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COURT RELEASES FATHER WHO BEAT INTOXICATED YOUTH

Donahue's Son in Hospital — Father to Protect Himself.

Thomas Donahue, who was arrested last night for assaulting his son, Walter, with a porcelain covered metal pitcher at their home, was arraigned in the city court today. His trial was continued until December 11. He was released on his own recognizance. The son who is now in St. Vincent's hospital with his head severely cut as a result of his father's onslaught, will be guarded and as soon as he has recovered will be taken to jail unless he can furnish \$50 bail.

NEWTOWN.

The funeral of Sarah Jane Coles, wife of Matthew Mullane, of Hawleyville, was held from St. Rose's church Thursday morning. A high mass of requiem was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. P. Fox. She is survived by her husband and eight children, the youngest of whom twins are but eight months old, her father a resident of Portland, Ore., and three brothers, John, James and Joseph Coles. The funeral was largely attended by many sympathizing friends, a number coming from out of town. The pall bearers were Patrick Roach, John Wahlen, Daniel Brennan, Michael Brennan, William Ready, William Collins. Interment took place in St. Rose's cemetery.

Mrs. Timothy McMahon, an aged resident of the town, died at her home near the Newtown station, Thursday. The funeral will take place Saturday morning from St. Rose's church at 9 o'clock, the arrangements being in charge of Undertaker William Honan. The Senior class of the Newtown High School are making arrangements for a dance to be given at the Town

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STAR WITNESS STATES THAT ROOSEVELT STARTED THE SUGAR TRUST 'PROBE'

(Special from United Press.) New York, Dec. 3.—That President Roosevelt began from an unknown source the alleged frauds committed in the weighing of sugar for the payment of duties completely ignored every other United States official. The government and ordered an independent investigation, was the startling assertion made on the stand in the United States Court by Richard Parr, the prosecution's star witness in the trial of the trust officials who are indicted for conspiracy to defraud the government through the sugar scale houses. Parr, who is now a deputy surveyor of the port of New York, discovered the fraudulent weighing of sugar by the trust in November, 1907. At that time he was a special agent in the Treasury Department. "When did you first begin your investigation into these alleged frauds?" asked Attorney Cochrane for the defendants. "Officially, on November 11th, 1907," answered Parr. "Is that the first work you did on these cases?" persisted Cochrane. "No sir. I had been working on the case since May of 1907," said Parr. "Under the direction of your superiors?" asked the attorney. "If you speak of the President as my superior, yes; if you speak of the Treasury Department officials as my superiors, no," was the answer. "When did you continue this line of questioning but it was clear from Parr's remarks that he had been independently assigned to the case by President Roosevelt six months before the Treasury Department officials became cognizant of the facts and ordered him to uncover the frauds. Cochrane made a graphic story of the discovery of the method of defrauding the government by means of the steel spring passed through the hole where it retained the operations of the scales and of the attempt to "fix him." After telling of his assignment to the sugar trust docks in Williamsburg and of his work there he took up the discovery of the spring. "Kehoe, (one of the defendants,) was sitting in a peculiar position near the government weighing room when I met Spitzer, the dock superintendent, and sat by him. There was a hole in the station and when I placed my hand in it I asked Kehoe how long he had been there. He said he knew nothing about it. I placed Kehoe in charge of the government weigher and started a telephone. On my way there I met Spitzer, the dock superintendent. He stopped me and wanted to fix things up. He noticed a Masonic em-

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Deportation Faces Another Immigrant

Another Hungarian who came to this city recently must leave unless friends come to his rescue. Alexander Simen of 627 Bostwick avenue, aged 28 years, is a victim of epilepsy. He came to this city from Philadelphia about a month ago. Dr. J. B. Hair who was called to attend him had him taken to the hospital. Simen had no money and the charitable department was notified. A communication has been sent to the State authorities and upon a receipt of the answer the man will be shipped back to his native land. He is willing to return. Besides living in Philadelphia he has lived in Canton, Ohio. He has been in the country about five years.

Dress Rehearsal of City Court Opening

A full dress rehearsal was held in the city court this morning for the opening of the city court next Monday. The figures in the rehearsal were Assistant Clerk John P. Gray, City Sheriff Joseph Kalafus, for whose benefit the rehearsal was held, and F. J. C. Joseph Coughlin, besides a newspaper man. The purpose of the rehearsal was to let the new city sheriff know what he expected to see Monday when he will open court. It will be his first try. It is customary for the city court to be opened by a city sheriff the first Monday in every month.

Saturday's Specials. Fresh meats: Legs of genuine Spring lamb, legs of fancy mutton, forequarters of lamb, roast pork, fresh shoulders, rib roasts of beef, pot roasts beef (prime), plate corned beef (fancy), fresh beef kidneys, fresh choice turkeys. Grocery specials: Buckwheat, package (B. P. M. brand) rolled oats, rice (slightly broken), pearl barley, elbow macaroni, noodles (all sizes), broken macaroni, shredded coconut, Royal baking powder. Vegetable department: Brussels sprouts, Boston lettuce, large head lettuce, native spinach, native kale, Cape Cod cranberries, string beans, wax beans, yellow onions, yellow turnips, fancy celeriac (large bunch), fancy cauliflower. The bakery department overflows with the finest bakery goods in the state. They are different from ordinary baker's products, they are better. Visit our butter department, the busiest butter store in the state. Full line of fresh made butter, all the fancy domestic and imported cheese. See display in State street window for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum. Bridgeport Public Market and Branch, 100 Market Building, State and Bank streets, and East Main street.

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