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## DEATH SENTENCE IS IMPOSED ON THE CZAR AND HEAD OF ARMY

### Terrorists Nail Notices on Doors of Gens. Treppoff and Orloff

PROCURATOR GEN. IS ALSO DOOMED

Copies of Proclamations By Russian Terrorists Condemning Emperor and Military Officers to Death, By Assassination of Course, Are Sealed Over Peterhof Today.

(By the Associated Press.)  
St. Petersburg, July 24.—Proclamations announcing that the death sentence had been imposed on the emperor, General Treppoff, M. Polibonostoff, who was procurator general of the holy synod; General Orloff, the "pacifier" of the Baltic provinces; and others have been scattered over part of Peterhof.

The terrorists are said to have succeeded in nailing copies of the sentence on the doors of General Orloff's and General Treppoff's quarters.

### WITHDRAWS, TOO MUCH EXPERIENCE.

(By the Associated Press.)  
San Francisco, July 24.—The Milwaukee Mechanics Insurance Company of Milwaukee, Wis., has withdrawn from the state of California and given notice to all of its agents to cease writing business here.

The company's loss in the fire, which it intends to pay, amounts to \$1,436,018.97. Its total assets are \$2,397,070.34. The company has left a net surplus, after the deduction of its losses out here of \$327,915.68.

### BURIAL OF AMERICAN PASTOR AT MUNICH.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Oberammergau, Upper Bavaria, July 24.—The Burgomaster and citizens of Oberammergau have presented a plot of ground on the mountain side near the cross of King Ludwig II for the grave of the Rev. John H. McCracken, rector for many years of the American Church at Munich, where he died on Saturday last. Mr. McCracken loved Oberammergau and was beloved here. The suggestion that the town give a site for the grave came from Consul General Wright of Munich. The burial will take place tomorrow.

### SUMMER MANOEUVERS OF THE WARSHIPS.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Rockport, Mass., July 24.—The seven battleships of Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans' North Atlantic Squadron steamed out of this harbor today to begin their summer manoeuvres which already have been postponed several times on account of thick weather. The sea was calm and the weather clear near the shore, but some distance out at sea was a thick bank of fog, which, it was thought, would interfere seriously with extensive movements.

### Fall Target Practice.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Washington, July 24.—The fall target practice of the North Atlantic fleet will take place in Massachusetts Bay the last part of September. According to present arrangements the fleet will assemble in the bay September 25 and soon thereafter the target practice will begin. This place is chosen as it affords safe anchorage and the shooting can be done without danger to shipping. The fleet will be in the southernmost part of the bay and there are no ships plying those waters.

### SEC. ROOT ELECTED HONORARY PRES'D.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Rio de Janeiro, July 24.—At today's session of the international American conference Baron De Rio Branco, the Brazilian minister of foreign affairs, and Secretary Root were elected honorary presidents. The conference will re-convene July 26.

## SLAUGHTER OF RUSSIAN JEWS

### Anti-Semitic Outbreaks Renewed at Odessa

#### ENTIRE CITY IN PANIC

Many Hebrews Have Already Been Murdered Or Wounded And a Bloody Conflict is in Progress Today.—Bloodthirsty Proclamations Circulated By Black Hundred.

(By the Associated Press.)  
London, July 24.—A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company from Odessa, dated 3:50 p. m. today, says:

Anti-Jewish outbreaks have commenced here. A number of persons have already been killed or wounded. A number of persons have already been killed or wounded.

Cossacks and rowdies are plundering the deserted Jewish houses and shops. On Srednaya street three Jews were killed and three were wounded, in attempting to defend their property, while the police looked on without interfering.

Another bloody conflict is now reported to be in progress in Stepoval street.

The whole city is in a state of panic. Many of the inhabitants are fleeing.

The black hundreds are distributing bloodthirsty proclamations in the streets.

Two Jews were killed and eight were wounded in Stepovalia street here.

Owing to the rapid fall in Russian securities the local state bank today stopped paying out money to Jews who wanted to leave the city.

## THAW WOMEN AT THE TOMBS

(By the Associated Press.)  
New York, July 24.—Mrs. William Thaw, Harry K. Thaw's mother, his sister, Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, paid another visit to the Tombs prison today.

The three women were together some time before going to Thaw's cell. Thaw's wife was the first to visit him. In reply to a question whether she will be a witness at Thaw's trial she said: "You will have to ask Mr. Hartridge about that."

While waiting to see her husband, Mrs. Harry K. Thaw was asked if it is true that she is seeking a divorce from him. Mrs. Thaw replied: "That story is perfectly absurd. It is a cruel canard. There is absolutely nothing to it. That's all I have to say about it."

Asked as to the authenticity of a story published in an afternoon paper purporting to be her own narrative of her relations with Thaw and White Mrs. Thaw said: "I know nothing of any such story."

### Six Drown By Accident.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Chicago, July 24.—Six lives constituted the total paid yesterday by Chicago and its victims to lakes and rivers. Two boys were drowned while swimming. One lost his life in the effort to get a water lily 150 feet from shore. A man fell from a bridge where he was fishing. The fifth victim died from injuries suffered by striking a timber while diving. The sixth fell into the river while running to catch a ball in a baseball game.

### Slaughter Houses Closed.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Philadelphia, July 24.—At a meeting of the board of health today announcement was made that twenty slaughter houses recently condemned as unsanitary had closed permanently. Sixteen other establishments were improved by order of the board, and the owner of one slaughtering house who refused to obey the mandate to improve his plant was ordered prosecuted.

## DESPOTISM IN BLOODY RUSSIA

### Extreme Measures Against Rebellions Subjects

#### CENSORSHIP OF PRESS

Editions of Leading Newspapers Suppressed This Morning.—The People Kept In Ignorance Of Important Developments.—Clanking Tighter the Iron Hand of the Government.

(By the Associated Press.)  
St. Petersburg, July 24.—It is already certain that some consternation is apparent in the upper spheres over the magnitude of the task they have assumed. Events are marching with startling rapidity. Having taken a decision to sit on the safety valve, the government knows of no method except force, and all the old bureaucratic machinery of suppression has been placed in operation to prevent an explosion.

Domestic services continue in all quarters of the capital, the prisons are already filling, and the old, blind system of attempting to conceal from the people what is happening, has been adopted.

The censorship of the press has been re-established with a vigor unknown since the days of the late Interior Minister Von Plehve accompanied by the wholesale confiscation of newspapers. No word of the proceedings of the members of parliament at Viborg or of the address has been permitted to be published.

Telegrams from the provinces, telling of the universal indignation aroused by the dissolution and even those from abroad outlining public opinion in foreign countries have been emasculated or suppressed.

Not a word of the speech of Premier Campbell-Bannerman before the Interparliamentary union in London yesterday has been allowed to be printed. The editions of the Reich, the Strana and the Twentieth Century were confiscated as they left the press this morning.

At two meetings last night, one near the Narve gate and the other in the Viborgskii across the Neva, the Cossacks sent to disperse them, refused openly to do so and fraternized with the workmen. This is partially confirmative of the revolutionists (Continued on Second Page.)

## INVESTIGATING CAUSE

### Corporation Commission Still at Scene of Wreck

Were Expected Back This Morning But Will Hardly Return Now Until Tomorrow at 11:45.—Will Look Into the Disputed Matter of Train Orders at Rockingham.

Chairman Franklin McNeill and Commissioner Beddingfield of the corporation commission, Chief Clerk H. C. Brown and Miss Riddick, the stenographer who left here yesterday afternoon for the scene of the terrible wreck on the Seaboard near Rockingham to investigate the cause of the disaster were expected to return this morning on No. 66 at 11:45, but were not on that train, so they are not expected now until 11:45 tomorrow morning as they will have to take the train which reaches here at 1:29 tonight.

Commissioner Rogers, who was away on business for the commission in the western part of the state when the accident occurred and the occasion arose for the investigation of the cause of the wreck, returned to the city this morning and will await the return of the other members of the commission.

A special subject of investigation on the part of the commission while it has the matter in hand will be whether or not the operator at Rockingham had orders to hold the passenger train there until the freight train arrived. The Seaboard authorities announced that he did have such orders and failed to deliver it to the engineer and conductor of the ill-fated train. On the other hand the operator insists that he received no such orders.

## Austrian Author's Suicide.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Vienna, July 24.—Ferdinand von Saar, the author and member of the upper house of the Austrian Reichsrath, who shot himself yesterday died today. He had been suffering from nervous prostration.

## NOTED BANDIT SHOT TO DEATH

### The Most Desperate Man in Western N. Carolina

Desperado Hiram Wilson Attacks a Rural Mail Carrier Who Turns the Tables On Him—Some of the Lawful Acts Charged Up to the Dead Man.

(Special to the Evening Times.)  
Asheville, N. C., July 24.—News was received here today of the killing of Hiram Wilson of Shelton County in Madison county Friday afternoon by Fred Stamm, a rural mail carrier 29 years of age.

Particulars of the killing are as follows: It is said, however, that Wilson made Sam's climb down from his wagon, and that the mail carrier suddenly turned on the desperado and killed him.

Wilson was considered the most desperate man in western North Carolina. He was a blockader and murderer. He killed his brother, State Senator Zeb Wilson, at Burnsville, Yancey county, four years ago, and was convicted. About 29 years ago, I was tried for blockading before Judge Long, found guilty and sentenced to four years in the penitentiary. Judge Long held the man shackled and hooded in the court room and sent him to jail with a guard of 15 men. He was pardoned after a year's sojourn.

Twelve years ago Hiram Wilson killed young Honeoynt in Yancey county in cold blood. There were four trials and he was finally acquitted.

## SENSATIONS IN HARTJE CASE

### And the Lawyers Say There Are More to Follow

#### THE BLONDE IN GREY

And the "Dearest Edith" Letters Figure Prominently in the Developments at the Hearing of the Scarlet Divorce Trial in Pittsburg Yesterday.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Pittsburg, Pa., July 24.—In refutation of the charge that letters had been stolen from the office of Attorney John M. Freeman, Edward B. Hartje, brother of the libellant, was on the stand when the Hartje divorce case hearing was resumed today. The witness explained that the "dearest Edith" letters, the nature and significance of which is still a rebuttal mystery, and a note bearing the firm name of Watson & Freeman, attorneys, were found by B. B. Smith, Jr., of Allegheny and later turned over to him by a tenant in the St. Nicholas building.

The "dearest Edith" note forms a series of letters with which the legal forces of the libellant hoped to spring a surprise. The note alleged to have been written by Helen Scott, sister of Mrs. Hartje, concerning the incident of the "blonde in grey" in which Mr. Ferguson declares the young woman "fraternized got down on her knees" to Conchman Madine, which is perhaps the most interesting.

Mr. Hartje testified concerning the finding of scraps of paper in a room adjoining that formerly occupied by Madine and also in an ash pile back of the stable.

There is a probability that the hearings of Augustus Hartje, John L. Welshon and Clifford Hooe, the colored coachman charged with conspiracy to defame Mrs. Mary Scott Hartje, the respondent in the divorce case, will not be held tomorrow before Alderman King.

Assistant District Attorney Robb said today that the prosecution will certainly go on with the hearing unless the divorce trial is finished. Concerning additional arrests, Mr. Robb said:

"After the divorce case has been submitted to Judge Frazier, you may look for more sensations. Just what they will be, I cannot tell at present."

Prof. Drake swore that in his opinion (Continued on Page Two.)

## A RECAST OF BRYAN'S RIDER

### Amendment to Model Arbitration Treaty Adopted

#### Second Day's Work of the Council—Speeches by Bryan and Von Plenner, Widening the Scope of Arbitration to Include Questions of National Honor.

(By the Associated Press.)  
London, July 24.—William J. Bryan's proposed rider to the model arbitration treaty was discussed at a session of the International Council of the Interparliamentary union this morning and resulted in its being adopted as follows:

"If a disagreement should arise which is not included in those to be submitted to arbitration the contracting parties shall not resort to any act of hostility before they separately or jointly invite, as the case may necessitate, the formation of an international commission of inquiry or mediation of one or more friendly powers, the acquisition to take place if necessary in accordance with article VIII of the Hague convention providing for a peaceful settlement of international conflicts."

On the resumption of the sessions of the conference of the Interparliamentary union today the above was unanimously adopted after speeches by former Austrian Minister of Commerce Von Plenner and Mr. Bryan warmly supporting the amended rider. The latter said that his amendment was aimed at widening the scope of arbitration so as to include questions of national honor, the charges being a hundred to one that the proposed investigation of facts would also settle any question of national honor. If the hand of war could be stayed till the conscience awakened, wars would become more remote. The amendment therefore was a long step in the direction of peace.

Mr. Bryan's speech was brief, but it was eloquent and aroused much enthusiasm among the delegates.

Baron d'Estournelles de Constant, head of the French delegation, subsequently opened the debate on the limitation of military and naval forces. He declared that if the powers were undecided among themselves how to act for their common interests they would be forced to do so, first by bankruptcy and then by revolution.

## FATAL RAILWAY WRECK

### Caused By Spreading Rails and Sun Kinks

At Least Seven Persons Were Killed, As Many More Seriously Injured And a Score of Others More or Less Hurt.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Spokane, Wash., July 24.—At least seven lives were lost, seven persons were seriously injured, and a score of others sustained cuts and bruises in a wreck of the first mail on the Great Northern a mile and a quarter east of Camden, Washington, 25 miles east of Spokane, late yesterday afternoon, when the locomotive, mail, baggage and smoking cars left the rails on emerging from a tunnel and plunging over the seventy foot embankment were submerged in the waters of Diamond Lake.

Spreading rails, probably caused by sun kinks, is given as the cause.

Immediately after the smothered truck the water there was a blinding flash which spread over the part of the car not submerged and a fire followed.

The impact was so terrific that several cars on the rear of the train were wrenched and twisted, and the fact that the couplings did not break on the dining, tourist and sleeping cars was the only thing that averted even greater loss of life.

Engineer Munson and Fireman Bell evidently stuck to their posts and it is believed too, that the locomotive is from 100 to 300 feet of water. Two divers made half a dozen attempts to find the locomotive, but they were not successful.

W. S. Nimmennan, a contractor for construction work on the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company broke through a window to escape from the burning and half submerged smoker. Mr. Nimmennan said:

"We were coming at a fearful speed through that tunnel and we passengers were all wondering if the engineer had lost his senses driving at that rate of speed with a sharp curve ahead. I think we must surely have been going forty-five miles an hour."

## RAILROAD SHOPS OF TIDEWATER CO.

(By the Associated Press.)  
Norfolk, Va., July 24.—It was announced at the office of General Manager Raymond Dupuy, of the Tidewater Railway in Norfolk today, that the Tidewater has never contemplated building its shops and round houses at Salem, Roanoke county, Va., but, on the other hand, has selected a site in Lunenburg county, 165 miles from Norfolk, for the establishment of its first division repair shops, round houses, offices, etc.

This site, which is between New Plymouth and McParlan, and the nearest point on the Tidewater to Lunenburg county house, is to be called Victoria. A settlement is to be established there by the Tidewater, though the time for the commencement of the erection of the shops and round houses has not yet been fixed.

The road is now complete seventy miles out from Norfolk and the track laying up to the western terminus of the first division at Victoria, will, it was announced, be completed by the end of the first three months of 1907. Engineers are now at work grading the road through its entire line in Virginia.

## MEETING OF MINING ENGINEERS.

(By the Associated Press.)  
London, July 24.—The joint meeting of members of the American Institute of Mining Engineers and of the British Iron and Steel Institute opened at the institution of civil engineers here today with a large attendance. The Americans were heartily welcomed by President Hadfield, who in the course of a speech announced that King Edward would receive a deputation of the Americans July 27. Robert W. Hunt of Chicago, replied in behalf of the visitors.

## FILIPINO LABORERS TO FARM IN HAWAII

(By the Associated Press.)  
Manila, July 24.—The Philippine Commission has adopted a resolution favoring the scheme of the Hawaiian planters association to transport Filipino laborers and their families to Hawaii to work in the sugar plantations. Albert E. Judd, representing the planters, arrived in the Philippines two months ago and after making an investigation of the labor conditions presented to the commission a statement of the conditions and needs of Hawaii.

The commission has authorized an agreement with the planters association, permitting vessels to pick up laborers at various ports on condition that they be given good treatment, be permitted to return to the Philippines at the expiration of the terms of contracts and that transportation be provided.

Laborers desirous of going to Hawaii are advised to accept the offer of the association.

Mr. Judd wants two hundred laborers and their families.

## IDE WILL PUNISH THE PULLJANES

(By the Associated Press.)  
Manila, July 24.—Governor Ide has requested military aid to punish the Pulljanes in the province of Leyte, A detachment of the Eleventh Infantry from Camp Donus have been sent to the assistance of the constabulary. General Allen expected possibly to conduct a campaign in Cebu but the Ladrone chief and his men have surrendered and Governor Osmeña reports that there are no more outlaw bands there and that the island is completely pacified. The Ladrone leaders, Montolon, Sakaya, Villaforte, Decegan, Carrason and Natividad have pleaded guilty to the charges of banditism at Cavite.

## GUATEMALA DENIES THE IMPEACHMENT

(By the Associated Press.)  
Washington, July 24.—Charges made in Salvador that Guatemala could not comply with the terms of the Martineau pact relating to the exchange of prisoners of war, because such prisoners had been killed by the Guatemalan forces, are stoutly denied in a dispatch which Mr. Munoz, the Guatemalan minister received today from his government. The dispatch states that the reports of the shooting of prisoners of war are utterly groundless and that Guatemala has already exchanged all prisoners of war with Salvador and has shown the Salvadoreans the special courtesy of paying their expenses back to their homes.

## THE RETURNS ARE CANVASSED

### Democratic County Ticket Nominated

#### RESULT NOT CHANGED

#### Matter of Constables and Magistrates Referred in Some Cases to Township Committees—Little River Presents the Only Tangle.

The democratic county executive committee met here at noon today and canvassed and declared the result in the primary election held last Saturday. Chairman L. B. Pegram presided and Mr. E. E. Britton and Mr. B. M. Gatling were the secretaries.

Some of the townships did not nominate magistrates and this matter was referred back to the township committees for action. There was no nomination for constable in three townships. A curious thing was reported from Little River. It was stated that a republican had been nominated for magistrate in the democratic primary there and this matter was referred to the township committee which is empowered to take his name from the ticket.

Below is given the result of the primary election as canvassed today. A star (\*) designates the successful candidate.

For Senator:	
*John C. Drewry	2,810
Percy J. Olive	1,462
C. B. Barbee	1
Drewry's majority	1,347

  

For Representatives:	
*Chas. U. Harris	2,771
*W. C. Douglass	2,223
*Millard Neal	2,321
T. L. Honeycutt	1,674
W. E. Faison	1,515
Robt. H. Jones	1,198
J. W. Blaylock	41

  

For Sheriff:	
*J. H. Sears	2,478
R. H. Rand	1,387
J. H. Robbins	342
F. H. Whitaker	273

  

For Clerk of Court:	
*W. M. Russ	4,018

  

For Register of Deeds:	
*J. J. Bernard	4,043

  

For Treasurer:	
*B. P. Williamson	3,920

  

For Surveyor:	
*J. P. Massey	1,943

  

For Coroner:	
*L. J. Sorrell	1,390

  

County Commissioners:	
*D. T. Johnson	2,763
*W. C. Brewer	2,664
*D. B. Harrison	2,619
*A. Turner Smith	2,534
*W. M. Yates	2,454
L. H. Adams	1,831
J. T. Edwards	1,732
S. W. Torrell	1,682
J. T. Broughton	1,655
W. F. Utley	1,729

  

Magistrates and Constables.	
BAITON'S CREEK:	
Constable—J. J. Haywood 229.	
Magistrates—*J. D. Allen, *R. D. Honeycutt and *L. L. Brodgen, all 229.	
BUCKHORN:	
Constable—John J. Stone 31, C. C. Olive 22.	
Magistrates—None elected.	
CARY:	
Constable—*W. R. Horton 91.	
Magistrates—*H. B. Jordan 42, *J. L. Williams 53, *W. H. Crowder 55, Robt. Young 29, L. B. Woodall 21.	
CEBAR FORK—MORRISVILLE:	
Constable—*E. M. Ellis 38, E. W. Harbee 22.	
Magistrates—*W. W. H. Proctor 29, J. K. Gibson 15, B. H. Marmon 17, *J. P. Sorrell 6.	
POLLARDS: Constable—*E. M. Ellis 46, E. W. Harbee 6.	
Magistrates—*Proctor 28, Gibson 6, Marmon 6, *J. P. Sorrell 44.	
HOLLY SPRINGS:	
Constable—*A. J. Stevens 27.	
Magistrates—*W. H. Burt 56, *J. R. Carter 68, *J. S. Stevens 70.	
HOUSE'S CREEK—HARRIS STORE:	
Constable—*Nat. Warren 37.	
Magistrates—Delmar A. Morgan 40, Edwards' Store; Constable—*Nat. Warren 111.	
Magistrates—*E. H. Ray 97, *T. H. Pleasant 97, *J. N. Carpenter 27.	
LITTLE RIVER—MITCHELL'S MILL:	
Constable—B. B. Brantley 49, Jas. Honeycutt 3, Jesse H. Wyatt 6.	

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