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WIFE 'FRAMED-UP' ON HIM SAYS BROWN

NEW YORK, July 3.—"I would have to be a fiend incarnate to harm that child."

Theodore J. R. Brown, for many years prosecutor of Ocean county, N. J., almost wept as he talked to a reporter about the charges brought against him by his wife.

He is a large man of fifty-one years, stolid, strong-featured and gray-haired. The wife, Lois Lyman Brown, who caused his arrest, is only about half his age, handsome and one of the most popular women in the northern tier of Jersey counties. He is accused of trying to assault Isabelle Wilbur, a thirteen-year-old protege of Mrs. Brown.

There is only a stone's throw between the Brown and Wilbur houses in the little village of Brielle, and both families have lived there for generations. He said:

"I can forgive Mrs. Brown almost everything because she loved our little Lois, 'Bo-bo' we called the baby. Every one in a hundred mile radius knows how crazy I was over my baby.

"Little Bella was beloved by our baby and that is why we kept her, despite her faults. She is not an attractive child. Mrs. Brown's statements would have people believe that I had misconducted myself with that girl for some time. In other words, if the charges are true, Mrs. Brown exposed the child's morals repeatedly for the sole purpose of forcing a financial settlement from me. It is unbelievable.

"The whole thing seems a ghastly tragedy to me, and even now I find it hard to credit it. Our baby, Bo-bo, used to say when I came home, 'Kiss mother,' then 'Kiss Bo-bo,' then 'Kiss Bella,' and I would do so, each in turn. The baby would crow joyfully."

Mrs. Brown denied at the home of her mother last night that she had "framed up" the charges against her husband to get his property and money. "He has very little if any of either," she said.

SENATE TO CLASH OVER WATER POWER

Senate advocates of legislation enabling the Government to control water power sites, and those who oppose such control, are expected to clash soon in debate over the Esch bill.

The situation today was:

The Esch bill has been passed by the House and is before the Senate. It creates a Federal power commission, composed of the Secretaries of War, Interior, and Agriculture, and contains provisions which would enable the Government to control power concerns seeking to monopolize streams for generating current. The power commission is authorized to issue fifty-year revocable licenses covering every activity of such power companies.

Senator La Follette, Senator Jones of Washington, and other progressives urge the legislation. Conservatives, however, aspert such restrictions would discourage capital. The opposition will probably be led by Senator Smoot of Utah. This is the first time the water power control bill has come up for action in the Senate so early in the session, so prospects of a vote on it are considered good.

MEET THE QUEEN OF THE BELGIANS

QUEEN ELIZABETH OF BELGIUM
Photographed while accompanying President Wilson and his party on a visit to the Forest of Hauthoulst during the President's recent visit to Belgium. The Queen is about to take a snapshot of members of the party.

DAUGHTER KILLED BY FAREWELL KISS

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 3.—Hysterical with worry over the death of her husband, two months ago, Mrs. Hannah Getthal last night wrote at the Hotel Calvert a pathetic farewell note to her daughter Mildred, aged eighteen. Then she stepped to the bed in which Mildred was sleeping, revolver in hand, planning to press it against her own temple after kissing the girl.

As Mrs. Getthal bent toward her daughter the revolver was discharged. The bullet crashed into Mildred's brain, killing her. The unnerved mother screamed for help. She was sent to a sanitarium, where it was said she suffers from chronic melancholia. The police say they will not prefer charges against her.

The note said, in part:

"Oh, it is so hard to kiss you farewell, but I will close my eyes and do it. Some one will watch over you. Mother is so tired and lonely, and it is dark and hopeless. I cannot endure it longer; for no one cares, and my heart is broken for lack of friendly hand or voice. I've always been good to every one, but no one can help me. I am alone. Be good, dear, and God will help you.

"All the world seems happy and joyous. My heart breaks, and I gaze upon my darling, sleeping and perhaps dreaming of happy days when the sun of life shall beam its best upon her. I must leave her soon. It is so hard."

CONGRESS FACES BUSIEST SESSION

Congressional leaders today prepared for one of the busiest sessions on record, to start immediately after President Wilson submits the treaty of peace, probably next Tuesday.

While the Senate is considering the treaty, the House will take up the prohibition enforcement bill.

This will be followed by measures defining the status of the railroads after their return to their owners at the end of the present year, protective legislation for the new dye industry, measures for general revision of the tariff, legislation outlining the future policy of the American merchant marine and the general shipbuilding program, reorganization of the army on a peace time basis, anti-red legislation and the soldiers' land bill.

Several investigations will run through the summer, including the probe of War Department expenditures.

Marine insurance, public health hospitals, the Postoffice Department, and Victor Berger's right to a seat in the House, will be looked into, Republican leaders promised. Repeal of some consumption taxes will also be considered.

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CLERICAL CHANGES AT GOVT. PRINTERY

Appointments, separations, promotions, etc., in the Government Printing Office for week ended yesterday has been announced as follows:

Appointments—Timothy R. Ingles, probationary linotype operator, reinstated; Edward S. Moorhead, linotype operator, reinstated; Mrs. Maggie B. Curtis, skilled laborer, reinstated; Edward M. Nevils, foreman, reinstated; William J. Schnable, bookbinder, reinstated; George A. Gettings, messenger boy, reinstated; Mrs. Mamie M. Berry, probationary linotype operator; Lawrence E. Burdette, Matthew D. Fenton, probationary messenger boys; Reuben N. Jones, Ernest B. Fooks, probationary monotype keyboard operators; Harry P. Simonds, Adelbert H. Lewis, Peter C. Gibson, John B. Ulrich, William B. Whichard, James F. Stewart, Carl P. Gray, Philip A. Kenney, Raymond H. Zim, probationary compositors.

Separations—John L. McKinnon, officeman; John H. Long, skilled laborer, resigned; Miss Norma C. Kennedy, skilled laborer, resigned; Miss Cora L. Dandridge, Miss Jennie L. Clark, Mrs. Elsie M. Eckert, Mrs. T. D. Jones, Mrs. Bertie C. Mercer, Mrs. Sophie M. Droney, Mrs. Francis Nairn, Mrs. Minnie R. Crocker, skilled laborers; Mrs. Mary F. Tucker, Mrs. Anna T. West, Mrs. Mildred E. Reed, Mrs. Priscilla L. Wilkes, Mrs. Hannah V. Gates, Mrs. Nita H. Richardson, machine operators; August Person, monotype keyboard operators resigned; Walter E. Babcok, emergency messenger boy; Thomas H. Noone, emergency bricklayer; George C. White, compositor, resigned; John A. Compton, John F. Roy, unskilled laborers, resigned; George M. Wirth, Edward A. Wright, pressmen, resigned.

Promotions, etc.—Francis I. Beach, pressman 65 cents per hour, to pressman in charge, 70 cents per hour; Edward F. Latham, maker-up 65 cents per hour to maker-up in charge 70 cents per hour; Michael J. Quirk, George F. Roye, Victor J. Thompson, Raymond W. Towles, Owen A. Madigan, skilled laborers 35 cents per hour to helpers 40 cents per hour; William F. Crump, assistant foreman 75 cents per hour to copy editor 70 cents per hour; William S. Schinnerer, foreman $2,400 per annum to assistant foreman $2,200 per annum; Hugh Everett, assistant foreman, $2,200 per annum to assistant foreman 75 cents pe hour; James I. Nelson, caster helper, 45 cents per hour to skilled laborer 35c per hour.

URGE CITY COURT HAVE MORE POWER

Relief of the congestion in the Circuit Court of the District Supreme Court, through enlarging the scope of the municipal court's jurisdiction, was recommended by the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce at their meeting in the chamber rooms last night.

The committee on law and legislation, which framed the resolution, pointed out that the docket of the Circuit Court is almost hopelessly congested. They recommended that the District code be amended so that the municipal court could handle cases involving from $500 to $3,000, in the class of cases over which that court now has jurisdiction.

The amendment would make the jurisdiction of the municipal court exclusive where the amount does not exceed $500, and concurrent with that of the District Supreme Court in cases of from $500 to $3,000.

Want More Judges.

The committee also recommended three more judges of the municipal court and at least two more of the Supreme Court. The amendment also provides for jury trials where the amount exceeds $20.

A committee of twenty-five was appointed to bring conventions to this city, the hotels having announced they are ready to take care of a large transient trade.

Appropriations Made.

The following appropriations were made: $100 for the July 4 celebration, $100 for the fund for children's outings at Camp Goodwill and $50 for the Boy Scouts.

Fourteen new members were admitted on recommendation of the membership committee, bringing the total paid-up membership to 1,039. They are Henry S. Adler, J. M. Berry, Louis Bliss, Joseph C. Brown, Burress, Pope & Co., E. H. Coolidge, Vernon M. Green, Harry Naiman, T. E. O'Donnell, George W. Rue, Benjamin Sherman, William C. Watts, L. C. White and A. F. Harper.

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ITALIAN RIOTS TAKE BOLSHEVIST TURN

MILAN, July 3.—Serious disturbances have occurred at Forli, following street demonstrations against the cost of living, according to a copyrighted dispatch to the Philadelphia Public Ledger. Many shops were sacked or wrecked with revolver shots. The populace seized motor cars, issued red flags and paraded the streets.

The movement took a Bolshevist turn. Many shops were closed, and on the doors were fixed labels with the words, "Keys handed to representatives of the people."

MAKE BOYS SPANK EACH OTHER.

STAMFORD, Conn., July 3.—Eight boys, charged with trespassing on railway property, were compelled by Judge Jones to spank each other with a board.

FOSDICK LEAVES FOR LEAGUE JOB

Although the League of Nations has no official status so far as the United States is concerned until accepted by the Senate, preliminary organization work is already under way, and Raymond B. Fosdick, former chairman of the Commission on Training Camp Activities, has left this country for London, where he will undertake the organization of the secretariat of the league.

The official position occupied by Mr. Fosdick is not known, but it is stated that Sir Eric Drummond has given him an ad interim appointment, which later will be ratified by the league council.

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Coal Production Dangerously Below

The Safety Line

Buy Your Coal NOW

The chart below shows the *perilous* situation which confronts coal consumers today. It is an exact copy of the report issued June 24 by the United States Geological Survey.

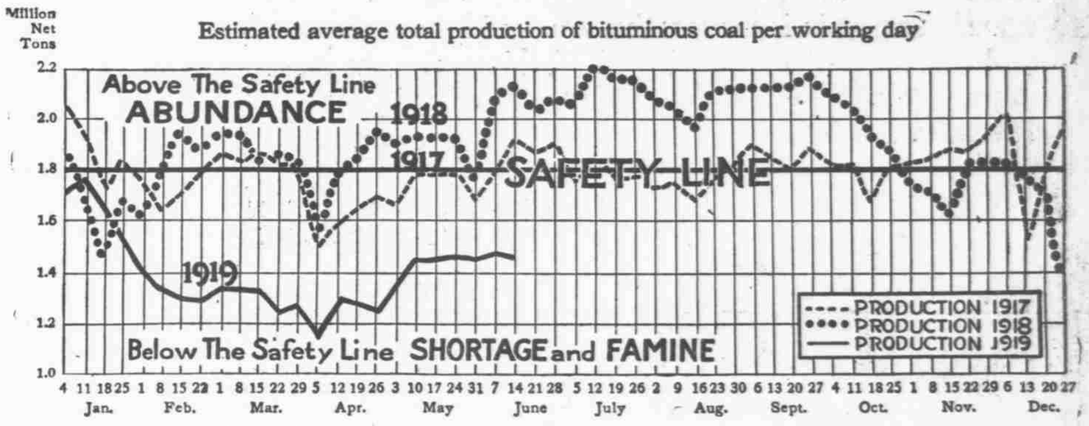
That broad, black line you see, marks, in addition, the average daily coal production *essential* to meet the country's requirements for the present year.

It is the *safety line.* When the record is below that line, it shows there is *not enough* coal for the people and their industries.

Production has been on the *wrong side* of the safety line since January. It promises to stay there unless YOU BUY YOUR COAL NOW.

Seeing is Believing

Study the Chart



Coal consumers have **failed** to buy for use during the coming Fall and Winter. Thus it has proved impossible to keep coal **moving** from the mines, and production in consequence has **badly slumped.**

Available mine labor has been **reduced** by the departure of miners to Europe. More than forty thousand already have arranged to leave.

Motive power and cars are waiting for coal transportation **now.** Soon the nation's great crops of grains and other products will congest the rails and glut the terminals. It follows that coal transportation facilities will be **sharply reduced** and coal deliveries will **suffer.**

In making public the above chart, the United States Geological Survey warns you as follows:

"The best time in the year for laying in stocks of coal for next Winter is rapidly passing, with no evidence of general buying for this purpose. The rate of production has not varied greatly since the middle of May, and averaging about 30 per cent below last year, is apparently just sufficient to meet current consumption."

How can production be increased? How can the requirements of the country be met?

BY BUYING YOUR COAL NOW.

There is no other way. No other action can avert the impending shortage. Relief rests with **you.** Conditions urge you to act.

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