

RECEIVER FOR ROAD

INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY GOES INTO NEW HANDS.

INTEREST DEFAULT CAUSE

Federal Court of Northern Texas District Appoints T. J. Freeman to Assume Charge—George J. Gould is President.

Fort Worth, Tex.—On application made in behalf of the Metropolitan Trust company of New York, before Judge Edward R. Meek of the federal court in the Northern district of Texas, Wednesday afternoon, alleging default of the interest on a bond issue of 1892, T. J. Freeman on a bond issue was named as receiver for the International & Great Northern railroad. Surety will be executed and the receiver will soon qualify to take over the property. Mr. Freeman is general solicitor for the Texas & Pacific railroad and high in the councils of the Gould lines. He left for Dallas Wednesday afternoon. The International & Great Northern Railroad company, organized in 1873 and reorganized in 1892, operates 1,168 miles of road in Texas, one branch running from Longview to Laredo, and other branches from Fort Worth and from Palestine to Galveston. The company has a bonded indebtedness of \$25,327,063, and capital stock is issued to the amount of \$1,750,000. George J. Gould is president of the International & Great Northern Railroad company and its main office is in Palestine, Tex.

"NO LET UP" IN PAYSLIEF.

President Roosevelt Will Continue Fight on Corruption.

Washington.—That there will be no let up in President Roosevelt's policy of warring "against rottenness and corruption," was emphatically declared by the president, Wednesday afternoon, to the delegates to the department of superintendence of the National Education association during their reception at the White House. Continuing, the president gave his views on educational methods at considerable length and with characteristic catholicity of thought and vigor of expression.

SLAV TERRORISTS FACE DEATH.

Ten Would-Be Assassins Are Placed on Trial.

St. Petersburg.—Ten of the terrorists who participated in the unsuccessful attempt made in this city to kill Grand Duke Nicholas Nikolaievitch and M. Chicheglovitch, the minister of justice, are to be placed on trial Thursday before a military court in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul. Under the regulations the hearing was behind closed doors. In an attempt upon the life of a government official under the rules of minor martial law, is punishable with death.

SENATE STANDS BY KELSEY.

New York Body Refuses to Concur in Hughes' Recommendation.

Albany, N. Y.—Without a word of comment or debate on the merits of the question and by a vote almost duplicating that of last year the senate Wednesday for the second time refused to concur in the renewed recommendation of Gov. Hughes that Otto Kelsey be removed on the ground of incompetency from the office of state superintendent of insurance. The vote to-day was 19 to 30. The vote last year on the same proposition was 24 to 27.

Conspiracy Defense Rests.

Harrisburg, Pa.—The defense in the conspiracy suit against Contractor Sanderson, ex-Secretary of State, ex-State Treasurer Mathews and ex-Superintendent of Public Grounds and Buildings Shumaker, on trial in the Dauphin county court, rested Wednesday, and Thursday the commonwealth began calling witnesses in rebuttal.

Tells of Tragic Career.

New York.—"The whole story," as he called it, was told Wednesday night by Giacca Caila, the opera singer who in the tragic role of a deserted bride, denouncing her husband as the murderer of her brother, has excited interest on two continents.

Priest Slayer Foregoes Fight.

Colorado Springs.—Col.—Guiseppio Allo, the murderer of Father Leo, declared Wednesday he would plead guilty to the charge of murder. "There is no chance for me," he said, "and I have no fear of death."

Illinois Member Is Sworn.

Washington.—N. B. Thistlewood was Wednesday sworn in as a member of the house of representatives from the Twenty-fifth district of Illinois in succession to the late George W. Smith.

Mine Deadlock Still On.

Peoria, Ill.—Despite reports to the contrary one prominent coal operator declared Wednesday that the deadlock between the operators and miners of the northern, central and southern Illinois fields had not been broken and that the operators were prepared to hold out until March 1.

Honduras Ex-President Dead.

Tegucigalpa, Honduras.—News of the death abroad of Marco A. Soto, who was president of Honduras from 1876 to 1885, was received in this city.



The Big One That Did Not Get Away.

BRAND EX-MINISTER THIEF

ITALIAN SENATE CONVICTS NAZI OF EMBEZZLEMENT.

Former Head of Public Instruction Department Sent to Jail for Alleged Misdeeds.

Rome.—The senate sitting as a high court, after ten hours' deliberation, Monday convicted Nunzio Nasi, former minister of public instruction, of embezzlement from the state treasury. It sentenced him to 11 months and 20 days' imprisonment and debarred him from holding public office for four years and two months. The punishment of Nasi is not so severe as might appear, for the court admitted extenuating circumstances and permitted the imprisonment to be subtracted from the sentence. This leaves only a few days for him to serve in prison. Nasi's secretary, Lombardo, who also was on trial before the senate was acquitted for lack of evidence.

The former minister was greatly distressed at the verdict and exclaimed: "Even after condemnation, I feel like an honest man."

Strong forces of police and soldiers guarded the building where the senators deliberated, armed guards being placed at all entrances and even on the roof. No one was allowed to enter or leave the building until the court had reached its decision. On the announcement of the verdict there was a boisterous demonstration on the street, several hundred persons crying: "Long live Nasi!"

The severest measures have been adopted to preserve order in Sicily, Signor Nasi being a Sicilian, and very popular with all his people. Telephonic communications with that country have been cut off to avoid the spread of incorrect reports. A large number of men who are in the present danger by the police in the present emergency, have been arrested.

SIX DIE IN CRASH.

Three Others Are Badly Injured at Spring Valley, N. Y.

Spring Valley, N. Y.—A foaming pair of horses that tore down the street Sunday, dragging between them a splintered wagon pole, brought to the village the first news of a grade-crossing accident in which six persons were killed outright and five others injured. Four of the party were instantly killed; two died while being removed to the Hudson county hospital at Hoboken, N. J., and the other three lay in a serious condition at that institution Sunday night.

Bank Wrecker Sentenced.

Benton, Ill.—Ransom A. Youngblood, until six weeks ago president of the Coal Belt National bank of Benton, and the Salem bank of Salem, Ark., pleaded guilty late Monday before the circuit court to embezzling \$17,000 of the funds of the Coal Belt bank, and was immediately sentenced and taken to the Chester penitentiary to serve an indeterminate sentence of from one to 14 years.

Asks End of Merger.

Guthrie, Okla.—Gov. C. N. Haskell Monday sent a communication to Attorney General West in which he ordered him to institute proceedings to dissolve an alleged merger between the Rock Island and the St. Louis & San Francisco railroads in the state.

Wealthy New Yorker a Suicide.

San Francisco.—J. L. Munzer, a member of a wealthy New York family, committed suicide Monday by shooting himself in the head at the Hotel Audubon on Ellis street.

16-Hour Law Held Valid.

San Helena, Mont.—The Montana 16 hour law for railway employees in the train service was Tuesday declared by the state supreme court to be valid and constitutional.

Three Burned to Death.

Brainerd, Minn.—Three persons, a servant girl, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Owens and a brother of Mrs. Owens, perished in a fire in a store at Brainerd, Minn., near here. Mr. and Mrs. Owens were badly burned.

POLICE JUDGE WILLS.

Will Gladly Answer the Questions of any Inquirer.

It is a generous offer that Police Judge J. H. Wills, of Cloverport, Ky., makes to sufferers from backache, kidney and bladder ills. Judge Wills knows the value of Doan's Kidney Pills and will answer the questions of any sufferer who writes to him. The judge says: "I take pleasure in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills to persons suffering from kidney disorders, backache, etc. It is the best remedy I have ever known and I will gladly answer any questions about it." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.



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"I had an itching, tormenting eczema ever since I came into the world, and I am now a man 55 years old. I tried all kinds of medicines I heard of, but found no relief. I was truly in a frightful condition. At last I broke out all over with red and white boils, which kept growing until they were as big as walnuts, causing great pain and misery, but I kept from scratching as well as I could. I was so run down that I could hardly do my work. I used Cuticura Soap, Ointment, Resolvent, and Pills for about eight months, and I can truthfully say I am cured. Hale Bordwell, Tipton, Ia., Aug. 17, 1907."

"I cheerfully endorse the above testimony. It is no trash. I know Mr. Bordwell and know the condition he was in. Nelson R. Burnett, Tipton, Ia."

A St. Patrick Rooster.

"My friend," said the irate customer to his poultryman in Washington market, "I don't like that last chicken case." "Why, it had no lungs!" "Oh, that's all right; it was a St. Patrick rooster." "A St. Patrick rooster? What has that got to do with the case?" "Lord, man, don't you know that a St. Patrick rooster never crows? Therefore what does he want with lungs? Anything else wrong with him?" "Well, er—no. Otherwise he was a fine article." "Good. But next time I'll throw in an extra pair of lungs."—New York Press.

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She—And did my Duckens do a lot of work at the office last night?
He—er—yes, dear; in fact, darling, I was so much occupied that I have never known time go so quickly as it did last night.
She—Yes, dear, didn't it!
(And Duckens wasn't out late again!)

Running No Risk.

"What?" asks the maiden aunt. "Going to marry that Mr. Newsum? Why, you hardly know the man, Imogene. In the few days you have been acquainted with him you cannot possibly have learned anything of his family or antecedents or habits or personal circumstances."
"That is true, Aunt Keturah. But you have always told me that no woman who knows anything about a man will marry him."—Success Magazine.

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"Not great wealth—no. Your rich man renounces too much. I would rather lie down at night by an old spring I know up in the Sierras than to own the Waldorf-Astoria—that is, if I had to live in it."—Bookman.

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