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RUSSIA JOBLANT OVER NEW FREEDOM

Singing Crowds Fill St. Petersburg's Streets---Revolutionists Still Suspect Treachery.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 31, 12.35 p.m.—The Russian capital blossomed out with flags and banners today. All the troops were withdrawn from the streets and the city presented almost its normal appearance. The nervousness of the people has suddenly disappeared. Workmen by the thousands flocked back to their shops and factories without awaiting permission of the strike committee. The authorities did all in their power to encourage the spirit of rejoicing of the newly attained liberties.

Their new found liberties will confound in the government be restored. Count Witte has been showered with congratulations upon his personal triumph, but to all felicitations he says: "Wait, reserve congratulations until I have succeeded."

After seeing the Associated Press correspondent last night Count Witte worked until 2 in the morning and was up again at 1 o'clock. At 9 he began a series of congratulations with his friends.

Such news as comes from the interior today is distinctly better. The provincial authorities through machinery which in that respect is perfect, spread the news of the grant of the constitution from house to house, and this morning the strike appears everywhere to be going to pieces.



RUSSIA'S NEW RULER.

FRANCE IS SURPRISED.
PARIS, Oct. 31.—The manifesto of Emperor Nicholas promising liberty of conscience, speech and meeting is considered generally by the press here to be more liberal than had been expected. His majesty's declaration relative to the extension of the suffrage for the Duma, without whose collaboration laws henceforth will not be made, is regarded as an enormous concession, practically abolishing the autocracy. This it is thought will be a great factor in bringing about the conclusion of the popular agitation. The Echo de Paris' St. Petersburg correspondent says a report is current that the influence of foreign banks who were negotiating a loan has been the emperor's decision.

STRIKE STILL GOING ON.

BERLIN, Oct. 31.—A dispatch to the Lokas Anzeiger from Katowitz, in Silesia, says that a general strike has broken out in the districts of Sosnowice and Dombrowa, in Russian Poland. The operatives in the Ailes Coal and Iron Works went out at noon. A passenger train tried to get from Katowitz to Sosnowice yesterday afternoon, but was stopped at the frontier by a howling mob and compelled to return.

MUTINY STORY UNFOUNDED.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 30, 11.30 p.m.—There appears to be no foundation for the rumors of mutiny on the vessels of the Black Sea fleet which are in circulation in Odessa, and which have been industriously propagated by the strikers here for several days.

The following dispatch from the Associated Press correspondent at Odessa, last received, does not even mention the alleged mutiny:

"After yesterday's exciting occurrences, when the gun shops were plundered, barricades built, and the troops in dispersing crowds were forced to fire several volleys, quiet prevailed today. This is a holiday, the anniversary of the escape of Alexander III. from a train wreck at Borki. All the banks and stores are closed."

"The number of killed or wounded in yesterday's disturbances has not yet been determined, but it is not large."

LIPTON WILL HAVE FAIR CHANCE IN 1907.

The Present Rules of Racing Measurement Will Give the Challenging Yacht an Equal Show.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—It developed last night that Sir Thomas Lipton's wish to race for the America's cup under the present rule of racing measurement will be made possible this winter, executed in a Frank and honest spirit must ally much of the prevailing discontent, but the distrust that Liberals say that not until words are translated into acts and the people actually enjoy

FIVE ITALIANS ARRESTED AT LOCH LOMOND.

The five Italians who made trouble on the Loch Lomond Road Saturday night by holding up Geo. McArthur and paymaster James Sinclair, were arrested yesterday at Loch Lomond and brought to the city.

The men were arrested on a warrant sworn out by Mr. Sinclair, and on the representations made to the chief as to the ugly mood of the men, it was deemed advisable to send a strong force to the scene of the trouble. Those who went out were Chief Clark, Deputy Chief Jenkins, Detective Killen, Sergt. Kilpatrick, Sergt. Baxter, Sergt. Caples and Officers Sullivan, McCollum, Marshall, Bowes and Greer, a formidable delegation indeed.

The five men who were arrested are Domenico Tringali, Benedetto Paolo, Giovanni Paolo, Sebastiano Spatola and Domenico Gianno. The two who were included in the warrant, and who took time by the forelock and got away, possessed the names of Spinoli Domenico and Balarimo Antonino.

The men were remanded by police magistrate Ritchie.

The case which was to have come up this afternoon has been stood over until tomorrow, when it is expected the Italians will accept the offer of McArthur and McVay regarding the deduction of the cost of the rubber boots from their pay.

The five Italian laborers from Loch Lomond left for Boston yesterday.

The death occurred at the hospital last night at eight o'clock of Edward McAnlay, a longshoreman. Mr. McAnlay was unmarried and leaves a brother, Daniel McAnlay, and a sister, Mrs. Mary McAnlay.

BAIL REFUSED FOR NORTHRUP; MANSLAUGHTER CHARGED.

N. B. MAN DEAD IN WEST; MILLTOWN PASTOR'S DEATH.

(Special to the Star.)
ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Oct. 31.—A telegram received this morning from Vancouver announced the death of Jos. Thompson, formerly of this town. Mr. Thompson has been in the western mining districts for some years.

His brothers, the late commodore, W. H. and Capt. J. S. Thompson, both died suddenly within the past two years. Mrs. P. G. McFarlane and Miss George Thompson, sisters of the deceased are left to mourn the loss of an affectionate brother.

Rev. A. H. Lavers, Baptist clergyman of Milltown, died suddenly last night at his residence. The deceased was in charge of the Baptist church at St. George for many years, moving to Milltown four years ago and was of the most prominent preachers in the Baptist church here.

TURK'S POSTPONE U. S. CITIZEN'S EXECUTION.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 31.—The preparations which were going on for the execution of Ghazis Vertanian, who claims American citizenship, and who was condemned to death for the murder of a prominent Armenian, were suddenly stopped yesterday on the receipt of a note from the United States legation setting forth in inequivalent terms that such an act would inevitably produce serious consequences.

The authorities have now notified the legation that the execution of the death sentence has been postponed pending the settlement of the question of principle on which the legation and the Porte are now negotiating.

PROMINENT N. Y. LAWYER DEAD.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Wm. Wallace MacFarland died suddenly yesterday from heart disease at his home. Mr. MacFarland was one of the most prominent lawyers in New York. During his career he was a member of several of the best known firms. It was his habit to work long hours, and his greatest reputation. Among his most important cases were the suits against Jay Gould and the Erie Railroad, growing out of his insurance company. Penland fund and the prosecution of Daniel Nebl, by the Royal Insurance Company.

MIKADO HONORS DIPLOMATS.

TOKIO, Oct. 31.—The members of the diplomatic corps having requested an audience for the purpose of presenting felicitations to the conclusion of peace, the Mikado received them today and afterwards invited them to luncheon together with the Imperial Princes. Ministers of State and Baron Komura's suite. The action of the Mikado in inviting the diplomatic Corps to luncheon is almost without precedent.

LORD CURZON FEVER STRICKEN

LAHORE, British India, Oct. 31.—The retiring viceroy, Lord Curzon, of Kedleston, who has been making a farewell tour of India is prostrated with fever brought on by exposure to the sun. He has been in the city since he was indisposed.

STATED HIS REASON.

A well-known actor tells the following amusing yarn.

In his early, struggling days, before he attained fame and fortune, he once found himself in a small country place with a wedding was about to be celebrated. To kill time he went in. The ground floor of the church was pretty full, but a low, dark gallery near the roof was apparently deserted.

The ceremony proceeded on the even tenor of its way until the minister inquired if anyone present knew any reason why the couple before him should not be united in the holy bonds of matrimony.

There was silence for a moment, and then a small, thin voice in the gallery was heard to say, "Yes, I do."

All eyes were turned to the gallery, where the figure of a small, milk-and-water-looking individual was barely discernible in the gloom.

"State your reason," said the minister, fixing the protester with a steady eye.

"A fit of uncontrollable mirth seized all present when there came from the gallery the diffident reply:—

"Please, sir, I—I want the gal myself!"

To wait until the harvest time arrives before sowing the seed has never been found productive of crops, and the merchant who waits until the rush comes before advertising should not feel disappointed if his wiser competitors set the trade—Manchester, O. News.

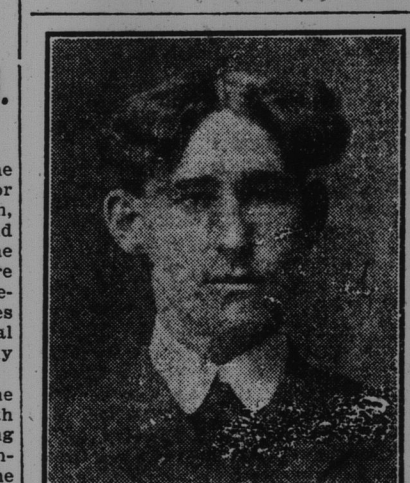
Referee and Seconds Remanded ---Post-Mortem Examination Held This Morning

The police court was crowded this morning with men and boys to hear the charge read to Fred Northrup, who was the opponent of Charles O'Regan in the fatal boxing exhibition last night.

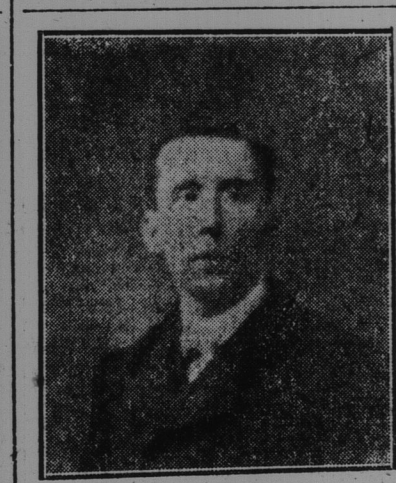
Northrup, with his three seconds, Sealey, Hickey and Coyle, and two of O'Regan's seconds, Cregan and Sugrue, Wm. O'Keefe, the referee, and L. Rich, the ticket seller, all occupied seats on the prisoners' bench after a night in the cells. A. H. Macrae was present.

That Fred Northrup is in a most serious predicament is a foregone conclusion. There are many ideas given out as to what caused the death of O'Regan and many believe that it was heart trouble, but others who know the young man thoroughly say that he was never troubled with his heart, and was a very healthy young man.

Although Coroner Berryman, or Drs. Daniel and Bentley, who held the post-mortem examination this morning, re-



FRED NORTHRUP. Who is held on a charge of manslaughter in connection with last night's boxing match.



CHARLES O'REGAN. Who met his death in the bout with Fred Northrup.

ent, representing Messrs. Northrup, O'Keefe and Rich.

Acting Magistrate Henderson called Northrup to the front and told him he had been charged with manslaughter of Charles O'Regan and would be remanded. The other prisoners, seconds, referee and ticket seller, were told that they were held as accessories, and they were all remanded to jail.

Mr. Macrae explained to the court that Ritchie did not see the contest and was in the risk office at the time of the fatal selling tickets, and he did not see why he should be held.

Mr. Macrae asked the acting magistrate if he would not accept bail, and he said he would listen to an application for bail at two o'clock this afternoon. The prisoners were then marched into jail.

SUIT CASE SUSPECTS MISSING FROM BOSTON.

Two Physicians Who Are Now Implicated Have Skipped and Police are Unable to Locate Them

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—There are new developments today in the suit case mystery. The police admit that they could readily make an arrest if either of the two physicians whom they want, could be found in the city. The question of securing them from another state on the evidence at hand, however, is a delicate one, which is receiving careful consideration at the hands of the police authorities. Word is anxiously awaited from the Boston detectives who have gone to Pittsburg for Morris Nathan, who is held in that city at the request of the Boston police on a charge of being connected with the disappearance and subsequent death of Susan Geary, the supposed victim. They were due to arrive in Pittsburg this morning.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 31.—The condition of Morris Nathan, the young man in custody here charged with complicity in the Winthrop dress suit case mystery is serious. He has a high fever, and is practically a physical wreck. Inspector McClary of the Boston police and Supt. P. Smith, an officer in the Massachusetts State constabulary, arrived here shortly after 7 o'clock. The Boston officers were still examining Nathan and nothing could be learned. A telegram was received by Police Supt. McQuade from Mark Nathan, a brother of Morris, in which he asked if he was needed in Pittsburg. Supt. McQuade asked Morris if he wanted his brother to come here and the merchant who waits until the rush comes before advertising should not feel disappointed if his wiser competitors set the trade—Manchester, O. News.

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SURGEON PARALYSED WHILE OPERATING

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—While performing a serious operation yesterday in a local hospital Dr. J. Oswald, one of the leading surgeons on the north side, was stricken with paralysis. The operating knife fell suddenly from his hands. It was picked up by an interne and given back to him but it dropped again from his nerveless fingers and then the attendants understood. They took him from the room and another surgeon completed the operation. It is not expected that he will recover or even temporarily regain consciousness. Dr. Oswald is forty-three years old.

MME. WITTE.

Mme. Witte, wife of the Russian diplomat, is a Jewess who has embraced Christianity. She is said to be both beautiful and good; but because of her Hebrew blood she has been rigorously excluded from court circles, so intense a prejudice in the imperial family of Russia. When M. Witte married her, he was a modest official in the imperial railway service. Later, when he became minister, first of commerce and afterwards of finance, he found every door of "society" closed in his wife's face. The Empress Mary Fedorovna, wife of Alexander III., refused to receive her. The present Empress, though in many ways more liberal, has taken the same course. Worse still, after Von Plehve and the Grand Duke Sergius had been assassinated, when everybody was looking for a scapegoat, the coming man, a new order was issued, expressly forbidding the ladies of the court ever to cross Mme. Witte's threshold. In spite of these annoyances, the estranged couple have been very happy together, and their only daughter has married a young diplomat belonging to one of the most distinguished Russian families who count among their ancestors the mother of Peter the Great.