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Body Of The Kidnapped Babe Is Found

Accuses Brother Of Murder Gruesome Discovery

YOUTH GIVES SENSATIONAL TESTIMONY

Preliminary Hearing Into Slaying Of Aged Tetagouche Storekeeper Begun.

BATHURST, N. B., May 12.—(By the Canadian Press)—The shot came from Rufus Pitre, my brother." This statement was made here today by Wallace Pitre, 22, testifying as Crown witness at the preliminary hearing of his brother, charged with the murder of George G. Smith, 81, at South Tetagouche on the night of April 29.

The accused is known as "Rufus," but his proper name is Norman Joseph Pitre and the murder charge against "Rufus" Pitre was accordingly amended.

In lengthy evidence, Wallace Pitre gave a detailed description of his and his brother's movements preceding and following the death of the aged storekeeper. The witness broke down as his story led to the events in the store, after Smith arose from bed to admit whom he believed two customers. "I heard said his brother asked for cigarettes, and upon receiving arreties, and upon receiving them, pointed a revolver at Smith, asking where the latter kept his money. Smith started to walk towards the counter and was met by Norman, according to the witness. "I heard the shot," he said, weeping. "The shot came from Rufus Pitre, my brother. He had the revolver in his hand."

Innocent Victim Of Gangland



HIS CHILDISH VOICE IS STILLED FOR EVER

"Little Lindy," or rather his decomposed body has been found, of this baby boy yesterday has incurred the wrath of millions whose thirst for vengeance can only be compared with the sorrow of his grief stricken parents, Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh.

Was Made Yesterday Near Lindbergh Home

DE VALERA DETERMINED TO ABOLISH OATH

No Threat From Outside Or Misrepresentation Of Facts Would Deflect His Govt. From Its Course.

DUBLIN, Irish Free State, May 12.—(Canadian Press Cable)—President Eamon De Valera tonight told interviewers, assertion by J. H. Thomas, British Dominions Secretary, that abolition of the oath of allegiance in the Free State would violate provisions of the Anglo-Irish treaty, did not alter the facts of the situation. It had been admitted, he said, the Free State possessed the same constitutional rights as Canada and the other British Dominions and its constitutional position was one of complete equality with Great Britain.

Remains of A Once Bright-Blond-Haired Baby Boy Badly Decomposed. Autopsy Performed Shows Child Died of Compound Fracture of The Skull.

HOP POSTPONED TILL TODAY

HALIFAX, N. S., May 12.—(By the Canadian Press)—Clear weather and a tail wind favored Lou Reichers on the first leg of his Newark to Paris hop. Nova Scotia's skies were clear, with a brisk southwest breeze to speed the flyer. St. John's, Newfoundland, reported "all clear."

NEW YORK, May 12.—Louis T. Reichers this afternoon postponed his scheduled take-off for tonight on a solo flight to Paris.

Reports of unsatisfactory weather conditions in the vicinity of Harbor Grace, Nfld., the first of two refueling points, caused the postponement.

If the weather is satisfactory tomorrow, he may start the flight at 10 p.m. (Eastern Daylight), he said.

Reichers announced at 7 p.m. tonight that he would leave at 10.30 from the Newark airport on his projected two-stop flight to Paris.

Reichers hopes to reach Paris in about 16 hours, less than half the time Col. Charles A. Lindbergh used in a non-stop trip five years ago. He will stop at Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, and in Ireland to refuel.

Hole In Front of Head Caused By Blunt Instrument or From Effects of Being Hurlled From Car—Little Body Exposed Two Months Is Theory.

(By Francis A. Jamieson, Associated Press Staff Writer) (Copyright, 1932, by the Associated Press)

HOPEWELL, N. J., May 12.—The kidnapped Lindbergh baby, identified by fragments of its garments, was found dead today. A scant five miles from the Sourland mountain estate of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and within 75 feet of emergency telephone lines employed in an unparalleled search, the body was discovered in a wooded area partly concealed by leaves and dirt. The discovery was made by the occupants of a transfer truck on a country road just 72 days after the infant was spirited away from his home. The skull bore a hole the size of a 25-cent piece above the forehead.

BODY IDENTIFIED

An attempt had been made to bury the body. A coroner said death was due to a compound fracture of the skull. The hair of the dead child tallied with the shade of the blond, curly-haired Lindbergh heir, 20 months old when he was stolen. An undershirt and flannel band furnished a more positive link. Similar articles of clothing from the Lindbergh baby's wardrobe were brought to the spot from the home. They matched closely enough to convince the authorities they had found the body of the famous baby for whom hundreds of thousands of policemen in every part of the world had searched.

Then as police worked feverishly to be sure of their identification, telephones rang in the state house at Trenton, N. J. Reporters were summoned to the Lindbergh estate for an important announcement. The telephone rang again. It was Colonel H. Norman Schwarzkopf, State police head, who has been in charge of the official investigation, calling his superior, Governor A. Harry Moore.

"Colonel Schwarzkopf tells me the Lindbergh baby has been found dead," the Governor informed the Associated Press correspondent.

Findings of the Body

Three hours before (about 3.15 p.m.) a truck bearing four men had stopped on a steep grade between Hopewell and the Hamlet of Mount Rose. The vehicle halted opposite a wood separated from the road by a small ditch. William Allen, a negro, went into the woods and saw the body.

"The body was pretty well concealed by leaves, dirt and brush," the subsequent formal statement by Schwarzkopf explained.

"Going under the bush, he (Allen) lowered his head and as he raised a branch he saw a skeleton on the ground."

"It was in a bad state of decomposition," was the way Schwarzkopf summarized the gruesome details of the condition of the child.

Physicians Later Theorized

Physicians later theorized the compound fracture was caused either by a terrific blow on the head with a blunt instrument or from the effects of being hurled from a car. The best medical estimate was that the body had been exposed to weather "about two months."

However, physicians explained the child might well have been abandoned on the same night he was stolen from his home.

Lindbergh Not at Home

Col. Lindbergh, who had made an exhaustive private and separate search for his stolen son, spending thousands of dollars and even paying a \$50,000 ransom to the supposed kidnapers, was absent at the formal statement of the findings of the body came from police headquarters at his hill-top home.

State troopers said he was not on the estate. Latest reports were that he had been in Virginia for more than two weeks attempting to establish contact with men posing as the kidnapers. Mrs. Anne Lindbergh, daughter of the late Senator Dwight W. Morrow, who expects the arrival of another child within several months, also was not seen. She and her mother, Mrs. Morrow, were known to have been in the house, however.

The kidnaping, March 1st. A brisk wind whistled through the

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The Weather, Etc

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, May 12.—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson 25—60
Vancouver 48—60
Edmonton 44—78
Banff 34—68
Winnipeg 32—72
Toronto 42—65
Ottawa 32—74
Montreal 48—70
Quebec 46—72
Saint John 40—60
Halifax 34—52
Charlottetown 42—65

FORECASTS

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence Valley: Moderate winds; fair, not much change in temperature.
Lower St. Lawrence Valley: Moderate to fresh winds; mostly fair, not much change in temperature.
Gulf and North Shore: Moderate to fresh winds; partly cloudy with scattered showers; not much change in temperature.
Maritime East: Fresh to strong east to northeast winds; cloudy and a little cooler, probably followed by some rain.
Maritime West: Fresh to strong east to northeast winds; cloudy and a little cooler; probably some rain.
High tide this afternoon at 2:45 and tomorrow morning at 5:21.

CAR FERRY SCHEDULE

Week days—Leaves Borden daily at 11 a. m. and 11:40 a. m.
Leaves Tormentine daily: 10:30 a. m. and 2:55 p. m.

Judgment Is Reserved In Appeal Case

City Of Charlottetown Claims \$7,812.50 In Taxes From Foundation Mar. Company Ltd.

OTTAWA, May 12.—(By the Canadian Press)—The Supreme Court of Canada today reserved judgment in an appeal by the City of Charlottetown, P. E. I., in which the appellant is seeking to collect taxes amounting to \$7,812.50 from the Foundation Maritime Company Limited. The company built a Canadian National Railway Hotel in Charlottetown at a cost of \$625,000 and the city endeavored to force the company to pay a tax of one and one-quarter per cent.

The city by-laws, it was argued, provide for such a tax on non-resident companies. The claim was contested on the grounds that the tax was ultra vires, an interference with the status and powers of Dominion companies, an interference with trade and commerce, and in contravention with the B.N.F. North America Act.

Mr. Justice A. E. Arsenault and the Supreme Court of Prince Edward Island, en banc, both upheld the claim of the Foundation Maritime Limited.

102 Years Old, Feeling Grand

(Canadian Press)

KENTVILLE, N. S., May 12.—Mrs. William McInnes, King's County's oldest resident, yesterday celebrated her hundred and second birthday. Although no longer able to read, Mrs. McInnes said she felt "just grand" and reaffirmed her belief that "the girls of today are—just as nice, just as good and just as pretty as they were in the days of my youth."

Daughter Of "Casey" Baldwin Passes Away

KENTVILLE, N. S., May 12.—(By the Canadian Press)—Elizabeth Kathleen Baldwin, daughter of F. W. "Casey" Baldwin, aviation pioneer, died in the Nova Scotia sanitarium here today. She was 17 years old.

Miss Baldwin had been a student in Edgemoor Ladies' College, Windsor, until taken ill about a year ago. Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin then moved to Kentville from their home at Baddeck, Cape Breton, where, with Alexander Graham Bell, Mr. Baldwin had conducted Canada's first experiments in aeronautics.

Little Scope For Immigrants

LONDON, May 12.—(Canadian Press Cable)—While the severity of the present depression in the Dominions lasts it is clear the Dominions will offer very little scope for immigrants, is the conclusion of the economic advisory council's committee on Empire migration, appointed in July, 1930, under the chairmanship of Viscount Astor.

W. M. S. Names New Officers

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., May 12.—(By the Canadian Press)—Mrs. L. W. Parker, of Northport, N. S., was elected President of the Women's Missionary Society, Maritime Branch of the United Church of Canada, at the concluding session of the annual meeting today. She succeeds Mrs. R. A. Jamieson of Saint John.

Mrs. W. A. Thomson of Charlottetown is first vice president. Other officers: Vice presidents: Mrs. E. E. O'Brien, Truro; Mrs. A. P. Stone-man, Yarmouth; recording secretary, Mrs. J. H. A. Anderson, Musquodoboit. Corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. T. Burchell, Sydney.

Doukhobors Now Trying Hunger Strike

(Canadian Press)

NELSON, B. C., May 12.—Following the removal last night of the male children of the "sons of freedom" sect of Doukhobors at present in the Nelson jail, the men and women in the jail today started a hunger strike. They refused their breakfast and maintain they are willing to die. The joviality which has persisted throughout their time in jail has died away but they sang hymns. The cook house was empty and the fires dead at noon.

Will Sail For Home May 21

GENEVA, May 12.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Senator Gideon Robertson, former Canadian Minister of Labor, will sail for Canada May 21, if improvement in his condition continues. Mr. Robertson, who came to Geneva as head of the Canadian delegation to the world labor conference, collapsed last Thursday following a dinner. The Senator and his wife are in the hospital at Cherbourg.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

- Women's Christian Temperance Union Cake Sale at Moore & McLeod's Store Saturday, 3038-5-13-21.
- Rummage Sale in St. Peter's School Room, Saturday, May 14th at 7:00 P. M. 3052-5-13-11.
- Regular monthly meeting Ladies Aid P. E. I. Hospital, Trinity Social Hall, Friday, May 13th, 3:30 sharp. 2984-5-11-31.
- The dance which was to have been held in the Consolidated School, Mount Herbert, on the 13th, has been postponed indefinitely. 3005-11.
- Don't miss it! What? Dance at Consolidated School, Mt. Herbert, Friday, May 13. Admission 25c. Cars running from Jimmie's Taxi at a reduced rate.
- Soldiers Legion, Business meeting will be held in Belfast Hall, Saturday, May 14th. All returned men are urgently requested to attend. 3022-5-13-21.
- The Ed. Hillsboro Dramatic Club present their 3 Act Comedy "The Road Back" in Mt. Stewart Hall, Monday, May 16th. Good Specialties. Admission 25 cents and 15 cents. 2869-5-6-10-13-31.
- Sun Life does business in 43 Countries. Sold five hundred millions last year. Has 3 Billions Insurance in force. Largest of its kind in British Empire. Arrange your policy with J. A. Moore.
- The Indian River Dramatic Club will present their play "Little Miss Jack" in Malpeque Hall, Wednesday evening, May 18th at 8:30. Under the auspices of the Malpeque Rink Club. Special specialties. Admission 25 cents and 15 cents. 3037-5-13-11.
- Cream Route—Mr. W. Watterworth is now hauling cream to the Central Creameries, Ltd., on the Montague, Killmore, Glen Martin, Brooklyn Route Tuesday of each week until further notice. 3047-5-13-31.
- Mrs. Slocumbe, 170 Sydney St., has moved to 100 Kent St., where she will now be located under the name of "Helen's Beauty Shoppe." Marcelling, finger waving, oil shampoo, facials, manicuring, etc., a specialty. Manager, Mrs. P. Slocumbe. 100 Kent St. Phone 844. 3037-5-13-21.

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