EVELYN IN COLLAPSE

RUMOR PREVALENT THAT MRS. THAW HAS BROKEN DOWN.

HUMMEL MAY BE INDICTED

He Faces Prosecution for Perjury—Closing of the Case Delayed—Thaw Sends Money to Flood Sufferers.

New York.—Reports that Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw has collapsed and that Abe Hummel faces prosecution for perjury as a result of his testimony about the affidavit accusing Harry Thaw of cruelty toward Evelyn were prevalent Tuesday. Little definite information on either report could be gleaned, but it appeared certain that the woman who bared her innermost life to save her husband had broken down after showing unusual fortitude in the ordeals of the witness stand.

It is rumored Attorney Delmas will begin proceedings to have Hummel indicted for perjury on his testimony. Hummel's criminal record will also be used to discredit his reliability as a witness.

By prolonging his cross-examination of one of the seven alienists introduced by the defense to testify that Harry K. Thaw was insane when he shot and killed Stanford White, District Attorney Jerome made it impossible for the defense to finally close its case Tuesday.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Mayor George W. Guthrie, of this city, received a letter from Harry K. Thaw Tuesday in which a check for $100 was inclosed to aid persons suffering from the flood of last week.

The mayor replied that no fund had been raised in Pittsburg but that one had been raised in Allegheny, and asked what disposition should be made of the money.

NICARAGUA URGES LOOTING.

Offers as Booty Cities Captured from Honduras and Salvador.

Puerto Cortez, Honduras, via New Orleans.—A turn of sinister and widespread significance was given to the Central American war Tuesday by the finding, on the persons of captured Nicaraguan soldiers, of proclamations promising them the loot of the first cities which they can capture in both Honduras and Salvador.

This proclamation at once amounted to a practical declaration of war by Nicaragua against Salvador. It howed that the Nicaraguan soldiers are at least being sent to fight what they believe a war of vengeance, and it placed Americans in Puerto Cortez and throughout this republic on the anxious seat because of the fact that American residents or American capital form the principal property-holders of most of the Honduras cities, especially those which are richest and therefore most liable to loot in case of success of the Nicaraguan army.

WALSH TO BE INDICTED AGAIN.

New Bills Against Chicago Ex-Banker Asked of Federal Jury.

Chicago.—New indictments against John R. Walsh, former president of the Chicago National bank, are to be asked of the special federal grand jury, which was impaneled Tuesday before Judge Anderson, of Indiana. The fact that Walsh's operations in connection with the suspension of the bank in December, 1905, are again to be probed by this grand jury has been sacredly guarded by the government officials. Announcement of it proved a complete surprise to Walsh's lawyers and his friends. United States District Attorney Edwin W. Sims executed a complete flank movement by withholding this information from Walsh's adherents.

OKLAHOMA'S HOTTEST DAY.

Mercury Stands at 102 in the Shade at Guthrie.

Guthrie, Okla.—All heat records of Oklahoma were broken when the thermometer Tuesday afternoon registered 102 in the shade. The unusual heat was accompanied by a stiff breeze. Reports from all over the territory are of a like nature. At Oklahoma City the mercury reached 97, and at Thomas 99.

Falling Roof Kills Children.

Torreon, Mexico.—Nine persons, eight of them school children, were instantly killed Tuesday and many others injured at Durango, Mexico, by the collapse of the roof of the public school building while the rooms were crowded with pupils.

Count Lamsdorff is Dead.

London.—A dispatch received from Rome by a news agency says that Count Lamsdorff, the former Russian minister of foreign affairs, died at midnight Tuesday at San Remo.

Saengerfest Postponed a Year.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Because the proposed Coliseum will not be built in time for holding the saengerfest this year, the National Saengerbund has decided to postpone the event until 1908, when it will be held here.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich Dies.

Boston.—Thomas Bailey Aldrich, the author, died at his home in this city Tuesday. He failed to rally from a surgical operation performed about a month ago. Mr. Aldrich is survived by his widow and one son.

GREAT BOOM IN JOLIET

Public Improvements and New Industries Make a Big Demand for Labor, and Growth in Population Makes a Demand for Houses.

Last fall the mills of Joliet demanded 2,000 additional men. Business was greatly hampered by the lack of employes. The business men of Joliet were uncertain how to get the required help, but by judicious advertising succeeded in supplying the want. Now comes the demand for more places for the people to live in; more houses, more apartments. Notwithstanding the healthy growth of the city in the last few years there is a scarcity of houses. This is the house-builder's golden opportunity.

The latest industrial development is the determination of the United States Steel corporation to construct 400 coke ovens at Joliet so as to supply coke direct to the great steel plant and to utilize the gas from coke manufacture in generating steam and for other uses. The steel plant employs over 3,000 men, and produces 5,000 tons of steel daily. The construction of the coke ovens will require hundreds more workmen, and when they are in operation many men must be employed to tend them. All these men must have homes.

The work of track elevation in Joliet is going rapidly forward. The new work of the Chicago sanitary district in extending the drainage canal through the city, widening and deepening the channel, requires the outlay of large sums of money for labor. Another stupendous project is the removal of the state penitentiary farther down the river. New factories are continually springing up in Joliet, while old ones are enlarging and extending their business. The labor outlook was never brighter.

Yet in the midst of all this commercial and industrial activity very little attention has been given to the exploitation of real estate. No town or city has ever presented such an opportunity for the shrewd real estate man to enlarge his fortune. All around the city, and even within the city are places ripe for subdivision, which may be obtained at fairly moderate prices, waiting the touch of the master hand. The homes are now inadequate for the 50,000 population, and many more are coming who will want new homes.

It is a fact that under present conditions there are over 4,000 more adult males than adult females in Joliet, who will sooner or later marry and demand homes. The prospect of rapid growth is therefore probably unequaled by any city of the United States. Conditions indicate that the real estate business will be the next to feel the impulse of these great industrial activities. If you are interested write to the Citizens' Alliance, Joliet, Ill.

Put Bismarck in Hole.

When "Bull Run" Russell, who died a short time ago, was with the German army in 1870 he reported a long interview with the crown prince (Frederick), some expressions in which gave umbrage to Bismarck. Bismarck sent for him, lost his temper and said: "I suppose you couldn't resist showing your importance by reporting all that that 'dunderhead' confided to you?" Russell replied: "Your excellency knows that I always respect confidences; there is much that you have said to me yourself that I have not reported." Bismarck: "Pouf! Anything I say to you you may bawl from the top of St. Paul's." "I thank your excellency," said Russell. "I shall use that permission to record your opinion of the crown prince."

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