

Assassination of the President

Was Deliberately Attempted at His Summer Home on Oyster Bay---A Demented Man Made Three Attempts to Get at Roosevelt Last Night---At Last an Easy-Going Secret Service Man Began to Suspect That He Ought to be Arrested.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 2.---A man supposed to be demented made three attempts last night to reach President Roosevelt. When arrested by secret service men guarding the President on his person was found a 32 calibre revolver. It is believed he intended to assassinate the President.

SEATTLE STREETCAR SITUATION

Given a New Phase By Action of Company

General Freight Handlers Strike Brought on at New Orleans---Little Freight Handled

Seattle, Sept. 2.—For the purpose of preventing a tie-up, in case of a general strike the street car company effected an organization of a separate union of disgruntled members of the old union. It will be incorporated under a state charter. No one recognizes it, and a general meeting of all unions will be held to decide whether a general strike will be called as a result of this move on the part of the company. The Building Trades Council has protested the freight handled by non-union teamsters. The big transfer companies, leaders of the fight against recognition of the union, offer stock to the old teamsters to get them to come back. There are 250 non-union and 350 union teamsters.

New Orleans, Sept. 2.—All members of the freight handlers union at the wharves have struck for 40 hours an hour. They are getting 30 per cent. freight is being handled.

New York Stocks. New York, Sept. 2.—The stock market opened with apparently little more reaction and with prices slightly reactionary. Large part of list lost 1/2 to 1/4. Loss in Amalgamated Copper 1/2. Steel firm and advanced 1/4 per cent. Pacific Mail lost 1/2 per cent.

BALKAN SITUATION SERIOUS

Sultan Appeals to the German Emperor to Act

In Concert With the Powers to Maintain a Policy of Hands Off

Constantinople, Sept. 2.—The Sultan has sent an autograph letter to Kaiser Wilhelm dealing with the Balkan situation. He will look to the Emperor to use his influence with the powers to pursue a policy of hands off in dealing with the Macedonian situation, leaving Turkey to put down the uprising. He promises that every respect will be paid to the interests of the various nations. Insurgent bands under Jankoff have appeared on the railway south of Adrianople. The object is to destroy the bridges over the Maritza and Arda rivers, thus cutting off the line of communication from Adrianople to the south. A fight is imminent. Refugees are arriving here in large numbers. Extraordinary precautions are being exercised here to prevent incendiary attempts. Authorities fear revolutionists will start fires and cause a panic.

Belgrade, Sept. 2.—An unconfirmed report that Adrianople is in flames is again published here. Northern Macedonians proclaim an insurrection. Turks massacre population of several villages in Macedonian revolution.

Sofia, Sept. 2.—Fears of a general uprising are growing. Revolutionists are gaining strength daily. The Sultan is showing extraordinary vacillation. No decisive work on a comprehensive plan is being done. As a result the insurgents in Monastir and Adrianople have no trouble in escaping from the Turkish troops. A general feeling of optimism on the part of the Sultan and his advisors is proving of greatest help to the Macedonians.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 2.—The man's name is Henry Weinbrenner. He lives at Syosset, Long Island, a small place seven miles from the President's summer home. The secret service man who is detailed to guard the front of the house was standing in the roadway about 10 o'clock last night when an unknown man drove up in a carriage. It was held up a hundred feet from the house and he announced that he had an engagement with the President. He gave his name and said the President had telegraphed for him. The guard examined his list, but found no such name and ordered Weinbrenner to drive on. The latter objected, but left after being threatened with arrest. He returned half an hour later and again insisted upon seeing the President. He was again refused and departed, apparently chagrined. An hour later he put in an appearance again, and this time the guard, as a matter of precaution, placed him under arrest. He was immediately searched and a revolver with every chamber loaded was found. Later search of the grounds was made and footprints were found in the rear of the house. A heavy guard was placed about the house and Weinbrenner was taken to Oyster Bay, where he was incarcerated. He was questioned this morning and from his manner it is plain he is demented. He will probably be thoroughly examined later in the day. Weinbrenner is the son of a German truck driver, aged

about 28. The secret service men have no doubt that he intended to kill the President should he have been able to reach him. Weinbrenner was arraigned in the police court this morning. He is plainly erratic. He insisted he had called Sagamore Hill at the request of the President. Asked how and where he called there he replied: "President talks and I hear him. He's in his house and I'm in mine, but I can always hear him. He talks about his daughter Alice. I wanted to marry her. I've seen her a number of times. She came to my house in an automobile about a month ago, accompanied by her brother Theodore." As he is plainly demented the court cut short the examination and remanded him back to a cell. He will be examined as to his sanity this afternoon and likely be committed to some institution. One of his brothers was in the court room this morning and stated that while he had always been more or less flighty none of the family suspected he was insane. Weinbrenner is short, stockily built, dark-complexioned German, with three-days growth of beard upon his cheeks and a closely cropped mustache. He kept his hands folded across his vest and his eyes upon the ground while he answered the questions fired at him in a low monotone. Asked if he had any statement to make, after the examination, he replied no.

LARGE FIRE TODAY

Brave Fireman Had a Narrow Escape From Death

Cincinnati, Sept. 2.—A fire this morning gutted the building occupied by the Schaeffler, Hartford and Hanna Chemical company. Several adjoining firms suffered losses. A number of firemen narrowly escaped death by falling walls. Property loss, \$125,000.

SHOWED GREAT ENDURANCE

But He Could not Breathe the British Channel

London, Sept. 2.—Holdheim, the swimmer who started to swim across the English channel, gave up this morning when eight miles off Calais. He had been in the water 17 hours and 20 minutes.

Another Double Crime. New York, Sept. 2.—Henry Edson, aged 39, shot and killed Mrs. Fanny Pullen, aged 33, and then killed himself today. Mrs. Pullen was visiting at Edson's home at the time. Cause unknown.

Edson is a son of ex-Mayor Edson, said to have been jealous of the woman. The shooting occurred in the presence of Dr. Cyrus Edson a brother of the dead man, his wife, Mrs. Henry Edson, and a baggage mover. It is said Edson asked the woman to elope with him a few minutes before the tragedy, and when she refused he became wildly hysterical and the shooting followed.

HEIRESS OF TWENTY MILLIONS

She Will Wed a Duke of the British Empire

He has an Income That Will Help to Keep Them Above Want for Some Time

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REPEAL BICYCLE LIMITS

Old Ordinance has Been Revived and Will be Enforced

The Council Approves Number of Changes in the City Government

The Salem city council met at the city hall at 8 o'clock last evening with all aldermen present. Mayor Bishop presided and Recorder Judah was at his desk. The minutes of the (Continued on Second Page.)

Fresh Today

Chocolate Creams Penotia and Peppermint Chews

Zinn's

154 State St. Phone 1971 Main.

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Many of our fall lines are already here, the rest are on the road and will be in soon. Our prices are making things lively. The newest goods at cash prices is a novelty for Salem. We've proved that we can afford to sell dry goods on the same small profit that has made such a success of our other lines.

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The Store Which Sells It For Less.

TODAY ONLY

SALE DAY

This is our 139th regular Wednesday Special Sale and as usual, we offer special bargains for this day only. TODAY we have on sale a line of wrappers of great merit and value and we are going to sell them at the Bargain Price of

All Colors **68c** All Sizes

As today is WRAPPER DAY, we have decided to give a grand special in our WRAPPER DEPARTMENT, and have placed a hundred garments ranging in price from

80c to \$3.00 at Half Price

Sun Bonnets

Purchase now while the prices are down, just about half what you pay others. We are determined to clean them up if advertising and prices will make them go. A fine assortment in Blue, Red, Pink, Etc.

Your Choice 10c

Spring and Summer **Shirt Waists**

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Men's Pants Special

A large assortment of men's pants in broken lots will be sold for the following reductions:

\$1.75 values \$1.35
\$2.50 values \$1.65
\$2.75 values \$1.95
\$3.25 values \$2.65
\$3.75 values \$2.85
\$4.00 values \$3.15
\$4.50 values \$3.45