HARRY THAW NOT INSANE.

The Thaw Family Comes to Murderer's aid

People Say White Paid the Wages of Sin.

Letters Written to Mrs. Thaw Before Marriage.

New York, July 2.— That Harry Thaw wes perfectly sane when he murdered Stanford White on Monday night and that no amount of evidence can be produced at his trial concerning his past life and escapades sufficient to make a jury believe him insane was the conviction formed to-day by those engaged in the prosecution of the case. This conviction was the result of what happened this morning at what was the opening round of the legal battle, when Thaw was taken over to the Criminal Court's building to be examined by the District Attorney's experts.

When Thaw faced the experts he sat down easily in a chair and announced in a determined way that he was not going to answer any of their questions put to him on the subject of his mental condition. He could not be induced to change his mind, although his counsel tried to make it appear that Thaw had his consent to submit to the examination. But Thaw did not close his mouth. He asked some remarkable questions of the doctors himself, made comments creditable to a man of normal intelligence, and talked in an easy and natural way. Though the session was fruitless, so far as getting Thaw's answers to certain questions the doctors wanted to ask him, it seemed to remove every bit of doubt on the side of the prosecution that the insanity plea, if made for Thaw, would save him.

The excuse which Thaw made through Judge Olcott, his counsel, according to the statement of the latter

EVELYN THAW,
Formerly Evelyn Nesbit, the Show Girl for whom Harry Thaw Killed White.

at the examination, was that he wanted to first describe his condition to Dr. Allen McLane Hamilton. After that, he said, he might submit to the examination of the District Attorney's experts. Dr. Hamilton was retained only to-day as the expert for the defence. He had not had a chance to see Thaw until the examination.

Will Abandon Insane Theory.

All evidence so far secured concerning events leading up to the tragedy and the relations of the three principal characters in it, Thaw, his wife, and the victim, will be reserved for the trial, and every attempt is to bt made to keep it out of the hands of Thaw's lawyers. The belief af the prosecution is that the insanity theory will be abandoned or that it will be used simply as a peg on which to hang a mass of testimony concerning White's past life and events in Thaw's life which might bring out sympathy for him.

Mrs. Thaw has turned over to Mr. Olcott a bunch of letters which she had received from White, according to her lawyers. But these letters, it would so far appear, are letters which White wrote to the Nesbit girl before she became Mrs. Thaw.

So far as it could be ascertained today no evidence has been found to show that Mr. White had been pursuing the girl with his attentions recently, though the Tenderloin has been pretty well sifted for stories. It will be weeks before every one of these stories can be run down.

Family Comes to Aid.

That the Traw family has come to the aid of their reckless relative, and that they are, in a way, standing by the girl, there is no doubt. Josiah Thaw, a younger brother of Harry's, who lives with his mother in Pittsburg, reached here this morning. He acted as escort to Thaw's wife in a visit which she made to the Tombs and to his lawyers, and seemed, in a way, to be taking more or less charge of her.

The first thing young Thaw did today was to go to the Lorraine and get his sister-in-law, and together they drove down in a cab to Mr. Olcott's office, where they got passes from the latter to see Thaw.

Thaw had just come back from his session with the doctors when his wife and brother called. He seemed glad to see his wife. The latter kissed him affectionately through the bars. Josiah Thaw shook his brother warmly by the hand. He talked only a few minutes with him, and then Thaw and his wife conversed in low tones for quite a while. The visit lasted about half an hour.

It is announced that Assistant District Attorney Garvan to-day discovered a witness who alleged that he overheard White make derogatory remarks concerning Mrs. Thaw before he was shot. The witness says he heard the remarks of White, who was seated two or three tables away, and evidently was not whispering.

At that time Mr. and Mrs. Thaw were in the cafe dining. It is believed that this witness will not appear before the coroner, but that he will be reserved for the trial.

Important Witness.

The American to-day says:

"That Harry Kendall Thaw was goaded into slaying Stanford White, the architect, clubman and chorus connoisseur, by repeated insults visited by the latter upon Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, the bride of 18 months, developed as compelling evidence amid a maze of conflicting stories.

"Never has it been more firmly established that the wages of sin is death. Not once, but twice, thrice, twenty times, according to reliable statements,

HARRY THAW,
The Murderer.

Stanford White boasted of his former relations with Miss Nesbit, and bandied her name about as the sport of idle gossip.

"According to a close personal friend of the Thaw family—one of the few persons whom Harry Thaw consented to see and converse with yesterday —absolutely no expense will be spared in saving him from the penitentiary or worse. This spokesman for the family went so far as to say that millions of dollars, if necessary, would be forthcoming in his defence."

White and His Ways.

White, himself a father and husband, maintained a well known rendezvous in the tower of Madison square Garden, and another in West Twenty-eighth street. Wine, women and song were the idols in these temples of luxury of White and his boon companions.

Perhaps he addressed many letters to Evelyn Nesbit Thaw in the afternoon of his life, despite her expressed abhorrence of the man, and there is strong evidence that it was these letters that enraged Thaw past endurance.

Watched by Detectives.

"When Stanford White fell on the Madison-square roof his reputation fell with him. That is, the reputation with which he was credited by the great public. For, among the devotees of New York's gay side he was known as a voluptuary, a libertine and a man who for years had pursued with avidity the coarse and darker pleasures of the city.

"White had a private room for months —until he was asked to vacate it—in a popular restaurant building.

"He was the leading spirit in a 'club whose objects were doubtful and whose membership was composed of men.

"He was president and ardent promoter of "The Chorus Girls' Club," having for its primary object late suppers behind closed doors, and for its ultimate object, only what the 'members' chose to reveal.

"For years his attentions to women had attracted attention in the Tender-

STANFORD WHITE.
The Architect, Who Was Shot.

loin, and he is credited with some of the liveliest escapades in the memory of the rounders.

"While maintaining a private town residence, magnificently furnished and splendidly appointed, with everything marking a refined home, and a country residence on the same plane at St. James, L. I., his retreat in the tower of Madison-square Garden was being watched by detectives of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, complaint having been made against White by the enraged father of a girl but 14 years of age.

"The case was in preparation for the grand jury when it was permitted to drop.

"At his own town house, on Gramercy Park, he is said to have been persona non grata. Many times had it been stated that at the brilliant functions given by Mrs. White the one most conspicuous absentee to be counted upon would be Stanford White.

During the time that White' body lay in the undertaking establishment it was remarked that the number of persons, who have been friends or business associates who called there were comparatively few."

Like a Joke to Thaw.

Henry Kendall Thaw has figured in many sensational escapades which have brought him before the public. Perhaps the most sensational was his marriage to Evelyn Florence Nesbit, the chorus girl, whom he met in London. After forming an acquaintance with Miss Nesbit the two took a trip through Europe, and it was said that they had been secretly married, although Thaw's relatives in Pittsburg denied the story.

While travelling in Europe with Miss Nesbit, Thaw gave a $20,000 dinner to chorus girls in Paris, and figured in many other sensational escapades there and in New York. Mrs. Thaw threatened to have a guardian appointed for her son, and shortly after this threat was made the couple dropped from the public eye and were married quietly in Pittsburg, only Mrs. Thaw and her son Joseph being present at the ceremony.

Thaw was generally known as "Mon Cher Harrie." From his earliest years he has treated life as a huge joke. A bon vivaant by selection, he was accustomed to having his own way almost from his cradle. Blessed with a strong will and an unbridled desire for the good things of life, he is said to have been headstrong from his boyhood up.

Wages of Sin.

In this connection the general sentiment of the business community regarding Harry Thaw is declared to be well expressed in an editorial utterance made by an afternoon newspaper, which says:

"Standing out in boldest lines in the popular aspect of the crime is the money madness of it. Thaw, in jail to-day with the blood of White upon his hands, is the victim of too much money.

"He has more than is good for him, and more than he is entitled to. He never earned a cent in his life and never did anything useful for which he could claim the slightest reward. The money that was poured into his lap was to him purely the means for the pursuit of guilty pleasure. He is reaping as he sowed."

His Actress Wife.

Popular chorus girls who number wealthy men among their admirers do not lack for chances. Miss Nesbit, among whose early patrons Stanford White was said to have been the most loyal and beneficent, suddenly found the means to go to Europe for a musical education.

The trip to Europe ended in the whirlwind love affair with Harry Thaw, the subsequent return to New York under circumstances of peculiar interest and the remarriage in Pittsburg under the maternal blessing— circumstances made familiar by recent recounting. Then followed the brave effort of the newly-wedded Mrs. Thaw to fit herself for her new place in society.

Pittsburg gossips tell how the ex-chorus girl, made sister-in-law to the Earl of Yarmouth, diligently undertook to study German and French, as well as music, at one time.

The entrance of Mrs. Harry Thaw into Pittsburg society was signalized by a revolt on the part of the women, which threatened for a time to create a lasting break. Mrs. Thaw, the mother, was insistent, a reception was planned, and the Pittsburg social set was whipped into line by that determined lady. Though there were a few insurgents, most of the smart people bowed to the mandate of Harry Thaw's mother.

CZAR OF RUSSIA HAS SEEN THE CAT.

When "His Majesty's Own" Pronounced in Favor of Parliament His Eyes Were Opened.

St. Petersburg, July 2.—The campaign which the Oppositional elements in Parliament are waging to compel Emperor Nicholas to dismiss the Goremykin Cabinet and accept the principle of a responsible ministry, promises soon to be crowned with success. But the Emperor and the court are being frightened into surrender less by the violent attacks made on the Government in the Lower House than the alarming spread of revolutionary disaffection among the troops. When the Probrejensky regiment, "His Majesty's Own" pronounced its solidarity with Parliament and its agrarian programme in the big camp of the guard regiments at Krasnoe-Selo, less than a dozen miles from Peterhof, the Emperor's eyes opened and the court began realizing that there was only a step from that to declaring allegiance to Parliament as against the Government.

It transpired to-day that all three battalions of the Probrejensky regiment joined in the resolutions, but when they were surrounded by grenadiers, sharpshooters and a brigade of artillery, two of the battalions weakened. The other, however, faced the music, was disarmed, and last night, with six officers, was sent under escort to Medvid, Province of Novgorol, where the Japanese prisoners were confined, to undergo trial by court-martial.

WOMAN FELL IN LOVE WITH MAN THROUGH READING HIS STORIES.

Wife of a Chicago Magazine Editor Tries to Kill Denver Man.

Denver, Col., July 2.—The love of Mrs. Tudor Kearns, of Chicago, came near causing her to become a murderess today when she fired a shot at William H. Eader, who had repeatedly spurned her.

The shot imbedded itself in a watch in Eader's pocket.

Mrs. Kearns came here a month ago and at once wrote a letter to Eader telling him that she had fallen in love wiht him through reading his stories contributed to the Red Book, a Chicago publication of which her husband is one of the editors. Eader ignored the note.

During the next three weeks the woman schemed to meet him a dozen times on the street near his home and near the office of the Denver Post, on which he is employed as an engraver.

He has a wife and two children and repeatedly declined to enter her automobile and receive her attentions. To his request to "pass him up" the woman would reply: "Never; you know my love, and I will never give you up."

To-day he again spurned her, when in an insane rage she whipped out a revolver and fired the shot. He fell and, supposing she had killed him, she fled. The police have not found her.

TO PENALIZE REBATING.

Sovereign Life's President Gives Drastic Remedy.

A Toronto despatch: The examination of the Sovereign Life Assurance Company was completed yesterday. At the conclusion of the investigation into the affairs of this company the Insurance Commission adjourned to London, where it will sit to-day and to-morrow, looking into the manageemnt of the London and the Western Companies. Next week there will be an adjournment until July 9, when the commission will again meet in Toronto.

At the session of yesterday the feature was the proposed solution by A. H. Hoover, President of the Sovereign Life, of the rebating evil problem. Mr. Hoover, unlike the other insurance authorities called in the present investigation, said that the companies themselves were to blame for the fact that rebating is rife throughout Canada.

Mr. Hoover suggested a very stringent cure for this evil. He would fine the companies heavily for the first offence, take away their license for the second, fine the insurance agent who negotiated the rebate, and cancel the policy on which such rebate had been given.

The evidence yesterday dealt in a large measure with the methods employed in the organization of the Sovereign Life Company. During the forenoon three witnesses were on the stand—Mr. Addison H. Hoover, President and Managing Director; W. H. Gould, actuary, and Mr. Thomas Allen, Secretary.

AS CATTLE FEEDERS.

U. S. COLLEGE STUDENTS SAIL ON CATTLE BOATS.

Boston, July 2.—The Leyland Line Steamer Winifredian sailed for Liverpool yesterday with a crew of cattle feeders, recruited especially from American colleges, more than two score students making the trip.

Several of the college men who are bent on seeing the old world, at little cost, are travelling under assumed names, but among those who gave their right names are Frank Bates, who will manage Williams College Football eleven next fall; "Shorty" Ellsworth, a former University of Chicago football captain; Henry Whitney, of Chicago University, formerly an end on the all America football eleven; R. W. Bailey, a football man from the University of Wisconsin, and J. O. Inglehardt, a full blood Indian lad from Depauw University.

SLAYS AS POLICE KNOCK AT DOOR.

Chicago Man Murders Wife and Then Cuts His Own Throat.

Chicago, July 2.—While three police officers were vainly seeking to obtain an entrance into his home Frank Horvat, 43 years old, living at 4,716 Loomis street, murdered his wife and attempted to end his own life by cutting his throat.

When the police finally forced an entrance into the house they found the wife lying dead on the bed, while on the floor near by lay her murderer, cut about the throat. The walls and nearly every article of furniture in the room were covered with blood.

Two weeks ago Horvat deserted his wife. The latter went to the Stockyards station, where she obtained a warrant for the arrest of her husband, charging him with abandonment. Horvat, who was employed in the stockyards as a butcher, is thought to have learned of this, and angered, it is believed, went to the house to ascertain the truth concerning of seeking revenge and then ending his own life. He was in the basement of the house when the police arrived.

As the police went to the front door they saw Horvat appear at one of the windows and a moment later disappear. Lieutenant Plunkett went to the rear of the house, leaving two detectives at the front entrance, and attempted to gain admittance. The door leading into the basement was securely locked and he returned to the front. He rapped several times and when he received no response, forced the door. In the meantime Horvat apparently understood the mission of the police and, hurrying to the room occupied by his wife, cut her throat and then attempted to commit suicide.

Lieutenant Plunkett was the first to enter the room. Horvat, who was unconscious, was taken to the Provident hospital.

FOR PURE FOOD.

Bill is Agreed on by Senate and House of Representatives.

Washington, July 2.— The Pure Food Bill was agreed upon by the conferees for the Senate and House to-day, and was reported to the Senate just before adjournment.

The bill, as agreed upon, makes it a misdemeanor to manufacture, sell or offer for sale any article of food, drugs, medicines, or liquors which is adulterated or misbranded or which contains any poisonous or deleterious substance. It prescribes for each offence a fine not to exceed $500, one year's imprisonment, or both, and for each subsequent offence a fine of not less than $1,000 or one year's imprisonment.

Section two prohibits the introduction into any State or any foreign country or the shipment to any foreign country of any article adulterated or misbranded, under penalty not exceeding a fine of $200 for the first offence and $300 or one year's imprisonment, or both, for each subsequent offence.

Concerning shipments to a foreign country it is provided that no article shall be deemed misbranded or adulterated when no substance is used in conflict of the laws of the foreign country for which it is intended.

AFTER THE AUTO.

PROVINCIAL CONSTABLES TO BE APPOINTED TO WATCH THEM.

A Toronto, Ont., special despatch says: The Ontario Government announced this morning that it intended to appoint six or seven special Provincial constables to enforce the automobile speed laws. During last session $3,000 was set aside for this purpose. One constable will be in Toronto, York county, from which several complaints have come, one in the western part of the Province, and one or two in the eastern section of Ontario.

Hon. Dr. Reaume, Minister of Public Works, is sufficiently improved in health to resume his Ministerial duties next week.

SUFFRAGETTES ARRAIGNED.

Held Meeting in Hyde Park After Adjournment—Leader Arrested.

London, July 2.—The three suffragettes who were arrested on June 21, for attempting to make a demonstration in front of the residence of Mr. Asquith, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, in Cavendish Square, and resisting the police, appeared in the Marylebone Police Court to-day and the case was adjourned to July 4th.

Later the suffragettes held a meeting in Hyde Park, where Mrs. Dora Montefiore, the heroine of the Hammersmith siege, was arrested. The charge against her was distributing handbills, which is not allowed in Hyde Park. Mrs. Montefiore was taken to the police station, but subsequently was allowed to go.

HAD THEM ON.

LAUGHABLE INCIDENT IN TORONTO POLICE COURT.

A Toronto special despatch says: A rather amusing incident, in which a pair of trousers played a part came up in Police Court this morning. Benjamin Seigle, a young man, was committed to jail this morning for thirty days for stealing a pair of trousers. When he came up before the Magistrate this morning His Worship said: "Where are the trousers?"

"He is wearing them,' responded Crown Attorney Carley.

"Well, we can't very well take them off him," laughingly remarked the Magistrate.

The plaintiff then said the young man was welcome to trousers, since he certainly had to wear a pair.

A BATTLE FOR LIFE.

Fishermen in Dories Picked Up and Taken to St. John.

Halifax, N. S., July 2.—Six members of the crew of the American fishing schooner Paragon, who lost their vessel while fishing in dories on the Grand Banks on June 17, were brought in here by the steamer Sylvia. Eight men were blown out of sight of their vessel by a severe northeast storm. Three of the dories came together, and the six men decided their only hope for life was to get into one dory. All the food was placed in the strongest dory and the six men then began a battle for life.

For two days and nights they drifted, cold, wet, and half-famished, until within 30 miles of land they were picked up by the schooner Vera at 5 o'clock in the morning. A few hours later the remaining two men were picked up, and all were taken to St. John's.

VAN HORNE'S HOUSE ROBBED.

Linen and Silver Closets of Summer Residence Rifled.

St. Andrew's, N. B., July 2.— When Sir William Van Horne's summer residence on Minister's Island was opened yesterday it was found that the linen and silver closets had been rifled of their contents by burglars. When the robbery occurred no one knows. The house was visited every day by the gardener, and he saw anything disturbed. About $1.000 worth of goods was taken.

HIT BY TRAIN, LIVES.

Belleville Man Has Miraculous Escape in Buffalo.

Buffalo, July 2.—Grisothe Legault, 24 years old, who said he lived at Belleville, Ont., was discharged to-day from the Emergency Hospital, Buffalo, where he had been a patient since Sunday night. He had a miraculous escape from death. He was struck by a Pennsylvania passenger train at Emslie and North Division streets, hurled several feet, and was able to get up a few moments afterwards, complaining of only a scalp wound.

PLENTY OF FRUIT.

FARMERS OF NIAGARA DISTRICT IN LUCK.

With the Exception of Plums, Everything Promises an Abundant Yield—Strawberries Big and Fine Flavored —Recent Rains Have Helped Things Wonderfully.

St. Catharines, July 2.—Other years have seen bountiful fruit and grain crops in the Niagara peninsula, but by present indications this year will outdo all the rest. Peaches are looking exceptionally promising and the product to the acreage will perhaps exceed any previous year, fruitgrowers say. A big crop is now almost assured, as the point of danger is about past. While peaches will be a good crop, the yield of plums will be comparatively small, this being the off-year for plums. The Japanese variety are almost a complete failure, while the blue and all other varieties are scarce. Apples will be a very good crop from present indications, a great deal better than last year. Few apple trees, comparatively speaking, are left around here now because of the ravages of the San Jose scale. Strawberries are an immense crop, mainly due to the wet weather we have had of late, which also caused the fruit to grow of unusual size. The flavor is also good and never were better strawberries grown in the fruit belt than this year. If the weather continues fairly moist the raspberries will also be abundant, as they are full of promise just now. Dry, hot weather would shrivel up the fruit and prevent growth. Gooseberries, currants, etc., will be plentiful. Cherries are also a very good crop.

BRITISH SHOE TRADE SAFE.

Expert Who Toured United States Says Invasion Need Not Be Feared.

London, July 2.—Mr. Swaysland, a shoe trade expert, who made a tour of the United States on behalf of the Northampton shoe industry, reports that English shoemakers need not be frightened by an invasion of American shoes. The American makers have no direct advantage over their English competitors, while they were seriously handicapped by the fact that the cost of production in America was 5 per cent. more than in England.

Nevertheless, Mr. Swaysland says, he found the Americans far superior in push, sharpness, and organization, while the operatives have a whole-hearted belief in the superiority of their workmanship and system.

PART WITH TRESSES.

The Annual Hair Fair Held at Limoges, France.

Paris, July 2.—The market place at Limoges was filled yesterday with girls bargaining for the sale of their hair. It was the periodical hair fair, where dealers find the best tresses in the world. The girls stood demurely while dealers from Paris, Berlin, London, Moscow and elsewhere critically examined their hair, and, a price being agreed upon, they accompanied the buyers to appointed places to have their tresses cut off. The prices varied from 43 to 53 francs a pound. One family unitedly parted with 86 pounds of hair, realizing for it over 4,500 francs ($900).

WANT NEW TRIAL.

LAWYERS SAY THEY BELIEVE HACKETT INNOCENT.

A Montreal special despatch says: Mr. Rondeau, of Rondeau & Sullivan, the lawyers who defended James T. Hackett, recently sentenced to 25 years' imprisonment, will ask for a new trial in September. The claim is made that the owner of the pair of gloves found near the scene of the crime has been located. Lawyers say they believe Hackett innocent.

ATTACK OPEN SHOPS.

Winnipeg Plumbers Preparing a Vigorous Programme for Next Month.

Winnipeg, July 2.—The Plumbers' Union has decided to attack the open shops here and to carry the war into the enemy's camp in earnest. Union carpenters, plasterers and bricklayers will be called off all jobs where open shops have contracts after July 2. Non-union shops employ about 175 men and have announced a determination to fight the union. They say they pay as high, if not higher, wages than the union scale of fifty cents per hour, but grade it according to the ability of the workmen.

TRAIN HIT HAND-CAR.

Accident Near Sherbrooks—One Killed, Four Wounded.

A Montreal despatch: One man was killed and four injured seriously in a collision between a ballast train and a hand-car on the C. P. R. at McLeod's Landing, 50 miles from Sherbrooke. The men on the hand car were returning from work. The impact was so great that the engine and van were derailed.

Brakesman Hugh McLean, who was in the van, was crushed to death. J. Mercier, fireman, was badly scalded up to the thighs. He is not expected to live. Conductor Taylor was almost unrecognizable, his face being crushed.

Brakesman Arbec was badly hurt on the head. W. Moe, roadmaster, was also cut on the head, but not seriously.

CONVICT ESCAPES.

Runs for It From Central While Guard Was Not Looking.

Toronto despatch: Maxime Desrosiers, a convict at the Central Prison, escaped yesterday afternoon, and is yet at freedom.

Desrosiers was at work with a number of others painting the engineer's house, and while the guard's back was turned "cut his lucky."

He was serving six months for robbing his brother, and had served half his time.

THOUSANDS WERE PAID IN "RAKE OFF."

TORONTO WAS HELD UP BY ROOFERS ON SEVERAL CONTRACTS.

Latest Civic Scandal—How Metallic Roofing Company "Eliminated Competition."

(Toronto Globe.)

Rake-off to Roofers.

Wheeler & Bain	$1,400
A. B. Ormsby, Limited	895
A. Mathews	275
W. G. Hutson & Sons	275
Douglas Bros.	275
Pedlar Company	230
Total	$3,350

The sum of $3,350 set out above was the "rake-off" shown to date to have been paid contractors who tendered but were not awarded the work, by those firms who secured the work for the roofing of the St. Lawrence Market and the Manufacturers' and Art Buildings on the Exhibition grounds, anl also a vent pipe contract in the City Hall.

Methods similar to those employed in the plumbers' combine were shown in a series of revelations at Judge Winchester's inquiry yesterdy to have been resorted to by the inner circle of Toronto roofers for the purpose of "eliminating excessive competition," and sweating the public for the last dollar that the job would stand. A rake-off of $2,205 was distributed by a clearing house company known as the Roofers' Supply Company, Limited, to the firms participating in the benefits of the combination. The tenders on the St. Lawrence Market were: From R. Gilday, $15,400; G. Duthie & Son, $14,300; Wheeler & Bain, $14,097; Hutson & Sons, $14,021; A. Mathews, $13,931; Douglas Bros., $13,097; A. B. Ormsby, Limited, $12,995, and Metallic Roofing Co., $12,970, which, as the lowest tenderer, receivel the contract. Assistant Manager Breckon described a similar arrangement on the Manufacturers' building in Exhibition Park, where $1,275 was to be divided among eight or ten firms, but the successful tenderer did not abide by the agreement. Mr. A. B. Ormsby swore that the rake-off was a matter of percentage of from 10 to 20 per cent. R. Gilday, who heads the list of Market tenderers, was an outsider, who put in his tender cessive competition that had to be eliminated.

Large Sum Was Divided.

The sum of $2,205 was divided among the other seven firms according to the terms of a letter put in evidence, and which indicates in the tersest and directest manner the methods adopted. In addition to whatever profit the tendering firm calculated for themselves, they agreed to pay 17 per cent. on the amount of their tender of $12,970 to those who had consented to put up fake or dummy tenders in so-called competition. The evidence taken in the afternoon was corroborative of the morning's deveapl ments.

GOT NINE YEARS.

SENTENCED FOR ABUSING SELKIRK GIRL IN BUFFALO.

Buffalo, July 2.—Sentence of nine years and ten months—all that is allowed by law—were imposed yesterday by Judge Emery in County Court on Rosali McGee, 28 years old; William Balderston, 23 years old, and Hugh Lowery, 47 years old, who were convicted of assaulting little girls. The maximum sentence for this crime is ten years, but the sentence must be so arranged that the prisoners will be set free during the summer. The men will be sent to Auburn Prison.

McGee and Balderston were found guilty of assaulting 14-year-old Lillian Dell, the Selkirk, Ont., girl, whose innocence of city ways made her easy prey for unscrupulous men. Lawyers Flanigen and O'Connor, representing the men, pleaded for leniency, but Judge Emery said sternly:

"The sentence of the court must be such that it will be not only a punishment for the men, but a warning to others."

GETS $857,000.

MARSHALL FIELD'S DAUGHTER MAN AND WIFE.

Chicago, July 2.—Mrs. Ethel Field Beattie, daughter of the late Marshall Field, will receive stocks and bonds to the value of $857,000 by a decree entered yesterday by Judge Walker in the Superior Court. In the contest mode by Mrs. Beattie, it was shown that some months before his death Mr. Field told his daughter that he intended to turn the stock over to her. When he deposited the securities with the United States Trust Company, of New York, he left with them a memorandum that they belonged to his daughter.

A TOWN OF MILLIONAIRES.

Over Two Hundred of Them in Wiesbaden, Prussia.

Berlin, July 2.—The report of the Prussian income tax department shows that relatively the richest town in Prussia is Wiesbaden, where 208 millionaires live. Sixty of these are worth more than $3,000,000. Frankfurt, Charlottenburg, Bond and Dusseldorf follow Wiesbaden in the order named. It should be noted that the millions are counted in marks, one of which is worth 25 cents in American money. Immense wealth, according to the American standard, is rare in Germany.

HIDING IN A VAT.

Much-Wanted Anarchist Captured in Spanish Province.

Madrid, July 2.—An Anrchist, who is believed to be Parros Avino, wanted in connection with the attempt to kill King Alfonso and President Loubet in Paris, was arrested to-day at Ubeda, Province of Jaen. He was hiding in a vat in the garden of a well known Carlist. The man has been going about disguised as a pilgrim, selling images of saints.

ONTARIO ARCHIVES
TORONTO