

with the look of men who were perturbed as to the immediate future.

Inspector Dwyer and Inspector Cahalane, among the first arrivals, smiled vaguely, attempted amiability, but made a poor show of it.

They called Dwyer the sailor cop, while Costigan is known to the force as the lion's head.

The old timers around headquarters were making bets that the time that there would be the biggest shakedown since Bingham's day.

Hayes only one to balk. Waldo leveled his finger at Lahey and shot out: "What were your orders, sir?"

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It is all nonsense to say that I have any differences with Mayor Gaynor," said Commissioner Waldo.

The cause of the disciplining of Hayes and of the lines of the investigation was the sudden and productive excursion made late on Thursday night into the old Terdelor, Inspector Lahey's district.

Mr. Smith's raids were an outgrowth of the developments in the Rosenthal case. Hardly a day passes that the Rosenthal investigation fails to turn up a new and startling circumstance.

First Deputy Commissioner McKay hurried to Smith and asked him why he wanted the men.

Smith and Marcus, obtaining the thirty-six policemen, gave the men no hint as to where the warrants would be served.

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With Special Grand Jury the Justice Will Seek Bottom of Mire.

WORK TO BEGIN SEPT. 3

John Doe Proceedings to Get Evidence Otherwise Inaccessible.

SUPPLEMENT ALDERMEN Court's Power to Be Used Where Curran Committee Lacks Authority.

Supreme Court Justice John W. Goff, designated yesterday at the request of District Attorney Whitman to preside over an extraordinary session of the Supreme Court in September for the trials of Lieut. Becker and the others accused of the murder of Herman Rosenthal, probably will have other and more important duties than those of a trial judge.

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The Grand Jury Inquisition. The District Attorney, having this in mind, requested the Governor not only to name Justice Goff as the trial judge of the Rosenthal case defendants, but to give Justice Goff the power to conduct a Grand Jury inquisition which could unquestionably get clear to the bottom of the graft mire.

Very strong efforts have been made to keep this plan secret. It was feared that an announcement might scare out of town gamblers and go-brokers for the upper and under worlds.

But there are hundreds of gamblers, disorderly house keepers and sporting men as well as politicians, lawyers and business men who are interested in the Rosenthal case.

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While there has been no reason to doubt the purpose and determination of the local authorities to thoroughly investigate the Rosenthal case, it is believed that the ordinary channels, which are desired to the conclusion that the ends of justice would be best served by the convening of an extraordinary term of court for the express purpose both of affording such an investigation and of providing for a speedy and vigorous prosecution of indictments which may be found; and for that reason Attorney General Dix has now made it possible for me to carry out my convictions without risk of possible embarrassment to the office of the Prosecuting Attorney.

It goes without saying that every one who may have participated in the looting, pilfering or division of a name, or to impose as a consideration for police protection in breaking the law should be promptly brought to justice and severely punished.

unished, and as no official misconduct could be more aberrant than a deliberate act of murder under the alleged circumstances on the part of one or more persons whose specific employment is for the preservation of the public peace and the protection of life and property, it is deemed that the punishment of such an atrocious deed would be too lamentable for words.

And yet even if all the abominable things which have been charged are true I regard the punishment of such an atrocious deed as of less importance with regard to the lasting welfare of the community and of society at large than that the conditions which have at once led up to the final crime and at the same time made its consummation possible be witnessed by the actual compelling and unshrinking judicial inquiry.

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More Becker Money Found. Two Bank Accounts Show \$10,000—Schepps in Buffalo Over Sunday.

While District Attorney Whitman is at Manchester, Vt., getting some rest, under his doctor's orders, from the labors of the Rosenthal case, his assistants are examining the graft and murder evidence that has been obtained.

It was learned yesterday that the records of two in addition to five Becker bank accounts already verified have been found. The District Attorney has information that these two accounts will show deposits amounting to about \$10,000.

Anti-Vice Society Change. B. Holzer Succeeds Thomas L. McClintock as Superintendent.

At the office of the Society for the Prevention of Crime, which got the evidence for the raids on the disorderly houses Thursday night, it was admitted that Thomas L. McClintock, formerly the superintendent and for fifteen years identified with the work of the society in investigating gambling and graft in the city department, had severed his connection with that institution.

Mr. Holzer has been for some years a club member of the McClintock and is connected with Samuel Marcus and Assistant District Attorney James E. Smith in the raids. He ridiculed the idea that the Rosenthal investigation had anything to do with the anti-vice society.

Schepps Arrives in Buffalo. Prisoner Natty and Well Cressed, Less Perturbed Than Captured.

Buffalo, Aug. 16.—Sam Schepps, accompanied by Assistant District Attorney Rubin of New York and Detectives Thomas and Stewart of District Attorney Whitman's office arrived here yesterday night from the West.

GAYNOR ONLY OBSTACLE TO INQUIRY, SAYS CURRAN

Chairman of Aldermanic Board and Mayor Clash Over Appropriation.

SPEER A SHARP THORN

Alderman Sees in His Appointment a Gaynor Effort at Obstruction.

Alderman Henry H. Curran, who is chairman of the committee which is to investigate graft in the city, issued an arraignment of Mayor Gaynor and Corporation Counsel Watson yesterday at the City Hall.

He said he believed that it was a disgrace that the first obstacle which was interposed in the path of the investigators should come from the Mayor, and he wanted to know why such an investigation should be an annoyance to the chief executive, as the latter had intimated it would be.

The Alderman also fired some hot shot at the Mayor for accusing the Board of Aldermen of receiving graft for licenses to newsdealers. He put the situation up to the Mayor and said that if their was any graft it was because the chief executive had not done his duty and not because the Aldermen were guilty.

The Mayor and Alderman Curran had a long conference yesterday morning at the City Hall through Secretary Adamson. Mr. Curran said the Mayor did not care to see him personally but it was said at the Mayor's office that Mr. Curran had not asked to see his Honor.

Wedded in State Prison. Albert Gross, a Convict, Married to Young New York Woman.

ALBANY, Aug. 16.—In the chapel of the Great Meadow prison at Comstock today Albert Gross, who is serving time in that institution, became the husband of a young woman who resides in New York city, but whose name and identity are withheld by the prison authorities.

Short Tights Skirt Goes. Chicago Garment Makers Decrie More Modest Dress.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Exit the short clinging skirt and the revealing form defining jacket of feminine apparel, the subjects of a thousand trades by reformers.

Falling Iron Injures Four. Workmen at Power Plant in Nyack Taken to Hospital.

NYACK, Aug. 16.—Four men were injured today when a mass of iron fell from a new gas tank being constructed for the Rockland Light and Power Company here.

the support of the public—we can brush these curious instructions aside and go through to the end.

Mr. Buckner left town yesterday morning on a mysterious mission which had to do with uncovering graft. He had a conference with Mr. Curran before he left.

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Bedar Calls Mayor's Talk Cheap, Mean and Dishonest.

Mayor Gaynor's talk before the New York Newsdealers Association on Thursday night at Eldorado Hall, in which he said that a yearly graft of \$1,500,000 was being paid by newsdealers to Aldermen, brought a flat denial yesterday from Alderman Becker.

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University of Pennsylvania Max Reorganize Wharton School.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 16.—The proposed changes in the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania, and particularly those intended in the Wharton School of Finance and Economy, are due solely to the desire of the board of trustees to avoid any conflict with the executors of the estate of Joseph Wharton, according to a statement made today by Wharton Barker, one of the trustees and nephew of the founder of the school.

North Beach. FREE VAUDEVILLE DAILY. Beats East 99th & 134th St. Direct Trolley via Queensboro Bridge. FREE FIREWORKS TUES. & THURSDAYS.

Religious Notices. Services are held in the following Christian Science Churches: Sundays 11 A. M., Wednesdays 3 P. M., and during Au uat at Second Church on Sundays 8 P. M.

St. Thomas's Church. Rev. J. H. JOWETT, M. A., D. D., Rector. REV. JAMES M. BLACK, of Edinburgh will preach at both services. Strangers are cordially invited.

MAIL SORTER TEARS UP 5,000 LETTERS FOR CASH

Streets Vacant Lot With Destroyed Mail Matter Addressed to Germany.

THROWS CHECKS AWAY

Negro Confesses He Got \$3,000 From Envelopes and Lost Much at Craps.

Hiram Smith, 23 years old, a tall, small sorter in the foreign branch of the Post Office, was arrested last night at 129th street and Edgecombe avenue by Inspectors James Politt and Jacob They saw Smith tear up letters he had in his hands and throw the pieces in the grass in a lot adjacent to the City College of New York.

The search for evidence against Smith was started two weeks ago when a resident near the City College brought to Inspector Jacobs two envelopes with their contents torn to bits. He had found the envelope where Smith was arrested last night.

At the time of his arrest Smith had \$27 in bills in one pocket, which he admitted he had obtained from rifling letters since he had stopped work for the day at 6 o'clock. In another pocket in bills of large denominations the inspectors found \$388.85.

Smith said that \$10 of this amount belonged to him. In a vest pocket were four ten dollar tickets, one for a diamond ring for \$395 and the other for \$225.

The letters that Smith has stolen systematically for the past four months were personal letters addressed to Germany, in which checks, money orders, photographs and currency were enclosed. A few of the letters were addressed to a woman in Norway.

When Smith was asked by the inspectors how many letters he had stolen since he first began to make it a business he said 5,000. The inspectors say the number is probably much larger.

Smith confessed that \$1,018.85 that he had in currency and pawn tickets on his person at the time of his arrest represented stolen money. The inspectors said he had gambled pretty heavily recently and was very fond of craps.

He found the going heavy at first, he lost a couple of dollars, but I soon had luck at craps. I got rid of a big pile one night, but I doubled on it the second night. I think I must have cleaned up \$3,000 from letters that I have stolen, but I made at least \$1,000 last week. I spent it the other night.

He made a complete confession to the inspectors. He told them that he had gone to the vacant lot at Edgecombe avenue between 125th and 126th streets and there turn up the letters, taking only the money. The inspectors said they had found the lot Smith referred to was strewn with thousands of torn letters. These bushel baskets full were collected. Some of the checks were passed together.

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