

THREE ACCUSED AS SLAYERS OF GERMAN LEADER

Police Profess to Have Obtained Clew to Rathenau Assassins.

NATION-WIDE SEARCH ON

Information Given by Man Who Asserts He Was Member of Gang.

BULLETIN.

By United Press
BERLIN, June 29.—Ernst Teichow, a monarchist agitator, was arrested at Frankfort today on suspicion he is one of the three agents who assassinated Walter Rathenau last Saturday.

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BERLIN, June 29.—Three men, prominent in former monarchistic uprisings, have been named by the police as the assassins of Walter Rathenau, foreign minister.

Ernst Teichow, Hermann Fischer and Fritz Kauer, all former members of the Erhardt Brigade, were betrayed to authorities by a man who alleged he was one of the conspirators and that the three named were deputed to carry out the assassination. They are being sought throughout Germany.

A Central News dispatch to London at noon today declared one of the murderers of Rathenau had been arrested.

The men whom the police are seeking were identified with the embryonic Kapp "Putsch" and are under several aliases as ruthless criminals.

DISTRICT COMMITTEE TO FILL EWING PLACE

Democratic State Body, in Session Today, Determines Method.

District committees, composed of county chairmen, will have the power to fill vacancies in the Democratic ticket. The Democratic State committee decided today. The decision was made because of the death of John W. Ewing of New Albany, Third district candidate for Congress.

It is expected that the Third district committee will select Evan B. Stotsenberg, former Indiana attorney general, as its candidate. R. C. Brown of Bedford, who was a candidate against Ewing for the nomination, has been seeking the appointment.

Joseph E. Bell of Indianapolis, and Lincoln Dixon of North Vernon were named a committee to revise the rules concerning the filling of vacancies.

Reports were read to the State committee on the progress of organization. Finances and campaign plans were discussed.

Women district vice chairmen were admitted to the meeting.

GROCERS RENAME KAMPER

National Association in Twenty-fifth Annual Convention.

CLEVELAND, June 29.—Francis E. Kamper, Atlanta, present president of the National Association of Retail Grocers; Philip A. Depuy, Rochester, N. Y., present vice president, and John Sheehan, Minneapolis, trustee, were unanimously reelected today at the last session of the twenty-fifth annual convention of the National Association of Retail Grocers here. John C. Speas, Kansas City, present treasurer, is opposed by John Coode of Tennessee.

This contest, as well as the meeting place of the next convention, will be decided late this afternoon. St. Paul, Omaha and Washington are contestants.

CLOTHES AND 'BOSS' GONE

"Employed" and Taken to Hotel by Stranger Who Disappears.

Abodore Eckout of St. Louis was employed by a man to work for a construction company at Muncie, and taken, with seven other men also "employed," to the Capitol Hotel.

When Eckout awoke the "employer" was gone and so were his traveling bag containing clothing, a watch and other articles worth \$200, and \$21 in money.

Murder Case Near End
STILLWATER, Okla., June 29.—Final arguments in the trial of Earl Gordon on charges of murder in connection with the killing of Breckam Cobb, Birmingham, Ala., wounded war veteran, were completed today.

The case will go to the jury this afternoon.

No Mail July 4

All departments of the post office will be closed Tuesday, July 4. Robert H. Bryson, postmaster, announced today. There will be no carrier delivery service except in the evening to hotels. Collections will be made on the regular holiday schedule. Perishable parcel post packages and special delivery letters will be delivered.

May Lower Electric Rates
The Bippus Utilities Company of Bippus and North Manchester was authorized to reduce electrical rates to North Manchester, after July 1, by the public service commission today.

What Men Strike For.
DURHAM, England, June 29.—More than 1,000 miners struck at Kimblesworth Colliery because the colliery house was occupied by a chauffeur instead of a union miner.

Baby Carriage for Six.
LEWISHAM, England, June 29.—The Lewisham Guardians have ordered a baby carriage large enough to carry six children at a time.

Same Old Story

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., June 29.—Playing with matches Harry Smith, aged 7, caused a fire that destroyed his home.

Peggy Wears Glasses



POLICE SURE OF MAKING CASE IN SHEFFER KILLING

Brother of Slain Man Is Heir to \$1,000 of Latter's Estate.

GUN BOUGHT IN FT. WAYNE
Two Most Important Links Said by Detectives to Complete Evidence.

FT. WAYNE, June 29.—Identification of Nie Sheffer as the purchaser of the automatic pistol from which the death dealing shots are said to have been fired at Mr. and Mrs. James W. Sheffer at Auburn last Thursday, followed the discovery that the gun was purchased in Ft. Wayne, where the developments in the murder mystery were brought out. N. E. Sheffer, who is a brother of the murdered man, is left \$1,000 by James W. Sheffer's will. Doubt regarding the guilt of Nie Sheffer had been banished by the discovery of what they considered the two most important missing links in the evidence, covering means and motive.

He still maintained his innocence in connection with the death of his father, John Sheffer.

The suspected man is supported by brother and the latter's wife.

ALLEGED LEGGER TAKEN

John Barret Recognized and Turned Over to Cops.

John Barret, 940 Concord St., was arrested this morning charged with assault and battery and bootlegging, after having been the fugitive member of a party of four who had fought over the matter of making liquor December in the home of John Whitlock, New York and Agnes Sts.

The wife of Barret had objected to the use of a ninety-gallon still which her brother-in-law, Clay Whitlock, and Barret had been using. A fight resulted; police were called, but Barret escaped.

Clay Whitlock, who recognized Barret on the streets yesterday, turned him over to the police.

POLICE ARRIVE TOO LATE

White Mule Party Breaks Up—Women and Boy Participants.

Two women and a small boy who disappeared before the police arrived, were reported having a white mule party at the rooming house of W. H. Gibson, 415 E. Ohio St., last night. An empty jug was found. Gibson reported the case himself.

Cyclist Bull-Fighter
HILLSBORO, Ariz., June 29.—Leaping from his bicycle as a young bull dashed through the street, Jack Flower grabbed the animal by his horns and threw him.

Strangled by Own Hair
PARIS, Wyo., June 29.—Despondent over losing her position, Mlle. Helen Leroux choked herself to death by winding her hair tightly around her throat.

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"Poison Pen" Letters

TRENTON, N. J., June 29.—More than a dozen prominent women here have been the recipients of scurrilous letters attacking one of their friends. A secret investigation is under way.

Boy Murderers on Trial.

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Condition Is Unimproved

Craven Asserts Hyland Has Failed to Remedy Bad State of Affairs.

Sewer interceptors are so stopped up that Fall Creek, White River and Pleasant Run are receiving alarming quantities of raw sewage, a report of M. W. Tatlock, inspector to the board of sanitary commissioners said today.

The condition has been reported to Martin J. Hyland, street commissioner, but has not been remedied.

President James C. Craven of the sanitary board said.

Hyland said many of the things complained of, already had been discovered and interceptors were being cleaned out as rapidly as possible with worn out equipment.

Tatlock reported raw sewage flowing directly into Fall Creek at Balsam Ave., Thirty Second St., Thirtieth St., Illinois St., Capitol Ave., Boulevard Place, Burrell Drive and Indiana Ave.

White River is polluted from sewers at Harding St. and Crawfordsville Road; St. Clair St., Washington Ave. and Ray St., according to the report.

Irvington Ave., Graham St. and Sycamore St., accept tanks in Irvington permit sewage to flow directly in Pleasant Run, Tatlock reported. The Michigan Ave. storm sewer, the Sherman Ave. sewer and the interceptor at Prospect St., also pollute the run. Fish can not live in this stream below the gas plant.

Hyland said he can get more sewer work done when an ordinance appropriating \$7,500 for new equipment, pending in the city council is passed.

Salesman Is Missing.

Harry German, a salesman for Swift & Co., was reported missing today by officials of the company. German had been making collections for the company and failed to return to work today. He had been living temporarily near Ben Davis.

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