

... KILLED. QUIET AT CAPITAL. COURT CONVENES. A NARROW ESCAPE. JOHN D. IS AMUSED. DOUMA'S DECISION

Expected Disturbances in St. Petersburg Have Not Materialized Yet. Term For Trial of Criminal Cases Opens This Morning. Two Young Men From Salisbury Came Near Being Drowned. Mr. Rockefeller Laughs At The Idea of His Being Arrested. Policy of Passive Resistance To Russian Government Decided On.

Troops Are Still on Guard in Expectation of Outbreak.—Streets Are Patrolled All Night.—It Had Been Expected That Czar's Action in Dissolving Douma Would Cause Open Revolt. (By Publishers' Press.) ST. PETERSBURG, July 23.—During the early morning hours the streets were quiet, notwithstanding fears that disorders would begin almost as soon as the people generally should become acquainted with the fact that the douma had been dissolved. The city presented its normal appearance except for numerous military patrols in the streets. There are now fifty thousand troops in the city, besides strong artillery forces and these are counted on to prevent disorders. Patrols of cavalry moved through the thoroughfares all night as a precautionary measure. They dispersed several small mobs but did not have any serious work to do. It is extremely doubtful that this condition can continue long. Revolutionaries were taken unaware by action of the czar in dissolving the douma. They have not yet outlined their counter attack.

Following Czar's Proclamation Dissolving the Douma Many Members of That Body Went to Viborg, Finland. And After Deliberating All Night Determined to Issue Manifesto to People Calling for Quiet Resistance. (By Publishers' Press.) VIBORG, Finland, July 23.—Members of the douma who came here for the purpose of continuing their sessions following the dissolution of the douma held a sitting last night which lasted all night. The speakers asserted that the douma should take up the czar's challenge by proclaiming that the country must have a constituent assembly and drawing up an election plan. The suggestion was received with cheers from deputies and was at once taken up for serious consideration. The douma has asked for the advice of Finnish leaders on the situation.

Passive Resistance. Later a policy of passive resistance to the government in an endeavor to cripple its power has been decided upon by members of the douma. This course was decided upon today after the deputies had been in session continuously since they arrived here. It was determined to issue a manifesto to the people, calling on them to follow out passive resistance to policy by refusing to pay taxes or to serve in the army. The deputies hope in this way to cripple the government.

South Fork Creek, three miles south of Winston-Salem, was on a "boom" Saturday night. The Sentinel's correspondent on R. F. D. No. 5 reports that the creek was about fourteen inches higher than ever seen before. About 12 o'clock Saturday night two young men from Salisbury drove into the swollen stream and both had narrow escapes from drowning. The buggy turned over, throwing the occupants out in the middle of the creek. One of the young men was washed against a tree, which he climbed. He remained in the tree for about three hours. His associate, who was a better swimmer, unatched one of the horses and then swam to the shore. The other animal broke loose from the buggy and swam down stream for a quarter of a mile. It was found about 8 o'clock Sunday morning by Mr. H. E. Enoch, in some bushes, standing in water breast deep.

The neighbors assisted the young men in finding their suit cases and other lost articles and after supplying them with dry clothes and giving them breakfast, the parties were brought to this city, where they secured new suits out and out. The young men returned to Salisbury Sunday night. (Special to The Sentinel.) KERNERSVILLE, July 23.—A few days ago a pistol was found about a mile down the railroad track about a half a mile from Kernersville and it was currently reported that it belonged to Mr. Jess Bowers, a young man working for the Kernersville Furniture Co. A warrant was issued for the young man and when Police-man Samuels went to the young man's boarding house he found him sick in bed. He demanded that Bowers get up and go up town with him, and Bowers asked him what for. Officer Samuels replied, "I will tell you when we get up town." Bowers thereupon ordered the officer out of the house and locked the door on him. The warrant was served the next day and the trial came off Saturday night at 7 o'clock in the mayor's office, which was recently almost totally destroyed by an explosion of dynamite. There were about two hundred people present, eager to hear the outcome. The mayor sprang a surprise by asking questions tending to show that the defendant had been "turning loose" the dynamite. Mr. G. H. Hasten, lawyer for the defense, strenuously objected to his client being tried on a charge not contained in the warrant and this was stricken out. When Lawyer Hasten was addressing the court he bitterly denounced Samuels for his interference and at the mention of Samuels' name the spectators hooted and jeered the officer. The mayor ordered the whole "hunch" under arrest, but later declared that he did not know a single person who raised the disturbance but said that if it could be proved on them that he would send them to jail. One little boy over in the corner of hearing the mayor's order in actual declared, "I never said a word." Several witnesses were examined but there was no proof that the pistol would shoot or that it belonged to young Bowers. The mayor reserved his decision until he could make further investigation as to whether the pistol would shoot or not. The trial lasted till rather late and while the mayor was sitting on the case some one was robbing his store about \$500 worth of jewelry and merchandise was taken out. It was not known till early the next morning and blood-hounds were brought from High Point but they arrived too late. Crowds had gathered and tramped over the trail. However there were evidences that the robbers had gone toward Greensboro and about 500 people on horseback and in buggies went down the railroad about five miles but returned without any clue as to the guilty parties.

INTERPARLIAMENTARY PEACE CONFERENCE. (By Publishers' Press.) LONDON, July 23.—The fourteenth meeting of the interparliamentary peace conference opened this morning in Westminster Hall of the House of Lords. The conference will continue its session three days. Its most important work will be the discussion of a motion urging an enlargement of the functions of the Hague tribunal. There are 550 delegates attending the conference from most of the world's nations, including six deputies of the Russian douma. The scene at the opening of the conference was remarkable, the delegates indulging in demonstration showing sympathy with the Russian douma, which had been dissolved by the czar. It was also marked by the declaration from Premier Campbell-Bannerman, favoring submission of all questions to the Hague tribunal by settlement as a substitute for war.

FUNERAL OF RUSSELL SAGE TOMORROW. (By Publishers' Press.) NEW YORK, July 23.—Arrangements for the funeral of Russell Sage were completed today. The services will be held in the First Presbyterian church, at Farrock Way tomorrow afternoon at four. The burial will be at Troy, N. Y. There is much speculation as to where Mr. Sage's wealth is to go but rumor has it that Mrs. Sage will get the greater part.

Russell Sage's Death. NEW YORK, June 22.—Russell Sage died suddenly today at his country home, "Cedar Crest," at Lawrence, L. I. The immediate cause of death was heart failure, resulting from a complication of diseases incident to old age. The veteran financier would have celebrated his 87th birthday on August 4. Mr. Sage had been in exceptionally good health since his arrival at his summer home about six months ago. At noon today he was seized with a sinking spell and collapsed, falling into unconsciousness about two hours before his death, which occurred at 4:30 o'clock. There were present at the end Mrs. Sage, her brother, Col. J. J. Shoen, the Rev. Robert Leitch, D. Theodore S. Janeway, of New York; Dr. J. Carl Schmeck, a local physician, and Dr. John P. Mann, for many years Mr. Sage's family physician, who was summoned from New York when the first alarming symptoms were manifested.

LONGWORTHS THROWN FROM AN AUTOMOBILE. (By Publishers' Press.) BERLIN, July 23.—The Longworths were thrown from an automobile yesterday but beyond the fall and a few slight bruises they were unhurt. They passed through Würzburg yesterday morning and when a short distance out of town the steering gear refused to work, the auto reared off the road and fell into a ditch. The chauffeur obtained a carriage and returned here with the Longworths who took the train for Berlin.

CONFERENCE AT RIO JANEIRO OPENS TONIGHT. (By Publishers' Press.) RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, July 23.—The third conference of Pan-American countries will be formally opened this evening. It had been expected that the opening would take place last Saturday but a number of the delegates, including those from the United States, were delayed in arriving on account of the heavy weather at sea.

1126 PERSONS KILLED IN RAILWAY ACCIDENTS. (By Publishers' Press.) WASHINGTON, July 23.—The interstate commerce commission announced today that, during the three months ending March 31, 1906, there were 18,296 casualties of railroad passengers and employees. Of these 1126 were killed. This is an increase of 19 killed over those reported in the preceding three months. The property loss in these accidents was about three millions.

DEATH OF JAPANESE ARMY OFFICER TODAY. (By Publishers' Press.) TOKYO, July 23.—Vasount Kodoma, chief of the general staff of army, died here this morning. He was educated at Rutgers College and his wife at Vassar. The Edson-Winthrop Stock Co. will appear here all next week under the auspices of the local Eagles lodge. A canvas tent will be used.

TRIAL IN TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE. (Special to The Sentinel.) KERNERSVILLE, July 23.—A few days ago a pistol was found about a mile down the railroad track about a half a mile from Kernersville and it was currently reported that it belonged to Mr. Jess Bowers, a young man working for the Kernersville Furniture Co. A warrant was issued for the young man and when Police-man Samuels went to the young man's boarding house he found him sick in bed. He demanded that Bowers get up and go up town with him, and Bowers asked him what for. Officer Samuels replied, "I will tell you when we get up town." Bowers thereupon ordered the officer out of the house and locked the door on him. The warrant was served the next day and the trial came off Saturday night at 7 o'clock in the mayor's office, which was recently almost totally destroyed by an explosion of dynamite. There were about two hundred people present, eager to hear the outcome. The mayor sprang a surprise by asking questions tending to show that the defendant had been "turning loose" the dynamite. Mr. G. H. Hasten, lawyer for the defense, strenuously objected to his client being tried on a charge not contained in the warrant and this was stricken out. When Lawyer Hasten was addressing the court he bitterly denounced Samuels for his interference and at the mention of Samuels' name the spectators hooted and jeered the officer. The mayor ordered the whole "hunch" under arrest, but later declared that he did not know a single person who raised the disturbance but said that if it could be proved on them that he would send them to jail. One little boy over in the corner of hearing the mayor's order in actual declared, "I never said a word." Several witnesses were examined but there was no proof that the pistol would shoot or that it belonged to young Bowers. The mayor reserved his decision until he could make further investigation as to whether the pistol would shoot or not. The trial lasted till rather late and while the mayor was sitting on the case some one was robbing his store about \$500 worth of jewelry and merchandise was taken out. It was not known till early the next morning and blood-hounds were brought from High Point but they arrived too late. Crowds had gathered and tramped over the trail. However there were evidences that the robbers had gone toward Greensboro and about 500 people on horseback and in buggies went down the railroad about five miles but returned without any clue as to the guilty parties.

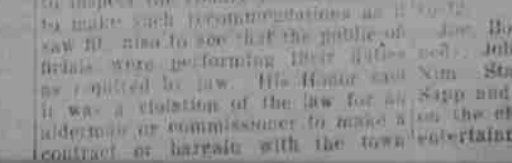
LIGHTNING STRIKES A WOMAN AND A COW. During the storm yesterday afternoon Mrs. John Polz, of Walkertown, was slightly shocked by the lightning. For a few minutes she was unconscious. Today it was learned that she had about recovered from the effects of the shock. It is reported that the same bolt of lightning also struck a cow nearby, knocking the animal something like forty feet without injuring her.

Notice. The regular meeting of the Retail Merchants' Association will be held tonight at 8:15 in the new rooms of the association over the postoffice. Business of importance will be considered, and it is desired that every member be present. N. L. CRANFORD, Pres.

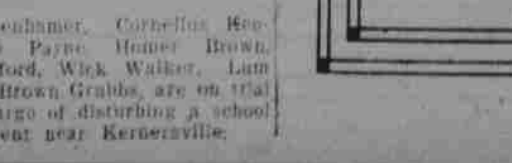
Mr. Zeb Griggs who preaches on the streets, came in today from M. A. H. He will preach on the streets tonight.



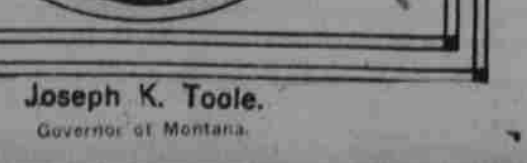
A. W. Benson. Mayor from Kansas, Succeeds J. R. Burton.



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