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JUDGE, JURY AND LAWYERS IN FEAR

Open Threats Grow Out of Becker Case.

PROSECUTOR IS UNDER GUARD

"Gunmen" Want Revenge on All Who Have Done Duty.

CITY STREETS NOT SAFE

New York Confronted With Critical Situation Since Conviction of Police Lieutenant for Murder of Gambler.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—(Special.)—An extraordinary situation for any civilized community has developed since Lieutenant Becker was found guilty of murder in the first degree. The men who did their duty—the judge of the court, the lawyers for both sides, jurors and witnesses—cannot walk the streets with a feeling of safety.

Justice Goff was threatened by letter and over his private telephone before the jury returned a verdict. When he leaves his home his assistant secretary or an armed guard accompanies him.

Detective Guards Prosecutor.
District Attorney Whitman is compelled by the insistence of his staff to permit Detective Thomas to keep near him when he is not in his private office or in his home. He has received threats that he will not live to prosecute another case.

John F. McIntyre, chief counsel for Becker, makes no secret of his belief that his life is in danger. Towards the close of the trial and while he was standing outside of the courtroom a gangster muttered in his ear that his comments about Jack Rose's wife would cost him his life. McIntyre carries a revolver and is ready to use it at any moment.

Informers Are Threatened.
Rose, Webster, Vallon and Scheppe, the informers, have received messages in the West Side court that if they have any property to dispose of they might as well make their wills. These threats are supposed to emanate from friends of the gunmen, "Gyp the Blood," "Lefty Louie," "Dago Frank" and "Whitey" Lewis. The informers are chilled with fear.

Shapiro, the chauffeur, who turned against the gunmen and who announced today that he was ready to identify them as the murderers of Rosenthal, has told his lawyer, Aaron J. Levy, that he fears he will be shot or stabbed as soon as he is let out of prison.

Shapiro has been threatened with death as a "quaker."

Chauffeur's Lawyer in Danger.
Lawyer Levy is no longer safe because he advised Shapiro to testify against the gunmen when they come to trial. Levy receives venomous threats daily.

Friends of the jurors who convicted Becker have been getting anonymous letters and telephone calls, some of which have been alarming. Justice Goff, District Attorney Whitman, Attorney McIntyre and others who dislike sensationalism, have sought to minimize the facts that indicate that men who hire out for assassination and assaults seek an opportunity to cap the Rosenthal case with a crime more atrocious even than the killing of Rosenthal, but the facts are that vicious threats have been received and that precautions are being taken by the men threatened.

"Legal butchery," is how Becker

OREGON'S DRY FARM DISPLAY BEATS ALL

TILLMAN REUTER TAKES FIRST PRIZES AT LETHBRIDGE.

State Receives Recognition for Fine Products at International Dry Farming Congress.

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—Oregon beats the world as a dry farming country according to awards given exhibits from that state at the International Dry Farming Congress which closed here today.

Tillman Reuter, of Madras, displayed what experts pronounce the finest dry farming products ever seen. He was awarded sweepstakes in the following classes:

Best sheaf of barley, best individual exhibit of all kinds of grain, best grasses and forage, best 90-day corn and largest potato.

He received first prizes for six-rowed barley, best Spring rye, best three years' growth of alfalfa and sand vetch.

This is not the first time that Reuter has won a "world's series" in the dry farming field. He won similar success at the congress in Spokane in 1910 and again at Colorado Springs last year. Mr. Reuter has been a resident of Crook County six years. He went there as a homesteader and immediately saw the possibilities of the volcanic soil as a producer.

"I am prouder of my accomplishment this year than ever before," he said today, "because I have backed Canada clear off the boards."

MAN TO WED AGAIN AT 82

Sister of First Wife to Be Bride, After Divorce From No. 2.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 26.—(Special.)—Robert Allen, of Pomona, a wealthy man known widely throughout Southern California because of business and other interests, obtained a marriage license today for himself and Mrs. Sarah Ashcroft, of this city. Allen is 82 years old, but active as a boy. He was divorced not long ago from his second wife, and the third bride to be is his sister-in-law. She is not many years younger than he. They were childhood friends and school mates in Derbyshire, England.

She was the sister of Allen's first wife, who died shortly after they came to America. Meantime Mrs. Ashcroft was married, but was bereft of her husband, and now the two have met again and decided to form a life tie. The marriage is to take place tomorrow.

NEW COAST SHIPS ORDERED

Fleet of Liners to Run Between Atlantic and Pacific.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—A fourth contract for construction of a fleet of liners for Grace & Company of New York, owners of the Atlantic & Pacific Steamship Company, has been received by William Cramp & Sons, ship and engine building company. One vessel of the fleet will be launched probably on November 6, while the other three will follow undoubtedly before the end of 1913.

The vessels, of 10,000 tons capacity, are to be used in the Atlantic and Pacific Coast passenger and freight trade and until the opening of the Panama Canal will make regular trips around the Horn.

FATHER AND SON TO MEET

The Dalles Lumberman Parted for 36 Years From Boy.

GRAFTON, Ill., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—Parted 36 years ago, when his wife took their year-old son and moved to another section of the state, John Griffin, 62 years old, now a prosperous lumberman of The Dalles, Or., will see his son for the first time in more than a third of a century tomorrow, when he reaches the latter's home near this place.

The reunion will be the culmination of a search extending over virtually the entire 36 years. The son, Wesley Griffin, is now married and a well-to-do farmer.

ALLIES RAPIDLY CLOSING ON TURKS

Servians Walk Into Uskup Unopposed.

ADRIANOPLE IS INVESTED

Military Men Think Fortress Cannot Last Month.

OTTOMANS RETIRE SOUTH

Abandonment of Strong Position Surprises Experts—All Europe Amazed by Swiftess of Balkan Armies.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The swiftness and efficiency of the onward movement of the armies of the allied Balkan states is making Europe open her eyes. From the north and all along the line from Greece on the south they are crowding back the boundaries of the Ottoman Empire in Europe. The often predicted and long delayed day when the Turk will have his back against the wall seems at hand.

The two pivotal points of Turkey's defense on the north were Adrianople and Uskup. The Bulgarian army in the East has defeated the Turks at Kirk-Kilisseh, which is the strongest outpost of Adrianople, and appears to have almost invested that fortress.

Servians Walk Into Uskup.

The Servian army in the West walked into Uskup at 2 o'clock this afternoon without opposition. The Turkish garrison there withdrew on the railway toward Saloniki. How far it intends to retreat, and why, are questions. The only answer to the last question is that the strength and supplies of the garrison did not justify an attempt to make a stand. There is no position between Uskup and Saloniki better suited for a battle than the one abandoned.

The strategy apparently is to follow the line of the railway toward Saloniki.

Adrianople Being Surrounded.

Events about Adrianople are even more important. The Bulgarians are apparently are proceeding successfully with the investment of the fortress. The Turkish army which was defeated at Kirk-Kilisseh did not fall back upon Adrianople, according to today's news, but took the road to the south, where it could connect with the railway to Constantinople. The second Bulgarian army followed through the mountains, carrying on the fight all day in an endeavor to cut off the retreating forces.

Garrison May Be Starved Out.

The military authorities are asking how many men Turkey has in Adrianople and how long they will be able to withstand a siege. There is general belief that if the Bulgarian investment is completed and railway communication with Constantinople cut the Turks will be starved out within a month.

In the meantime the Montenegrins are pushing their attack on Scutari. The Greeks have entered a few small towns in the course of their advance to the north.

The fact that Turkey apparently was taken by surprise and that her most important outposts gave way, does not mean that the allies can push back indefinitely the Turkish soldiers, who have a long record for bravery. The Turkish mobilization is only under way. She claims to be able to mass 400,000 men outside of Constantinople, whereas the allies have practically their full

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PRINCELY PRANK STARTLES RUSSIA

Nation Disturbed by Injury to Alexis.

BRUISES CAUSED BY FALL

People Incensed Because of Secrecy Observed.

BULLETINS CAUSE ALARM

Preservation of Life Is Vital to Romanoffs, Since Male Line of Succession Has Been Otherwise Disturbed.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 26.—The latest reports from Spala give assurance of the recovery of Crown Prince Alexis. Apart from the meager details of the doctors' bulletins, not a single fact has been allowed to appear in the Russian newspapers regarding the illness of the heir to the throne, and the whole nation is deeply incensed.

The secrecy has brought a crop of rumors. The facts are that 11 days ago a childish prank moved the little Prince to climb a high cupboard in the hunting lodge at Spala, where the imperial family was sojourning. He slipped and fell, striking a sharp corner of a chair and sustaining numerous bruises.

Doctors Startle Nation.

The frightened attendants tried to make light of the accident and the Prince bore the sharp pain without flinching. The two physicians who are always in attendance on the Prince reported he had sustained severe injuries in the region of the liver.

A panic prevailed but no hint of the truth was permitted to become known until his condition became critical, when the country was startled by the physicians' bulletins.

According to the law of the house of the Romanoffs, the succession devolves on the males. Only when the male line is exhausted can the females succeed to the throne.

Brother's Rights Forfeited.

The Emperor's sole surviving brother, Grand Duke Michael, eloped and contracted a morganatic marriage with the wife of a brother officer in 1910, thereby forfeiting the rights of succession. The next heir, Grand Duke Cyril, the handsome young sailor son of the late Grand Duke Vladimir, married the divorced wife of the Grand Duke of Hesse, thus incurring the displeasure of the imperial family and the Hesse family.

For the welfare of Russia and the Romanoffs, the preservation of the life of Crown Prince Alexis is of paramount importance. He is a lively child and is watched over day and night by an old nurse and the sailor Serevenko, but he has repeatedly caused consternation by giving them the slip. Last winter the whole garrison was scouring the palace for several hours while the Prince remained hidden in a big chevat.

The official bulletin issued tonight says the Crown Prince again passed a quiet day. His temperature was 100.7; pulse 128.

Cottage Grove Woman Is Hurt.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. Lee Roy Woods returned this morning from Portland suffering from painful injuries received by a fall on the stone steps of the White Temple, where she was attending the Women's Christian Temperance Union convention. One eye is completely closed, one wrist is badly wrenched and she is bruised all over. She had intended remaining to attend the Mothers' Congress, but her injuries necessitated her return home.

MRS. MARSHALL IS CLEVER POLITICIAN

VICE-PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE PAYS TRIBUTE TO WIFE.

On Campaigning Tour Governor's Helpmate Travels "Light."—Enthusiasm of West Appeals.

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—"She's a better politician than I am."

Thus Governor Thomas R. Marshall introduced his wife today at the Hotel Spokane.

"Like campaigning? I should say she does," he continued. "Her taking this trip is nothing unusual; she always campaigns with me. We've been married 17 years now, and never been apart a day."

"Yes," Mrs. Marshall assented, smiling. "I like campaigning, and I must say I like a National campaign better than a state campaign. It is longer between stops, and longer stops, too."

"And I like the West. The people seem so enthusiastic. We have had bumper meetings at Portland and Seattle."

Governor Marshall has contracted an annoying cough that bothered him this morning.

Inspired by the atmosphere of a state where women vote, Mrs. Marshall made her maiden speech at a meeting of the Democratic women of the city, who entertained her at the Hotel Spokane this afternoon.

Proving that she is an experienced campaigner, the wife of the Democratic candidate for Vice-President of the United States travels "light." She has only one suit with her and today she spent all morning in her room while the tailor was engaged in pressing the garment. Asked to pose for a photo, she explained the difficulty.

"Oh, my, no," she laughed merrily. "Not for two hours. I haven't got any other dress with me. Come around later, and if I must, I will face the camera."

PENSION CLAIMS ALLOWED

Representative Hawley's Efforts Benefit Oregon Veterans.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—Official notices have been received from the Commissioner of Pensions by Representative Hawley that the following claims have been allowed in this district: Abraham R. Whitman, William Miles, Luman Burton, Edward L. Briggs and William H. Simpson. Salem; Charles R. Barnhart, Riddle; Amos Beach, Woodburn; John B. Bales, Dorena. Representative Hawley a few weeks ago asked the commissioner to take up applications under the pension act of 1912. These applications were filed by Mr. Hawley's constituents, who are veterans of the Mexican and Civil wars.

The veterans whose claims were allowed received a substantial increase in their pensions. It is hoped by Mr. Hawley that by December the majority of the large list of claims which he has filed will be allowed. Many of these claims would not have been allowed until April or May if they had been taken up in their regular order, but through the intercession of Mr. Hawley the Commissioner of Pensions has taken early action.

GERMANY WILL BE AT FAIR

Exhibit to Be Sent Probably, Although Feeling Is Not Keen.

BERLIN, Oct. 26.—(Special.)—It is expected that the German government will soon announce its decision to participate in the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco in 1915. The appointment of a permanent exposition commission is not favored, but it was virtually decided during the visit here of Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador at Washington, that Germany for political and commercial reasons could not afford to hold aloof from participation in the big show.

There is a lukewarm feeling in big industrial and manufacturing circles, however, and up to the present, it has been only through much effort and urging that they have been induced to promise to send exhibits.

BEVERIDGE TELLS OF RETURNING CASH

Sending of Letters Is Duly Witnessed.

PERKINS REPLIES BY WIRE

Honest Man Is Noblest Work of God, His Acknowledgment.

COUSIN'S CHECK REFUNDED

Ex-Senator Disclaims Knowledge of \$260,000 Declared by Pomerene to Have Been Furnished to Finance Newspaper.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—After hearing ex-Senator Beveridge tell of returning \$27,000 sent to him for campaign use in 1904, the Senate campaign contributions committee adjourned today indefinitely. Chairman Clapp believes the committee will hold no more meetings until after election.

Since September 30 the committee had been in almost continuous session, with Senators Clapp, Oliver, Paynter and Pomerene conducting the examination of witnesses. J. P. Morgan, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Charles P. Taft, George W. Perkins and a score of other witnesses have testified.

Campaign Funds Accounted For.

The Democratic and Republican campaign funds of 1904 and 1908 have been reviewed and the committee secured what purported to be a list of the contributors to the \$2,000,000 fund spent by the Republicans in 1904. In addition the managers of the campaign of President Taft, Colonel Roosevelt, Judson Harmon, Woodrow Wilson, Champ Clark and Oscar W. Underwood accounted for the funds expended in the fight for the Republican and Democratic nominations this year.

The committee has placed in the record the voluminous correspondence of John D. Archibald, of the Standard Oil Company, with various men in public life, particularly with members of the House and Senate. The private correspondence between the late E. H. Harriman and ex-President Roosevelt, during his administration, was also placed in the record.

State Funds Next in Order.

While the general amounts of the various funds have been given to the committee, no detail of the amounts contributed and expended in the various states has been elicited, and it is expected the committee will take up this line of investigation after election.

Senator Beveridge testified today that he received one draft of \$10,000 and two certificates of deposit for \$10,000 each from Perkins, but could not remember whether the three remittances were sent together or separately.

Beveridge said he returned all of the money on the day after election. He produced letters to both George W. Perkins and E. L. McLean returning the money. Each was witnessed and signed by L. G. Rothchild, John F. Hayes, Larr Whitcomb and Thomas R. Shipp. The indorsement on each letter certified that the witness had seen the money included in the letters and seen the latter sealed and sent.

Beveridge said no other funds were furnished to him by Perkins.

Financing of Newspaper Denied.

"Did he give you any money to finance the Indianapolis Star?" asked Senator Pomerene.

"Sir!" exclaimed the witness, leaning forward in surprise.

Pomerene repeated the question.

"No, I know absolutely nothing of

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CARTOONIST REYNOLDS PRESENTS SOME PEN AND INK COMMENTS ON THE NEWS EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK

