

ARREST HIM
ON A CHARGE
OF TREASON

M. Lopukine Taken
Into Custody
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WAS POLICE DIRECTOR
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Seventeen Other Arrests
Have Been Made in
St. Petersburg

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31.—M. Lokupine, former director of police in the department of the ministry of the interior, has been arrested on a charge of having been a participant in the revelations recently made at Paris. Azeff, the head of the fighting organization of the Russian socialist revolutionists, was also suspected of being the paid agent of the secret police. The technical accusation is that Lokupine had furnished a photograph setting forth that Azeff was a member of the revolutionary organization.

The actual charge is that he furnished information to the leading Russian socialist revolutionists in Paris, and the social revolutionists in France, on the information on which Azeff was denounced, thereby handing over the revolutionary cause to the secret surveillance. It is also charged that Lokupine furnished Curtiss with two highly important documents betraying the most important organizations of the Russian official police.

... was made at the command of the political prosecutor, but the principal incriminating data were gathered from Lopukine's answers to prosecutor Zaitsev's questions.

his house, which began at six o'clock in the morning and lasted until two in the afternoon. Lopukhin was taken to the Viborg political prison. The police also searched the lodgings of M. Sokoloff, the official lawyer of the Social Revolutionists, who represents the party at the big trials and is in close touch with its affairs, as well as the lodgings of two other prominent attorneys, M. Sillescu and M. Braude. M. Sokoloff was temporarily put under arrest.

A total of seventeen other arrests

callers at Lopukhina's house. The case promises to throw light upon a most interesting chapter concerning the relations between the police and the socialist organizations. M. Lopukhin is appointed head of the department of police before the time of Von Voche, although his authority gradually became nominal. After Von Voche's assassination Lopukhin was appointed governor of Livonia. He is the rank of state councillor. He is the brother-in-law of Prince Curjel, and it was from him that Prince Yusoff obtained the information for his sensational revelations in the first

repoff as "the man higher up" as such the instigator of the Jew-massacres.

EGGS SHOOT A POLICEMAN

Portland Officer Se-
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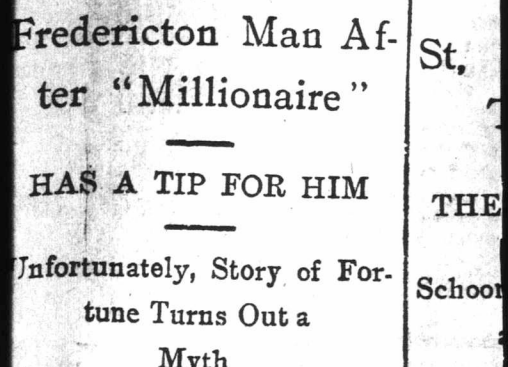
TRLAND, Me., Jan. 20.—Officer
L. Lamont of the Portland police
department, was shot in the right
by one of two desperados near
corner of Brighton avenue and
street in The Seaside Hotel.

tonight, and is now lying in a hospital in a room on the second floor of the William street, located not far from the scene of the shooting. Dr. Charles E. Lester and Dr. Alfred King operated on the wounded officer and at 9:15 p.m. located and removed the bullet. The doctor found that the bullet had taken a downward course and had penetrated the intestines for a considerable distance. Until Officer Lamont was taken to the hospital he was conscious and displayed wonderful nerve. The two men who did the shooting were still at large at last account. al-

every effort had been put forth to free them. All the regular officers were notified by the chief and Captains and McDonough and the blue lights were flashed all over the station for 15 minutes after the shooting occurred.

Two men were first noticed by patrolmen on the Maine Central tracks. They appeared suspicious and were taken up to see their business in the vicinity. While he was talking to the other freed, but missed. Both were then tied and a running search was kept up, the suspect being in the groin. He kept up the chase until he was able to continue farther.

"I tell the unwashed truth in investigation," answered Senator Sorghum. "know as varnish is important."



BOSTON, Feb. 15.—The chief of police of Worcester is wondering why the Massachusetts government is about to borrow money or whether a new field of investment has been developed. Chief of Police William J. Hamilton said, Frederick, of which the following is a copy:

"Dear Sir: I wish to trouble you by asking you to direct the attention of the state named C.W. Averill. He left Los Angeles, California, on the 11th of January, 1908, to come to Massachusetts, and to take possession of my aunt's estate, somewhere in your state. I have not seen any notice of his coming to this time. I addressed the Boston Post office. No correspondence has passed through that office, but this estate must be one of the largest manufacturing concerns in the state, as it is probated at \$100,000. When this aunt died lately she willed the above fortune, I can procure him in this city a good and safe investment for \$300,000. at 4

bids are open to the 15th of February, next month. I wrote the chief of police in Springfield City, Mo., and he said that if you in your city perhaps you can give me some suggestions as regards elsewhere.

Your answer will greatly oblige me.

(Signed) L. HAMILTON RICE,
President York County Agricultural Society, Fredericksburg, New Brunswick.

Averill is not in Boston or New York, and the police express the opinion that the ten million fortune is myth. Some sort of a game is said to be in progress.

FREDERICKS, Feb. 1.—Mr. Rice yesterday was following up a Los Angeles press despatch of June last announcing that Averill had inherited fortunes of \$10,000,000, and was trying to get it.

the money should be disposed of, but it has not been possible to do so. The Los Angeles authorities knew nothing about Averill, and Mr. Reid has since been communicating with officials of the police in various American cities without result.

FIRE LOSS WILL EXCEED \$20,000

Work of Appraising Begun Yesterday—Reid's Have Total Loss

Appraisers were engaged yesterday in ascertaining the damage caused by the fire in the Reid building. The fire broke out at 11:30 p. m. yesterday and destroyed the building, which was valued at \$20,000. The fire was caused by a gas leak from a stove in the kitchen. The fire spread rapidly and destroyed the building in less than an hour. The fire department arrived at 12:15 a. m. and fought the fire for two hours. The fire was extinguished at 2:15 a. m. The fire caused a loss of \$20,000. The fire was caused by a gas leak from a stove in the kitchen. The fire spread rapidly and destroyed the building in less than an hour. The fire department arrived at 12:15 a. m. and fought the fire for two hours. The fire was extinguished at 2:15 a. m. The fire caused a loss of \$20,000.

Dr. White was not completed last evening it was understood that the loss will exceed \$100,000.

The stock of Reid Bros. will be a total loss and on this the full amount of insurance (\$110,000) will be allowed. The stock of the buildings owned by E. White and his family were appraised yesterday at \$100,000 and the amount of insurance allowed is \$45,000.

W. Cooke, of the firm of Dunlap & Cooke, who was last evening that their loss would be \$100,000, today said that the exact figures would not be known until today. The damage done to the buildings owned by Dr. White will be \$100,000.

W. Cooke, of the firm of Dunlap & Cooke, of A. Skinner and F. E. Hollander & Co.

COLLAPSED, Feb. 1.—The second test last night against Scotland was played at the University today and resulted in another victory for the Canadian curlers.

the final match of the series for the Hawthorns trophy will be played on February 8.

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