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## REPORT CONFIRMED

Attempt Was Made to Kill Petrovitch Pobiedonostzeff.

## PROCURATOR NOT AGITATED

After Attempt Was Made Drove to the Holy Synod and Presided at Meeting. Said Nothing of Affair to Colleagues Returned Home Unguarded.

St. Petersburg, July 20.—Reports of an attempt to shoot Constantine Petrovitch Pobiedonostzeff, chief procurator of the Holy Synod at the Tsarskoe-Selo station in St. Petersburg, as recounted by the Associated Press last night, have been confirmed.

In spite of his greatly advanced age and illness, M. Pobiedonostzeff's nerves were unshaken by the attempt on his life. He drove to the Holy Synod and presided at a meeting, telling none of his colleagues of the occurrence until after the session closed. The procurator then drove back to the station alone and unguarded, and returned to Tsarskoe-Selo.

## NEW YORK DRINKS MILLION GALLONS OF MILK

Dairy Product Consumed in Quantity By Sweating Masses.

New York, July 20.—Milk amounting to the immense total of 1,500,000 quarts was consumed Wednesday in this city to quench thirst caused by the great heat wave. In order to procure the unusual large amount, dairies were compelled to advance their paying price one quarter of a cent a quart. That makes one half cent advance to the farmers within the last three weeks. Thus far consumers have not been affected by the raise, the average retail price being seven cents a quart.

Much damage is reported by truck farmers in New Jersey owing to the recent heat and lack of moisture. Peaches are dropping from the trees and other fruits are being affected. In some sections the wells have given out and water is being procured for livestock with great difficulty.

In the silk mill and iron works districts of nearby Jersey cities, work has been considerably interrupted. Newark alone reports 35 prostrations and 21 fatalities. Four deaths and many prostrations have occurred in Jersey City during the past 24 hours. Elizabeth and Patterson also reported long lists of heat victims.

According to the police, at least 100,000 persons slept out of doors last night enjoying a good rest in an atmosphere cooled by the afternoon rain.

Murray Hill was a vast solitude of deserted mansions, whose care takers, their employers gone, sat on steps and porticos and areaways and dozed during the greater part of the night. Every public park was filled to overflowing while the recreation piers along the East and North rivers were crowded throughout the night.

## CLARK TO ASSIST CHOR.

Will Give Thousand to help Defray Expenses of Portland Trip.

Ogdon, July 20.—Senator W. A. Clark, of Montana, has offered to give the choir of the Ogdon Mormon Tabernacle \$1000 to help defray its expenses to Portland next month on the condition that a like amount be raised here for the same purpose. The choir will sing the irrigation ode at the Lewis and Clark exposition next month, and Senator Clark has taken this occasion to show his great interest in anything that pertains to reclamation.

## LAND MEN IN QUANDARY.

Peculiar Situation Arises in Connection With Water Rights.

Salt Lake City, July 20.—A peculiar situation has arisen in connection with the water rights on the Utah Indian Reservation, soon to be thrown open to settlement under the lottery plan. There is no land on the reservation suitable for cultivation except under irrigation. While no person can file a claim to the land prior to the drawing, and while "sooners" are strictly barred from the reservation it seems to be uncertain whether the law embraces the water rights. In behalf of the Indians who will retain the most valuable agricultural lands on the reservation Captain C. G. Hall, United States Army, has made twenty filings on water rights which are said to cover practically the water supply of the reservation. Three private corporations have formed and

also have filed on the reservation water rights with the Utah state engineer.

Owing to the uncertainty of the law none of these claims for water have been approved or disapproved. The interior department, it is stated, has the water under consideration and may protest against the granting of the claims filed by the private companies.

## FOR REGATTA BENEFIT.

"Jack" Mayo and Superintendent McGuire Arrange for Ball Game.

That Astorians are taking an interest in the proposed regatta is evidenced by the fact that Superintendent McGuire and Jack Mayo have issued a challenge to Mr. Roberts, of the O. R. & N. Co., for a game of ball, the proceeds to go to the regatta fund. The nines will be selected from both companies. Jack Mayo will act as short stop and is now practicing with Frank Parker playing anti-over, or rather, Parker is training Mayo. The game promises to be hotly contested. If the score exceeds 100 on either side, Astoria will be declared a common point.

## LEGISLATIVE INVESTIGATION.

New York State Committee Will Look Into Insurance Business.

Albany, New York, July 20.—There will be a legislative investigation of the life insurance business as carried on in this state both by the New York state corporations and by those of other states doing business in this state. This investigation will be made by a special joint legislative committee with ample powers. Chairman Armstrong, of the committee, said tonight that while the actual hearing by the committee would not begin for some time preliminary preparations will be set in motion as soon as possible.

The institution of the committee followed hard upon the message of Governor Higgins to the legislature suggesting an investigation of the life insurance business, which came as a surprise.

## Today's Weather.

Portland, July 20.—Western Oregon: Friday, partly cloudy and probably cooler, except near the coast. Eastern Oregon, showers and thunder storms.

## UNIQUE SWINDLE

Clairvoyant Predicts Wealth and Leads to Source.

## PROVES CONFIDENCE GAME

Mine Company Officials in Chicago Arrested. Man Consults Clairvoyant. Hand Showed Great Signs of Wealth in Speculation, Bites and Is Bit.

Chicago, July 20.—Dr. Walter B. Metcalf, president of the Beaver Falls Mining Company, with offices in Chicago, and W. C. Barrett, secretary and treasurer of the company, have been arrested on warrants charging that they obtained money by means of a confidence game.

Dr. Metcalf, who is a practicing physician, and is well known in medical circles, and Barrett, were released upon bonds.

The attention of the case was called in a letter written by Robert Aird, of Chicago, who invested \$300 in stocks of the Chicago Adirondack Gold Mining Company, which formerly occupied the present offices of the Beaver Falls Mining Company.

Mr. Aird replied to an advertisement of a clairvoyant who informed him that his hand showed signs of great wealth in speculation. The clairvoyant then referred him to the Chicago Adirondack Gold Mining Company. Aird invested \$300 in the stocks. He said he had no return on his investment and the money paid by him was not used as represented.

## WORK IS STOPPED.

Repairs to San Francisco Stopped By Order Of Naval Board.

Washington, July 20.—A majority of the naval board on construction has recommended that no more work be done on the cruiser San Francisco. The vessel now is out of commission and a certain amount of repair work had been authorized when the matter was referred to the board. If the board's action is approved by the department the San Francisco will remain out of commission indefinitely.

## STRIKE EXPENSIVE

United Mine Workers Spend Million and a Half.

## IN EFFORT TO WIN STRIKE

Money Spent For Maintenance of Tennessee and Alabama Local Unions and For Railway Tickets to Send Strike Breakers Home.

New York, July 20.—Testimony has been given at a hearing before Commissioner of Licenses Keating in this city to the effect that the United Mine Workers of America had spent more than \$1,500,000 in an effort to win a strike which began in the bituminous coal mines of Alabama and Tennessee a year ago. The statements were made by General Labor Agent Hugh Dewitt, of the Tennessee Coal, Coal and Railway Company.

It is asserted that the union contributed an average of \$1000 a day for the maintenance of the members of local unions in these two states, and that in addition to the \$365,000 spent by the organization, the union had expended \$26,000 within the last three months for railroad tickets to enable strike breakers to return to their homes.

The statements made by Dewitt were brought out in hearing complaints against two large employment agencies in the city, which have been engaged in obtaining men for the mines. The charges against the agencies are to the effect that they engaged men and sent them to the south under false pretense, retaining them on the trains en route against their will. One witness was the wife of a machinist. She told of going with her husband and a car load of other men who broke the windows of the coach at Birmingham and made their escape.

## WILL EXHUME BODY.

Man Charged With Larceny May Have Murdered Wife.

New York, July 20.—The body of Mrs. Mary Gorman Carlton, whose husband, Fred Carlton, is in prison, charged with grand larceny, has been exhumed today for medical examination as to the cause of death. Mrs. Mary Carlton was the second wife of Frederick Carlton, and died of tetanus only a short time after his first wife had died of the same disease. Both women were insured in Carlton's favor.

The medical examination of the woman's body will be completed in about ten days.

## Monitor's Shaft Broken.

Port Harford, Cal., July 20.—The coast defense monitor Wyoming has arrived in harbor here with propeller blade and shaft broken. A tug has been sent for to tow the vessel to Mare Island navy yard.

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