

HOOKER TO TAKE THE STAND.

WILL ALSO ASK HIS BENCH ASSOCIATES TO DEFEND HIM.

Their Evidence Irrelevant, as No Charges Made Against Him as a Judge—Reading of Testimony Before Joint Session—Case May Close on Tuesday.

ALBANY, July 11.—Supreme Court Justice Warren B. Hooker is at last to break his silence regarding the charges upon which his removal from office is asked. He will call a dozen witnesses in his behalf, Justice Hooker is to go on the stand and submit to cross-examination. His will probably wind up the testimony.

Among the witnesses subpoenaed are Hooker's associates in the Justice's office, who have been subpoenaed in the Brooklyn Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, with the exception of Justice Woodward, who hails from the same county as Justice Hooker—Chatham.

The Justices are to testify to the ability, integrity and uprightiness of Mr. Hooker as a Justice, and the suggestion is made that their testimony will be irrelevant, for the reason that no act of Mr. Hooker as a Justice is questioned in the charges.

The other witnesses subpoenaed are in connection with the Wirtner judgment, in which it is charged by the Assembly Judiciary Committee that Justice Hooker perverted a brother Justice into writing what was practically a fraudulent judgment, and in which Justice White demanded that he be set aside a couple of years after he had signed it.

Justice Hooker's counsel to-night think that all the testimony can be put in and the summing up of the case completed this week, in which case the Legislature will adjourn until next Tuesday, when the members will come back and vote upon the resolution removing Justice Hooker.

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SEVENTH'S TEAM AS HOSTS.

Defeated Riflemen Entertain Their Successful English Opponents.

LONDON, July 11.—The rifle team of the Seventh New York Regiment, which took part in the contest for the cup given by Col. Vincent of the Westminster Volunteers, gave a farewell reception to-night at the Grand Hotel in honor of the Westminster Volunteers and other hosts who had entertained them during their stay in England. A large number of Americans attended. Hilarity and good fellowship formed the keynote of the reception, which was informal. It was prolonged until a late hour.

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The King replied that it had given him much satisfaction to receive the message and that he was very glad to hear that the team had enjoyed their visit. He thanked Capt. McLean for his kind expressions concerning him and the British people.

Several informal speeches were made, the speakers dwelling on the good comradeship that had been manifested and recognizing that the match had been fair and square. Capt. McLean said that the team had determined not to leave without giving the Westminsters substantial evidence of their appreciation of the kindness shown on them, and pointing to the regimental flag that was occupying the place of honor alongside the national flags, he said: "We are going to leave that testimony for the Westminsters." This evoked wild applause.

In conversation the individual members of the team showed that they keenly enjoyed their visit. They received many invitations to their engagements compelled them to decline. On Sunday the team will march with a brigade of the Guards to service at the Guards' chapel. Afterward they will dine at the Guards' Club as guests of the British officers. As the Guards are the premier infantry of the army and their officers aristocrats and notoriously exclusive, the invitation to dine is felt to be a special compliment.

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Men Abandoned in German Mine.

BERLIN, July 11.—All hopes of rescuing the thirty-nine men who are imprisoned in the burning Borussia mine, near Dortmund, have been abandoned, although the rescuers reached to within ten yards of where the men are.

Zocchi, Oldest Italian Actor, Dead.

ROME, July 11.—Francesco Zocchi, the oldest Italian actor, an uncle of the famous Salvini, died at Figarolo to-day, at the age of 98.

The Weather.

The temperature remained stationary yesterday, was slightly lower at most points in the Atlantic coast and east Gulf States, but continued to rise in the Lake region, the Missouri Valley and the Rocky Mountain region.

COUNT SCHUYALOFF IS SLAIN.

MOSCOW PREFECT OF POLICE VICTIM OF AN ASSASSIN.

Shot Down in His Office While Receiving Petitions—Murderer Not Identified—Widow of Grand Duke Sergius, Also Assassinated, Mourns With the Family.

MOSCOW, July 11.—While a number of persons were presenting petitions to-day to Count Schuyaloff, the Prefect of Police, one of them shot him three times, killing him. The murderer was arrested.

The assassin had remained in the waiting room till the other petitioners had been received. Then, entering the audience hall, he fired at close quarters, the bullets passing through Count Schuyaloff's vest. The prisoner has not been identified yet. He was arrested for a political offense a short time ago, but escaped from the police station.

It is impossible to say whether Count Schuyaloff was the victim of a crank or of the odium of the system he represented. He was an honorable, cultured, hardworking official, in direct contrast to the average bureaucrat. He was not known to have an enemy.

The assassin is about 30 years old. He had a passport which was probably forged, representing him to be a citizen of Kursk. His identity is unknown. The doctors say the bullets he used were poisoned. One struck an official by the name of Scheider in the leg.

LONDON, July 12.—The motive for the assassination of Count Schuyaloff cannot be traced. The estimates of his character given by the different correspondents do not agree, but his known high culture, his devotion to his duty as he conceived it, and above all the qualities of the Westminister Volunteers and other hosts who had entertained them during their stay in England. A large number of Americans attended. Hilarity and good fellowship formed the keynote of the reception, which was informal. It was prolonged until a late hour.

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CHINA APPEALS TO POWERS.

Wants to Take Part in the Coming Peace Conference.

PARIS, July 11.—China has addressed a note to the French Government similar to the notes she has already addressed to the Japanese and Russian Governments. She asks that in case her demand for representation at the peace conference shall be rejected by Japan and Russia, she hopes for the support of the Powers. China would rather have Manchuria handed back by a formal act agreed to by Russia, Japan and China than to receive it from Japan's hands alone.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 11.—Officials of the Foreign Office this afternoon expressed doubts whether any of the neutral Powers would support China's wish to participate in the peace conference. It is believed that the opinion among the Powers is that the belligerents should first arrive at a settlement and that China might then be allowed to raise her question.

PEACE WITHOUT INDEMNITY.

Russian Paper Says There is Hope of Making Terms on That Basis.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 11.—The *Slovlo* says it has learned from most reliable sources that a conference of leading Russian statesmen it was recognized that it was possible to conclude peace with Japan exclusively on the basis of territorial concessions and agreements without the payment of an indemnity. The *Slovlo* adds that, according to private information, the English and American Governments expect peace to be concluded on this basis.

The Czar is described as being surprised at and exercised over the continuance of Japanese activity, as shown by their invasion of Sakhalin Island.

GOOD DEMAND FOR JAP LOAN.

Now Quoted on the Curb at an Advance Over Subscription Price.

LONDON, July 11.—The subscription list for the new Japanese loan closed at 2.30 P. M. The loan had a satisfactory reception, through the rush to subscribe was not to be compared with the one to subscribe to the March issue. The securities are at a premium of 3/4 to-day.

HOME INSURANCE COMPANY.

One Hundred and Fourth Semi-Annual Report Shows a Big Surplus for Policyholders.

DRUNK WHEN HE SHOT BROTHER.

UNCLE MIGHT MARRY NIECE.

Judge and Lawyers in Shirtwaists.

GRAPES-NUTS.

WANTED TO SLEEP.

MORE BOMBS DISCOVERED.

NO RUSSIAN LOAN.

Rainier Automobile advertisement featuring an illustration of a car and text describing its features and availability.

Immediate Deliveries advertisement for a car repair and maintenance service.

Welch's Grape Juice advertisement with an illustration of a bottle and text describing its benefits.

Bretton Woods White Mts. advertisement for a resort or travel agency.

Funeral of Howard Gibb advertisement for a funeral home.

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