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FIFTY-FOURTH YEAR.

RUSSIAN REFORM MOVEMENT.

Zemstvo Representatives Declare In Favor of Controlling Actions of Administration.

IS IMPERATIVELY NECESSARY.

Completed Program Was Signed by A Hundred and Two Zemstvo Presidents.

SOME ARE FROM THE PROVINCES.

Importance of This Lies in the Fact That They Are Confirmed by The Government.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 22.—In order to secure the proper development of the life of the state and the people it is imperatively necessary that there be regular participation of national representatives, sitting as an especially elected body, to make laws, regulate the revenue and expenditures, and control the legality of the actions of the administration.

The above is the final form of the declaration of the zemstvo representatives in favor of the election of a body, not merely to participate in legislation as first reported, but to be trusted with the framing of the laws of the empire.

The meeting today also adopted a declaration in favor of granting general amnesty to political offenders imprisoned by administrative order.

This complete program declaring the necessity of the participation of the people in the government was signed by 102 zemstvo presidents, including 30 presidents of provincial zemstvo committees out of 32 who attended the meeting. Two other provincial zemstvo committee presidents, from Olonets and Perm, were unable to be present because of the remoteness of the provinces. Olonets having no railroad communication with St. Petersburg and Perm being on the southern confines of the Ural mountains. The two who did not sign the memorial were called for when signatures were called for. They represent the provinces of St. Petersburg and Krasnoyarsk.

This document, setting forth the necessity of reform, is all the more striking and imperative because the zemstvo presidents who signed it, were elected by zemstvo organizations, are confirmed by the government. The signatories also include five marshals of the nobility, the elections to which offices are also confirmed by the government.

The memorial will be presented within a couple of days to the minister of the interior, Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky, by a delegation composed of Presidents of the zemstvos, Prince Lvov, Count Heder and Rodzko, the most prominent participants in the meeting.

The zemstvo meeting will now proceed with the discussion of the remainder of the program, which, although it deals with zemstvo work, is of major importance. It consists, first, of primary education; second, of the organization of attendants on mobilization, a paper on which subject will be read by M. S. Stakhovitch, marshal of the nobility of Orel; third, relief measures for the families of those sent to war, and fourth, Red Cross work.

The meeting has been flooded with proclamations from radical organizations, one of which, coming from social revolutionaries, offered support if the zemstvos upheld the principles of the memorial it had adopted. The following message, signed by 26 prominent Finlanders, was also received:

"The undersigned citizens of Finland, interested in the evolution of social and intellectual life of Russia, send their sincere and cordial salutations to the powerful and generous Russian genius, who has taken the initiative in your work of peace and accord, and hope it will rebound to the glory and happiness of your country."

KILLED IN THE SUBWAY.

Signal Man Was Thrown Down By Third Rail Arm.

New York, Nov. 22.—A peculiar accident in the subway, which resulted in the instant death of William H. McMillan, a signal man, has caused great excitement among the passengers aboard an express train who for a few minutes believed that the train was on fire and tried to escape.

McMillan had been adjusting a signal when the train rushed upon him. The third rail arm on the first car threw him down and he was instantly killed. The shouting caught the emergency trigger threw off the current and set the brakes on the whole train, which stopped very suddenly. The cars jammed together by the sudden impact and an iron gate fell to the third rail causing a short circuit. Blue flames shot up around the cars and frightened the passengers almost out of their wits, but the guards remained coolly at their posts, refusing to open the doors, and in a few minutes the cars died out.

ARRESTED FOR FRAUD.

Chas. Sturtz Used Mails to Get Money from People.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Many complaints made to the Chicago postoffice concerning the use of the United States mails fraudulently have resulted in the arrest of Charles Sturtz, a number of complaints from various parts of the country probably will appear to prosecute him.

Charles Eberling of Maynard, Ia., alleged that he received a letter from Sturtz, who claimed to be president of the "Central Railroad Bureau" of Chicago. Eberling said he was informed that he would be given a position. He failed to get the money, but finally asked the postal authorities to investigate the case.

THE STORY

Our Mines

Smelters

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CHRISTMAS NEWS.

NAN PATTERSON'S TRIAL PROCEEDS.

Important Missing Witness Has Not Been Found by the District Attorney's Office.

Widow May Appear in Case.

Captain Sweeney Identified the Revolver That Was Found in Young's Pocket.

New York, Nov. 22.—Search for a missing witness who formerly has eluded the detectives of the district attorney's office and the possibility that one of the central figures in the case—the dead man's widow—would appear before the jury and tell her story, were the points of special interest today when the trial of Nan Patterson for the alleged murder of Caesar Young resumed. In outlining his case yesterday, Asst. Dist. Atty. Rand informed the jury that the prosecution, after months of endeavor, had been unsuccessful in locating J. Morgan Smith, who, he claimed, purchased the revolver with which Young was killed. He hoped, however, that Smith would be brought forward by the defense at the proper time. Later in the day Miss Patterson's counsel, Mr. Levy, said the defense had no intention of producing Smith.

"If the prosecution wants Smith as a witness they have got to find him. We are having our own troubles with the defense and are not going out of our way to help the people supply the rents in their fabric of evidence."

Mr. Levy said that he did not know where Smith and his wife were, nor would he take any pains to discover their whereabouts.

Following the announcement it was said that the district attorney's office renewed its search for the missing witness with the hope of locating him and compelling him to appear in court before it is too late.

Only the announcement that the defendant herself would go on the stand and tell of her acquaintance with Young could have created more public interest than the report that the dead bookmaker's widow might appear in the case. Since her husband died Mrs. Young has remained in seclusion, except when she called at the district attorney's office and testified before the grand jury. During the trial she has not appeared in the court room but it is said she has followed all the proceedings from an adjoining room.

A large crowd was present in the court room when the trial was resumed. Among the spectators sat Milton W. Hazeltine of Oronota, N. Y., one of the men who claims to have seen Young fire the shot that caused his death.

Several police officers were called to the stand in quick succession and examined briefly regarding happenings in the police station when Miss Patterson was brought there under arrest.

Capt. Sweeney, who was in charge of the station house at the time, identified the revolver which he said was found in Young's pocket and which he subsequently turned over to Asst. Dist. Atty. Garvin with the three loaded cartridges and the revolver shell. Miss Patterson, he said, told him the story of the ride down town and declared that she had not seen the shooting. She denied that she had any words with Young and said that she had picked up the revolver which fell from Young's hand when he fired the fatal shot and placed it in his pocket.

The situation is critical, and calls for immediate action.

Vice presidents of the league will later be chosen from each state in the Union, in order to make it national in scope.

Great Storm in United Kingdom.

London, Nov. 22.—Keen frost and heavy snow squalls are reported from all parts of the United Kingdom. A gale raged all night over the coasts, driving vessels to shelter and seriously dislocating the telegraph wires especially in the North of England and in Scotland. Blinding snowstorms are causing deep drifts and rendering traffic difficult in the country districts and are necessitating a cessation of out of door work in many of the provincial towns. In London little snow has fallen but a sharp fall in temperature is accentuating the distress among the poor which is already prevalent. The snow is so deep at Chatsworth that the king of Portugal and others of the house party there have been prevented from shooting. Some small craft have been wrecked. Up to the present time November has been unusually mild and the sudden change is causing much misery. Wintry weather seems general in Europe, frost being reported as far south as Naples.

NEW REGULATIONS ABOUT PREACHING IN NEW YORK CITY.

New York, Nov. 22.—Through an ordinance which has just gone into effect it will be necessary hereafter for a missionary, church or religious society wishing to hold religious services in a street or public place in this city to obtain the consent of the aldermen of the district in which the meeting is to be held before a license from the mayor can be had. Opposition to street meetings held by "Mormon" missionaries in Harlem is said to have caused the introduction of the new ordinance.

Eight families, comprising 40 persons, escaped or were rescued from a building adjoining the drug store before the house was destroyed. The firemen displayed great bravery in the work of rescue and two of them fell from a swerving ladder two stories above the street. Three others were badly cut by falling debris. The financial loss was small.

THE STORY OF SALT LAKE'S BUILDING RECORD

In 1904

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Christmas News.

WILL ENFORCE THE PURE FOOD LAW.

Collector of Customs Stranahan Takes the Aggressive Toward The Government.

NOMORE LENIENCY TO BE SHOWN

Goods Brought in From Foreign Countries Without Proper Label to Be Sent Back.

New York, Nov. 22.—Collector of Customs Stranahan at the port of New York has assumed the aggressive for the government in its attitude towards the enforcement of the pure food law with especial reference to the labeling of all imported products with the formula noting the use of coloring or preserving substances of whatever kind, such as sulphate of copper, boracic acid, glucose, etc. That the authorities have decided to show no more leniency toward importers and foreign manufacturers failing to comply with the law is evidenced by the fact that a large quantity of "egg-white"—a pasty preparation used extensively by bakers and confectioners found to contain a dangerous amount of arsenic acid—was ordered transhipped to France.

At the same time importers generally were notified that "hereafter" the policy of the government would be to force the transshipment to the original point of shipment of all goods brought here without proper labels. This was the first intimation the importers had received that radical measures were to be resorted to at once to enforce the law. They quickly sought cover by calling the manufacturers in Europe to hold up further shipments indefinitely.

From official sources it is learned that however little or no attention is to be paid to the analyses furnished by importers themselves or those attested by officials of other governments, and that no other labels are to be passed until after a sample of the goods has been analyzed by the bureau of chemistry of the department of agriculture.

Consignments of cherries preserved in glucose, or "grape sugar," will be ordered returned to the manufacturer for proper labeling probably today, and the practice of allowing importers to remove a portion of a shipment under penal bond is to be discontinued for the present.

SALT LAKE STAKE.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION MEETING IN THE SIXTEENTH WARD CHAPEL.

The Sunday School Union of the Salt Lake stake was held last evening in the sixteenth ward chapel and was well attended by delegates from the several schools, all save North Point being represented at roll call. The meeting was presided over by Supt. C. B. Felt and assistants, First Assistant Supt. W. C. Burton conducting the exercises.

The opening song was "Love at Home." Prayer was offered by Kate McAllister. "Our Mountain Home So Dear" was next sung.

Supt. Burton announced that a local firm had presented to the Salt Lake stake a galvanized iron chest, in which to keep the song books of the stake organization, a hearty vote of thanks was accordingly tendered. The departments were conducted as usual, taking up the work for the following month.

At 8:45 the departments reassembled and the meeting closed after singing "Ere the Sun Goes Down."

The benediction was pronounced by A. C. Rees.

Another Christmas News Feature.

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"SALT LAKE AND LOS ANGELES, THEIR FUTURE TRADE RELATIONS."

The article to consist of not more than 2,500 words, and to be submitted not later than Dec. 2. Contestants should sign articles with initials or a nom de plume. Address envelopes, "The Deseret News Christmas Department," and in an accompanying envelope, sealed, give their own name.

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CHAUFFEUR BATE MURDER MYSTERY

A Young Farmer Who Lives Near Where Bate's Body Was Found Saw the Tragedy.

HEARD PISTOL SHOT FIRED.

Was Awakened by the Chug Chug of Automobile and Then He Heard People Quarreling.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—An eye witness of the mysterious murder of Chauffeur John W. Bate Jr. has been found in John Hennes, a young farmer who lives a mile from where the automobile containing Bate's body was discovered. Hennes told the police that on the night of the murder he was aroused about 11 o'clock by the "chug chug" of an automobile. As the machine neared his place he heard loud voices as if the occupants of the machine were quarreling. About 100 feet away passing in front of the house he saw the outlines of an automobile. The machine seemed to be swaying from side to side, its occupants were talking loudly, and one of them seemed to be standing on the rear seat. Suddenly the person in the rear held a revolver at arm's length and fired straight ahead. The machine continued on its way and Hennes heard nothing more. He believed that nobody was hurt until he learned of the murder.

The murderer of William Bate, the chauffeur whose dead body was found in an automobile near Lemont, is reported to have been captured at a small station on the Rock Island road between Minoaka, Ill., and Morris, Ill.

Home for Aged Atheists.

New York, Nov. 22.—Agitation for a home for aged atheists is the latest development of the East Side social and protective organizations. The Arbelter Ring, composed of a chain of such organizations, has announced that it is co-operating with the Rumanian Socialists for this purpose. The ring, which says it has 25,000 members, is made up of people of all shades of belief and disbelief, but only agnostics will take an active part in the movement.

A preliminary conference has been held, at which plans for the creation of a fund for the home were discussed. The committee appointed to further the work.

Peculiar Accident to Student.

Ithica, N. Y., Nov. 22.—Frederick E. Schmidt, a sophomore in Cornell university, has suffered a most peculiar and possibly fatal accident. He was performing on the parallel bars in the gymnasium when he fell, striking the back of his head and neck on the floor with great force. Although no bone was broken he remained perfectly unconscious, he lost the power of speech, and soon completely paralyzed.

After being removed to the infirmary, where he now lies, Schmidt partly recovered his speaking faculty, but is still totally paralyzed. Physicians say that if he survives the accident it is doubtful that he will ever recover control of his nervous system.

SIX SKULLS FOUND.

Men May Have Perished in Burning of D. & R. G. Wreck.

Salida, Colo., Nov. 21.—It is now believed that six men perished in the following the wrecking of a freight train on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad at Howard a week ago, and that one of them was Howard Leahy, a member of prominent Salida family. Leahy, who left Salida with Edward Foy, has not been heard from since the accident. Foy was badly injured, but is recovering at a Denver hospital. A section laborer says that he found six skulls in the wreckage.

Philbyterians for Affiliation.

Philadelphia, Nov. 21.—The Philadelphia presbytery today by a vote of 82 to 40 decided in favor of the affiliation of the Cumberland Presbyterian church with the Presbyterian church of the United States.

According to figures shown at today's meeting, 72 of the 245 presbyteries in the Presbyterian church of the United States have voted in favor of affiliation and seven against. A two-thirds' vote of the general assembly is necessary to carry the project.

In the Cumberland Presbyterian church, 29 presbyteries have voted in favor of the proposition and 10 against.

Certificates of Stock Stolen.

New York, Nov. 22.—Behind the publication of a detective agency in Wall street of a notice warning brokers and bankers that the assignment on two certificates for 100 shares of United States Steel preferred stock, amounting to \$18,000, and one certificate for 50 shares of Michigan Copper Mining stock worth about \$500 had been forged, is a report that the certificates were stolen by a trusted man in the employ of Edward Breitung of Marquette.

It is stated that the employee expressed a desire to take a short vacation three weeks ago. After he had gone Breitung learned that the man had left no definite address and told different persons various stories as to his destination. Suspicion was aroused and an examination of the safety deposit box to which the man had access was hurriedly made. It is said to have resulted in the discovery that several hundred shares were missing besides the certificates mentioned.

Breitung hurried east and found that the man already had transferred some of the shares to his own name. Owing to the form of assignment which the certificates bore there is some question as to who will have to bear the loss.

NEW INDIAN COMMISSIONER.

Francis E. Leupp Appointed in Place of William A. Jones.

Washington, Nov. 21.—President Roosevelt today announced the appointment of Francis E. Leupp of this city, to be Indian commissioner, vice William A. Jones, resigned. Commissioner Jones' resignation and Mr. Leupp's appointment will take effect on Jan. 1. Mr. Leupp is the Washington correspondent of the New York Post, and has been identified with Indian affairs for many years.

THE STORY

Salt Lake's Real Estate

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NARROW ESCAPE OF THIRTY NEGROES

Men, Women and Children Jumped From Windows of a Burning Building.

WERE SAVED BY FIREMEN.

They Held Tarpaulins, in Which They Landed—Several Women Sustained Injuries.

St. Louis, Nov. 22.—Thirty negroes, men, women and children, perished in on the second and third floors of a burning Morgan street lodging house today saved themselves from death by jumping from windows into tarpaulins held by firemen, by groping their way to the street down smoke and flame-filled stairways and by climbing through a scuttle to the roof and thence to adjoining buildings to be taken down by firemen.

Four women, injured in their efforts to escape, are at the city hospital. One of them is unconscious and probably will die. Another, who discovered the fire and dashed into the building to arouse the inmates, suffered a broken leg. She was imprisoned by the fire, forced to hang out of a window to escape smoke and flames, and dropped from a third story window to the ground.

FOR WALLACE, IDAHO.

P. M. General Orders Free Delivery For it on February 1, 1905.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—The postmaster-general has ordered the establishment of city free delivery service at Wallace, Idaho, Feb. 1 next.

FIRST NAT'L OF PRESTON.

Finney, Seweroff et al. Authorized to Start the Bank.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—The application of James Finney of Ogden, Utah, Joseph Seweroff, John C. Graves, T. W. Nelson and Lewis S. Pond to organize the First National Bank of Preston, Idaho, with \$25,000 capital, has been approved by the comptroller of currency.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES

Special Meetings in the City Churches Scheduled for Thursday.

There will be special Thanksgiving services in the city churches Thursday morning, in accordance with the long established practice. The Protestant evangelical churches are to unite in three union services as follows: On the east side, the Phillips Congregational, East Side Baptist, Third Presbyterian and First Methodist churches; on the west side, the Phillips Congregational, East Side Baptist, Third Presbyterian and First Methodist churches; on the west side, the Phillips Congregational, East Side Baptist, Third Presbyterian and First Methodist churches.

JOHN ALLEN DEAD.

Was One of Those Who Discovered Gold in Montana City.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 22.—John Allen, one of the men whose discovery of gold in what is now Montana City turned the tide of prospectors into this country, died last night in Helena, where he had been under treatment since last September. Death was due to cancer. Allen came to Last Chance in 1894. He made his home in the vicinity of Marysville and discovered and named Pigeon gulch.

Geo. Fishburn "unfolds."

Butte, Mont., Nov. 22.—George Fishburn, despondent from long suffering as a cripple, committed suicide at the McHugh ranch near Lewistown, Mont., yesterday, by shooting himself in the head.

WYOMING NEWS BUDGET.

Government Drillers Encouraged at Guernsey—House Proves an Alibi.

(Special to the "News.") Guernsey, Wyo., Nov. 21.—The drilling of the government engineers at the site of the proposed dam to be built in the Platte river at Fairbanks, is progressing rapidly under the direction of Prof. J. H. Denson of the reclamation service. The diamond drill has been sunk to bedrock in a number of places, the average depth of bedrock being about 50 feet. The engineers say there is no doubt but that a foundation suitable for the big dam will be found at the present site.

(Special to the "News.") Thermopolis, Wyo., Nov. 20.—It develops that A. B. House, the self-confessed saloon robber, was at the Pitchfork ranch on the day of the Cody bank robbery. He was paid off the day following and went to Montecito, where he cashed the check. This completely disproves the theory that House was one of the Cody robbers.

PATENT FOR A RETORT.

Has Been Issued to Snyder T. Hague Of Salt Lake.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—Patent for a retort has been issued to Snyder T. Hague of Salt Lake City.