

TROOPS PUT DOWN RUSSIAN MUTINY

Machine Guns Used to Quell Uprising at Cronstadt.

GENERAL TREPPOFF REMOVED

St. Petersburg, Nov. 10.—This city was in a turore of excitement all of yesterday and late into the night over the news of the mutiny at Cronstadt. Every one of the exaggerated reports of the affair received credence in many quarters, and half of the inhabitants of the capital believed that the mutiny was successful, that the troops sent from here had joined in the revolt, that the entire garrison of St. Petersburg would follow suit, and that the town of Cronstadt had been burned to the ground, together with the surrounding forts.

The place was represented as being in the hands of 8000 sailors, who had murdered their officers, seized the arsenal and bombarded the imperial palace at Peterhof, across the bay. Butchery was said to have prevailed in the streets all during the day, and the rumore even went to the extent of saying that Father John, of Cronstadt, had left the bed on which he was supposed to be dying to lead the mutineers.

Many of these sensational reports were, of course, entirely false, but sufficient details have been received to prove that about 3000 sailors and a battalion of artillery from one of the forts indulged in a mutiny, which was only put down by about 7000 Cossacks and troops of the imperial guard hastily dispatched from St. Petersburg and from the garrisons near Peterhof, and that machine guns had to be employed. Before the arrival of the troops the sailors, many of whom were drunk on liquor plundered from the spirit shops, had set fire to the market and to several groups of houses. About 300 sailors were still holding out at midnight, and although these are expected to surrender, the authorities became so alarmed that the Paul regiment of the guard was dispatched to Cronstadt.

The governor of Cronstadt telegraphed the general staff that the mutiny had been crushed, that there was no likelihood of any renewal of the revolt, that reports to the effect that members of the guard had joined the mutineers were false, and that there was no truth in the reports that the mutineers had seized the arsenal and the forts. The governor in his telegram said that many of the mutinous sailors tried to escape in boats to the mainland, but that they were captured and were being brought back to Cronstadt. He gave no estimate of the casualties.

The correspondent of the Associated Press, who is on the ground, however, says that the officers estimate the casualties at 200, which is certainly very conservative in view of the reports brought by refugees who fled from the town to the mainland.

At this critical juncture there is no attempt made in government circles to minimize the seriousness of the mutiny, and it is admitted that if a battalion of artillerymen joined the sailors in open revolt the mutinous spirit must have been contagious. It is also admitted that while the Cossacks and the guards stood the severe test of shooting upon their fellows in another branch of the service, there is a fear that the mutiny will have a bad effect upon the morale of the troops, which already had been badly shaken by the revolutionary propaganda.

TREPPOFF OUSTED AT LAST

Czar and Count Witte Remove Hated Dictator of Russia.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 10.—Both Count Witte and the emperor have made another surrender. General Treppoff has been removed from the powerful position which he occupied, that of governor general of St. Petersburg and assistant minister of the interior, and Russia's premier has agreed to immediate universal suffrage.

Count Witte has been fully aware of the intense hatred General Treppoff's General Treppoff claims to have been greatly misunderstood, and that history must eventually acquit him of being in any way the instigator of the shedding of blood and all the other horrors which Russia has experienced during the last fortnight.

No Freedom For Poland.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 13.—Poland is not to be permitted to become a second Finland. The Russian government in a strongly worded communication serves notice on the Polish Nationalists that for good or ill the ancient kingdom of Poland has now become an integral part of the Russian empire, and that while the government intends to fully observe the national rights of Poland, any attempt to wrest Polish autonomy from the emperor would be considered an act of revolt and would lead the Poles into the sorrowful paths trodden by them in 1831 and 1863.

A Bumper Corn Crop.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The crop reporting board of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture finds from the reports of the correspondents and agents of the bureau, as follows: The preliminary returns on the production of corn in 1905 indicate a total yield of about 2,707,993,540 bushels, or an average of 28.8 bushels per acre, as compared with an average yield of 26.8 bushels as finally estimated in 1904, 25.5 bushels in 1903, and a 10-year average of 24.9 bushels.

DIRECTORS FIGHT JUDGMENT

Officials of Wrecked Bank Say They Are Not Liable For Bonds to State. Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 11.—Petitions to open the judgments taken by State Treasurer W. L. Mathews against the directors of the Enterprise National Bank, as sureties for the state funds in that bank when it failed, were filed in common pleas court. There are four petitions in all.

The defense of the directors of the insolvent bank to the claim of the commonwealth against them for the amount of the state deposits in the bank when its doors were closed, because of Cashier Clark's suicide and defalcation, is that under the law and the statements attached to the bonds on which the judgments were entered all liabilities have been fully met and discharged by the bank. In other words, the state having at various times checked out or withdrawn the deposits actually bonded, the conditions of the bond were fully met and complied with, and therefore the directors cannot be held liable.

At the time the bank's doors closed the state deposits amounted to \$1,032,000. A few days later judgments aggregating \$2,500,000 were taken against the directors to secure the commonwealth against loss, and these judgments the directors now ask to have reopened.

A rule requiring the plaintiff to show cause why the judgments should not be reopened was ordered by the court.

MIDDY UNDER ARREST

Meriwether to Face Trial For Fatal Fist Fight.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 13.—Midshipman Minor Meriwether, Jr., has been placed under arrest to await his trial by court martial for engaging in a fist combat with Midshipman James R. Branch, Jr., who died of his injuries. The arrest of young Meriwether followed shortly after the reception of the order from the navy department. He is confined to his room in the midshipmen's quarters, under what is known in the service as a "military arrest." Minor Meriwether, Sr., arrived at Annapolis and had a talk with his son.

It is said that evidence will be adduced before the court that will place Meriwether's case in a better light than has been indicated.

ATLANTIC CITY ELEPHANT GONE

Odd Feature of the Island Destroyed By Fire.

Atlantic, N. J., Nov. 13.—The famous wooden elephant, built 18 or 20 years ago in South Atlantic City by James Laferty, caught fire and was destroyed. There is no city water in South Atlantic City, and though word was sent here no apparatus was sent.

The elephant has been an odd feature of the island since it was first built. It was constructed of wood, of huge dimensions, and in the interior were rooms fitted up for a restaurant. The "eyes" were large windows, forming an observatory which commanded a fine view of the ocean.

FOR OR AGAINST REPUBLIC

Norway Voting to Decide If Prince Charles Shall Rule.

Christiania, Nov. 13.—A plebescite for and against the choice of Prince Charles, of Denmark, as the new king of Norway, began under favorable weather conditions. The people everywhere are voting in large numbers. In Christiania out of a total electorate of 40,000, fully 25,000 have already voted. The polling will end today and the result will be announced tomorrow. All the public and many private buildings are decorated with flags. Saturday saw the culmination of a fortnight's agitation in a storm of oratory by party leaders all over the country for and against a republic.

Two Burned to Death in Jail.

Lake City, Ia., Nov. 13.—George W. Buttrick and William Jackson were burned to death in the city jail by a fire started by Buttrick. These, with J. I. Hipple and Isaac Allen, were arrested for carousing on the streets. Soon after being lodged in jail smoke was seen issuing from the cell occupied by Buttrick and Jackson. Marshal Miles arrived in time to rescue Hipple and Allen, but the other two were dead when the officer reached their cell. Before the discovery of the blaze some boys heard Allen saying that Buttrick was trying to fire the jail.

Will Pay Their Water Rent.

Girardville, Pa., Nov. 11.—The town council decided to pay the \$4000 due the Girard Estate Water company, which shut off the water supply November 1 to enforce payment of the debt. The situation had become so serious that the fire insurance companies were preparing to cancel their policies and saving funds and building and loan associations to foreclose mortgages. The water supply was turned on today.

Shot Farmer For a Rabbit.

Norristown, Pa., Nov. 13.—While husking corn in a field, Jesse Stetler, a Lower Providence farmer, had a part of his left ear shot off and narrowly escaped instant death at the hands of a party of hunters. Observing the partly covered head of the farmer protruding from behind a sheck of corn stalks, one of the hunters fired, believing that he was shooting at a rabbit.

Found Dead in Bridal Chamber.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 10.—Helena Howe, who Wednesday night was married to Randolph C. Johnson at Perquimans, N. C., was found dead in her bridal chamber yesterday morning, with a pistol in her hand and a bullet wound through her head. Johnson was lying across the bed, with three bullets in his head and body.

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Deposits and Discounts \$30,893.67	Capital Stock - \$10,000.00
Stocks and Bonds 2,800.00	Undivided Profits 543.82
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures 3,848.10	Rediscounts - 3,000.00
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NOTICE.
By virtue of authority vested in me as commissioner, under judgment of the Superior Court in certain special proceedings before the clerk, entitled Real Estate, vs. A. B. Hocutt Administrator of J. B. Pulley, deceased.

Rebecca H. Pulley, widow, Josiah Pulley, James E. Pulley, Emelin Tiedie and Robert Pulley, Heirs at Law.

The undersigned Commissioner will sell at the court house door in the town of Smithfield, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, on Monday, 12 o'clock M. November 20, 1905 the following tract of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Johnston, State of North Carolina, Selma township, adjoining the lands of Larry Pace, J. A. Underhill, and others, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake Larry Pace's line, on Noble road, and runs S. 3 W. 66 poles to a lightwood stump, Larry Pace's line; thence W. 104 poles to a stake, Annie Jones, now N. E. Edgerston's line; thence N. 3 E. 52 poles to a stake, thence with H. Pittman's deceased, line S. 12 1/2 poles to a stake in the center of Noble road; thence N. 46 E. 18 poles to the beginning, containing 4 1/2 acres. This Oct. 17th, 1905.

JNO. A. NARRON, Commissioner.

NOTICE.
Having qualified as administrator of J. K. Finch, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said J. K. Finch, to present the same to the undersigned, at Wilson, N. C., on or before the 24th day of October, 1905, or the notice will be filed in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please settle with the undersigned, This October 24th, 1905.

GEO. W. CONNOR, Administrator.
CONNOR & CONNOR, ATLYS, Wilson, N. C.

MORTGAGE SALE OF VALUABLE LAND.
By virtue of the authority contained in a mortgage deed executed to S. R. Hollowell by Hugh Gilbreath on the 15th day of January, 1896, and recorded in the Registry of Johnston county in Book "17" No. 6, page 48 & cc., which said mortgage deed was endorsed and transferred to L. B. Richardson, the undersigned, Administrator of S. R. Hollowell deceased, will, on Saturday, the 25th day of November, 1905, at 12 o'clock, in public auction, for cash, at the Court House door in the town of Smithfield, N. C., for the use and benefit of said L. B. Richardson, Assignee of Mortgage, the following described tract or parcel of land, situate in Beulah township, Johnston county, and bounded as follows:
Beginning at a stake, Henry Flowers' corner on the East side of the public road leading by his house and about two hundred 230 yards from the road, and runs thence with Flowers' line N 88 E. 68 poles to a pile of stump; thence N. 85 W. 231 poles to a stake in Exam Hollander's line; thence S. 45 W. 94 poles to a stake; thence S. 85 E. 116 poles to a stake, said Flowers' corner; thence with his line N. 76 E. 103 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing 125 7/8 acres, more or less.

This 24th day of October, 1905.
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NOTICE OF SALE.
At my home near Four Oaks, on Friday, December 15, 1905, I will offer for sale for cash all of my personal property, consisting of one mule, two head of cattle, hegs, one buggy, one cart, corn, fodder, and shucks, farming tools, and a sewing machine. Also my household and kitchen furniture.
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