

**CRIMINAL COURT
NOW IN SESSION.**

Many Cases are on the Docket.

SOME DISPOSED OF.
Wham Case is Set for Thursday.

Impression is That it will be Tried— Large Attendance of People Here.

The court of general sessions, Judge Dantzier Presiding, opened Monday. A big crowd of people are here, including jurymen and witnesses. Mr. Sease, the popular solicitor of the circuit is on hand and pushing the business. Mr. Motte, the stenographer, is also here.

Great interest centers around the case of John Wham, charged with the murder of Lafayette Ramo. The arraignment was had Monday, the defendant pleaded not guilty and the case was set for Thursday.

The impression is that the case will be certainly tried. Judge Dantzier is giving general and great satisfaction.

State against Henry Posey, alias Sloan, negro, assault and battery with intent to kill and concealed weapons; guilty of assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature on first count, guilty on second count; ten months on chain gang.

John Workman, negro, assault and battery, pleaded guilty; 12 months on chain gang.

C. O. Hanout, violating dispensary law, no bill.

True bills were found against Walter Lowe, riot; Reuben Glasgow, burglary; Ella Thomas and Walter Forgy, burglary.

Perry Cooper, murder. Cooper was arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

Dan Young, negro, murder, arraigned and pleaded guilty to manslaughter. Sentence three years.

Reuben Glasgow, negro, pleaded guilty to breaking into a house with intent to commit an assault.

The jury in the case of Farrel Milam indicted for larceny returned a verdict not guilty at three thirty yesterday afternoon. This was the fourth trial of this case.

The court was engaged in the trial of Walter Lowe and Press Lowe charged with riot and assault with intent to kill at the close of the day's work yesterday.

Brewerton Notes.
BREWERTON, July 27.—It becomes our sad duty to chronicle the death of Mr. Lewis S. Martin, who died the 19th of July. Thus passes away a noble Christian man, one who was noted for his quiet, sweet disposition. To know him was to love him. Perhaps, no man had fewer enemies and more friends than he. He was a consistent member of the M. E. Church at New Zion. For 60 years he served his Lord and Master most faithfully. He lived to the good old age of 83 years. He leaves a host of relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

At this writing we have no sickness in this, our immediate neighborhood.

The farmers are rounding up their farm work. Crops are looking well especially corn. Cotton is improving fast and bids fair to be a good crop.

A colored man, Perry Boland, who lived on Mrs. Mattie Owling's place was accidentally killed yesterday, the 22nd, in cleaning out a well. Perry was well thought of.

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MAN HUNTING

By Walter H. Fairleigh
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The English government had been appealed to by Russia to make England too hot to hold the nihilists who were hatching plots against the life of the czar, and Detective Frazer had been employed to take the preliminary steps. He was to locate the "center" and spot the individuals comprising it, and when all was ready he would call for assistance and draw a full net.

Frazer was the right man in the right place. He was a human bloodhound by instinct. He was without mercy or pity for a criminal. He was ambitious, zealous and untiring. If any public officer in London could locate the bloodthirsty theorists who were causing the czar so much anxiety, it was Frazer. He was a man of wonderful intuition, and he was trained in the art of running down shadows till he found them, flesh and blood.

The government did not let it become publicly known that he was making a move against the refugee conspirators, and Frazer took care that he should know of his mission. He went on a still hunt for three months, and during that time he covered every district in London and became familiar with every suburb. Luck and intuition guided him aright. One night he called in the aid of the police and made a descent on a house, bagging eight of the men he wanted. The papers did not call them nihilists, but counterfeits, for the papers were not told of the bombs, infernal machines and treasonable literature captured with them.

There were ten nihilists in the group, and Frazer had secured but eight of them. The eight were given up to Russia to become Siberian exiles, but the other two were left behind to avenge them. That they would seek his death Frazer fully realized and prepared himself for the struggle. If they had to do with a crafty, aggressive man who knew no fear, he had to do with two cunning, vindictive men who had sworn to take his life and would dare everything to accomplish their object. Their identity was unknown to him, as they had been out of the country while he was working up his case, while it was more than probable that they knew him by sight.

They also had the advantage of having friends among the criminal classes who would aid them in various ways.

Having concluded his labors for the English government, the English government wanted nothing more of Detective Frazer. Were it known that he had received orders from the cabinet there was no telling what public building might be blown up in revenge. An infernal machine in the house of parliament or a bomb thrown through a window of Somerset House would awaken all England in an hour, and questions might be asked that the government would find it embarrassing to answer.

While England and Russia have long been on the most friendly terms, there are a few people of England, and many of them people of influence, who sympathize with the struggle for freedom in Russia and argue that the czar's obstinacy has driven his subjects to adopt extreme measures. The government would have been glad to hear that Frazer was going off to Australia or America for a long vacation, and it so happened that he was just about to do so, but he had been marked down by the two nihilists, and pride prevented him from running away. While they hunted for him he would hunt for them. It should be a battle to the death.

He made an immediate move, and perhaps it was with a feeling of exultation that he discovered that the enemy was just as prompt. He was in a low dancehouse in disguise when the point of a knife thrust at his heart was buried in the memorandum book in his pocket, and the would be assassin got away. Frazer was not injured, but his nerves were a bit shaken. In leaving the street behind him a brick, dropped from a third story window, missed his head by an inch. The next day he called other officers to his aid and raided a house of doubtful character, but of all the persons pulled in none was detained beyond a day.

From that day on, for months and months, Frazer was hunting over London. He was never far from his comrades knew him. He had a dozen different disguises, and if he was a "fort" one day he was a costermonger the next. Here and there he picked up a clue until it came to pass that he knew the lodgings of his foes and would have recognized their faces on the street. Then they suddenly disappeared, and within a week they had taken a leaf out of his book and adopted disguises. A seeming mendicant accosted him one day and sought to stab him in the back. As he walked the streets one night a bullet whizzed by his head. A box was left at his lodgings which proved to be an infernal machine, and in the crowd at the entrance of a theater an attempt was made to assassinate him.

It was a game of life and death well played, but though the detective realized that the odds were against him he would not give up. He shifted his lodgings, had the press announce that he had left England, and went into the stumps as an evangelist. After two weeks he spotted one of his men, but before he could make a move he was assaulted and laid up for a fortnight. He was traced to his new lodgings, and a bomb was used to blow out the front of the house.

He was determined to give the nihilists no rest.

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ists no rest until he had them in limbo, and on the other hand a new "center" appeared and solemn oaths were taken to run Frazer to his death before carrying out any other work. He was warned by anonymous letters of what was being done and what was inevitable unless he drew off, but each new development only made him the more determined. He felt now that it was a losing game on his side, but he would continue to play it to the end.

In four months Frazer shifted his lodgings seven times. During the same time he shot and wounded two men who had sought to corner him, and he arrested eight or ten suspicious characters. A man who had entered his lodgings at midnight was almost killed by a blow from a club, and another, who was surprised in the act of throwing a bomb through the window, was flung into the gutter and had his leg broken. At his last shift of lodgings Frazer moved clear across London and assumed the disguise of a tramp. For a week he heard nothing from his foes, but if they had dropped him he had not done with them. He had subordinates who were picking up threads for him as he rested. One afternoon, as he sat in a small park after having solicited alms in his disguise, a middle aged man of the dress and bearing of a clergyman turned in from the street and sat down beside him. At first the detective rose up in an excited way, as if to flee; then he sat down and seemed perfectly helpless. His face grew pale, his eyes dilated, and, though he made an effort to speak, his words stuck in his throat.

All this was witnessed by two other strollers in the vicinity. A nurse-girl who was wheeling a child up and down the walk said that his lips were blue and his chin quivering. She heard the supposed clergyman address him several times, but there was no answer. The sun was shining, the people about him were laughing, and it was a summer's day, but the disguised detective shook and shuddered. It could only be that afterward that the child of death was upon him and that his nervous system had been suddenly upset by the unexpected appearance of one of his foes.

By and by the clergyman went away and left Frazer sitting there bolt upright, his hands clasped and his eyes staring into vacancy. It was ten minutes before a policeman came along and had his attention attracted by the pining of the man's face. He laid his hand on the tramp's shoulder and asked him if he were ill, and the body toppled over sideways on the bench. The disguised Frazer had been stable to the heart by a small dagger in the hands of the clergyman, and the man who had been marked down had been removed at last. What was called "the park mystery" created a good deal of talk and wonder, and it was announced that the best talent of Scotland Yard had been put on the case. No arrests were ever made, however, and to this day it is a mystery to the English public why the murder should have been committed.

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