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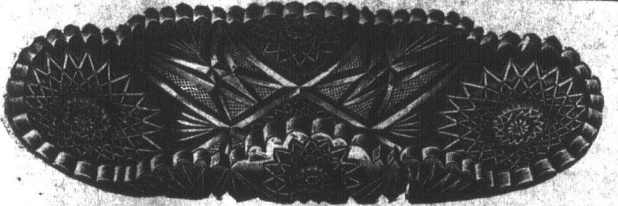
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London Season Opened.

London, Feb. 18.—The first court of the year was held in Buckingham Palace last night. It was exceptionally brilliant and essentially diplomatic. The attendance was large, with a particularly full representation of the Embassies. King Edward and Queen Alexandra were accompanied by the royal circle, the only absence of which was Princess Victoria, who has not yet recovered from a recent operation. There were a large number of presentations, including Princess Edna of Battenberg and Lady Ellen Wellesley. The front of Queen Alexandra's gown was a blaze of jewels, with a beautiful single diamond of great size in the centre of the corsage.

State Not Yet Decided.

Toronto, Feb. 18.—At the close of yesterday's meeting of the Provincial Cabinet the Premier announced that he had no news to give out. The next meeting will be held on Thursday when it is expected the date of the opening of the session will be fixed if the Ministers are all re-elected. There is some talk of opposition to Hon. Nelson Monteith in South Perth, and a convention of Liberals of that riding will be held on Monday next. Hon. Mr. Whitney expects to go home to-day to remain until after the nominations on Tuesday.

Cures Spinal Meningitis.

New York, Feb. 18.—That cerebro-spinal meningitis, frequently called "spotted fever," is to be robbed of its terrors is believed at the Government Hospital, where a method of treatment, discovered by Dr. Edward Weitzfelder, visiting physician there, has led to many speedy recoveries of late.

Died in Denver.

Pickering, Feb. 18.—News has reached here of the death of B. H. Eddy, who for eight years was principal of the public school here. For two years past he had been suffering from tuberculosis of the throat. Mr. Eddy was principal of the Claremont school for some years.

A person doesn't necessarily have to be clumsy to break the ten commandments.

ASSASSINATED SERGIUS

The Czar's Uncle Blown to Fragments By Terrorists' Bomb.

He Was the Leader of the Russian Revolutionary Party and Hated Reformers—Had Shown Cruelty to Jews and Students—Sentenced to Death By the Revolutionary Party Months Ago—The Bomb's Terrible Force.

Moscow, Feb. 18.—While Grand Duke Sergius was driving yesterday from the Nicholas Palace through the Senate quarter, his carriage was followed by two cabs. At the Law Courts a sleigh in which were two men, one of whom was dressed as a workman, went quickly ahead of the Grand Duke's carriage. The sleigh then slowed up to allow the carriage to pass, and at that moment a bomb was thrown beneath the carriage. The force of the explosion broke all the windows of the Law Courts and the report was heard outside the city.

The carriage was blown to pieces, nothing but the four wheels remaining. The horses were not hurt and bolted. The Grand Duke was instantly killed. His head was blown off actually being separated from his body, which was frightfully mangled. The coachman was also killed. He was so frightfully burned by the explosion with which the bomb was charged that he died while being taken to a hospital. The murderers were arrested.

Sensation in St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 18, 4.50 p.m.—The news of the tragedy in which Grand Duke Sergius was blown up caused a tremendous sensation in St. Petersburg, where the announcement by telephone from Moscow arrived during the afternoon.

Owing to the intense excitement prevailing at Moscow, few particulars are ascertainable. The tragedy in reality was no great surprise, as it was known that the terrorists had already condemned the Grand Duke to death, and ever since the affair of January 22 the inauguration of a bomb-throwing campaign had been expected. Grand Duke Sergius, who was a brother-in-law, as well as uncle, of the Emperor, and who had exercised immense influence at court, was regarded as the most reactionary of the Grand Dukes.

Persecuted Jews and Students.

As Governor-General of Moscow, the Grand Duke Sergius was intensely unpopular. His advent as Governor-General was followed by expulsion of the Jews from the central provinces, and throughout the Administration his rigorous and harsh measures aroused the greatest hostility, especially among the students. Two years ago, after the students' riot, in which many were killed or wounded, several hundred expulsions followed under the orders of Grand Duke Sergius and General Tropoff, now Governor-General of St. Petersburg, but who was then Chief of Police of Moscow. As there were many threats made against his life, the Grand Duke was obliged to flee to his summer residence, twenty miles from the city. During the recent strike disturbances the Grand Duke left the Diskoutchey Palace on the outskirts of the city, where he had been living, and took refuge in the ramparts of the Kremlin, where he had since lived in what is known as the little palace, opposite the famous statue of Alexander II. The trip to the Kremlin on that occasion was made at night, between solid lines of troops.

Wealth and Handsome.

Grand Duke Sergius was the wealthiest member of the Imperial family. He was tall, handsome, and cordial in manner, in spite of the ruthless fashion in which he exercised his authority as Governor-General. He was childless, but had adopted two children of his brother Paul, who was banished on account of a morganatic alliance. Sergius' record as a soldier was not brilliant. He suffered a disastrous defeat at the hands of General Kuropatkin during the famous Kursk manoeuvres.

Revoluntists Decried His Death. The Grand Duke is understood to have been condemned to death by the revolutionary party in December last.

The Governor-Generalship of Moscow was abolished early in the year, and the Grand Duke, according to despatches from Moscow on January 4, kept closely to the well-guarded Mokouski Palace on the outskirts of Moscow, retaining his position of commander-in-chief of the military district. Later in January, however, it was announced that the Grand Duke had sought refuge in one of the palaces of the Kremlin. He has been classed as the most reactionary member of the Imperial family, as the head of what is referred to as the war party, and has been stigmatized by the Liberals as Russia's evil genius.

Sergius was born in 1857, and was married in 1884 to Princess Elizabeth of Hesse-Darmstadt. They have no children.

Explosion's Frightful Power.

The deed was committed by a single terrorist, who threw beneath the Grand Duke's carriage a bomb charged with the same high power explosive which wrought Minister Von Plehve's death. The missile was loaded with nails and fragments of iron, and its explosion tore the Imperial victim's body to ghastly fragments, which strewed the snow for yards around. Every window in the great lofty facade of the Palace of Justice was shattered and bits of iron were imbedded deeply in the walls of the arsenal, a hundred yards away.

The assassin belongs to the noted "Fighting group," of the Socialist revolutionary party, which has removed other prominent officials, and long since passed sentence of death upon Grand Duke Sergius.

Grand Duchess Elizabeth, who had been engaged in the task of preparing comforts for the sick and wounded Russian soldiers in Manchuria, was about to drive to the palace to join her husband. When she heard of what had befallen the Grand Duke she was driven in haste to the scene of the tragedy and knelt before the corpse, less on the bloodstained snow and murmured prayers for the welfare of the soul of her slain consort.

King Edward Sympathizes.

London, Feb. 18.—King Edward so soon as he was informed of the assassination of Grand Duke Sergius at Moscow telegraphed to Emperor Nicholas expressing his horror and sympathy.

Pope Is Saddened.

Rome, Feb. 18.—The Pope, on learning of the murder of Grand Duke Sergius, yesterday, said: "How sad it is that people think they can find relief in violence."

Students Did It.

Washington, D.C., Feb. 18.—United States Ambassador McCormick cabled the State Department yesterday from St. Petersburg, as follows: "Grand Duke Sergius assassinated at Moscow yesterday by bomb. Way-laid by three students, one of whom threw bomb, two of them killed."

Japs and Russians Clash.

Tokio, Feb. 18.—The following official announcement was made here yesterday: "On Thursday the enemy's artillery bombarded our positions in front of Shalepao, Hanchanpao, Mengtapao, and their vicinity. Yesterday at 5 in the morning the officer in command of our scouts encountered and repulsed a detachment of the enemy's infantry about 100 strong, near Pinnulupao. The enemy had come southward since Wednesday and retreated north to Lakenfeng, ten miles northwest of Chitalse."

PATRONS AND GRANGERS.

Oppose Free School Books and Railway Subsidies—Elect Officers.

Toronto, Feb. 18.—The Dominion Grange and Patrons of Industry concluded their thirteenth annual session at the Albion Hotel yesterday and placed themselves on record as opposed, to the state furnishing school books to scholars in the public schools of Ontario. They are also opposed to the newer system of education inaugurated at Guelph in connection with which busses are run to bring to and take children from school.

The committee on legislation waited on Premier Whitney in the afternoon. They reported: "That we consider the unequal proportion in which the burden of taxation falls at present adjusted as between farmers and railways, telephone and telegraph companies to be one of the greatest grievances of which farmers have to complain. We recommend the new Government in this province be requested to present a measure at the coming session with the essential features of the Pettypiece Bill."

The committee views with alarm the several proposals looking towards an increase in the burdens already imposed upon the farmer in the form of Dominion taxation. Among the proposals referred to are: To place an import duty on No. 9, 12 and 18 wire, now free; to put a tax on binder twine, and to levy an import duty on lumber. They protest against adding the above articles to the list of taxed articles, and are also opposed to any proposal looking to a restriction by Parliament of the markets the farmers sell in. A serious restriction would be imposed by putting an export duty on wheat. Protests are also made against the granting of subsidies to railway promoters and bounties to iron manufacturers.

The report said: "In view of the fact that even Cuba can secure railways without bounties, the Grange emphatically declares that the time has come when an end should be put to the granting of land to railway corporations; and that where aid is necessary it should take the form of a loan, to be repaid with interest."

The Dominion Parliament will be urged to enact a law limiting the speed of trains crossing streets in villages and towns, and the railway commissioners will be urged to adopt measures to prevent the loss of life by shunting at crossings.

A local law which the Grangers want changed is the Assessment Act. A secret ballot will be welcomed. They recommend that the Dominion Government take over trunk telephone lines in order to facilitate the formation of municipal or co-operative telephone systems.

Election of Officers.

The session adjourned to meet next year at the same place after electing the following officers: Master, Henry Gross, Lefroy; overseer, Thos. McMurphy, Loree; secretary, Wm. Fisher, Burlington; treasurer, Jas. Fallis, Newbridge; chaplain, S. Goodfellow, Duncan; P.O. lecturer, Jas. Glenn, Glenworth; P.O. steward, Albert Caruthers, Whitby; assistant steward, J. G. Lethbridge, Strathroy; gatekeeper, W. A. Coulter, Peñiswick; Lady officers: Ceres, Miss Cowan, Whitby; Pomona, Miss L. Brennan, Whitby; Flora, Mrs. E. Brennan, Whitby; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Warnica, Painswick; executive, Wm. Fisher, Burlington; Jabel Robinson, Middlesex; auditors, F. M. Warnica, and W. Ralston.

New Ontario Railroad.

Chatham, Feb. 18.—The bonds for the Windsor, Essex and Lake Shore Electric Road have been disposed of in New York in one block, and the material for the line will be on the ground before March 1, while work will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit. The road, which is backed up by American capitalists, will take in all the lake shore towns in the western peninsula.

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