

USE TAX TO KILL

Lawyers' Plan to End the Trust Evil.

OTHER REMEDIES GIVEN

Better and Cheaper Service When Competition Ends.

STATES COME AS LAST RESORT

American Bar Association Fears the Day is Coming When the Workman Can Find but One Possible Employer.

REMEDIES PROPOSED. Tax them to death, or if that is too radical, make the franchise tax graduation upward instead of downward.

HOT SPRINGS, Va., Aug. 27.—At the morning session of the American Bar Association the annual address was delivered by Hon. Baron D. Colt, of Rhode Island, United States Judge of the first circuit.

Walter S. Logan, of New York, made a verbal report on the committee on commercial law. He commended the National Bankruptcy law and then discussed the trust question.

Hon. Charles F. Manderson, of Nebraska, said the report was circulated to read the association's answer. He asked that the report be read. There was opposition to the motion, and consideration was postponed.

The report says the question is the important one now before the American bar. It says combinations are rapidly driving out of business the small dealers and the small producers.

Commercial Relations Changed. The modern combination's primary object is to control trade and commerce in plain articles of production, and substitute a more or less perfect monopoly.

"Combination as an economic force is fast coming to take the place of competition. The producers are combining; transportation companies are combining; tradesmen are combining; workmen as well as employees are combining; everything seems to be coming into some form of combination, and everybody seems to be a combiner.

The Steel Trust. The United States Steel Corporation is a combination of a dozen heretofore competing producers who themselves were combinations of still other producers, and these in turn other combinations of still others.

The Shipping Combine. The ambitious shipping trust, perhaps the pet project of the great American combine, has been to control all the ships that sail the ocean.

New Rice Pest in Louisiana. ESTHERWOOD, La., Aug. 27.—Seaweed is a new rice pest for Louisiana. It grows tremendously and will kill out the best field of rice in a short time.

One Dollar Saved Represents Ten Dollars Earned. The average man does not save to exceed 10 per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved.

Exceptions to the Rule. "If Mr. Morgan's shipping trust and Mr. Schwab's shipbuilding trust are fail-

ures, they are exceptions to the rule. We cannot, therefore, rely on natural forces, on the laws of supply and demand or on economic considerations to limit the growth of modern combinations.

The American bar must act, and the American Bar Association must take the lead. If the Northern Securities Corporation had been allowed to go on, the next thing to follow it would naturally have been a United States Securities Company, which would hold the majority of the stock of every railroad where the American flag flies.

Require Cutting of Rates. Second.—We can compel them to render better and cheaper service. If the combination of the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern Railways is a great success, public demand to have the attention which it has attracted, could be prevented much easier than by a hundred Sherman anti-trust laws.

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John I. Davenport, ex-National Supervisor of Elections, Passes Away. NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—John I. Davenport, ex-United States Supervisor of Elections, whose death has just occurred at Stamford, Conn., was once a power in Republican politics in this city.

Passenger Threw the Bomb. CONSTATINOPLE, Aug. 27.—The bomb which wrecked the train near Kuleli Burgas was thrown by a third-class passenger, who was in the buffet car.

CRESCUS MAKES RECORD. Ketcham Drives Him a Mile on a Half-Mile Track in 2:08 3-4. DAYTON, O., Aug. 27.—A new world's record of 2:08 3-4 for a half-mile track was made by George Ketcham's Crescus this afternoon.

Church Threatens War. Shah of Persia Warned to Cut Loose from Britain and Russia. BERLIN, Aug. 27.—The Christian Orient, a German missionary paper published in Berlin, prints correspondence from Tehran alleging that the leaders of the Persian Mohammedan Church have served notice on the Shah that unless he purged the country of foreign religious and commercial influences, especially British and Russian, the church will precipitate a revolution.

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Fraternities Adjourn. MILWAUKEE, Aug. 27.—The National Fraternal Congress today voted to meet next year in St. Louis, and elected officers as follows: President, Edward O. Wood, Flint, Mich.; supreme commander of the Knights of the Royal Guard; vice-president, F. A. Falkenberg, of Denver, head of the Woodmen of the World; secretary-treasurer, M. W. Sackett, of Meadville, Pa., supreme recorder of the A. O. U. W.

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TURKS MAY KILL ALL

Feeling Against Europeans Is Very Bitter.

POWERS MUST REMAIN QUIET

Any Hostile Move Will Be the Signal for a Massacre—Mising in Albania is Now Feared.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—According to a dispatch in the Daily Mail from Uskub, the Turks are very bitter toward the Europeans, believing it to be their intention to drive the Turks out of Europe. The correspondent says he is convinced that any hostile action by any European power will be the signal for the massacre of every European in European Turkey.

WAR NOT THE ONLY REMEDY. Russia and Austria Will Support an Amplified Reform Scheme. LONDON, Aug. 27.—The Sofia correspondent of the Times discussing the situation in the Balkans, says that a war between Turkey and Bulgaria is no longer regarded as the only remedy.

It is rumored from Adrianople that the troops are using petroleum to burn the forests sheltering the insurgents. It is also stated that the Turkish officers have received orders to pursue the rebels into Bulgaria.

Excitement is increasing in Serbia, on account of the correspondent of the Times, on the subject of the establishment of an autonomous government in Macedonia provided due allowance is made for the Greek and the north of Sar. The large insurgent successes are hailed with enthusiasm.

The Vienna correspondent of the Times says the Balkan outlook is daily darkening and Turkey is taking precautions for the safety of Constantinople.

Every Car is Smashed but Only Seven People Are Killed. SOFIA, Aug. 27.—The eastbound daily express from Budapest to Constantinople was blown up near Kuleli Burgas, about 25 miles south of Adrianople, early today. Seven persons were killed and 15 were injured.

WATER MAKES FATHERS GO. Occupants of French Monastery Fight Hard Against Expulsion. PARIS, Aug. 27.—The expulsion of the Redemptorist Fathers from their monastery at Lesseaux, department of Vendee, was carried out today after an exciting experience.

Paris on Underground Railway. PARIS, Aug. 27.—A fire which broke out in a car of the Metropolitan Underground Company at the Hotel de Ville station caused a panic among the passengers, who jumped from the train.

Eruption of Vesuvius is Subsiding. ROME, Aug. 27.—The eruption of Mount Vesuvius is slowly decreasing. The stream of lava has diminished in velocity, having widened to about 100 feet.

Ex-Premier Denies Humbert's Story. PARIS, Aug. 27.—Ex-President Casimir Perrier has written an open letter denying all connection with the Humberts except the receipt of a trifling contribution for political purposes.

Chinese Desire to Sell Railroad. TIENTSIN, Aug. 27.—It is learned the Chinese desire to sell the Niu Chwang Railroad. As a commercial speculation it is hopeless.

Banished Prince Again at Peking. SHANGHAI, Aug. 27.—Chinese reports from Peking assert that the banished Prince Tuan is there incognito, and that he has had several secret interviews with the Dowager Empress while the Emperor was asleep.

Rumor of Assassination Unfounded. ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 27.—The rumor published yesterday by the Vedomosti that an attempt had been made to assassinate the Russian Ambassador at Constantinople was entirely unfounded.

Loubet Aide Flood Sufferers. BERLIN, Aug. 27.—The French Ambassador has presented 2000 to the Foreign Office in behalf of President Loubet, for the relief of the sufferers from the recent floods in Silesia.

Newsdealers in Annual Convention. NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The twenty-first annual convention of the National Association of Newsdealers, Booksellers and Stationers of the United States, is now in session here.

OLDS, WORTMAN & KING Fifth and Washington Streets 7---BIG SPECIALS---7 FOR THE 19th Grand Friday Economy Sale

A marvelous array of matchless bargains for Friday shoppers. The splendid quality of the merchandise adds wonderfully to the real bargain worth. 'Tis easy to match prices—'tis impossible to match quality—for no other Portland house carries such meritorious merchandise as does Olds, Wortman & King.

Ladies' 50c Hose, Pair, 24c Ladies' Dollar Girdles 48c Satin or grosgrain finish, plaited, corded or graduated styles, in blacks or colors, but mostly blacks.

Ladies' \$12 Jackets \$4.75 These much-needed Jackets, for wear the coming Autumn days and present cool evenings, the tight and half-fitting styles, 24 and 27-inch lengths, materials of Kersey, Beaver, Melton or Cheviot.

25c Autograph Albums 15c Autograph Albums serve to keep forever green in your memory the friends of long ago. "Old friends are the best, so when'er you meet one, good and true, leave not the old one for the new."

VALLEY NOW A LAKE Iowa Storms Paralyze Railway Traffic. RIVERS RISE VERY SUDDENLY Sleeping People at Fair Grounds Near Council Bluffs Are Caught and Two Men Are Drowned Trying to Rescue Them.

Lipman, Wolfe & Co. OUR STORES WILL BE REOPENED AND BUSINESS RESUMED ON MONDAY, AUG. 31, 1903. EXPERIENCED CLERKS WANTED. LAST SHIRT WAIST SALE OF THE SEASON THEY ALL MUST GO. All our \$3.00 and \$3.50 Shirts, both in heavy and thin material, \$1.95.