the accommodations at the following prices: double beds \$2.00, single beds, \$1.50, cots \$1.00.

CANNON WILL ONCE MORE BE CANDIDATE

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—Each of the present republican representatives to congress—Madden, Mann, Britton, Copley and McKenzie—will be a candidate for re-election next year and each one of the old republican contingent defeated last November, expects to try for vindication in November, 1914. This list is headed by ex-Speaker Cannon in the Danville district; William M. McKinley, manager of the Taft campaign, in the Champaign district; John A. Sterling, Bloomington; George W. Price, Galesburg; Charles E. Fuller, Belvidere; George E. Foss, Evanston; William A. Rodenberg, East St. Louis; William M. Wilson, Englewood, and some one representing the political organization of Napoleon B. Thistlewood of Cairo. James McKinney, who was not a candidate for re-election in the Rock Island district, is likely to be a candidate for the republican nomination next September.

STRICT GUARD WILL BE KEPT ON BORDER

NOGALES, Ariz., Aug. 18.—Orders were issued by the state department at Washington that a strict guard must be maintained on the Mexican border to prevent further exportation of arms and ammunition in violation of the neutrality laws. It is reported the department was informed of large shipments of contraband supplies across the line recently.

SINNOTT'S BILL IF PASSED WILL GIVE CITY \$130,000 FOR BUILDING

Judge Stephen A. Lowell has been in communication with Congressman Sinnott in the matter of hastening the construction of the Pendleton federal building, and suggested a conference with the supervising architect relative to adapting the plans of the new La Grande federal building to the needs of this city. The La Grande structure cost \$65,000, and there is now available \$62,000 from the Pendleton appropriation.

Mr. Sinnott has gone into the matter with the Washington officials, who are of the opinion that the increased cost of materials since 1911 make it now impossible to reproduce the La Grande building here for less than \$80,000. The letter to Mr. Sinnott from the assistant secretary of the treasury estimates that building material and labor have increased 25 per cent since the La Grande building was erected, or the contracts let.

Therefore upon the advice of the Washington officials, Mr. Sinnott has introduced the following bill which

DIGGS MAY TRY TO PUT BLAME ON OTHER MEN

As Witness Tomorrow, it is Believed He Will Endeavor to Shift Some of the Responsibility.

MRS. DIGGS TO TESTIFY

Caminetti Also and His Wife May Be Among Witnesses at Resumption of the Trial—Diggs Will Contend Girls Were Not Taken Away for Immoral Purposes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—Diggs will be the first witness at the resumption of the trial tomorrow. That he is prepared to tell everything, if pressed hard, and may attempt to shift some of the responsibility in the downfall of the Warrington girl to prominent Sacramentians is the report in circulation. Whether Judge Van Fleet will allow this is questioned. Diggs' story, it is understood, will tend to show the young men did not take the girls to Reno for immoral purposes, but were driven to leave by threats of exposure. Diggs will be followed by his wife, Mrs. Caminetti and possibly Caminetti himself.

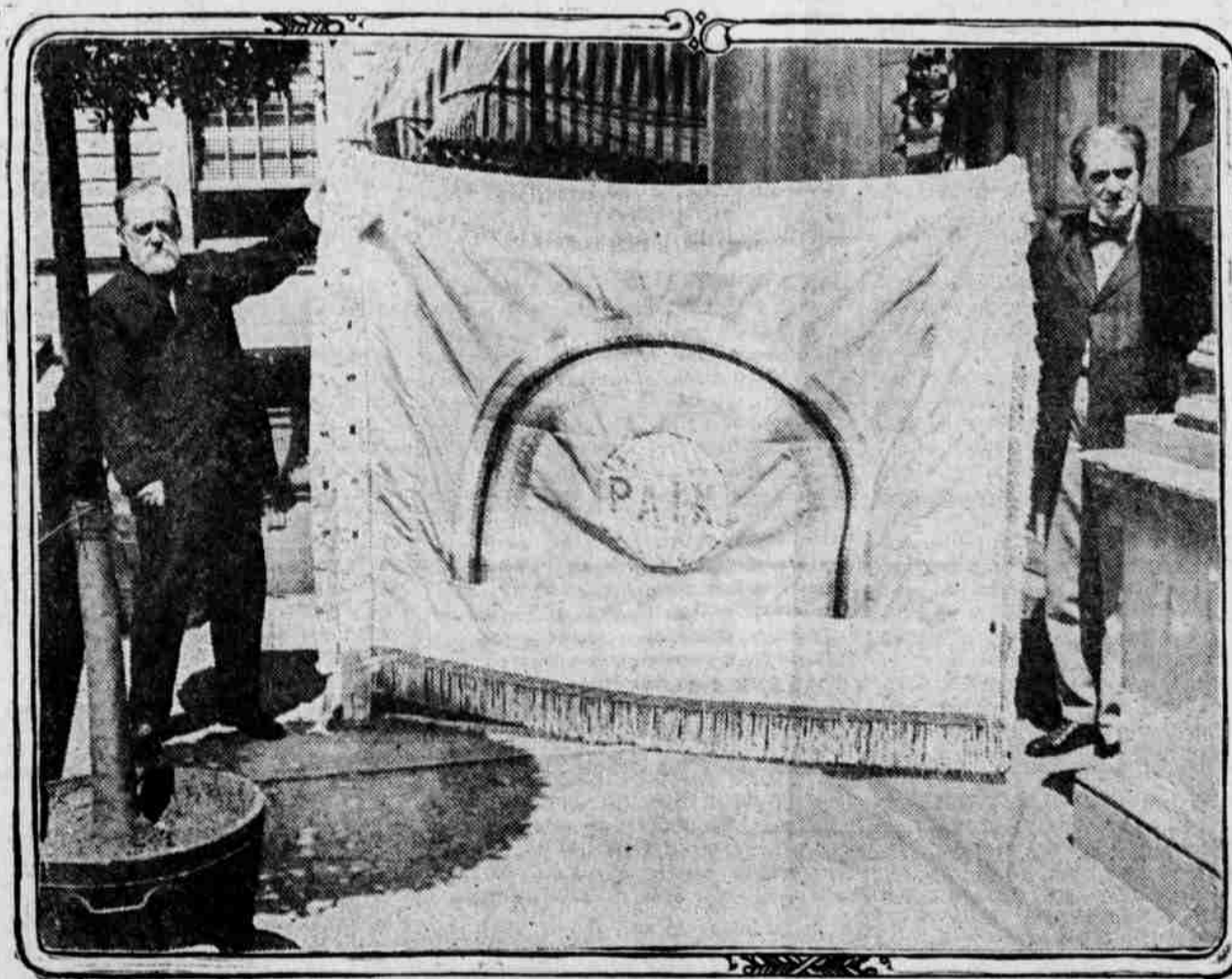
WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—The Diggs-Caminetti case was discussed on the floor of the senate. Tillman declared the easy divorce laws enabled Diggs and Caminetti to secure a divorce. He mentioned the case while speaking against woman suffrage and the present divorce laws.

"If the Diggs and Caminetti affair occurred in the south," declared Tillman, "the fathers of the girls would have killed the two wife deserters like dogs and been acquitted. It appears to me that the relation between divorce and suffrage is one of mutual acceleration."

HUNDREDS REPORTED KILLED IN TYPHOON

HONG KONG, Aug. 18.—Hundreds are reported killed in a typhoon which is sweeping the island of Macao. Numerous vessels have been swamped.

"PEACE FLAG" CONTRIBUTED TO PEACE TEMPLE BY STATE OF N. Y.



NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—(Special)—Scores of visitors gazed with admiration today on the beautiful "peace flag" which was on display in the governor's room in the city hall. The flag is the contribution of the State of New York to the Peace Temple at The Hague which will be dedicated August 29.

A rainbow of incandescent hue all wrought in finest silk encircling the globe is the impressive centerpiece of the flag. It is the first time the rainbow has thus been used as a symbol of peace and the effect is immediate. The designers of the flag stated today that a four-year-old child readily grasps the meaning and significance

of the rainbow shedding its peaceful radiance around the world. New York state's "rainbow" flag will occupy a prominent place in a broad field of white in the Temple of Peace, where a collection of peace flags contributed by the nations of the earth is already taking form.

MAKE IT EASY FOR MAN TO GET A HOME DECLARES SECRETARY LANE

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 18.—"We ought to make it just as easy as possible for a man to get a home and just as hard as possible for a speculator to get hold of the public land and hold up the man who wants to get a home."

That is the conservation policy of the Wilson administration, as enunciated by Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, who arrived in Portland yesterday morning, and who is inspecting the proposed reclamation enterprises of the Deschutes country today.

"The trouble is that it is hard to distinguish the home-maker," continued Mr. Lane, speaking to the group of local democrats who, with a number of persons interested in the public land policy as applied to Oregon, welcomed him at his headquarters at the Oregon hotel.

Speculators Give Trouble. "We do want to weed out the speculator, the man who is hired by the big timber companies to locate the land

and then relinquish, and all others who are not bona fide settlers," said Mr. Lane.

"It is the same with reclamation projects as it is with the administration of the homestead laws," he asserted. "We find that we have the speculator to contend with. Every reclamation project, virtually, comes to the government as a bankrupt proposition. Reclamation bonds are a drug on the market. Investors have bit and been bitten, and they want no more of them. So when the government takes hold of a project it finds that a part of the land or much of it, often 40 to 50 per cent., is privately owned."

Elimination is Problem. "The speculator participates in the benefits of the project, and then boasts the price of his land to \$100 or \$200 an acre. How to eliminate him is our great problem. We don't want him at all, but we can't tell who he is until we have him on our hands. We would have to look into a man's very soul to tell."

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