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Other hats at \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00, \$40.00, \$45.00 and \$50.00 all go in Saturday's sale at half price.

Reduced Prices On Fine Suits Saturday

HIGH-CLASS BEAUTIFUL TAILORED GARMENTS

\$50.00 SUITS at **\$35.00**

Lovely Lingerie Dresses for Dressy Occasions. We are now making a special display of pretty white dresses, which must be seen to be appreciated. The prices of such dresses are very modest—\$10.50, \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00, \$19.50, \$22.50 and \$25.00.

We have the very best and most careful fitter engaged specially to alter these pretty dresses.

\$45.00 SUITS at **\$30.00**

Women's Waists—The dainty nets, the ever present lingerie, the lovely embroidered styles, are now here in all their summer beauty. Prices from \$2.25 up to \$10.50.



Coming—One of the Greatest Opportunities of the Season. All colored and black dress goods remnants from last week's special Clearing Sale, on sale Monday, May 18. See Sunday's papers for particulars.



Women's Waists—A new tailor made Linen Waist. We have just received from Coon Bros., of Troy, New York, a new novelty in a linen waist, made with wide plaits, box plait down the front of pale blue chambray, finished with dainty white cord, price \$3.50.

Saturday Candy Special.

Balduff's Soul Kiss Chocolates, regular price 60c pound, Special Saturday, per pound at **30c**



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FRENCH WIN IN HOT BATTLE

Sustain Loss of Thirteen Men, but Inflict Heavy Loss Upon Arabs.

ALOIERE, May 15.—The French force under General Vigy lost thirteen men killed and sixty-five wounded during a fierce engagement yesterday with the fanatical Arabs. Three French officers were killed. The Arab losses are described as heavy. This engagement was preceded May 13 by a battle in the vicinity of Beni Ouzin, which also lasted all day. The French force was composed of infantry, cavalry and artillery and it drove the Arabs in the direction of Boudenis.

NOW SAYS WOMAN IS DEAD

Dr. Norton, Mrs. Guinness' Dentist, Identifies Jawbone.

MAKES HIS STATEMENT POSITIVE

Only Thing Delaying Case of the State Against Lamphere Has Been Establishment of Corpus Delicti.

LA PORTE, Ind., May 15.—There is no question but that the piece of jawbone found in the Guinness farm yesterday is from a human being. Furthermore, it bears a strong resemblance to the lower jaw of Mrs. Guinness.

This positive statement of identification was made by Dr. I. P. Norton, the dentist who performed a large amount of work on the teeth of the owner of the death farm, after he had examined the specimen brought to him by the coroner.

"There is almost no chance that the bone came from the jaw of an animal," he said. "It shows the conformation as far forward as the cuspid teeth and also shows that all the teeth intervening had been extracted."

Mrs. Guinness had only two teeth left in her lower jaw. There was a cuspid on each side.

"I tried to persuade her to have them extracted and to let me make a plate for her, but she insisted upon bridge work, and I crowned the two cusps with gold and swung a bridge from them."

Proof of Expert's Theory. "In the human jaw, when teeth have been extracted from two to five years, the bone forms a plate over the cavities. That condition existed in Mrs. Guinness' jaw and it exists in the specimen found in the ashes by Sheriff Smutzer. Had the jaw come from an animal there would have been no trace of extraction. Some root or other remnants of each tooth would probably be discovered some of the gold which I placed upon the cuspid teeth to make the identification of this piece of bone positive and complete. So far as I myself am concerned I am certain as to the origin of the bone now."

The doctor said that a study by the methods of comparative anatomy will bear out his assertions. He is planning to send the specimen to the curators at

musium at the Chicago College of Dental Surgery.

Sheriff Smutzer also brought in to Dr. Norton a number of new bits of metal found in the debris this morning. They proved, however, to be brass. Otherwise the search at the farm was fruitless.

Great Help to State's Case.

The report of the coroner's physicians to the effect that the jawbone found at the Guinness farm yesterday is all that is required to confirm the establishment of the corpus delicti in the case against Ray Lamphere, according to the prosecuting officials of this county. Just when this formal report will be made is uncertain.

The same doctors considered their findings on the bodies found in the cellar of the Guinness home for ten days or more before making a formal report concerning them to the coroner.

Sheriff Smutzer was jubilant over his discoveries last night and resumed his investigation today. The material on the east side of the cellar, where the bodies were found, has all been screened, but the possibilities of the refuse piles are by no means exhausted. The ashes were shoveled from the east side to the west side of the foundation and partially back again during the search for the bodies and the subsequent cursory examination of the ruins for evidence. As a consequence some finds of considerable value to the prosecution may yet be turned up.

Evidence of Hot Fire.

The bits of metal found by the miners among the piles of nails, bolts and other relics of the farm house will bear evidence of one fact if they do not prove to be gold fillings or crowns from Mrs. Guinness' teeth.

Each globule is fused into the cinders with which it came in contact and moulded into all sorts of irregular shapes. No better testimony as to the fierceness of the fire which consumed the farm house could be found, and it is upon the alleged tremendous heat engendered in the flaming ruins that the state must depend for support of its contention that the head of Mrs. Guinness was incinerated on the morning of April 28.

The case against Ray Lamphere probably will be brought before the grand jury Monday, according to the first revision of the schedule in this regard. The time of his trial is less certain. Until Sheriff Smutzer has exhausted the possibilities of the farm house it is scarcely likely that the case will be docketed for trial. According to the present rate of progress this will mean a delay of months.

DOCTOR CALLS THAW INSANE

Superintendent of Mattewan Regards Him Menace to Society.

TELLS PRISONER'S STATEMENT

Thaw Steadfastly Refused to Talk of the Shooting of White, Acting Under Advice of Counsel.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 15.—Dr. Anos T. Baker, acting superintendent of the State Hospital for the Criminal Insane at Mattewan testified in the Thaw case today that in his opinion Thaw is insane. Dr. Baker said that in his opinion it would be dangerous to public safety to have Thaw go at large.

Dr. Carlos F. MacDonald, the alienist, testified that in his opinion Thaw is an incurable paranoiac, whose confinement is demanded by consideration of public safety.

Dr. Baker was the first witness to take the stand today. He was called by District Attorney Jerome, not as an expert, but to give the court a statement of Thaw's conduct during the three months he was in the Mattewan institution, beginning February 1, 1908.

A. Russell Peabody, Thaw's counsel in his last trial for killing Stanford White, was quoted today as saying Thaw would go on the witness stand to testify in the habeas corpus proceedings now in progress.

Dr. Baker related conversation with Thaw in which the latter told of epilepsy and nervous ailments suffered by a sister and uncle. Thaw, the witness said, also told of the desultory way in which his education was acquired. At 7 years of age, he said, he had Saint Vitus dance. He described an attack of pneumonia at Monte Carlo concerning which he did not agree with the diagnosis of his physicians.

Thaw's Youthful Habits.

Thaw told Dr. Baker, the latter said, that he used tobacco at 15, used alcohol in moderation and denied ever using drugs. The witness said Thaw described his movements preceding the shooting of White—his return from Europe and marriage to Miss Nesbit. He gave his age as 27, though he was 31 when he entered the hospital. Thaw told the witness that at his trial some of the doctors had greatly exaggerated their estimates of his condition; that they had in mind a nephew of his whom they had examined, who traveled under the same name and was often taken for him. He said that his lawyers and doctors did very clever work in his defense.

Dr. Baker said that Thaw said to him: "If I was ever insane in my life, the attack began one minute before I shot White and ended half a minute afterward."

The doctor repeated a description which Thaw gave him of the house alleged to have been maintained by Stanford White and others. He said that these men plotted to put him in an asylum to prevent him from exposing their alleged misdeeds.

On Brink of a Precipice.

"He told me that he appealed to Miss Helen Gould and was referred by her to Anthony Comstock," said Dr. Baker. "Thaw said detectives employed by him to watch White and the latter's house informed him that he was in danger." When the witness asked him to give the substance of the detectives' reports he refused to answer, "by advice of counsel." He said that his physicians and lawyers had advised him not to discuss what had occurred on the Square roof on the night he shot White. He volunteered, however, this much: He compared his situation at that moment to that of a man standing on the brink of a precipice seized with an irresistible impulse to jump.

Stimulants a Necessity.

While Thaw had said he did not want to be shown any favoritism, yet he was pensive when not given a stimulant and the opportunity to smoke.

On one occasion Thaw said Roosevelt took office as president October 15, 1905. He solved a mental example in arithmetic fairly well, but he was mixed on many well known dates.

Dr. Baker said that a physical examination of Thaw showed him to be generally normal. Referring again to his acquittal Dr. Baker quoted Thaw as saying: "I was not insane when acquitted and should not have been committed to a hospital. My lawyers made a mistake in not applying for habeas corpus immediately after the trial. I came here with the understanding that I was to be under observation thirty days and at that time discharged on a certificate of sanity."

"On February 25 there arrived at the hospital 200 chocolate bars," said Dr. Baker. "I found that Thaw had ordered them and wished them distributed among the attendants, who were to have a dance that night."

Mr. Jerome, by questions to the witness, brought out the testimony of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw in one of the former trials, that she was very fond of chocolate eclairs and had enjoyed eating them at one of Standford White's parties.

Domineering and Peevish.

Dr. Baker said that Thaw purchased a quantity of gospel hymn books for the use of the patients. "On one occasion," said Dr. Baker, "he said that the newspapers were behaving beautifully."

Dr. Baker described Thaw's manner as domineering and peevish.

Dr. Baker, who has been on the medical staff of the state hospitals at Dannemora and Mattewan for eight years, was asked by Mr. Jerome:

"Have you encountered many insane persons who were able by cunning to conceal the fact of their insanity?"

Dr. Baker—I have. Such cases are not uncommon.

Mr. Jerome—I have seen the letters written by Mr. Thaw and the codicil to his will?

Dr. Baker—I have.

Mr. Jerome—From the reading of those documents, together with your conversations with and observations of Mr. Thaw, is he, in your opinion, sane or insane?

Dr. Baker—He is insane.

Mr. Jerome—In your opinion would it be dangerous to the public for him to go at large?

Dr. Baker—It would.

First Rattlesnake Victim.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., May 15.—(Special.)—The little 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elder, who reside on a homestead near Midland, is the first victim of the deadly rattlesnake reported thus far this season from that part of the coded Sioux land between the Missouri river and the Black Hills. The little girl was in the doorway of her home when the snake struck her the fangs entering the calf of her right leg. She owes her life to the fact that her parents were able to secure a physician without delay.

Memorites' Music Festival.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., May 15.—(Special.)—The music-lovers of southern South Dakota are looking forward with considerable interest to a grand musical festival, which is to be held on Sunday, June 14, at the Wolf Creek colony of Montanites in Hutchinson county. The festival will be held in a fine grove near the Jim river. It is expected that thousands of persons from Hutchinson and surrounding counties will be present to enjoy the musical treat. If

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the festival proves the success anticipated it is probable it will become a permanent affair and be held annually hereafter. About 30 musicians from southern South Dakota and from the east will take part in the festival, and the affair promises to be the greatest of its kind in the history of that part of South Dakota. The director of the festival will be Prof. J. F. Vogt of Armour, one of the leading musicians of South Dakota. There will be solos, duets, quartets and choruses, and those participating will be among the leading singers of the northwest. The festival will consist exclusively of sacred music.

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