

DEATH ENDS THE TALE

Beautiful Russian Girl Murdered by Her Lover.

THEN HE SHOT HIMSELF

Followed Her From Russia to Commit a Double Crime.

KAD HIT HER WITH HATCHET

Served Three Years in Prison for His Offense and Finally Vented His Vengeance.

Special Dispatch to The Star.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 29.—A passion that had its beginning in Russia years ago, which changed a man's love into hatred and drove him to follow a woman across the sea to this country, had its ending in a little baker's shop at 509 South 12th street this morning.
There Martha Corias, a beautiful Russian girl, twenty-two years of age, was shot by him through the heart and once through the mouth. Looking at her prostrate body a moment, calmly he then turned the smoking revolver upon himself and sent a bullet into his head.
On the way to the Pennsylvania Hospital the woman died. The man's life hangs in the balance, but he has a chance of recovery.
Martha Corias came to this country from Russia about a year ago. Her life had been made unbearable there by Andrew Kottl, who four years ago incessantly sought to win her love.
Persuasion failed.
When persuasion failed he took a hatchet and struck her over the head. She lay for months between life and death. Kottl was sent to a Russian prison for three years. To escape Kottl, Martha Corias came to this country, and obtained employment several months ago with Mr. and Mrs. August Ramstein, 1209 South street, who have a wholesale liquor establishment.
Four months ago Kottl was released. He learned that Martha came to New York, and then through Russian friends to this city.
Ordered to Leave.
One day at Ramstein's he met Martha. He pressed his suit, begging forgiveness for the hatchet blow, but she refused to leave. After several more unsuccessful visits at the Ramsteins' he left. This morning at 7:30 o'clock Martha went into Green's shop for a loaf of bread, followed by Kottl.
"Go away; get out of here," cried the girl, furious. There was a quick conversation in Russian, when Kottl drew his revolver.
"Take that," he said, and began firing at the girl.
WINTRY IN THE SOUTHWEST.
Snow, Sleet and Rain Reported From Kansas City.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 29.—A combination of snow, sleet and rain was reported this morning in this part of the southwest, with freezing weather prevailing from the Nebraska line to Texas. There was a fall of snow at Concordia, Kan., following rain, sleet at Baker, Kan., and a heavy rain at Wichita, with a flurry of snow in northwestern Missouri.
The temperature at this city, Kan., was 20, and in the Panhandle district, 30. There was a heavy fall of rain last night in western Missouri and also generally through Kansas and Oklahoma.

PRIZE FIGHT IN CHICAGO.

First Boxing Contest Given in Two Years.

CHICAGO, April 29.—The first boxing contest to be given in Chicago for two years took place at the Chicago Athletic Association Saturday night, when Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, Mass., got the decision over Jack Reed of Chicago in a six-round bout. Gardner had the advantage both in reach and compactness of command as will on the Chicago man. At the end of the sixth round the blood was streaming from Reed's nose and mouth, while Gardner did not have a mark. The card included four preliminary bouts.
Before Carter H. Harrison retired from the office of mayor, more than two years ago, he stopped all prize fighting and boxing contests in the city, and not until Saturday night could the sanction of the city authorities be procured for such contests.

DENVER LABOR UNION ACTS.

Roosevelt's Attitude in Moyer-Haywood Matter Regretted in Resolutions.

DENVER, Col., April 29.—The Denver trades and labor assembly yesterday adopted resolutions regretting the attitude taken by President Roosevelt against Moyer-Haywood. The Western Federation of Labor officials, now awaiting trial at Boise, Idaho, on charge of complicity in the assassination of former Gov. Steunenburg.
A communication suggesting that the body form itself into a permanent Moyer-Haywood protest committee was ordered placed on file.

MEDICAL EDUCATION.

Branch Council of American Association Discussed Reports at Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 29.—The council on medical education, a branch of the American Medical Association, met here today and discussed reports of committees as to the advisability of allowing a year's advanced standing to graduates of colleges of arts and sciences, and requiring, in addition to a four-year high school course, a year devoted to physics, chemistry, biology, and one language as a prerequisite to the study of medicine.
Addresses were made by Chancellor Kirkland of Vanderbilt University, Dr. Howard J. Rogers of Albany, N. Y.; Dr. Beverly D. Harrison of Detroit, Dr. W. T. Means, chairman of the judicial council of the Association of American Medical Colleges, and others.

ECHO OF THAW CASE.

One of Prisoner's Attorneys Refused Exhibits in Trial.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Justice Fitzgerald, in the supreme court today, refused to sign an order giving into the custody of A. Russell Peabody the exhibits introduced by the defense in the Thaw trial. Mr. Peabody, who is one of the men held for city officials, had asked that all the exhibits, including the letters offered before the lunacy commission, be turned over to him.
The exhibits are now in the custody of the clerk of the court before which Thaw was tried.

TAMMANY CONTROL.

End of Contest Between Organization and McClellan Administration.

NEW YORK, April 29.—An end to the contest for control of Tammany Hall between Mayor McClellan and Charles J. Murphy was announced today, following a conference between Timothy D. Sullivan and Corporation Counsel William E. Ellison, the latter of whom represented the mayor. Mr. Ellison after the conference gave out a statement in which he said the mayor would be left free to appoint the highest class of men he can find for city offices, but that he (Ellison) will advise against the appointment of men inimical to the democratic organization or its leaders. Mr. Sullivan, he said, agreed that only efficient men should be retained in or appointed to city offices. The mayor will recognize the right of his leaders to control the democratic organization and will ask that the organization give him its support in his efforts to solve the great municipal problems which confront him. Mr. Ellison said, in that way it was hoped, he added, to eradicate the lines drawn between the organization and the administration.

BREWERY RECEIVERS' REPORT.

Property Seized in Kansas by Order of Supreme Court.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 29.—The three receivers appointed by the state supreme court last week to take charge of the property in Kansas of eight outside brewing companies, and of a real estate concern operated by one liquor firm, made its report to the court here today. The report shows that the receivers have taken possession of nine buildings, four at Atchison and five at Leavenworth. They also are in possession of a large assortment of bars, fixtures and mirrors. Not much liquor has been taken. Most of the places where seizures were made have been saloons. The receivers are being operated by parties other than the brewing companies.
The receivers believe that the brewery companies will take some action to prevent the seizure of property, but the formal report of the seizures has been filed.
The brewery attorneys say they are waiting for definite authority in how to proceed. On Thursday next a motion to appoint a receiver in Kansas for the American-Busch Brewing Company was argued in the supreme court. This company was the only one of the foreign concerns to fight the seizure for receivership, and was not included in the list of companies for which receivers were named.
Story of Wreck Found in Bottle.
NORFOLK, Va., April 29.—A dispatch over the United States governmental coast telegraph line today from the crew of the abandoned bark Oriente, stranded two miles south of Pomeroy's Hill life-saving station, says that the crew of the vessel, numbering sixteen, left the bark in small boats and proceeded north, but the note gave no date.

Bribe Cases in England.

LONDON, April 29.—The first trial here in a long time of municipal officials for receiving bribes began today, when six members of the West Ham board of guardians and four workhouse and infirmary officials appeared in the dock of the criminal court charged with accepting money for awarding contracts for coal and other supplies and for appointing minor officials. The sums involved are comparatively small. It is charged, for instance, that a doctor paid \$500 for a hospital appointment.

French Delegates to The Hague.

PARIS, April 29.—Senator Baron d'Estournelles de Constant, president of the parliamentary group favoring international arbitration, and Louis Renault, one of the permanent representatives of France on The Hague arbitration tribunal, have been appointed delegates of France to the peace conference at The Hague.



MINERS STILL ENTOMBED

EFFORTS TO RESCUE WORKMEN SO FAR PROVE FUTILE.

Mountain Torrent Rushes Down the Hill Near the Opening—Pumps Gain Little.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., April 29.—The seven men who were imprisoned by a rush of water in mine No. 38 of the Berwind-White Coal Company, at Foustwell, Somerset county, Friday, are still entombed, although scores of rescuers have been working night and day in an effort to pump the water out and effect their freedom.
The work of pumping proceeds slowly, and until the rescuers can effect an entrance it will not be known whether the men in the mine are dead or alive. The mine mouth is besieged constantly by the relatives of the entombed miners. By many it is believed the men are dead, while the mine officials are hopeful all will be gotten out alive. Eight pumps are at work inside the mine. Men are pushing cars into the slope so that as fast as the water recedes the line on which the pumps are working can be extended.
The flow of water from the mine is continuous and there is a veritable mountain torrent rushing down the hill below the mine opening. On account of the enormous quantity of water in the mine, and the slow gains made by the pumps, the theory now generally held is that the inflow comes from an abandoned working adjoining No. 38.

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Cloudburst Over Suburb of Oklahoma City.

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There was another heavy rainfall today, which caused the river to rise higher, endangering property in the lowlands.
Three thousand people live in Capital Hill, which lies south of the North Canadian river, opposite Oklahoma City. The hill is drained into a small stream called Lightning creek, which enters the river just below Oklahoma City. The water came down the creek and covered the lowlands in such volume as to force out people living in tents, shanties and small houses on the low ground.
Oklahoma City itself was not endangered.

Three Infants Murdered.

ELGIN, Ill., April 29.—While fishing in Fox river yesterday Stephen Boras hooked a bundle of clothing, which he pulled ashore and found to contain the bodies of three infants, twin boys and a girl. Coroner Norton is of the opinion that the bodies may have been hurled from a passing train. The clothing found with them was of fine quality, but had no marks.

Air Trip Here Postponed.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 29.—Aeronaut J. C. McCoy of the Aero Club of America, New York, who expected to start on a balloon flight to Washington, D. C., tonight, decided today to postpone the start.
"The flight will not be attempted until the wind is from the west and the weather is clear," he said.
The wind today is from the south, and a rain set in this forenoon.

Serious Strike at Fernie.

Special Dispatch to The Star.
FERNIE, B. C., April 29.—By a referendum vote, all the miners in the Canadian mining district have refused to return to work in compliance with the new law. The situation is conceded to be serious, as the whole country is in want of fuel, the railways having confiscated everything.
If the government attempts to make arrests for the violation of the new law, 3,000 men here alone must be imprisoned.

Furloughed to Find Wife.

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NEW YORK, April 29.—John Godley, a private in the Artillery Corps of the United States army, stationed at Tampa, Fla., arrived in New York yesterday to search for his young wife, Bessie, twenty-three years old, who left Tampa April 19 to visit relatives, arrived here April 18, and has not been heard of since. Godley reported the matter to the police, and a general alarm has been sent out.

Eight Hurt by Gas.

DAYTON, Ohio, April 29.—Eight men working in a tunnel at the National Cash Register plant are seriously hurt by a gas explosion.

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BROWNLOW FOR ROOSEVELT

TENNESSEE LEADER PROCLAIMS LOYALTY TO ADMINISTRATION.

Wants the President Nominated for Another Term—Not a "Reactionary."

"Wear the administration button, or get away from the pie counter." That is the dictum which the politicians say has gone forth from Washington to the republicans in the south. They point to Representative Brownlow of Tennessee as an example of the working of the rule. Mr. Brownlow, who is the present head of the republican machine in Tennessee, has hurriedly hot-footed to Washington, and figuratively speaking, is all decked out in administration buttons.
He is going around today loudly proclaiming his adherence to the administration. "With a look of pain and surprise he asks how on earth any one could ever have suspected that he was not an administration man. Must have been some mistake. He never dreamed of being a reactionary; in fact, he plumb despises a reactionary and would not speak to him if he met him in the middle of the big road. Furthermore, Mr. Brownlow is so much of an administration man that he wants President Roosevelt nominated for another term. He goes one better than the men who are willing to take Taft; he wants the real article—Roosevelt himself. That's how much of an administration man he is.
It all arises over the perennial factional fight among the Tennessee republicans. For years it has been tooth and nail between Mr. H. Clay Evans and Mr. Brownlow for the control of the machine. First one and then 't'other would be on top, but lately it has been Mr. Brownlow. The something caved in along the high bank; he found his patronage getting away from him. Take a southern republican leader's patronage away from him and you have taken his life blood. Somebody suggested that Mr. Evans was a Roosevelt man and that Mr. Brownlow was suspected of being a reactionary. Hence the denial.
The particular merits of the struggle between Mr. Brownlow and Mr. Evans are of no general interest to the politicians, but the fact that the President is said to be in the hands of the southern politicians is of absorbing interest to them, and is causing a great deal of comment.

SPAUGH'S APPEAL REJECTED.

Alleged Bribe to His Jury Not Considered Material.

The Supreme Court of the United States today affirmed the decision of the supreme court of Missouri in the appeal of William Spough, Jr., under sentence of death in Reynolds county, Mo., on the charge of murdering Sheriff Polk of Iron county, Mo. The case was argued by the attorney for the state, and the attorney for the defendant, and the court was divided 5-4 in favor of the state.
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TWO WOMEN DROWNED.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 29.—A boat on the Catawba river capsized yesterday afternoon near Catawba station, North Carolina, and Misses Fullbright and Goble were drowned. Men swam from the bank and rescued another lady, and two men and a boy of five in the boat saved themselves.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

SABLE ISLAND, N. S., April 29.—The steamer Kaiser Wilhelm of Bremen from Bremen for New York, was in communication by wireless telegraph with the Marconi station here when 215 miles southwest of this point at 6 a. m. Will probably dock about 7 p. m. Tuesday.
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SABLE ISLAND, N. S., April 29.—The steamer Caronia, from Liverpool for New York, was in communication by wireless telegraph with the Marconi station here when 215 miles southeast of this point at 6 a. m. Will probably dock about 8 a. m. Wednesday.

MAY ADJUST SCHEDULES.

Rights of a State Railway Commission Defined.

The Supreme Court of the United States today decided in effect that the railroad commissioners of the state of North Carolina can compel a railroad company operating in that state to so adjust its schedule as to accommodate passengers on other lines from any particular part of the state. The opinion was delivered by Justice White in the case of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company against the corporation commission of North Carolina.
The case arose out of an order issued by the commissioners directing the railroad company to make connection at Selma at 2:25 p. m. with a train on another line running from the eastern part of the state, with the object of accommodating passengers whose destination was Raleigh. The railroad company resisted the order on

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