

"THIRD DEGREE" IS USED TO SAVE POLICE TROUBLE OF DIGGING UP THE EVIDENCE, SAYS U.S. COMMISSIONER J. D. LAWSON

Canadian In High Position in Washington Investigates British Criminal Procedure For His Government and Finds Many Points of Superiority—No Technicalities, Delays, Yellow Press, Or Unnecessary Arrests in the British Courts.

A distinguished visitor at present in Toronto is Mr. John Davison Lawson, LL.D., the chairman of the committee on Reform in Criminal Procedure, American Institute of Criminal Law and Criminology, who is one of the two commissioners from the United States who last year visited England for the purpose of making a study of criminal procedure in that country.



JUDGE J. D. LAWSON.

Mr. Lawson is a Canadian, having been born at Hamilton, and was called to the bar at Osgoode Hall. But his legal career has been passed entirely in the United States, where he has filled several highly important offices, having been a judge of the Civil Court from 1886 to 1891, and president of the Missouri Bar Association in 1894.

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of their duties to summon as witnesses at the trial all persons who know anything about the facts of the case, whether their testimony may favor the prosecution or the defence. I formed a very high opinion, indeed, of the English police force, and I can conceive of no finer body of men than the Metropolitan police. The English policeman is the friend of the public.

Despatch in the Courts. "Secondly, I was immensely impressed with the speed in which the English courts dispose of criminal cases. The trial judge is not a mere presiding officer, but he takes an active and controlling part in the trial, and brushes aside technical objections. It seems to be one of the chief objects of the English courts to discourage technicalities and to do substantial justice. They are far, far speedier in their methods than we are in the States. Then, too, in England, there is an absence of new trials, and, to such, I believe, is largely attributable the speed and certainty of the administration of justice there.

aiding judge that justice shall be done. Particularly is this so in undated cases. In several of those which I heard the judge cross-examined the prosecution's witnesses, and in summing up to the jury brought out strongly the points in favor of the prisoner. The cases in which a prisoner is wrongly convicted, must, I think, be very, very few indeed, and very far between.

Notices by Newspapers. "Fourthly, I was impressed by the influence of the courts upon the press, and the authority which they exercised in preventing the newspapers from prejudicing a pending case. From the day the prosecution is begun until the jury renders its verdict, a newspaper is not permitted to comment upon the evidence or express opinions upon the guilt or innocence of the prisoner. This is eminently as it should be.

Gave Evidence on Divorce. Mr. Lawson could not speak too highly of the consideration extended to him by the English judges and leading English lawyers during the four months sojourn in England, which his mission entailed. Everything possible was done to make his investigation successful, and two of the High Court judges, Justices Darling and Bray, took him and his co-commissioner on circuit with them for the assistance in their methods of dealing with the English criminal procedure as it works in the provinces.

Mr. Lawson is visiting his mother at 35 Bernard avenue. He was in the witness chair for the first time in the English criminal procedure as it works in the provinces. It happens that Mr. Lawson has been for several years a member of what is called the National Commission on uniform State laws, and this Commission was engaged at Detroit last year in the discussion of a uniform divorce law for all the States. However, when he was in England, the Royal Commission on Divorce, which was sitting at the time, was quick to seize on his services as a witness, and he was in the witness chair for the first time in the English criminal procedure as it works in the provinces. He described the Commission as a most able body, and says it displayed great interest in the divorce law of the United States. Mr. Lawson made the acquaintance of Lord Gorell, the ex-president of the English Probate and Divorce Division, with whom he subsequently struck up a friendship.



VARDON AGAIN CHAMPION OF GREAT BRITAIN

Easily Defeated Massey, of France, for the Open Title To-day.

Canadian Press Despatch. Sandwich, Eng., June 30.—In the play-off of their tie of the open gold championship to-day, Harry Vardon, of South Heris Golf Club, defeated Massey, of France, by 18 holes, winning the title, the championship cup, gold medal, and \$250. The Frenchman retired at the 35th hole when Vardon had an overwhelming lead. Vardon has won the open title five times, the last preceding time being in 1913. Massey was open champion in 1907.

J. W. CINNAMON DEAD.

Well-Known Druggist Passed Away—Was Unconscious for Some Time. J. W. Cinnamon, druggist, at the corner of Agnes and Elizabeth streets, is dead. He had not been in good health for some time, but no serious results were expected, and he died suddenly at the end.

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PRIZE GIVEN BY HIGH PARK RATEPAYERS' ASSOCIATION.

The handsome cup which is to be put up for competition in the "uplifting art of gardening" will be on exhibition to-night. It will become the permanent property of the man who wins it three years, not necessarily in succession.

ACTING MAYOR CALLED CON. CHURCH TO TIME

Acting Mayor Spence and Controller Church waged a wordy warfare this morning over the new intake situation, and Controller Ward injected a few remarks. Controller Church wanted to know just what had been done at the conference with the expert engineers yesterday.

Acting Mayor Spence—"You voted for an interim appropriation for them," Messrs. Spence and Church argued over yesterday's doings until finally the acting Mayor became a bit ruffled and pounded with his fist on the table for order, commanding Controller Church not to interrupt him.

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Economical Homekeepers Will Keep These Prices in Mind for Monday

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- Reduced for Instant Selling. BUFFET, quarter-cut oak finish, golden. Reg. \$28.00. Sale price 17.75. BUFFET, quarter-cut oak, golden polish. Reg. \$48.00. Sale price 30.75. EARLY ENGLISH BUFFET, quarter-cut oak. Reg. \$36.00. Sale price 26.00. BUFFET, in tamed oak. Reg. \$97. Sale price 60.00. SIDEBOARD, golden finish, 2 drawers and double cupboard. Reg. \$23.50. Sale price 8.25. SIDEBOARD, quarter-cut oak finish, golden. Reg. \$36.00. Sale price 23.50. EXTENSION TABLES, in quarter-cut oak finish, 6 legs. Reg. \$11.50. Sale price 6.50. EXTENSION TABLE, golden finish, 6 legs. Reg. \$8.50. Sale price 4.85. EXTENSION TABLE, pedestal base, early English finish. Reg. \$12.50. Sale price 11.75. EXTENSION TABLE, quarter-cut oak, golden finish, pedestal base. Reg. \$29.75. Sale price 18.00. DINERS, quarter-cut oak, golden finish, pad seats. Reg. \$28.75. Sale price per set of 5 and 1 arm chair 15.99. DINERS, quarter-cut oak, golden finish, spring seats, pad backs. Reg. \$56.00 per set. Sale price 33.50. HIGH-BACK WOOD DINER, saddle seat. Reg. \$11.00. Sale price 6.00. DINERS, quarter-cut oak, padded leather seat and back. Reg. \$20. for 5. Sale price 4.25. ARM CHAIR to match. Reg. \$8.40. Sale price 5.40. ARM CHAIR, quarter oak. Reg. \$4.50. Sale price 2.00. Same as above. Reg. \$9.00. for 5. Sale price 5.30. LIVING ROOM CHAIR, solid mahogany, was \$30.00, now 19.50. DINNER GONG, early English finish, was \$4.25, now 2.45.



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- BOILERS, No. 8 or 9 size, with copper bottom. Regular \$1.90, only .99. SOLID ALL COPPER BOILER, pit or flat bottom. Regular \$4.50, only 2.75. STEP LADDERS, made of hardwood, 6 steps. Regular \$6c, only .45. OIL STOVE, cast iron front, one burner. Regular \$6c, only .50. OIL STOVE, 3-burner, cast iron front. Regular \$2.50, only 1.60. ASBESTOS SAD IRONS, solid core, nickel plated, regular \$3.25 set, only 2.25. ELECTRIC IRON, nickel plated, will cost you only one cent an hour for ironing. Regular \$6.25, only 3.75. GAS WATER HEATER, cast iron body, with solid copper coil, very powerful burner, regular \$15, only 9.50. GAS WATER HEATER, solid copper coil, splendid heater. Regular \$12.50, only 7.50. OXFORD GAS RANGE, double ovens, 18 inch, 5 top burners, regular \$28.75, only 17.75. GAS RANGE, elevated ovens, McClary's best, regular \$14.00, only 9.50. CABINET GAS RANGE, with side ovens and large warming closet, regular \$52.00. Only 31.00. GO-CARTS, collapsible, with extra strong wheels and mud guards, all steel covered, in black, green, tan, or maroon leather cloth, with hood to match, regular \$12.75. Only 5.95. ALARM CLOCKS, loud alarm, guaranteed. Regular \$1.40. Only .80.

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CANUCK KITCHEN CABINET, solid oak. Reg. \$29.75. Sale price 19.50. COMBINATION KITCHEN CABINET and Breakfast Table. Reg. \$12. Sale price 7.95. KITCHEN CHAIRS. Reg. 65c. Sale price .40.

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- TEA SETS, 40 pieces, fine china, kermis shaped cups, decorations of violets and roses. Regular \$6.50, only 2.95. DINNER SETS, 98 pieces, floral decorations. Regular \$9.50, only 4.95. DINNER SET, 98 pieces, with decorations of colored flowers. Some have cobalt blue band, gold trimmed. Regular \$15.75, only 8.75. TOILET SET, 10 pieces, floral design. Regular \$2.90, only 1.85. TOILET SET, 10 pieces, tinted and floral designs. Regular up to \$6.50, only 2.95.

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SHOULD MRS. NEAPOLITANA BE SENT TO GALLOWES?

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reported to have said, "All right, I'll do what you say, but I ever catch her doing this again, I'll carry her." Was Sorry for Husband. Just what he said he would do was done, months after, when he returned from the bush and found her in the same circumstance, with the same individual. For his offence he was allowed to go on suspended sentence, after the magistrate was satisfied that he had received a certain amount of provocation. The crown, in its prosecution of the murder case, alleged that it was in revenge for his husband's attack on her that she hacked off his head while he slept.

Strange is the stand taken by the Italians in the west end of the city, where she lived. Not a signature has been obtained for the petition which was taken up there. They say but little when asked about her, as a rule just nodding their heads and saying "bad woman." It is also known that an officer of the Children's Aid Society had made repeated visits to the woman's home, and on one occasion had threatened to take the children from her custody, and would probably have done so, but for the intervention of the Queen's Bench. Neapolitana was the prime mover of the officer's visit.

Americans Take a Hand. The first move which was made in the condemned woman's behalf is said to have been in the form of a petition to the Soo of an American newspaper man. The Journal which he represented was one of a syndicate, and a form of petition was printed on the front page of all the papers published by the syndicate. Besides the papers of the McRae syndicate, the New York Telegraph, Cleveland Press, and Hearst papers have taken a marked interest in the woman's fate. Some of them have printed a full page representing her as the martyr-wife of a man who regarded his wife as a chattel.

Big List of Speakers. Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, June 30.—The Duke of Connaught, Lord Strathcona, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Archbishop of Canterbury, and Sir Frederick Borden will speak at the Dominion Day dinner to-night.

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DINGHY RACE TO-DAY. W. G. Rellley of the Toronto Canoe Club the Winner. In an ideal wind for dinghy sailing W. G. Rellley of the Toronto Canoe Club won the Birley Cup this morning from a fleet of twenty dinghies in the Queen's Regatta Club regatta. The course, which was about two miles, was over the club's regular course twice around, making six miles. Every one of the dinghies went across the starting line without bumping or fouling. There were 67 entries. The first five to cross the line were: 1. W. G. Rellley, T.C.C. 2. Douglas, T.C.C. 3. M. Crosby, Alexandra Club. 4. A. C. Turner, R.C.Y.C. 5. J. A. Anderson, National. The 16-foot skiff race is on this afternoon. To Start Compulsory Service. Melbourne, June 30.—Kitchener's compulsory service scheme starts on Saturday. Ninety-four per cent of the youths examined in January have proved medically fit.

No Man is Stronger Than His Stomach. A strong man is strong all over. No man can be strong who is suffering from weak stomach with its consequent indigestion, or from some other disease of the stomach and its associated organs, which impairs digestion and nutrition. For when the stomach is weak or diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in food, which is the source of all physical strength. When a man "doesn't feel just right," when he doesn't sleep well, has an uncomfortable feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous, irritable and despondent, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength. Such a man should use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enriches the blood, invigorates the liver, strengthens the kidneys, nourishes the nerves, and so GIVES HEALTH AND STRENGTH TO THE WHOLE BODY. You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this non-alcoholic medicine of known composition, not even though the urgent dealer may thereby make a little bigger profit. Ingredients printed on wrapper.

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