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Was Condemned to Perpetual Imprisonment in Siberia for Complicity in Sipigine's Murder.

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Petersburg, Nov. 1.—Gerschunin, one of the most famous terrorists and head of his fighting organization during the Sipigine and Plevne regimes, has escaped from Siberia, concealed in a water cask.

His disappearance is a serious menace to persons whose lives the terrorists are now seeking, as he is a skilled organizer and one of the most remarkable men in the revolution.

THE SALTONE SEA.

Tomorrow the Colorado Will be Turned Into Old Channel.

San Francisco, Nov. 1.—The Saltone will be deamed tomorrow. The officials of the Southern Pacific announce that the last steps have been taken and the Colorado river will be turned into the old channel.

GOVERNMENT'S OWN PETARD.

Special Rates.

Manila, Nov. 1.—The government is feeling the effect of the new interstate rate law enacted by the last Congress.

THE WEST INDIES.

Spencer Churchill Going to Study Their Resources.

London, Nov. 1.—Winston Spencer Churchill, the parliament secretary of the island of the West Indies.

AN INFERNAL MACHINE.

R. & O. Engineer Has Narrow Escape From Death by One.

Alton, O., Nov. 1.—Andrew McIntosh, 40, a Balmington & Ohio engineer, yesterday had a narrow escape from death by an infernal machine.

STUDENTS SENT TO WORKHOUSE.

REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.

Phillips' Failed Concern Reopens Under New Management.

Philadelphia, Nov. 1.—Under the presidency of George H. Earle, Jr., the Real Estate Trust Company, which failed in 1905, has been reorganized.

WHITE HOUSE PROGRAM OF RECEPTIONS.

Washington, Nov. 1.—The following program of receptions and dinners at the White House for the season of 1906-7 has been announced by Secy. Loeb.

SECY. ROOT BRINGS A MESSAGE FROM WASHINGTON

Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 1.—Charles E. Hughes, Republican candidate for governor, left this city on an early train today for Knoxville, where the first speech of the day will be given.

THE PEOPLE'S PALACE.

Largest Lodging House in the World Opened in Boston.

A DEVOTED POLICEMAN.

With His Skull Cracked Did His Regular Duty.

SAW STEAMER NEMEA ON FIRE.

Queenstown, Nov. 1.—The British steamer Vedamora from Baltimore Oct. 20 for Liverpool, passed Kinsalehead this morning and signaled that she saw the British steamer Nemea abandoned and on fire in latitude 51 north, longitude 15 west.

VESSEL IN COLLISION ARRIVES.

Ostend, Belgium, Nov. 1.—The vessel which collided with the German steamer Hermann the other day, and was sinking in the ocean, is now in port.

HE WAS NOT LEOPOLD.

Chicago, Nov. 1.—The man arrested at Boone, Ia., yesterday, in connection with the search for Leonard Leopold, the Leslie murder suspect, is not Leopold.

TO RESCIND ADVANCE IN RATES.

New York, Nov. 1.—At the meeting at the rooms of the national board of underwriters between the executive committee of the West Virginia Fire Underwriters' association and members of the western and eastern unions to consider the percentage advance in rates that had been undertaken in part in that state, a unanimous decision was reached in favor of rescinding the advance so far as it had been made to apply.

CHAUFFEUR GUILTY.

Frank Le Fleur Convicted of Running Down and Killing a Pedestrian.

LIPTON GUEST OF HONOR.

Boston, Nov. 1.—Sir Thomas J. Lipton, guest of honor today at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts state board of trade at the Vendome hotel.

OBSERVATORY GAVE WARNING.

Hongkong, Nov. 1.—Speaking in the legislative council, Gov. Sir Matthew Nathan, in referring to the observatory committee said that warning of the typhoon on the morning of Sept. 9 was given in the circumstances, given as soon as it was practically possible.

COAL EXPORTS DUTY OFF.

London, Nov. 1.—The abolition of the export duty on coal, which became effective at midnight, was the signal for the sailing this morning of hundreds of coal laden vessels bound for foreign ports.

RAILROAD REBATE MOTHER OF TRUSTS

Also of Their Collateral Relatives. Declares Attorney—General Moody.

IS AFTER THE COAL COMBINES

Rather Thinks Mr. Bryan is Right in Saying That Trusts are the Main Issue.

Boston, Nov. 1.—In political speeches at Republican rallies at Beverly and Salem last night, Atty.-Gen. Moody said that he was investigating "the great and powerful coal and oil combinations," and that if he found evidence of illegal combination he would proceed without regard to personal or political consequences.

"A few weeks ago Mr. Bryan said that the trusts were the paramount issue. I am not quite sure that he is not right. Expressly congratulated President Roosevelt on the step he has taken of enforcement of the anti-trust laws.

"We are in the midst of great industrial activities and prosperity. Great evils are arising out of this condition, and President Roosevelt is determined to remedy it if a remedy can be found.

"The great industries are no longer conducted by the individual but by organized capital. Organized capital in modern industries is labor and capital are here to stay, but we have the right to ask both that they shall obey the laws of the land.

"When the combination of wealth obtains great power, as it will, it destroys the individual initiative, destroys the normal growth of commerce and sometimes the government. I myself have seen written on a sheet of paper the price of killing of a competitor. I have seen the cost of driving out of business the bold independent and divided among all the confederates. It is not wise that the people take a lay combination like this exist."

"The attorney-general continued: "Mr. Havenmeyer, the sugar man, says that the tariff is the mother of trusts. It is not the tariff that is the mother of trusts—it is the railroad rebate that is the mother of trusts and of their collateral relatives."

FINGER PRINTS.

Their Adoption in Army Leads to Detection of an English Murderer.

Washington, Nov. 1.—A curious result of the recent adoption by the United States army of the system of identification by finger-prints, just reported to the war department, was the discovery in the person of a soldier at Fort Leavenworth of a British murderer for whom the Scotland Yard authorities have been looking for years.

AUTOMOBILING IN MEXICO.

Boston, Nov. 1.—Charles J. Glidden today started from this city on an automobile tour with Mexico as his objective point.

DESPERATE FIGHT WITH BURGLARS

Officers Came Upon Them Unawares Where They Were Hiding in Brush.

FIRING IMMEDIATELY BEGAN.

Result Was Town Marshal Was Instantly Killed and Three Other Men.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 1.—A special to the Spokesman Review from Prosser, Wash., says:

"There was a desperate battle near Kennebec this afternoon between officers and burglars who robbed two stores in that city last night. The officers were led by Sheriff A. C. McNeil of this city, who came on the robbers unawares in the brush. They were five or six in number and at once commenced firing. Marshal Mike Glover of Kennebec was instantly killed and Joe Halsey, his deputy, was fatally wounded. Sheriff McNeil was shot twice but not dangerously. After being shot the sheriff emptied his gun at the robbers, killing one and finally capturing another.

"The captured robber says he is Robert Layton, aged sixteen years. He revealed the identity of the dead desperado as Jacob Lake, recently a convict in the penitentiary at Walla Walla.

"Layton says his home was formerly in Florida. He was shot during the battle with the robbers. He is believed to be in no danger, unless complications set in. After the capture of Barker there was strong talk of lynching, but on account of his youth this was given up. Several suspects were arrested but they are being released.

"The dead are: Marshal Mike Glover, killed instantly; Jacob Lake, ex-convict, killed instantly; Joe Holzer, deputy sheriff, died this morning as result of a wound in abdomen.

"The arrested man has given the names of Ernest Barker, Robert Layton and Walter Lewis. The authorities say that he is Kid Parker, who has a bad reputation.

VIOLENT STORM IN FRANCE.

Causes Tidal Wave at Toulon, Which Does Great Damage.

Paris, Nov. 1.—A violent storm has swept over the South of France, accompanied by heavy falls of snow on the coast and a tidal wave at Toulon, which prevents Admiral Touchard's squadron from leaving.

HEARST RETURNS FROM TOUR.

New York, Nov. 1.—Wm. R. Hearst returned today from his final up-state trip of the campaign. He was hoarse, but otherwise said he felt well.

THE UTES HAVE SPLIT INTO TWO BANDS.

Sheridan, Wyo., Nov. 1.—The Utes evidently have split into two bands. Telephone reports say that one band is on Bear creek, 20 miles north of Birney, Mont., and that the other band is camped along Hanging Women creek in the Powder valley. Two off-

ELECTION NEAR; BETTING BEGINS

Wise and Otherwise Come out From Cover to Make Wagers.

MANY PROPOSITIONS MADE.

Curbsome Politicians Crowd Sidewalks In Front of Billboards Proclaiming Different Offers.

It was easy to tell on Second South street today that election day is near. The wise and the near wise came out from cover with their betting money, and the era of silence on the matter of bets was closed.

"The bulletin boards in front of the cafes proclaiming the different kinds of propositions on tap inside were thronged with curbsome politicians and many that were ingeniously devised.

"According to the laws that seem to have governed betting in the past, this year should see a record breaking exchange of opinion backed up by coin. The people are more stirred up this year than for years past, and opinions vented by one citizen are more vigorously caught up and denied to the point of denunciation than has been the case in many elections.

SOME PROPOSITIONS.

Here are some of the bets posted this afternoon: Eldridge beats Seare over 1,000 in the county.

"\$50 that the "Americans" will poll over 40 per cent of the vote in the Third precinct.

"\$100 even that Weber (A) is elected both H. J. Robinson comes to the legislature from Bingham.

MURPHY DOBTS GENUINNESS OF CROKER CABLE.

New York, Nov. 1.—The principal topic of conversation in political circles today was the cablegram of congratulations from Richard Croker, former leader of Tammany Hall, given to Senator McCarran, Democratic leader of Brooklyn, yesterday.

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EVIDENCE OF LARCENY BUT CULPRIT UNKNOWN.

New York, Nov. 1.—As a result of the letter sent yesterday by Wm. R. Hearst to Judge Rosalsky, charging gross criminal negligence of the board of elections, which resulted, he alleged, in the nullification of petitions filed by candidates for the Independence League, M. Donald Dewitt, a lawyer, appeared at the district attorney's office today, accompanied by witnesses, to testify in support of Mr. Hearst's contention.

THE LUTHER LEAGUE.

Canton, O., Nov. 1.—The Luther League of America, now in session here, will meet in Chicago in biennial convention in 1907. The league elected William C. Stover of Philadelphia president.

ARRESTED FOR BUNCONG.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 1.—George Steecheer and E. H. Quick were arrested here today, charged with buncoing local firms by soliciting advertisements in the name of the Switchmen's union. The scheme, which was denounced by the union authorities, is said to have been worked in Joliet, Ill., Denver, Colo., and many other cities, but none of the gang is known to have been captured until today.

AN IDAHO TRAGEDY.

Marshal Wells of Oakley Kills Fred Taylor While Resisting Arrest.

Oakley, Ida., Nov. 1.—Fred Taylor, aged 20, was shot and instantly killed by Marshal Wells for resisting arrest at 9 o'clock last night. Drink and disturbance of the peace were the cause for the arrest.

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SALTAIR BEACH INSPECTED TODAY

Prospective Purchasers Go Out To The Big Resort on a Special Train.

OPTION EXPIRES NOVEMBER 12

Identity of Those Behind the Latest Interurban Electric Road Scheme is Disclosed.

Messrs. Velle of the General Electric Securities Company of New York Are Here.

The identity of the powers behind the proposed Salt Lake & Garfield interurban road which yesterday was granted a franchise to build and operate lines in Salt Lake county was partially disclosed by the arrival of M. A. Velle from New York this morning.

Early this morning Messrs. Velle, Bowen and Engineer Masson left Salt Lake for Saltair on a special train. In company with Manager J. E. Langford of the Salt Lake & Los Angeles road and Saltair beach, and others interested they thoroughly inspected the property and went over the details proposed in connection with a number of improvements.

On returning to the city they expressed themselves as impressed with the great possibilities of Saltair as a resort in connection with a system of a rapid transit electric lines to and from the city.

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THE CHRISTMAS NEWS SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1906. The theme of the issue will be UTAH AND HER NEIGHBORS: Their Growth and Development During 1906, and Their Prospects for 1907. The number will be issued in colors and enclosed in illuminated covers. CHRISTMAS NEWS PRIZES. In conformity with its custom in the past, which has proved so popular with the public, the Desert News announces the following prizes for its Christmas issue. First—A Prize of \$50.00 cash for the best Christmas Story submitted, not to exceed 8,500 words, about seven columns, or one page, of the Desert News. Second—A Prize of \$25.00 cash for the best Christmas poem not to exceed 1,200 words. The competition will close on Nov. 20th, 1906. All stories and poems submitted must be addressed the Desert News, Christmas Department, Salt Lake City, Utah. They must be signed with a nom de plume, or a fictitious name, and a separate envelope must be forwarded containing the real name of the author. Manuscripts not accepted will be returned on receipt of postage.

STATE TREASURER'S REPORT.

Shows Receipts for the Month of October—Balance on Hand.