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## REVOLT OPENLY URGED IN SHADOW OF CZAR'S PALACE

### TREASON CHARGES BRAVED BY 4,000

Strange Mass Meeting Held in Russian Capital, Seemingly Without Restraint.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 20.—The spirit of revolution had complete possession of the great meeting of professors, students and directors of the St. Petersburg university, which assembled today to discuss the question of joining in the general strike inaugurated by similar institutions in Russia, and decided to close the university till fall.

In expectation of possible trouble when the meeting broke up, squadrons of Cossacks again paraded the streets, especially Nevsky Prospect and the neighborhood of the Kazan cathedral, which is always a point for student demonstrations.

It was a strange gathering. Most of the students were poorly clad and all were in a state of nervous excitement, their eyes burning with zeal. A small rostrum in a corner was occupied by the speakers. A bell with which the student who presided tried to stop the thunders of approval which greeted the orators were greeted was completely unavailing.

The majority coupled with these a demand for ending the war. Almost every orator went back to the French revolution for parallels. Again and again was Russia declared to be on the eve of a revolution.

When Professor Speranzi, one of the speakers, revealed the fact that Governor General Treppoff had threatened not to permit any student who left his university to enter any of the big universities, the statement was received with a veritable howl of rage.

The few foreign newspaper correspondents who were admitted to the meeting and the absolute character of the meeting and the absolute character of the meeting and the absolute character of the meeting.

When shortly after 3 o'clock a recess was taken, the whole student body began singing the Russian "Marseillaise," which begins: "You fell victims of love of your country."

A portrait of Emperor Nicholas was also taken down from the wall and carried in the procession.

## STANFORD POISON PLOT BEING THOROLY PROBED



MRS. JANE L. STANFORD, California Woman Whose Life Was in Danger from Poison.

Officers Seek Evidence Against a Would-Be Murderer of California's Philanthropist as She Flees to Japan for Safety and Rest After Attempt on Life.

## RACE HATRED IN NORTH AND SOUTH

While Bay State Farmers Would Bar Jews, Nashville Fights Negro School.

Pittsfield, Mass., Feb. 20.—Farmers in the town of Sandersfield, in the southeast end of Berkshire county, held a meeting the other day to determine what could be done to stop the invasion of Jews.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 20.—Agents acting for Mother Catherine Drexel, founder of the Order of the Blessed Sacrament, have bought 1,000 acres of land in the city for a school for negro girls.

## "STANDPATTERS" LOSE IN COURT

Validity of Biennial Elections Amendment Sustained by Iowa Judge.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 20.—Every officeholder in this state who was great indignation among the fashionable neighbors of Mr. Keith, and open threats were made that the property should never be so used.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 20.—D. M. Way of Marengo, S. D., who was injured in the wreck a week ago on the Milwaukee railway at Melbourne, Iowa, died today in a hospital in this city.

Special to the Journal. Mrs. Alice Ames Winter of this city is the latest woman to achieve the distinction of writing a novel, which, its publishers say, is sure to become one of the "best sellers."

## STATE PREPARES FOR KOCH'S RETRIAL

Sheriff of Blue Earth Invades New Ulm with Subpoenas for Witnesses.

New Ulm, Minn., Feb. 20.—Bennett Williams, sheriff of Blue Earth county, is in the city subpoenaing witnesses for the trial of Dr. G. B. Koch at Mankato.

Two prominent citizens of this place came to blows in one of the saloons here over an argument as to the guilt or innocence of Dr. Koch.

## SCHOOLMA'AMS GUARDED FROM CUPID BY LAW

Mahanoy City, Pa., Feb. 20.—With a view to keeping school teachers from marrying, a bill has been prepared by the public school superintendent of Pennsylvania for admission to the legislature.

## ALBERT LA RUE IS DEAD

New York, Feb. 20.—Albert La Rue, well known among musicians and musical publishers as an arranger and composer, died in his home here from pneumonia.

## GEN. TERROR REIGNS SUPREME IN RUSSIA.

The commander-in-chief of Russia's forces, from telegraphic description.



DR. WILLIAM K. HARPER, President of Chicago University, Who Expects Fatal Results of Approaching Operation.

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## NEMESIS OF STANDARD OIL IS AWAKENING THE NATION

### MINNEAPOLIS NOVEL BY MINNEAPOLIS WOMAN

Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, Local Society and Club Woman, Write a Stirring Story of Life in Northwest, for Which the Publishers Predict Great Things.

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MRS. THOMAS G. WINTER, Minneapolis Woman Whose Story of Minnesota Life Has Just Been Published.

The story was promptly accepted, but the author was asked to make two changes. The name she had chosen, "Our Lady of the North," just published by another firm, and the name of the hero was similar to that of the chief actor in "The Main Chance," which the Bobbs-Merrill company has recently brought out.

The illustrations are by a brother-in-law of Mrs. Winter, Raymond Crosby, who is hailed as a coming illustrator in the east, and whose work is well known to readers of "Life" and other magazines.

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## STATES JOIN IN WAR ON OCTOPUS

Wisconsin, Missouri and Oklahoma Legislatures Moving on the Trust.

United States—Department of Commerce, thru Commissioner of Corporations Garfield, begins inquiry into Standard-Oil Methods, by direction of President Roosevelt.

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