SHOOTS HIS OLD FRIEND TO DEATH

Congressman-Elect Begins His Term by Deliberate Homicide.

IN SIGHT OF LARGE CROWD

Judge Favrst, of Louisiana, Sends Two Bullets Into Dr. Aldrich's Neck, While Mother and Sister Look On.

BATON ROUGE, La., Nov. 7.—Democratic Congressman-elect and Judge George E. Favrot this evening shot and killed his life-long associate and former schoolmate, Dr. H. H. Aldrich, one of the best known citizens of Baton Rouge, while hundreds of persons were near the scene of the shooting, but none knew what happened between the two men. Judge Favrot refused to talk beyond letting it be known that the matter was a private quarrel.

The shot was fired opposite the Istromma Hotel, out of which a crowd of society women was pouring, having just left a reception. Among these women were the mother and sister of Judge Favrot. Judge Favrot was arrested and placed in jail.

Before the shooting Judge Favrot had been walking along the street chatting with friends, but left the party opposite the hotel and entered the doors of the Raymend building. Almost immediately those outside heard three shots. Judge Favrot emerged from the building with a revolver in his hand.

Dr. Aldrich was found near the entrance with two bullet holes in his neck. In a front pocket of his trousers there was found a revolver which apparently had not been fired. District Attorney Wax, one of the witnesses to the shooting, asked Judge Favrot why he shot Dr. Aldrich and the judge replied that he did it for sufficient reason. He started for the jail to surrender himself and was met on the way there by the Sheriff.

ABOLISH WORN-OUT LAWS

CHINESE EMPEROR PREPARES FOR CONSTITUTION.

Makes Many Changes in Government as Foundation for Popular Rule. All Must Obey Law.

PEKIN, China, Nov. 7.—The Emperor has issued an edict ordering extensive reforms in the administration of the Government.

The edict, after referring to the previous command that the nation prepare for a constitution, outlines many changes in the administrative system, such as the appointment of various boards, the creation and abolition of others, the establishment of a political council whose duty shall be to gather public opinion.

The edict says these changes are made solely as the foundation for a constitution, if found not to be good, they will then be changed again. It points out that the present situation in China is dangerous, if both high and low are not made to obey the laws, and it calls on the ministers to act together in order to improve conditions, warning them that, if they disobey the imperial commands, thus frustrating the hopes of the people, they will be punished. It declares that the laws and regulations made by ancestors were good for that time, but that now the superfluous must be abolished.

Another edict orders the viceroys and governors of provinces to consider what steps shall be taken to prepare the general mass of the people for local self-government.

SAVED FROM OCEAN'S MAW

Sailors Rescued When Just About to Abandon Ship.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—Rescued when they were about ready to drop into the ocean from the deckhouse, six men, the crew of the Nova Scotia barkentine White Wings, and her captain were brought to this port today by the German tank steamship Mannheim, which arrived from Shields. The captain is M. J. McLeod, and the mate Alexander Luscombe.

With bulwarks just awash and her cargo of 200,000 feet of lumber covering the ocean, the barkentine was discovered drifting across the steamship track 200 miles east of Nantucket early Tuesday morning by the flare of her signals of distress. Captain Schau, of the Mannheim, at once sent a boat, and after a hard struggle the crew was rescued.

NO SIGN OF LIFE ON BOARD

Entire Crew of Bark Adona Perishes in Breakers.

RICHIBUCTO, N. B., Nov. 7.—The storm of the past week is still raging in the Northumberland Strait tonight, and all efforts to get to the stranded Norwegian bark Adona have failed. There is no sign of life aboard, and the entire crew of 11 is believed to have been swept to death by the huge breakers and the undertow as they attempted to leave the vessel.

No Guns During Election.

SAN SALVADOR, Republic of Salvador, Nov. 7.—The National Assembly has authorized the chief executive to open the port of El Triumfo to commerce. The shareholders of El Triumfo, Limited, an Anglo-American company, have ceded their rights in this port to the Government.

The importation of rifles, revolvers and ammunition into this Republic has been prohibited for the duration of the approaching electoral campaign.

Tobacco Trust's Big Dividend.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The directors of the American Tobacco Company today declared a regular quarterly dividend of 2¾ per cent on its common stock and an extra dividend of 7½ per cent.

Amundsen's Records Off to Norway.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—On board the Scandinavian line steamer Hellig Olava, which will sail tomorrow for Christiania, are two zinc boxes, guarded by four armed guards. They contain the records made by Captain Roald Amundsen, who sailed from Christiania three years ago and located the magnetic pole. From a study of the record, which will take fully three years, Captain Amundsen says that the exact location of the magnetic pole will be determined. Photographs were made of the needle for 19 months by an automatic photographing instrument made especially for the expedition.

LOVED FOR MONEY ALONE

Japanese Warrior Accuses Saloonman and Woman of Robbing Him.

Julius Kutner, proprietor of the Keystone saloon, at the corner of Fourth and Flanders streets, was arrested by Officers Johnson and Humphreys at midnight last night, charged with assisting in the robbery of $80 from a Japanese named Kirshna. It is alleged that two women of the redlight district, who live over the saloon, also had a hand in the robbery. Kutner was released on $200 bail.

The Japanese went upstairs to the room of the two women and they found that he had money on him. They put their arms around him, called Kutner and asked him to throw the Japanese out. Kutner made the man go down to the saloon. In the meantime a Chinese took noodles to the two women and the Japanese also ordered some. He gave the Chinaman a twenty-dollar gold piece and received no change, being hurried down to the saloon by Kutner in the meantime. When the noodle man entered the saloon, the Japanese asked where his change was and the Chinaman said he had given it to the girls upstairs. Kirshna then discovered that $60 additional was missing. He immediately had Kutner arrested. The girls could not be found.

Kirshna was searched at the police station and $60 in gold was found which he had secreted in another pocket and had been missed by the alleged pickpockets. He also had a ticket for Seattle and some baggage checks.

Kirshna claims to have been an officer in the Japanese-Russian war and stated to the police that he had saved the money to send home to his father, who is sick in Japan. The man was greatly distressed over his loss, as he said it would leave him destitute and he could send no money home.

HENNESSY HAS BAD FALL

Knocked Senseless When Dr. Dix Falls and Breaks Neck.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—Jockey J. Hennessey had a narrow escape from death when his mount, Dr. Dix, fell in the fifth race at Aqueduct today. Hennessey was knocked senseless and was removed to the emergency hospital in the paddock, where he was revived. Dr. Dix broke his neck in the fall. Results:

Six furlongs—Montgomery won, May Chance second, Fish Hawk third; time, 1:14 4-5.

One mile—Martin Doyle won, Lord of the Vale second, Sailor Boy third; time, 1:40 2-5.

Five furlongs—Jersey Lady won, Sally Preston second, Lady Karma third; time, 0:59 4-5.

Seven furlongs, selling. The Woodmere stakes—Jacobite won, Keator second, Monet third; time, 1:26 2-5.

PACIFIC CALLS THE GAME OFF

No Football Match Today With Hill Military Academy.

Hill Military Academy and Pacific University will not play football today as had been previously announced. The game was called off by Pacific last night. In reply to a request of The Oregonian for Pacific's lineup a telegram was received that no game had been scheduled with Hill. The telegram further stated that Pacific would not meet Hill again this season. It seems that in the game with O. A. C. Pacific had all the football knocked out of her.

Coach Kerron was surprised at the action taken by the Pacific Athletic and hinted vaguely that Pacific is afraid of the speedy cadets. On October 13, Pacific and Hill played a scoreless game on the former's grounds. This being early in the season Hill had not perfected her team work and the advantage was all in favor of the heavier Pacific team.

Sparks and Bartlett Ahead.

RENO, Nev., Nov. 7.—Almost complete returns from the larger precincts of the state show a sweeping Democratic victory. Bartlett, Dem., for Congress, will defeat Smith, Rep., by 1000, and Sparks, Dem., incumbent Governor, will defeat Mitchell by about the same. The Legislature will be close, but a majority of the holdover Senators, who will vote for United States Senator two years from now, will be Republican.

Fire Causes Havoc in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 8.—Fire which started early in the moulding plant of Angus & Mackay, 794 West Madison street, spread to several adjoining buildings before it was controlled and caused a loss of $200,000. Among the buildings destroyed were the Robey Hotel, the structure occupied by the Leida Printing Company and the drygoods store of H. J. Borne & Co. All the guests of the hotel escaped.

Lords Put in More Religion.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—With large opposition majorities and after further drastic amendments the House of Lords tonight adopted clause four of the education bill which provides that the local educational authority "may" afford extended facilities for special religious instruction.

P. J. O'Neil, Barley King.

CAMERON, Mo., Nov. 7.—P. J. O'Neil, a former millionaire of Winona, Minn., who owned all the grain elevators in South Minnesota and was known as "the barley king," died here today, aged 63 years.

IS LEFT TO LAWYERS

President Orders Inquiry on Anti-Injunction Bill.

CONFERS WITH GOMPERS

Labor Leaders Ask Roosevelt to Recommend Pearre Bill to Congress—Eight-Hour Law Is Also Discussed.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The measure introduced at the last session of Congress known as the Pearre anti-injunction bill was the subject of a conference today between President Roosevelt and Samuel Gompers and several other representatives of the American Federation of Labor. The Pearre bill has the indorsement of the Federation, whose representatives are anxious that some recommendations along its lines shall be made by the President in his annual message to Congress.

The President promised the committee to delegate four officials identified with legal work in the Government service to meet a similar number of labor representatives, with their attorneys, to go over the whole matter and to present their conclusions to him. The President, Mr. Gompers said, did not define his attitude or commit himself on the subject, but expressed himself as determined that absolute justice should be done.

Questions affecting the application of the eight-hour law to labor on the Panama canal and its general administration in Government work in the United States, together with others affecting labor matters which the Federation is anxious the President shall consider in his message to Congress, were talked over. With Mr. Gompers were Frank Morrison, secretary of the Federation, and James O'Connell, of the International Association of Machinists.

TAKING BACK CZAR'S GIFT

RUSSIAN SENATE DISFRANCHISES MANY VOTERS.

Interprets Election Law Against Poor in Vain Effort to Secure Docile Parliament.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 7.—The chances of the Socialists in the coming election of members to Parliament were dealt a blow yesterday by the interpretation given by the Senate to the new election law, which at one strike disfranchises thousands of the poorer classes. City employes, the operating personnel of the railroads, and even the locomotive engineers, and the most skilled and highest-paid labor in Russia are affected by the interpretation. Outside of factory workmen, the ranks of the Socialist party are recruited chiefly from railroad men.

This interpretation is supplementary to the Senate's ruling of October 20, by which it was estimated that a half-million persons who voted in the last election had been cut from the election lists. These two rulings, together, undo to a great extent the extension of the suffrage proclaimed by Count Witte in December of last year.

Their object was today frankly avowed by a member of the Cabinet to be to rid the electorate of that class of voters which is too easily swayed by the influence of revolution agitators. This official, who is one of the few surviving Ministers of the old regime, doubted whether the restriction of the suffrage or the execution of Premier Stolypin's programme would be effective in producing a new parliament less in opposition than the first one. Continuing, this member of the Cabinet expressed the conviction that it probably would be found necessary to dismiss the new Parliament with a shorter shrift than the first one, and make a sweeping revision of the election laws before summoning a third body.

SENTENCES WITTE TO DEATH

Anti-Revolutionary League Copies Methods of Terrorists.

MOSCOW, Nov. 7.—A report was in circulation here today that the League to combat the revolution, to which the murder of Deputy Herzenstein in Finland last Summer has been ascribed, had sentenced the former premier, Count Witte, to death in the event of his return to Russia.

NOT ALLOWED TO MEET.

Kaulbars Punishes Democrats for Preparing for Election.

ODESSA, Nov. 7.—M. Pankeisoff, vice-president of the Odessa committee of the Constitutional Democrats, has been fined $1500 and ordered expelled from the city for as long as martial law remains in force, because, without the permission of the authorities, there was held in his house a meeting to discuss the approaching elections. Twenty-four others present, among whom were doctors, lawyers and several municipal councillors, were fined $500 each, with the alternative of imprisonment. Governor-General Kaulbars declared he will not allow meetings for electoral purposes, whether legal or illegal.

Income Tax Bill Approved.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 7.—The Council of Ministers has approved the income tax bill of the Minister of Finance, M. Kokovsoff, which is estimated to produce revenue amounting to from $12,500,000 to $20,000,000.

OPPOSE ERROR IN PULPIT

High Church Episcopalians Declare War on Broad Church.

BOSTON, Nov. 7.—The Clerical Union for the Maintenance and Defense of Catholic principles, a national organization in the Episcopal Church, at a meeting here today decided not to permit ultra-Liberal utterances of a few of the "Broad church" clergy in various parts of the country to be made from time to time without protest. The sentiment of the union was that there should be more activity against what was termed "error in the pulpit and in the writing of ecclesiastics."

It was voted to observe the 20th anniversary of the union, which falls on January 20, with a solemn high mass at the church of St. Mary the Virgin, New York City. Right Rev. G. F. Seymour, bishop of Springfield, Ill., was chosen to preach the anniversary sermon.

Before the business session today a solemn high mass of requiem for the repose of the soul of Bishop Isaac Lea Nicholson, of Milwaukee, late president of the union, was sung at the Church of the Advent.

All Republicans in Nebraska.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 7.—Although at Democratic state headquarters the election to Congress of Boyd (Rep.) in the third, and Norris (Rep.) in the fifth district is not conceded, there is little doubt expressed that both have been elected, as well as Pollard (Rep.) in the first, Hinshaw (Rep.) in the fourth, and Kinkaid (Rep.) in the sixth. The election of Hitchcock in the second is conceded.

FOUR REPUBLICAN REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS WHO ARE DEFEATED

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