

## SEVEN TERRORISTS SENTENCED TODAY

Victims Conspired, the Court Says, to Murder Grand Duke and Minister.

## TWO WOMEN FACE DEATH

Others Will Get Prison Terms—All Members of Flying Squadron Of Social Revolutionists.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—A military court, sitting in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul, under the presidency of Gen. Nikoloff, today condemned to death seven of the terrorists charged with complicity in the attempt last week in this city upon the lives of Grand Duke Nicholas, a second cousin of the emperor, and M. Chtcheglovitch, the minister of justice, and sentenced three others to 15 years imprisonment at hard labor. Among those upon whom the death sentence was passed is a supposed Italian journalist, Calvino, who has represented in St. Petersburg the Villa of Rome and the Embassy of Milan. A special attorney, secured for him by the Italian embassy, but Calvino spurned the assistance of the embassy, saying he wished to share the fate of his comrades. Addressing the court in broken Russian, he made the sensational declaration that the passport that bore his name was really his, and that he therefore desired to be tried as a Russian subject. All efforts on the part of the court to induce him to disclose his real name and status proved unavailing.

**TWO WOMEN TO DIE.**  
Two women were also sentenced to death, and one to imprisonment. The accused all refused counsel, but the court delegated two military advocates for the defense. The public was excluded from the hearing.

The indictment against the ten prisoners, who constituted the first batch of the 50 or more terrorists captured by the police on Feb. 2, charged them with membership in the national flying squadron of the social revolutionists, and with active participation in attempts to assassinate Grand Duke Nicholas, Chtcheglovitch and M. Chtcheglovitch, and narrated the circumstances of their arrest on the very day set for the assassination, with the instruments for the commission of the crime in their possession.

## PRISONERS CONFESSED.

The prisoners acknowledged membership in the social revolutionary body, and acknowledged also that a plot had been organized to kill Mr. Chtcheglovitch, but unanimously and strenuously denied any intention to murder the grand duke, claiming that the police charge was based on the proximity of the grand duke's palace to that of the minister of justice.

The details of the trial established the allegations of the police, with the exception that they were unable to adduce evidence of a plot against Grand Duke Nicholas. The verdict of the court will be pronounced in final form at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, after which it will be confirmed by Gen. Hosenkamp, chief of the general staff, in lieu of Grand Duke Nicholas.

## HUMANE SOCIETY MAN STRONG ON COCK FIGHTS

Washington, Feb. 27.—"Let the cocks fight" is the sentiment of a member of the Indiana Humane society who has written to President Roosevelt in protest against executive interference with cockfighting as a feature of the Manila carnival, which takes place today. "A chance with the spur is surely preferable to the axe of the chief," said the president's correspondent. He had read a news dispatch from the Philippines saying an appeal had been sent to the White House to have the pit abolished. "It does not seem possible that the chief executive would take pains to interfere with the carnival festivities of the Philippines," says the Hoosier correspondent. "This might be a good occasion to observe that many Americans are ardent devotees of the ancient sport of 'cocking'—one of the few amusements of man in which our animal pets are willing to participate."

## WAGE CUT IN GEORGIA.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 27.—A reduction of 10 per cent in wages of all employees of the Southern railway, except contract labor, such as engineers, firemen, etc., effective March 1, was announced today.

## FOR REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

St. Louis, Feb. 27.—The Republican state convention tonight elected the following delegates at large to the national convention: United States Senator William Warner, Atty. Gen. Herbert S. Hadley, John H. Bolwell and John R. Holmes.

## PRESIDENT RICKEY'S BAIL SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS

Carson, Nev., Feb. 27.—T. B. Rickey, president of the State bank, who was indicted on six counts this afternoon by the grand jury on the charge of embezzlement, has furnished bail in the amount of \$60,000.

Among those who went on the bond are R. K. Colcord, superintendent of the mint; ex-Gov. Adams, Deputy State Treasurer; Wildes and a number of prominent townspeople. There was some quibbling over the sureties, as they were compelled to qualify in twice the amount of the bond. Regarding the indictment, President Rickey stated that he was innocent of any wrongdoing, as well as that he had not been treated with any show of liberality on the part of the district attorney, as he had asked to be called before the grand jury.

This afternoon Mr. Rickey was arraigned to appear in court on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, when the date for trial will probably be set.

Dist. Atty. Roberts stated that the grand jury has many matters yet to consider in connection with the bank.

## ROCKHILL WILL TRAVEL IN POTENTATE STYLE

Washington, Feb. 27.—W. W. Rockhill, American minister to China, will visit the viceroys of Nankin and Hankow, China, in April, aboard an American man-of-war, which will be escorted by one or more American warships. The journey involves the navigation of the Yangtze river a distance of some 1,200 miles.

The dispatches yesterday from Manila stating that orders had been sent

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to the American fleet there to prepare for extended sea duty is believed to be explained by the information that Mr. Rockhill is to make this trip.

## ARMY ENGINEERS MAY BUILD INLAND WATERWAYS

Washington, Feb. 27.—The Newlands waterways commission bill will be considered by a sub-committee of the committee on commerce, composed of Senators Fry, Deupew, Piles, Newlands and Clark of Arkansas. An effort will be made to perfect the measure within the next few weeks and report it to the senate.

In view of the fact that if this bill becomes a law, it will revolutionize river and harbor improvement work it was decided today to refer the bill to the war department for a report. It appears likely that an amendment placing the execution of the work in the hands of the engineer corps of the army will be adopted.

## BRICKS, CLUBS AND FISTS WIN FOR UNION WORKERS

Florence, Colo., Feb. 27.—A pitched battle between 25 structural iron workers, employed on the United States Portland cement works, and a number of men who attempted to take their places, occurred today following a walk-out of the union men. Bricks, clubs and fists filled the air, and the strike-breakers finally took flight over the hills.

The encounter took place on the river between Concrete, where the plant is being erected, and Portland, the nearest town. The union men were returning their tools and met the strike-breakers en route to the works. The latter had been engaged last night, when the contractors realized that a strike was inevitable, and according to their plea, were not aware of the circumstances under which they were to work. When attacked by the strikers they were not aware of the motive for the act, and fought back until they were able to escape and flee across the hills.

The union men walked out because the contractors, Ruth & Flynn, refused to discharge A. B. Miller, a non-union man, who was employed as foreman.

## THINGS LOOK BLUE FOR BOYS IN BLUE

Washington, Feb. 27.—The all-powerful committee on ways and means of the house today put to rest and, by an overwhelming vote, ordered out of the capital to the new home office building, a block away. Various members of the committee, led by Messrs. Payne and Dalmire, strenuously objected to the removal, but they had no voice following, and their protests availed them nothing. The committee's present rooms are desired in order that the speaker may have more commodious quarters.

The army appropriation bill was discussed at length, and the provision for pay for non-commissioned officers and privates was finally stricken out.

With the bill still under consideration the house at 5:10 p. m. adjourned.

## CAPTAIN WARD RELEASED.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Capt. Aaron Ward, commanding the battleship Pennsylvania of the Pacific squadron, has been ordered home to await orders, and Captain Wilmer, commandant of the League Island navy yard, has been ordered to command the Pennsylvania. The change was made because of the expiration of the period of sea duty required of Capt. Ward.

## OWEN AND CURTIS IN STIRRING DEBATE

Washington, Feb. 27.—One of the most interesting debates that ever took place in the senate occurred today between Senators Owen of Oklahoma, and Curtis of Kansas. The debate was over an amendment which Mr. Owen sought to have inserted in the Indian appropriation bill referring to the Indians of Indian Territory as the late Five Civilized tribes, in which he was antagonized by Mr. Curtis. Declaring himself to be a member of the Cherokee tribe, Mr. Owen dramatically demanded recognition of his rights as a free man. The discussion took a wide range, entering into the matter of allotment of lands to Indians and the rights of the government to exercise control after such allotments had been made. Much feeling was manifested by both men and they held the attention of the senate for fully an hour.

## WILL OBSERVE NEW LAW.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 27.—It was announced by the Union Pacific, Northwestern and Burlington railroads today that they would observe literally the nine-hour law which becomes effective March 4th. These three roads will employ about 20 additional conductors on lines west of the Missouri river. Train service is to be curtailed where it is found possible to do so.

## PIEST'S SLAYER TELLS NEW STORY

Alto Says He Shot, Not at Father Leo, but at Something He Held.

## KILLING WAS AN ACCIDENT.

Anarchist is Busily Engaged Telling Conflicting Versions of the Murder Of Father Leo Heinrichs.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 27.—While incarcerated in jail at Colorado Springs, and prior to his removal from Denver to that city, Guisteppe Alto has made several conflicting statements as to his reasons for killing Father Leo, then told by the interpreter, who was with him almost constantly, that he would have to sign his statement, he retracted much of his former confession, and claimed that the killing of Father Leo was an accident. In his final signed statement, which will be used at his trial, Alto declares that he left Italy in 1905 and came to Argentina Republic in the hope of bettering his condition.

"In Rosario," he said, "I learned from friends that I was wanted in Italy for starting a riot against a traveling evangelist and preaching the cause of the Protestant church, all of which was brought about by the Catholic priests in my absence. Fearing to return to my native land and family, I sailed for New York on money furnished by my countrymen in Rosario. Alto said that he had attended services in St. Elizabeth's church in Denver since the last day in June.

## WAS AN ACCIDENT.

The murder of Father Leo he explained as follows:

"When the others went forward to receive the host of communion, I also rose and went forward."

"Finally it came my turn to receive the host. The priest placed it in my mouth. It burned my tongue. I thought that he meant to do me some harm, immediately drew my gun, which I concealed in my trousers on the right side."

"I drew it with my left hand and fired, not at the priest, but at the object held in his hand."

"Then I turned and ran toward the entrance, waving the gun in the air to keep the people from hurting me. I arrived at the door, when somebody tripped me and I fell to the floor, where I was placed under arrest."

"I carried the revolver because I had been insulted by some of my countrymen, who were talking against the Catholic church and preaching the doctrine of 'Down with the priests.'"

## BACK TO LUZON.

Cincinnati, Feb. 27.—Two battalions of the Fourth infantry, U. S. A., under command of Col. Edwin B. Bolton, who have been stationed at Fort Worth, left today for San Francisco, enroute to the Philippines, where the regiment has heretofore served two different assignments.

## BIG SIOUX FIRE.

Sioux City, Iowa, Feb. 27.—Fire in the basement of the Greenlender block, 212-216 Pearl street, today ruined the building and the stock of the tenant, the Sioux City Iron company, a wholesale concern. Loss, \$140,000.

## INCREASE IN YEAR'S PROFITS.

St. Paul, Feb. 27.—All the railroads doing business in Minnesota have reported their 1907 earnings to State Auditor Iversen.

The total gross earnings for the year, as reported, were \$88,814,893, as against \$84,751,847 the year previous, an increase of more than four million dollars, in spite of the reduction in passenger rates, which was put in force in May.

The gross earnings taxes this year will aggregate \$3,552,595, as compared with \$3,359,851 the year before, a gain of \$192,744.

## PERUVIAN DOCTORS CALLED.

Lima, Feb. 27.—Two Peruvian physicians, Drs. Larrit and Hospiglool, today paid a professional visit to Rear Admiral Evans on board the flagship Connecticut and after a consultation declared that Admiral Evans was suffering from rheumatic gout, but that his condition was not serious. A course of treatment was begun. It is believed that the commander of the fleet will be able to direct the movements of the battleships in their departure on Saturday.

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## BOSTON BANKER PUTS BIG VALUE

On One Cooper Result, Which He Says Is Worth All of \$50,000 to Him.

## BIG BATCH OF INTERVIEWS.

Boston Reporter Runs Into a Lot of Happy People Who Believe in The Young Ohiolan.

Boston, Feb. 27.—In view of the enormous sale of Cooper's preparations now going on in this city and the intense interest which Mr. Cooper has stirred up since his arrival, a representative of the Post spent an afternoon at the young man's headquarters, watching the swarm of humanity come and go.

During the afternoon the reporter interviewed many of the callers and obtained statements from all who cared to give them as to their experiences with Cooper and his preparations.

The following are selected from those statements as being typical of the general expression of the people seen: Carlton H. Hutchinson, a leading banker and broker, with offices at 5 Congress street, made a very emphatic statement as follows: "Anyone afflicted with chronic ill health and a general run-down condition caused by stomach trouble, who does not try this man Cooper's medicine, is very foolish. I say this after a most remarkable experience with the medicine."

"I heard of Cooper's success first when he was in Chicago, as I have a private wife to that city in connection with my business. Later, when he came East, I learned more of him and his theory that stomach trouble causes most ill health. I have had no faith in anything not prescribed by a physician for each particular case after careful diagnosis, but after eight years of constant suffering during which time I spent over \$1,500 with absolutely no relief, I felt that it would at least do no harm to try the medicine which I was hearing so much about."

"During these eight years I have been forced to go without solid food for five and six weeks at a time. I always had indigestion, was very nervous, and was troubled with formation of gas, and led the usual miserable life of the dyspeptic. I was dull, tired, nervous and gloomy all the time, and was always constipated."

"I have taken Cooper's medicine a comparatively short time. For the past three weeks I have not had the slightest sign of stomach trouble. I can eat anything with no bad effect whatsoever. I have a fine appetite, am gaining flesh very rapidly, am cheerful, full of energy, and my nervousness has disappeared. My bowels are in perfect condition for the first time in eight years."

"I don't hesitate to say that I would not take \$50,000 and be back where I was. My relief and thankfulness are beyond expression."

Another statement was made by Mrs. Eugene Bull, of Cohasset, Mass., who came all the way to Boston, a distance of twenty-five miles, just to tell personally what the Cooper medicine had done for her. She said:

"For many years I suffered under extreme nervousness, and I have not had any trouble. At times my back ached so badly that I could not stand up. I frequently had dizzy spells, one of which lasted 24 hours—when I opened my eyes everything seemed to be swimming around. Whenever I tried to read, the type soon became blurred and I was compelled to stop. My nerves were in a terrible condition."

"I used all kinds of medicine without obtaining relief, and became discouraged. Upon hearing of the Cooper remedy, I decided to try them. The effect of the first bottle of the New Discovery medicine was marvelous—my appearance was so much improved that neighbors remarked about it. I am stronger and better in every way, and feel twenty years younger. Today a trip to Boston did not fatigue me in the least. Best of all, I can read again with pleasure, a favorite pastime which for a long time I could not indulge. My nervousness has also disappeared. No one could be more thankful than I for the relief Mr. Cooper's preparation has given me. I am recommending it to my friends."

The young man seems to be gaining greater headway as his visit draws to a close. It is estimated that four thousand people called on him yesterday.

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