

TERRORISTS ARE ACTIVE

Sudden Resumption of Assassination of Russ Leaders.

SEVERAL MEET DEATH

Government as Usual Falls to Make Clear Its Position.

St. Petersburg, May 28.—Instead of the royal decree of amnesty the newspapers here this morning furnish to the populace reports of terrorist activity, assassination and bomb throwing in widely separated parts of the country.

Even in the opinion of the most conservative observers it is admitted that the signs point ominously to the bursting of the revolution cloud which so long has hung over Russia.

Warden Assassinated.

Here in St. Petersburg the fighting organization resumed its campaign in earnest last night with the assassination of M. Shataloff, warden of the city. His assassin, an 18-year-old youth, was arrested after he had taken another life in an attempt to escape.

He declared that he was executing a social revolutionist sentence in revenge for Shataloff's brutal treatment of political prisoners.

In Tiflis and Sevastopol the fighting organization inaugurated a campaign of bomb throwing. Eleven persons were killed and several wounded, including the commander of the fortress, during a review of troops at Sevastopol.

Bombs at Tiflis.

At Tiflis, Governor General Timosereff and the chief of police escaped death by a narrow margin. Of two bombs thrown at their carriage one failed to explode and one went wild, killing a Cossack.

All the outbreaks marked celebrations of the czar's coronation. News of them has created a tremendous sensation here, where the populace is awaiting nervously the outcome of the czar's defiance of the czar.

Government Hesitating.

St. Petersburg, May 28.—Pessimism over the outlook continues to grow. The government, as usual, in every crisis, seems to be hesitating as to which course to pursue. The emperor refuses to yield to the counsels of the court camarilla, but his attitude continues to be negative and not affirmative. He seems inclining to the idea that a compromise is still possible.

Denies Will Use Force.

Several official notes have been issued denying the government intends to resort to force, but at the same time there is no evidence the emperor is ready to yield to the demand for the substitution of the present ministry with one from the majority in the lower house of parliament. The result is a virtual deadlock, the prolongation of which can only serve to diminish the chances of a peaceful settlement.

Secret Agent Shot.

Odessa, May 28.—An agent of the secret police was shot dead in the main street here today. The assassin escaped. The strike in the harbor continues. Seventeen Russian steamers are unable to depart.

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HAVOC IN BOLTS

Lightning Strikes With Fatal Effects in Various Parts of Country.

IN CROWD AT BALL GAME

Farm Hand Near Morrison, Whiteside County, Killed While Milking.

Mobile, Ala., May 28.—During a ball game in an open field three miles from Mobile yesterday afternoon lightning struck in the midst of the spectators and instantly killed five and injured about 25 more or less seriously.

At least 15 or 20 others were shocked. They quickly recovered.

The field was strewn with bits of shoes and clothing from those who were killed or seriously injured. A silver dollar taken from the pocket of one of the victims was melted on both sides.

Man and Fourteen Cows Killed.

Morrison, Ill., May 28.—Edward Jenks, a farm hand, was killed by lightning yesterday seven miles southwest of Morrison while milking. A companion named Bealer was rendered unconscious for several hours. Fourteen cows in the yard also were killed.

Lightning Kills Man on Train.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 28.—Lightning struck a freight train on the Missouri Pacific railway here yesterday, and instantly killed W. H. Edwards, a brakeman. Several cars were slightly damaged.

SERMON TO CLASS

President Andreen Speaks to Graduates of Augustana College.

SERVICES AT COLLEGE CHAPEL

Rev. C. E. Hoffsten and Rev. Jonson Assist at Baccalaureate Address—"Stewards of God" Subject.

The chapel of Augustana College was crowded last evening. President Andreen delivering the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating classes of the institution, Rev. C. E. Hoffsten, of the Grace Lutheran church and Rev. Jonson of the Zion Lutheran church, assisted Dr. Andreen in the service. Dr. Andreen spoke on the subject, "The Stewards of God."

"Choose whom you will serve, for serve ye must," said Dr. Andreen, in taking up the questions of vocation that confront the graduate. Self control was emphasized by President Andreen as one of the fundamental characteristics necessary in a real steward.

Utilize Special Gifts.

He spoke of the qualities in service that should be brought into prominence by the young people. "God does not expect the impossible from you, it is the powers you have, the special gifts developed in college life that you should use in the service of God and your fellow man," said the president. "The purpose of stewardship is not self gratification, but is higher and nobler, and is in the service of your fellowman," he said in conclusion.

Special music was furnished by the chapel choir. All of the various departments of the college participated in the service, the students attending in bodies, and occupying the central seats of the auditorium.

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DERAILMENT KILLS NINE

Breaking Flange Wrecks Louisville & Nashville Passenger

AT LOUISVILLE STATION

Smoker and Day Coach Crash Into Passing Freight Train.

Louisville, May 28.—A Louisville and Nashville passenger train which left Knoxville last night was wrecked in the Louisville yards this morning. Nine persons were killed and 12 or 15 injured. The train was backing into the station when a flange on one of the forward trucks of the smoker broke and derailed the car, throwing it into a string of freight cars.

Seven Unidentified.

Among the dead are Howard B. Coleman of Stanford, Ky., and William Pruitt of Lebanon, Ky. There are seven badly mangled unidentified bodies at one undertaking establishment. The smoker and two day coaches jumped the track and crashed into a freight train.

The sleeping car left the track, but was not damaged and the occupants were unhurt. All those killed met death in the smoker and day coach.

TROOPS DROWN IN RIVER

Ferryboat Capsizes and Four Philippine Soldiers Go Under.

Manila, May 28.—Sergeant W. H. Thompson, Privates J. O. Miller and J. S. Morrison of the 8th cavalry, and Private Mendose of the constabulary, together with five horses, were drowned Friday in the Lingyan river by the capsizing of a ferryboat. The river was swollen by the recent typhoon. The troops were on a practice march. The bodies of Sergeant Thompson and Private Morrison have been recovered.

GREEN AND DOREMUS ARE PLACED ON TRIAL

Pair Connected With Sale of Stamp Cancelling Device Pleaded Not Guilty.

Washington, May 28.—The trial of state senator George E. Green of New York, and W. D. Doremus on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government and bribery in connection with the purchase of certain stamp cancelling devices for postal service was begun today in the district supreme court. The defendants pleaded not guilty.

TRADE WITH AFRICA IS LESS

In 1903 Was \$51,000,000; In 1905, \$30,000,000

Washington, D. C., May 28.—The trade of the United States with Africa in the fiscal year 1905, according to a bulletin of the department of commerce and labor, aggregated about \$29,000,000, of which \$11,233,000 were importations and the remainder exportations. The trade with Africa amounted to \$51,000,000 in 1903. The decrease, the bulletin says, is but a reflection of the reduction in Africa's general imports since 1903.

DOLLIVER HITS AT SOCIOLOGISTS

IOWA SENATOR DECLARES PROBLEMS OF NATION WILL NOT BE SETTLED BY THEM.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 28.—Senator Dolliver of Iowa, before a Y. M. C. A. mass meeting, yesterday made a pointed attack on those sociologists who purpose to deliver the race from all care, toil, burdens and competition. "Those of my acquaintances," said the senator, "who have reached this desired haven are either deadheads or wards of government institutions."

Produces Drones.

He said the tendency of these teachings was to produce drones, and declared some of the recent struggles between labor and capital had approached the ridiculous. "Sociologists have missed the philosophy of human life," he continued. "The law of labor struggle, service, sacrifice is the mold in which rugged manhood is made by achievement. Contest is demanded to make character. If you give a boy \$50,000 to start life with, he does not start, he curls himself up on the doormat and sleeps."

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NOT HIS FAULT TAKES STEP TO PUNISH

Rev. George Simmons of Peoria Did Not Wreck People's Savings Bank.

JACOB WOOLNER INDICTED

Formerly Wealthy Distiller and Brewer Now Dying at Los Angeles.

Peoria, Ill., May 28.—Jacob Woolner, founder of the Woolner distilling interests in Peoria, at one time one of the wealthiest men in Illinois, but now broken with age and reported to be a bankrupt, was indicted by the grand jury for wrecking the Peoples Savings bank, which collapsed after the sensational suicide of Rev. George Simmons last February.

Woolner is now in Los Angeles, Cal., suffering from Bright's disease. It will be with great risk that he be returned to answer the charge which has been brought against him.

Founded 20 Years Ago.

The Peoples bank was a private institution, handling small commercial deposits and the savings of the poor. It was founded 20 years ago and did a business which barely paid expenses. Then years ago Jacob Woolner bought this bank and last September he sold it to Rev. Mr. Simmons, who took into partnership a minister from Wheaton, Ill., Rev. E. Louis Kelly.

Rev. Dr. Simmons took his life early one Tuesday morning in February. By an agreement reached between him and his partner, Rev. Mr. Kelly, the night before, the bank was not opened Tuesday morning. It was explained the institution was closed on account of the death of its president, but rumors of financial collapse at once gained circulation. Two days later the bank went into the hands of a receiver, and was found to have liabilities of about \$125,000 and assets of less than a fifth of that amount.

Blame Laid to Simmons.

To the dead minister, who had taken his life, and to his partner, Rev. Mr. Kelly, the blame at first was laid. Further developments pointed toward the former owner of the bank, and charges that the bank had been insolvent when Woolner sold it to Rev. Mr. Simmons gained circulation. Before the grand jury last week the history of Woolner's management of the bank was brought to light.

A. L. Pasquay, once the bookkeeper in the bank, who was discharged because he was \$6,000 short in his accounts, now an employe of a trust company in Chicago, was the star witness. He was supported by W. S. Sinsler, a former cashier of the bank.

Bought a Brewery.

The story of Woolner's downfall is the tale of the wrecking of a great fortune. Ten years ago Woolner, who, as head of the Woolner family, had built up an immense distilling trade, sold out his plant to the trust, and bought the Union Brewing company. For a few years brewing business paid well, and then Woolner's health began to fail.

Five years ago an attack of Bright's disease drove the wealthy brewer from active business. From that day his business interests ran down. The brewer turned to the bank for funds. Gradually its resources were sapped, until there was no money to loan to other parties, it is charged.

HAVE MARCH DAY

Sudden Change in Weather Affected Many Plans of Pleasure Seekers.

AMUSEMENTS ALL PUT ASIDE

Ball Games are Called Off—Steamboat Excursions Carry Few People—Tower Almost Deserted.

People who had planned pleasure trips for Sunday were much disappointed yesterday, when they found themselves confronted with more March weather. The drop in the temperature Saturday afternoon was a record breaker. At 1 o'clock the thermometer registered 82 degrees, the highest for the day. In just 20 minutes it had dropped 19 degrees. Following this came the rain, and Sunday was even more disagreeable.

Hit All Amusements.

Ball games were all declared off on both sides of the river. Steamboat excursions were features announced for yesterday, both in and out of the city, and while the boats made their trips the crowds were very small compared with what they would have been under favorable circumstances. All of the new amusements at the Watch Tower were to be put in operation, but the visitors there were far from numerous.

Rain and Wind.

Considerable damage from the wind and rain is reported in the three cities and their vicinity. Telephone and

MOODY ASKS SUPREME COURT TO SUMMON LYNCHERS

Twenty-seven Men, Including Sheriff, Likely to be Cited.

CHATTANOOGA NEGRO

Would Summon for Contempt.

Washington, May 28.—The government has taken steps to punish the persons who are responsible for the lynching in Chattanooga, Tenn., March 19, of the negro, Ed Johnson, who was under sentence of death for rape, and had been allowed an appeal by the United States supreme court.

Upholds Philippine Decision.

Washington, May 28.—The supreme court of the United States today reiterated its decision of the last term in the Philippines cases involving the validity of tariff collections on the islands under the executive order of 1898. The cases involve about \$4,000,000.

Franchise Tax Upheld.

Washington, May 28.—The case of the New York Central Railroad company vs. Controller Miller of the state of New York, involving the state law imposing a franchise tax on railroad property in New York, was decided by the supreme court today favorably to the state, the opinion being delivered by Justice Holmes.

MISSOURI MUST PAY THE COSTS

Supreme Court Enters Order in Regard to Drainage Canal Suit.

Washington, May 28.—The supreme court today granted the motion of the state of Illinois for an order requiring the state of Missouri, to pay the costs in the recent case between the states involving the right of the Chicago sanitary canal to empty its waters in the Mississippi river.

GERMAN CATHOLICS MEETING

Over 300 Delegates in Attendance at Convention.

Quincy, Ill., May 28.—The annual convention of the Illinois State Federation of German Catholic societies commenced here yesterday with 300 delegates present from all over the state. The proceedings opened with pontifical high mass at St. Boniface church, conducted by Bishop Janssen of Belleville. In the afternoon there was a parade of delegates and societies. After the reports of committees there were addresses by F. W. Heckenkamp of Quincy, Rev. Augustin Selpert of Rensselaer, Ind.; Anton Schaefer of Joliet, and Carl F. Thomas of Chicago.

WAR ON WEALTH ROOSEVELT'S THEME

TALKS MORE AND MORE TO VISITORS ABOUT NEED OF CURBING THE TRUSTS.

Washington, D. C., May 28.—President Roosevelt talks more and more to visitors about the men who run trusts, the need of curbing them, and about law defying officers of great corporations, and the need of punishing them.

Compares With Jackson.

He said last week to a republican United States senator, who is himself a man of great wealth and a director in many corporations: "President Jackson fought the money power. He was wrong, but he became famous. I am right, and—"

Day for Man with Patch.

To another visitor (this week the president said): "This is the day for the man with a patch on his breeches to come forward, and for the man of the dollar to go to the rear."

Dispute Over Engine Specifications Ends Career of Veteran Chicago Official.

Chicago, May 28.—Fire Marshal John Campion was today summarily removed from office by Mayor Dunne. The trouble originated in a dispute between the chief and mayor regarding specifications for some new fire engines which the city is about to purchase.

Snow at St. Louis.

St. Louis, May 28.—Snow fell at St. Louis five minutes this morning. The temperature was 44 degrees.

IN AUTO PARADE

Princess Ena and King Alfonso Pass Before Admiring Thousands.

SPANISH CAPITAL ON HOLIDAY

Royal Bride Wins People by Scouring Pardon of Man Condemned to Death.

Madrid, May 28.—The feature of today's festivities in honor of the wedding of King Alfonso to Princess Ena was an automobile parade in which the royal party participated. Two hundred cars beautifully decorated with flowers and flags and filled with pretty women in gay costumes filed through the streets which were packed with holiday crowds.

Secures Pardon.

Madrid, May 28.—The first notable act of Princess Ena of Battenberg since her arrival in Spain to become the bride of King Alfonso XIII., has been to induce the king to pardon Fernando Levera, who was condemned to death after an exciting trial.

The dramatic circumstances under which pardon was given, as the condemned man was going to the gallows, attracts widespread attention and further augments the popularity of Princess Ena.

Call Cabinet Council.

Levera was to have been executed in the neighboring town of Badajoz, but the population solicited Princess Ena's intercession and she spoke to the king, who consulted with his ministers, and after a cabinet council, the government resolved to grant the request as it was the first petition the princess had made in Spain. Thereupon the king issued a pardon, and a telegram announcing this fact reached the prison at Badajoz half an hour before the time set for the execution.

The march to the scaffold was about to begin when a messenger brought word of the pardon.

TROUBLE IS NEAR

Guatemala Facing Revolution Over Purely Internal Affairs.

FOREIGNERS SHOWING ALARM

Property Endangered—Insurgent Troops Being Massed Rapidly.

Washington, May 28.—Guatemala is threatened with a revolution which may endanger American interests in the republic, according to dispatches received at the state department today. The scene of the trouble is in the northern part of the republic, near the Mexican frontier, but the cause is internal.

Troops Rapidly Massed.

Troops are being massed by the revolutionists in such numbers that foreigners with property interests in the republic are much alarmed. Unrest has prevailed in the little republic for some time and the state department has had intimations from time to time that an insurrectionary movement might be expected.

Salton Sea is Rising Fast.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 28.—Ranchers along the Salton sea, along the Colorado river, bordering Arizona, are fighting desperately against an inundation, according to reports just received. The sea is rising alarmingly.

Dismisses Militia.

Winfield, Kan., May 28.—The sheriff has dismissed the company of state militia ordered here by Governor Hoch to protect Amassa Thomas, who clubbed Charles McEwan to death and who was threatened by a mob. All danger of violence is over.

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MINERS IN A NEW MOVE

Officers Called for an Important Conference at Columbus.

OPERATORS ACTIVE TOO

Moyer and Haywood to be Re-elected at Meeting at Denver.

Columbus, Ohio, May 28.—Officers of the United Mine Workers have called a convention at Columbus next Friday to discuss complications which have arisen affecting the miners' interests. The decision of the officers is by far the most important since the suspension of work in the mines April 1.

Meet in Secret.

Chicago, May 28.—Members of the coal operators' executive committee of the coal operators of Illinois, Indiana and Ohio met here in secret session today to consider means of bringing the strike of miners to an end.

Dissolved Tri-State Agreement.

The tri-coal agreement existing between the operators of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois was practically dissolved. The agreement provided that no settlement with miners would be made in one state without the consent of the operators in other states.

Will Reelect Moyer.

Denver, May 28.—One hundred fifty delegates are in attendance at the opening session here today of the annual convention of the Western Federation of Miners. It is tacitly agreed among the members Charles H. Moyer, president, and William D. Haywood, secretary-treasurer, who are in prison in Idaho awaiting trial on the charge of complicity in the assassination of former Governor Steunenberg, will be reelected.

BEATS SHERIFF; HANGS PRISONER

North Carolina Mob Avenges the Murder of Quinn Johnson by J. V. Johnson.

Wadesboro, N. C., May 28.—Early today a mob, after having knocked insensible Sheriff Boggan, battered down the doors of the county jail and secured J. V. Johnson, who some time ago murdered his brother-in-law, Quinn Johnson. Johnson was taken to the suburbs, strung up to a tree and the body riddled with bullets.

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